



PHYSICS

BOOKS - NEET PREVIOUS YEAR (YEARWISE + CHAPTERWISE)

ELECTRONS AND PHOTONS

Others

1. The photoelectric threshold wavelength of silver is $3250 \times 10^{-10} m$. The velocity of the

electron ejected from a silver surface by ultraviolet light of wavelength $2536 \times 10^{-10} \text{ m}$ is

(Given $h = 4.14 \times 10^{-15} \text{ eVs}$ and $c = 3 \times 10^8 \text{ ms}^{-1}$)

A. $\approx 6 \times 10^5 \text{ ms}^{-1}$

B. $\approx 0.6 \times 10^6 \text{ ms}^{-1}$

C. $\approx 61 \times 10^3 \text{ ms}^{-1}$

D. $\approx 0.3 \times 10^6 \text{ ms}^{-1}$

Answer: A::B



2. The de - Broglie wavelength of a neutron in thermal equilibrium with heavy water at a temperature T (kelvin) and mass m , is

A. $\frac{h}{\sqrt{mkT}}$

B. $\frac{h}{\sqrt{3mkT}}$

C. $2 \frac{h}{\sqrt{3mkT}}$

D. $2 \frac{h}{\sqrt{mkT}}$

Answer: B





3. An electron of mass m and a photon have same energy E . The ratio of de - Broglie wavelengths associated with them is :

A. $\left(\frac{E}{(em)^{\frac{1}{2}}} \right)$

B. $c(2mE)^{\frac{1}{2}}$

C. $\frac{1}{c} \left(\frac{2m}{E} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$

D. $\frac{1}{c} \left(\frac{E}{2} m \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$

Answer: D



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4. When a metallic surface is illuminated with radiation of wavelength λ , the stopping potential is V . If the same surface is illuminated with radiation of wavelength 2λ , the stopping potential is $\frac{V}{4}$. The threshold wavelength surface is :

A. 5λ

B. $\frac{5}{2}\lambda$

C. 3λ

D. 4λ

Answer: C



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5. Electrons with de-Broglie wavelength λ fall on the target in an X-ray tube. The cut-off wavelength of the emitted X-ray is

A. $\lambda_o = \frac{2mc\lambda^2}{h}$

B. $\lambda_o = \frac{2h}{mc}$

C. $\lambda_0 = \frac{2m^2c^2\lambda^2}{h^2}$

D. $\lambda_o = \lambda$

Answer: A



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6. Photons with energy $5eV$ are incident on a cathode C in a photoelectric cell . The maximum energy of emitted photoelectrons is

$2eV$. When photons of energy $6eV$ are incident on C , no photoelectrons will reach the anode A , if the stopping potential of A relative to C is

A. $+3V$

B. $+4V$

C. $-1V$

D. $-3V$

Answer: D



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7. A radiation of energy E falls normally on a perfectly reflecting surface . The momentum transferred to the surface is

A. $\frac{E}{C}$

B. $\frac{2E}{C}$

C. $\frac{2E}{C^2}$

D. $\frac{E}{C^2}$

Answer: B



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8. When a certain metallic surface is illuminated with monochromatic light of wavelength λ , the stopping potential for photoelectric current is $3V_0$ and when the same surface is illuminated with light of wavelength 2λ , the stopping potential is V_0 . The threshold wavelength of this surface for photoelectric effect is

A. 6λ

B. 4λ

C. $\frac{\lambda}{4}$

D. $\frac{\lambda}{6}$

Answer: B



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9. Which of the following figure represents the variation of particle momentum and the associated de - Broglie wavelength ?

A. 

B. 

C. 

D. 

