

# Particle Physics

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Proton  $m_p$  +ve charge  
Neutron  $\cong m_p$  zero charge

Initially p & n are same if charge is not considered.

As electromag. theory comes in nature nucleon split in two parts

p n

electromag. int. field is responsible for proton & n charge.

for masses Higg's int. is responsible.

The whole of the material world can be classified into 2 broad categories :-

1) Matter

2) Radiation

The interaction of the radiation with matter is governed by four fundamental interactions of the nature.

1. Strong
2. Weak
3. EM
4. Gravitational

I EM is first discovered by Maxwell. It is governed by four Maxwell's eq<sup>n</sup>. (1915)

II Attemp made by Albert Einstein to (1920-1925) combine EM int with gravitation, but failed.

III Attemp to combine weak int with E-M called electroweak theory.

by Glashow, Abdus Salam, Weinberg.

IV Grand unified theory to combine all 4.

Range of these forces :-

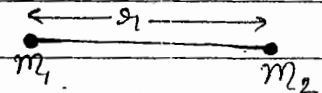
Gravitational

$$\vec{F} = G \frac{M_1 M_2}{r^2} \hat{r}$$

dir<sup>n</sup> of force is along the line joining two masses.

When  $r \rightarrow \infty$

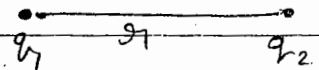
$$F \rightarrow 0$$



These are long range forces, having infinite range.

EM Interaction :- Governed by Coulomb's law.

$$\vec{F} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{q_1 q_2}{r^2} \hat{r}$$



Range is  $\infty$  for EM. int.

Strong Interaction :- Range of strong forces is  $10^{-15} \text{ m}$   
 $= 1 \text{ fm}$

It acts in nucleus. If 2 protons are at distance of the order of 1 fm then strong int. will dominate. It is strongest force in the nature.

Weak Interaction :- Range =  $10^{-18} \text{ m}$

These int. are responsible for radioactive decay. Their range is 1000 times smaller than strong int. Weak forces are also called Contact forces (almost touching surface).

Strength :- The order of strength of the four int. is as follows

Strong	em	Weak	Gravitational
1	$10^{-2}$	$10^{-13}$	$10^{-42}$
			$\approx 10^{-39}$

Nature :- The nature of the forces can be explained by Maxwell's classical theory as well as by Quantum mechanical explanation.

Acc. to Maxwell, a charge creates a field around it & intensity of field due to this charge

$$E = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{Q}{r^2}$$

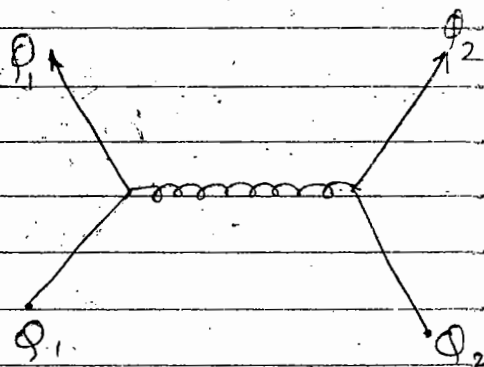
Another charge  $q$

$Q$

$q$

$$F = qE$$

The interaction b/w two charged particles takes place bcoz of the exchange of the particles called virtual photons. It is consistent with Heisenberg's uncertainty principle.



$$\Delta E \Delta t \geq \hbar$$

for time  $\Delta t$ ,  $\Delta E$  amount of energy can be created or can be destroyed. We don't know what is happen in time  $\Delta t$ .

In  $\Delta t$  time interval we can create as well as we can destroy  $\Delta E$  amount of energy consistent with the Heisenberg's Uncertainty relation ( $\Delta E \Delta t \geq \hbar$ )

$$\text{Range} = \text{speed} \times \text{time}$$

$$= c \times \Delta t$$

$$= c \times \frac{\hbar}{\Delta E} = c \times \frac{\hbar}{Mc^2}$$

$$= \frac{\hbar}{Mc}$$



$M \rightarrow$  mass of exchange particle.

Range of the int. is inversely proportional to the mass of the particle being exchanged.

$$R \propto \frac{1}{M}$$

EM Int.,  $R = \infty$

Mass of exchange particle will have rest mass  $= 0$

$\Rightarrow$  Photons.

$\rightarrow$  When electromag. field is quantised then get particle, & for EM int. the particle which continuously exchange is photon.

Gravitational Int.,  $R = \infty$

exchange particle = Graviton

It has not been discovered yet. Whenever it will be discovered it has 0 rest mass & spin 2.

Strong Int.,  $R \approx 10^{-15}$  meters

Say  $R = 2 \times 10^{-15} \text{ m}$

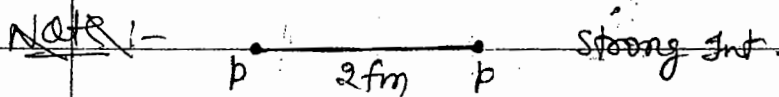
$$R = \frac{\hbar}{Mc}$$

$$M = \frac{\hbar}{Rc} = \frac{6.626 \times 10^{-34}}{2 \times 3.14 \times 2 \times 10^{-15} \times 3 \times 10^8}$$

$$Mc^2 = \text{J} \quad \text{kg}$$

$$\therefore 1 \text{ eV} = 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$$

$$M \approx 100 \text{ MeV}$$



Experimentally it has been confirmed that the exchange particle in case of strong int. are  $\pi^+$ ,  $\pi^0$ ,  $\pi^-$ . Their mass are of the order of 100 MeV (140 MeV)

Weak int.  $R \approx 10^{-18} \text{ m}$

$$M = \frac{\hbar}{Rc} = \frac{6.626 \times 10^{-34}}{2 \times 3.14 \times 2 \times 10^{-18} \times 3 \times 10^8}$$

$$= 100 \text{ MeV} \times 1000$$

$$= 10^5 \text{ MeV}$$

$$= 100 \text{ GeV}$$

Experimentally it has been confirmed the mass of the exchange particle in weak int. is of the order of 100 GeV.

exchange particles  $\rightarrow W^\pm, Z^0$  bosons

2. Summarize :-

Int.	Strength	Range	exh. particle	Mass	Spin	Theory to explain
Strong	1	$10^{-15}$	$\pi$	100 MeV	1	Quantum Chromodynamics
EM	$10^{-2}$	$10^{-18}$ $\infty$	Photon	0	1	Quantum Electrodynamics
Weak	$10^{-13}$	$\infty$ $10^{-18}$	$W^\pm, Z^0$	100 GeV	1	Quantum flavour dynamics
Gravitational	$10^{-42}$	$\infty$	Graviton	0	2	Quantum Geo-metrodynamics



# Elementary Particles

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- 1) It should be infinitely hard & structureless
- 2) It should be unbreakable.
- 3) Just like a periodic table of the elements almost 200-300 elementary particles have been classified on the basis of 4 properties -
  - (i) Mass
  - (ii) Interaction
  - (iii) Lifetime
  - (iv) Spin

(i) On the basis of Mass, all the elementary particles are classified in 3 categories -

- LEPTONS      0 - 135 MeV (masses)
- MESONS      135 - 938.3 MeV
- HADRONS      > 938.3 MeV

LEPTONS :- There are 6 Leptons. They are fermions

having spin $1/2$ .		charge	mass	
1 - Electron	$e^-$	-1	0.511 MeV	
2 - Electron neutrino	$\nu_e$	0	0	
3 - Muon	$\mu^-$	-1	105.6 MeV	unstable
4 - Muon neutrino	$\nu_\mu$	0	0	
5 - Tau	$\tau^-$	-1	(1786 MeV)	unstable
6 - Tau neutrino	$\nu_\tau$	0	0	

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exceptions

Lepton Number :- All those particles which are leptons their leptonic no. will be +1, & for antileptons the leptonic no. will be -1, & for others it will be zero.

$L_e$	+1	$e^-, \nu_e$
	-1	$e^+, \bar{\nu}_e$
	0	others

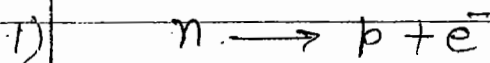
Note :- For Any elementary particle  
 $\Rightarrow$  "see" to take place  
 Leptonic no. must  
 be conserved,

$L_\mu$	+1	$\mu^-, \nu_\mu$
	-1	$\mu^+, \bar{\nu}_\mu$
	0	others

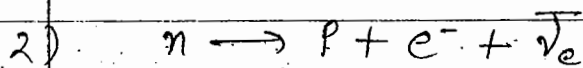
$L_\tau$	+1	$\tau^-, \nu_\tau$
	-1	$\tau^+, \bar{\nu}_\tau$
	0	others

Key

\* Check the feasibility of "see",

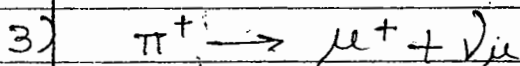


Not feasible, L.No.  $\Rightarrow 0 \rightarrow 0 + 1$  Not conserved



$L_e$ , L.No.  $0 \rightarrow 0 + 1 - 1$  Conserved.

(This is additive Quantum no.)



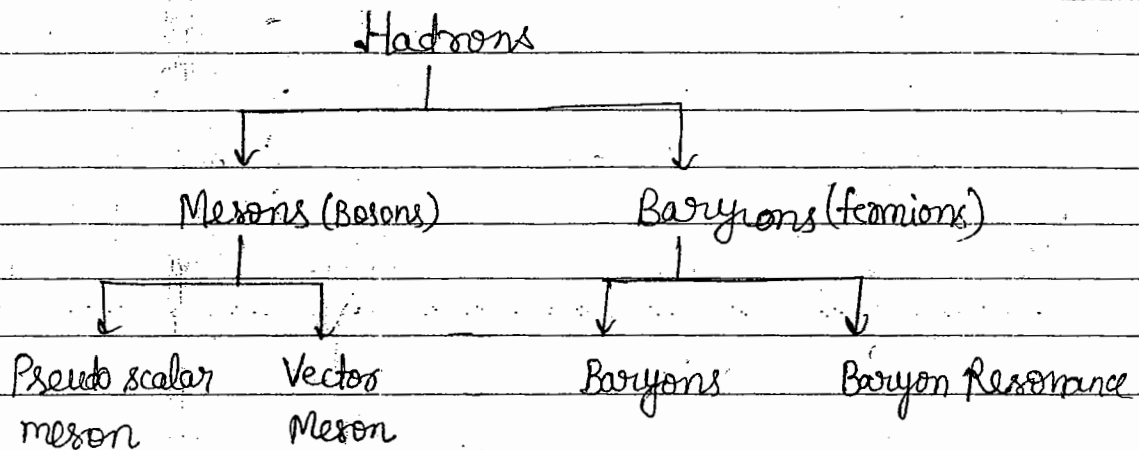
$L_\mu$   $0 \rightarrow -1 + 1$  Conserved.

ON the basis of Interaction, we define the particles as:

Leptons :- leptons are those particles which do not participate in strong interaction.

Hadrons :- Hadrons are those particles which do participate in strong int.

Hadrons are further classified as



Note :- Rank zero Tensor  $\rightarrow$  Scalar ;  $3^n = 3^0 = 1$   
 Rank 1 "  $\rightarrow$  Vector ;  $3^n = 3^1 = 3$   
 Pseudo  $\rightarrow$  Virtual

$\Rightarrow$  We define the parity operator  $\hat{P}$  as

$$\hat{P} : \vec{r} \rightarrow -\vec{r}$$

$$\hat{P} : \text{Scalar} \rightarrow \text{Scalar} \quad (\text{True Scalar}) \quad [\text{invariant}]$$

$$\hat{P} : \text{Vector} \rightarrow -\text{Vector} \quad (\text{True Vector})$$

$$\hat{P} : \text{Vector} \rightarrow \text{Vector} \quad (\text{pseudo vector}) \\ \text{or axial vector}$$

$$\hat{P} : \vec{r} \rightarrow -\vec{r} \quad (\text{True Vector})$$

$$\hat{P} : \vec{v} \rightarrow -\vec{v} \quad ( \quad " \quad )$$

$$\hat{P} : \vec{p} \rightarrow -\vec{p} \quad ( \quad " \quad )$$

$$\hat{P} : \vec{F} \rightarrow -\vec{F} \quad ( \quad " \quad )$$

$$\hat{P} : \vec{\tau} \rightarrow \vec{\tau} \quad (\text{pseudo vector})$$

$$\hat{P} : \vec{L} \rightarrow \vec{L} \quad ( \quad " \quad )$$

(True Vector)  $\cdot$  (pseudo vector)  $\equiv$  Scalar

$\Downarrow$

$$\hat{P} : \text{Scalar} \rightarrow -\text{Scalar} \quad [\text{Pseudo Scalar}]$$



Classification on the basis of life time :- Only few elementary particles such as  $e^-$ ,  $\nu_e$ ,  $\nu_\mu$ ,  $\gamma$ ,  $\nu_\tau$  are stable.

On the basis of lifetime unstable particles may be divided in groups:

- 1) Metastable  $\Gamma \ll M$  ( $10^{-8}$  s)
- 2) Resonance  $\Gamma \approx M$  ( $10^{-23}$  s)

If the width of the energy level is much less than mass no. then particle will be of metastable group.

Baryon No. :- For all the particles which are baryons have baryon no.  $B = +1$  for Baryons  
 $= -1$  for Anti Baryons  
 $= 0$  others.

Conservation laws :- There are 2 laws :-

- 1) Exact Conservation Law
- 2) Approximate Conservation Law

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If it violates,  $\text{sec}^n$  is not conserved

- (i) Energy Conservation :- Energy of system is conserved bcoz time is homogeneous
- (ii) Linear Momentum :- bcoz of homogeneity of space.
- (iii) Angular Mom :- It is con. bcoz of isotropy of space (same prop<sup>n</sup> in diff. dir<sup>n</sup>)
- (iv) charge (leptonic charge, baryonic charge, electronic charge) :- bcoz of gauge invariance of EM field.

- If it violates it can be conserved or not.
- (i) Isospin :-
- (ii) Strangeness :-
- (iii) Parity
- (iv) Charge confi.
- (v) Time reversal.



(v) CPT :-  
 C  $\equiv$  charge configuration  
 P  $\equiv$  Parity  
 T  $\equiv$  time reversal

$\rightarrow$  Isospin :- There is no physical reality, it is purely abstract.

Protons	938.3 MeV	+ve charge
Neutrons	939.6 MeV	0 "

for a good approximation, we can ignore the mass difference.

The difference b/w these two is charge. Since the mass of the n & p is almost equal to each other & the difference b/w the two is protons have +ve charge & n are neutral. So if we consider a wall in which no electromag. interaction takes place then p & n can not be distinguish. These two can be regarded as the two charge states of same entity called nucleons.

Nucleons can be differentiated by a property Isospin.

$$\text{Isospin } I = \frac{1}{2}$$

III - component of isospin,  $I_3$   $\begin{cases} \nearrow +\frac{1}{2} \text{ proton} \\ \searrow -\frac{1}{2} \text{ Neutron} \end{cases}$   
 It can be sep<sup>n</sup> as :-  $|I \ I_3\rangle$

Proton  $|\frac{1}{2} \ \frac{1}{2}\rangle$

Neutron  $|\frac{1}{2} \ -\frac{1}{2}\rangle$

No. of Multiplets / degeneracy :-  $= 2I + 1$



$$\text{Nucleons} = 2 \times \frac{1}{2} + 1 = 2$$

for Triplet of pions  $\pi^+$ ,  $\pi^0$ ,  $\pi^-$ ,

$$\text{degeneracy} \Rightarrow 2I + 1 = 3$$

$$I = 1$$

$I_3 \equiv$  from  $+I$  to  $-I$  with a diff. of 1

$$I_3 = 1, 0, -1$$

$$\pi^+ \equiv |1, 1\rangle$$

$$\pi^0 \equiv |1, 0\rangle$$

$$\pi^- \equiv |1, -1\rangle$$

for  $K^+$ ,  $K^0$

$$2I + 1 = 2$$

$$I = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$I_3 = +\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$K^+ \equiv \left| \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \right\rangle$$

$$K^0 \equiv \left| \frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2} \right\rangle$$

for  $\Sigma^+$ ,  $\Sigma^0$ ,  $\Sigma^-$

$$2I + 1 = 3$$

$$I = 1$$

$$I_3 = 1, 0, -1$$

$$\Sigma^+ \equiv |1, 1\rangle$$

$$\Sigma^0 \equiv |1, 0\rangle$$

$$\Sigma^- \equiv |1, -1\rangle$$

for Cascade  $\Xi^0$ ,  $\Xi^-$

$$2I + 1 = 2, \quad I = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$I_3 = \frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Xi^0 \equiv \left| \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \right\rangle$$

$$\Xi^- \equiv \left| \frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2} \right\rangle$$

for  $\Delta^{++}, \Delta^+, \Delta^0, \Delta^-$  Quadruplet

$$2I + 1 = 4$$

$$I = 3/2$$

$$I_3 = \frac{3}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{3}{2}$$

$$\Delta^{++} \equiv \left| \frac{3}{2} \frac{3}{2} \right\rangle$$

$$\Delta^+ \equiv \left| \frac{3}{2} \frac{1}{2} \right\rangle$$

$$\Delta^0 \equiv \left| \frac{3}{2} -\frac{1}{2} \right\rangle$$

$$\Delta^- \equiv \left| \frac{3}{2} -\frac{3}{2} \right\rangle$$

Consider the following

	Q	$I_3$	
Baryons	p	+1	} $Q = I_3 + \frac{1}{2}$ $B = +1$
	n	0	

Mesons	$\pi^+$	+1	+1	} $Q = I_3$ $B = 0$
	$\pi^0$	0	0	
	$\pi^-$	-1	-1	

Gellman Nishizima Relation,

$$Q = I_3 + \frac{B}{2}$$

For  $\Lambda^0$  (Lamda) Baryon

$$B = 1$$

$$2I + 1 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow I = 0$$

$$\therefore I_3 = 0$$

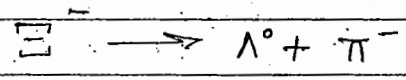
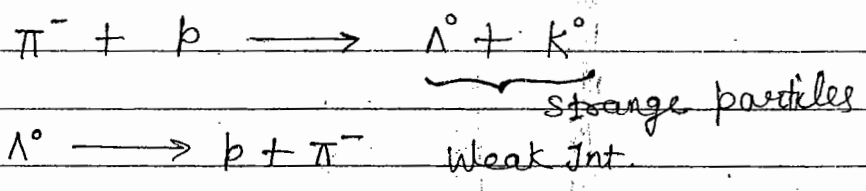


$$Q = I_3 + \frac{B}{2}$$

$\Rightarrow 0 = 0 + \frac{1}{2}$  . Here Gellman & Nishizima rel<sup>n</sup> is not applicable.

Some property is missing from Gellman Nishizima Relation.

Strangness:- A large no. of particle were discovered. And speciality about them was their formation was governed by strong interaction while the decay was governed by weak interaction. This was a strange property (or behaviour). Therefore these particles were given the name Strange particles.



Gellman & Nishizima modified their relation by assigning a strangness quantum no. S to these strange particles.

Modified Gellman & Nishizima rel<sup>n</sup> is

$$Q = I_3 + \frac{(B+S)}{2}$$

where  $B+S = Y = \underline{\text{Hyper. charge}}$

for p,  $Q = I_3 + \frac{(B+S)}{2}$

$$1 = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1+S}{2} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1+S}{2}$$

$$\boxed{S = 0}$$



for  $\pi^+$ ,  $Q = I_3 + \frac{B+S}{2}$   
 $1 = 1 + \frac{0+S}{2}$   
 $S = 0$

$\Lambda^0$ ,  $Q = I_3 + \frac{B+S}{2}$   
 $0 = 0 + \frac{1+S}{2} \Rightarrow S+1=2$   
 $S = -1$

$\Sigma^-$ ,  $-1 = -1 + \frac{1+S}{2} \Rightarrow S = -1$

$\Xi^0$ ,  $0 = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1+S}{2} \Rightarrow S = -2$

$\Xi^-$ ,  $-1 = -\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1+S}{2} \Rightarrow S = -2$

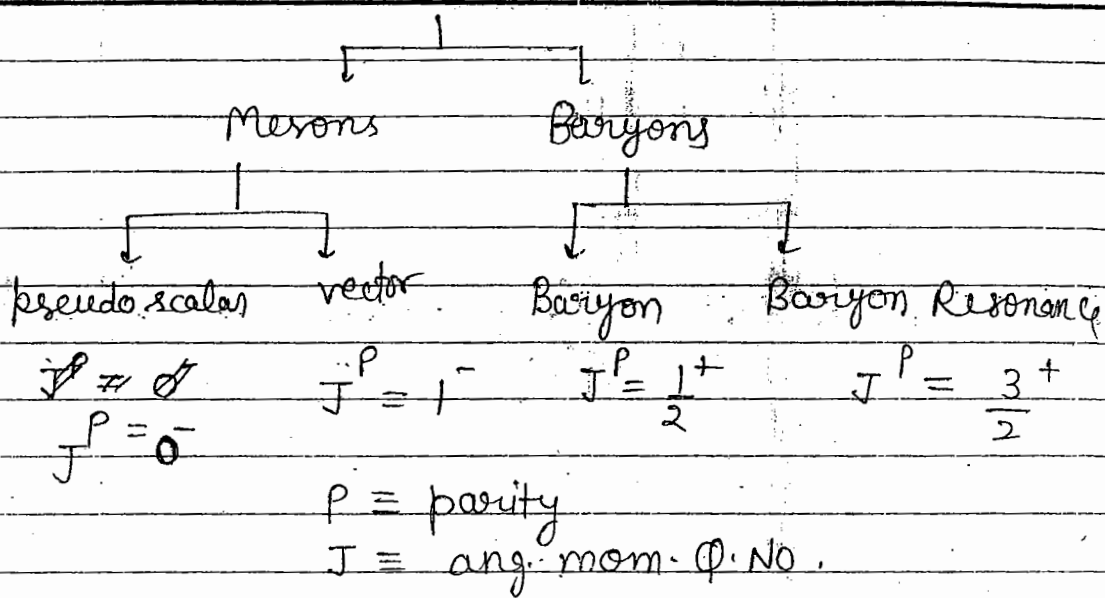
$\Omega^-$ ,  $-1 = 0 + \frac{1+S}{2} \Rightarrow -2 = 1+S$   
 $S = -3$

$2I+1=1$   
 $I=0$   
 $I_3=0$

- \* Strangness for the particle & the antiparticle are opposite.
  - \* Strangness is conserved in strong & EM int.
- selection Rule  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \Delta S = 0 \\ \text{change in strangness is zero then int. is strong.} \\ \Delta S = \pm 1 \end{array} \right.$  Rec<sup>n</sup> may also be possible

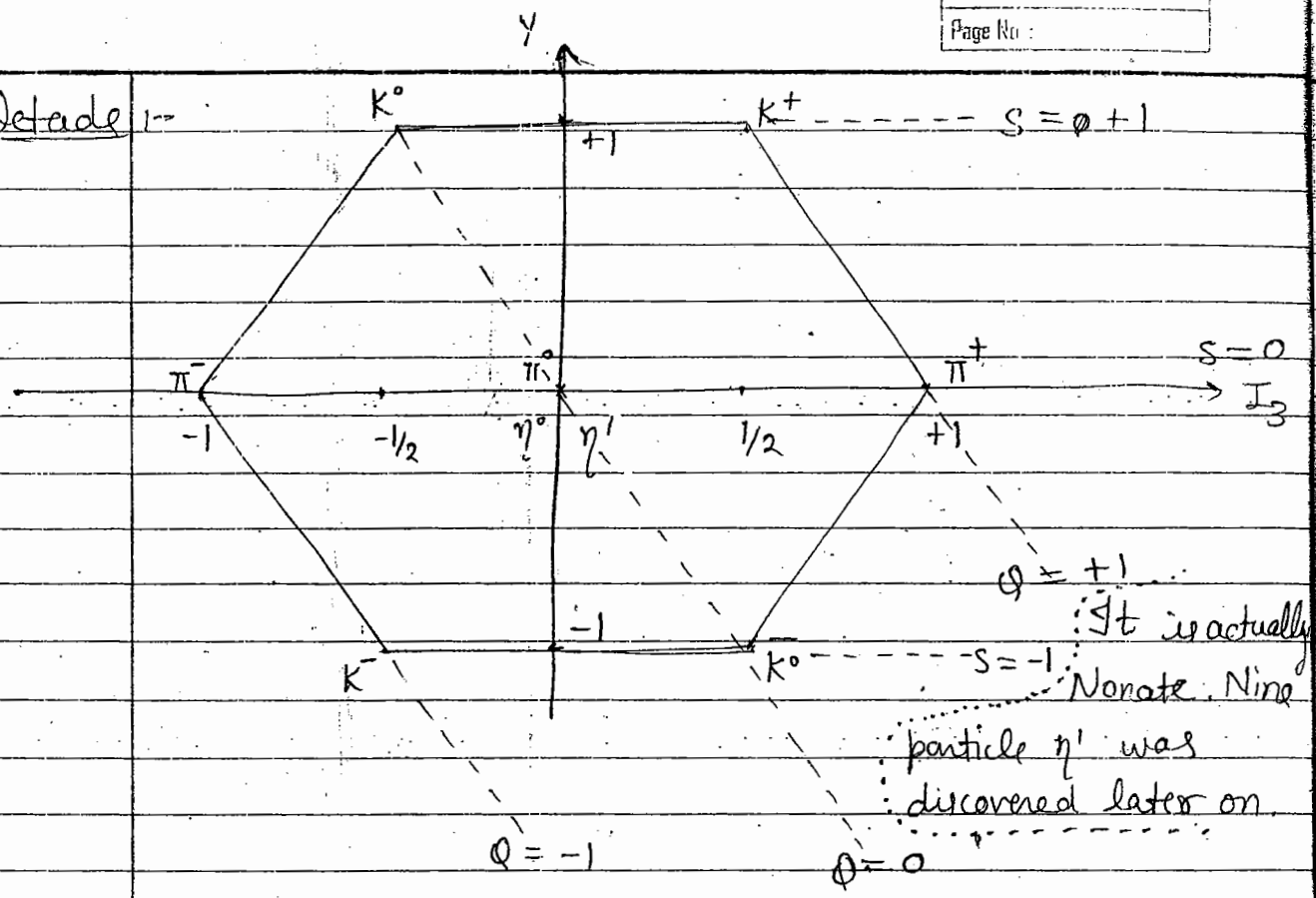
but  $\Delta S \neq 2$  Rec<sup>n</sup> is not allowed i.e. forbidden.

# Hadrons



Particle	I	I <sub>3</sub>	B	S $S = I_3 + \frac{B+S}{2}$	Y $Y = B+S$	Quark Content
$\left. \begin{matrix} 2I+1 \\ =3 \\ I=1 \end{matrix} \right\} \begin{matrix} \pi^+ \\ \pi^0 \\ \pi^- \end{matrix}$	1	+1	0	0	0	$u\bar{d}$
	0	0	0	0	0	$u\bar{u}, d\bar{d}, s\bar{s}$
	+1	-1	0	0	0	$\bar{u}d$
$\left. \begin{matrix} 2I+1 \\ =2 \\ I=1/2 \end{matrix} \right\} \begin{matrix} K^+ \\ K^0 \end{matrix}$	1/2	1/2	0	1	1	$u\bar{s}$
	1/2	-1/2	0	1	1	$d\bar{s}$
$\left. \begin{matrix} 2I+1 \\ =2 \\ I=1/2 \end{matrix} \right\} \begin{matrix} \bar{K}^0 \\ K^- \end{matrix}$	1/2	1/2	0	-1	-1	$\bar{d}s$
	1/2	-1/2	0	-1	-1	$\bar{u}s$
$\left. \begin{matrix} 2I+1 \\ =1 \\ I=0 \end{matrix} \right\} \eta^0$	0	0	0	0	0	$u\bar{u}, d\bar{d}, s\bar{s}$

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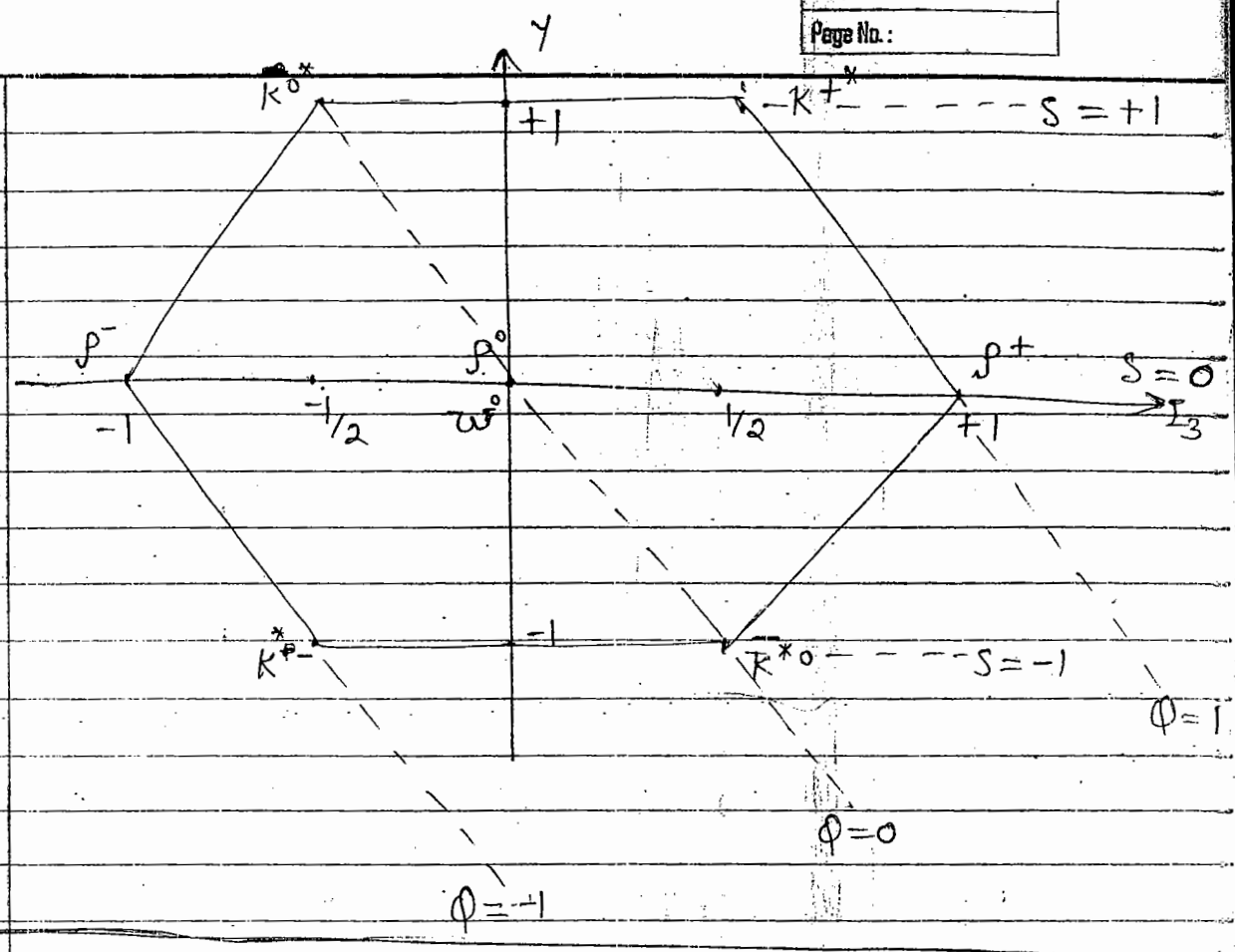


Vector Mesons :-  $J_P^P = 1^-$

Particles	I	$I_3$	B	S	Y	Quark structure
$\rho^+$	1	+1	0	0	0	$u\bar{d}$
$\rho^0$	1	0	0	0	0	$u\bar{u}, d\bar{d}, s\bar{s}$
$\rho^-$	1	-1	0	0	0	$d\bar{u}$
$K^{*+}$	1/2	+1/2	0	+1	+1	$u\bar{s}$
$K^{*0}$	1/2	-1/2	0	+1	+1	$d\bar{s}$
$\bar{K}^{*0}$	1/2	+1/2	0	-1	-1	$s\bar{d}$
$K^{*-}$	1/2	-1/2	0	-1	-1	$s\bar{u}$
$\omega^0$	0	0	0	0	0	$u\bar{u}, d\bar{d}, s\bar{s}$

$2I+1=3$   
 $2I=2$   
 $I=1$





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Nine  
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Baryons  $\psi$   $J_p = \frac{1}{2}^+$

$$3 \otimes 3 \otimes 3 \equiv 1 \oplus 8 \oplus 8 \oplus 10$$

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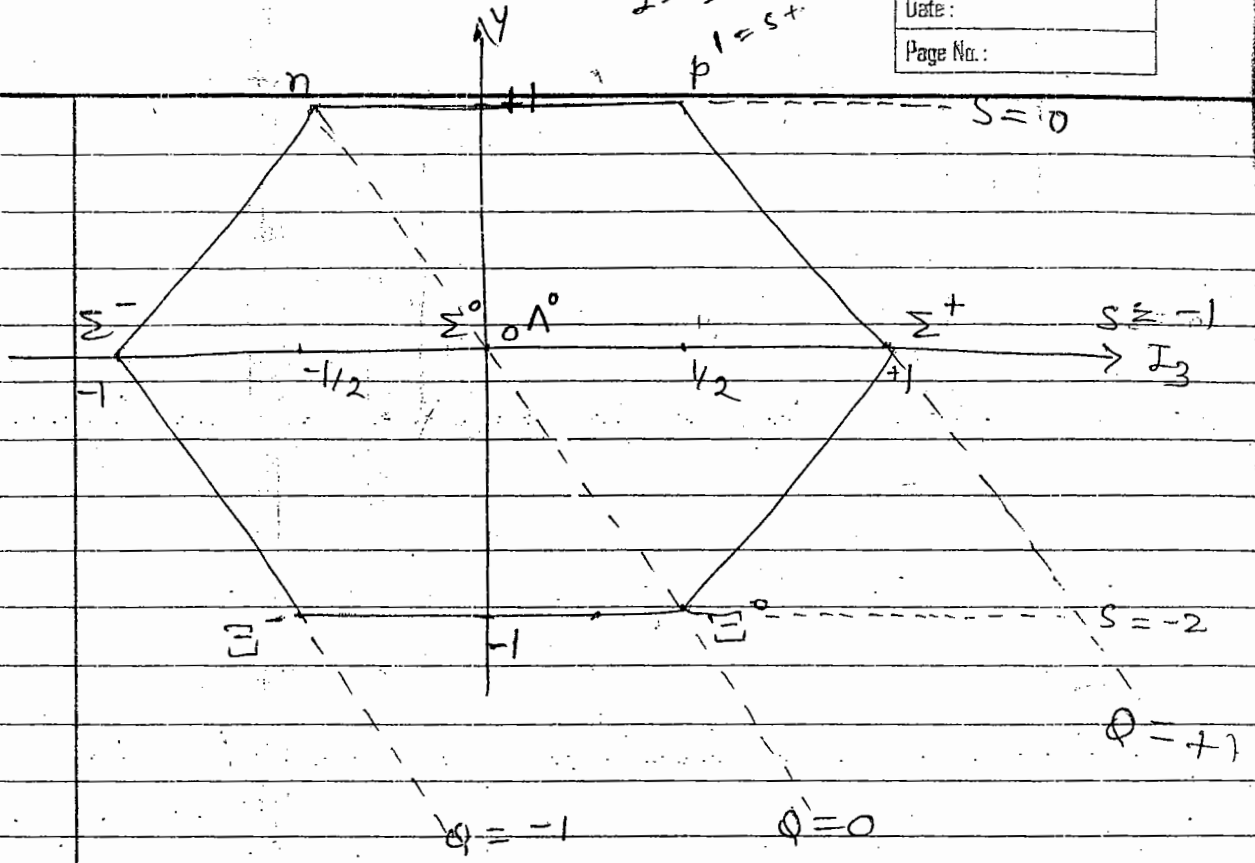
Particles	I	$I_3$	B	S	Y	Quark structure
$\left\{ \begin{matrix} p \\ n \end{matrix} \right.$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	0	1	uud
$\left\{ \begin{matrix} \Sigma^+ \\ \Sigma^0 \\ \Sigma^- \end{matrix} \right.$	1	+1, 0, -1	1	-1	0	uus, uds, dds
$\left\{ \begin{matrix} \Xi^0 \\ \Xi^- \end{matrix} \right.$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}$	1	-2	-1	uss, dss

$$\Phi = \Sigma_3 + B \rightarrow$$

$$2 = \frac{3}{2} + \frac{1+\frac{3}{2}}{2}$$

$$p' = s^+$$

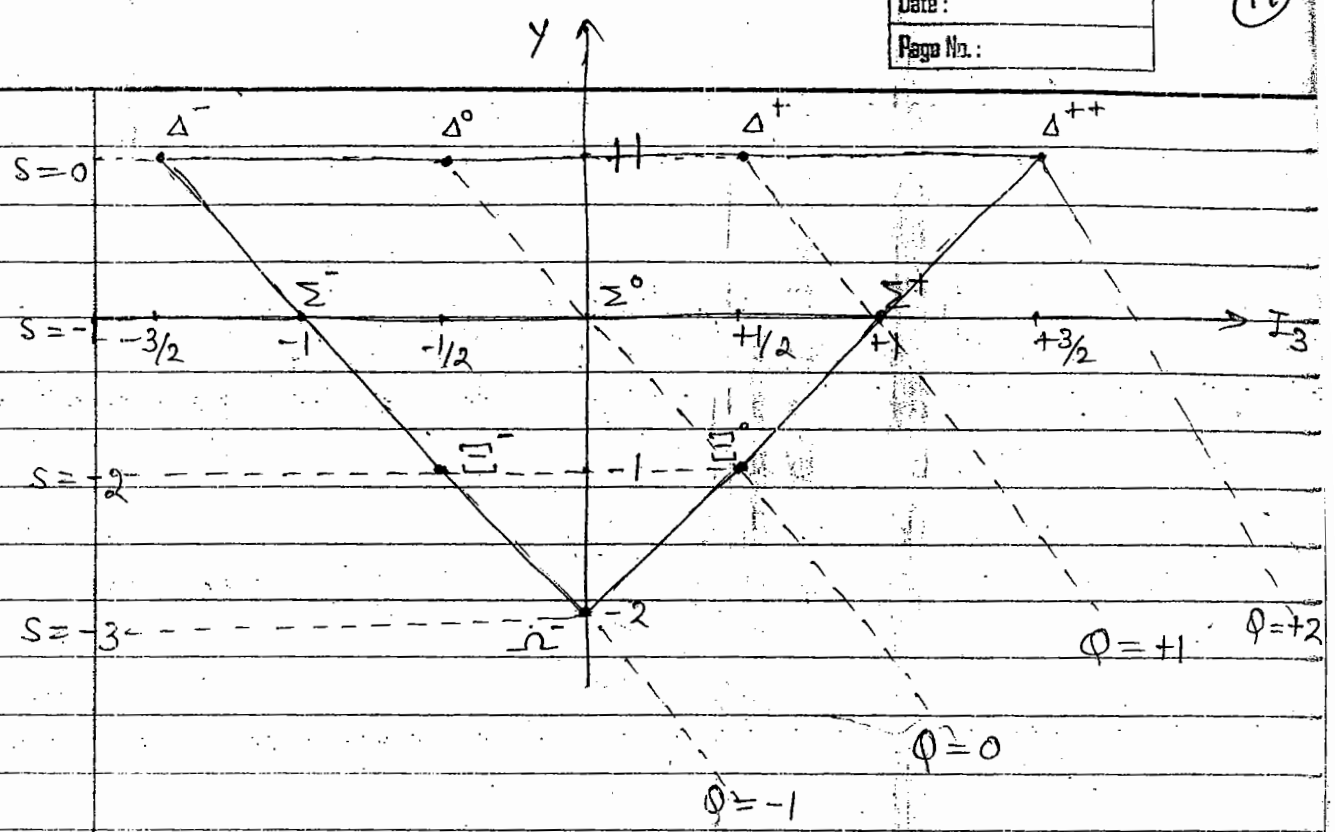
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Baryon Resonance :-  $J^P = 3/2^+$

Particles	I	I <sub>3</sub>	B	S	Y	Quark Structure	
$2I+1 = 4$ $I = 3/2$	$\Delta^{++}$	$3/2$	$+3/2$	1	0	1	uuu [u(R)u(G)u(B)]
	$\Delta^+$	$3/2$	$+1/2$	1	0	1	uud
	$\Delta^0$	$3/2$	$-1/2$	1	0	1	udd
	$\Delta^-$	$3/2$	$-3/2$	1	0	1	ddd
$2I+1 = 3$ $I = 1$	$\Sigma^{*+}$	1	+1	1	-1	0	uus
	$\Sigma^{*0}$	1	0	1	-1	0	uds
	$\Sigma^{*-}$	1	-1	1	-1	0	dds
$2I+1 = 2$ $I = 1/2$	$\Xi^{*0}$	$1/2$	$+1/2$	1	-2	-1	uss
	$\Xi^{*-}$	$1/2$	$-1/2$	1	-2	-1	dss
$2I+1 = 1$ $I = 0$	$\Omega^-$	0	0	1	-3	-2	sss





Conservation Laws :-

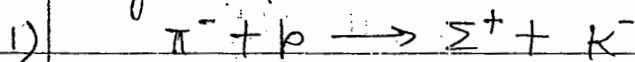
Quantity Conserved	Strong	EM	Weak
Energy	✓	✓	✓
Momentum	✓	✓	✓
charge → Electronic → Leptonic → Baryonic	✓	✓	✓
Isospin I	✓	X	X
I <sub>3</sub>	✓	✓	X
Strangeness S	✓ ΔS=0	✓ ΔS=0	X ΔS=±1
Parity P	✓	✓	X
charge conf.c	✓	✓	X
Time reversal	✓	✓	✓

$J^P = 0^-, 1^-, \frac{1}{2}^+, \frac{3}{2}^+$ . These signs are the parity assign to the particle or called intrinsic parity.  
Parity =  $(-1)^{\Delta J}$

Parity :- The intrinsic parity of all the mesons is  $-1^0$  & the intrinsic parity of all the baryon is  $+1^0$ .

