

Model Question Paper

Atomic physics - Part I

12th Standard

Physics

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I. Answer all the questions.

II. Use blue pen only.

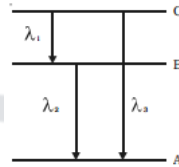
Time : 01:00:00 Hrs

Total Marks : 80

5 x 1 = 5

Part-A

- 1) According to Bohr's postulates, which of the following quantities take discrete values?
(a) kinetic energy (b) potential energy (c) angular momentum (d) momentum
- 2) The ratio of the radii of the first three Bohr orbit is,
(a) 1:1/2:1/3 (b) 1:2:3 (c) 1:4:9 (d) 1:8:27
- 3) The first excitation potential energy or the minimum energy required to excite the atom from ground state of hydrogen atom is,
(a) 13.6eV (b) 10.2eV (c) 3.4eV (d) 1.89eV
- 4) According to Rutherford atom model, the spectral lines emitted by an atom is,
(a) line spectrum (b) continuous spectrum (c) continuous absorption spectrum (d) band spectrum
- 5) Energy levels A, B, C of a certain atom correspond to increasing values of energy (i.e. $E_A < E_B < E_C$). If $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3$ are the wavelengths of radiations corresponding to the



transitions C to B, B to A and C to A respectively, which of the following statements is correct.

- (a) $\lambda_3 = \lambda_1 + \lambda_2$ (b) $\lambda_3 = \frac{\lambda_1 \lambda_2}{\lambda_1 + \lambda_2}$ (c) $\lambda_1 = \lambda_2 + \lambda_3 = 0$ (d) $\lambda_3^2 = \lambda_1^2 + \lambda_2^2$

Part-B

5 x 3 = 15

- 6) What are cathode rays?
- 7) What is meant by energy level diagram?
- 8) Define: excitation potential energy and ionization potential energy.
- 9) What are X-rays?
- 10) What are hard X-rays and soft x-rays?

Part-C

6 x 5 = 30

- 11) Write the properties of cathode rays?
- 12) Write the properties of X-rays?
- 13) state and obtain Bragg's law.
- 14) Explain the origin of characteristic X-rays?
- 15) a) Describe Rutherford's α -particle scattering experiment.

(OR)

- b) Explain how a Bragg's spectrometer can be used to determine the wavelength of X-rays.