Answer: B



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10. A photoelectric surface is illuminated successively by monochromatic light of wavelength λ and $\frac{\lambda}{2}$. If the maximum kinetic energy of the emitted photoelectrons in the

second case is 3 times than in the first case ,
the work function of the surface of the
material is

(h = Plank's constant , c = speed of light)

A. $\frac{hc}{2\lambda}$

B. $\frac{hc}{\lambda}$

C. $\frac{2hc}{\lambda}$

D. $\frac{hc}{3\lambda}$

Answer: A



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11. Light of wavelength 500nm is incident on a metal with work function 2.28eV . The de Broglie wavelength of the emitted electron is

A. $< 2.8 \times 10^{-10}\text{m}$

B. $< 2.8 \times 10^{-19}\text{m}$

C. $\geq 2.8 \times 10^{-9}\text{m}$

D. $\leq 2.8 \times 10^{-12}\text{m}$

Answer: C



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12. When the energy of the incident radiation is increased by 20 % , kinetic energy of the photoelectrons emitted from a metal surface increased from $0.5\text{eV} \rightarrow 0.8\text{eV}$. The work function of the metal is

A. 0.65eV

B. 1.0eV

C. 1.3eV

D. 1.5eV

Answer: B



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13. If the kinetic energy of the particle is increased to 16 times its previous value , the percentage change in the de - Broglie wavelength of the particle is

A. 25

B. 75

C. 60

D. 50

Answer: B



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14. For photoelectric emission from certain metal the cut - off frequency is ν . If radiation of frequency 2ν incident on the metal plate , the maximum possible velocity of the emitted electron will be (m is the electron mass).

A. $\left(\frac{\sqrt{h\nu}}{2m} \right)$

B. $\left(\frac{\sqrt{hv}}{m} \right)$

C. $\frac{\sqrt{2hv}}{m}$

D. $2 \left(\frac{\sqrt{hv}}{m} \right)$

Answer: C



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15. The wavelength λ_e of an electron and λ_p of a photon of same energy E are related by

A. $\lambda_p \propto \lambda_e^2$

$$\text{B. } \lambda_p \propto \lambda_e$$

$$\text{C. } \lambda_p \propto \sqrt{\lambda_e}$$

$$\text{D. } \lambda_p \propto \frac{1}{\sqrt{\lambda_e}}$$

Answer: A



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16. Monochromatic radiation emitted when electron on hydrogen atom jumps from first excited to the ground state irradiates a photosensitive material. The stopping

potential is measured to be $3.57V$. The threshold frequency of the material is

A. $4 \times 10^{15} \text{ Hz}$

B. $5 \times 10^{15} \text{ Hz}$

C. $1.6 \times 10^{15} \text{ Hz}$

D. $2.5 \times 10^{15} \text{ Hz}$

Answer: C



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17. A modern 200 W sodium street lamp emits yellow light of wavelength $0.6 \mu\text{m}$. Assuming it to be 25% efficient in converting electrical energy to light, the number of photons of yellow light it emits per second is

A. 1.5×10^{20}

B. 6×10^{18}

C. 62×10^{20}

D. 3×10^{19}

Answer: A



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18. Light of two different frequencies whose photons have energies 1eV and 2.5 eV respectively illuminate a metallic surface whose work function is 0.5 eV successively. Ratio of maximum kinetic energy of emitted electrons will be:

A. $1:2$

B. $1:1$

C. $1:5$

D. 1 : 4

Answer: A



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19. Photoelectric emission occurs only when the incident light has more than a certain minimum

A. wavelength

B. intensity

C. frequency

D. power

Answer: C



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20. In photoelectric emission process from a metal of work function $1.8eV$, the kinetic energy of most energetic electrons is $0.5eV$.
The corresponding stopping potential is

A. $1.3eV$

B. $0.5eV$

C. $2.3eV$

D. $1.8eV$

Answer: B



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21. A source S_1 is producing 10^{15} photons/s of wavelength 5000\AA . Another source S_2 is producing 1.02×10^{15} photons per second of

wavelength 5100\AA . Then (power of S_2)/("power of" S_1)` is equal to

A. 1.00

B. 1.02

C. 1.04

D. 0.98

Answer: A



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22. The number of photoelectrons emitted for light of a frequency ν (higher than the threshold frequency ν_0) is proportional to