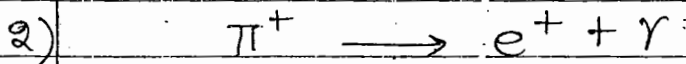
- For an antiparticle charge  $q$  will be opposite, spin  $s$  will be same and  $L_e, L_\mu, L_\tau$  &  $B_0$  will be opposite.
- Isospin  $I$  will remain same,
- 3<sup>rd</sup> component of isospin  $I_3$  will be opposite.
- Strangness will be opposite.
- Rest mass & lifetime of the particle remain same.

Prob :- Identify whether the following reactions are allowed or forbidden and also find the interaction governed by them:



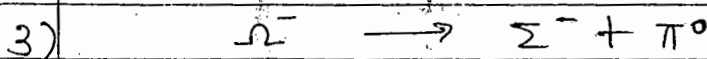
charge $q$	$-1 + 1$	$+1 - 1$	conserved
B. No. $B$	$0 + 1$	$+1 + 0$	"
$I$	$+1 + \frac{1}{2}$	$+1 + \frac{1}{2}$	"
$I_3$	$-1 + \frac{1}{2}$	$+1 - \frac{1}{2}$	X
$S$	$0 + 0$	$-1 + -1$	$\Delta S = 0 - (-2) = 2$

Rec<sup>n</sup> is not allowed.



$q$	$+1$	$+1 + 0$	Conserved
$L_e$	$0$	$-1 + 0$	X

Rec<sup>n</sup> is not allowed bcz L.No. is not con.



$q$	$-1$	$-1 + 0$	Conserved
$B$	$1$	$1 + 0$	"
$I$	$0$	$1 + 1$	X
$I_3$	$0$	$-1 + 0$	X
$S$	$-3$	$-1 + 0$	X $\Delta S = -3 - (-1) = -2$

Not allowed.

4)  $\Sigma^- \rightarrow \Lambda^0 + K^-$

Q	-1	0	-1	Conserved
B	1	1	+0	✓
I	0	0	+1/2	✗
I <sub>3</sub>	0	0	-1/2	✗
S	-3	-1	-1	$\Delta S = -3 - (-2) = -1$

Reaction is allowed but by weak int. bcz  $\Delta S$  is change by -1.

5)  $\Lambda^0 \rightarrow \pi^- + \pi^+$

Q	0	-1	+1	✓
B	1	0	+0	✗

Not allowed bcz B.No. is not conserved.

6)  $\mu^- \rightarrow e^- + \gamma$

Q	-1	-1	+0	✓
L <sub>e</sub>	1	1	+0	✗
L <sub><math>\mu</math></sub>	1	0	+0	✗

Not allowed.

7)  $K^- + p \rightarrow \Sigma^- + K^+ + K^0$

Q	-1 + 1	-1 + 1 + 0	✓
B	0 + 1	1 + 0 + 0	✓
I	1/2 + 1/2	0 + 1/2 + 1/2	✓
I <sub>3</sub>	-1/2 + 1/2	0 + 1/2 - 1/2	✓
S	-1 + 0	-3 + 1 + 1	✓ $\Delta S = 0$

Allowed. By Strong Int.

Parity:  $-1 \times 1 \times 1 = -1$        $+1 \times -1 \times -1 = -1$        $\pi_i = \pi_f (-1)$

$J \rightarrow 0 + 1/2 \rightarrow 3/2 + 0 + 0$  ✓       $\Delta J = 3/2 - 1/2 = 1$   
 $\pi_i = -1$  ,  $\pi_f = +1 \times (-1)^1 = -1$  ✓

I → same particle & antip.

Parity → opposite

B.No. → "

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8)	$\Omega^-$	$\Xi^0$	$\pi^-$	
Q	-1	0	-1	✓
B	1	1	+0	✓
I	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	+1	x
$I_3$	0	$+\frac{1}{2}$	-1	x
S	-3	-2	+0	$\Delta S = -3 - (-2) = -1$

Allowed by weak int.  $\Delta S$  changes by -1.

9)	$\pi^+$	p	$\bar{p}$	$\bar{n}$	
Q	1	+1	1	+0	✓
B	0	+1	1	-1	✓
I	1	$+\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$+\frac{1}{2}$	x
$I_3$	1	$+\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$+\frac{1}{2}$	✓
S	0	+0	0	+0	✓

Allowed by strong int.

10)	$\bar{n}$	$\bar{p}$	$e^+$	$\nu_e$	
Q	0	-1	+1	+0	✓
$L_e$	0	0	$\neq 1$	+1	✓
B	-1	-1	+0	+0	✓
I	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	-	-	✓
$I_3$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$-\frac{1}{2}$	-	-	x
S	0	0	+0	+0	✓

Allowed by weak int.

This is strangeness conserved weak interaction.

Note: If neutrinos are involved in a  $\bar{p}e^+$  then the interaction governed will have a greater probability of being weak, if a  $\bar{p}e^+$  is allowed.

If sources finite  $\rightarrow$  Interference  
 infinite  $\rightarrow$  Diffraction

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11)

	$\Lambda^0$	$\rightarrow$	$n + \gamma$	
$\phi$	0		0 + 0	$\checkmark$
B	1		1 + 0	$\checkmark$
I	0		$\frac{1}{2} + 0$	$\times$
$I_3$	0		$-\frac{1}{2} + 0$	$\times$
S	-1		0 + 0	$\Delta S = -1 - 0 = -1$

Allowed by weak int. Not Allowed (forbidden).

Note - Whenever  $\gamma$ -photons are involved in a  $\pi e e^+$ , interaction will be electromagnetic subject to the fulfilment of all other conservation laws, for the EM int. to take place.

12)

	$\mu^+$	$\rightarrow$	$e^+ + e^- + e^-$	
$\phi$	1		1 -1 -1	$\times$
$L_\mu$	-1		0 0 0	$\times$ forbidded

13)

	$\Lambda^0$	$\rightarrow$	$p + \pi^-$	
$\phi$	0		1 -1	$\checkmark$
B	1		1 + 0	$\checkmark$
I	0		$\frac{1}{2} + 1$	$\times$
$I_3$	0		$\frac{1}{2} - 1$	$\times$
S	-1		0 + 0	$\Delta S = -1$

Allowed by weak int.

14)

	$K^0$	$\rightarrow$	$\pi^+ + \pi^-$	
$\phi$	0		1 -1	$\checkmark$
I	$\frac{1}{2}$		1 + 1	$\times$
$I_3$	$-\frac{1}{2}$		+1 -1	$\times$
S	1		0 + 0	$\Delta S = 1$

Weak int.

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15)  $\Xi^- \rightarrow \Lambda^0 + \pi^-$

Q	-1	0 -1	✓
B	1	1 + 0	✓
I	$\frac{1}{2}$	0 + 1	x
$I_3$	$-\frac{1}{2}$	0 - 1	x
S	-2	-1 + 0	$\Delta S = -2 + 1 = -1$

Allowed. Weak int.

16)  $p + p \rightarrow p + p + p + \bar{p}$

Q	1 + 1	1 + 1 + 1 - 1	✓
B	1 + 1	1 + 1 + 1 - 1	✓
I	$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}$	x
$I_3$	$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2}$	✓
S	0 + 0	0 + 0 + 0 + 0	✓

Allowed. E.M. int.

Tau Theta Puzzle ( $\pi$ -0 Puzzle) :- In 1950, two particles were discovered in cosmic rays which have almost same mass, charge, half life & spin. These two particles were same in all the aspects except their decay mode

$$\tau^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ + \pi^0$$

$$\theta^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ + \pi^0 + \pi^0$$

Intrinsic Parity of pseudo scalar is -1. It is a multiplicative Q.No. So <sup>meson</sup>

for (i) R.H.S.  $-1 \times -1 = +1$

(ii) R.H.S.  $-1 \times -1 \times -1 = -1$

This was the 1st observation of parity violation. Both particles were same if we assign the parity +1 to the particle then its decay into



three pions gives a parity -1 which means that there is a violation of parity conservation. And later on it was confirmed experimentally that parity is violated in weak int.

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- Relative Strength of a force <sup>determines</sup> greater than the time scale over which it acts.
- Larger will be the strength, quickly the process will happen.
- If we bring two particles close enough together for any of these forces to act then a longer time is required for a weak int. to take place as compared to that of strong as well as EM int.

The characteristic time for the interaction are as follows:

Strong	$< 10^{-22}$ sec	K, n, p, $\pi$
Electromagnetic	$10^{-14}$ to $10^{-20}$ sec	e, $\mu$ , $\pi$ , K, n, p
Weak	$10^{-8}$ to $10^{-13}$ sec	All

(if these present then most probably 'sec' will be)

→ Leptons will never participate in strong  $sec^n$ .

→ If neutrino & antineutrino are involve in a  $sec^n$  then it will be weak.

Ques Write A relativistic particle travels a length of  $3 \times 10^{-3}$  m in air before decaying is governed by

- 1) strong
- 2) EM
- 3) weak

$$t = \frac{3 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}}{3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/sec}}$$

$$\approx 10^{-11} \text{ sec}$$

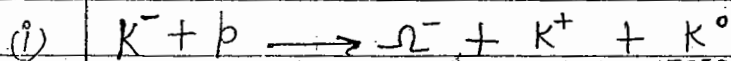
Weak int.

Ques - The mean life time for the decay of pions are

- (i)  $\pi^- \rightarrow \mu^- + \bar{\nu}_\mu$   $\bar{T} = 2.6 \times 10^{-8} \text{ sec}$   
 (ii)  $\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma + \gamma$   $\bar{T} = 8.4 \times 10^{-17} \text{ sec}$

(i) Weak (ii) EM.

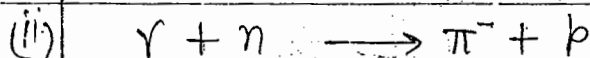
Ques - Fill in the blanks:



$$S = -1 + 0 \quad -3 + 1 + 1$$

$$-1 \quad -1$$

$$\Delta S = 0$$



Q	0 + 0	-1 + 1	✓
B	0 + 1	0 + 1	✓
I	0 + $\frac{1}{2}$	+1 + $\frac{1}{2}$	✗
I <sub>3</sub>	0 - $\frac{1}{2}$	-1 + $\frac{1}{2}$	✓
S	0 + 0	0 + 0	✓ $\Delta S = 0$

Spin is not conserved &  $\gamma$ -photons are involved.  
 Rec<sup>d</sup> will be Electromagnetic.

\* Characteristic sec<sup>n</sup> cross-section for an EM interaction is  $10^{-4}$  mbarn for weak interaction  $\approx 10^{-12}$  mb  
 Strong "  $\approx 10$  mb

Quark Model:- All the hadrons follow ~~st~~ such multiplet or supermultiplet structure then it was proposed that ~~some~~ they are composed of some more fundamental particles called Quarks.

Since, Hadrons  $\begin{cases} \rightarrow \text{Integer spin (pseudo scalar or vector meson)} \\ \rightarrow \text{Half integer (Baryon & baryon resonance)} \end{cases}$

• Quarks ~~are~~ are having spin  $\frac{1}{2}$ .

- ✓ Mesons are composed of 2 Quarks. (one quark, one anti " )
- ✓ Baryons " " " 3 " "

$$\text{Baryon no. (of Baryons Quarks)} = \frac{1}{3} \quad [B = \frac{1}{3}]$$

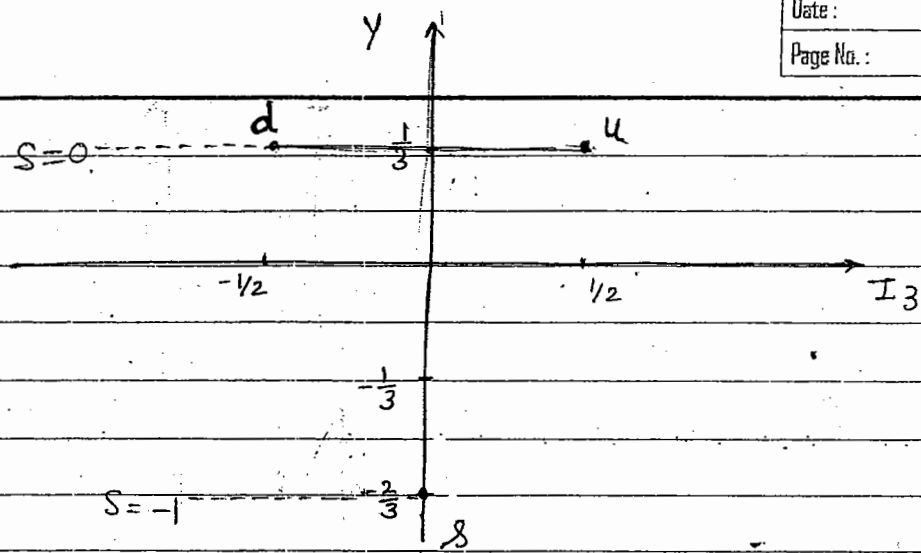
Since they are strange particle as well therefore at least one of the quark should be strange. They have fractional charge.

$$Q = +\frac{2}{3}e, -\frac{1}{3}e$$

Since Quarks are not free so  $[Q = ne]$  is still valid.

Since the quarks are not observed as a free particle therefore having fractional charges will not ~~valid~~  $Q = ne$ .  
violates

Quarks	Charge	I	$I_3$	B	S	Y
up 'u'	$+\frac{2}{3}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{3}$	0	$\frac{1}{3}$
down 'd'	$-\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$-\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{3}$	0	$\frac{1}{3}$
Strange 's'	$-\frac{1}{3}$	0	0	$\frac{1}{3}$	-1	$-\frac{2}{3}$



To Each quark  $q$  there corresponds an antiquark  $\bar{q}$  with charge & strangeness opposite.

Quark      AntiQuark

$u$            $\bar{u}$

$d$            $\bar{d}$

$s$            $\bar{s}$

\* Since  $\Delta^{++}$  is composed of 3 identical up quarks which is the violation of Pauli Exclusion Principle. Therefore it was proposed that there must be some more quarks with different Quantum nos.

Note :- If we consider  $I$  as a vector quantity then  $I$  will be vectorially added.

e.g.       $u^- + u^+ \rightarrow K^- + K^+$   
             $I \quad - \quad - \quad \quad \quad \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}$

do 2 possibilities ~~is~~ (i)  $0 \rightarrow \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} = 0$  (Anti 1/2 spin)  
(ii)  $0 \rightarrow \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} = 1$  (1/2 spin)

☛ In 1 probability  $Ree^0$  is conserved but it can not be strong int. becoz leptons ( $u^+$  &  $u^-$ ) are involved.

Quantum No.	Quark Flavour					
	u	d	s	c	b	t
$Q$	$+\frac{2}{3}$	$-\frac{1}{3}$	$-\frac{1}{3}$	$+\frac{2}{3}$	$-\frac{1}{3}$	$+\frac{2}{3}$
$I$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	0	0	0
$I_3$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$-\frac{1}{2}$	0	0	0	0
$B$	$\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{1}{3}$
$S$	0	0	-1	0	0	0
charm quark $\bar{c}$	0	0	0	+1	0	0
Beauty $\bar{b}$	0	0	0	0	-1	0
Top or Truth $\bar{t}$	0	0	0	0	0	+1

Modified Gellman & Nishizima Relation

$$Q = I_3 + \frac{(B + S + \bar{c} + \bar{b} + \bar{t})}{2}$$

Ex ①  $\mu^- + \mu^+ \rightarrow K^- + K^+$

$Q$	-1	+1	-1	+1	✓
$L$	1	-1	0	0	✓
$I$	-	-	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	✗
$I_3$	-	-	$-\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	✗
$S$	0	0	-1	+1	✓

EM ~~leak~~ int.



- 2)  $\pi^+ + \eta^0 \rightarrow K^0 + K^+$
- 3)  $\bar{\nu}_e + p^+ \rightarrow \eta^0 + \mu^+$
- 4)  $\bar{\nu}_e + p^+ \rightarrow \eta^0 + e^+$
- 5)  $\Sigma^+ \rightarrow p + \pi^0$

Ques - What will be the Quark Analogy of the see'1

$$\pi^- + p \rightarrow \Lambda^0 + K^0$$

$$\bar{u}d + uud \rightarrow uds + d\bar{s}$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{u} + \bar{d} + u + u + d \rightarrow \bar{u} + \bar{d} + s + d + \bar{s}$$

$$\bar{u}u \rightarrow s\bar{s}$$

- \*  $\rightarrow$  For Pseudo Scalar Mesons, charge confi.  $C = +1$
- $\rightarrow$  for Vector Meson  $C = -1$
- $\rightarrow$  for Gamma Photon,  $C = -1$

Ques

The Neutral pion decays into 2  $\gamma$ -photons & not in 3. Why?

$$\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma + \gamma$$

$$\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma + \gamma + \gamma$$

(i)  $\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma + \gamma$   
C:  $+1 \quad -1 \times -1 \quad \checkmark$  allowed

(ii)  $\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma + \gamma + \gamma$   
C:  $+1 \quad -1 \times -1 \times -1 \quad \times$  Not allowed

So because of charge configuration  $\phi$ . No.  $\pi^0$  decay in 2  $\gamma$  photon not in 3.



(iii)  $\omega^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 + \gamma^0$   
 $-1 \quad 1 \times -1 \quad \checkmark$  allowed & EM. int.

\* Note:- Remember above 3 see<sup>n</sup>s, In these see<sup>n</sup> only ~~check~~ check the charge confi.  $\Phi$ . No. (in which <sup>all</sup> zero charged particle participate)

Que:- Find out the no. of down quarks in oxygen atom.

$${}_{8}^{16}\text{O}$$

No. of protons = 8 (uud)  
 neutrons = 8 (udd)

$$d \equiv 3 \times 8 = 24$$

$$u \equiv 3 \times 8 = 24$$

(2)  $\pi^+ + n^0 \rightarrow K^0 + K^+$

Q	+1 + 0	0 + 1	✓
B	0 + 1	0 + 0	✗

Not allowed.  $\Delta B \neq 0$  &  $\Delta S = 2$

(3)  $\bar{\nu}_e + p^+ \rightarrow n^0 + \mu^+$

Q	0 + 1	0 + 1	✓
L <sub>e</sub>	-1 + 0	0 + 0	✗
B	0 + 1	1 + 0	✗

Not allowed

(4)  $\bar{\nu}_e + p^+ \rightarrow n^0 + e^+$

Q	0 + 1	0 + 1	✓
L <sub>e</sub>	-1 + 0	0 - 1	✓
B	0 + 1	1 + 0	✓
I	- + $\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$ + -	✓
I <sub>3</sub>	- + $\frac{1}{2}$	$-\frac{1}{2}$ + -	✗
S	0 + 0	0 + 0	✓

✓ Weak int.

Not allowed.

Strange particle always decay by weak int.

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(5)	$\Sigma^+$	$\rightarrow$	$p + \pi^0$	
$Q$	+1		1 + 0	✓
$B$	1		1 + 0	✓
$I$	1		$\frac{1}{2} + 1$	X
$I_3$	+1		$+\frac{1}{3} + 0$	X
$S$	-1		0 + 0	X $\Delta S = -1 - 0 = -1$

Weak int.

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Note :- There are only 2 multiplicative Q.No.  $\rightarrow$  parity & charge configuration & other Q.No.s are additive.

(i)	$K^- + p$	$\rightarrow$	$\Sigma^- + \pi^+$	
$Q$	-1 + 1		-1 + 1	✓
$B$	0 + 1		1 + 0	✓
$I$	$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2}$		+1 + 1, 1 - 1	Add vectorially $\left[ \begin{matrix} \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \rightarrow 1+1, 1-1 \\ 1, 0 \rightarrow 2, 0 \end{matrix} \right]$
$I_3$	$-\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}$		-1 + 1	✓
$S$	-1 + 0		-1 + 0	✓ $\Delta S = 0$

strong Res<sup>n</sup> (Res<sup>n</sup> is allowed if we add isospin I vectorially).

\* If  $\Delta S = 0$  the process will be strong, EM or it may also be a weak interaction

	$\Delta S$	$\Delta I$	$\Delta I_3$
Strong	0	0	0
EM	0	X	0
Weak	0, $\pm 1$	X	X



(ii)  $\pi^+ + n^0 \rightarrow \Lambda^0 + K^+$

Q	1 + 0	0 + 1	✓
B	0 + 1	1 + 0	✓
I	$1 + \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}$	$0 + \frac{1}{2}, 0 - \frac{1}{2}$	
*	$\frac{3}{2}, \frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}$	✓
I <sub>3</sub>	$+1 - \frac{1}{2}$	$0 + \frac{1}{2}$	✓
S	0 + 0	-1 + 1	✓ $\Delta S = 0$

Allowed. Strong Int.

(iii)  $n \rightarrow p + e^- + \bar{\nu}_e$

Q	0	1 - 1 + 0	✓
B	1	1 + 0 + 0	✓
Le	0	0 + 1 - 1	✓
I	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2} - -$	✓
I <sub>3</sub>	$-\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2} - -$	X
S	0	0 + 0 + 0	$\Delta S = 0$

Allowed by weak int.

(iv)  $\pi^0 + n \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 + \Sigma^0$

Q	0 + 0	0 + 0	✓
B	0 + 1	0 + 1	✓
I	$1 + \frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2} + 1$	✓
I <sub>3</sub>	$0 - \frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2} + 0$	X
S	0 + 0	-1 - 1	$\Delta S = +2$

Not allowed since  $\Delta S = +2$ .

(v)  $p^+ \rightarrow e^+ + \gamma$

Q	1	1 + 0	✓
Le	0	-1 + 0	X
B	1	0 + 0	X

Not allowed, B & Le are not conserved.



(vi)  $\pi^+ + n \rightarrow \pi^- + p$   
 $\phi \quad 1+0 \quad -1+1 \quad \times$   
 Not allowed, charge is not conserved.

(vii)  $\Sigma^+ \rightarrow p + \pi^0$   
 $\phi \quad +1 \quad 1+0 \quad \checkmark$   
 $B \quad 1 \quad 1+0 \quad \checkmark$   
 $I \quad 1 \quad \frac{1}{2}+1 \quad \times$   
 $I_3 \quad +1 \quad \frac{1}{2}+0 \quad \times$   
 $S \quad -1 \quad 0+0 \quad \Delta S = -1$   
 Weak int.

(viii)  $\Xi^- \rightarrow n + \pi^- + \pi^0$   
 $\phi \quad -1 \quad 0-1+0 \quad \checkmark$   
 $B \quad 1 \quad 1+0+0 \quad \checkmark$   
 $S \quad -2 \quad 0+0+0 \quad \Delta S = -2$   
 Not allowed

(ix)  $p + p \rightarrow p + \Lambda^0 + \Sigma^+$   
 $\phi \quad 1+1 \quad 1+0+1 \quad \checkmark$   
 $B \quad 1+1 \quad 1+1+1 \quad \times$   
 Not allowed.

(x)  $e^+ + e^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ + \pi^-$   
 $\phi \quad 1+1 \quad 1-1 \quad \times$   
 Not allowed

Note :- If Mass is given in kilogram then  
 e.g. 2 kg then  $2 \text{ kg } c^2$  Joules  
 $1 \text{ eV} = 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$   
 $1 \text{ MeV} = 10^6 \text{ eV}$   
 $1 \text{ GeV} = 10^9 \text{ eV}$



amu  $\rightarrow$  'u' unified mass unit.

$$\text{amu} = \frac{1}{16} \times \text{mass of 1 atom of } {}_8^{16}\text{O} \quad (\text{before 1961})$$

Now,

$$1 \text{ u} = \frac{1}{12} \times \text{mass of 1 atom of } {}_6^{12}\text{C}$$

1 mole of  ${}^{12}\text{C}$  and has the mass = 12 gm

$$\text{i.e. } 6.02205 \times 10^{23} \text{ atoms of } {}^{12}\text{C} \quad " \quad = 12 \text{ gm}$$

$$\text{Mass of 1 atom of } {}^{12}\text{C} = \frac{12 \times 10^{-3} \text{ kg}}{6.02205 \times 10^{23}}$$

$$1 \text{ u} = \frac{1}{12} \times \frac{12 \times 10^{-3}}{6.02205 \times 10^{23}} \text{ kg}$$

$$1 \text{ u} = 1.660566 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$$

In Energy units,

$$\begin{aligned} 1 \text{ u} &= 1.660566 \times 10^{-27} \times c^2 \text{ J} \\ &= 1.660566 \times 10^{-27} \times (3 \times 10^8)^2 \text{ J} \\ &= \frac{1.6 \times 10^{-19}}{1.6} \text{ eV} \end{aligned}$$

$$1 \text{ u} = 931.502 \text{ MeV}$$

Rest Mass of electron,

$$\begin{aligned} m_e &= 9.10953 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg} \\ &= \frac{9.10953 \times 10^{-31}}{1.660566 \times 10^{-27}} \text{ u} \end{aligned}$$

$$m_e = 5.4858 \times 10^{-4} \text{ u}$$

$$= 5.4858 \times 10^{-4} \times 931.502 \text{ MeV}$$

$$= 5110 \times 10^4 \text{ eV}$$

$$m_e = 0.511003 \text{ MeV}$$

Mass of proton :-

$$m_p = 1.67265 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$$

$$= \frac{1.67265 \times 10^{-27}}{1.660566 \times 10^{-27}} \text{ u}$$

$$m_p = 1.00782765 \text{ u}$$

$$m_p = 1.0072765 \times 931.502 \text{ MeV}$$

$$m_p = 938.2805 \text{ MeV}$$

$$m_p \approx 938.3 \text{ MeV}$$

Mass of Neutron :-

$$m_n = 1.67495 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$$

$$= \frac{1.67495 \times 10^{-27}}{1.660566 \times 10^{-27}} \text{ u}$$

$$m_n = 1.008665 \text{ u}$$

$$m_n = 1.008665 \times 931.502 \text{ MeV}$$

$$m_n = 939.57077 \text{ MeV}$$

Ground State Properties of Nucleus :-

are also called STATIC PROPERTIES :-

Just like a Atom, nucleus is a bound Quantum mechanical system & hence can exist in different Quantum state. The lowest energy state is called the Ground State & the properties of the nucleus in this state are called ground

state properties or static properties.

Static properties are as follows:

- 1) Electric charge
- 2) Mass
- 3) Binding Energy
- 4) Size
- 5) Shape
- 6) Angular Momentum
- 7) Magnetic Dipole Moment
- 8) Electric Quadrupole moment
- 9) Statistics
- 10) Parity & Isospin

If Mass of Nucleons (combined mass of p & n) =  $M_1$ ,  
Mass of Nucleus =  $M_2$

$$\text{then } M_1 - M_2 = \Delta M$$

$$= (\Delta M) c^2$$

This is the amount of energy liberated in the formation of Nucleus.

The mass of the atom can be written as

$$M(Z, A)$$

$Z \rightarrow$ electrons	}
$Z \rightarrow$ protons	
$(A-Z) \rightarrow$ Neutrons	

Mass of the atom is

$$M(Z, A) = {}^A_Z M_{\text{Nucleus}} + Z M_e - B_e(Z)$$

$$= Z M_p + (A-Z) M_n + Z M_e - B_e(Z)$$

All the masses are written in terms of energy units.

$$M(z, A) = zM_p + (A-z)M_n - B(z, A) + zM_H - zB_H + zM_e - B_e(z)$$

$B_H \rightarrow$  B.E. of hydrogen atom

$$M(z, A) = z(M_p + M_e - B_H) + (A-z)M_n + zB_H - B(z, A) - B_e(z)$$

$\rightarrow$  Hydrogen atom

${}^1_1\text{H}$  has 1p & 1e.

$$M_H = (M_p + M_e) - B_H$$

Now, Use this in above relation,

$$M(z, A) = zM_H + (A-z)M_n + zB_H - B(z, A) - B_e(z)$$

where,

$B(z, A) \rightarrow$  B.E. of the nucleus  $\cong$  Mev

$B_H \rightarrow$  " " hydrogen atom  $\cong$  KeV

$B_e \rightarrow$  " " electrons  $\cong$  eV

for a Good Approximation, we can ignore  $B_H + B_e$

$$M(z, A) = zM_H + (A-z)M_n - B(z, A)$$

Binding energy of nucleus,

$$B(z, A) = zM_H + (A-z)M_n - M(z, A)$$

$M_H \rightarrow$  Mass of  $\text{H}_2$  atom  $M_H \cong M_p$

$M(z, A) \rightarrow$  Mass of the atom

$\rightarrow$  B.E.

$\rightarrow$  Separation Energy

$\rightarrow$   $Q$ -value

Average Binding Energy :- Binding Energy per nucleon is the average B.E. & it is defined as

$$\text{Avg. B.E.} = \frac{\text{Binding Energy}}{\text{Total No. of Nucleons}}$$

$$\bar{B}(z, A) = \frac{B(z, A)}{A}$$

Aston Rule :- The accurate determination of the atomic masses show that, they are very close to the whole numbers, which are actually the mass no.s of the atoms when expressed in  $^{12}\text{C}$ -energy levels units.

for  $\left. \begin{array}{l} A < 20 \\ A > 180 \end{array} \right\}$  Atomic Masses are slightly greater than  $A$  (whole no.)

But for the intermediate nuclei, masses are slightly smaller than  $A$ .

This departure is called Mass Defect.

$$\Delta M = M(z, A) - A$$

Packing fraction :-

$$f = \frac{\Delta M}{A}$$

$$f = \frac{M(z, A)}{A} - \frac{A}{A}$$

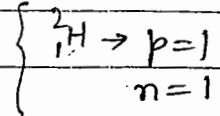
$$A(1+f) = M(z, A)$$

Q.1:- Calculate the B.E. per nucleon for the deuteron,  ${}^2_1\text{H}$ .

If  $M_H = 1.007825 \text{ u}$

$M_n = 1.008665 \text{ u}$

$M_d = 2.014102 \text{ u}$



$$B(z, A) = z M_H + (A - z) M_n - M(z, A)$$

$$= 1 \times 1.007825 + 1 \times 1.008665 - 2.014102$$

$$= 1.007825 + 1.008665 - 2.014102$$

$$= 2.016490 - 2.014102$$

$$B(z, A) = 0.002388 \text{ u}$$

$$= 0.002388 \times 931.502 \text{ MeV}$$

$$= 2.22442678 \text{ MeV}$$

$$\frac{B(z, A)}{A} = \frac{2.22442678}{2}$$

$[A = 2]$

$$\bar{B} = \frac{B(z, A)}{A} = 1.11221339 \frac{\text{MeV}}{\text{nucleon}}$$

Q.2:- Calculate the B.E./A for  $\alpha$ -particle ( ${}^4_2\text{He}$ )  $M_\alpha = 4.002603 \text{ u}$

$$B(z, A) = z M_H + (A - z) M_n - M(z, A)$$

$$= 2 \times 1.007825 + 2 \times 1.008665 - 4.002603$$

$$= 2.015650 + 2.017330 - 4.002603$$

$$= 0.030377$$

$$\frac{B.E.}{A} = \frac{0.030377 \times 931.502 \text{ MeV}}{4}$$

$$= 28.3 \text{ MeV}$$

$$\bar{B} = \frac{B.E.}{A} = \frac{28.3}{4}$$

$$= 7.075 \text{ MeV/nucleon}$$



$$Q.2 \quad {}_{26}^{56}\text{Fe}, \quad M_A = 55.934939 \text{ u}$$

$$\begin{aligned} B.E. &= 26 \times 1.007825 + 30 \times 1.008665 - 55.934939 \\ &= 26.20345 + 30.25995 - 55.934939 \\ &= 56.4634 - 55.934939 \\ &= 0.5285 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} B.E. &= 0.5285 \times 931.502 \text{ MeV} \\ &= 492.9775 \text{ MeV} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{B} &= B.E./A = \frac{492.9775}{56} \\ &= 8.79103125 \text{ MeV/nucleon} \end{aligned}$$

$$Q.4 \quad {}_{92}^{238}\text{U}, \quad M_U = 238.0507854 \text{ u}$$

$$\begin{aligned} B.E. &= 92 \times 1.007825 + 146 \times 1.008665 - 238.0507854 \\ &= 92.7199 + 147.26509 - 238.0507854 \\ &= 239.98499 - 238.0507854 \\ &= 1.9342 \end{aligned}$$

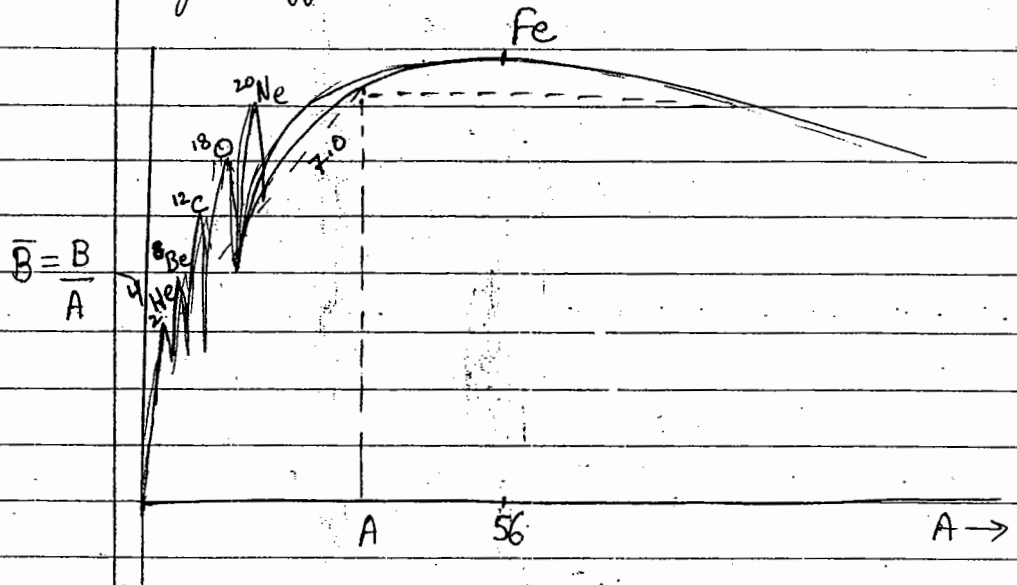
$$\begin{aligned} &= 1.9342 \times 931.502 \text{ MeV} \\ &= 1801.7204 \text{ MeV} \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{B.E.}{A} = \frac{1801.7204}{238}$$

$$= 7.57 \text{ MeV/nucleon}$$

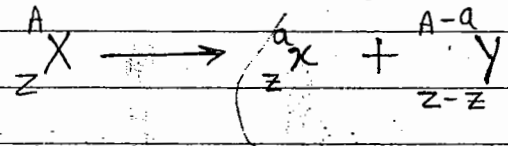
$$\bar{B} = \boxed{B.E./A = 7.57 \text{ MeV/N}}$$

# Binding Energy Curve



Separation Energy - "Energy required to make an entity free".

