one-electron atoms



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https://franklyandjournal.wordpress.com/2016/07/18/hydrogen-spectrum/



Photon emission spectra of excited hydrogen



Quantization of angular momentum

- Bohr postulate, 1913
- for circular orbit, angular momentum takes on values of

 $L = n\hbar$



 Atoms are observed stable and the total energy remains constant



Bohr's model

• The forces are balanced

$$\frac{Ze^2}{4\pi\varepsilon_0 r^2} = m\frac{v^2}{r}$$

• apply quantization condition $mvr = n\hbar$ $\frac{Ze^2}{4\pi\varepsilon_0} = mv^2r = \frac{n^2\hbar^2}{mr}$ • orbit radius

$$r = 4\pi\varepsilon_0 \frac{n^2\hbar^2}{mZe^2}$$

 $r = 5.3 \times 10^{-11} \text{m}$ (Z = 1) Bohr radius

Bohr's model

• energy of circular orbits

$$K = \frac{1}{2}mv^{2}$$
$$V = -\frac{Ze^{2}}{4\pi\varepsilon_{0}r} = -2K$$

• Quantization of energy

$$E = K + V = -\frac{V}{2} = -\frac{Ze^2}{8\pi\varepsilon_0 r} = -\frac{m}{2\hbar^2} \left(\frac{Ze^2}{4\pi\varepsilon_0}\right)^2 \frac{1}{n^2}$$

atomic structure

• A dimensionless "magic" constant relating h, c, e and ε_0

$$\alpha = \frac{e^2}{4\pi\varepsilon_0\hbar c} \sim \frac{1}{137}$$

- in terms of α $E = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{mZ^2 \alpha^2 c^2}{n^2} = -R_y \frac{Z^2}{n^2}$ $r = \frac{\hbar}{mcZ\alpha} n^2 = \frac{n^2}{Z} a_0$ • Dyidhene energy $p = \frac{1}{2} a_0^2 = \frac{1}{2} a_0^2$
- Rydberg energy $R_y = \frac{1}{2}m\alpha^2 c^2 = 13.6 \text{ eV}$
- Bohr radius $a_0 = 0.053$ nm

reduced mass

 the one-electron atom contains two particles



Sommerfeld rule

• For any physical system in which the coordinate are periodic functions of time, there exists a quantum condition for each coordinate

$$\oint p_q dq = n_q h$$

• When choosing the angular coordinate

$$\oint p_q dq \to \oint L d\theta \qquad \qquad L = n\hbar$$

application to SHO

- the SHO is a periodic motion.
- With constant energy, it goes in an elliptical trajectory in phase space
- The quantum condition requires that elipse area is *nh*

• area=
$$\pi x_0 p_0 = \pi \sqrt{2E/k} \sqrt{2mE}$$

= $2\pi E/\omega$ • x

 $E = \frac{p^2}{2}$

 kx^2

• We get energy quantization $E = n\hbar\omega$

interpretation of the rule

• It describes the standing wave condition



• Apply de Broglie postulate

$$p_1L_1 + p_2L_2 = nh \qquad \sum_i p_iL_i = nh$$

Schrodinger equation in 3D

• in 3D system
$$H = \frac{\mathbf{p}^2}{2\mu} + V(\mathbf{r})$$

• μ mass

- momentum operator in 3D $\mathbf{p} = \left(p_x, p_y, p_z\right) = \left(\frac{\hbar}{i}\frac{\partial}{\partial x}, \frac{\hbar}{i}\frac{\partial}{\partial y}, \frac{\hbar}{i}\frac{\partial}{\partial z}\right)$
- Schrodinger equation

$$-\frac{\hbar^2}{2\mu} \left[\frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial z^2} \right] \psi(x, y, z) + V(x, y, z) \psi(x, y, z) = E \psi(x, y, z)$$

Central potential

• central potential problem

 $V(\mathbf{r}) = V(r)$

separable in spherical coordinate

• kinetic energy in spherical coordinate

$$-\frac{\hbar^{2}}{2\mu} \left[\frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial x^{2}} + \frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial y^{2}} + \frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial z^{2}} \right] = -\frac{\hbar^{2}}{2\mu} \nabla^{2}$$

$$\nabla^{2} \rightarrow \frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial r^{2}} + \frac{2}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} + \frac{1}{r^{2}} \left(\frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial \theta^{2}} + \cot\theta \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} + \frac{1}{\sin^{2}\theta} \frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial \phi^{2}} \right)$$

$$\nabla^{2} = \frac{1}{r^{2}} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left(r^{2} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \right) + \frac{1}{r^{2}} \frac{\partial}{\sin\theta} \left(\sin\theta \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \right) + \frac{1}{r^{2}} \frac{\partial^{2}}{\sin^{2}\theta} \frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial \phi^{2}}$$

