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Physics 111 Quiz #2, September 22, 2017

*Please show all work, thoughts and/or reasoning in order to receive partial credit. The quiz is worth 10 points total.* 

I affirm that I have carried out my academic endeavors with full academic honesty.

1. How much voltage must be used to accelerate a proton ( $Q_p = +e$  and radius  $1.2 \times 10^{-15} m$ ) so that it has sufficient energy to just touch a gold nucleus? Assume that a gold nucleus has a radius of  $7.3 \times 10^{-15} m$  has a charge of  $Q_{Au} = +79e$ .

$$W = -q\Delta V = \Delta K = 0 - K_i \Longrightarrow -K_i = -q\Delta V = -e\left[\frac{k(Ze)}{r_f} - \frac{k(Ze)}{r_i}\right] = -e\frac{k(Ze)}{r_f}$$
$$\therefore V = \frac{k(Ze)}{r_f} = \frac{9 \times 10^9 \frac{Nm^2}{C^2} \times 79 \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19} C}{(1.2 + 7.3) \times 10^{-15} m} = 1.34 \times 10^7 V = 13.4 MV$$

2. Suppose that you have a set of horizontal, parallel, square, metal plates with sides of length L = 10.0 cm and separation d = 6.0 cm. The upper and lower plates have the same magnitude of charge on them. What value of the potential difference would be needed across the plates such that you could suspend the proton at rest between the plates? In addition, what are the signs of the charges on the upper and lower plates?

In order to suspend the proton at rest between the plates we have to overcome the force of gravity which acts vertically down. Thus the electric force on the proton must be vertically up in direction and of the same magnitude as the weight of the proton. To have the electric force point up on the proton, the electric field must also point upwards. Thus the lower plate must have the positive charge and the upper plate must have the negative charge.

The electric potential difference between the plates needed to suspend the proton at rest is determined from:

$$F_{net} = ma_y = 0 = F_E - F_W \rightarrow F_E = F_W \rightarrow eE = mg \rightarrow E = \left| -\frac{\Delta V}{\Delta y} \right| = \frac{mg}{e}$$
$$\Delta V = \left(\frac{mg}{e}\right) \Delta y = \left(\frac{1.67 \times 10^{-27} kg \times 9.8 \frac{m}{s^2}}{1.6 \times 10^{-19} C}\right) \times 0.06m = 6.1 \times 10^{-9} V$$

- 3. A proton (Q = +e) and an electron (Q = -e) are in a constant electric field created by oppositely charged plates. You release the proton from rest near the positive plate and release the electron from rest near the negative plate. When the proton and electron strike the opposite plates, which one has more kinetic energy?
  - a. The proton.
  - b. The electron.
  - c.) They both acquire the same kinetic energy.
  - d. They both acquire the same kinetic energy, but the electron's kinetic energy has the opposite sign of the proton's kinetic energy.
  - e. Neither one has a greater kinetic energy since there is no change in the kinetic energy of either.

## **Physics 111 Equation Sheet**

**Electric Forces, Fields and Potentials** 

$$\vec{F} = k \frac{Q_1 Q_2}{r^2} \hat{r}$$
$$\vec{E} = \frac{\vec{F}}{q}$$
$$\vec{E}_Q = k \frac{Q}{r^2} \hat{r}$$
$$PE = k \frac{Q_1 Q_2}{r}$$
$$V(r) = k \frac{Q}{r}$$
$$E_x = -\frac{\Delta V}{\Delta x}$$
$$W = -q \Delta V_{f,i}$$

**Magnetic Forces and Fields** 

 $F = qvB\sin\theta$  $F = IlB\sin\theta$  $\tau = NIAB\sin\theta = \mu B\sin\theta$  $PE = -\mu B\cos\theta$  $B = \frac{\mu_0 I}{2\pi r}$ 

$$\varepsilon_{induced} = -N \frac{\Delta \phi_B}{\Delta t} = -N \frac{\Delta (BA \cos \theta)}{\Delta t}$$
Constants  
 $g = 9.8 \frac{m}{s^2}$   
 $le = 1.6 \times 10^{-19} C$   
 $k = \frac{1}{4\pi\varepsilon_o} = 9 \times 10^9 \frac{c^2}{Nm^2}$   
 $\varepsilon_o = 8.85 \times 10^{-12} \frac{Nm^2}{C^2}$   
 $leV = 1.6 \times 10^{-19} J$   
 $\mu_o = 4\pi \times 10^{-7} \frac{Tm}{A}$   
 $c = 3 \times 10^8 \frac{m}{s}$   
 $h = 6.63 \times 10^{-34} Js$   
 $m_e = 9.11 \times 10^{-31} kg = \frac{0.511MeV}{c^2}$   
 $m_p = 1.67 \times 10^{-27} kg = \frac{937.1MeV}{c^2}$   
 $m_n = 1.69 \times 10^{-27} kg = \frac{948.3MeV}{c^2}$   
 $lamu = 1.66 \times 10^{-27} kg = \frac{931.5MeV}{c^2}$   
 $N_A = 6.02 \times 10^{23}$   
 $Ax^2 + Bx + C = 0 \rightarrow x = \frac{-B \pm \sqrt{B^2 - 4AC}}{2A}$ 