It is just like latent heat.  
Consider the decay reaction



We define the separation energy as, it is the sum of the masses of the products minus sum of the masses of the reactants.

$$S_x = M(z-z, A-a) + M(z, a) - M(z, A)$$

Note →  $\{ Q\text{-Value} := \text{Masses of reactants} - \text{Masses of products} \}$

$$S_x = \cancel{(z-z)} M_H + \cancel{(A-a-z+z)} M_n - B(z-z, A-a) + z M_H + \cancel{(a-z)} M_n - B(z, a) - z M_H - \cancel{(A-z)} M_n + B(z, A)$$

$$S_x = B(z, A) - B(z-z, A-a) - B(z, a)$$



Q-Value :-  $-S_x = Q$

$$Q = B(z, a) + B(z-z, A-a) - B(z, A)$$

(i) If  $S_x$  is +ve i.e.  $S_x > 0$

$S_x$  is +ve means system is going from more bound state to lesser bound state.

$S_x$  can never be +ve naturally. The process will be artificial.

(ii) If  $S_x$  is -ve i.e.  $S_x < 0$

system is going from lesser bound state to more bound state.

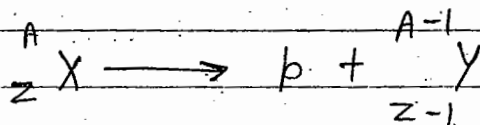
It is natural. So it is Spontaneous process.

for Q-Value,

If  $Q > 0$  then process is Spontaneous.

& If  $Q < 0$  then process is artificial.

Ques :- Calculate the separation energy for proton.



Separation energy for p,

$$S_p(A) = B(z, A) - B(z-1, A-1)$$

∵ proton is a free particle. It does not have B.E.

$$S_p(A) = A\bar{B}(z, A) - (A-1)\bar{B}(z-1, A-1) + \bar{B}(z, A) - \bar{B}(z, A)$$

$$= \bar{B}(z, A) + (A-1)[\bar{B}(z, A) - \bar{B}(z-1, A-1)]$$

$$= \bar{B}(z, A) + (A-1) \frac{\partial}{\partial A} \bar{B}(z, A)$$

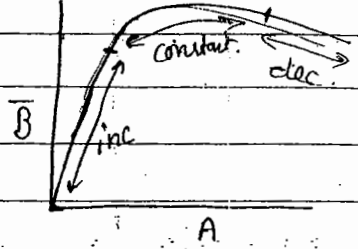
(from the definition of derivative)

$$f' = \frac{f(x) - f(x - \Delta x)}{\Delta x}$$

→ For light nuclei

$$\frac{\partial \bar{B}}{\partial A} = +ve$$

hence  $S_p(A) > \bar{B}(z, A)$



→ for heavy nuclei

$$\frac{\partial \bar{B}}{\partial A} = -ve$$

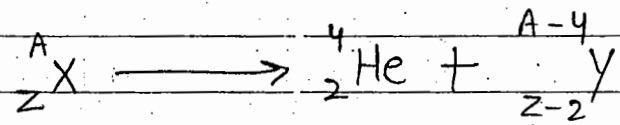
hence  $S_p(A) < \bar{B}(z, A)$

→ for Moderate nuclei

$$\frac{\partial \bar{B}}{\partial A} = 0$$

$S_p(A) = \bar{B}(z, A)$

Ques:- Calculate the separation energy for  $\alpha$ -decay.



$$\begin{aligned} S_\alpha(A) &= B(z, A) - B(2, 4) - B(z-2, A-4) \\ &= A \bar{B}(z, A) - 4 \bar{B}(2, 4) - (A-4) \bar{B}(z-2, A-4) \\ &\quad + 4 \bar{B}(z, A) - 4 \bar{B}(z, A) \\ &= 4 \bar{B}(z, A) + (A-4) [ \bar{B}(z, A) - \bar{B}(z-2, A-4) ] \\ &\quad - 4 \bar{B}(2, 4) \end{aligned}$$

Multiply & divide by 4 in 2nd term,

$$= 4 \bar{B}(z, A) + \frac{4(A-4) [ \bar{B}(z, A) - \bar{B}(z-2, A-4) ]}{4} - 4 \bar{B}(2, 4)$$



$$= 4 \bar{B}(z, A) + 4(A-4) \frac{\partial \bar{B}(z, A)}{\partial A} - 4 \bar{B}(2, 4)$$

$$= 4 [\bar{B}(z, A) - \bar{B}(2, 4)] + 4(A-4) \frac{\partial \bar{B}(z, A)}{\partial A}$$

For heavy Nuclei,

$$\bar{B}(z, A) \approx 7.5 \text{ MeV}$$

for  $\alpha$ -particle,  $\bar{B}(2, 4) \approx 7.0 \text{ MeV}$

$$S_{\alpha}(A) \approx 2 + 4(A-4) \frac{\partial \bar{B}(z, A)}{\partial A}$$

$\downarrow$   
 $4(7.5 - 7.0)$   
 $4 \times 0.5$

$$\frac{\partial \bar{B}}{\partial A} = -ve$$

∴  $S_{\alpha}(A) < 0$  spontaneous.

Natural radioactivity occur only for heavy nuclei.

For light Nuclei,

$$\bar{B}(z, A) \approx$$

$$S_{\alpha}(A) > 0$$

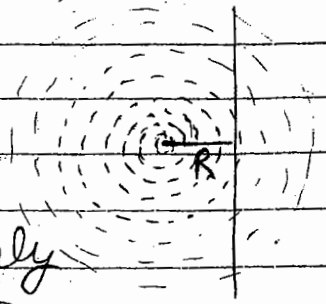
Artificial (we have to supply energy).

Artificial radioactivity occur only for light nuclei

Density of Nucleus :- Since there are no sharp boundaries for the nucleus therefore to determine the radius, we define

$$P(r) = \text{Very High if } r < R$$

$$= \text{Very Low if } r > R$$



Considering the spherical shape only it is experimentally observed that

$\bar{B}(2, 4)$



the density inside the sphere is constant.

$$\rho = \text{constant}$$

$$\frac{\text{Mass}}{\text{Volume}} = \text{constant}$$

Volume  $\propto$  Mass

$$\frac{4}{3} \pi R^3 \propto \text{mass of one nucleon} \times \text{no. of nucleons}$$

$$R^3 \propto \text{No. of Nucleons}$$

$$R^3 \propto A$$

$$R \propto A^{1/3}$$

$$\boxed{R = R_0 A^{1/3}}$$

$R_0 \rightarrow$  Constant

$$R_0 = 1.2 \text{ fm}$$

Que 1 - Radius of  ${}^{64}_{29}\text{Cu}$  nucleus is measured to be  $4.8 \times 10^{-13} \text{ cm}$ . Find the radius of  ${}^{27}_{12}\text{Mg}$  nucleus.

$$\text{Radius of } {}^{64}_{29}\text{Cu} = 4.8 \times 10^{-13}$$

$$R = R_0 A^{1/3}$$

$$4.8 \times 10^{-13} = R_0 (64)^{1/3}$$

$$4.8 \times 10^{-13} = R_0 \times 4$$

$$R_0 = 1.2 \times 10^{-13} \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{for } {}^{27}_{12}\text{Mg}, R = R_0 A^{1/3}$$

$$= 1.2 \times 10^{-13} \times (27)^{1/3}$$

$$= 1.2 \times 10^{-13} \times 3$$

$$R = 3.6 \times 10^{-13} \text{ cm}$$

$$\boxed{R = 3.6 \text{ fm}}$$

Ans

Nuclear Density :-

$$\rho = \frac{\text{Mass}}{\text{Volume}}$$

$$\text{Number Density} = \frac{\text{No. of Nucleons}}{\text{Volume}}$$

$$= \frac{A}{\frac{4}{3} \pi R^3} = \frac{A}{\frac{4}{3} \pi R_0^3 A} \quad [R = R_0 A^{1/3}]$$

$$= \frac{3}{4 \pi R_0^3} = \frac{3}{4 \times 3.14 \times (1.2 \times 10^{-15})^3}$$

$$= 10^{44} \text{ Nucleons/m}^3$$

Density of Nucleus = No. Density  $\times$  Mass of one nucleon

$$\rho = 10^{44} \times 1.6 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$$

$$\rho \approx 10^{17} \text{ kg/m}^3$$

(highly dense)

Ques If earth would consist of only nuclear matter. What will be its radius if the mass of the earth is  $6 \times 10^{24} \text{ kg}$ .

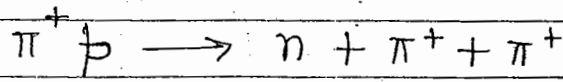
$$\text{Volume} = \frac{\text{mass}}{\text{density (Nucleus)}}$$

$$\frac{4}{3} \pi R^3 = \frac{6 \times 10^{24}}{10^{17}}$$

$$R \approx 243 \text{ meters}$$

(Actual  $R = 6400000 = 6400 \times 10^3 \text{ meters}$ )

Ques 1 - A beam of pions is incident on a proton target



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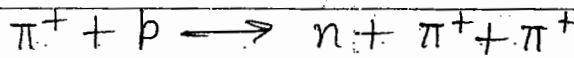
(i) Assuming that the decay process is strong int. the total isospin  $I$  and  $I_3$  component of isospin  $I_3$  are

(a)  $I = \frac{3}{2}, I_3 = \frac{3}{2}$

(b)  $I = \frac{5}{2}, I_3 = \frac{5}{2}$

(c)  $I = \frac{5}{2}, I_3 = \frac{3}{2}$

(d)  $I = \frac{1}{2}, I_3 = -\frac{1}{2}$



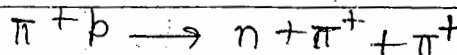
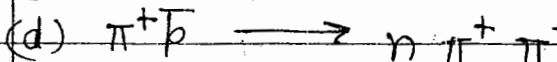
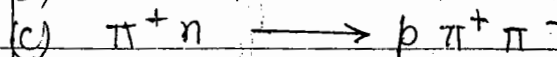
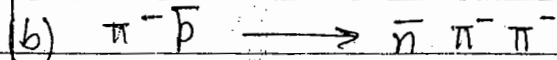
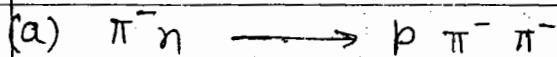
$I$	1	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	1
$I_3$	+1	$+\frac{1}{2}$	$-\frac{1}{2}$	+1	+1
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for  $I$ ,  $\frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2} \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}, 1, 1$

$I = \frac{3}{2}$   $[\frac{1}{2} + 1 = \frac{3}{2}]$

(a) is correct.

Ques 1 - Using isospin symmetry the cross-section for the above process can be related to that of



(b)  $\pi^- \bar{p} \rightarrow \bar{n} \pi^- \pi^-$  correct

Replace all the particle with their antiparticle as they have same  $I$ .



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Clebsch gordan coefficient :-

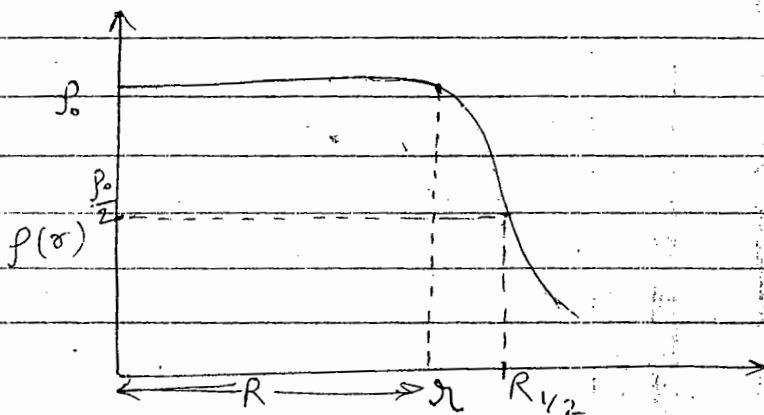
Mean Square Radius :-

$$\begin{aligned} \langle r^2 \rangle &= \frac{\int r^2 \rho(r) d\tau}{\int \rho(r) d\tau} \\ &= \frac{\int_0^\infty \int_0^\pi \int_0^{2\pi} r^2 \rho(r) r^2 \sin\theta dr d\theta d\phi}{\int_0^\infty \int_0^\pi \int_0^{2\pi} \rho(r) r^2 \sin\theta dr d\theta d\phi} \\ &= \frac{\int_0^\infty r^4 dr}{\int_0^\infty r^2 dr} \end{aligned}$$

Assuming the density of the nucleus to be fairly constant.

$$\begin{aligned} \langle r^2 \rangle &= \frac{\left[ \frac{r^5}{5} \right]_0^R}{\left[ \frac{r^3}{3} \right]_0^R} \quad \rho(r) = \text{const.}, r < R \\ &= \frac{\int_0^R r^4 dr + \int_R^\infty r^4 dr}{\int_0^R r^2 dr + \int_R^\infty r^2 dr} = \frac{\frac{R^5}{5}}{\frac{R^3}{3}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\langle r^2 \rangle = \frac{3}{5} R^2$$



← Experimental curve

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The density function corresponding to this experimental curve will be given by

$$\rho(r) = \frac{\rho_0}{1 + \exp\left[\frac{r - R_{1/2}}{a}\right]}$$

This is called Fermi Distribution.

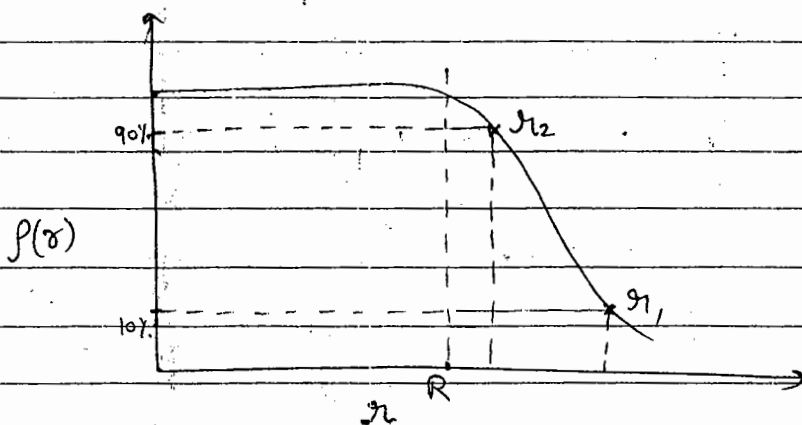
⇒  $R_{1/2}$  → That value of distance at which density fall (or remains)  $1/2$  of its value.

Ques :- The radial dependence of the density of the nucleus may be described by

$$\rho(r) = \frac{\rho_0}{1 + \exp\left\{\frac{r - c}{z}\right\}}$$

Show that the parameter  $c$  is the radius of the nucleus measured from the centre to a point where density falls to roughly half of its maximum value and the parameter,  $z = t$  where  $t$  is the radial distance b/w two points<sup>4.4</sup> of the nucleus whose density are 10% & 90% of its maximum value.

Sol :-



$$r_1 - r_2 = z$$

$$f(r) = \frac{P_0}{2}$$

$$\therefore \frac{P_0}{2} = \frac{P_0}{1 + \exp\left(\frac{r_1 - c}{Z}\right)}$$

$$1 + \exp\left(\frac{r_1 - c}{Z}\right) = 2 \Rightarrow \exp\left(\frac{r_1 - c}{Z}\right) = 1$$

$$\frac{r_1 - c}{Z} = \ln 1 \Rightarrow \frac{r_1 - c}{Z} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow r_1 - c = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{r_1 = c}$$

Say,

$$\text{at } r = r_1, \quad f(r) = 10\% \text{ of } P_0 \\ = 0.1 P_0$$

$$\text{at } r = r_2, \quad f(r) = 90\% \text{ of } P_0 \\ = 0.9 P_0$$

$$\text{Now } 0.1 P_0 = \frac{P_0}{1 + \exp\left(\frac{r_1 - c}{Z}\right)}$$

$$1 + \exp\left(\frac{r_1 - c}{Z}\right) = \frac{1}{0.1} \quad \text{or} \quad 1 + \exp\left(\frac{r_1 - c}{Z}\right) = 10$$

$$\exp\left(\frac{r_1 - c}{Z}\right) = 9 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\text{Similarly, } 1 + \exp\left(\frac{r_2 - c}{Z}\right) = \frac{1}{0.9} \quad \text{or} \quad 1 + \exp\left(\frac{r_2 - c}{Z}\right) = \frac{10}{9}$$

$$\exp\left(\frac{r_2 - c}{Z}\right) = \frac{1}{9} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Divide (1) by (2)  $\Rightarrow$

$$\exp\left\{\frac{r_1 - r_2}{Z}\right\} = 9^2$$

Taking Natural log of both sides,

$$\frac{r_1 - r_2}{Z} = 2 \ln 9 \Rightarrow \frac{r_1 - r_2}{Z} = 4 \times \ln 3$$

$$\frac{r_1 - r_2}{Z} = 4.39 \Rightarrow \boxed{Z = \frac{r_1 - r_2}{4.39} = \frac{t}{4.39} \approx \frac{t}{4.4}}$$

Ques i- For the charge density  $\rho(r) = \rho_0 e^{-r/a}$ . Show that the R.M.S. radius of the nucleus is  $a\sqrt{12}$ .

Arg. value of square of radius i.e.

R.M.S. radius  $\langle r^2 \rangle = \frac{\int r^2 \rho(r) d\tau}{\int \rho(r) d\tau}$

$$\langle r^2 \rangle = \frac{\int_0^\infty \int_0^\pi \int_0^{2\pi} r^2 \rho_0 e^{-r/a} r^2 \sin\theta dr d\theta d\phi}{\int_0^\infty \int_0^\pi \int_0^{2\pi} \rho_0 e^{-r/a} r^2 \sin\theta dr d\theta d\phi}$$

$$= \frac{\int_0^\infty r^2 \rho_0 e^{-r/a} 4\pi r^2 dr}{\int_0^\infty \rho_0 e^{-r/a} 4\pi r^2 dr} = \frac{\int_0^\infty r^4 e^{-r/a} dr}{\int_0^\infty r^2 e^{-r/a} dr}$$

$$\left\{ \int_0^\infty r^n e^{-r/a} dr, \int_0^\infty e^{-x} x^{n-1} dx \right\}$$

$$\langle r^2 \rangle = \frac{\int_0^\infty e^{-t} (t)^{5-1} a^5 dt}{\int_0^\infty e^{-t} (t)^{3-1} a^3 dt}$$

$$\frac{r}{a} = t$$

$$dr = a dt$$

$$= \frac{a^5 \sqrt{5}}{a^3 \sqrt{3}} = \frac{a^2 \sqrt{44}}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{a^2 4\sqrt{11}}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$= \frac{a^2 4 \times 3 \times \sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3}} = 12a^2 \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} m+1 = 5 \\ n/m = 3 \end{array} \right.$$

$$\langle r^2 \rangle = a\sqrt{12} \quad \underline{\underline{Ae}}$$

Ques i- Assuming that the nuclear radius is given by  $R = R_0 A^{1/3}$ . Find the no. of neutron density in the nucleus with no. of neutrons = no. of protons.

$$Z = A/2$$

$$A = Z + N \Rightarrow A = N + N \Rightarrow N = \frac{A}{2}$$

$$\text{No. of Neutron density} = \frac{\text{No. of Neutrons}}{\text{Volume of nucleus}}$$

$$= \frac{A/2}{\frac{4}{3}\pi R^3} = \frac{A}{2 \times \frac{4}{3}\pi R^3 A}$$


$$= \frac{3}{8\pi R_0^3}$$


$$= \frac{3}{8(3.14)(1.2 \times 10^{-15})^3}$$


$$= \frac{3 \times 10^{45}}{8 \times 3.14 \times (1.2)^3}$$

$$= 0.069 \text{ no. of neutrons/fm}^3$$

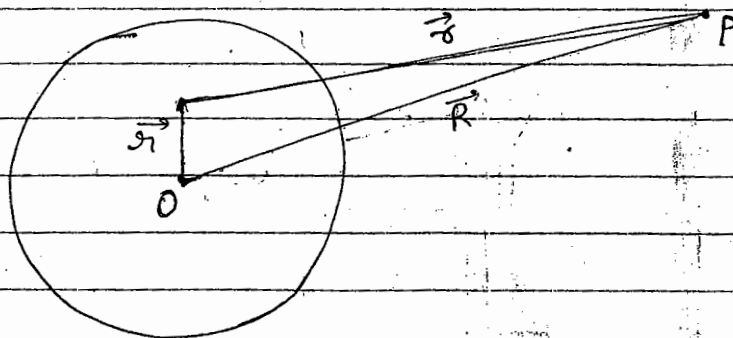
Quadrupole Moment :- Q.M. define the shape of nucleus. By definition

$Q = 0$  spherical shape 

$Q > 0$  prolate " 

$Q < 0$  Oblate " 

Consider a charge distribution of the nucleus



$$\vec{r}_1 + \vec{r} = \vec{R}$$

$$\vec{r} = \vec{R} - \vec{r}_1$$

$$\& \vec{R} \gg \vec{r}_1$$

Pot<sup>n</sup> at P, 
$$\phi(\vec{R}) = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int \frac{\rho(\vec{r}_1) d\tau}{|\vec{R} - \vec{r}_1|}$$

$$|\vec{R} - \vec{r}_1| = (R^2 + r_1^2 - 2r_1R \cos\theta)^{1/2}$$

$$\frac{1}{|R-r|} = \frac{1}{R} \left[ 1 + \frac{r^2}{R^2} - \frac{2r \cos \theta}{R} \right]^{-1/2}$$

Expand binomially

$$= \frac{1}{R} \left[ 1 - \frac{r^2}{2R^2} + \frac{r \cos \theta}{R} + \frac{3}{2} \frac{r^2 \cos^2 \theta}{R^2} + \dots \right]$$

higher order term  
of  $\frac{r^3}{R^3}$

$$= \frac{1}{R} \left[ 1 + \frac{r \cos \theta}{R} + \frac{(3 \cos^2 \theta - 1)r^2}{2R^2} + \dots \right]$$

$$\text{So } \phi(\vec{R}) = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left[ \frac{q}{R} + \frac{1}{R^2} \int \frac{\rho(\vec{r}) r \cos \theta}{R} d\tau + \frac{1}{2R^2} \int r^2 \rho(\vec{r}) (3 \cos^2 \theta - 1) d\tau + \dots \right]$$

(integration only for source charge)

Here, I, II, III terms denote the monopole, dipole & quadrupole terms.

$$\text{Let } \vec{r} \equiv x_i$$

$$\vec{R} \equiv X_i$$

$$r \cos \theta = \frac{\vec{r} \cdot \vec{R}}{R} = \frac{r R \cos \theta}{R} = \frac{\sum_i x_i X_i}{R}$$

$$\text{Monopole term, } = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{q}{R}$$

$$\text{Dipole term, } = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{1}{R^2} \int \rho(\vec{r}) \frac{\vec{r} \cdot \vec{R}}{R} d\tau$$

$$= \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{1}{R^3} \vec{R} \cdot \int \rho(\vec{r}) \vec{r} d\tau$$

$$= \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{1}{R^3} \vec{R} \cdot \vec{p}$$

$$\text{where } \vec{p} \equiv \int \rho(\vec{r}) \vec{r} d\tau$$

dipole Mom.

$$\text{In discrete system, } = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{1}{R^3} \sum_i p_i R_i$$

→ If we expand the pot<sup>n</sup> of nucleus then we find monopole term, dipole term & also quadrupole term — this quadrupole term will be deciding term for the shape of nucleus.

Similarly the Quadrupole term,

$$= \sum_{ij} \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} Q_{ij} \frac{x_i x_j}{r^4}$$

where

$$Q_{ij} = \int P(\vec{r}') (3x_i x_j - r'^2 \delta_{ij}) dz$$

↓  
Quadrupole Mom.

$$\delta_{ij} = 1, i=j \\ = 0, i \neq j$$

Quadrupole Mom. is a Tensor of rank 2 having 9 components.

So we can write  $Q$  in form of a Matrix.

$$Q = \begin{bmatrix} Q_{11} & Q_{12} & Q_{13} \\ Q_{21} & Q_{22} & Q_{23} \\ Q_{31} & Q_{32} & Q_{33} \end{bmatrix}_{3 \times 3}$$

$$Q \equiv \begin{bmatrix} 3x^2 - r^2 & 3xy & 3xz \\ 3yx & 3y^2 - r^2 & 3yz \\ 3zx & 3zy & 3z^2 - r^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

If we diagonalize the matrix by changing the frame of reference by  $x, y, z$  to  $\bar{x}, \bar{y}, \bar{z}$  then all the diagonal term will survive & rest terms will be zero.

$$Q \equiv \begin{bmatrix} 3\bar{x}^2 - r^2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 3\bar{y}^2 - r^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3\bar{z}^2 - r^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

So the z-component of the Quadrupole moments,

$$Q_{zz} = \int \rho(r) (3z^2 - r^2) d\tau$$

selection of Quadrupole system  $(\bar{x}, \bar{y}, \bar{z})$  are arbitrary so we can write,

$$Q_{zz} = \int \rho(r) (3z^2 - r^2) d\tau$$

for the complete spherical shape,

$$x^2 = y^2 = z^2$$

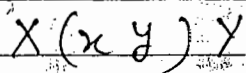
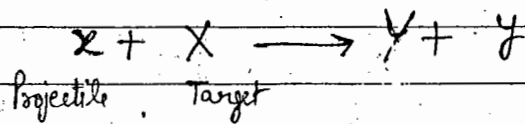
$$Q_{zz} = \int \rho(r) (3z^2 - (z^2 + z^2 + z^2)) d\tau$$

$$Q_{zz} = 0$$

for Prolate shape  $3z^2 > r^2$ ,  $Q_{zz} > 0$

for Oblate shape  $3z^2 < r^2$ ,  $Q_{zz} < 0$

### Nuclear Reactions :-



for Relativistic Motion,

total Energy of particle,

$$E = K.E. + \text{Rest mass energy}$$

$$E = \sqrt{p^2 c^2 + m_0^2 c^4}$$

If particle at rest ( $p=0$ )  $E = \sqrt{m_0^2 c^4} = m_0 c^2$

If particle moving with  $c$ ,  $E = \sqrt{p^2 c^2} = pc$   
 $m_0 = 0$



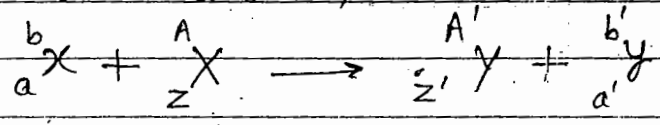
If Total Energy & K.E. is conserved - Elastic Collision  
 If K.E. is Not conserved - Inelastic  
 → In inelastic reac<sup>n</sup> - The mass of products is more than the reactants becoz K.E. of x is converted into mass.

Q-Value :-

$$Q = (\sum m_i - \sum m_f) c^2$$

- Q ≡ +ve Exoergic Reac<sup>n</sup> (elastic collision)
- Q ≡ -ve Endoergic thermic Reac<sup>n</sup> (inelastic collision)

Consider a reac<sup>n</sup>,



by Conservation of mass and proton no.

$$b + A = A' + b'$$

$$a + z = z' + a'$$

$$Q = [m_x + m(x) - m(y) - m(y)] c^2 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Now,

from the conservation of energy

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{for } {}_a^b X, \text{ Total Energy} = \text{K.E.} + \text{Rest Energy} = T_x + m_x c^2 \\ \text{\& \textit{itly for all}} \end{array} \right.$$

$$m_x c^2 + T_x + m(x) c^2 + T_x = m(y) c^2 + T_y + m(y) c^2 + T_y$$

$$[m_x - m(x) - m(y) - m(z)] c^2 = T_y + T_y - T_x - T_x$$

$$Q = T_y + T_y - T_x - T_x \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

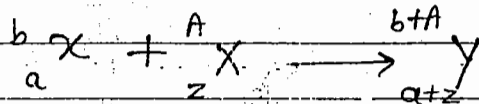
$$Q = \text{K.E. of products} - \text{K.E. of reactants}$$



If Target is at rest,  $T_x = 0$

$$Q = T_y + T_Y - T_x$$

Consider a sec<sup>n</sup>,



Q-value of this sec<sup>n</sup>,

$$Q = m_x + m(X) - M(Y)$$

$$Q = a M_H + (b-a) M_n - B(X) + z M_H + (A-z) M_n - B(X) - (a+z) M_H - (A+b-a-z) M_n + B(Y)$$

$$Q = B(Y) - B(X) - B(x)$$

Q value in terms of B.E.

Que :- (a) Compute the Q-value of the reaction



(b) Deutrons of energy 12 MeV are incident on a  ${}^{63}Cu$  target, neutrons are observed with 16.85 MeV of K.E. Find the K.E. of  ${}^{64}Zn$  if mass of  ${}^2_1H \equiv 2.014102 u$ ,  $M(n) = 1.008665 u$ ,  $M({}^{63}Cu) = 62.929599 u$ ,  $M({}^{64}Zn) = 63.929145 u$

$$\begin{aligned} (a) \quad Q &= [M({}^2_1H) + M({}^{63}Cu) - M(n) - M({}^{64}Zn)] c^2 \\ &= [2.014102 + 62.929599 - 1.008665 - 63.929145] \\ &= [64.943701 - 64.937810] \times 931.502 \text{ MeV} \\ &= 0.005891 \times 931.502 \text{ MeV} \end{aligned}$$

$$Q = 5.487 \text{ MeV}$$

Q → +ve so Re<sup>n</sup> is Exothermic.

$$(b) \quad Q = T_y + T_Y - T_x - T_x \quad [\text{Target at rest}]$$

$$Q = T_y + T_Y - T_x \\ = K.E.(Z_n) + K(n) - K({}_1^2\text{H})$$

$$5.487 = K(Z_n) + 16.85 - 12$$

$$K(Z_n) = 5.487 - 4.85$$

$$[K(Z_n) = 0.637 \text{ MeV}] \underline{\underline{du}}$$

Note :-

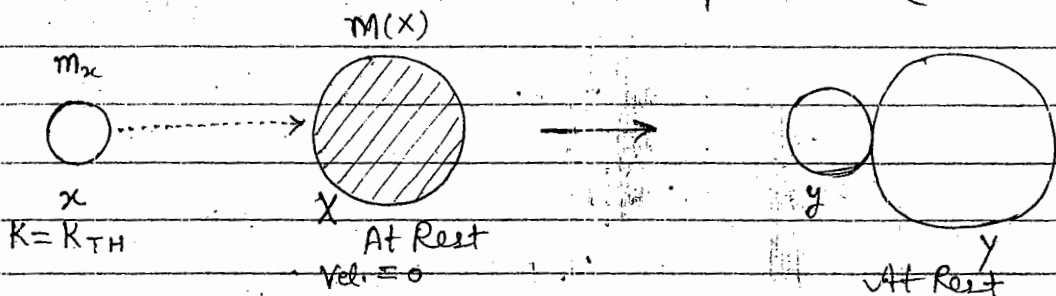
Q :- Reaction for which  $Q > 0$  the nuclear energy will be converted into the K.E. of  $y$  &  $Y$  and are called Exothermic Reaction. Reaction with  $Q < 0$  required the input energy in the form of K.E. of  $x$  to be converted into nuclear energy. These are called Endothermic Reaction.

Threshold value of K.E. for Endothermic Reaction :- ( $K_{TH}$ )

There is a minimum value of the K.E. called the threshold K.E. ( $K_{TH}$ ) below which the endothermic reaction will not proceed (And  $K_{TH}$  of  $x$ )

MeV

45 u



9145]

eV

This problem can be solved in centre of mass frame of reference.

(1) In the Lab frame of reference the velocity of the centre of mass will be ~~zero~~.

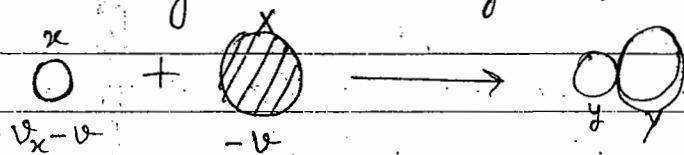
$$x_{cm} = \frac{m_1 x_1 + m_2 x_2}{m_1 + m_2}$$

$$\frac{d}{dt}(x_{cm}) = \frac{m_1 v_1 + m_2 v_2}{m_1 + m_2}$$

$$v_x = 0$$

$$= \frac{m_x v_x}{m(x) + m(x)}$$

(2) In C.M. frame of ref. we would see the projectile  $x$  moving with velocity  $v_x - v$ . And the target will be moving with velocity  $-v$ .



Therefore,

from Conservation of Energy

$$E_x + E_x = E_y + E_y$$

$$m_x c^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_x (v_x - v)^2 + m(x) c^2 + \frac{1}{2} m(x) v^2 = m_y c^2 + m(y) c^2$$

$$m_x \neq \frac{1}{2} m_x \left\{ v_x - \frac{m_x v_x}{m(x) + m(x)} \right\}^2 + \frac{1}{2} m(x) \left\{ \frac{m_x v_x}{m_x + m(x)} \right\}^2$$

$$= m_y c^2 + m(y) c^2 - m_x c^2 - m(x) c^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} m_x \left\{ \frac{m(x) v_x}{m_x + m(x)} \right\}^2 + \frac{1}{2} m(x) \left\{ \frac{m_x v_x}{m_x + m(x)} \right\}^2$$

$$= -\Phi$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} m_x m(x) \left\{ \frac{m(x) + m_x}{(m_x + m(x))^2} \right\} v_x^2 = -\Phi$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \frac{m_x m(x)}{m_x + m(x)} v_x^2 = -\Phi$$

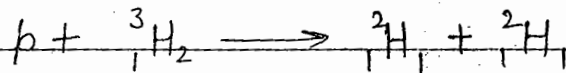
$$\Rightarrow K_{TH} = \frac{-\Phi \cdot \{m_x + m(x)\}}{m(x)}$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \frac{1}{2} m_x v_x^2 \\ = K_{TH} \\ \text{min. K-E.} \\ \text{of } x \end{aligned} \right\}$$

$$\Rightarrow K_{TH} = -Q \left[ 1 + \frac{m_x}{m(X)} \right]$$

K.E. can't be negative. This is a special case of endothermic rxn for which  $Q$  is -ve.

Ques 1 - Calculate the threshold kinetic energy for the reaction



- a) If protons are incident on  ${}^3_1\text{H}$  at rest  
 b) If  ${}^3_1\text{H}$  i.e. tritons are incident on proton.

$$\text{Mass of } p = 1.007825 \text{ u}$$

$${}^3_1\text{H} = 3.016049 \text{ u}$$

$${}^2_1\text{H} = 2.014102 \text{ u}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (a) \quad Q &= [m(p) + m({}^3_1\text{H}_2) - m({}^2_1\text{H}) - m({}^2_1\text{H})] \times 931.502 \text{ MeV} \\ &= 1.007825 + 3.016049 - 2.014102 - 2.014102 \\ &= 0.00477 \text{ u} \times 931.502 \text{ MeV} \\ &= -4.0334037 \text{ MeV} \end{aligned}$$

$$K_{TH} = -Q \left[ 1 + \frac{m_x}{m(X)} \right]$$

$$= 4.0334037 \left[ 1 + \frac{1.007825}{3.016049} \right]$$

$$= 5.38118188 \approx 5.381 \text{ MeV } \underline{\underline{A_0}}$$

$$(b) \quad Q = [m({}^3_1\text{H}) + m(p) - m({}^2_1\text{H}) - m({}^2_1\text{H})] \times 931.502 \text{ MeV}$$

$$Q = -4.0334037 \text{ MeV}$$

$$K_{TH} = 4.0334037 \left[ 1 + \frac{3.016049}{1.007825} \right]$$

$$K_{TH} = 16.1038953 \approx 16.10 \text{ MeV } \underline{\underline{A_0}}$$

$p$  is lighter particle than  ${}^3\text{H}$ . Thus less energy (threshold energy) is required in the case where  $p$  is incident on  ${}^3\text{H}$  to proceed the reaction.

\* Energetics of the particle decay: - If a particle  $x$  is at rest & it is being decay into several other particles  
 $x \longrightarrow a + b + c$

i)  $\rightarrow$  The decay will occur only if  $Q > 0$ .

ii) The available  $Q$  energy is shared as a kinetic energy of the decay products in order to conserve the linear momentum.

Que : Compute the energies of proton &  $\pi$  mesons that result from the decay of  $\Lambda^0$ .



$$m(\Lambda^0) = 1116 \text{ MeV}$$

$$m(p) = 938 \text{ MeV}$$

$$m(\pi^-) = 140 \text{ MeV}$$

$$Q = m(\Lambda^0) - m(p) - m(\pi^-)$$

$$Q = 1116 - 938 - 140 = 1116 - 1078 \text{ MeV}$$

$$Q = 38 \text{ MeV} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

In terms of K.E., The  $Q$  value will be

$$Q = K_p + K_{\pi^-} = 38 \quad (\because \Lambda^0 \text{ is at rest}) \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Now using the relativistic formula

$$E = K.E. + \text{Rest mass energy}$$

$$E = \sqrt{p^2 c^2 + m_0^2 c^4}$$

$$e_n(2) \Rightarrow \sqrt{p_p^2 c^2 + m_p^2 c^4} - m_p c^2 + \sqrt{p_{\pi}^2 c^2 + m_{\pi}^2 c^4} - m_{\pi} c^2 = 38 \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

$$\text{R.E. of } p = \text{Total energy of } p - \text{rest mass energy of } p$$

Now, from the conservation of linear mom.,

$$0 = \vec{p}_p + \vec{p}_{\pi^-}$$

$$\vec{p}_p = -\vec{p}_{\pi^-}$$

$$\text{so } |\vec{p}_p| = |\vec{p}_{\pi^-}|$$

generally;  $p_p = p_{\pi^-}$

so eqn. (3) becomes,

$$\sqrt{p_p^2 c^2 + m_p^2 c^4} - m_p c^2 + \sqrt{p_{\pi^-}^2 c^2 + m_{\pi^-}^2 c^4} - m_{\pi^-} c^2 = 38$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{(m_p c^2)^2 + p_p^2 c^2} + \sqrt{(m_{\pi^-} c^2)^2 + p_{\pi^-}^2 c^2} = 38 + 938 + 140$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{(938)^2 + p_p^2 c^2} = 1116 - \sqrt{(140)^2 + p_{\pi^-}^2 c^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow (938)^2 + p_p^2 c^2 = (1116)^2 - (140)^2 + p_{\pi^-}^2 c^2 - 2 \times 1116 \sqrt{(140)^2 + p_{\pi^-}^2 c^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \times 1116 \times \sqrt{(140)^2 + p_{\pi^-}^2 c^2} = (1116)^2 + (140)^2 - (938)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow p_p^2 c^2 = 10185.93 \text{ MeV}$$

$$p_p \equiv \frac{101}{c} \frac{\text{MeV}}{\text{velocity unit}}$$

$$p_{\pi^-} \equiv \frac{101}{c} \text{ "}$$

$$\text{K.E. of } p \text{ } = \sqrt{p_p^2 c^2 + (m_p c^2)^2} - m_p c^2$$

$$= \sqrt{10185.93 + (938)^2} - 938$$

$$\approx 5 \text{ MeV}$$

$$\text{Similarly, K.E. of } \pi^- = \sqrt{p_{\pi^-}^2 c^2 + (m_{\pi^-} c^2)^2} - m_{\pi^-} c^2$$

$$= \sqrt{10185.93 + (140)^2} - 140$$

$$\approx 32.58 \text{ MeV}$$



- $\gamma, \nu_e, \bar{\nu}_e, \nu_\mu, \bar{\nu}_\mu, \nu_\tau, \bar{\nu}_\tau$  all have rest mass = 0 & only have K.E. & move with speed of light  $c$ .