Easy way to memorize

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} &= \frac{\partial r}{\partial x}\frac{\partial}{\partial r} + \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x}\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} + \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x}\frac{\partial}{\partial \phi} \\ \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(\frac{\partial r}{\partial x}\frac{\partial}{\partial r} + \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x}\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} + \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x}\frac{\partial}{\partial \phi}\right) \\ &= \left(\frac{\partial r}{\partial x}\right)^2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial r^2} + \left(\frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x}\right)^2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta^2} + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x}\right)^2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \phi^2} + \frac{\partial^2 r}{\partial x^2}\frac{\partial}{\partial r} + \frac{\partial^2 \theta}{\partial x^2}\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} + \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x^2}\frac{\partial}{\partial \phi} \\ &+ 2\frac{\partial r}{\partial x}\frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x}\frac{\partial}{\partial r}\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} + 2\frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x}\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x}\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta}\frac{\partial}{\partial \phi} + 2\frac{\partial r}{\partial x}\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x}\frac{\partial}{\partial r}\frac{\partial}{\partial \phi} \\ \end{aligned}$$

2nd derivative terms

$$\nabla^{2} = \left[\left(\frac{\partial r}{\partial x} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial r}{\partial y} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial r}{\partial z} \right)^{2} \right] \frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial r^{2}} + \left[\left(\frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial \theta}{\partial y} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial \theta}{\partial z} \right)^{2} \right] \frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial \theta^{2}} + \left[\left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} \right] \frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial \phi^{2}} + \left[\left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} \right] \frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial \phi^{2}} + \left[\left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} \right] \frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial \phi^{2}} + \left[\left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} \right] \frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial \phi^{2}} + \left[\left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} \right] \frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial \phi^{2}} + \left[\left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} \right] \frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial \phi^{2}} + \left[\left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} \right] \frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial \phi^{2}} + \left[\left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} \right] \frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial \phi^{2}} + \left[\left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} \right] \frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial \phi^{2}} + \left[\left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} \right] \frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial \phi^{2}} + \left[\left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} \right] \frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial \phi^{2}} + \left[\left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} \right] \frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial \phi^{2}} + \left[\left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} \right] \frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial \phi^{2}} + \left[\left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} \right] \frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial \phi^{2}} + \left[\left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} \right] \frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial \phi^{2}} + \left[\left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} \right] \frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial \phi^{2}} + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right)^{2} \frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial \phi^{2}} + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial \phi} \right)^{2} \frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial \phi^{2}} + \left($$

cross terms =0

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$$\frac{\partial r}{\partial z} = -\cos\theta$$

$$\frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x} = \frac{\cos\theta \cos\phi}{r}$$

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$$\frac{\partial r}{\partial x} = \frac{\sin\theta}{r \sin\theta}$$

$$\frac{\partial \theta}{\partial y} = \frac{\cos\phi}{r \sin\theta}$$

$$\frac{\partial r}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial r}{r \sin\theta}$$

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Ist derivative terms



$$\frac{\partial^2 r}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 r}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 r}{\partial z^2} = \frac{2}{r}$$
$$\frac{\partial^2 \theta}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \theta}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \theta}{\partial z^2} = \frac{\cos \theta}{r^2 \sin \theta}$$
$$\frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial z^2} = 0$$

$$\nabla^{2} = \frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial r^{2}} + \frac{1}{r^{2}} \frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial \theta^{2}} + \frac{1}{r^{2} \sin^{2} \theta} \frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial \phi^{2}} + \frac{2}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} + \frac{1}{r^{2}} \cot \theta \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta}$$
$$= \frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial r^{2}} + \frac{2}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} + \frac{1}{\hbar^{2} r^{2}} L^{2}$$

$$\nabla^2 = \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left(r^2 \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \right) + \frac{1}{r^2 \sin \theta} \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \left(\sin \theta \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \right) + \frac{1}{r^2 \sin^2 \theta} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \phi^2}$$

