

Dual Nature of Radiation and Matter



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ANSWERS

- The minimum amount of energy necessary to eject an electron out of a metal surface against the attractive forces of surrounding positive ions.
- If $E =$ energy of incident light (photons).
Then,
 $E < \phi$, no photoelectric effect will take place.
 $E = \phi$, photoelectric effect will just take place but K.E. of ejected photoelectrons is zero.
 $E > \phi$, photoelectric effect will take place along with possession of K.E. by ejected photoelectrons.
- Work function of platinum is highest, $\phi_0 = 5.65$ eV.
Work function of caesium is lowest, $\phi_0 = 2.14$ eV
- Photoelectric effect shows the quantum nature of electromagnetic radiation.
- Work function $= h\nu = \frac{hc}{\lambda}$
 \therefore The ratio, $\frac{\phi_A}{\phi_B} = \frac{hc}{\lambda_A} \times \frac{\lambda_B}{hc} = \frac{\lambda_B}{\lambda_A}$
- Not all the electrons that absorb a photon come out as photoelectrons because most of electrons get scattered into the metal. Only those electrons come out as photoelectrons whose energy becomes greater than work function of metal.
- $n = \frac{P}{h\nu}$
- Einstein first explained the photoelectric effect.
- As, $\phi = h\nu_0 \Rightarrow \phi = \frac{hc}{\lambda_0} \Rightarrow \lambda_0 = \frac{(6.63 \times 10^{-34})(3 \times 10^8)}{(3.3) \times (1.6 \times 10^{-19})}$
 $= 3770 \text{ \AA}$
- $E = \frac{hc}{\lambda} = \frac{6.6 \times 10^{-34} \times 3 \times 10^8}{1} \text{ J} = \frac{19.8 \times 10^{-26}}{1.6 \times 10^{-19}} \text{ eV}$
 $= 1.24 \times 10^{-6} \text{ eV}$
- In case of stable material, this is not possible because, to absorb a photon of larger wavelength and emit a photon of shorter wavelength, energy has to be supplied by the material.
- $p = \frac{E}{c} = \frac{h\nu}{c}$
- Device which converts light energy into electrical energy.
- (i) Photo emissive cell.
(ii) Photo voltaic cell
(iii) Photo conductive cell
- $\lambda = \frac{h}{p} = \frac{h}{mv}$
- The wave associated with moving particles is called matter wave.
- Yes, de-Broglie equation is applicable to photons of radiation.
- Electron microscope is the application of de-Broglie waves designed to study minute things.
- It verifies the wave nature of electron.