A. $\nu - \nu_0$

B. threshold frequency (ν_0)

C. intensity of light

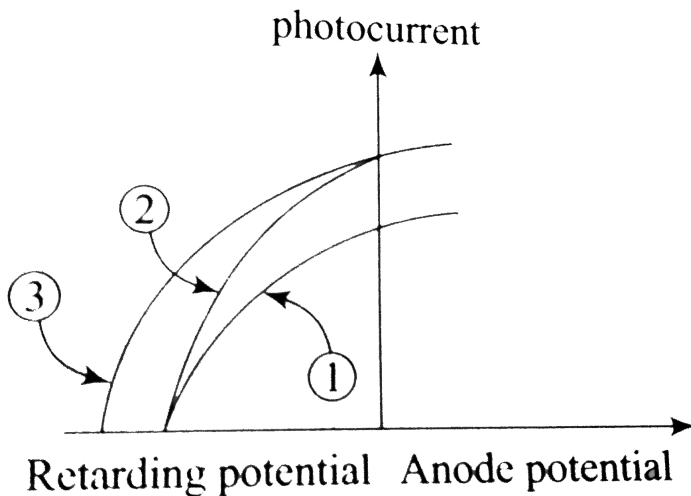
D. frequency of light (ν)

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23. The figure shows a plot of photo current versus anode potential for a photosensitive surface for three different radiations. Which one of the following is a correct statement ?



A. Curves a and b represent incident radiations of different frequencies and

different intensities

B. curves a and b represent incident radiations of same frequency but of different intensities.

C. curves b and c represent incident radiations of different frequencies and different intensities.

D. Curves b and c represent incident radiations of same frequency having same intensity

Answer: B



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24. Monochromatic light of wavelength $667nm$ is produced by a helium neon laser . The power emitted is $9mW$. The number of photons arriving per second on the average at a target irradiated by this beam is

A. 9×10^{17}

B. 3×10^{16}

C. 9×10^{15}

D. 3×10^{19}

Answer: B



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25. A particle of mass $1mg$ has the same wavelength as an electron moving with a velocity of $3 \times 10^6 ms^{-1}$. The velocity of the particle is

A. $2.7 \times 10^{-18} ms^{-1}$

B. $9 \times 10^{-2} ms_1$

C. $3 \times 10^{-31} ms_{-1}$

D. $2.7 \times 10^{-21} ms^{-1}$

Answer: A



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26. In the phenomenon of electric discharge through gases at low pressure , the coloured glow in the tube appears as a result of

A. excitation of electrons in the atoms

B. collision between the atoms of the gas

C. collisions between the charged

particles emitted from the cathode and

the atoms of the gas

D. collision between different electrons of

the atoms of the gas

Answer: C



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27. The work function of a surface of a photosensitive material is 6.2eV . The wavelength of the incident radiation for which the stopping potential is 5V lies in the

A. ultraviolet region

B. visible region

C. infrared region

D. X-ray region

Answer: D



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28. Monochromatic light of frequency $6.0 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz}$ is produced by a laser. The power emitted is $2 \times 10^{-3} \text{ W}$. The number of photons emitted, on the average, by the sources per second is

A. 5×10^{15}

B. 5×10^{16}

C. 5×10^{17}

D. 5×10^{14}

Answer: A



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29. A $5W$ source emits monochromatic light of wavelength 5000\AA . When placed $0.5m$ away , it liberates photoelectrons from a photosensitive metallic surface . When the source is moved to a distance of $1.0m$ the number of photoelectrons liberated will be reduced by a factor of

A. 4

B. 8

C. 16

D. 2

Answer: A



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30. The momentum of a photon of energy 1MeV "in" kgm / s will be

A. 0.33×10^6

B. 7×10^{-24}

C. 10^{-22}

D. 5×10^{-22}

Answer: D



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31. In a discharge tube ionization of enclosed gas is produced due to collisions between