Schrodinger equation



Separation of variables

separation of variables

 $\psi(r,\theta,\phi) = R(r)Y(\theta,\phi)$

$$-\frac{\hbar^2}{2\mu} \left[\frac{Y}{r^2} \frac{d}{dr} \left(r^2 \frac{dR}{dr} \right) + \frac{R}{r^2 \sin \theta} \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \left(\sin \theta \frac{\partial Y}{\partial \theta} \right) + \frac{R}{r^2 \sin^2 \theta} \frac{\partial^2 Y}{\partial \phi^2} \right] + V(r)RY$$
$$= ERY$$

$$-\frac{\hbar^2}{2\mu} \left[\frac{1}{r^2 R} \frac{d}{dr} \left(r^2 \frac{dR}{dr} \right) + \frac{1}{r^2 Y \sin \theta} \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \left(\sin \theta \frac{\partial Y}{\partial \theta} \right) + \frac{1}{r^2 Y \sin^2 \theta} \frac{\partial^2 Y}{\partial \phi^2} \right] + V(r) = E$$

separation constant

$$\frac{1}{R}\frac{d}{dr}\left(r^{2}\frac{dR}{dr}\right) - \frac{2\mu r^{2}}{\hbar^{2}}\left(V - E\right) + \frac{1}{Y\sin\theta}\left[\frac{\partial}{\partial\theta}\left(\sin\theta\frac{\partial Y}{\partial\theta}\right) + \frac{1}{\sin\theta}\frac{\partial^{2}Y}{\partial\phi^{2}}\right] = 0$$

$$\frac{1}{R}\frac{d}{dr}\left(r^{2}\frac{dR}{dr}\right) - \frac{2\mu r^{2}}{\hbar^{2}}\left(V - E\right) = l(l+1)$$
$$\frac{1}{Y\sin\theta}\left[\frac{\partial}{\partial\theta}\left(\sin\theta\frac{\partial Y}{\partial\theta}\right) + \frac{1}{\sin\theta}\frac{\partial^{2}Y}{\partial\phi^{2}}\right] = -l(l+1)$$

Here we choose the constant to be l(l+1)

Angular equation

$$\sin\theta \frac{\partial}{\partial\theta} \left(\sin\theta \frac{\partial Y}{\partial\theta} \right) + \frac{\partial^2 Y}{\partial\phi^2} = -l(l+1)\sin^2\theta Y$$

$$Y(\theta,\phi) = \Theta(\theta)\Phi(\phi)$$

$$\frac{1}{\Theta}\sin\theta \frac{d}{d\theta} \left(\sin\theta \frac{d\Theta}{d\theta}\right) + l(l+1)\sin^2\theta + \frac{1}{\Phi}\frac{d^2\Phi}{d\phi^2} = 0$$
$$\frac{1}{\Theta}\sin\theta \frac{d}{d\theta} \left(\sin\theta \frac{d\Theta}{d\theta}\right) + l(l+1)\sin^2\theta = m^2$$
$$\frac{1}{\Phi}\frac{d^2\Phi}{d\phi^2} = -m^2$$

Here we choose the constant to be m^2

ϕ equation



$$\frac{d^2\Phi}{d\phi^2} = -m^2\Phi$$

• boundary condition

 $\Phi(\phi+2\pi) = \Phi(\phi)$

• solution $\Phi = e^{im\phi}$ $m = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2 \cdots$

θ equation

$$\sin\theta \frac{d}{d\theta} \left(\sin\theta \frac{d\Theta}{d\theta}\right) + l(l+1)\sin^2\theta\Theta = m^2\Theta$$



$$\frac{d}{dx}\left[\left(1-x^2\right)\frac{d\Theta}{dx}\right] + l(l+1)\Theta = m^2\Theta$$

• The solutions are special functions, called associated Legendre functions

 $\Theta(\theta) = P_l^m(\cos\theta)$

Legendre polynomials

 Associated Legendre functions can be generated from Legendre polynomials P₁

$$P_{l}^{m}(x) = \left(1 - x^{2}\right)^{m/2} \left(\frac{d}{dx}\right)^{m} P_{l}(x) \qquad m > 0 \qquad P_{l}^{-m}(x) = P_{l}^{m}(x)$$