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Ques :- What is the maximum K.E. of the electron emitted in the decay mode is  $\mu^- \longrightarrow e^- + \bar{\nu}_e + \nu_\mu$

Given that  $m_{\mu^-} = 105.7 \text{ MeV}$

$m_{e^-} = 0.511 \text{ MeV}$

Prove that, the K.E. of  $e^-$  =  $\frac{Q^2}{2m_\mu c^2}$

$$Q = m(\mu^-) - m(e^-) - m(\bar{\nu}_e) - m(\nu_\mu)$$

$$Q = 105.7 - 0.511 - 0 - 0$$

$$Q = 105.189 \text{ MeV}$$

In terms of K.E.,

$$Q = KE_{e^-} + KE_{\bar{\nu}_e} + KE_{\nu_\mu} \neq 0$$

{ K.E. of  $\mu^- = 0$  (at rest) }

$$KE_{e^-} + KE_{\bar{\nu}_e} + KE_{\nu_\mu} = 105.189 \text{ ————— (1)}$$

The energy of the  $e^-$  will be maximum when minimum amount of energy is given to the neutrino.

There may be 2 possibilities :-

⇒ The little amount of energy is equally shared by both neutrino.

⇒ The min. amount of energy is given to one of the neutrino & the little amount of energy is not equally shared by both neutrino.

If particle moving with  $c$  then energy  $\rightarrow$

$$E = pc$$

$$= |p|c$$

Let  $E_e$  &  $p_e$  be the energy & momentum of the  $e^-$  &  $E_\nu$  &  $p_\nu$  be the energy & mom. of neutrino.

By Mom Con.  $0 = \vec{p}_e + \vec{p}_\nu$

$$\vec{p}_e = -\vec{p}_\nu$$





$$|\vec{p}_e| = |\vec{p}_\nu|$$

$$p_e = p_\nu$$

Therefore  $Q = (m_\mu - m_e) c^2$  — (2)

$$\& Q = KE(e^-) + KE(\nu)$$

$$Q = E_e - m_e c^2 + \frac{p_\nu c}{\gamma}$$

} bcoz rest energy of  $\nu = 0$

$$Q = E_e - m_e c^2 + \frac{p_e c}{\gamma}$$

$$\therefore E_e = \sqrt{p_e^2 c^2 + m_e^2 c^4}$$

$$E_e^2 = p_e^2 c^2 + m_e^2 c^4$$

$$E_e^2 - m_e^2 c^4 = p_e^2 c^2$$

$$\therefore Q = E_e - m_e c^2 + \sqrt{E_e^2 - m_e^2 c^4}$$

$$m_\mu c^2 - m_e c^2 = E_e - m_e c^2 + \sqrt{E_e^2 - m_e^2 c^4} \quad \text{from (2)}$$

$$(m_\mu c^2)^2 = E_e^2 = \sqrt{E_e^2 - m_e^2 c^4}$$

$$(m_\mu c^2)^2 + E_e^2 - 2 m_\mu c^2 E_e = E_e^2 - m_e^2 c^4$$

$$2 m_\mu c^2 E_e = (m_\mu c^2)^2 + (m_e c^2)^2$$

$$2 m_\mu c^2 E_e = \{(m_\mu c^2)^2 - (m_e c^2)^2\} + 2 m_\mu m_e c^4$$

$$2 m_\mu c^2 E_e = Q^2 + 2 m_\mu m_e c^4$$

$$E_e = \frac{Q^2}{2 m_\mu c^2} + \frac{2 m_\mu m_e c^4}{2 m_\mu c^2}$$

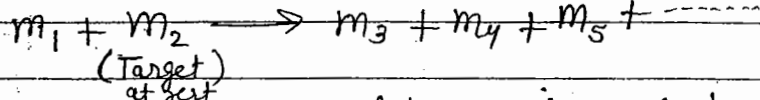
$$E_e = \frac{Q^2}{2 m_\mu c^2} + m_e c^2$$

K.E. of  $e = E_e - m_e c^2$

$$KE = \frac{Q^2}{2 m_\mu c^2}$$

### Energetics of the Particle Reactions:-

If we have 2 particles of mass  $m_1$  &  $m_2$ .  $m_1$  collides with  $m_2$  which is at rest. In that case



The threshold energy (threshold K.E.) will be

$$K_{TH} = -Q \frac{m_1 + m_2 + m_3 + m_4 + \dots}{2m_2}$$

$$K_{TH} = -Q \frac{\text{Sum of the masses of all the particles}}{2 \times \text{Mass of the target}}$$

Total Energy = K.E. + Rest Mass Energy

$$E_{TH} = K_{TH} + \text{Rest Mass Energy}$$

In this case, the rest mass energy =  $m_1 c^2$

$$\therefore E_{TH} = K_{TH} + m_1 c^2$$

Que:- Calculate the threshold K.E. to produce  $\pi$ -meson from the reaction



$$m(p) = 938 \text{ MeV}$$

$$m(\pi^0) = 135 \text{ MeV}$$

$$Q = [2 \times m(p) - 2 \times m(p) - m(\pi^0)] c^2$$

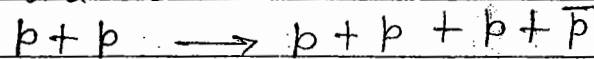
$$Q = [-135 \text{ MeV}]$$

$$K_{TH} = -Q \times \frac{m_1 + m_2 + m_3 + m_4 + m_5}{2 \times m_2}$$

$$= 135 \times \frac{4 \times 938 + 135}{2 \times 938} = 135 \times \frac{3752 + 135}{1876}$$

$$= 135 \times \frac{3887}{1876} = 279.714819 \approx 280 \text{ MeV}$$

Ques 1 In 1956, An experiment was performed at Westley to search for the antiproton which could be produced in the seen



what is the threshold energy of the seen,

$$Q = [2 \times m(p) - 3 m(p) - m(\bar{p})] c^2$$

$$= -2 \times m(p) c^2 = -2 \times 938 \text{ MeV} = -1876 \text{ MeV}$$

$$K_{TH} = -Q \times \frac{m(p) + m(p) + m(p) + m(p) + m(p) + m(\bar{p})}{2 \times m(p)}$$

$$= 1876 \times \frac{6 \times 938}{2 \times 938} = \frac{1876 \times 3}{+2 m_p c^2}$$

$$= 5628 \text{ MeV} \approx 6 m_p c^2$$

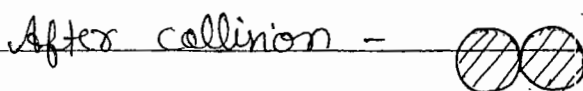
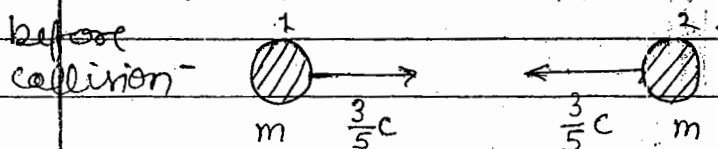
$$E_{TH} = K_{TH} + m_p c^2 = 5678 + m_p c^2$$

$$= 6 m_p c^2 + m_p c^2$$

$$\boxed{E_{TH} = 7 m_p c^2}$$

### Collisions :-

Ques 1 - 2 lumps of clay each of mass  $m$  collide head-on at  $\frac{3}{5}c$ . They stick together. What is the mass  $M$  of the final component composite lump?



from Conservation of mom.

$$\vec{p}_1 + \vec{p}_2 = \vec{p}_M$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{p}_1 + \vec{p}_2 = 0$$

Con. of energy,  $E_1 + E_2 = E_M$

$$m c^2 + m c^2 = M c^2$$

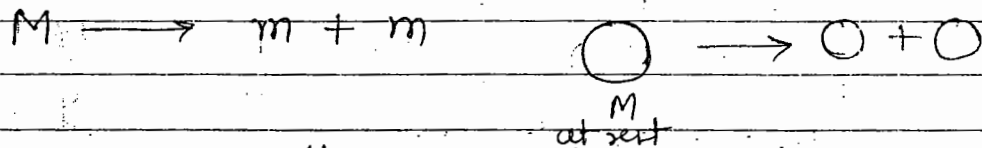
$$\frac{2 m_0 c^2}{\sqrt{1-v^2/c^2}} = M c^2$$

$$M = \frac{2 m_0}{\sqrt{1-\frac{9}{25}}} = \frac{2 m_0}{\sqrt{\frac{16}{25}}}$$

$$M = \frac{5}{2} m_0 \quad \text{or} \quad M = 2.5 m_0$$

$\Rightarrow$  Here K.E. of  $M$  is being converted into mass. bcoz  $m+m = 2m = M$  ideally but here  $M = \frac{5}{2} m_0$ .

Que A particle of mass  $M$  initially at rest decays into 2 pieces each of mass  $m$ . What is the speed of each piece as if flies off?



By Energy Conservation,

$$E = E_1 + E_2$$

$$M c^2 = \frac{m c^2}{\sqrt{1-v^2/c^2}} + \frac{m c^2}{\sqrt{1-v^2/c^2}}$$

$$\sqrt{1-v^2/c^2} = \frac{2m}{M}$$

$$1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2} = \left(\frac{2m}{M}\right)^2 \Rightarrow \frac{v^2}{c^2} = 1 - \left(\frac{2m}{M}\right)^2$$

$$v = c \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{2m}{M}\right)^2}$$

Que : A Tau particle is at rest & decays into

$$\tau^- \longrightarrow \pi^- + \nu_{\tau}$$

The masses of  $\tau^-$  &  $\pi^-$  &  $\nu_{\tau}$  are  $m_{\tau}$ ,  $m_{\pi}$  & 0 respectively.

find the energy & velocity of  $\pi^-$ .

By con. of mom.

$$\cancel{k_T} = \cancel{p_\pi} - \cancel{v} \quad 0 = \vec{p}_\pi + \vec{p}_{\nu_e}$$

$$\vec{p}_\pi = -\vec{p}_{\nu_e}$$

$$\Rightarrow |\vec{p}_\pi| = |\vec{p}_{\nu_e}|$$

$$\Rightarrow p_\pi = p_{\nu_e}$$

from the con. of energy

$$E_e = E_\pi + E_\nu$$

bcz  $T$  is at rest so it'll have only rest mass energy

$$m_e c^2 = \sqrt{p_\pi^2 c^2 + m_\pi^2 c^4} + p_\nu c \quad (p_\nu = p_\pi)$$

$$m_e c^2 = \sqrt{p_\pi^2 c^2 + m_\pi^2 c^4} + p_\pi c$$

$$(m_e c^2 - p_\pi c) = \sqrt{p_\pi^2 c^2 + m_\pi^2 c^4}$$

$$(m_e c^2 - p_\pi c)^2 = p_\pi^2 c^2 + m_\pi^2 c^4$$

$$(m_e c - p_\pi)^2 = p_\pi^2 + m_\pi^2 c^2$$

$$m_e^2 c^2 + p_\pi^2 - 2 m_e c p_\pi = p_\pi^2 + m_\pi^2 c^2$$

$$2 m_e c p_\pi = (m_e^2 - m_\pi^2) c^2$$

$$p_\pi = \frac{(m_e^2 - m_\pi^2) c}{2 m_e}$$

$$E_\pi = \sqrt{p_\pi^2 c^2 + m_\pi^2 c^4}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{(m_e^2 - m_\pi^2)^2 c^4}{4 m_e^2} + m_\pi^2 c^4}$$

$$= c^2 \sqrt{\frac{(m_e^2 - m_\pi^2)^2 + 4 m_e^2 m_\pi^2}{4 m_e^2}}$$

$$= c^2 \sqrt{\frac{(m_e^2 + m_\pi^2)^2}{4 m_e^2}}$$

$$E_\pi = \frac{(m_e^2 + m_\pi^2) c^2}{2 m_e}$$

$\pi^-$  velocity



Velocity :-

for the particle moving relativistically

$$E = \frac{m}{\sqrt{1-v^2/c^2}} c^2 \quad \& \quad p = \frac{m}{\sqrt{1-v^2/c^2}} v$$

$$\text{So } \frac{E}{p} = \frac{mc^2}{mv}$$

$$\Rightarrow v = \frac{pc^2}{E}$$

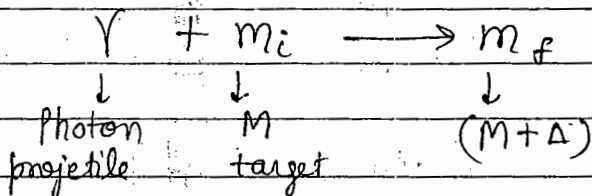
$$v = \frac{(m_T^2 - m_\pi^2) c \times c^2}{2m_T}$$

$$\frac{(m_T^2 - m_\pi^2) c^2}{2m_T}$$

$$v = \left\{ \frac{m_T^2 - m_\pi^2}{m_T^2 + m_\pi^2} \right\} c$$

Ques :- An atom of mass  $M$  can be excited to a state of mass  $M + \Delta$  by photon capture. The freq. of photon which can cause this transition is

- (a)  $\Delta c^2 / 2h$       (b)  $\Delta c^2 / h$       (c)  $\frac{\Delta^2 c^2}{2mh}$       (d)  $\frac{\Delta(\Delta + 2m)c^2}{2mh}$



We need to calculate the threshold the K.E. or energy to initiate this reaction.

$$Q = [m(\gamma) + M - (M + \Delta)] c^2$$

$$Q = 0 [M - M - \Delta] c^2 = -\Delta c^2$$

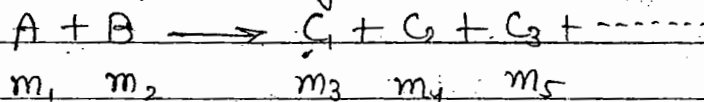
$$K_{TH} = -Q \times \frac{m + M + \Delta}{2M} = \Delta c^2 \frac{(2M + \Delta)}{2M}$$

$$\therefore h\nu = \Delta c^2 \frac{(2M + \Delta)}{2M}$$

$$\boxed{\nu = \frac{\Delta(2M + \Delta)c^2}{2Mh}}$$

(d) is correct.

- If a particle A of energy  $E$  hits a particle B which is at rest producing the particles  $C_1 + C_2 + C_3 + \dots$



then the threshold energy for the reaction

$$E_{th} = \text{Rest mass energy} + K_{th}$$

$$= \left[ \frac{(m_3 + m_4 + m_5 + \dots)^2 - (m_1^2 - m_2^2)}{2m_2} \right]$$

This is the direct formula to calculate the threshold energy  $E_{th}$ .

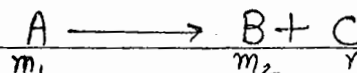
eg:  $\gamma + M \longrightarrow M + \Delta$

$$E_{th} = \frac{(M + \Delta)^2 - M^2}{2M} = \frac{(M + \Delta)^2 - M^2}{2M}$$

$$E_{th} = \frac{\Delta^2 + 2M\Delta}{2M}$$

$$\boxed{E_{th} = \frac{\Delta(\Delta + 2M)}{2M}}$$

- If a particle at rest decays into 2 particles B & C.



Then calculate the energy of the outgoing particles in terms of various masses.  $\& m$

Energy can be written as

$$E_2 = \frac{m_1^2 + m_2^2 - m_3^2}{2m_1} c^2$$

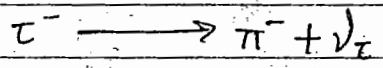
$$E_3 = \frac{m_1^2 + m_3^2 - m_2^2}{2m_1} c^2$$

$$p_B = p_C = \frac{\sqrt{\lambda(m_1^2, m_2^2, m_3^2)}}{2m_1} c$$

Where  $\lambda$  is triangle fun<sup>n</sup>

$$\lambda(a, b, c) = a^2 + b^2 + c^2 - 2ab - 2bc - 2ca$$

e.g.



Calculate the energy & momentum & velocity of  $\pi^-$ .

$$M(\tau^-) = m_\tau, \quad M(\pi^-) = m_\pi$$

$$E_\pi = \frac{m_\tau^2 + m_\tau^2 - 0}{2m_\tau} c^2 = \frac{m_\pi^2 + m_\tau^2}{2m_\tau} c^2$$

$$p_\pi = \frac{\sqrt{\lambda(m_\tau^2, m_\pi^2, 0)}}{2m_\tau} = \frac{\sqrt{m_\tau^4 + m_\pi^4 - 2m_\tau^2 m_\pi^2}}{2m_\tau}$$

$$p_\pi = \frac{(m_\tau^2 - m_\pi^2) c}{2m_\tau}$$

$$E = \frac{m c^2}{\sqrt{1 - v^2/c^2}} \quad \& \quad p = \frac{m v}{\sqrt{1 - v^2/c^2}}$$

$$\frac{E}{p} = \frac{m c^2}{m v} = \frac{c^2}{v} \Rightarrow v = \frac{p c^2}{E}$$

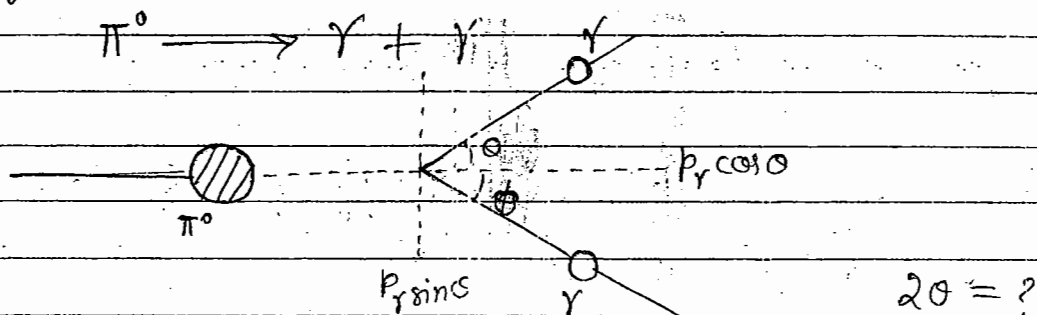
$$v = \frac{(m_\tau^2 - m_\pi^2) c}{2m_\tau} \times \frac{2m_\tau}{(m_\tau^2 + m_\pi^2) c^2} \times c^2$$

$$v = \frac{(m_\tau^2 - m_\pi^2) c}{(m_\tau^2 + m_\pi^2)}$$





Ques 1:- A neutral pion whose K.E. is equal to its rest mass energy decays in flight. Find the angle b/w 2  $\gamma$ -ray photons that are produced if their energies are same.



$\gamma$ -photon moving with velocity  $c$ . The energy & mom. will be same for both photons.

$$E = pc \Rightarrow p_1 = p_2$$

from the conservation of linear momentum

$$p_{\pi} = 2 p_{\gamma} \cos \theta \quad (1)$$

Given, K.E. of  $\pi^0 = \text{Rest mass energy}$

$$\frac{1}{2} E_{\pi} - m_{\pi} c^2 = m_{\pi} c^2$$

$$\sqrt{p_{\pi}^2 c^2 - m_{\pi}^2 c^4} = 2 m_{\pi} c^2$$

squaring,

$$p_{\pi}^2 c^2 - m_{\pi}^2 c^4 = 4 m_{\pi}^2 c^4$$

$$p_{\pi}^2 c^2 = 3 m_{\pi}^2 c^4$$

$$p_{\pi} = \sqrt{3} m_{\pi} c$$

Now, from the conservation of energy,

$$E_{\pi} = 2 E_{\gamma}$$

$$E_{\pi} = p_{\gamma} c + p_{\gamma} c$$

$$m_{\pi} c^2 \text{ K.E.} + \text{Rest mass energy} = 2 p_{\gamma} c$$

(because K.E. = R.M.E.)

$$2 m_{\pi} c^2 = 2 p_{\gamma} c$$

$$p_{\gamma} = m_{\pi} c$$

We must take both angles are same because if  $\theta$  is not same the vertical comp. will be different & energy & mom. conservation violates. So  $\theta$  must be same.

$$M_{\pi^0} \rightarrow 135 \text{ MeV}$$

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$$\text{eqn (1)} \Rightarrow p_{\pi} = 2p_r \cos \theta$$

$$\sqrt{3} m_{\pi} v = 2m_{\pi} v \cdot \cos \theta$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\theta = 30^\circ$$

Ques :- find the threshold energy of a following reaction  
 $p + p \rightarrow p + p + \pi^+ + \pi^-$

Assuming the target proton is stationary

$$M(p) \rightarrow 938 \text{ MeV}$$

$$M(\pi^+) \& M(\pi^-) \rightarrow 140 \text{ MeV}$$

$$E_{th} = \frac{[M(p) + M(p) + M(\pi^+) + M(\pi^-)]^2 - m_p^2 - m_p^2}{2m_p}$$

$$E_{th} = \frac{(938 + 938 + 140 + 140)^2 - (938)^2 - (938)^2}{2 \times 938}$$

$$E_{th} = \frac{(2156)^2 - (938)^2 - (938)^2}{1876} = \frac{4648336 - 3519376}{1876}$$

$$= \frac{1128960}{1876} = 601.791045$$

$$= \frac{2888648}{1876} = 1539.79104$$

$$E_{th} = 1539.79 \text{ MeV}$$

II method

also by  $E_{th} = K_{th} + \text{Rest mass energy}$

$$E_{th} = K_{th} + m_p c^2, \quad K_{th} = -Q \times \frac{m_p + m_{\pi^+} + m_{\pi^-}}{2 \times m_p}$$

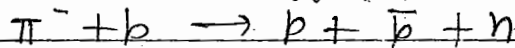
$$Q = 2m_p (m_{\pi^+} + m_{\pi^-}) c^2$$

$$Q = -280 \text{ MeV}$$

No. of nuclei

Ques

Find the threshold energy of  $\pi^-$



$$E_{th} = \frac{[m(p) + m(\bar{p}) + m(n)]^2 - m_{\pi^-}^2 - m_p^2}{2m_p}$$

$$= \frac{[938 + 938 + 939]^2 - (140)^2 - (938)^2}{2 \times 938}$$

$$= \frac{(2815)^2 - (140)^2 - (938)^2}{1876}$$

$$= \frac{7924225 - 19600 - 879844}{1876}$$

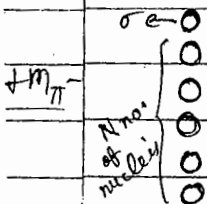
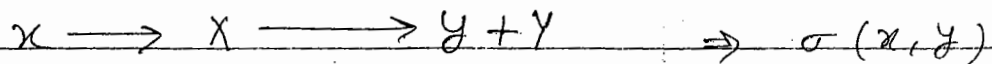
$$= \frac{7024781}{1876}$$

$$= 3744.55277 \text{ MeV}$$

Cross-Section :- The probability of occurrence of a nuclear reaction is measured by the Reaction Cross section.

It is designated by the symbol  $\sigma$ .  
Its unit is Barn.

$$1 \text{ barn} = 10^{-28} \text{ m}^2 = 10^{-24} \text{ cm}^2$$



Suppose a beam of particles is incident on a target having  $N$  no. of nuclei. The effective area of cross-section of each nucleus is  $\sigma$ .

Total effective cross-section (of  $N$  no. of nuclei)

$$= \sigma N$$

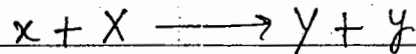
If  $S$  is the target area then the fraction of the area which the effective cross section represents will be

$$\text{Effective fraction} = \frac{\sigma N}{S}$$

$$\text{Probability} = \frac{\sigma N}{S}$$

Let  $I_x$  be the no. of particles incident per second and  $I_y$  be " " " outgoing " "

Then the probability to find  $y$  per incident particle  $x$  will be



$$\text{Probability} = \frac{I_y}{I_x}$$

Equating the two probabilities,

$$\frac{I_y}{I_x} = \frac{\sigma N}{S}$$

$$\text{Therefore } \sigma = \frac{I_y}{I_x} \cdot \frac{1}{(N/S)}$$

$N \rightarrow$  No. of nuclei in target

$S \rightarrow$  Area of target

$\frac{N}{S} \rightarrow$  No. of nuclei per unit area.

$$\sigma(x, y) = \frac{I_y}{I_x \times \text{Number of Nuclei per unit area}}$$

Larger will be the C.S., greater will be the probability of the occurrence of reaction.

Ques:- A  $16 \mu\text{A}$  beam of  $\alpha$ -particles having cross-sectional area  $10^{-4} \text{ m}^2$  is incident on a rhodium Rh target, of thickness  $1 \mu\text{m}$ . This produces  $n$  through this reaction.



(1.) The no. of  $\alpha$ -particles hitting the target per sec. will be

(a)  $0.5 \times 10^{14}$

(b)  $1.0 \times 10^{14}$

(c)  $2.0 \times 10^{20}$

(d)  $4.0 \times 10^{20}$

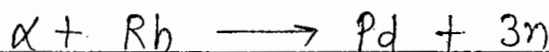
(2.) The neutrons are observed at the rate of  $1.806 \times 10^8$  per sec. If the density of the Rh is approximated as  $10^4 \text{ kg/m}^3$ . Then the cross-section for this reaction will be

(a) 0.01

(b) 0.2

(c) 0.4

(d) 0.8



(1) Current =  $16 \mu\text{A} = 16 \times 10^{-6} \text{ C/sec}$

This charge flow in 1 sec.

$${}^4_2\text{He}, \text{ charge} = 2 \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$$

No. of  $\alpha$ -particles incident on target per sec

$$= \frac{16 \times 10^{-6}}{2 \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19}}$$

$$I_x = 5 \times 10^{13} \approx \underline{\underline{0.5 \times 10^{14} \text{ particles/sec.}}}$$

(a)  $\rightarrow$  Correct

(2)

$$\sigma(x, y) = \frac{I_x}{I_x \cdot N}$$

This formula is valid for 1 to 1 correspondence.

for 1  $\alpha$ -particle only 3  $n$ -are emitted.

Rate at which no. of  $\alpha$ -particles are hitting the target

$$I_x = 0.5 \times 10^{14} / \text{sec.}$$

" " " neutrons are produced =  $1.806 \times 10^8 / \text{sec}$

$$I_y = \frac{1}{3} \times 1.806 \times 10^8 / \text{sec}$$

$$I_y = 0.602 \times 10^8 / \text{sec.}$$

{ for 1 n, the rate of production will be  $\times 1/3$  bcoz for 1  $\alpha$ -particle there emits 3 neutrons }

100 gm of Rh will produce passes =  $6.02 \times 10^{23}$

1 " " " " =  $6.02 \times 10^{21}$

$10^7$  gm " " " =  $6.02 \times 10^{28}$

$\rightarrow 1 \text{ m}^3$  " " " =  $6.02 \times 10^{28}$

$$\rho = 10^4 \text{ kg/m}^3 = 10^7 \text{ gm/m}^3$$

1 area  $\times$  1 thickness =  $6.02 \times 10^{28}$

1 area  $\times$  1  $\mu\text{m}$  =  $6.02 \times 10^{28} \times 10^{-6}$

$$N = 6.02 \times 10^{22}$$

$$\sigma(x, y) = \frac{I_y}{I_x N} = \frac{0.602 \times 10^8}{0.5 \times 10^{14} \times 6.02 \times 10^{22}}$$

$$= \frac{0.602}{3.01} \times 10^{-28}$$

$$= 0.2 \times 10^{-28}$$

$$\boxed{\sigma = 0.2 \text{ Barn}} \quad \underline{A_4} \quad (b) \rightarrow \text{Correct}$$

Que :- for a certain incident proton energy the see<sup>n</sup>  
 $p + {}^{56}\text{Fe} \rightarrow n + {}^{56}\text{Co}$

have a Cross section of 0.60 barn. If we bombard a target in the form of  $1 \text{ cm}^2$ , 1  $\mu\text{m}$  thick

iron foil with a beam of protons equivalent to a current of  $3 \mu\text{A}$  & if the beam is spread uniformly over the entire surface of the target. At what rate neutrons are being produced? Given that, density of Iron =  $7.9 \text{ gm/cm}^3$

$$I_y = ?$$

$$\text{Current} = 3 \mu\text{A} = 3 \times 10^{-6} \text{ C/sec}$$

$$\text{charge on one proton} = 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$$

No. of protons being incident per sec on target

$$I_x = \frac{3 \times 10^{-6}}{1.6 \times 10^{-19}} = 1.875 \times 10^{13} / \text{sec}$$

$$\sigma = 0.6 \times 10^{-28} \text{ m}^2 = 0.6 \times 10^{-24} \text{ cm}^2$$

$$56 \text{ gm of Fe} = 6.02 \times 10^{23}$$

$$7.9 \text{ " " " } = \frac{6.02 \times 10^{23}}{56} \times 7.9$$

$$1 \text{ cm}^3 \text{ " " " } = \text{ " " }$$

$$1 \text{ cm}^2 \times 1 \text{ cm " " " } = \text{ " " }$$

$$1 \text{ cm}^2 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm " " " } = \frac{6.02 \times 7.9 \times 10^{23}}{56} \times 10^{-4} / \text{cm}^2$$

$$(1 \mu\text{m} = 10^{-4} \text{ cm})$$

$$N = \frac{6.02 \times 7.9 \times 10^{23} \times 10^{-4}}{56} / \text{cm}^2$$

$$N = 0.84925 \times 10^{19} / \text{cm}^2$$

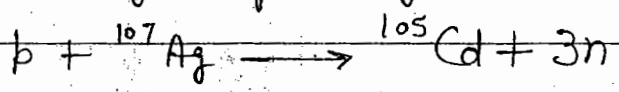
$$\sigma(x, y) = \frac{I_y}{I_x N}$$

$$\Rightarrow I_y = \sigma \times I_x \times N$$

$$I_y = 0.6 \times 10^{-24} \times 1.875 \times 10^{13} \times 0.84925 \times 10^{19}$$

$$I_y = 0.95541 \times 10^8 = 9.55 \times 10^7 / \text{sec}$$

Ques:- A beam of 20  $\mu\text{A}$  of protons is incident on  $2\text{cm}^2$  of a target of  $^{107}\text{Ag}$  of thickness  $4.5\ \mu\text{m}$ .



Producing this  $\alpha$ . Neutrons are observed at a rate of  $8.5 \times 10^6 / \text{sec}$ . What is the cross section for this  $\alpha$  at this proton energy. given that density of silver is  $10.5\ \text{gm/cm}^3$ .

$\sigma = ?$

$\rho = 10.5\ \text{gm/cm}^3$

Current =  $20\ \mu\text{A} = 20 \times 10^{-6}\ \text{C/sec}$

Charge on 1 p =  $1.6 \times 10^{-19}\ \text{C}$

No. of p being incident per sec =  $\frac{20 \times 10^{-6}}{1.6 \times 10^{-19}}$

$I_x = 12.5 \times 10^{13} / \text{sec}$

No. Rate at which neutrons are produced

$I_y = \frac{1}{3} \times 8.5 \times 10^6$

$I_y = 2.833 \times 10^6 / \text{sec}$

$107\ \text{gm of Ag} = 6.023 \times 10^{23}$

$10.5\ \text{'' ''} = \frac{6.02 \times 10^{23}}{107} \times 10.5$

$1\text{cm}^3 = \text{''}$

$1\text{cm}^2 \times 1\text{cm} = \text{''}$

$2\text{cm}^2 \times 4.5 \times 10^{-4} = \frac{2 \times 6.02 \times 10.5 \times 4.5 \times 10^{23} \times 10^{-4}}{107}$

$= \frac{568.89}{107} \times 10^{19}$

$N = 5.31673 \times 10^{19} / \text{cm}^3$

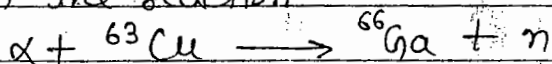




$$\begin{aligned}\sigma(x, y) &= \frac{I_y}{I_x N} \\ &= \frac{2.833 \times 10^6}{12.5 \times 10^{13} \times 5.31673 \times 10^{19}} \\ &= \frac{2.833}{66.45913} \times 10^{-26} \\ &= 0.04263 \times 10^{-26}\end{aligned}$$

$$\sigma = 8.562 \text{ barn}$$

Que - A beam of  $\alpha$ -particles is incident on a target of  $^{63}\text{Cu}$  resulting in the reaction



$$\rho = 8.94 \text{ gm/cm}^3$$

Assume the cross-section for the particular  $\alpha$ -energy to be 1.25 barn. The target is in the form of a foil 2.5  $\mu\text{m}$  thick. The beam has a circular cross-section of diameter 0.50 cm. And a current of 7.5  $\mu\text{A}$ . Find the rate of neutron emission.

$$\text{Current} = 7.5 \mu\text{A} = 7.5 \times 10^{-6} \text{ C/sec.}$$

$$\text{charge of } {}^4_2\text{He} = 2 \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$$

$$\text{No. of } \alpha\text{-particle incident per sec} = \frac{7.5 \times 10^{-6}}{2 \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19}}$$

$$I_x = 2.34375 \times 10^{13} / \text{sec}$$

$$\sigma = 1.25 \text{ barn} = 1.25 \times 10^{-24} \text{ cm}^2$$

$$63 \text{ gm of Cu} = 6.02 \times 10^{23}$$

$$8.94 \text{ gm} \quad " \quad = \frac{6.02 \times 10^{23} \times 8.94}{63}$$

$$1 \text{ cm}^3$$

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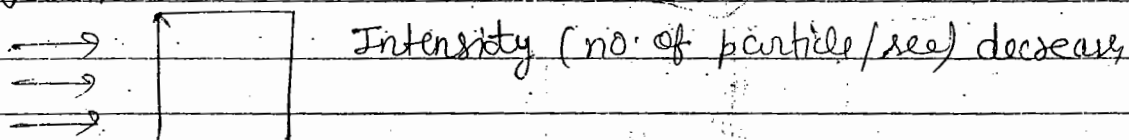
$$1 \text{ cm}^2 \times 1 \text{ cm} \text{ gm of Cu} = \frac{6.02 \times 8.94 \times 10^{23}}{63}$$



Ques A beam of neutrons of intensity  $I$  is incident on a thin slab of thickness  $dx$ , area  $A$ , density  $\rho$ , atomic wt  $M$ . The neutron absorption cross-section is  $\sigma$ .

(a) What is the loss in the intensity  $dI$  of this beam in passing through the material.

(b) A beam of original intensity  $I_0$  passes through a thickness  $x$  of the material. Show that the intensity of the emerging beam is  $I = I_0 e^{-n\sigma x}$  where  $n$  is the no. of target nuclei per unit volume.



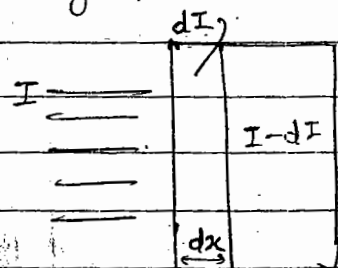
Probability of occurrence of a nuclear reaction is

$$\text{Probability} = \frac{\text{Interacting particles per second}}{\text{Incident particle per second}} = \frac{\text{Aggregate C.S.}}{\text{Target area}}$$

If  $I$  be the incident particle per second &  $dI$  be the loss in intensity i.e. interacting particle per second. So

$$\text{Probability} = \frac{dI}{I}$$

$\sigma \equiv$  effective area of one nucleus



Aggregate Cross sectional area =  $\sigma \times$  no. of nuclei present in the target

$$= \sigma \times n A dx$$

$$\text{Prob.} = \frac{dI}{I} = \frac{\sigma n A dx}{A}$$

$n \rightarrow$  no. of target nuclei per unit volume.

$$dI = n I \sigma dx$$

$$\frac{dI}{I} = -n\sigma dx$$

Because, there is the intensity of incident beam gradually decreasing (ie. loss in no. of incident particles) so -ve sign occur.

On integrating,

$$\int_{I_0}^I \frac{dI}{I} = \int_{x=0}^x -n\sigma dx$$

$$\ln I \Big|_{I_0}^I = -n\sigma x$$

$$\ln \frac{I}{I_0} = -n\sigma x$$

Taking, Antilog,  $\frac{I}{I_0} = e^{-n\sigma x}$

This is the intensity of particles left without reacting  $\Rightarrow$

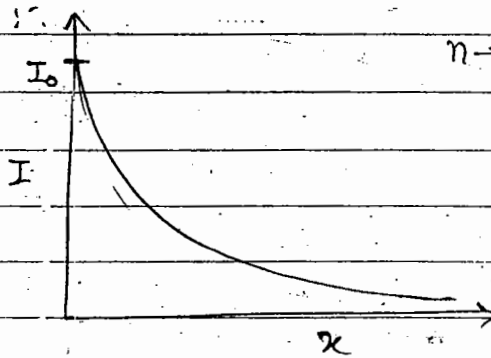
$$I = I_0 e^{-n\sigma x}$$

$I_0 \rightarrow$  no. of particles incident per sec.

$x \rightarrow$  thickness of material

$n \rightarrow$  no. of target nuclei per unit volume.

Plot of I v/s x :-



Prob :- The cross-sectional area of  $^{113}\text{Cd}$  for capturing thermal neutrons is  $2 \times 10^4$  barn. The mean atomic mass of natural cadmium is 112 u, and its density is  $8.64 \text{ gm/cm}^3$ .

- (a) What fraction of an incident beam of thermal neutrons is absorbed by a cadmium sheet of 0.1 mm thick.
- (b) What thickness of cadmium sheet is needed to absorb 99% of an incident beam of thermal neutrons.

$$\sigma = 2 \times 10^4 \text{ barn}$$

$$I = I_0 e^{-n\sigma x}$$

If  $I_0$  be the no. of particle incident, &  $I$  be the no. of particles left without reaching then no. of particles absorb =  $I_0 - I$

fraction of particle which are being absorbed =

$$\frac{I_0 - I}{I_0} = \frac{I_0 - I_0 e^{-n\sigma x}}{I_0}$$

Natural Cadmium is mixture of  $^{112}\text{Cd}$  &  $^{113}\text{Cd}$ . only  $^{113}\text{Cd}$  absorb  $n$ .  
 $^{113}\text{Cd}$  constitutes 12% of the natural Cadmium.