A. positive ions and neutral atoms/molecules

B. negative electrons and neutral atoms/molecules

C. photons and neutral atoms/molecules

D. neutral gas atoms/molecules

Answer: B



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32. A photocell employs photoelectric effect to convert

A. change in the frequency of light into a change in electric voltage

B. change in the intensity of illumination into a change in photoelectric current.

C. change in the intensity of illumination into a change in the work function of the photocathode

D. change in the frequency of light into a
change into the electric current

Answer: B



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33. A photosensitive metallic surface has work function , $h\nu_0$. If photons of energy $2h\nu_0$ fall on this surface , the electrons come out with a maximum velocity of $4 \times 10^6 m/s$. When the

photon energy is increased to $5h\nu_0$, then the maximum velocity of photoelectrons will be

A. $2 \times 10^6 \text{ m/s}$

B. $2 \times 10^7 \text{ m/s}$

C. $8 \times 10^5 \text{ m/s}$

D. $8 \times 10^6 \text{ m/s}$

Answer: D



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34. The work function for metals A , B and C are respectively 1.92eV , 2.0eV and 5eV . According to Einstein's equation, the metals which will emit photoelectrons for a radiation of wavelength 4100\AA are

A. None of these

B. A only

C. A and B only

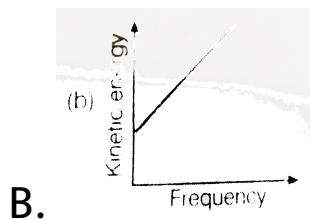
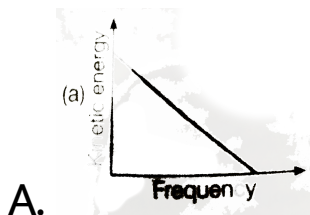
D. All the three metals.

Answer: C

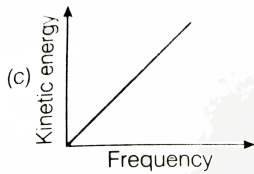


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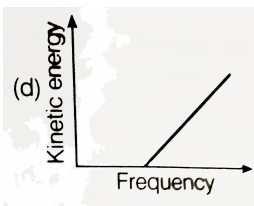
35. According to Einstein's photoelectric equation, the graph between the kinetic energy of photoelectrons ejected and the frequency of incident radiation is



C.



D.



Answer: D



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36. A photoelectric cell is illuminated by a point source of light $1m$ away . When the source is shifted to $2m$ then

A. each emitted electron carries half the initial energy

B. number of electrons emitted is a quarter of the initial number

C. each emitted electron carries one quarter of the initial energy

D. number of electrons emitted is half the initial number

Answer: B



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37. When ultraviolet rays are incident on a metal plate, the photoelectric effect does not occur. It occurs by incidence of

A. infrared rays

B. X-rays

C. radiowaves

D. light waves

Answer: B



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38. Which of the following is not the property of a cathode rays

- A. it produces heating effect
- B. it does not deflect in electric field
- C. its casts shadow
- D. it produces fluorescence

Answer: D



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39. If particles are moving with same velocity ,
then maximum de - Broglie wavelength will be
for

A. proton

B. α particle

C. neutron

D. β particles

Answer: D



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40. A caesium photocell , with a steady potential difference of $60V$ across , is illuminated by a bright point source of light $50cm$ away. When the same light is placed $1m$ away the photoelectrons emitted from the cell

A. $\left(\frac{n}{2}\right)$

B. $2n$

C. $4n$

D. n

Answer: C



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41. If we express the energy of a photon in KeV and the wavelength in angstroms , then energy of a photon can be calculated from the relation

A. $4125nm$

B. $412.5nm$

C. $41250nm$

D. $4nm$

Answer: D



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42. Einstein's work on photoelectric effect gives support to

A. $E = mc^2$

B. $E = hv$

C. $hv = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)mv^2$

D. $E = \frac{h}{\lambda}$

Answer: B



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43. As the intensity of incident light increases