• Legendre polynomials are $P_l(x) = \frac{1}{2^l l!} \left(\frac{d}{dx}\right)^l (x^2 - 1)^l$

called Rodrigues formula

• It is easy to check $P_I(x)$ satisfies

$$\frac{d}{dx}\left[\left(1-x^2\right)\frac{dP_l}{dx}\right] + l(l+1)P_l = 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} (1-x^{2}), \frac{d}{dx} \end{bmatrix} = 2x \qquad [A,BC] = [A,B]C + B[A,C]$$
$$\begin{bmatrix} (1-x^{2}), (\frac{d}{dx})^{l} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} (1-x^{2}), (\frac{d}{dx})^{l-1} \end{bmatrix} (\frac{d}{dx}) + (\frac{d}{dx})^{l-1} \begin{bmatrix} (1-x^{2}), (\frac{d}{dx}) \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{bmatrix} (1-x^{2}), (\frac{d}{dx})^{l-1} \end{bmatrix} (\frac{d}{dx}) + 2x (\frac{d}{dx})^{l-1} + 2(l-1) (\frac{d}{dx})^{l-2}$$
$$= 2lx (\frac{d}{dx})^{l-1} + (l-1)l (\frac{d}{dx})^{l-2}$$
$$= 2l (\frac{d}{dx})^{l-1} x - (l-1)l (\frac{d}{dx})^{l-2}$$
$$\begin{bmatrix} A, B^{n} \end{bmatrix} = n[A,B]B^{n-1}$$
$$x (\frac{d}{dx})^{l-1} = (\frac{d}{dx})^{l-1} x - (l-1) (\frac{d}{dx})^{l-2}$$
if $[A,B] = \text{constant}$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left[\left(1 - x^2 \right) \frac{d}{dx} \right] \frac{d^l}{dx^l} = \frac{d}{dx} \frac{d^{l+1}}{dx^{l+1}} \left(1 - x^2 \right) + \frac{d}{dx} \left[2\left(l+1 \right) \left(\frac{d}{dx} \right)^l x - l\left(l+1 \right) \left(\frac{d}{dx} \right)^{l-1} \right]$$
$$= \frac{d^{l+2}}{dx^{l+2}} \left(1 - x^2 \right) + 2\left(l+1 \right) \left(\frac{d}{dx} \right)^{l+1} x - l\left(l+1 \right) \left(\frac{d}{dx} \right)^l$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \Big[(1-x^2) \frac{d}{dx} \Big] \frac{d^l}{dx^l} (1-x^2)^l = \frac{d^{l+2}}{dx^{l+2}} (1-x^2)^{l+1} + 2(l+1) \Big(\frac{d}{dx} \Big)^{l+1} x (1-x^2)^l - l(l+1) \Big(\frac{d}{dx} \Big)^l (1-x^2)^l \\ = -2(l+1) \Big(\frac{d}{dx} \Big)^{l+1} x (1-x^2)^l + 2(l+1) \Big(\frac{d}{dx} \Big)^{l+1} x (1-x^2)^l - l(l+1) \Big(\frac{d}{dx} \Big)^l (1-x^2)^l \\ = -l(l+1) \Big(\frac{d}{dx} \Big)^l (1-x^2)^l$$

limitations on I and m

• *l* should be non-negative integers $l = 0, 1, 2, \cdots$

• if
$$|m| > l$$
 $P_l^m(x) = 0$

• possible values of $m = -l, -l + 1, \dots, 0, \dots l - 1, l$

Legendre polynomials

 $P_{0}(x) = 1$ $P_{1}(x) = x$ $P_{2}(x) = \frac{1}{2}(3x^{2} - 1)$ $P_{3}(x) = \frac{1}{2}(5x^{3} - 3x)$ $P_{4}(x) = \frac{1}{8}(35x^{4} - 30x^{2} + 3)$ $P_{5}(x) = \frac{1}{8}(63x^{5} - 70x^{3} + 15x)$ $P_{6}(x) = \frac{1}{16}(231x^{6} - 315x^{4} + 105x^{2} - 5).$



legendre polynomials



 $P_1^1(\theta)$

Spherical harmonics

normalized wavefunctions Y are called spherical harmonics

 $\int |Y|^2 \sin\theta \, d\theta \, d\phi = 1$

$$Y_{lm}(\theta,\phi) = (-1)^{m} \left[\frac{2l+1}{4\pi} \frac{(l-m)!}{(l+m)!} \right]^{1/2} P_{l}^{m}(\cos\theta) e^{im\phi}$$