Average atomic mass = 112 u  
Average density = 8.64 gm/cc

112 gm of natural Cd	process	=	$6.023 \times 10^{23}$ Nuclei
1	"	=	$\frac{6.023 \times 10^{23}}{112}$
8.64 gm	"	=	$\frac{6.02 \times 10^{23}}{112} \times 8.64$
1 cm <sup>3</sup>	"	=	"

if we need  $N$  then we write  $1 \text{ cm}^3 = \text{area} \times \text{thickness}$   
but for  $n$ , we need volume

$$n = 12 \% \text{ of } \frac{6.02 \times 10^{23} \times 8.64}{112}$$

$$= 12 \% \text{ of } \frac{52.0128 \times 10^{23}}{112}$$

$$= 12 \% \text{ of } 0.4644 \times 10^{23} = \frac{12 \times 0.4644 \times 10^{23}}{100}$$

$$= \frac{5.5728 \times 10^{23}}{100} = 5.5728 \times 10^{21}$$

(a) fraction =  $1 - e^{-n\sigma x} = 1 - e^{-(5.5728 \times 10^{21} \times 2 \times 10^4 \times 10^{-24} \times 0.1 \times 10^{-1})}$



(b)

$$I = 1\% \text{ of } I_0$$

$$I = I_0 e^{-n\sigma x}$$

$$0.01 I_0 = I_0 e^{-n\sigma x}$$

$$\frac{1}{100} = \frac{1}{e^{n\sigma x}} \Rightarrow e^{n\sigma x} = 10^2$$

$$n\sigma x = 2 \ln 10$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{2 \ln 10}{n\sigma}$$

$$= \frac{2 \times 2.30259}{2 \times 10^4 \times 10^{-24} \times n}$$

$$x = 0.41 \text{ mm } \underline{\text{Au}}$$

### Mean free path :-

$$\text{Since } I = I_0 e^{-n\sigma x}$$

$e^{-n\sigma x} dx$  represents the probability that a particle interact in the interval  $dx$  at the distance  $x$  so if we define the mean free path  $\lambda$  ~~within bracket~~ (average distance) a particle can travel in a material medium before interacting) i.e.

$$\lambda = \frac{\int_0^{\infty} x e^{-n\sigma x} dx}{\int_0^{\infty} e^{-n\sigma x} dx}$$

Sum of distance travel  
by the particle  $\times$   
Prob.  
Total Prob.

$$\lambda = \frac{\left[ x e^{-n\sigma x} / (-n\sigma) \right]_0^{\infty} - \int_0^{\infty} e^{-n\sigma x} dx}{\left[ \frac{e^{-n\sigma x}}{-n\sigma} \right]_0^{\infty}}$$

$$= \frac{\left[ x \frac{e^{-n\sigma x}}{-n\sigma} \right]_0^{\infty} - \left[ \frac{e^{-n\sigma x}}{-n\sigma} \right]_0^{\infty}}{\left[ \frac{e^{-n\sigma x}}{-n\sigma} \right]_0^{\infty}}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{1}{n\sigma}$$

Ques:- A slab of absorber is 1 mean free path thick for a beam of certain incident particles. What % of particles will emerge from the slab.

$$\lambda = 1$$

$$x = \lambda = \frac{1}{\sigma n} = 1$$

$$I = I_0 e^{-n\sigma x}$$

$$= I_0 e^{-n\sigma x \frac{1}{n\sigma}}$$

$$I = \frac{I_0}{e} \Rightarrow \frac{I}{I_0} = \frac{1}{e} = \frac{1}{2.71}$$

$$\frac{I}{I_0} = 37\% \quad \underline{\underline{A_1}}$$

% of particles which are undergoing the reaction

$$= 63\%$$

Ques:- A relativistic particle of mass  $m_0$  is moving with speed  $v$ . The value of  $v$  at which its K.E. is equal to rest mass energy.

K.E. = rest mass energy

$$E - m_0 c^2 = m_0 c^2$$

$$E = 2m_0 c^2$$

$$\frac{m_0 c^2}{\sqrt{1 - v^2/c^2}} = 2m_0 c^2$$

$$1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2} = \frac{1}{4} \Rightarrow \frac{v^2}{c^2} = 1 - \frac{1}{4} = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$v = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} c$$

## Radioactivity

The phenomenon of spontaneous transformation of a nucleus is known as radioactivity.

- The first nuclear phenomenon discovered
- Henry Becquerel 1896.

These are of 5 kinds :-

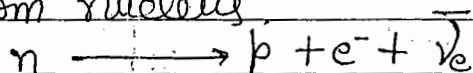
1)  $\alpha$ -decay

2)  $\beta$ -decay  $\begin{cases} \rightarrow e^- \text{ decay} \\ \rightarrow e^+ \text{ decay} \\ \rightarrow e^- \text{ capture} \end{cases}$

3)  $\gamma$ -decay

Due to the conversion of p into n or n into p, electrons are created inside the nucleus in decay sec<sup>n</sup>.

At the time of decay within no time  $e^-$  liberated from nucleus.



Which n is going to decay - Nobody can say  
It is purely statistical phenomenon.





\*  $\alpha$ -decay  $\rightarrow$  To reduce size of nucleus  $\alpha$ -particles liberates from nucleus.

i.e.  $\alpha$ -decay takes place bcoz of Heavy size of nucleus.

\*  $\beta$ -decay  $\rightarrow$  In nucleus  $n$  &  $p$  both exit. B/w  $n$ - $p$  attraction & b/w  $n$ - $n$  &  $p$ - $p$  there will be repulsion.

If No. of  $p$   $\uparrow$  then ~~rep~~ columb force will occur

if No. of  $n$   $\uparrow$  then attractive force  $\uparrow$  & repulsive forces  $\downarrow$ .

$e^-$  decay  $\rightarrow$  occur bcoz of large no. of  $n$

$e^+$  decay  $\rightarrow$  " " " "  $p$

$e^-$  capture  $\rightarrow$  " " " "  $p$

$\gamma$ -decay  $\rightarrow$  Whenever an  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$  or positron particle emits from an nucleus then remaining nucleus is in excited state.

$\gamma$ -decay is always accompanied by  $\alpha$  &  $\beta$  decay

As atomic no.  $\uparrow$ ,

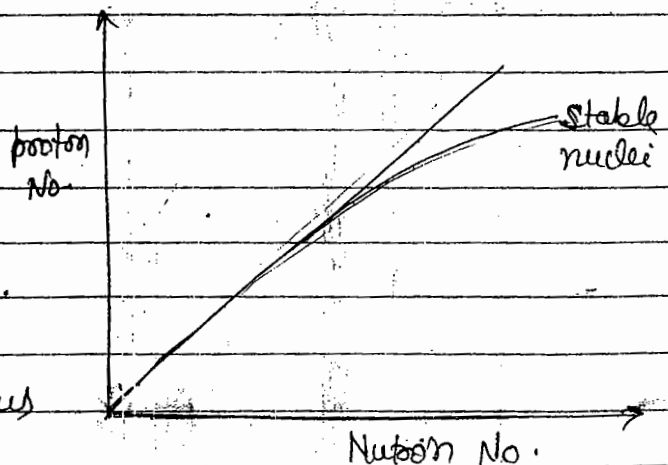
no. of  $n$   $\uparrow$

& no. of  $p$   $\downarrow$

i.e.

Large Columbian Repulsion b/w  $n$  &  $p$ .

The straight line shows  
no. of  $n =$  no. of  $p$



William Crook's exp.:- In natural uranium, he observed that there are 2 kind of uranium - One part of Uranium participate in radioactivity & other not so he separate them.

U → Not show radioactivity  
Ux → Show radioactivity

} after some time U show radioactivity & radioactivity of Ux ↓

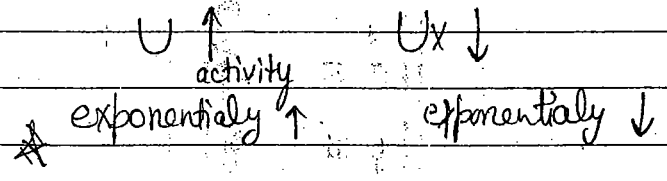
He showed that the <sup>growth</sup> decay of the activity of U & Ux,

Activity of unknown U,  $A_x = A_0 \exp(-\lambda t)$

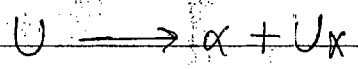
↓  
decay continuously

$A_U = A_0 \{1 - \exp(-\lambda t)\}$

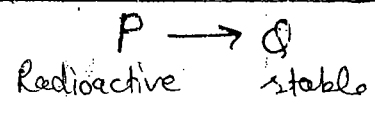
Crook observed that there was some unknown substance present in the uranium salt which when chemically precipitated carried away entire radioactivity of the uranium salt. Uranium salt left after the chemical separation lost its radioactivity. He then left the inactive uranium and the active precipitate as it is for few weeks And then found that the uranium salt has regained its radioactivity.



U emits α-particle & becomes radioactive



Consider the radioactive disintegration,



No. of atoms of P will be decreasing with time & " " " Q " increasing " " .

Let at any instant  $t$ ,  $N$  be the no. of atoms of P then rate of decay of  $N$  is directly proportional to No. of atoms.

$$\frac{dN}{dt} \propto N$$

$$\frac{dN}{dt} = -\lambda N$$

$\lambda \rightarrow$  decay constant / or disintegration constant  
 $\frac{dN}{dt} \rightarrow$  Activity ( $-\lambda N$ ) or prob. of decay in 1 sec.

$$\int_{N_0}^N \frac{dN}{N} = -\int_{t=0}^t \lambda dt$$

$$\ln[N]_{N_0}^{N_t} = -\lambda [t]$$

$$\ln \frac{N}{N_0} = -\lambda t$$

$$\frac{N}{N_0} = e^{-\lambda t}$$

$$N = N_0 e^{-\lambda t}$$

Activity  $A$  depends upon the no. of nuclei of the parent and the probability  $\lambda$  (prob. of decay for a particular nuclei). So activity

$$A = \lambda N$$

$$A = \lambda N_0 e^{-\lambda t}$$

$$(\lambda N_0 = A_0)$$

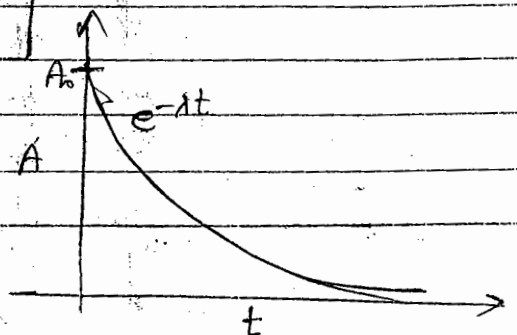
$$A = A_0 e^{-\lambda t}$$

$$\log A = \log A_0 - \lambda t$$

variable      const      c. v.

$$y = mx + c$$

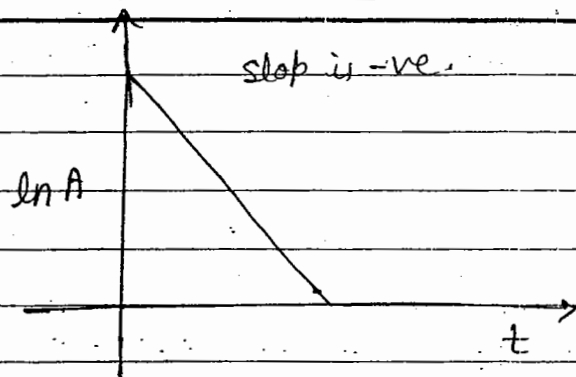
straight line



$$C = \ln A_0$$

$$\text{slope} = \lambda$$

Suppose the no. of radioactive atoms is reduced to half of its initial value in time  $t = t_{1/2}$



This is called half life.

$$A \rightarrow \frac{A_0}{2} \text{ or } N \rightarrow \frac{N_0}{2} \text{ at } t = t_{1/2}$$

$$N = N_0 e^{-\lambda t}$$

$$\frac{N_0}{2} = N_0 e^{-\lambda t_{1/2}}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} = e^{-\lambda t_{1/2}}$$

$$e^{\lambda t_{1/2}} = 2$$

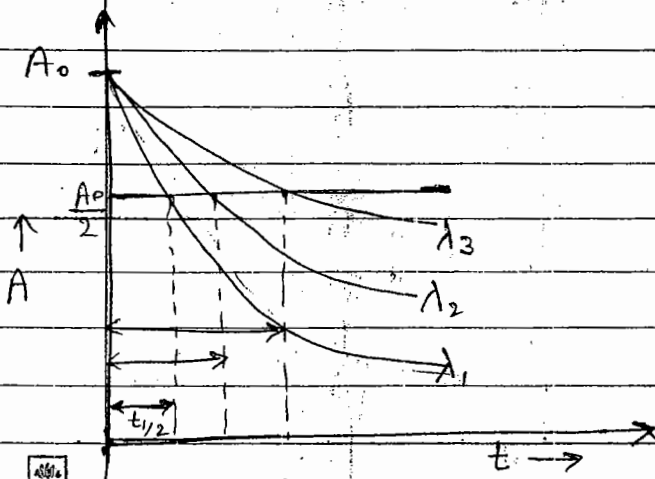
$$\lambda t_{1/2} = \ln 2$$

$$t_{1/2} = \frac{\ln 2}{\lambda} = \frac{0.693}{\lambda}$$

The half life & decay constant are inversely proportional.

Half Life  $\propto \frac{1}{\text{Decay Const.}}$

$$\lambda_1 > \lambda_2 > \lambda_3$$



In one  $t_{1/2}$ ,  $N$  becomes  $= \frac{N_0}{2}$

two  $t_{1/2}$ ,  $= \frac{1}{2} \frac{N_0}{2} = \frac{N_0}{4} = \frac{N_0}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 N_0$

three  $t_{1/2}$ ,  $= \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^3 N_0$

In  $n$   $t_{1/2}$ ,  $= \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n N_0$

$$N = N_0 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n$$

$$N = N_0 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n$$

~~for~~

$n \rightarrow$  no. of half lives

$N \rightarrow$  No. of atoms left

$$n \times t_{1/2} = T$$

$$T = t_{1/2}$$

$$n \times t_{1/2} = T$$

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The average life time of a radioactive substance

$$\tau = \frac{1}{\lambda} = \frac{1}{0.693 t_{1/2}}$$

$$\tau = 1.44 \times t_{1/2}$$

So  $A = A_0 e^{-\lambda t}$

$$A_0 = A_0 e^{-\lambda T}$$

$$A = A_0 e^{-\lambda \times \frac{1}{\lambda}} = A_0 e^{-1}$$

$$\frac{A}{A_0} = \frac{1}{e} = 0.37$$

The average life time of a radioactive substance is defined as during the time during which

the radioactivity of the substance remains 37% of its initial value.

The basic unit for measuring radioactivity is  
Unit of activity :-

$$1 \text{ Bq} = 1 \text{ Becquerel} = 1 \text{ disintegration/sec}$$

Another unit is Curie.

$$1 \text{ Ci} = 3.7 \times 10^{10} \frac{\text{disintegration}}{\text{sec}}$$

$$1 \text{ Ci} = 3.7 \times 10^{10} \text{ Bq}$$

Ques :- The half life of  $^{198}\text{Au}$  is 2.7 days.

(a) What is the decay constant of Au

(b) What is the prob. that  $^{198}\text{Au}$  nuclei will decay in 1 sec.

(c) Suppose we had 1  $\mu\text{gm}$  sample of  $^{198}\text{Au}$ . What is the activity.

(d) How many decays per sec occur when sample is 1 week old.

$$(a) \quad t_{1/2} = \frac{\ln 2}{\lambda} = \frac{0.693}{\lambda}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{0.693}{t_{1/2}} = \frac{0.693}{233680}$$

$$\lambda = 2.97 \times 10^{-6} / \text{sec}$$

$$\begin{aligned} t_{1/2} &= 2.7 \text{ days} \\ &= 2.7 \times 24 \times 60 \times 60 \\ &= 233280 \text{ sec} \end{aligned}$$

(b)  $\lambda =$  Prob. to decay in 1 sec.

$$\text{So} \quad = 2.97 \times 10^{-6} / \text{sec}.$$

(c) Activity;  $A = \lambda N_0$

$$A = 2.97 \times 10^{-6} \times \lambda \times 10^{-6} \text{ gm}$$

To calculate  $N_0$ :

$$198 \text{ gm Au. passes} = 6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ Nuclei}$$

$$1 \text{ " " " " } = \frac{6.02 \times 10^{23}}{198}$$

$$1 \times 10^{-6} \text{ gm " " } = \frac{6.02 \times 10^{23} \times 10^{-6}}{198}$$

$$N_0 = \frac{6.02 \times 10^{17}}{198}$$

$$A = \lambda N_0$$

$$= 2.97 \times 10^{-6} \times \frac{6.02 \times 10^{17}}{198}$$

$$= 0.090344 \times 10^{11}$$

$$A = 9.03 \times 10^9 \text{ decay/sec (or Bq)}$$

$$= \frac{9.03 \times 10^9}{3.7 \times 10^{10}}$$

$$(1 \text{ Ci} = 3.7 \times 10^{10} \text{ Bq})$$

$$= 2.44 \times 10^{-1}$$

$$A = 0.244 \text{ Ci}$$

(d)  $N = N_0 e^{-\lambda t}$

After 1 week, what will be the activity = ?

$$A = A_0 e^{-\lambda t}$$

$$= A_0 e^{-\frac{0.693}{2.7 \text{ d}} \times 7 \text{ d}}$$

$A_0 =$  initial activity

$A =$  activity after certain time

$$= 9.03 \times 10^9 \times e^{-1.788}$$

$$= 1.5 \times 10^9 \text{ disintegration/sec}$$

$$= 1.5 \times 10^9 \text{ Bq}$$

Ques Find the prob that a particular nucleus of  $^{38}\text{Cl}$  will decay in 1 sec period.  $t_{1/2}$  of  $^{38}\text{Cl}$  is 37.2 min

$$t_{1/2} = 37.2 \text{ min} \\ = 37.2 \times 60 = 2232 \text{ sec}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{0.6932}{t_{1/2}} = \frac{0.6932}{2232} \\ = 0.00031048$$

$$\lambda = 3.1 \times 10^{-4} / \text{sec}$$

Ques - Half life of a radioactive isotope is  $4.8 \times 10^8$  years. If there were  $10^3$  radioactive nuclei in the sample today. the no. of such nuclei in the sample  $4 \times 10^9$  years back (ago).

(a)  $128 \times 10^3$

(b)  $256 \times 10^3$

(c)  $512 \times 10^3$

(d)  $1024 \times 10^3$

$$t_{1/2} = 4.8 \times 10^8 \text{ years}$$

$$N = 10^3$$

~~$$\lambda = \frac{0.6932}{t_{1/2}}$$~~

$$n \times t_{1/2} = T$$

$$n \times 4 \times 10^8 = 4 \times 10^9$$

~~$$N = N_0 e^{-\lambda t}$$~~

$$\Rightarrow n = 10$$

$$N = N_0 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n$$

$$10^3 = N_0 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{10} \Rightarrow 10^3 = N_0 \times \frac{1}{1024}$$

$$N_0 = 1024 \times 10^3 \quad (d) \checkmark$$

Another method,  $N = N_0 e^{-\lambda t}$

$$10^3 = N_0 e^{-\frac{0.693}{4 \times 10^8} \times 4 \times 10^9}$$

$$N_0 = 1024 \times 10^3$$



Ques :- Half life of  $^{235}\text{U}$  is  $7.04 \times 10^8$  years. A sample of rock which solidified with the earth  $4.55 \times 10^9$  years ago contain  $N$  atoms of  $^{235}\text{U}$ . How many uranium 235 atoms did the same rock had at the time it solidified.

$$t_{1/2} = 7.04 \times 10^8 \text{ y}$$

$$T = 4.55 \times 10^9 \text{ y}$$

$$N = N_0$$

$$n \times t_{1/2} = T$$

$$n \times 7.04 \times 10^8 = 4.55 \times 10^9$$

$$n = \frac{4.55 \times 10^9}{7.04 \times 10^8} \Rightarrow n = 6.46$$

$$N = N_0 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n \Rightarrow N_0 = 2^n N$$

$$N_0 = 2^{6.46} N$$

$$N_0 = 88.03 N \quad \underline{\underline{Ans}}$$

Ques :- If the decay constant of the radioactive sample is  $\lambda$  per min. then the fraction that decays in 5th min will be ?

- (a)  $e^{-4\lambda}$       (b)  $e^{-5\lambda}$       (c)  $e^{-4\lambda} - e^{-5\lambda}$   
(d)  $e^{-4\lambda} + e^{-5\lambda}$

No. of nuclei remain after 4 min  $N_4 = N_0 e^{-4\lambda}$

" " " "  $N_5 = N_0 e^{-5\lambda}$

No. of nuclei decayed in 5th min. =  $N_4 - N_5$

$$\text{Number} = N_0 e^{-4\lambda} - N_0 e^{-5\lambda}$$

$$\frac{\text{Number}}{N_0} = e^{-4\lambda} - e^{-5\lambda}$$

Ques:- A certain sample of radioactive material decays at the rate of 548/sec at  $t=0$ . At  $t=48$  min. the counting rate has fallen to 213/sec.

- (a) What is the half life of the sample.  
 (b) What is the decay constant.  
 (c) What will be the decay rate at  $t=125$  min.

(b)  $A = A_0 e^{-\lambda t}$  decay rate = activity

at  $t=0$ ,  $A = 548/\text{sec}$

$548 = A_0 \times 1 \Rightarrow A_0 = 548 \text{ decay/sec.}$

at  $t=48$  min,  $A = 213/\text{sec.}$

$A = A_0 e^{-\lambda t}$

$213 = 548 \times e^{-\lambda \times 48 \times 60}$

$\frac{213}{548} = e^{-2880\lambda}$

$0.388 = e^{-2880\lambda} \Rightarrow -2880\lambda = \ln(0.388)$

$-2880\lambda = -0.96$

$\lambda = 3.28 \times 10^{-4} / \text{sec.}$

(a)  $t_{1/2} = \frac{0.693}{\lambda} = \frac{0.693}{3.28 \times 10^{-4}} = 3.52 \times 10^{-3} \times 10^4 \text{ min}$

$t_{1/2} = 35 \text{ min.}$

(c)

$A = 46.7992$

Ques : How long does it take for 60% of a sample of radon to decay. Given that half life is 3.82 days.

$$t = ?$$

$$t_{1/2} = 3.82 \text{ days} = 3.82 \times 24 \times 60 \times 60$$

$$\lambda = \frac{0.693}{t_{1/2}} = \frac{0.693}{3.82 \times 24 \times 3600} = 2.099 \times 10^{-6}$$

$$N = N_0 e^{-\lambda t}$$

$N \rightarrow$  no. of atoms left.

If 60% decays then 40% atoms left.

$$\text{So } N = 40\% N_0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{N_0 \times 40}{100} = N_0 e^{-\lambda t}$$

$$e^{\lambda t} = \frac{100}{40} = \frac{10}{4}$$

$$\lambda t = \ln\left(\frac{10}{4}\right) = \ln 10 - \ln 4$$

$$t = \frac{1}{\lambda} (\ln 10 - \ln 4)$$

$$t = \frac{t_{1/2}}{0.693} (\ln 10 - \ln 4)$$

$$t = 4.3 \times 10^5 \text{ sec}$$

$$t = 5.05 \text{ days} \underline{\underline{A}}$$

Ques

The activity of a radioactive substance is defined as  $\lambda N$  where  $\lambda$  is the decay const. &  $N$  be the no. of atoms. In an experiment the activity of a sample of  $^{55}_{24}\text{Cr}$  was found to change as

(min) After	0	5	10	15	20
$\lambda N$ (in mCi)	19.2	7.13	2.65	0.99	0.37

The half life of Cr is



- (a) 5.08 min (b) 3.52 min (c) 3.57 min (d) 5.16 min

$$A = \lambda N$$

$$A = A_0 e^{-\lambda t}$$

$$\ln A = \ln A_0 - \lambda t$$

$$\lambda t = \ln A_0 - \ln A$$

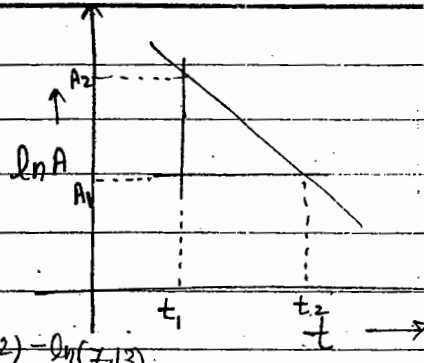
$$\lambda = \frac{\ln A_0 - \ln A}{t}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{\ln A_1 - \ln A_2}{t_2 - t_1}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{\ln(7.13) - \ln(2.65)}{10 - 5} = \frac{1.9643 - 0.9745}{5}$$

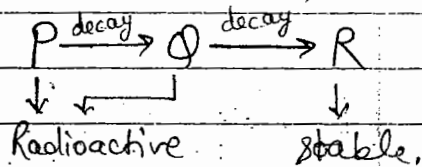
$$\lambda = \frac{0.9898}{5} = 0.19795$$

$$t_{1/2} = \frac{0.6932}{0.19795} = 3.52 \text{ min}$$



### Chain Radioactivity :-

The process of decay continues upto stable atom - chain R.



Let decay constant & half life of P & Q are  $\lambda_1, t_{1/2}^1$  and  $\lambda_2, t_{1/2}^2$  respectively.

The rate with which P is being decayed is the rate with which Q form.

i.e. No. of Q form per sec = No. of P decay per sec.

Let at any instant of time t,

$N_1$  = Number of particles of P

then the rate at which P decay  $\Rightarrow$

$$\frac{dN_1}{dt} = -\lambda_1 N_1 \quad (1)$$

This is linear differential eq<sup>n</sup>, on solving this, we get sol<sup>n</sup> of (1);  $N_1 = N_{10} e^{-\lambda_1 t}$  (2)

Rate with which  $Q$  is being formed  $\Rightarrow +\lambda_1 N_1$

Since  $Q$  is also radioactive. So let at the same instant of time  $t$ ,  $N_2$  be the no. of atoms of  $Q$  then Rate of change of  $Q$  = rate of formation of  $R$ .

$$\frac{dN_2}{dt} = \lambda_1 N_1 - \lambda_2 N_2 \quad (3)$$

Let the sol<sup>n</sup> of this eq<sup>n</sup>

$$N_2(t) = f(t) e^{-\lambda_2 t} \quad (4)$$

On differentiating,  $\frac{dN_2}{dt} = \frac{df}{dt} e^{-\lambda_2 t} - \lambda_2 f(t) e^{-\lambda_2 t}$

Substituting in eq<sup>n</sup> no. (3),

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{df}{dt} e^{-\lambda_2 t} - \lambda_2 f(t) e^{-\lambda_2 t} &= \lambda_1 N_1 - \lambda_2 N_2 \\ &= \lambda_1 N_1 - \lambda_2 f(t) e^{-\lambda_2 t} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{df}{dt} = \lambda_1 N_{10} e^{-\lambda_1 t} e^{+\lambda_2 t} \quad (\text{putting the value of } N_1)$$

$$\int df = \int \lambda_1 N_{10} e^{-(\lambda_1 - \lambda_2)t} dt$$

$$f(t) = \frac{\lambda_1 N_{10} e^{-(\lambda_1 - \lambda_2)t}}{\lambda_2 - \lambda_1} + C$$

At time  $t=0$ ,  $N_2=0$

i.e. at  $t=0$ ,  $Q$  is not start to decay. So there is no atom of  $Q$ . Only atoms of  $P$  are there.

$$N_2=0 \Rightarrow f(t)=0$$

$$\Rightarrow C = \frac{\lambda_1 N_{10}}{\lambda_1 - \lambda_2}$$

$$\therefore f(t) = \frac{\lambda_1 N_{10} e^{(\lambda_2 - \lambda_1)t}}{\lambda_2 - \lambda_1} + \frac{\lambda_1 N_{10}}{\lambda_1 - \lambda_2}$$

$$f(t) = \frac{\lambda_1 N_{10} e^{(\lambda_2 - \lambda_1)t}}{\lambda_2 - \lambda_1} - \frac{\lambda_1 N_{10}}{\lambda_2 - \lambda_1}$$

$$f(t) = \frac{\lambda_1 N_{10}}{\lambda_1 - \lambda_2} \left[ 1 - e^{(\lambda_2 - \lambda_1)t} \right]$$

Substitute the value of  $f(t)$  in eqn (4),

$$N_2(t) = f(t) e^{-\lambda_2 t}$$

$$N_2(t) = \frac{\lambda_1 N_{10}}{\lambda_1 - \lambda_2} \left[ 1 - e^{(\lambda_2 - \lambda_1)t} \right] e^{-\lambda_2 t}$$

$$N_2(t) = \frac{\lambda_1 N_{10}}{\lambda_1 - \lambda_2} \left[ e^{-\lambda_2 t} - e^{-\lambda_1 t} \right]$$

$N_2(t) \rightarrow$  no. of nuclei varies with time

depend on half life of its own and also on <sup>decay const</sup> half life of radioactive atoms (parent & daughter)

If  $e^{-\lambda_2 t}$  dominates then  $N_2(t) \uparrow$  with time

If  $e^{-\lambda_1 t}$  " " " "  $N_2(t) \downarrow$  " "

But generally first it increase & then decay.

The time  $t_m$  at which  $N_2$  is maximum,

$$\frac{dN_2(t)}{dt} = 0$$

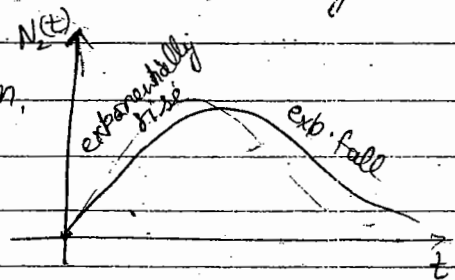
$$\Rightarrow \frac{\lambda_1 N_{10}}{\lambda_1 - \lambda_2} \left[ -\lambda_2 e^{-\lambda_2 t} + \lambda_1 e^{-\lambda_1 t} \right] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda_2 e^{-\lambda_2 t_m} = \lambda_1 e^{-\lambda_1 t_m}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\lambda_2}{\lambda_1} = e^{-\lambda_1 t_m + \lambda_2 t_m} = e^{(\lambda_2 - \lambda_1) t_m}$$

$$\Rightarrow (\lambda_2 - \lambda_1) t_m = \ln \left( \frac{\lambda_2}{\lambda_1} \right) \text{ or } (\lambda_1 - \lambda_2) t_m = \ln \left( \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow t_m = \frac{1}{\lambda_1 - \lambda_2} \ln \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_2}$$



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Prob. Consider the reaction  $P \rightarrow Q \rightarrow R$ . If the half life of P is  $t_{1/2} = 10$  Hr. & half life of Q,  $t_{1/2} = 1.3$  Hr. After what time Q will be maximum.

$$P, t_{1/2} = 10 \text{ Hr} \quad Q, t_{1/2} = 1.3 \text{ Hr}$$

$$\lambda_1 = \frac{0.693}{t_{1/2}} = \frac{0.693}{10}$$

$$= 0.06930$$

$$\lambda_2 = \frac{0.693}{1.3}$$

$$= 0.5330$$

$$t_m = \frac{1}{\lambda_1 - \lambda_2} \ln \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{(0.06930 - 0.5330)} \ln \left[ \frac{0.06930}{0.5330} \right]$$

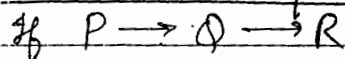
$$= \frac{1}{-0.46377692} \ln (0.13001876)$$

$$= \frac{1}{-0.46377692} \times -2.04007653$$

$$= 4.39883151$$

$$\approx 4.39 \text{ Hr} \quad \underline{\underline{\lambda_1}}$$

Radioactive Equilibrium :-



The ratio of no. of P & Q atoms is constant then it is called the cond<sup>n</sup> of radioactive equilibrium

Case 1:-  $\lambda_1 > \lambda_2$

$$\text{then } t_{1/2}^1 < t_{1/2}^2$$

half life of Parent < half life of daughter nuclei

Case 2:-  $\lambda_1 < \lambda_2$

$$t_{1/2}^1 > t_{1/2}^2$$

Transient Eq<sup>m</sup>.



Case-3:-  $\lambda_1 \ll \lambda_2$

$$t_{1/2}^{(1)} \gg t_{1/2}^{(2)}$$

Secular Eq<sup>m</sup>

In Transient Eq<sup>m</sup>,

No. of nuclei of parent  $\uparrow$  & no. of nuclei of daughter  $\downarrow$  but their ratio is constant.

But in Secular Eq<sup>m</sup>

They remain constant.

Transient Equilibrium :-

$$\lambda_1 < \lambda_2$$

$$t_{1/2}^{(1)} > t_{1/2}^{(2)}$$

After a long time compare to the half life of the product,

$$t \gg t_{1/2}^{(2)}$$

$t$  is much more larger than half life of the <sup>daughter</sup> atom.

$$\lambda_2 t \gg 1$$

$e^{-\lambda_2 t} \rightarrow 0$ , Maxi. value of  $\lambda_2$  will be  $\infty$ .

$$N_2(t) = \frac{\lambda_1 N_{10}}{\lambda_1 - \lambda_2} \left[ e^{-\lambda_2 t} - e^{-\lambda_1 t} \right]$$

approaching to 0

$$N_2(t) = \frac{\lambda_1 N_{10}}{-\lambda_1 + \lambda_2} e^{-\lambda_1 t}$$

&  $\lambda_2 > \lambda_1$  so  $-\lambda_1 + \lambda_2 = +ve$

$N_2(t) \rightarrow$  no. of nuclei left at any instant of time  $t$ .

$N_2(t)$  is decaying with the half life of parent

&  $N_1$  varies as  $N_1 = N_{10} e^{-\lambda_1 t}$

$N_1$  &  $N_2$  both varies with time but their



ratio is constant

$$\frac{N_2}{N_1} = \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_2 - \lambda_1}$$

This is called Transient eq<sup>m</sup>.

i.e. At different value of time,  $N_1$  &  $N_2$  will be different (varies with time) b

### Secular Equilibrium

$$\lambda_1 \ll \lambda_2$$

$$t_{1/2}^{(1)} \gg t_{1/2}^{(2)}$$

In this case the equilibrium establish b/w the no. of parent & daughter nuclei is called Secular eq<sup>m</sup>.

Since the half life of parent nuclei is very long so during the time  $t$  much more lesser

$$t \ll t_{1/2}^{(1)} \quad \text{than half life of parent.}$$

$$\lambda_1 t \ll 1$$

$$e^{-\lambda_1 t} \rightarrow 1, \quad \text{Min. value of } \lambda_1 \text{ is } 0.$$

$t$  is much more lesser than  $t_{1/2}$  of (1) (Parent)

" " " greater "  $t_{1/2}$  of (2) (Daughter)

$$\text{i.e. } t_{1/2}^{(2)} \ll t \ll t_{1/2}^{(1)}$$

So

$$N_2(t) = \frac{\lambda_1 N_{10}}{\lambda_1 - \lambda_2} [e^{-\lambda_2 t} - 1]$$

$$= \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_2 - \lambda_1} N_{10} (1 - e^{-\lambda_2 t})$$

But  $t \gg t_{1/2}^{(2)}$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda_2 t \gg 1 \Rightarrow e^{-\lambda_2 t} \rightarrow 0$$

So

$$N_2(t) = \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_2 - \lambda_1} N_{10}$$

for a good approx.  $N_2$  is independent on time.

$$\& N_1(t) = N_{10} e^{-\lambda_1 t}$$

$$N_1(t) = N_{10}$$

To a good approximation the no. of parent nuclei are constant.

No. of parent nuclei  $\rightarrow$  Constant

daughter "  $\rightarrow$  Constant

& their ratio

$$\boxed{\frac{N_2}{N_1} = \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_2 - \lambda_1}}$$

$$\text{or } \boxed{\frac{N_2}{N_1} = \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_2}}$$

$$\lambda_2 \gg \lambda_1$$

Such kind of eq<sup>m</sup> is called Secular Eq<sup>m</sup>.

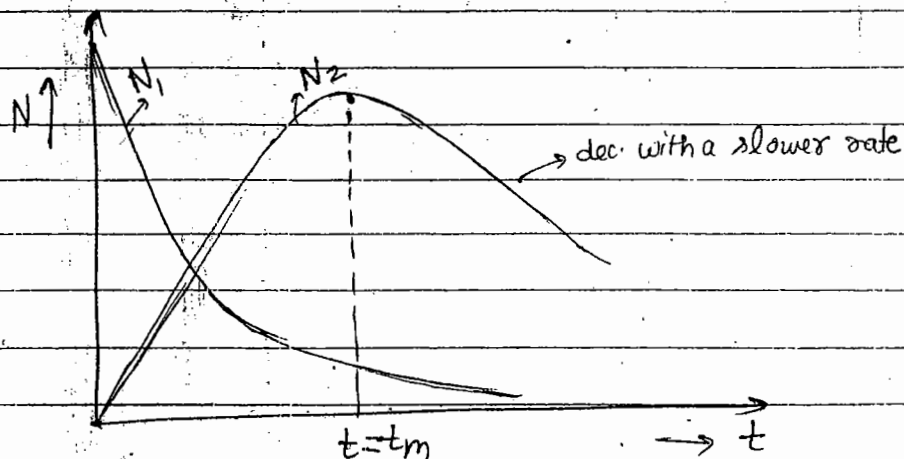
Note  $\rightarrow$  Only difference b/w Transient & Secular eq<sup>m</sup> is that

$\rightarrow$  In Transient eq<sup>m</sup>  $\rightarrow$   $N_1$  &  $N_2$  varies with time  
but ratio  $\rightarrow$  const.

$\rightarrow$  In Secular eq<sup>m</sup>  $\rightarrow$   $N_1$  &  $N_2$  both constant  
& ratio  $\rightarrow$  const.