A. photocurrent increases

B. photocurrent decreases

C. kinetic energy of emitted photoelectrons
increases

D. kinetic energy of emitted photoelectrons
decreases

Answer: A



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44. The photoelectric work function for a metal surface is 4.125eV . The cut - off wavelength for this surface is

A. 4125\AA

B. 3000\AA

C. 6000\AA

D. 2062.5\AA

Answer: B



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45. In a photoemissive cell, with exciting wavelength λ , the faster electron has speed v . If the exciting wavelength is changed to $3\lambda/4$, the speed of the fastest electron will be

A. $v\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$

B. $v\left(\frac{4}{3}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$

C. less than $v\left(\frac{4}{3}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$

D. greater than $v\left(\frac{4}{3}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$

Answer: B



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46. Light of wavelength 5000\AA falls on a sensitive plate with photoelectric work

function of 1.9eV . The kinetic energy of the photoelectron emitted will be

A. 0.58eV

B. 2.48eV

C. 1.24eV

D. 1.16eV

Answer: A



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47. The 21cm radio wave emitted by hydrogen in interstellar space is due to the interaction called the hyperfine interaction in atomic hydrogen. The energy of the emitted wave is nearly

A. 10^{-17}

B. $1J$

C. $7 \times 10^{-6} J$

D. $10^{-24} J$

Answer: D



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48. Which of the following is true?

A. The stopping potential increases with increasing intensity of incident light

B. The photocurrent increases with increasing intensity of light

C. the current in photocell increases with increasing frequency of light

D. The photocurrent is proportional to applied voltage

Answer: B



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49. An electron of mass m and charge e is accelerated from rest through a potential difference V in vacuum. The final speed of the electron will be

A. $\frac{eV}{2m}$

B. $\frac{eV}{m}$

C. $\sqrt{\frac{2eV}{m}}$

D. $\sqrt{\frac{ev}{2m}}$

Answer: C



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50. The wavelength associated with an electron accelerated through a potential difference of $100V$ is nearly

A. 1000\AA

B. 100\AA

C. 10.5\AA

D. 1.2\AA

Answer: D



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51. If the threshold wavelength for a certain metal is 2000\AA , then the work function of the metal is

A. 6.2J

B. 6.2eV

C. 6.2MeV

D. 6.2Ev

Answer: D



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52. The nature of ions knocked out from hot surface is

A. protons

B. electrons

C. neutrons

D. nuclei

Answer: B



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53. Kinetic energy of an electron accelerated in a potential difference of $100V$ is

A. $1.6 \times 10^{-17} \text{ J}$

B. $1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$

C. $1.6 \times 10^{-21} \text{ J}$

D. $1.6 \times 10^{-25} \text{ J}$

Answer: A



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54. Gases begin to conduct electricity at low pressure because

A. at low pressure gases turn to plasma

B. colliding electrons can acquire higher

kinetic energy due to increased mean

free path leading to ionisation of atoms

C. atoms break up into electrons and

protons

D. the electrons in atoms can move freely

at low pressure.

Answer: B



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55. Doubly ionised helium atoms and hydrogen ions are accelerated from rest through the same potential drop. The ratio of the final velocities of the helium and the hydrogen ion is

A. $\frac{1}{2}$

B. 2

C. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

D. $\sqrt{2}$

Answer: C



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56. In photoelectric effect the work function of a metal is 3.5 eV. The emitted electrons can be stopped by applying a potential of -1.2 V. Then

A. the energy of the incident photons is

$$4.7\text{eV}$$

B. the energy of the incident photons is

$$2.3\text{eV}$$

C. if higher frequency photons be used ,
the photoelectric current will rise

D. when the energy of photons is $3.5eV$,
the photoelectric current will be
maximum

Answer: A



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57. Momentum of a photon of wavelength λ is

A. $\frac{h}{\lambda}$

B. zero

C. $\frac{h\lambda}{c^2}$

D. $\frac{h\lambda}{c}$

Answer: A



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58. Number of ejected photoelectron increases
with increase

A. in intensity of light

B. in wavelength of light

C. in frequency of light

D. never

Answer: A



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59. When light of wavelength $300nm$ (nanometre) falls on a photoelectric emitter , however light of $600nm$ wavelength is

sufficient for creating photoemission . What is the ratio of the work functions of the two emitters ?