- *l*: azimuthal quantum number
- *m*:magnetic quantum number

Hydrogen atom

- attractive Coulomb potential $V(r) = -\frac{Ze^2}{4\pi\varepsilon_0 r}$
- Differential equation

$$-\frac{\hbar^2}{2\mu} \left[\frac{\partial^2}{\partial r^2} + \frac{2}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} - \frac{l(l+1)}{r^2} \right] R_{nl}(r) - \frac{Ze^2}{4\pi\varepsilon_0 r} R_{nl}(r) = ER_{nl}(r)$$

$$\left[\frac{\partial^2}{\partial r^2} + \frac{2}{r}\frac{\partial}{\partial r} + \frac{2\mu}{\hbar^2}\left(E + \frac{Ze^2}{4\pi\varepsilon_0 r} - \frac{\hbar^2 l(l+1)}{2\mu r^2}\right)\right]R_{nl}(r) = 0$$

Scaling

• choose the scaling factor for length

$$E < 0 \qquad \qquad \frac{1}{x_0} = \frac{\sqrt{8\mu|E|}}{\hbar} = \frac{\sqrt{-8\mu E}}{\hbar}$$

• dimensionless length
$$\rho = \frac{r}{x_0} = \frac{\sqrt{-8\mu E}}{\hbar}r$$

 $\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{x_0^2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \rho^2} + \frac{1}{x_0^2} \frac{2}{\rho} \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} + \frac{2\mu}{\hbar^2} \left(E + \frac{Ze^2}{4\pi\varepsilon_0 x_0 \rho} - \frac{\hbar^2 l(l+1)}{2\mu x_0^2 \rho^2} \right) \right] R(\rho) = 0$ $\begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \rho^2} + \frac{2}{\rho} \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} - \frac{1}{4} + \frac{2\mu}{\hbar^2} \frac{x_0 Ze^2}{4\pi\varepsilon_0 \rho} - \frac{l(l+1)}{\rho^2} \right] R(\rho) = 0$ $\begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \rho^2} + \frac{2}{\rho} \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} - \frac{1}{4} + \frac{\lambda}{\rho} - \frac{l(l+1)}{\rho^2} \end{bmatrix} R(\rho) = 0$

Characteristic length

• characteristic(eigen) length

• fine structure constant

$$\alpha = \frac{e^2}{4\pi\varepsilon_0 c\hbar} = \frac{1}{137}$$

• when
$$\rho \to \infty$$

$$\left[\frac{\partial^2}{\partial \rho^2} + \frac{2}{\rho}\frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} - \frac{1}{4} + \frac{\lambda}{\rho} - \frac{l(l+1)}{\rho^2}\right]R(\rho) = 0$$

$$\longrightarrow \left[\frac{\partial^2}{\partial \rho^2} - \frac{1}{4}\right] R(\rho) = 0$$

$$R(\rho) \rightarrow e^{-\rho/2}$$

• in general $R(\rho) = e^{-\rho/2}G(\rho)$

when $\rho \rightarrow 0$ $\left| \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \rho^2} + \frac{2}{\rho} \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} - \frac{1}{4} + \frac{\lambda}{\rho} - \frac{l(l+1)}{\rho^2} \right| R(\rho) = 0$ $\longrightarrow \qquad \left| \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \rho^2} + \frac{2}{\rho} \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} - \frac{l(l+1)}{\rho^2} \right| R(\rho) = 0$ $R(\rho) \propto \rho^s$ s(s-1)+2s-l(l+1)=0 s(s+1)=l(l+1)s = l or s = -l - 1