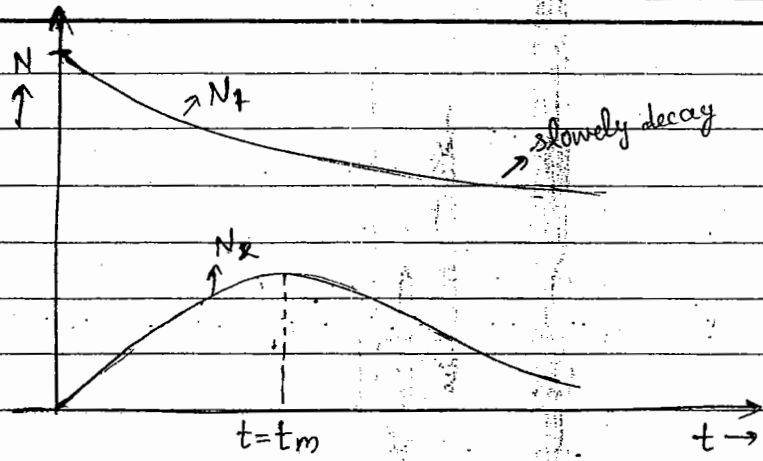
Prob 1:-  $^{231}\text{Pa}$  is in Secular equilibrium with same isotope  $^{235}\text{U}$  (0.7% of Uranium). The measurement of the ratio of the atoms of natural uranium to  $^{231}\text{Pa}$  gives a value  $2.89 \times 10^6$  years. Calculate the half life of uranium-235 assuming that the half of  $^{231}\text{Pa}$  is to be  $3.3 \times 10^4$  years.

$\lambda_1 > \lambda_2$   
 $t_{1/2}^1 < t_{1/2}^2$   
daughter will be longer live.



$\lambda_1 < \lambda_2$   
 $t_{1/2}^{(1)} > t_{1/2}^{(2)}$

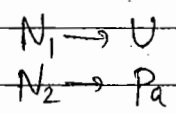
Parent will be longer live.



Sol<sup>n</sup>: for Secular eq<sup>m</sup>,  $\frac{N_1}{N_2} = \frac{\lambda_2}{\lambda_1} = \frac{(t_{1/2}^{(1)})}{t_{1/2}^{(2)}}$

$\rightarrow t_{1/2}^{(2)} = 3.3 \times 10^4 \text{ y}$

$\rightarrow \frac{N_1}{N_2} = 2.89 \times 10^6 \times \frac{0.7}{100}$



{  $^{235}\text{U}$  is 0.7% of natural U }

$\frac{N_1}{N_2} = 2.023 \times 10^4$

Now,  $\frac{N_1}{N_2} = \frac{t_{1/2}^{(1)}}{t_{1/2}^{(2)}}$

$(t_{1/2}^{(1)}) = \frac{N_1}{N_2} \times t_{1/2}^{(2)} = 2.023 \times 10^4 \times 3.3 \times 10^4$

$t_{1/2}^{(1)} = 6.6759 \times 10^8 \text{ years}$

Ans

Prob 1: A radioactive element has a half life of 25 hours.

(i) After what time will  $\frac{1}{8}$ th of initial no. of its atoms disintegrate.

(ii) After what time will  $\frac{1}{32}$ th of the initial no. remain unchanged.

(ii)  $t_{1/2} = 25 \text{ h}$ ,  $N = N_0 \left(\frac{1}{32}\right)$

$\lambda = \frac{0.693}{25}$   $\neq$   $N = N_0 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n$   
 $\frac{1}{32} N_0 = N_0 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n$  or  $\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^5$

$n = 5$



$$n t_{1/2} = T$$

$$5 \times 25 \text{ hrs} = T$$

$$T = 125 \text{ Hrs.}$$

(1)

$$\lambda = \frac{0.693}{t_{1/2}} = \frac{0.693}{25}$$

(4. Hrs, 49 min.)

$$\lambda = 0.02772$$

$$N = N_0 e^{-\lambda t}$$

$$\frac{7}{8} N_0 = \frac{1}{8} N_0 e^{-0.02772 t}$$

$$\log \frac{7}{8} = -0.02772 t$$

$$t = \frac{\log 817}{0.02772} = \frac{\log 8 - \log 7}{0.02772}$$

$$t = \frac{2.0794 - 1.9459}{0.02772}$$

$$= \frac{0.1335}{0.02772} = 4.81 \text{ Hrs.}$$

Radioactive Branching :- There are certain radioactive isotopes in which both  $\alpha$  &  $\beta$  transformations are observed with definite branching ratios. If a radioactive substance exhibit both  $\alpha$  &  $\beta$  activities then there are definite probabilities of decay in the two branches. Let  $\lambda_\alpha$  &  $\lambda_\beta$  be the decay constants of the two branches.

Then the probability that a nucleus will undergo  $\alpha$  decay in time  $dt = \lambda_\alpha dt$

The prob. " " " " " " " "  
 $\beta$  decay in time  $= \lambda_\beta dt$

Total prob. of decay  $\lambda dt = \lambda_\alpha dt + \lambda_\beta dt$

$$\lambda = \lambda_\alpha + \lambda_\beta$$

In terms of half life,

$$\frac{0.693}{t_{1/2}} = \frac{0.693}{t_{1/2}^\alpha} + \frac{0.693}{t_{1/2}^\beta}$$

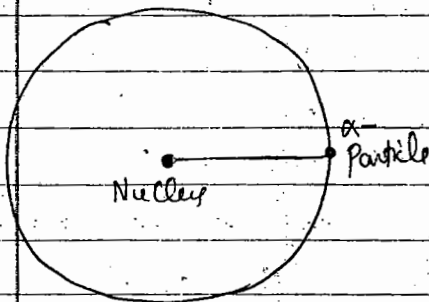
$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{t_{1/2}} = \frac{1}{t_{1/2}^\alpha} + \frac{1}{t_{1/2}^\beta}$$

$\alpha$ -Decay :-  $\alpha$ -decay is due to short range of nuclear forces.

The value of nuclear forces is limited to the smaller region (certain limit)

P-P repel to each other by columbian force  
Because of heavy size of  $\alpha$ -particle

$\alpha$ -particle emits with energy  $\rightarrow$  4-9 MeV



Nucleus &  $\alpha$ -particle are bound with strong attractive forces.

$$U \equiv \begin{matrix} 30 \text{ MeV} \\ 40 \text{ MeV} \end{matrix}$$

This energy is required to emit the  $\alpha$ -particle out of nucleus.

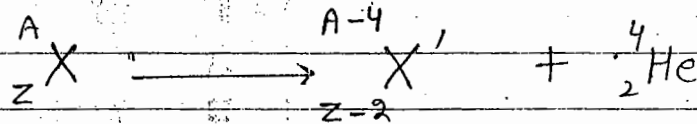
It have only 4 to 9 MeV energy. To tunnel the barrier & come out is difficult.

Acc. to classical mech.,  $\alpha$ -particle can not cross the barrier.

Acc. to Q.M., there is small prob. but definite prob. to cross the barrier.

Prob: Nuclei which contain 210 or more nucleon are so large that the short range nuclear force that hold them together are unable to counter balance a repulsion b/w the protons.

$\alpha$ -decay occurs in such nuclei as a means of increasing their stability by reducing their size.



Q value :-  $Q = M_n(X) - M_n(X') - M_n({}^4_2 \text{He})$

These are the nuclear masses.

$$\text{Atomic Mass} = \text{Nuclear Mass} + \text{Mass of } e^-$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Nuclear Mass} = \text{Atomic Mass} - \text{Mass of } e^-$$

$$M_n = M(X) - M_e$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So } Q &= M(X) - M_e - M(X') + M_e - M({}^4_2 \text{He}) - M_e \\ &= M(X) - M(Z) - M(X') + M(Z-2) - M({}^4_2 \text{He}) - 2M_e \end{aligned}$$

$$Q = M(X) - M(X') - M({}_2^4\text{He}) \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

In terms of K.E., from the conservation of K.E.,

$$Q = K_{X'} + K_{\alpha} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

From the conservation of momentum,

$$0 = \vec{p}_{X'} + \vec{p}_{\alpha}$$

$$\vec{p}_{X'} = -\vec{p}_{\alpha} \quad \text{or} \quad |\vec{p}_{X'}| = |\vec{p}_{\alpha}|$$

$$p_{X'} = p_{\alpha}$$

from eqn (2)  $\Rightarrow$

$$Q = K_{X'} + K_{\alpha}$$

$$= \frac{p_{X'}^2}{2M_{X'}} + K_{\alpha}$$

$$= \frac{p_{\alpha}^2}{2M_{X'}} + K_{\alpha} \quad (p_{X'} = p_{\alpha})$$

$$= \frac{p_{\alpha}^2}{2M_{X'}} \frac{M_{\alpha}}{m_{\alpha}} + K_{\alpha}$$

$$= \frac{m_{\alpha}}{M_{X'}} K_{\alpha} + K_{\alpha} \quad \left\{ \frac{p_{\alpha}^2}{2m_{\alpha}} = K_{\alpha} \right\}$$

$$Q = K_{\alpha} \frac{M_{X'} + M_{\alpha}}{M_{X'}}$$

Masses are almost equal to the mass no.  
so,

$$Q = K_{\alpha} \left( \frac{A-4+4}{A-4} \right)$$

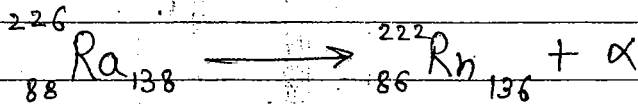
$$Q = \frac{A}{A-4} K_{\alpha}$$

The K.E. of  $\alpha$ -particle will be,

$$K_{\alpha} = \frac{(A-4)}{A} Q$$

Available  $Q$  energy is shared by the K.E. of  $\alpha$ -particle & K.E. of daughter nuclei.  
K.E. will never exceed the  $Q$ -value.

Prob - Find the K.E. of the  $\alpha$ -particle emitted in the  $\alpha$ -decay of  ${}_{88}^{226}\text{Ra}_{138}$ .



Given that  $m(\text{Ra}) = 226.025403 \text{ u}$

$m(\text{Rn}) = 222.017571$

$m(\alpha) = 4.002603 \text{ u}$

$K_{\alpha} = ?$

$$Q = m(\text{Ra}) - m(\text{Rn}) - m(\alpha)$$

$$= 226.025403 - 222.017571 - 4.002603 \text{ u}$$

$$= 0.005229 \text{ u} \quad \text{or} \quad 4.871 \text{ MeV}$$

$\times 931.5 \text{ MeV}$

$$Q = K(\alpha) + K(\text{Ra}) + K(\text{Rn})$$

$$0.005229 = K_{\alpha} + \dots$$

$$K_{\alpha} = \left( \frac{A-4}{A} \right) Q$$

$$= \frac{226-4}{226} \times 0.005229$$

$$= \frac{222}{226} \times 0.005229$$

$$= 0.9823 \times 0.005229$$

$$= 0.00513645 \times 931.5$$

$$= 4.78460010$$

$$\approx 4.78460010$$

$$\approx 4.785 \text{ MeV} \quad \underline{\underline{Ans}}$$

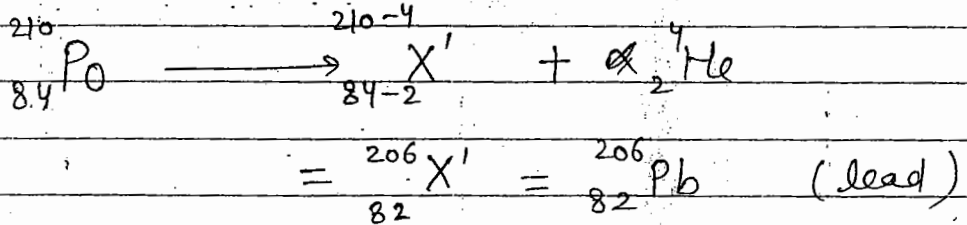


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$^{210}_{84}\text{Po}$  isotope is unstable & emits a 5.30 MeV  $\alpha$ -particle. The atomic mass of  $\text{Po}$  is 209.9829 u &  $m(^4_2\text{He}) = 4.0026 \text{ u}$ .

Identify the daughter nuclei & its mass.

$$M(X') = ?$$



Daughter nuclei = Lead

$$Q = K_\alpha \left( \frac{A}{A-4} \right)$$

$$= 5.30 \left( \frac{210}{206} \right) = 5.40 \text{ MeV}$$

$$Q = m(\text{Po}) - m(\text{Pb}) - m(^4_2\text{He})$$

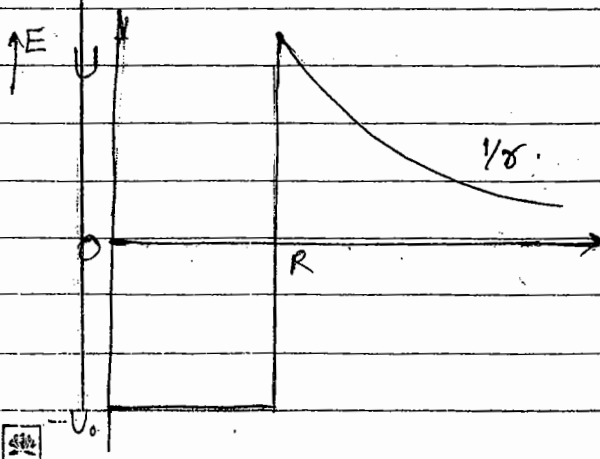
$$5.40 = \cancel{209.9829} \times 931.5 - m(\text{Pb}) - 4.0026 \times 931.5$$

$$m(\text{Pb}) = 205.0004 \times 931.5 - 5.40$$

$$= 190957.8726 - 5.40$$

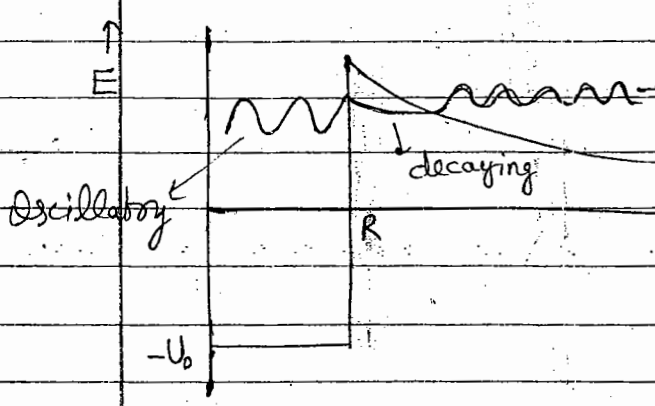
$$= 190952.4726 \text{ MeV} = \frac{190952.4726}{931.5} \text{ MeV}$$

$$m(\text{Pb}) = 205.9744 \text{ MeV u}$$



Behaviour of  $\alpha$ -particle inside & outside the nucleus:-

Particle is localised & wave which is not localised



The wave after crossing barrier again oscillatory wave but its amp. is smaller than original. So it indicates that there is small but finite prob. to tunnel the barrier.

$$\frac{d^2\psi}{dx^2} + \frac{2m}{\hbar^2}(E-U)\psi = 0$$

$$\frac{d^2\psi}{dx^2} + k^2\psi = 0$$

where  $k = \sqrt{\frac{2m}{\hbar^2}(E-U)} = \sqrt{\downarrow (-) \frac{2m}{\hbar^2}(U-E)} \quad (E > U)$

This will give the oscillatory sol<sup>n</sup>.

If we solve the Sch<sup>r</sup> wave eq<sup>n</sup> for a particle tunneling through the barrier of height  $U_0$  (amount of energy) then the probability of tunneling is equal to

Probability =  $e^{-2k_2L}$   $L \rightarrow$  thickness of barrier.

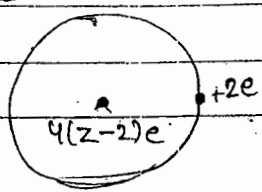
$$k_2 = \sqrt{\frac{2m}{\hbar^2}(U_0 - E)}$$

For  $\alpha$ -particle, Energy = 4 MeV - 9 MeV  
 But for the heavy Nuclei,

$$\text{Barrier Potential} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \times \frac{2(Z-2)e^2}{R}$$

$$\approx 25 - 40 \text{ MeV}$$

If Min; we take 25 MeV &  $\alpha = 4 \text{ MeV}$



i.e.  $\alpha$  particle has 4 MeV & to cross barrier need 25 MeV. So 21 MeV energy must be produced by some other means.

$$Q = 25 - 4 \text{ MeV}$$

This variation for different heavy nuclei.

$\alpha$ -particle strikes for  $10^{21}$  time on barrier. In  $10^{21}$  times, only one chance to come out of nucleus.

- Probability per unit time  $\lambda$  for  $\alpha$ -particle to decay (or to come out of nucleus) is equal to the prob. of penetrating the barrier  $\times$  no. of strikes per sec.

$\lambda \propto$  If  $v$  is the velocity of  $\alpha$ -particle &  $R$  is the radius of the nucleus then time taken in one strike,

$$\text{Time taken in one strike} = \frac{2R}{v}$$

No. of strikes in one sec., freq. =  $\frac{v}{2R}$

So prob. per unit time  $\lambda$  for  $\alpha$ -decay

$$P = \frac{v}{2R} \cdot e^{-2k_2t}$$

This is known as Gamow theory of  $\alpha$ -decay. (1928)

Prob: A nucleus having mass no. 240 decays by the emission of  $\alpha$  to the ground state of its daughter nucleus. The  $Q$  value of the process is 5.26 MeV. The energy in MeV for  $\alpha$ -particle will be

- (i) 5.26      (ii) 5.17      (iii) 5.13      (iv) 5.09



$$A = 240, Q = 5.26 \text{ MeV}$$

$$K_{\alpha} = \left( \frac{A-4}{A} \right) Q = \frac{240-4}{240} \times 5.26$$

$$K_{\alpha} = \frac{236}{240} \times 5.26$$

$$K_{\alpha} = 5.1723 \text{ MeV}$$

Que 1 - The activity  $R$  of a sample of unknown radioactive nuclei is measured at hourly interval. The result in Mega Bquerel (MBq) are

80.5      36.2      16.3      7.3      3.3

Find the half life of the radioactive substance.

$$A = A_0 e^{-\lambda t}$$

Here activity  $\rightarrow R$

$$\text{so } R = R_0 e^{-\lambda t}$$

$$\ln R = \ln R_0 - \lambda t$$

slope  $y = mx + c$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{\ln R_0 - \ln R}{t}$$

$$= \frac{1}{t} \times \ln \left( \frac{R_0}{R} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{1 \text{ Hr}} \times \ln \left( \frac{80.5}{36.2} \right)$$

{ Take any 2 values }

$$= \frac{1}{60} \times 0.79919807 = 0.01331997$$

$$t_{1/2} = \frac{0.693}{\lambda} = 5.2 \text{ min}$$

Q-2

Que: The activity of a sample of unknown radioactive nuclei is measured in daily intervals. The results in MBq are,

(days) $t$	0	1	2	3	4
Activity (MBq)	32.1	27.2	23.0	19.5	16.5

find half life  $t_{1/2}$  =:

$$A = A_0 e^{-\lambda t}$$

$$\ln A = \ln A_0 - \lambda t$$

$$\lambda = \frac{\ln A_0 - \ln A}{t}$$

$$= \frac{1}{t} \ln \left( \frac{A_0}{A} \right)$$

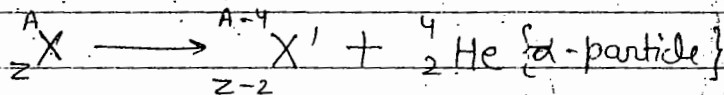
$$= \frac{1}{1} \ln \left( \frac{32.1}{27.2} \right) = \ln \frac{1}{1} \ln \left( \frac{32.1}{27.2} \right)$$

$$= \ln(1.18015)$$

$$= 0.16564$$

$$t_{1/2} = \frac{0.693}{0.16564} = \underline{\underline{4.18377 \text{ days. } A_2}}$$

### $\alpha$ -Decay



This is purely a Nuclear phenomenon

K.E. of  $\alpha$ -particle,  $K_\alpha = Q \left\{ \frac{A-4}{A} \right\}$

Mostly K.E. is less than  $Q$ -value.

If  $\alpha$ -particle having K.E.  $K_\alpha$  is moving then  $X'$  must also move.

Initially assuming  $X'$  to be at rest, then

$$Q = K_{X'} + K_\alpha \quad (1)$$

$$= K_{X'} + \frac{p_\alpha^2}{2m_\alpha}$$

from the conservation of momentum,

$$\vec{p}_{X'} + \vec{p}_\alpha = 0$$

(initial mom = 0)

$$|\vec{p}_\alpha| = |\vec{p}_{x'}|$$

$$\therefore Q = K_{x'} + \frac{p_{x'}^2}{2m_\alpha} \times \frac{m(x')}{m(x')}$$

where  $\frac{p_{x'}^2}{2m_{x'}} = K_{x'}$

$$\text{So } Q = K_{x'} + \frac{K_{x'} m(x')}{m_\alpha}$$

$$Q = K_{x'} \left[ \frac{m_\alpha + m(x')}{m_\alpha} \right]$$

$$Q = K_{x'} \left[ \frac{4 + A - 4}{4} \right] = K_{x'} \left[ \frac{A}{4} \right]$$

$$K_{x'} = \frac{4}{A} Q \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

This is the K.E. of Recoil nucleus.

$$\text{So } \frac{K_\alpha}{K_{x'}} = \frac{A-4}{\frac{4}{A} Q}$$

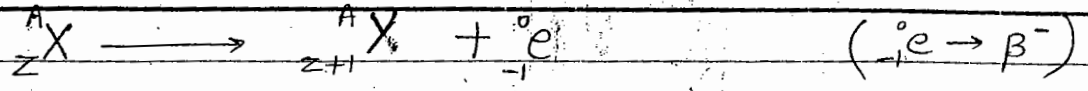
$$\frac{K_\alpha}{K_{x'}} = \frac{A-4}{4}$$

$\beta$ -Decay :- In  $\beta$ -decay a neutron in the nucleus changes into a proton or proton into a neutron.  $Z$  and  $N$  changes by one unit. But  $A$  is invariant.

There are 3 types of  $\beta$ -decay observed :-

- i)  $\beta^-$  decay
- ii)  $\beta^+$  "
- iii) Electron Capture

i)  $\beta^-$  Decay :- In  $\beta^-$ -decay,  $Z$  increases by 1 unit & Hence  $N$  decreases by 1 unit in order to make  $A$  constant.



Here  $n \rightarrow p + e^-$

Q-value corresponding to  $\beta^-$ -decay will be

$$Q_{\beta^-} = [M_{nuc}(X) - M_{nuc}(Y) - m_e] c^2$$

Convert this nuclear mass in terms of atomic mass

$$Q_{\beta^-} = [M(X) - Z m_e - M(Y) + (Z+1) m_e - m_e] c^2$$

Now these are the atomic masses.

{ Mass of Nucleus = Mass of atom - Mass of  $e^-$  }

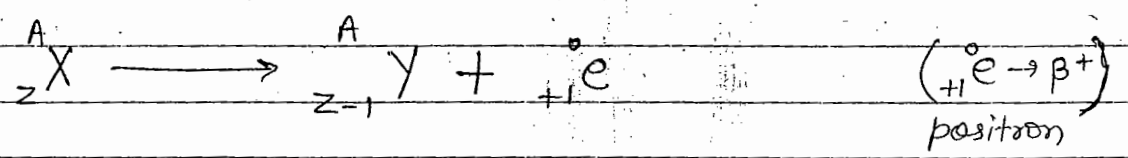
$$Q_{\beta^-} = [M(X) - M(Y)] c^2$$

$$Q_{\beta^-} = [M(Z, A) - M(Z+1, A)] c^2$$

Q-value is +ve only if Mass of parent atom > Mass of daughter

i.e.  $Q > 0$  for  $M(Z, A) > M(Z+1, A)$

(ii)  $\beta^+$  decay :-  $Z \downarrow$  by 1 unit &  $N \uparrow$  by 1 unit so that to make  $A$  constant.



proton is the lightest baryon.

p can be decay only into a lighter particle than p but such a particle does not exist. so this dec<sup>n</sup> does not possible in free space

Q-value,

$$Q_{\beta^+} = [M_{nuc}(X) - M_{nuc}(Y) - m_e] c^2$$

$$= [M(Z, A) - Z m_e - M(Z-1, A) + (Z-1) m_e - m_e] c^2$$



$$Q_{\beta^+} = [M(Z, A) - M(Z-1, A) - 2m_e] c^2$$

In case of nuclear phenomenon it has to be modified.

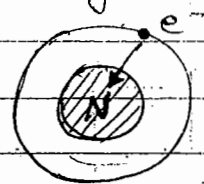
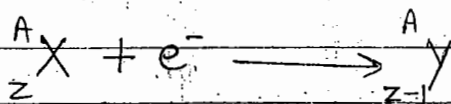
$Q$ -value will be +ve if & only if the difference in the mass of parent & daughter is greater than by an amount of at least equal to 2 times of mass of  $e^-$ .

i.e.  $\beta^+$  disintegration takes place only when  
Mass of parent atom  $>$  Mass of the daughter atom  
at least 2 times of  $m_e$ .

$$m_e = 0.511 \text{ MeV}$$

$$2m_e = 1.022 \text{ MeV} \quad \text{ie (Mass of parent} > 1.022)$$

(iii) Electron Capture :- The nucleus capture the  $e^-$  moving in the orbit & after capturing the  $e^-$  nucleus X is converted into Y



$Q$ -value in this case,

$$Q_{e^- \text{ capt.}} = [M_{\text{nuc.}}(X) + m_e - M_{\text{nuc.}}(Y)] \\ - [M(Z, A) - Zm_e + m_e - M(Z-1, A) + (Z-1)m_e] c^2$$

$$Q_{e^- \text{ capt.}} = [M(Z, A) - M(Z-1, A)] c^2$$

This is analogous to the 1st case.

$Q$  will be +ve, if  
Mass of parent  $>$  Mass of daughter. (simply)

Electron-capture process is possible only when the mass of the parent atom is greater than the daughter atom.



Ques. 1. - The only known nuclei with  $A=7$  are  ${}^4\text{Li}_3$  whose atomic mass  $M(7,3) = 7.016 \text{ u}$  and  ${}^3\text{Be}_4$ ,  $M(7,4) = 7.0169 \text{ u}$ . Which of these nuclei is stable to  $\beta$ -decay. What process ( $e^-$ -capture or positron emission) is employed in  $\beta$ -decay of the unstable nucleus to the stable nucleus.

$$M(7,3) = 7.016 \text{ u} \longrightarrow \text{Li}$$

$$M(7,4) = 7.0169 \text{ u} \longrightarrow \text{Be}$$

Assume  $M(7,3) \rightarrow$  unstable &  $M(7,4) \rightarrow$  stable then

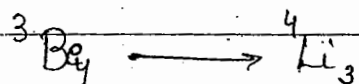
$$M(A, Z) \longrightarrow M(A, Z+1)$$

Mass is  $\uparrow$  by 1 unit so it must be  $\beta^-$  decay but for  $\beta^-$  decay, mass of parent should be greater than mass of daughter. But here mass of daughter is greater than parent. So this  $\beta^-$  is not possible.  $\beta^- \rightarrow$  Not possible.

i.e. Mass of  ${}^4\text{Li}_3 < {}^3\text{Be}_4$  so  $\beta^-$  is not permitted.

Therefore Li is stable to  $\beta^-$ -decay.

So Be can be decay into lithium.



Here  $Z$  is  $\downarrow$  by 1 unit so 2 possibilities  $\beta^+$  &  $e^-$ -capture.

$$\text{Mass difference} = 7.016 \text{ u} - 7.0169$$

$$= 0.0009 \text{ u}$$

$$= 0.0009 \times 931.5 \text{ MeV}$$

$$= 0.83835 \text{ MeV}$$

{ diff should be  $> 1.022 \text{ MeV}$  }  $\Rightarrow$  (for  $\beta^+$  decay)

So this decay will undergo  $e^-$ -capture.

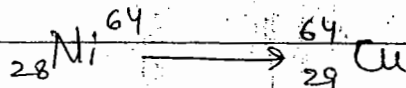
Ans

Q.21 - Masses are given,  ${}_{28}^{64}\text{Ni} \equiv 63.9280 \text{ u}$

${}_{29}^{64}\text{Cu} \equiv 63.9298 \text{ u}$

Which of them is unstable & what kind of decay will take place from the unstable one.

Assume Ni is unstable then

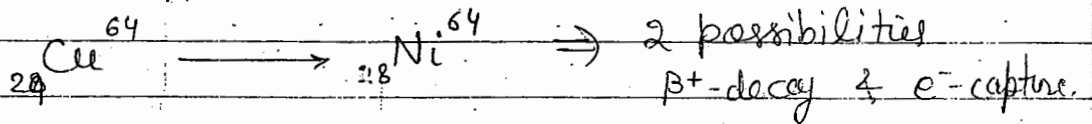


Here  $Z \uparrow$  by 1 unit so  $\beta^-$  decay but

$$\text{Mass of } {}_{28}^{64}\text{Ni} < {}_{29}^{64}\text{Cu}$$

$\beta^- \rightarrow$  Not possible.

Now suppose Cu is unstable



$$\text{Mass diff} = 63.9298 - 63.9280$$

$$= 0.0018 \text{ u} = 0.0018 \times 931.5 = 1.67 \text{ MeV}$$

$$0.0018 < 1.002$$

$$\text{Mass diff} > 1.002 \text{ MeV}$$

$$1.67 \text{ MeV} > 1.002 \text{ MeV}$$

$\beta^+$  decay will dominate.

- Before, the concept of particle physics,  $n$  is decayed into  $p$  as



$$\frac{1}{2} \qquad \qquad \frac{1}{2} \quad \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$0, 1$$

It violates the ~~con~~ angular momentum conservation. So we have to add another particle in L.H.S. whose spin is  $\frac{1}{2}$ .

$Q$ -value of this

$$Q = 0.782 \text{ MeV}$$



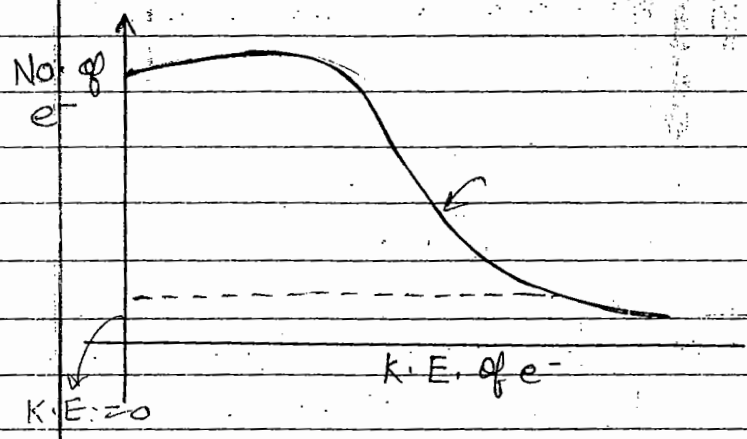
\* Positron & Neutrino were discovered by after a long time of their prediction.

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i.e. K.E.

Most of the  $Q$ -value is given to the  $e^-$  &  $\gamma$  in bulky  
 $X \rightarrow Y + e^-$

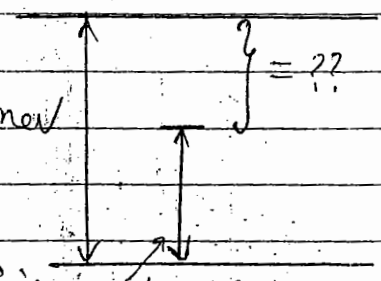
So  $e^-$  which are coming out of nucleus are monoenergetic & their energy will be  $0.782 \text{ MeV}$  & all the  $e^-$  have equal amount of energy.



Most of  $e^-$  have  $K.E. = 0$

but  $\uparrow$  forward very few  $e^-$  have maxi. energy =  $0.782 \text{ MeV}$

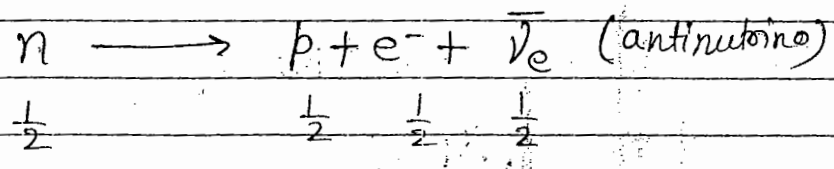
available energy for  $Q$ -value =  $0.782 \text{ MeV}$   
 $T.E. = 0.782 \text{ MeV}$



But  $\beta$ -particle will emit by this much energy.

What is The Rest energy = ?

This rest energy is given to another particle called Neutrino - This was Pauli's Hypothesis.



Neutrino - charge = 0

Its name is Italian

Neutrino  $\equiv$  little neutral one

Acc. to Dirac, for every particle, there should be antiparticle also.

How can we distinguish them?



Neutrino

Rest Mass = 0

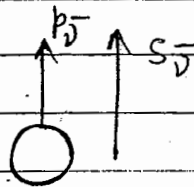
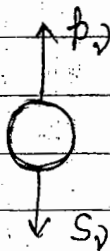
charge = 0

Antineutrino

Rest mass = 0

charge = 0

The angular momentum vector  $\vec{p}$ , and spin  $\vec{S}$ , are antiparallel in the case of neutrino while they are parallel for antineutrino.



Therefore we call neutrino - Left handed particle & antineutrino - Right handed particle. We define the handedness of neutrino & antineutrino by introducing a parameter called "Helicity."

It is defined as,

$$H = \frac{\vec{p} \cdot \vec{S}}{|\vec{p}| |\vec{S}|}$$

$H = -1$  for Neutrino

$H = +1$  " Antineutrino

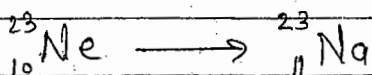
Que 1:

$^{23}_{10}\text{Ne}$  is decays into  $^{23}_{11}\text{Na}$  by -ve  $\beta$  emission ( $\beta^-$ )

What is the maximum K.E. of emitted  $e^-$  if M of

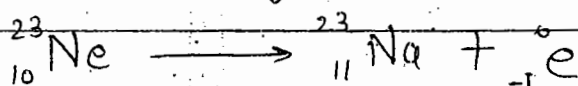
$$^{23}_{10}\text{Ne} \equiv 22.994465 \text{ u}$$

$$^{23}_{11}\text{Na} \equiv 22.989768 \text{ u}$$



$Z \longrightarrow Z+1$  & Mass of Parent  $>$  Mass of daughter

So  $\beta^-$  decay is possible.



$$\begin{aligned}
 Q\text{-value, } Q_{\beta^-} &= [M(Z, A) - M(Z+1, A)] c^2 \\
 &= [22.994465 - 22.989768] c^2 \\
 &= 0.0047 \times 931.5 \\
 &= 4.37805
 \end{aligned}$$

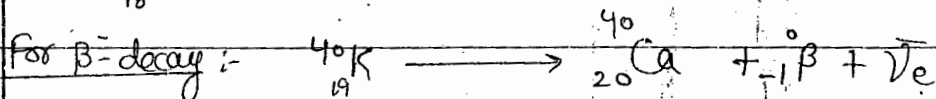
$$\text{Maxi K.E. of } e^- = 4.37805$$

Ques 1-  ${}^{40}_{19}\text{K}$  is an unusual isotope in that it decays by  $\beta^-$ -decay,  $\beta^+$ -decay &  $e^-$ -capture. Find the  $Q$ -values for these decays. Given that - mass of

$${}^{40}_{19}\text{K} = 39.96399$$

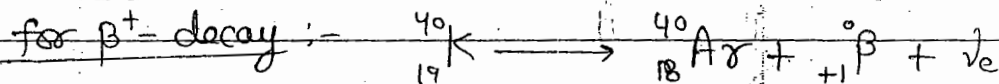
$${}^{40}_{20}\text{Ca} = 39.962591$$

$${}^{40}_{18}\text{Ar} = 39.962384$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 Q_{\beta^-} &= [M(Z, A) - M(Z+1, A)] c^2 \\
 &= [39.96399 - 39.962591] c^2 \\
 &= 0.00149 \times 931.5
 \end{aligned}$$

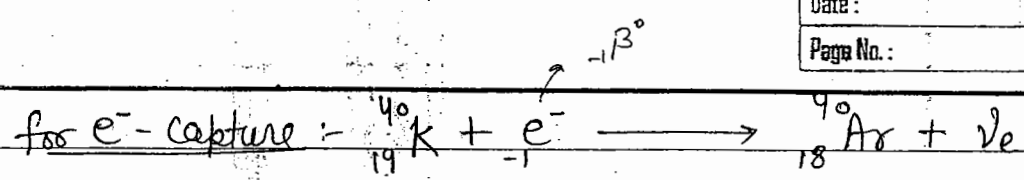
$$Q_{\beta^-} = 1.38793$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 Q_{\beta^+} &= [M(Z, A) - M(Z-1, A) - 2me] c^2 \\
 &= [(39.96399 - 39.962384) \times 931.5 - 1.022] c^2 \\
 &= (0.00169 \times 931.5) - 1.022 \\
 &= 1.57424 - 1.022
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\approx 0.55224 \times 931.5 - 1.022 = 0.473989 = Q_{\beta^+}$$

Here diff. of masses of parent & daughter  $> 1.022$   
 so  $\beta^+$ -decay is possible.



$$Q_{\text{value}} = [M({}_{19}^{40}\text{K}) - m({}_{18}^{40}\text{Ar})]c^2$$

$$= (39.96399 - 39.962384) \times 931.5$$

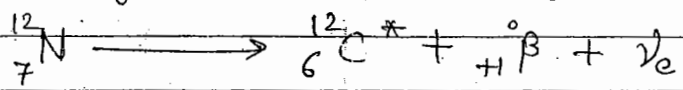
$$Q = 1.495989 \text{ MeV}$$

$$Q_e \approx 1.5 \text{ MeV}$$

Ques  ${}^{12}\text{N}$  beta decays to an excited state of  ${}^{12}\text{C}$  which subsequently decays to the ground state with the emission of  $\gamma$ -photon of 443 MeV energy. What is the maximum KE. of the emitted  $\beta$  particle.  $M({}^{12}\text{N})$

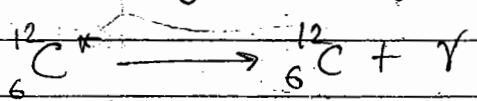
Mass of Carbon atom  ${}_{6}^{12}\text{C} = 12 \quad \Rightarrow 12.018613u$

${}^{12}\text{N}$  decay to excited state of  ${}^{12}\text{C}$ ,



Neutrino shared no energy so Maxi. K.E. of  $\beta$ -particle will be equal to the  $Q$ -value.