Electric Circuits  

$$I = \frac{\Delta Q}{\Delta t}$$

$$V = IR = I \left(\frac{\rho L}{A}\right)$$

$$R_{series} = \sum_{i=1}^{N} R_i$$

$$\frac{1}{R_{parallel}} = \sum_{i=1}^{N} \frac{1}{R_i}$$

$$P = IV = I^2 R = \frac{V^2}{R}$$

$$Q = CV = \left(\frac{\kappa \varepsilon_0 A}{d}\right) V = (\kappa C_0) V$$

$$PE = \frac{1}{2} QV = \frac{1}{2} CV^2 = \frac{Q^2}{2C}$$

$$Q_{charge}(t) = Q_{max} \left(1 - e^{-\frac{t}{RC}}\right)$$

$$Q_{discharge}(t) = Q_{max} e^{-\frac{t}{RC}}$$

$$C_{parallel} = \sum_{i=1}^{N} C_i$$

$$\frac{1}{C_{series}} = \sum_{i=1}^{N} \frac{1}{C_i}$$

 $\Delta(BA\cos\theta)$  Light as a Particle & Relativity Nuclear Physics

$$E = hf = \frac{hc}{\lambda} = pc$$

$$KE_{max} = hf - \phi = eV_{stop}$$

$$\Delta \lambda = \frac{h}{m_e c} (1 - \cos \phi)$$

$$\gamma = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}}}$$

$$p = \gamma mv$$

$$E_{total} = KE + E_{rest} = \gamma mc^2$$

$$E_{total}^2 = p^2 c^2 + m^2 c^4$$

$$E_{rest} = mc^2$$

$$KE = (\gamma - 1)mc^2$$

## Geometry

Circles:  $C = 2\pi r = \pi D$   $A = \pi r^2$ *Triangles*:  $A = \frac{1}{2}bh$ *Spheres*:  $A = 4\pi r^{2}$   $V = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^{3}$ 

Light as a Wave

$$c = f\lambda = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\varepsilon_o \mu_o}}$$

$$S(t) = \frac{energy}{time \times area} = c\varepsilon_o E^2(t) = c\frac{B^2(t)}{\mu_0}$$

$$I = S_{avg} = \frac{1}{2}c\varepsilon_o E_{max}^2 = c\frac{B_{max}^2}{2\mu_0}$$

$$P = \frac{S}{c} = \frac{Force}{Area}$$

$$S = S_o \cos^2 \theta$$

$$v = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\varepsilon\mu}} = \frac{c}{n}$$

$$\theta_{inc} = \theta_{refl}$$

$$n_1 \sin \theta_1 = n_2 \sin \theta_2$$

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{d_o} + \frac{1}{d_i}$$

$$M = \frac{h_i}{h_o} = -\frac{d_i}{d_o}$$

$$M_{total} = \prod_{i=1}^N M_i$$

$$S_{out} = S_{in} e^{-\sum_i \mu_i x_i}$$

$$HU = \frac{\mu_w - \mu_m}{\mu_w}$$

$$\begin{split} E_{binding} &= \left( Zm_p + Nm_n - m_{rest} \right) c^2 \\ \frac{\Delta N}{\Delta t} &= -\lambda N_o \rightarrow N(t) = N_o e^{-\lambda t} \\ A(t) &= A_o e^{-\lambda t} \\ m(t) &= m_o e^{-\lambda t} \\ t_{\frac{1}{2}} &= \frac{\ln 2}{\lambda} \end{split}$$

**Misc. Physics 110 Formulae** 

$$\vec{F} = \frac{\Delta \vec{p}}{\Delta t} = \frac{\Delta (mv)}{\Delta t} = m\vec{a}$$
  

$$\vec{F} = -k\vec{y}$$
  

$$\vec{F}_c = m\frac{v^2}{R}\hat{r}$$
  

$$W = \Delta KE = \frac{1}{2}m(v_f^2 - v_i^2) = -\Delta PE$$
  

$$PE_{gravity} = mgy$$
  

$$PE_{spring} = \frac{1}{2}ky^2$$
  

$$|\vec{A}| = \sqrt{A_x^2 + A_y^2}$$
  

$$\phi = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{A_y}{A_x}\right)$$
  

$$\vec{v}_f = \vec{v}_i + \vec{a}t$$
  

$$v_f^2 = v_i^2 + 2a\Delta x$$
  

$$\vec{x}_f = \vec{x}_i + \vec{v}_i t + \frac{1}{2}\vec{a}t^2$$