A. 1 : 2

B. 2 : 1

C. 4 : 1

D. 1 : 4

Answer: B



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60. An ionization chamber with parallel conducting plates as anode and cathode has 5×10^7 electrons and the same number of singly-charged positive ions per cm^2 . The electrons are moving at $0.4m/s$. The current density from anode to cathodes $4\mu A/m^2$. The velocity of positive ions moving towards cathode is

A. $0.4m/s$

B. $1.6m/s$

C. zero $0.1m/s$

D. $0.1m / s$

Answer: D



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61. The cathode of a photoelectric cell is changed such that the work function changes from $(W_1 \rightarrow W_2 (W_2 > W_1))$. If the current before and after change are I_1 and I_2 , all other conditions remaining unchanged, then (assuming $h\nu > W_2$)

A. $(l_1 = l_2)$

B. $(l_1 < l_2)$

C. $l_1 > l_2)$

D. $(l_1 < l_2 < 2L_1)$

Answer: A



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62. Photoelectric work- function of a metal is 1eV . Light of wavelength $\lambda = 3000\text{\AA}$ falls on

it. The photoelectrons come out with maximum velocity

A. $10 \frac{m}{s}$

B. $10^2 m / s$

C. $10^4 m / s$

D. $10^6 m / s$

Answer: D



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63. Wavelength of a 1keV photon is $1.24 \times 10^{-9}\text{m}$. What is the frequency of 1MeV photon ?

A. $1.24 \times 10^{15}\text{Hz}$

B. $2.5 \times 10^{20}\text{Hz}$

C. $1.24 \times 10^{18}\text{Hz}$

D. $2.4 \times 10^{23}\text{Hz}$

Answer: B



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64. The momentum of photon of electromagnetic radiation is $3.3 \times 10^{-29} \text{ kgms}^{-1}$. What is the frequency and wavelength of the waves associated with it ? $h = 6.6 \times 10^{-34} \text{ Js}$.

A. $1.5 \times 10^{13} \text{ Hz}$

B. $7.5 \times 10^{12} \text{ Hz}$

C. $6.0 \times 10^{13} \text{ Hz}$

D. $3.0 \times 10^3 \text{ Hz}$

Answer: A



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65. A radio transmitter operates at a frequency of 880kHz and a power of 10kW . The number of photons emitted per second are

A. 1.72×10^{31}

B. 1.327×10^{25}

C. 1.327×10^{37}

D. 1.327×10^{45}

Answer: A



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66. The de - Broglie wavelength associated with the particle of mass m moving with velocity v is

A. $\frac{h}{mv}$

B. hmv

C. $\frac{mh}{v}$

D. $\frac{m}{hv}$

Answer: A



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67. Ultraviolet radiation of 6.2 eV falls on an aluminium surface (work - function = 4.2 eV). The kinetic energy in joule of the fastest electrons emitted is

A. $3.2 \times 10^{-21} J$

B. $3.2 \times 10^{-19} J$

C. $7 \times 10^{-25} J$

D. $3 \times 10^{-19} J$

Answer: B



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68. Threshold wavelength for photoelectric effect on sodium is 5000\AA . Its work function is

A. $4 \times 10^{-19} J$

B. $1J$

C. $2 \times 10^{-19} J$

D. $3 \times 10^{-19} J$

Answer: A



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69. Which of the following are thermions?

A. Protons

B. Electrons

C. photons and neutral atoms/molecules

D. Positrons

Answer: B



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70. The energy of a photon of wavelength λ is

A. $hc\lambda$

B. $\frac{hc}{\lambda}$

C. $\frac{\lambda}{hc}$

D. $\lambda \frac{h}{c}$

Answer: B



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