$\text{C}^*$  decay to its ground state,



$$\text{Mass of } {}_{6}^{12}\text{C}^* = \text{Mass of } {}_{6}^{12}\text{C} + \text{Mass of } \gamma$$

$$= 12u + 4.43 \text{ MeV}$$

$$= (12 \times 931.5 + 4.45) \text{ MeV}$$

$$= 11182.43 \text{ MeV}$$

$$Q_{\text{value}} = [m({}^{12}\text{N}) - m({}^{12}\text{C}^*) - 2m_e]$$

$$= [12.018613 \times 931.5 - (11182.43) - 1.022]$$

$$= 11195.39801 - 11182.43 - 1.022$$

$$= 11.886$$

$$Q_{\text{value}} \approx 11.89 \text{ MeV}$$

Ques:- The masses of  $^{12}\text{C}$  &  $^{12}\text{B}$  are respectively 11.0114 u & 11.0093 u. Find the maxl. energy a positron can have in  $\beta^+$ -decay of  $^{12}\text{C}$  to  $^{12}\text{B}$ .

$$^{12}_6\text{C} \longrightarrow ^{12}_5\text{B} + \beta^+ + \bar{\nu}_e$$

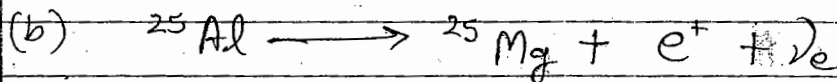
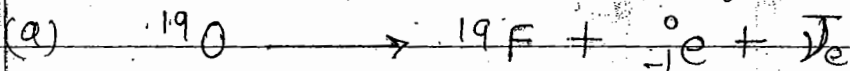
$$Q\text{-value} = [M(^{12}_6\text{C}) - M(^{12}_5\text{B}) - 2m_e]$$

$$= [(11.0114 - 11.0093)u - 1.022]$$

$$= 1.95615 - 1.022 \text{ MeV}$$

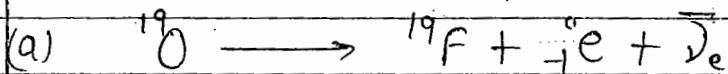
$$= 0.93415 \text{ MeV} \quad \underline{\underline{Ans}}$$

Ques:- Calculate the  $Q$ -values in the following decays:-



The atomic masses needed are as follows:

$^{19}_8\text{O}$	$^{19}_9\text{F}$	$^{25}_{13}\text{Al}$	$^{25}_{12}\text{Mg}$
19.003576	18.998403	24.990432	24.985839 (u)

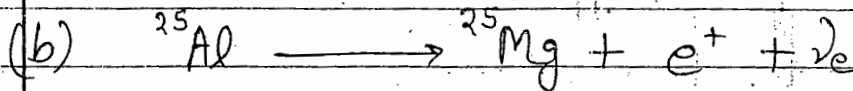


$$Q_{\beta^-} = [M(^{19}_8\text{O}) - M(^{19}_9\text{F})]c^2$$

$$= [19.003576 - 18.998403] \times 931.5$$

$$= 0.005173 \times 931.5$$

$$\underline{\underline{Q_{\beta^-} = 4.8186 \text{ MeV}}}$$



$$Q_{\beta^+} = [M(^{25}_{13}\text{Al}) - M(^{25}_{12}\text{Mg})]c^2 - 1.022$$

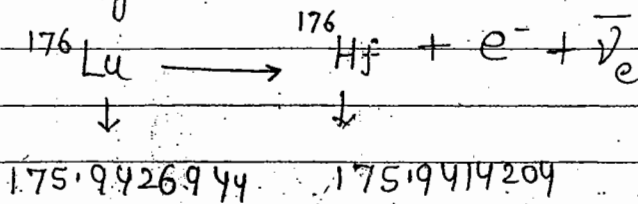
$$= [(24.990432 - 24.985839) \times 931.5 - 1.022] \text{ MeV}$$

$$= 0.004593 \times 931.5 - 1.022$$

$$= 4.2783795 - 1.022$$

$$\underline{\underline{Q_{\beta^+} = 3.2563 \text{ MeV}}}$$

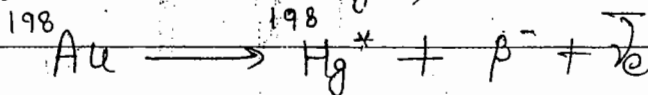
Ques:- Find the maximum K.E. that a  $\beta$ -particle can have in the following case:



$$\begin{aligned}
 Q\text{-value} &= [m({}^{176}\text{Lu}) - m({}^{176}\text{Hf})]c^2 \\
 &= [175.9426944 - 175.9414204] \times 931.5
 \end{aligned}$$

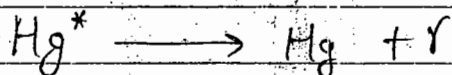
$$\boxed{\text{Maxi K.E. of } \beta = 1.186731 \text{ MeV}} \quad \underline{A_2}$$

Ques Consider the  $\beta$ -decay,



where  $\text{Hg}^*$  rep<sup>n</sup> a mercury nucleus in excited state at energy 1.088 MeV above the ground state. What can be the maxi. K.E. of  $e^-$  emitted if the atomic mass of  ${}^{198}\text{Au} \equiv 197.968233 \text{ u}$

$${}^{198}\text{Hg} \equiv 197.966760 \text{ u}$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 M(\text{Hg}^*) &= M(\text{Hg}) + M(\gamma) \\
 &= (197.966760 \times 931.5 + 1.088) \text{ MeV} \\
 &= 184407.1249 \text{ MeV}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 Q &= [m({}^{198}\text{Au}) - m({}^{198}\text{Hg}^*)]c^2 \\
 &= (197.968233) \times 931.5 - 184407.1249 \\
 &= 184407.409 - 184407.1249 \\
 &= 0.2841395 \text{ MeV}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{Q \approx 0.28 \text{ MeV}} \quad \underline{A_2}$$



## Gamma Decay:-

$\alpha$ -decay &  $\beta$ -decay are always followed by  $\gamma$  decay becoz after the emission of  $\alpha$  &  $\beta$  then nucleus is in excited state. And to go to the ground state nucleus emit  $\gamma$ -photon.

Inside the nucleus, electric & magnetic both type of dipole exist.

Following  $\alpha$  or  $\beta$ -decay the final nucleus may be left in excited state & it will reach to ground state after emitting one or more  $\gamma$ -photons.

Assuming that the nucleus to be at continuous distribution of charge the potential at a certain distance from the nucleus centre can be expanded in terms of various part powers of  $r$  distance.

$$V = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left[ \sum_i \frac{q_i}{R_0} + \frac{1}{R_0^2} \sum_i q_i r_i \cos\theta + \frac{1}{R_0^3} \sum_i q_i r_i^2 \left( \frac{3}{2} \cos^2\theta - 1 \right) + \dots \right. \\ \left. + \frac{1}{R_0^{L+1}} \sum_i q_i r_i^L P_L(\cos\theta) + \dots \right]$$

Where  $P_L \rightarrow$  Legendre's Polynomials

for  $L=0$ , 1-term  $\Rightarrow$  Pot<sup>n</sup> due to monopole  
(south pole, North pole,  $+q$ ,  $-q$ )

$$V = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{\sum_i q_i}{R_0}$$

$L=1$ , corresponds pot<sup>n</sup> due to dipole

$$V = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{\sum_i q_i r_i \cos\theta}{R_0^2}$$

$L=2$ , corresponds pot<sup>n</sup> due to Quadrupole.

If charge distribution has time varying moments, then it will radiate energy. In general  $V_L$

Yes  $\rightarrow$  means Parity change  
 e.g.  $1^+ \rightarrow 2^-$

No  $\rightarrow$  means: No parity change

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corresponds to the radiation field of an electric  $2^L$  pole & magnetic  $2^{L-1}$  pole transition.

$L \rightarrow$  is called the multipolarity of the radiation & it is a measure of the no. of units of angular momentum transferred in radiative transitions.

The parity selection rules states that in electric multipole transition, the parity is given when  $L$  is even & odd when  $L$  is odd  
 i.e.,  $(-1)^L$

Magnetic Multipole transition, the parity is given by  $(-1)^{L+1}$

	<u>Transition</u>	<u>Parity Change</u>	<u>forward multipole</u>
$I^P$	(i) $0 \leftrightarrow 0$ Particle in G.S. can't radiate itself		forbidden
	(ii) $1 \leftrightarrow 0$	YES $\rightarrow$ NO $\rightarrow$	$E1$ $M1$
	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} L=1 \\ \text{if } I_i=1, I_f=0 \text{ then } L= I_i - I_f  \text{ to }  I_i + I_f  \\ 1-0 \text{ to } 1+0 \Rightarrow L=1 \end{array} \right\}$		
	(iii) $1 \leftrightarrow 2$	YES $\rightarrow$ NO $\rightarrow$	$E1, M2, E3$ $M1, E2, M3$
	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} I_i=1, I_f=2 \\ L= 1-2  \text{ to }  1+2  \Rightarrow 1, 2, 3 \Rightarrow L=1, 2, 3 \end{array} \right\}$		
	(iv) $1 \leftrightarrow 3$	YES $\rightarrow$ NO $\rightarrow$	$M2, E3, M4$ $E2, M3, E4$
	Allowed $L$ values $\equiv  1-3  \text{ to }  1+3  = 2, 3, 4$		
	(v) $2 \leftrightarrow 3$	YES $\rightarrow$ NO $\rightarrow$	$E1, M2, E3, M4, E5$ $M1, E2, M3, E4, M5$
	$L$ values $\equiv  2-3  \text{ to }  2+3  = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5$		

NEE :- No, Even, Electric

YEM :- Yes, Even, magnetic

Ques - Find the allowed multipole transitions in the formula :-

(i)  $2^+ \longrightarrow 0^+$

No parity change.

$L \equiv |2-0| \text{ to } |2+0| = 2 \Rightarrow E2$

(ii)  $4^+ \longrightarrow 2^+$  Parity  
No  $L \equiv 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 \Rightarrow \textcircled{E2} \text{ M3 E4 M5 E6}$   
↓  
dominant one

It is found that the probability of multipole emission decreases rapidly with increasing  $L$ . For same  $L$ , electric radiation is more probable than magnetic radiation.

(iii)  $2^+ \longrightarrow 1^-$  Yes  $L \equiv 1, 2, 3$   $E1 \text{ M2 E3}$   
↓  
Highly favoured

(iv)  $1^- \longrightarrow 0^+$  Yes  $L \equiv 1$   $E1$

(v)  $2^+ \longrightarrow 1^+$  No  $L \equiv 1, 2, 3$   $M1 \text{ E2 M3}$

(vi)  $1^+ \longrightarrow 0^+$  No  $L \equiv 1$   $M1$

(vii)  $\frac{1}{2}^- \longrightarrow \frac{1}{2}^+$  Yes  $L \equiv 0, 1$   $E1$   
 $L=0$  corresponds to monopole

(viii)  $\frac{3}{2}^+ \longrightarrow \frac{1}{2}^+$  No  $L \equiv 1, 2$   $M1 \text{ E2}$



Ques: The spin, parity of the ground state nucleus is  $0^-$ . It absorbs a  $\gamma$ -ray & goes to the excited state. If the transition is magnetic dipole, then the spin parity of the excited state will be

- (a)  $0^-$     (b)  $1^-$     (c)  $1^+$     (d)  $0^+$

$0$  is forbidden so (a) & (d)  $\rightarrow$  x

Transition is mag. dipole, it corresponds to  $L=1$  i.e.  $M1$  so from  $0^-$  to which state so that  $M_1$  emit so NEE.

$$0^- \rightarrow 1^- \Rightarrow M1$$

(b) ✓

Ques:  $^{10}\text{Be}$  in its 1st excited state has spin parity  $2^+$ . It gets de-excited to the ground state which has spin parity  $0^+$  by  $\gamma$ -emission. The multipole carried by  $\gamma$ -radiation, are

- (a)  $E2$     (b)  $M2$     (c)  $E2, M2$     (d)  $E4$

$$2^+ \rightarrow 0^+ \Rightarrow E2$$

Ques: Which one of the following corresponds to the electric dipole  $\gamma$ -transition

- (a)  $\frac{3^+}{2} \rightarrow \frac{1^-}{2}$     (c)  $1^+ \rightarrow 1^+$   
(b)  $\frac{3^+}{2} \rightarrow \frac{1^+}{2}$     (d)  $3^+ \rightarrow 0^-$

(a)  $L \equiv 1, 2$     Yes  $E1, M2$

(b)  $L \equiv 0, 1, 2$     No  $M1, E2$

(c)  $L \equiv 1, 2$     No  $M1, E2$

(d)  $L \equiv 3$     Yes  $E3$

$E1, M2$  is for elec dipole  $\gamma$ -trans.

(a) ✓

Ques: What are the possible electric & magnetic multipolarities involve in the transition

$$h_{11/2} \rightarrow d_{3/2}$$

$$\text{Parity} \equiv (-1)^l$$

for  $h_{11/2} \rightarrow l = 5$  so Parity =  $(-1)^5 = -1$  odd

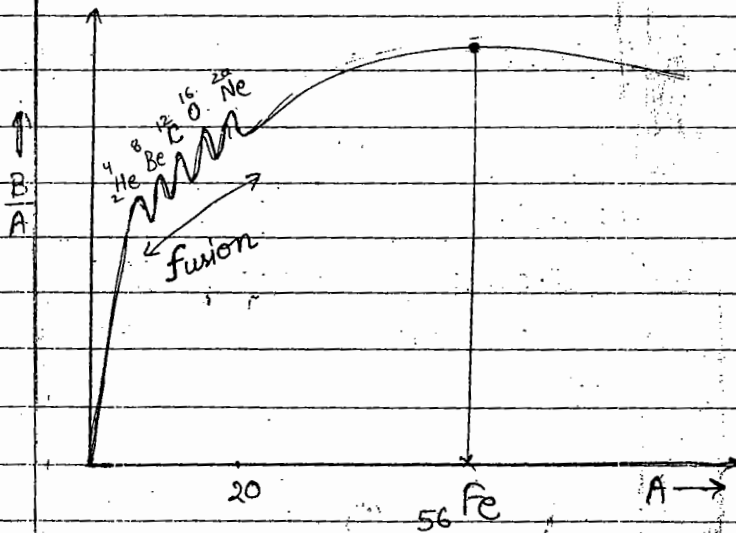
$d_{3/2} \rightarrow l = 2$  so Parity =  $(-1)^2 = 1$  even

so  $\frac{11^-}{2} \rightarrow \frac{3^+}{2}$  Parity change  $\rightarrow$  Yes

$$L = \left| \frac{11-3}{2} \right| \text{ to } \left| \frac{11+3}{2} \right|$$

$$= 4 \text{ to } 7 = 4, 5, 6, 7 \Rightarrow M4, E5, M6, E7$$

### Binding Energy Curve:



features of curve: (1) Curve is almost continuous except at peaks  ${}^4\text{He}$ ,  ${}^8\text{Be}$ ,  ${}^{12}\text{C}$ ,  ${}^{16}\text{O}$  &  ${}^{20}\text{Ne}$

(2) In light nuclei for which  $A < 30$ , the maximum Binding energy is for  ${}^4_2\text{He}$ ,  ${}^8_4\text{Be}$ ,  ${}^{12}_6\text{C}$ ,  ${}^{16}_8\text{O}$ ,  ${}^{20}_{10}\text{Ne}$  which passes  $\alpha$ -clusters  $\alpha$ ,  $2\alpha$ ,  $3\alpha$ ,  $4\alpha$ ,  $5\alpha$ .

(3) The maximum B.E. is 8.79 MeV for  ${}^{56}_{26}\text{Fe}$ .

- (4) When 2 light nuclei combine to form a heavy nuclei, B.E. per nucleon i.e.  $B/A$  increases. But in the same way, when a heavy nuclei is broken into 2 light nuclei  $B.E./A$  increases. The process are called Fusion & fission respectively.
- (5) Nuclear forces are short range forces & B.E. must be supply to make its constituents free. Just like in the case of liquid, Vander Wall forces are short range forces. (The energy supplied to change liquid to gaseous state is  $\rightarrow$  Latent heat of vapourisation.) & Latent heat of vapourisation must be supplied to make their constituents (molecules of water) free, thus a nucleus is analogous to a drop of liquid & Hence Liquid Drop Model was proposed.
- (6) Even  $N$  & Even  $Z$  nuclei are most stable becuz 2 protons & 2 neutrons of opposite spin form a pair.
- (7) For  $Z = 2, 8, 20, 28, 50, 82, 126$ , they passes more B.E., Hence & Hence Shell model was proposed as these Magic no's could not be explained by L.D.M.

## Liquid Drop Model

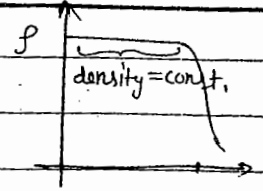
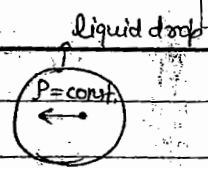
It is based on two properties which are common to almost all the nuclei :-

- 1- Interior mass densities are app. same (const.)
- 2- B.E. are proportional to mass no.  
app.



$\frac{B}{A} = \text{constant}$

$B \propto A$



Comparison to an incompressible liquid drop :-

- 1- Interior density is constant.
- 2- Their heats of vapourisation are proportional to their masses. ( $Q = mL$ )

These are the only two things coz of which we consider a liquid drop as nucleus.

B.E. & mass relationship.

$M(Z, A) = ZM_H + (A - Z)M_n - B(Z, A)$

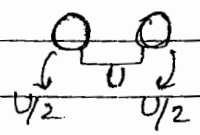
Therefore, B.E. can be written as

$B(Z, A) = ZM_H + (A - Z)M_n - M(Z, A)$

This was given by Weizsacker, called semi-empirical mass formula.

Binding Energy Terms :-

(i) Volume Energy :- Interaction energy b/w 2 nuclei is  $U$  & this energy is shared by both nuclei so energy shared by each nuclei is  $U/2$ .



To cover one sphere, we need 12 more spheres so energy shared by 1 nuclei =  $\frac{U}{2} \times 12 = 6U$

If there are  $A$  no. of nucleons then volume energy

$B_v = 6AU$   
constant

$B_v = a_v A$

$B = \text{const.} \Rightarrow \frac{B}{A} = \text{const.} \Rightarrow B \propto A$

$B_v = a_v A$

same thing.

2) Surface Energy

Centre sphere touches all the 12 spheres but the sphere at boundary touches only slightly less no. of spheres. So B.E. ↓.

Surface energy term will ↓ the B.E.  
& larger the sphere at surface i.e.

larger the surface area, larger will be the decrease in B.E.

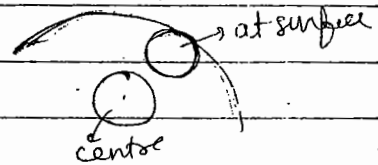
$$B_s \propto \text{Surface Area}$$

$$B_s \propto 4\pi R^2$$

$$\propto 4\pi R_0^2 A^{2/3}$$

$$B = -\text{const.} \cdot A^{2/3}$$

$$B_s = -a_s A^{2/3}$$



-ve sign shows ↓ in B.E.

3) Coulombian Energy

proton is inside the nucleus have +ve charge so there will be coulomb repulsion b/w p & p.

The coulomb attraction will ↑ the B.E. & Nly  
" repulsion " ↓ " "

so this Coulomb energy will ↓ the B.E.

$$B_c = -\frac{3}{5} \frac{z(z-1)e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R}$$

$$= -\frac{3}{5} \frac{z(z-1)e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R_0 A^{1/3}}$$

$$B_c = -a_c A^{-1/3} z(z-1) \Rightarrow B_c = -a_c z(z-1) A^{-1/3}$$

$$\text{where } a_c = \frac{3}{5} \frac{z(z-1)e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R_0}$$

$$\text{or } B_c = -a_c z^2 A^{-1/3}$$

These 3 terms are classical terms.



4) Asymmetric Energy In light nuclei, there is a tendency for neutrons & protons to be equal.  $N = Z$ , to form most stable configurations. This is symmetry.

As we go to the higher nuclei, increase in the no. of protons decreases the B.E. coz of Coulombian repulsion so some extra neutrons must be present to provide additional n-n bonds to compensate it.

However this disturbs the condition of  $N = Z$

$N = Z \rightarrow$  Most stable

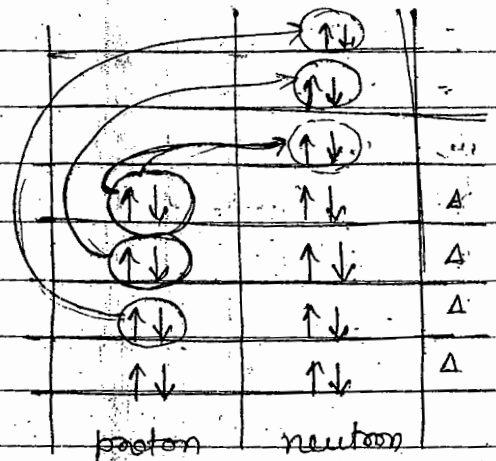
$N \neq Z \rightarrow$  Asymmetry will  $\downarrow$  the B.E.

§ We introduce asymmetry -

$N - Z = 10 - 6 = 4 \quad \Delta E = 2\Delta$

$N - Z = 12 - 4 = 8 \quad \Delta E = 6\Delta + 2\Delta = 8\Delta$

$N - Z = 14 - 2 = 12 \quad \Delta E = 10\Delta + 8\Delta = 18\Delta$



general expression

$$\Delta E = \frac{(N-Z)^2}{8} \Delta$$

Thus we see that, the asymmetry energy

$$B_{as} \propto \frac{(N-Z)^2}{8} \Delta$$

The separation b/w the energy level decreases with increasing  $A$ . Thus

$$\Delta \propto \frac{1}{A}$$

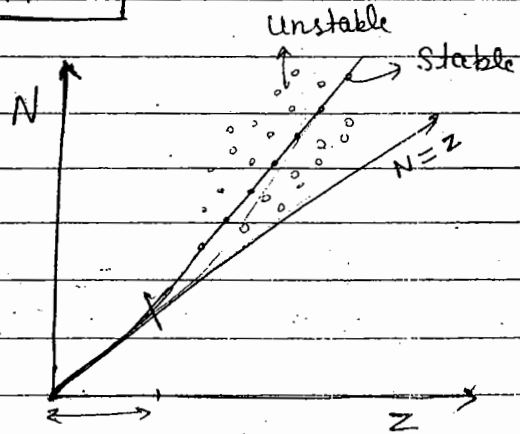


Thus  $B_{as} \propto \frac{(N-Z)^2}{8A}$

$$B_{as} = -a_{as} \frac{(N-Z)^2}{A}$$

$$B_{as} = -a_{as} \frac{(A-2Z)^2}{A}$$

- Nuclei which are  $\beta^-$  emitters lie -
  - (a) below the line of  $\beta$  stability
  - (b) on the " " " "
  - (c) above " " " "
  - (d) below  $N=Z$  line



The nuclei having greater no. of  $e^-$  neutrons will emit  $\beta^-$  particle to get stability, & nuclei above the stable line ~~are~~ have more no. of n.

Pairing Energy :- It has been observed experimentally that even-even nuclei (i.e. no. of n & p both are even) are more stable as compared to that of even-odd or odd-odd nuclei.

n: even	} most stable	odd	} least stable	even	} Odd A (intermediate stable)
p: even		odd		odd	
				OR	
				odd	
				even	

Pairing, Binding Energy is

$$B_p = \begin{cases} +\delta & \text{for even-even} \\ 0 & \text{for odd A (even-odd or odd-even)} \\ -\delta & \text{for odd-odd} \end{cases}$$

Fermi proposed that, the pairing energy  $\delta$  is directly proportional to  $A^{-3/4}$

$$B \quad \delta \propto A^{-3/4}$$

Therefore,

$$B_p = \begin{cases} a_p A^{-3/4} & \text{even-even} \\ 0 & \text{odd A} \\ -a_p A^{-3/4} & \text{odd-odd} \end{cases}$$

Quantum terms  $\rightarrow$  Asymmetric & Parity energy?

Shell effect :- comes to conserve magic no.

Deformed nuclei effect :- deviation from spherical nuclei.

These 2 effects are contributing negligible.

Total B.E.

$$B(z, A) = a_v A - a_s A^{2/3} - a_c z(z-1) A^{-1/3} - a_{as} \frac{(A-2z)^2}{A} + \delta$$

$$\delta = \pm a_p A^{-3/4}$$

$\rightarrow$  Now, Semi Empirical Mass formula,

$$M(z, A) = zM_H + (A-z)M_n - B(z, A)$$

$$M(z, A) = zM_H + (A-z)M_n - a_v A + a_s A^{2/3} + a_c z(z-1) A^{-1/3} + a_{as} \frac{(A-2z)^2}{A} \mp a_p A^{-3/4}$$

Mass Parabola  $\checkmark$

$$M(z, A) = zM_H + (A-z)M_n - a_v A + a_s A^{2/3} + a_c z(z-1) A^{-1/3} + a_{as} \frac{(A-2z)^2}{A} \mp \delta$$

$$M(z, A) = \alpha A + \beta z + \gamma z^2 \mp \delta$$

If A is fixed, then this eq<sup>n</sup> is quadratic in z

i.e. eq<sup>n</sup> is linear in  $z$  variable ( $A$ ) & quadratic in  $z$ .  
then conic cross-section will be parabola.

In Semi empirical mass formula,

$$\alpha = M_n - a_v + a_s A^{-1/3} + a_{as}$$

$$\beta = M_H - M_n - a_c A^{-1/3} - 4a_{as}$$

$$\gamma = a_c A^{-1/3} + 4a_{as} A^{-1}$$

Plot of  $M$  v/s  $z \rightarrow$  Parabola.

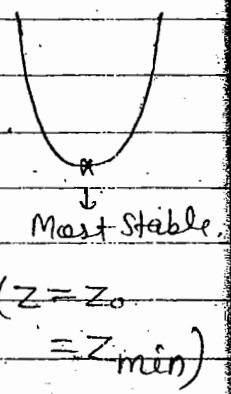
Therefore for a given value of  $A$  eq<sup>n</sup> starts represents a parabola b/w Mass  $M$  v/s  $z$  for a fixed value of  $A$ .

Nuclei having same  $A$  are called Isobars.

$$M(A, z) = \dots - B(A, z)$$

\* More lesser the B.E., lesser the mass.

\* Nuclei have less mass  $\rightarrow$  More stable.



$$\left. \frac{\partial M}{\partial z} \right|_{z=z_0} = \beta + 2\gamma z_0 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \beta = -2\gamma z_0$$

$$z_0 = -\frac{\beta}{2\gamma}$$

Putting the value of  $\beta \Rightarrow$

$$z_0 = \frac{a_c A^{-1/3} + 4a_{as} - (M_H - M_n)}{2a_c A^{-1/3} + 8a_{as} A^{-1}}$$

On solving, Approximately

$$z_0 \approx \frac{A}{2}$$

The nuclei will be most stable whose  $z$  value will be half of  $A$  value.

$$\frac{11+12+13}{3} = 12$$

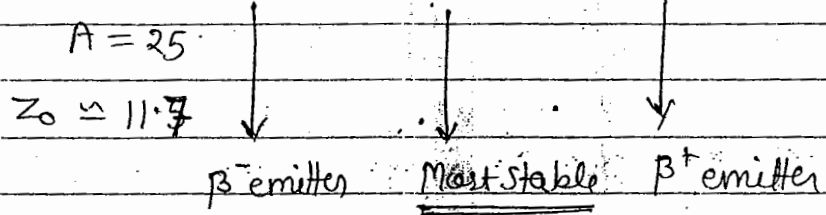
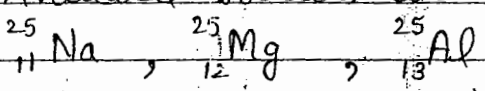
$$\frac{36}{3} = 12$$

$A \gg Z \rightarrow \beta^-$  emitter  
 $A \ll Z \rightarrow \beta^+$  emitter

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in z.

Ques 1- For  $A=25$ , Available Isobars are



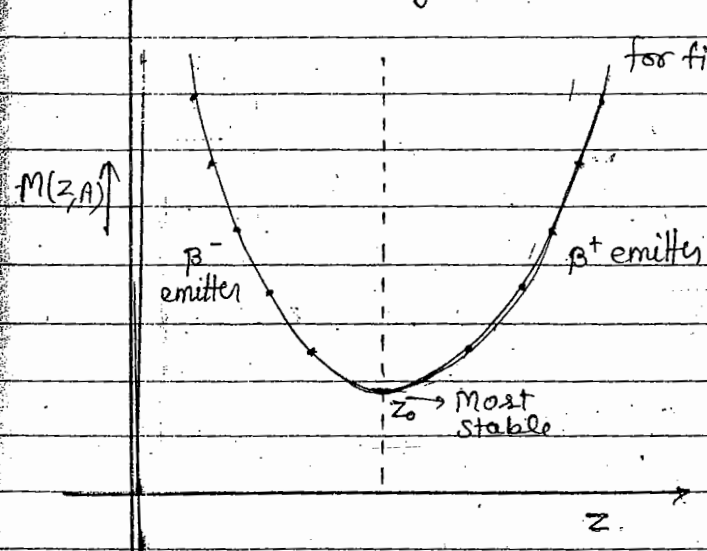
$$M(Z, A) = \alpha A + \beta Z + \gamma Z^2 \mp \delta$$

for odd A,  $M(Z, A) = \alpha A + \beta Z + \gamma Z^2$

for Even A,  $M(Z, A) = \alpha A + \beta Z + \gamma Z^2 \mp \delta$

enti  
 else

When  $A \rightarrow$  odd, there will be a single parabola & for  
 $A \rightarrow$  Even " " " " 2 parabolas, one  
 corresponding to  $+\delta$  & one to  $-\delta$ .



( $\beta^-$  decay)  
 for left side nuclei:  
 $M(Z, A) \rightarrow M(Z+1, A) + \beta^- + \bar{\nu}_e$   
 for right side nuclei:  
 $M(Z, A) \rightarrow M(Z-1, A) + \beta^+ + \nu_e$   
 ( $\beta^+$  decay)

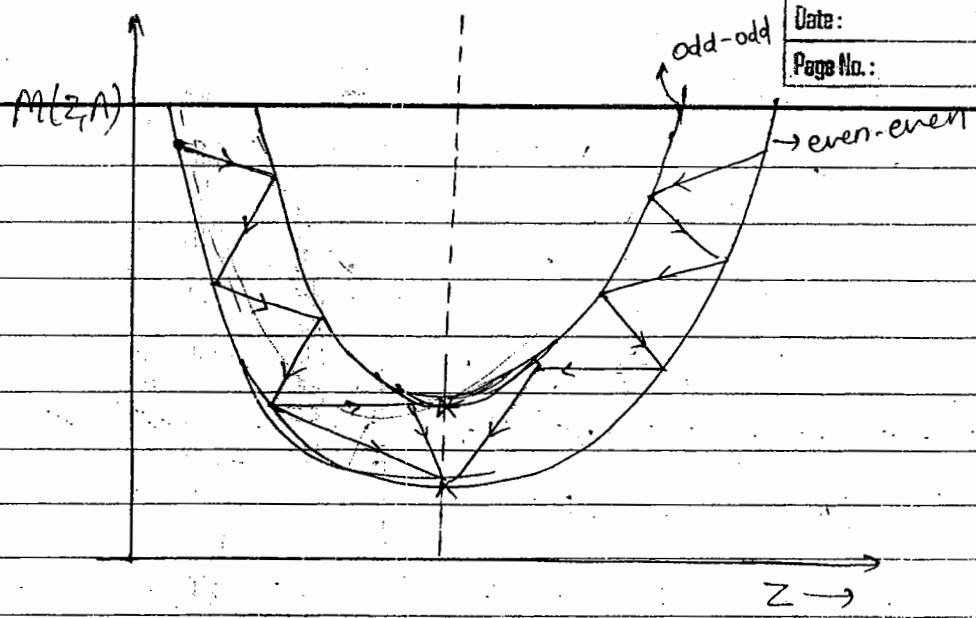
Even A,  $M(Z, A) = \alpha A + \beta Z + \gamma Z^2 - \delta$  even-even  
 $= \alpha A + \beta Z + \gamma Z^2 + \delta$  odd-odd

$M \downarrow$ , B.E.  $\uparrow \Rightarrow +\delta$  even-even

$M \uparrow$ , B.E.  $\downarrow \Rightarrow -\delta$  odd-odd



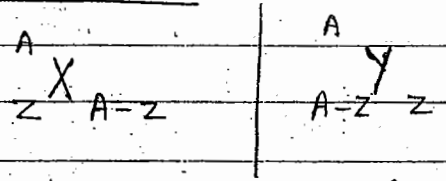
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In case of Cu, it can emit  $\beta^-$  &  $\beta^+$  decay  $\rightarrow$  both probability  $\rightarrow$  Dual beta decay.

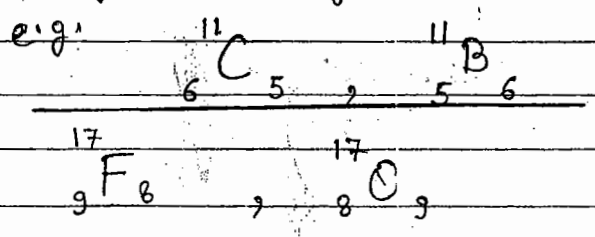
In case of Te, simultaneously two  $\beta^-$  particles emit  $\rightarrow$  Double beta decay.

Mirror Nuclei:-



Mass diff of 2 mirror can be calculated by SIMF.

Two ~~isotopes~~ <sup>isobars</sup> of a nuclei are said to be mirror nuclei if no. of protons of one is equal to the no. of neutrons of in other & vice versa.



for the mirror nuclei,  $Z \rightarrow A-Z$

$$M'(Z, A) = (A-Z)M_H + ZM_n - a_v A + a_s A^{2/3} + a_c (A-Z)(A-Z-1)A^{-1/3} + a_{as} \frac{(A-2Z+2Z)^2}{A} \mp a_p A^{3/4}$$



Difference of masses,  $M(z, A) - M'(z, A)$

$$\Rightarrow M(z, A) - M(A-z, A) = \{(2z-A)M_H + (2A-2z)M_n\} \\ = (2z-A)M_H - (2z-A)M_n \\ + a_c A^{-1/3} \{z(z-1) - (A-z)(A-z-1)\}$$

$$\Delta = (2z-A)(M_H - M_n) + a_c A^{-1/3} [z^2 - z - (A-z)^2 + A - z] \\ = [z^2 - z - A^2 + z^2 + 2Az + A - z] \\ = [-A^2 + 2Az - 2z + A] \\ = [A(2z-A) - 1(2z-A)] \\ = (2z-A)(A-1) \\ = (2z-A)(M_H - M_n) + a_c A^{-1/3} (2z-A)(A-1)$$

$$\Delta = (2z-A) [a_c A^{-1/3} (A-1) + (M_H - M_n)]$$

$$(2z-A) = 1$$

Ques 1

The mass difference b/w the pair of mirror nuclei  ${}_{6}^{11}\text{C}$  &  ${}_{5}^{11}\text{B}$  is given to be  $\Delta \text{MeV}/c^2$ . Acc. to the semi empirical mass formula, the mass difference b/w the pair of mirror nuclei  ${}_{9}\text{F}^{17}$  and  ${}_{8}\text{O}^{17}$  will approximately be (rest mass of proton  $m_p = 938.27 \text{ MeV}/c^2$  and rest mass of neutron  $m_n = 939.57 \text{ MeV}/c^2$ )

- (a)  $1.39 \Delta \text{MeV}/c^2$
- (b)  $(1.394 + 0.5) \text{ MeV}/c^2$
- (c)  $0.86 \Delta \text{MeV}/c^2$
- (d)  $(1.6 \Delta + 0.78) \text{ MeV}/c^2$

$$m_n = 939.57 \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

$$m_H \approx m_p = 938.27 \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

$$\Delta = (2z-A) [a_c A^{-1/3} (A-1) + (M_H - M_n)]$$

${}_{6}^{11}\text{C}$  &  ${}_{5}^{11}\text{B}$

$$\Delta = (2 \times 6 - 11) \left[ a_c \frac{(11-1)}{\sqrt[3]{11}} + \underset{m_p}{M_H - M_n} \right]$$



$$\Delta = 1 \cdot \left[ a_c \frac{10}{\sqrt[3]{11}} + 9.38 \cdot 57 - 939.57 \right]$$

$$= a_c \frac{10}{\sqrt[3]{11}} - 1.3$$

$$\Delta + 1.3 = \frac{a_c (10)}{\sqrt[3]{11}} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Let the mass diff. b/w  ${}^9\text{F}^{17}$  &  ${}^{80}\text{O}^{17}$  is  $\Delta'$ .

$$\Delta' = (1) \left[ a_c \frac{16}{\sqrt[3]{17}} - 1.3 \right]$$

$$\Delta' + 1.3 = a_c \frac{16}{\sqrt[3]{17}} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$(1) \Rightarrow a_c = \frac{\sqrt[3]{11}}{10} (\Delta + 1.3)$$

$$(2) \Rightarrow \Delta' + 1.3 = \frac{16}{\sqrt[3]{17}} \frac{\sqrt[3]{11}}{10} (\Delta + 1.3)$$

$$\Delta' = \sqrt[3]{\frac{11}{17}} \frac{16}{10} (\Delta + 1.3) - 1.3$$

$$= \frac{2.223 \times 16}{2.57 \times 10} (\Delta + 1.3) - 1.3$$

$$= \frac{35.568}{25.7} (\Delta + 1.3) - 1.3$$

$$= 1.38397 (\Delta + 1.3) - 1.3$$

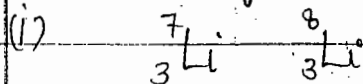
$$= 1.38 \Delta + 1.79916 - 1.3$$

$$= 1.38 \Delta + 0.499$$

$$\Delta' = (1.38 \Delta + 0.5) \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

✓ (b)

Q<sub>4</sub> - Which of the following nucleus is more stable



(3, 4)

(3, 5)

✓ odd even

odd odd

${}^7_3\text{Li}$  is more stable.





(6, 7)      (5, 10)

even odd

~~odd even~~  
odd even

Nuclei having more no. of  $n$  will be more stable.

∴  ${}^{15}_6\text{C} \rightarrow$  More stable.