• differential equation for G

$$\begin{split} & \left[\frac{\partial^2}{\partial\rho^2} + \frac{2}{\rho}\frac{\partial}{\partial\rho} - \frac{1}{4} + \frac{\lambda}{\rho} - \frac{l(l+1)}{\rho^2}\right]e^{-\rho/2}G(\rho) \\ &= e^{-\rho/2}\frac{\partial^2 G}{\partial\rho^2} - e^{-\rho/2}\frac{\partial G}{\partial\rho} + \frac{1}{4}e^{-\rho/2}G \\ &+ e^{-\rho/2}\frac{2}{\rho}\frac{\partial G}{\partial\rho} - e^{-\rho/2}\frac{1}{\rho}G + \left[-\frac{1}{4} + \frac{\lambda}{\rho} - \frac{l(l+1)}{\rho^2}\right]e^{-\rho/2}G \end{split}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 G}{\partial \rho^2} - \frac{\partial G}{\partial \rho} + \frac{2}{\rho} \frac{\partial G}{\partial \rho} - \frac{1}{\rho} G + \left[\frac{\lambda}{\rho} - \frac{l(l+1)}{\rho^2}\right] G = 0$$
$$\frac{\partial^2 G}{\partial \rho^2} - \left(1 - \frac{2}{\rho}\right) \frac{\partial G}{\partial \rho} + \left[\frac{\lambda - 1}{\rho} - \frac{l(l+1)}{\rho^2}\right] G = 0$$

• owing to the behavior of R at small ρ

$$G(\rho) \propto \rho^{l} = \rho^{l} H(\rho)$$
$$\frac{\partial^{2}}{\partial \rho^{2}} \rho^{l} H(\rho) - \left(1 - \frac{2}{\rho}\right) \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} \rho^{l} H(\rho) + \left[\frac{\lambda - 1}{\rho} - \frac{l(l+1)}{\rho^{2}}\right] \rho^{l} H(\rho) = 0$$
$$\rho^{l} \frac{\partial^{2} H}{\partial \rho^{2}} + \frac{2l}{\rho} \rho^{l} \frac{\partial H}{\partial \rho} + \rho^{l} \frac{l(l-1)}{\rho^{2}} H - \left(1 - \frac{2}{\rho}\right) \frac{\partial H}{\partial \rho} - \left(1 - \frac{2}{\rho}\right) \frac{l}{\rho} \rho^{l} H + \left[\frac{\lambda - 1}{\rho} - \frac{l(l+1)}{\rho^{2}}\right] \rho^{l} H = 0$$
$$\frac{\partial^{2} H}{\partial \rho^{2}} + \left(\frac{2l+2}{\rho} - 1\right) \frac{\partial H}{\partial \rho} + \frac{\lambda - l - 1}{\rho} H = 0$$

• We will take the similar approach with that in Chapter IV to discuss the possible eigenvalues

power series expansion

• Here we consider the approach of power series expansion for the differential equation

$$\frac{\partial^2 H}{\partial \rho^2} + \left(\frac{2l+2}{\rho} - 1\right) \frac{\partial H}{\partial \rho} + \frac{\lambda - l - 1}{\rho} H = 0$$

• assuming $H(\rho) = \sum_{k} a_{k} \rho^{k}$

$$\frac{dH}{d\rho} = \sum_{k} k a_k \rho^{k-1} \qquad \qquad \frac{d^2 H}{d\rho^2} = \sum_{k} k (k-1) a_k \rho^{k-2}$$

$$\sum_{k} k(k-1)a_{k}\rho^{k-2} + \sum_{k} \left(\frac{2l+2}{\rho} - 1\right)ka_{k}\rho^{k-1} + \frac{\lambda - l - 1}{\rho}\sum_{k} a_{k}\rho^{k} = 0$$
$$\sum_{k} \left[k(k-1) + k(2l+2)\right]a_{k}\rho^{k-2} + \sum_{k} (\lambda - l - 1 - k)a_{k}\rho^{k-1} = 0$$

recursion formula

• rearrange the order

$$\sum_{k} (k+1)(k+2l+2)a_{k+1}\rho^{k-1} + \sum_{k} (\lambda - l - 1 - k)a_{k}\rho^{k-1} = 0$$

• The coefficients

$$(k+1)(k+2l+2)a_{k+1} + (\lambda - l - 1 - k)a_k = 0$$

$$\frac{a_{k+1}}{a_k} = \frac{k+l+1-\lambda}{(k+1)(k+2l+2)}$$

recursion formula



$$a_k \approx \left(\frac{1}{k}\right) \left(\frac{1}{k-1}\right) \left(\frac{1}{k-2}\right) \cdots \simeq \frac{1}{k!}C$$

$$H(\rho) = \sum_{k} a_{k} \rho^{k} \simeq C \sum_{k} \frac{1}{k!} \rho^{k} = C e^{\rho}$$

in general cases, $R(\rho) = e^{-\frac{\rho}{2}} \rho^{l} H(\rho) \sim C \rho^{l} e^{\rho} e^{-\frac{\rho}{2}} = C \rho^{l} e^{\frac{\rho}{2}}$ diverges when ρ is large