Que :- The difference in the coulomb energy b/w the mirror nuclei  ${}^{49}_{24}\text{Cr}$  &  ${}^{49}_{25}\text{Mn}$  is 6.0 MeV. Assuming that the nuclei have spherically symmetric charge distribution & the mass difference b/w the mirror nuclei depends only on coulombian term. Estimate the radius of  ${}^{49}_{25}\text{Mn}$ . Given that  $\frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \equiv 1.0 \text{ MeV-fm}$

(a)  $4.9 \times 10^{-13} \text{ m}$

(b)  $4.9 \times 10^{-15} \text{ m}$

(c)  $5.1 \times 10^{-13} \text{ m}$

(d)  $5.1 \times 10^{-15} \text{ m}$

$$B_c = -q_1 q_2 / r$$

$$E_c = B_c = \frac{-3}{5} \frac{z(z-1) e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 R}$$

$$E_{c1} = \frac{3}{5} \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} e^2 \frac{24(23)}{R_1}$$

$$E_{c2} = \frac{3}{5} \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} e^2 \frac{25(24)}{R_2}$$

$$R_1 = R_2 = R$$

$$E_{c2} - E_{c1} = \frac{3}{5} \frac{e^2 (24)}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left[ \frac{25 - 23}{R} \right] = 6.0 \text{ MeV}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3}{5} (1) (24) \left[ \frac{2}{R} \right] = 6.0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{72 \times 2}{5R} = 6 \Rightarrow 72 = 15R$$

$$R = \frac{72}{15} = 4.8 \text{ fm}$$

Not exact

$$E_c = \frac{3}{5} \frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{Z^2}{R}$$

$$E_{c1} = \frac{3}{5} \frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{(24)^2}{R}, \quad E_{c2} = \frac{3}{5} \frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{(25)^2}{R}$$

$$E_{c2} - E_{c1} = \frac{3}{5} \frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left[ \frac{(25)^2 - (24)^2}{R} \right]$$

$$6.0 = \frac{3}{5} (1) \left[ \frac{625 - 576}{R} \right]$$

$$6 = \frac{3}{5} \frac{49}{R}$$

$$R = \frac{3 \times 49}{5 \times 6} = \underline{\underline{4.9 \text{ fm}}}$$

✓(b)

Que: Given that, the mass difference b/w  $^{27}_{14}\text{Si}$  &  $^{27}_{13}\text{Si}$  is 6 meV. Estimate its radius? Assuming that b/w a pair of mirror nuclei is entirely due to the coulomb energy.

$$E_c = \frac{3}{5} \frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{Z^2}{R}$$

$$E_{c1} = \frac{3}{5} \frac{(1.6 \times 10^{-19})^2 \times 9 \times 10^9 (14)^2}{R}$$

$$E_{c2} = \frac{3}{5} \frac{(1.6 \times 10^{-19})^2 \times 9 \times 10^9 (13)^2}{R}$$

$$E_{c1} - E_{c2} = \frac{3}{5} (1.6 \times 10^{-19})^2 \times 9 \times 10^9 \left[ \frac{(14)^2 - (13)^2}{R} \right]$$

$$6 \times 10^{-6} \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19} = \frac{3}{5} \times 23.04 \times 10^{-29} \left[ \frac{196 - 169}{R} \right]$$

$$10^{-13} \times 6 \times 1.6 = \frac{3}{5} \times 23.04 \times 10^{-29} \left[ \frac{27}{R} \right]$$

$$R = \frac{3 \times 23.04 \times 27 \times 10^{-29}}{6 \times 5 \times 1.6 \times 10^{-13}} = \frac{1866.24 \times 10^{-29}}{16 \times 30 \times 10^{-13}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{No. of Nucleons} &\Rightarrow 2n^2 = 2(2)^2 = 8 \quad (\text{in terms of } n) \\ &\Rightarrow 2(2 \times 0 + 1) + 2(2 \times 1 + 1) = 8 \quad ( \text{ " " } l ) \end{aligned}$$

$$n = 4,$$

$$l = 0, 1, 2, 3$$

$$m_l = 0, \pm 1, 0, -1, +2, +1, 0, -1, -2, \\ +3, +2, +1, 0, -1, -2, -3$$

$$s = \pm \frac{1}{2} \text{ for each } m_l.$$

$$2n^2 = 2(4)^2 = 2 \times 16 = 32$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2(2l+1) &= 2(2 \times 0 + 1) + 2(2 \times 1 + 1) + 2(2 \times 2 + 1) + 2(2 \times 3 + 1) \\ &= 2 + 6 + 10 + 14 = 32 \end{aligned}$$

## SHELL MODEL

To explain Magic no.s, shell model was discovered. The assumption behind Liquid drop model was that the nucleon interacts with its nearest neighbour only. This model was unable to provide several phenomena such as, Magic No.s

$$\boxed{2, 8, 20, 28, 50, 82, 126}$$

Then another hypothesis was proposed acc. to which each nucleon inside the nucleus interacts with the general force field produced by all other nucleons.

$$\text{Sch}^r \text{ eq}^n, \quad \frac{d^2\psi}{dx^2} + \frac{2m}{\hbar^2} (E - V) \psi = 0$$

We use hit & trail method, i.e. different pot<sup>n</sup>s to solve the Sch<sup>r</sup> eq<sup>n</sup> becoz we don't know the exact form of pot<sup>n</sup>.

$$= \frac{1866.24 \times 10^{-15}}{1.6 \times 30 \times 10^9} = \frac{38.88 \times 10^{-15}}{10} = 3.8 \times 10^{-15} \text{ m} = 3.8 \text{ fm}$$

OR By  $E_c = \frac{3}{5} \frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{z(z-1)}{R}$

$$E_{c_2} = E_{c_1} \Rightarrow 6.0 \times 10^6 \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19} = \frac{3}{5} \times 9 \times 10^9 \frac{(1.6 \times 10^{-19})^2}{R} \left[ \frac{14 \times 13}{13 \times 12} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow R = 3.74 \text{ fm}$$

Hydrogen Atom Problem :-

$^1\text{H}$  : 1p & 0n

$n = 1, 2, 3, 4, \dots$

$l = 0 \text{ to } n-1$

$m_l = -l \text{ to } +l$

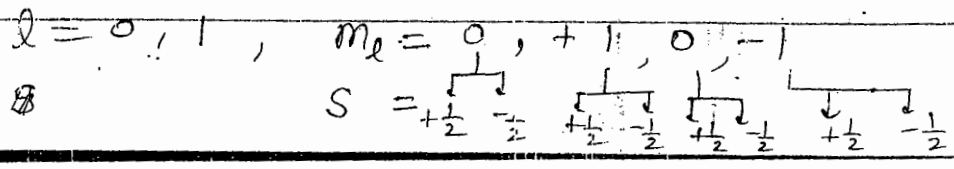
$s = \pm \frac{1}{2}$

- $l = 0 \rightarrow$  S-state      Sharp-Series
- $= 1 \rightarrow$  P-state      Principal Series
- $= 2 \rightarrow$  d- "      Diffusion Series
- $= 3 \rightarrow$  f- "      Fundamental Series
- $= 4 \rightarrow$  g- "
- $= 5 \rightarrow$  h- "
- $= 6 \rightarrow$  i- "

In terms of principal Q. No.  $\Rightarrow$  no. of nucleons  $\equiv 2n^2$

In terms of  $l \Rightarrow$  Max. no. of nucleons  $\equiv 2(2l+1)$

In  $n=2$  state



- V ≡ Linear harmonic pot<sup>n</sup>  
 ≡ Yukawa pot<sup>n</sup>  
 ≡ Wood saxon potential  
 ≡ Square well pot<sup>n</sup> with rounded corners.

→ B. J. Maria Goeppert & H. J. D. Jensen use the technique of spin-orbit interaction, to explain the Magic nos ( $\vec{l}$  interacts with  $\vec{s}$ )

→ The spin-orbit interaction Potential can be written as

$$V_{ls} = -\phi(r) \vec{l} \cdot \vec{s}$$

$$\vec{j} = \vec{l} + \vec{s}$$

$$\vec{j} \cdot \vec{j} = (\vec{l} + \vec{s}) \cdot (\vec{l} + \vec{s})$$

$$\vec{j} \cdot \vec{j} = \vec{l} \cdot \vec{l} + 2\vec{l} \cdot \vec{s} + \vec{s} \cdot \vec{s}$$

$$\vec{l} \cdot \vec{s} = \frac{\vec{j} \cdot \vec{j} - \vec{l} \cdot \vec{l} - \vec{s} \cdot \vec{s}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{j(j+1) - l(l+1) - s(s+1)}{2}$$

There are 2 orientation permitted,

Say  $\epsilon_{ls} = -\langle \phi(r) \rangle \vec{l} \cdot \vec{s}$

for  $j = l + \frac{1}{2}$

$$\vec{l} \cdot \vec{s} = \frac{(l + \frac{1}{2})(l + \frac{3}{2}) - l(l+1) - \frac{1}{2}(\frac{1}{2}+1)}{2}$$

$$= \frac{l^2 + 2l + \frac{3}{4} - l^2 - l - \frac{3}{4}}{2} = \frac{l}{2}$$

& for  $j = l - \frac{1}{2}$

$$\vec{l} \cdot \vec{s} = \frac{(l - \frac{1}{2})(l + \frac{1}{2}) - l(l+1) - \frac{1}{2}(\frac{3}{2})}{2}$$

$$= l$$

$$\vec{l} \cdot \vec{s} = -\frac{(l+1)}{2}$$

i.e.  $\vec{l} \cdot \vec{s} = \frac{l}{2}$  for  $j = l + \frac{1}{2}$

$$\vec{l} \cdot \vec{s} = -\frac{(l+1)}{2} \quad j = l - \frac{1}{2}$$

$$E_{ls} = -\langle \phi(r) \rangle \frac{l}{2} \quad j = l + \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= +\langle \phi(r) \rangle \frac{(l+1)}{2} \quad j = l - \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Delta E = E_{ls}(j = l - \frac{1}{2}) - E_{ls}(j = l + \frac{1}{2})$$

$$\Delta E_{ls} = \frac{(2l+1)}{2} \langle \phi(r) \rangle$$

Observed Empirical formula,

$$\Delta E_{ls} = 10 \langle 2l+1 \rangle A^{-2/3} \text{ meV}$$

Magic Numbers:

2, 8, 20, 28, 50, 82, 126 → neutrons as magic No.

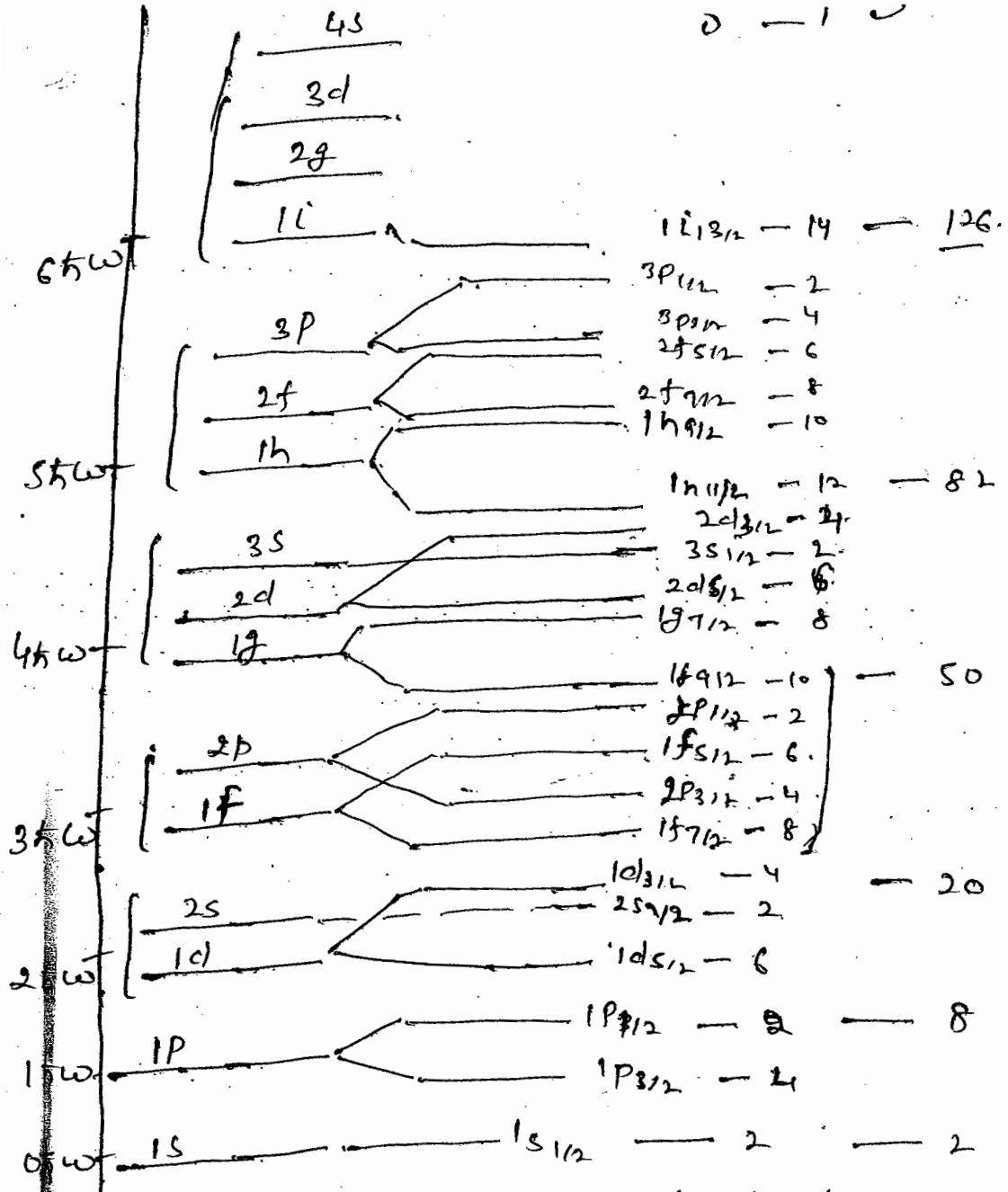
2, 8, 20, 28, 50, 82 → protons " "

Splitting of Energy levels without spin-orbit interaction

This is extreme single particle shell model. Maximum value of ~~spin~~  $I$  is  $9/2$ .

$0, 1 \rightarrow 1, 2,$

S	P	d	f	g	h	i	Energy level	splitting
0	1	2	3	4	5	6	5	3
							4	3
							3	2
							2	2
							1	1
							0	1



Energy level splitting

spin-orbit interaction

(without sp)

(1) 2  
1 s level  
 $l=0$   
Capac

(2) 8  
 $1s^2$ ,  
 $\downarrow$   
 $l=0$   
2(2x)

(3) 20



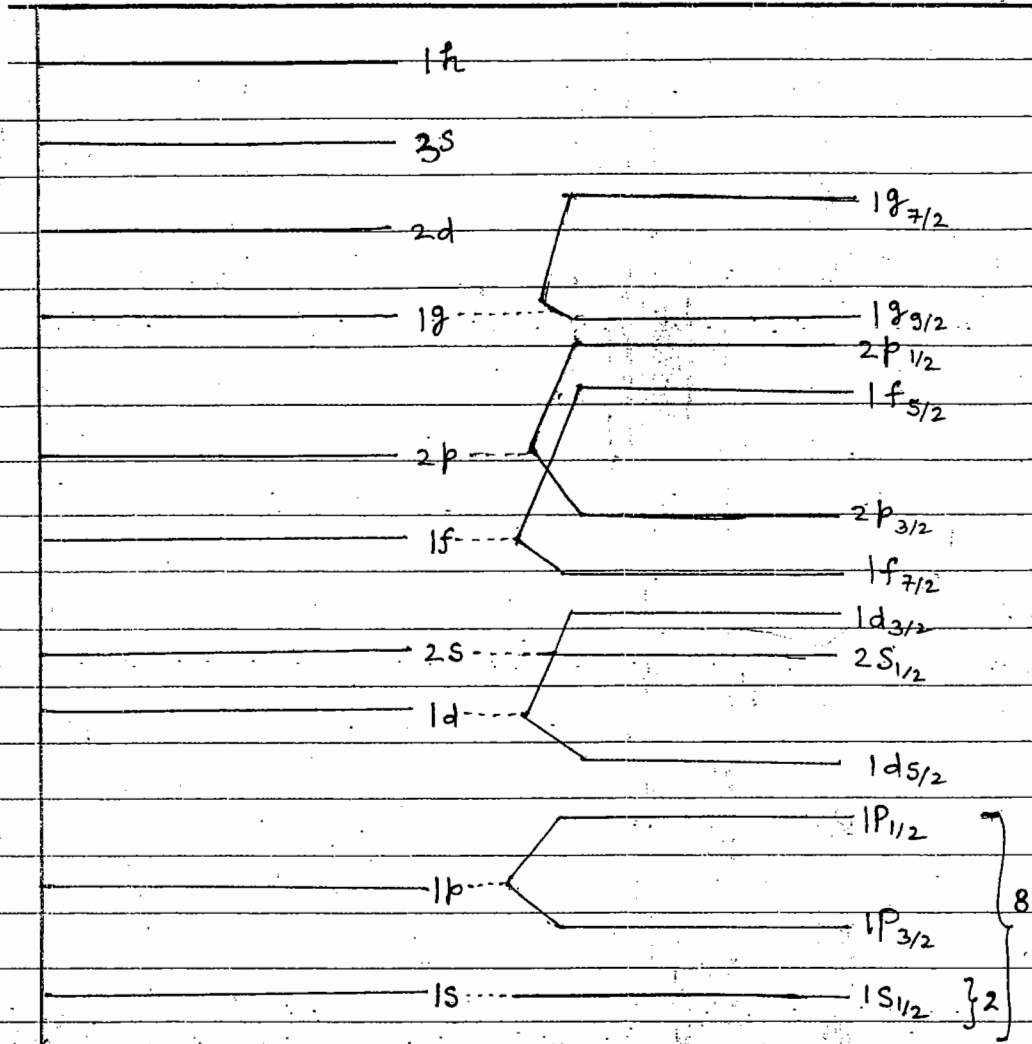


0, 1 → 1 2,

level splitting

1  
2  
2  
1  
1

14 → 126  
2  
5  
0  
4  
0  
4  
2  
1  
50



(Without spin-orbit int.)      (With spin-orbit int.)

20  
8  
2

(1) 2  
1s level  
 $l=0$   
Capacity  $2(2l+1) = (2 \times 0 + 1) 2 = 2$

(2) 8  
 $1s^*$ ,  $1p$   
 $\downarrow$        $\downarrow$   
 $l=0$     $l=1$   
 $2(2 \times 0 + 1) + 2(2 \times 1 + 1) = 2 + 6 = 8$

(3) 20  
 $1s$     $1p$     $1d$     $2s$   
 $\downarrow$     $\downarrow$     $\downarrow$     $\downarrow$   
 $2 + 6 + 10 + 2 = 20$

28

1s 1p 1d 2s 1f

$$2 + 6 + 10 + 2 + 14 = 34 \quad \text{Not a magic No.}$$

Only 3 Magic No's can be explain by this method.

To

All the higher Magic No's disagree with those that are observed & there is no way to remove the discrepancy by ordering the nuclear levels.

In the presence of Spin-orbit interaction nuclear levels are splitted & the level is defined by  $j$  value.

$$j = l \pm s$$

$$j = l + \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= l - \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{Capacity} = 2j + 1$$

for s  $\rightarrow l = 0$  so  $j = \frac{1}{2}$ ,  $j = -\frac{1}{2}$  cant be -ve

so s-level is unsplit.

$$\text{or } p \rightarrow l = 1, \quad j = 1 + \frac{1}{2} \rightarrow \frac{3}{2}$$

$$= 1 - \frac{1}{2} \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{or } d \rightarrow l = 2, \quad j = 2 + \frac{1}{2} \rightarrow \frac{5}{2}$$

$$= 2 - \frac{1}{2} \rightarrow \frac{3}{2}$$

with Spin-Orbit Interaction :-

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$$1s_{1/2} \text{ capacity} = 2(2j + 1) = 2 \times \frac{1}{2} + 1 = 2$$

$$1s_{1/2}, 1p_{3/2}, 1p_{1/2}$$

$$2 + 4 + 2 = 8$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 4s \\ 3d \\ 2f \\ 1i \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 3p \\ 2f \\ 1h \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 3s \\ 2d \\ 1g \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2p \\ f \end{array}$$

$$s$$

$$1d$$

$$1g$$

ting.

(3) 20

$$1s_{1/2} \ 1p_{3/2} \ 1p_{1/2} \ 1d_{5/2} \ 2s_{1/2} \ 1d_{3/2}$$

$$2 + 4 + 2 + 6 + 2 + 4 = 20$$

(4) 28

$$1s_{1/2} \ 1p_{3/2} \ 1p_{1/2} \ 1d_{5/2} \ 2s_{1/2} \ 1d_{3/2} \ 1f_{7/2}$$

$$2 + 4 + 2 + 6 + 2 + 4 + 8 = 28$$

(5) 50

$$1s_{1/2} \ 1p_{3/2} \ 1p_{1/2} \ 1d_{5/2} \ 2s_{1/2} \ 1d_{3/2} \ 1f_{7/2} \ 2p_{3/2} \ 1f_{5/2} \ 2p_{1/2} \ 1g_{9/2}$$

$$2 + 4 + 2 + 6 + 2 + 4 + 8 + 4 + 6 + 2 + 10 = 50$$

### Predictions :-

Spin :- is decided by odd no. of nucleon (p or n)

(1) If both n & p are even then

$$\text{Spin} = 0$$

$0^+$  → even-even nuclei

$^{15}_7\text{N}$

$$N = 15 - 7 = 8 \text{ (Even) } \times$$

$$Z = 7 \text{ (odd) } \checkmark \equiv 1s_{1/2}^2 \ 1p_{3/2}^4 \ 1p_{1/2}^1 \quad (l=1)$$

$$\text{Spin}_I = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{Parity} = (-1)^l = (-1)^1 = -1 \text{ (odd)}$$

$$\text{Spin} = \frac{1}{2}^-$$

$^{17}_8\text{O}$

$$Z = 8$$

$$N = 17 - 8 = 9 \checkmark \equiv 1s_{1/2}^2 \ 1p_{3/2}^4 \ 1p_{1/2}^2 \ 1d_{5/2}^1$$

for d,  $l=2$

$$\text{Parity} = (-1)^2 = 1 \text{ Even}$$

$$\text{Spin} = \frac{5}{2}^+$$



•  ${}_{19}^{39}\text{K}$ ,  $Z \equiv 19$   $1s_{1/2}^2 1p_{3/2}^4 1p_{1/2}^2 1d_{5/2}^6 2s_{1/2}^2 1d_{3/2}^3$

spin =  $3/2$

Parity =  $(-1)^l = (-1)^2 = 1$  even

spin =  $\frac{3}{2}^+$

•  ${}_{8}^{16}\text{O} \rightarrow Z=8, N=8$

Parity  $\rightarrow$  Even

Spin =  $0^+$

•  ${}_{8}^{18}\text{O} \rightarrow Z=8, N=10$ , Parity  $\rightarrow$  Even

Spin =  $0^+$

•  ${}_{7}^{14}\text{N} \rightarrow Z=7 \equiv 1s_{1/2}^2 1p_{3/2}^4 1p_{1/2}^1$

$N=7 \equiv 1s_{1/2}^2 1p_{3/2}^4 1p_{1/2}^1$

$I_1 = \frac{1}{2}$   $I_2 = \frac{1}{2}$

$I = I_1 + I_2$  or  $I_1 - I_2$

$I = 1, 0 \rightarrow$

Naordheim Rule :- (for both n & p  $\rightarrow$  odd)

$\rightarrow$  If  $j_1 + j_2 + l_1 + l_2 \equiv \text{Even}$

spin  $\equiv |j_1 - j_2|$

$\rightarrow$  If  $j_1 + j_2 + l_1 + l_2 \equiv \text{Odd}$

spin  $\equiv |j_1 + j_2|$

Parity ( $\pi$ ) =  $(-1)^{l_1} * (-1)^{l_2}$

It is multiplicative  $\phi$  No.

→ for  ${}^{14}_7\text{N} \rightarrow j_1 + j_2 + l_1 + l_2 = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} + 1 + 1 = 3$  (odd)

$$\text{Spin} = \left| \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \right| = 1$$

$$\text{Parity} \rightarrow (-1)^1 \times (-1)^1 = +1 \quad \text{Even}$$

$$\text{i.e. } \boxed{\text{Spin} = 1^+}$$

•  ${}^{64}_{29}\text{Cu} \rightarrow Z = 29 \equiv \dots \dots \dots 2p_{3/2}^1$   
 $N = 35 \equiv \dots \dots \dots 1f_{5/2}^3$

$$J_1 = \frac{3}{2}, \quad J_2 = \frac{5}{2}, \quad l_1 = 1, \quad l_2 = 3$$

$$j_1 + j_2 + l_1 + l_2 = \frac{3}{2} + \frac{5}{2} + 1 + 3 = \frac{8}{2} + 4 = 8$$

(even)

$$\text{Spin} = |j_1 - j_2| = \left| \frac{3}{2} - \frac{5}{2} \right| = 1$$

$$\text{Parity} = (-1)^1 \times (-1)^3 = +1 \quad \text{even}$$

$$\boxed{\text{Spin} = 1^+}$$

•  ${}^7_3\text{Li} \rightarrow N = 4$   
 $Z = 3 \equiv 1s_{1/2}^2, 1p_{3/2}^2$

$$J = 3/2$$

$$P = (-1)^l = (-1)^1 = -1$$

$$J = \frac{3}{2}^-$$

•  ${}^{13}_6\text{C} \rightarrow N = 7 \equiv 1s_{1/2}^2, 1p_{3/2}^4, 1p_{1/2}^1$   
 $Z = 6$

$$P = (-1)^1 = -1$$

$$J = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^-$$

${}_{16}^{31}\text{P}$        $Z = 16$   
 $N = 15 \equiv 1s_{1/2}^2 1p_{3/2}^4 1p_{1/2}^2 1d_{5/2}^6 1s_{1/2}^2$   
 $P = (-1)^0 = 1$   
 $I = \frac{1}{2}^+$

Ques: Total B.E. of  ${}_{8}^{15}\text{O}$ ,  ${}_{8}^{16}\text{O}$ ,  ${}_{8}^{17}\text{O}$  are 111.96 MeV, 127.62 MeV, 131.76 MeV i.e.

${}_{8}^{15}\text{O}$	${}_{8}^{16}\text{O}$	${}_{8}^{17}\text{O}$
↓	↓	↓
111.96	127.62	131.76

Ques: Energy gap b/w  $1p_{1/2}$  &  $1d_{5/2}$  neutron shells for the nuclei whose mass no. is close to 16.

(a) 4.1      (b) 11.5  
 (c) 15.7       (d) 19.8

${}_{8}^{15}\text{O}$ ,  ${}_{8}^{16}\text{O}$ ,  ${}_{8}^{17}\text{O}$  → isotopes

${}_{8}^{15}\text{O} \rightarrow 1s_{1/2}^2 1p_{3/2}^4 1p_{1/2}^1$   
 ${}_{8}^{16}\text{O} \rightarrow 1s_{1/2}^2 1p_{3/2}^4 1p_{1/2}^2$   
 ${}_{8}^{17}\text{O} \rightarrow 1s_{1/2}^2 1p_{3/2}^4 1p_{1/2}^2 1d_{5/2}^1$

Energy gap b/w  $1p_{1/2}$  &  $1d_{5/2} = ?$   
 ${}_{8}^{15}\text{O}$  &  ${}_{8}^{17}\text{O}$  are differing by no. of neutrons. The energy gap b/w them is simply the B.E. difference b/w p & d states.

$= 131.76 - 111.96 \text{ (MeV)}$   
 $= \underline{19.8 \text{ MeV}}$  A<sub>11</sub>

(d)

Case  
For shell  
model:

$\frac{1^+}{2}$	$\frac{1^-}{2}$	$\frac{3^+}{2}$	$\frac{3^-}{2}$	$\frac{3^-}{2}$	$\frac{3^-}{2}$	$\frac{5^-}{2}$	$\frac{5^-}{2}$	Date: $\frac{7^-}{2}$ $\frac{7^+}{2}$
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•  ${}_{6}^{14}\text{C} \rightarrow Z=6$   
 $N=8$   $I=0^+$  s 0  
p 1

•  ${}_{4}^{9}\text{Be} \rightarrow Z=4$   
 $N=5 \equiv 1s_{1/2}^2 1p_{3/2}^3$  d 2  
f 3  
 $P = (-1)^1 = -1$   
 $I = \frac{3^-}{2}$

•  ${}_{20}^{41}\text{Ca} \rightarrow Z=20$   
 $N=21 \equiv 1s_{1/2}^2 1p_{3/2}^4 1p_{1/2}^2 1d_{5/2}^6 1s_{1/2}^2 1d_{3/2}^4 1f_{7/2}^1$   
 $P = (-1)^3 = -1$   
 $I = \frac{7^-}{2}$

•  ${}_{8}^{15}\text{O} \rightarrow Z=8$   
 $N=7 \equiv 1s_{1/2}^2 1p_{3/2}^4 1p_{1/2}^1$   
 $P = (-1)^1 = -1$   
 $I = \frac{1^-}{2}$

•  ${}_{11}^{23}\text{Na} \rightarrow Z=11 \equiv 1s_{1/2}^2 1p_{3/2}^4 1p_{1/2}^2 1d_{5/2}^1$   
 $N=12$   
 $P = (-1)^2 = 1$   
 $I = \frac{5^+}{2} \rightarrow \text{X wrong}$

Exceptional This is exceptional case.

energy level  
 \*  ${}_{11}^{23}\text{Na} = 1s_{1/2}^2 1p_{3/2}^4 1p_{1/2}^2 1d_{5/2}^3 2s_{1/2}^2$   
 $\downarrow$   
 $1d_{5/2}^2 1d_{3/2}^1$

deciding factor is  $1d_{3/2}$

$I = \frac{3^+}{2}$

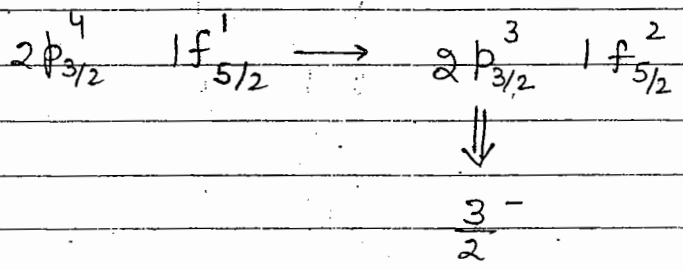


•  $^{75}_{33}\text{As} \Rightarrow Z=33, N=42$

$$33 \equiv 1s_{1/2}^2 1p_{3/2}^4 1p_{1/2}^2 1d_{5/2}^6 1s_{1/2}^2 1d_{3/2}^4 1f_{7/2}^8 2p_{3/2}^4 1f_{5/2}^1$$

Predicted  $\rightarrow \frac{5^-}{2}$

observed  $\rightarrow \frac{3^-}{2}$



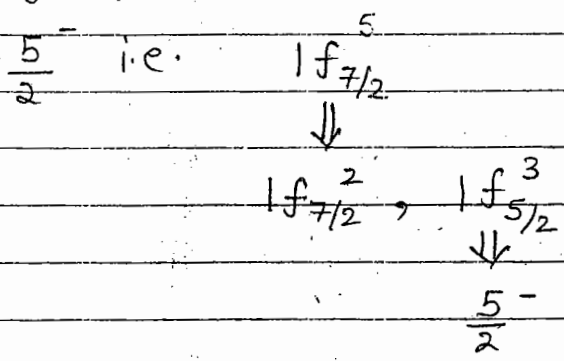
•  $^{61}_{28}\text{Ni} \Rightarrow Z=28, N=33$

33 same as above  $I = \frac{3^-}{2}$

•  $^{55}_{25}\text{Mn} \Rightarrow Z=25, N=30$

$$25 \equiv 1s_{1/2}^2 1p_{3/2}^4 1p_{1/2}^2 1d_{5/2}^6 1s_{1/2}^2 1d_{3/2}^4 1f_{7/2}^5$$

Last nucleon enters in  $1f_{7/2}^5$  state but experimentally it has been observed, the spin parity to be



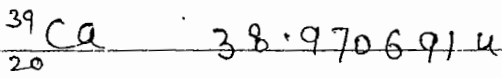
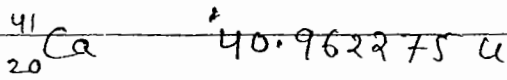
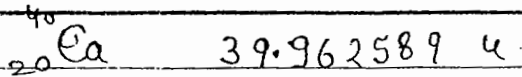
Ques 1- Calculate the energy difference b/w  $1d_{3/2}$ ,  $1f_{7/2}$ , neutron cells corresponding to a neutron no. 20. given that the masses of



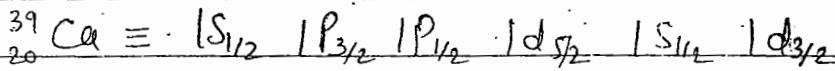
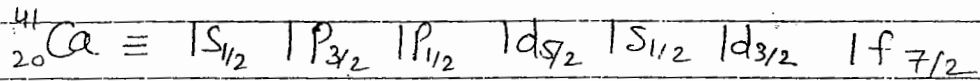


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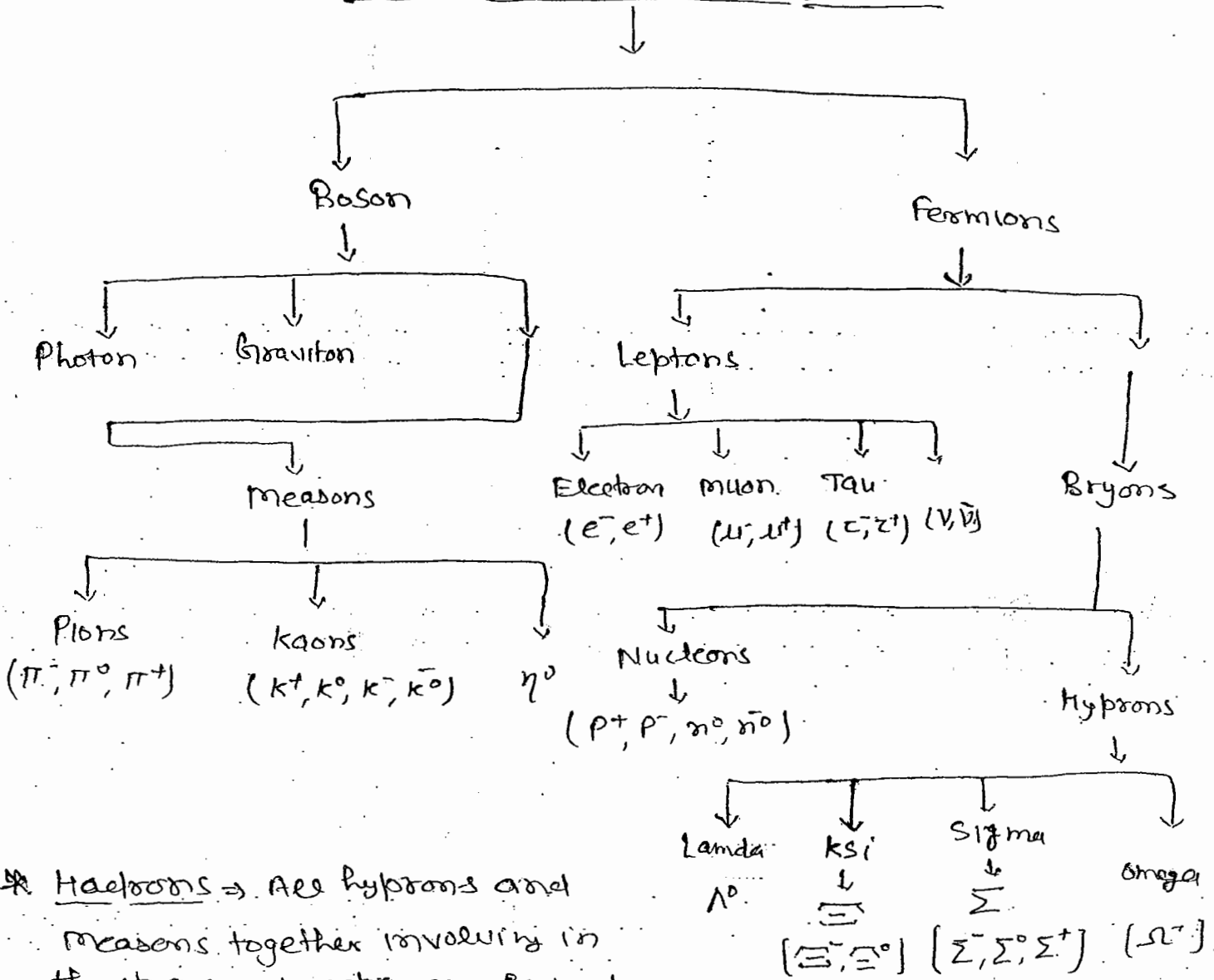


$$m_n \equiv 1.008665 \text{ u}$$



$$\begin{aligned} \text{Energy gap} &= \text{B.E. diff b/w } 1d_{3/2} \text{ \& } 1f_{7/2} \\ &= 40.962275 - 38.970691 \\ &= 1.991584 \end{aligned}$$

# Classification of Elementary Particles



\* Hadrons ⇒ All baryons and mesons together involving in the strong interaction are formed a group called Hadrons and composition of further elementary particles called quarks.

		leptons			Antiparticles $\bar{l}$			
<u>Mesons</u>	Pions (π)	1. <u>electron</u>	$e^-$	0	$h_e$	$e^+$	+1	-1
			$\nu_e$	-1	1	$\bar{\nu}_e$	0	-1
				0	1			
	Kaons (K)	2. <u>muon</u>	$\mu^-$	-1	1	$\mu^+$	+1	-1
			$\nu_\mu$	0	1	$\bar{\nu}_\mu$	0	-1
	η⁰	3. <u>tauon</u>	$\tau^-$	+1	1	$\tau^+$	+1	-1
			$\nu_\tau$	0	1	$\bar{\nu}_\tau$	0	-1
				0	1			

Baryons

- Nucleons → p<sup>+</sup>, p<sup>-</sup>, n<sup>0</sup>, n̄<sup>0</sup>
- Hypérons → p<sup>+</sup>, n̄<sup>0</sup>

Hypérons

- Lambda (Λ) → Λ<sup>0</sup>
- Ksi (Ξ) → Ξ<sup>0</sup>, Ξ<sup>-</sup>
- Sigma (Σ) → Σ<sup>-</sup>, Σ<sup>0</sup>, Σ<sup>+</sup>
- Omega (Ω) → Ω<sup>-</sup>