termination of series

• we want a reasonable solution which is finite at infinite ρ $a_{k+1} = 0$ for some k

$$k+l+1-\lambda = 0 \qquad k=0,1,2\cdots$$
It restricts the value of $\lambda \qquad \lambda = (1+l), (2+l)\cdots$

$$\lambda = k + l + 1 = n$$

• n is called principle quantum number

• some properties

$$k \ge 0$$
 $n \ge l+1$
 $k = -\mu c^2 \frac{Z^2 \alpha^2}{2n^2}$

Numerical method-I

- another way of scaling, Bohr radius $a_0 = \frac{\hbar^2 4 \pi \varepsilon_0}{\mu e^2}$
- rewrite the equation $\rho = \frac{r}{r}$ a_0

$$-\frac{\hbar^{2}}{2\mu} \left[\frac{d^{2}}{dr^{2}} + \frac{2}{r} \frac{d}{dr} - \frac{l(l+1)}{r^{2}} \right] R_{nl}(r) - \frac{Ze^{2}}{4\pi\varepsilon_{0}r} R_{nl}(r) = ER_{nl}(r)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -\frac{d^2}{dr^2} - \frac{2}{r}\frac{d}{dr} + \frac{l(l+1)}{r^2} \end{bmatrix} R_{nl}(r) - \frac{2\mu Z e^2}{4\pi\varepsilon_0 \hbar^2 r} R_{nl}(r) = \frac{2\mu}{\hbar^2} E R_{nl}(r)$$
$$\begin{bmatrix} -\frac{\partial^2}{\partial\rho^2} - \frac{2}{\rho}\frac{\partial}{\partial\rho} - \frac{2Z}{\rho} + \frac{l(l+1)}{\rho^2} \end{bmatrix} R(\rho) = \frac{2\mu a_0^2}{\hbar^2} E R(\rho)$$

Numerical method-2

normalization condition

$$\int |\rho R(\rho)|^2 d\rho = \int |f|^2 d\rho = 1 \qquad f = \rho R(\rho)$$

• The equation for f

$$-\frac{\partial^2}{\partial \rho^2} f(\rho) - \left[\frac{2Z}{\rho} - \frac{l(l+1)}{\rho^2}\right] f(\rho) = \lambda f(\rho)$$

$$\lambda = \frac{2\mu a_0^2}{\hbar^2} E = \frac{E}{R_y} \qquad \qquad R_y = \frac{\mu e^4}{8\varepsilon_0^2 h^2}$$

Numerical method-3

Define the hermitian operator satisfying

$$\hat{O}|f\rangle = \lambda|f\rangle$$
 $\hat{O} = -\frac{\partial^2}{\partial\rho^2} - \frac{2Z}{\rho} + \frac{l(l+1)}{\rho^2}$

• If write the solution with a column vector with linearly spaced coordinate $\rho_{j+1} - \rho_j = \Delta \rho$

$$f(\rho) = \begin{pmatrix} \rho_1 R(\rho_1) \\ \rho_2 R(\rho_2) \\ \rho_3 R(\rho_3) \\ \vdots \\ \rho_N R(\rho_N) \end{pmatrix} \qquad \frac{d^2}{d\rho^2} = \frac{1}{(\Delta \rho)^2} \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & 0 \\ \vdots & \ddots & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Numerical method-4



eigenvalues

-0.99937578~ I -0.2499605 ~ I/4 -0.10921206 ~1/9 -0.06246099 ~1/16 -0.03998396 ~1/25 -0.0277305 ~1/36 -0.01921007 ~1/49

mass difference

- the mass of a deutron(lpln) is twice of a proton
- Eigenenergy and transition frequency scale as $\mu = \frac{mM}{m+M} = \frac{m}{1+\frac{m}{M}}$
- small difference of transition energies for a deuterium(epn) and a hydrogen(ep)

$$\mu_D \simeq m_e \left(1 - \frac{m_e}{2m_p} \right) \qquad \qquad \mu_H \simeq m_e \left(1 - \frac{m_e}{m_p} \right)$$

Proton size puzzle

- to study the spectrum of a muonic hydrogen (µp)
- muon mass ~ 270 m_e
- a muon orbits much closer than an electron to the hydrogen nucleus, where it is consequently much more sensitive to the size of the proton.

LETTERS

The size of the proton

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degeneracy

- energy only depends on nn = k + l + 1
- since k is an integer, the number of possible k is n (from l=0, 1,n-1)
- for each l, there are 2l+1 states (m=-l,l)
- total degeneracy

$$\sum_{l=0}^{n-1} 2l + 1 = n^2$$

spectrum

n=4 = I=3 = I=2 = I=1 - I=0 n=3 = I=2 = I=1 - I=0

n=2 === l=1 ---- l=0

n=1 _____ l=0 k=0 k=1 k=2 k=3

ground state

$$\frac{a_{k+1}}{a_k} = \frac{k+l}{(k+1)(k+2l+2)}$$

• only a_0 exists radial $H(\rho) = 1$

angular

 $Y_{00} = \text{cosntant}$

 $R(\rho) = e^{ho/2}$

Ist excited state

•
$$n=2, l=0 (k=1)$$
 $\frac{a_{k+1}}{a_k} = \frac{k+l-1}{(k+1)(k+2l+2)}$
 $a_0 = 1$ radial angular
 $a_1 = -\frac{1}{2}$ $H(\rho) = 1 - \frac{\rho}{2}$ Y_{00}
• $n=2, l=1 (k=0)$ radial angular
 $H(\rho) = 1$ Y_{11}, Y_{10}, Y_{1-1}

2nd excited state

•
$$n=3, l=0 \ (k=2)$$

 $a_{0}=1$
 $a_{1}=-1$
 $a_{2}=\frac{1}{6}$
 $a_{3}=0$
 $H(\rho)=1-\rho+\frac{\rho^{2}}{6}$
 $a_{0}=1$
 $a_{0}=1$
 $a_{1}=-\frac{1}{4}$
 $H(\rho)=1-\frac{\rho}{4}$
 Y_{11},Y_{10},Y_{1-1}
 $a_{2}=0$

associate Lagurre polynomials

• The radial eigenfunctions are called associate Lagurre polynomials

 $H(\rho) = L_{n-l-1}^{(2l+1)}(\rho)$

$$L_n^{\alpha}(\rho) = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \begin{pmatrix} n+\alpha \\ n-m \end{pmatrix} \frac{(-\rho)^m}{m!}$$

n	1	m _l	R(r)	$\Theta(\theta)$	$\Phi(\phi)$
1	0	0	$\frac{2}{a_0^{3/2}}e^{-r/a_0}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}}$
2	0	0	$\frac{1}{(2a_0)^{3/2}} \left(2 - \frac{r}{a_0}\right) e^{-r/2a_0}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}}$
2	1	0	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}(2a_0)^{3/2}}\frac{r}{a_0}e^{-r/2a_0}$	$\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}\cos\theta$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}}$
2	1	±1	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}(2a_0)^{3/2}}\frac{r}{a_0}e^{-r/2a_0}$	$\pm \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\sin\theta$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}}e^{\pm i\phi}$
3	0	0	$\frac{2}{(3a_0)^{3/2}} \left(1 - \frac{2r}{3a_0} + \frac{2r^2}{27a_0^2} \right) e^{-r/3a_0}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}}$
3	1	0	$\frac{8}{9\sqrt{2}(3a_0)^{3/2}} \left(\frac{r}{a_0} - \frac{r^2}{6a_0^2}\right) e^{-r/3a_0}$	$\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}\cos\theta$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}}$
3	1	±1	$\frac{8}{9\sqrt{2}(3a_0)^{3/2}} \left(\frac{r}{a_0} - \frac{r^2}{6a_0^2}\right) e^{-r/3a_0}$	$\pm \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\sin\theta$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}}e^{\pm i\phi}$
3	2	0	$\frac{4}{27\sqrt{10}(3a_0)^{3/2}}\frac{r^2}{a_0^2}e^{-r/3a_0}$	$\sqrt{\frac{5}{8}}(3\cos^2\theta - 1)$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}}$
3	2	±1	$\frac{4}{27\sqrt{10}(3a_0)^{3/2}}\frac{r^2}{a_0^2}e^{-r/3a_0}$	$\mp \sqrt{\frac{15}{4}} \sin \theta \cos \theta$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}}e^{\pm i\phi}$
3	2	±2	$\frac{4}{27\sqrt{10}(3a_0)^{3/2}}\frac{r^2}{a_0^2}e^{-r/3a_0}$	$\frac{\sqrt{15}}{4}\sin^2\theta$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}}e^{\pm 2i\phi}$



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