

4-6. A gold foil of thickness $2.0 \mu\text{m}$ is used in a Rutherford experiment to scatter α particles with energy 7.0 MeV . (a) What fraction of the particles will be scattered at angles greater than 90° ? (b) What fraction will be scattered at angles between 45° and 75° ? (c) Use N_A , ρ , and M for gold to compute the approximate radius of a gold atom. (For gold, $\rho = 19.3 \text{ gm/cm}^3$ and $M = 197 \text{ gm/mol}$.)

4-13. The radius of the $n = 1$ orbit in the hydrogen atom is $a_0 = 0.053 \text{ nm}$. (a) Compute the radius of the $n = 6$ orbit. (b) Compute the radius of the $n = 6$ orbit in singly ionized helium (He^+), which is hydrogenlike, that is, it has only a single electron outside the nucleus.

4-30. An electron in the K shell of Fe is ejected by a high-energy electron in the target of an x-ray tube. The resulting hole in the $n = 1$ shell could be filled by an electron from the $n = 2$ shell, the L shell; however, instead of emitting the characteristic Fe K_α x ray, the atom ejects an Auger electron from the $n = 2$ shell. Using Bohr theory, compute the energy of the Auger electron.

4-40. Three isotopes of hydrogen occur in nature; ordinary hydrogen, deuterium, and tritium. Their nuclei consist of, respectively, 1 proton, 1 proton and 1 neutron (deuteron), and 1 proton and 2 neutrons (triton). The masses of the three nuclei are given in Table 11-1. (a) Use Equation 4-26 to determine Rydberg constants for deuterium and tritium. (b) Determine the wavelength difference between the Balmer α lines of deuterium and tritium. (c) Determine the wavelength difference between the Balmer α lines of hydrogen and tritium.

4-50. Figure 3-15b shows the K_α and K_β characteristic x rays emitted by a molybdenum (Mo) target in an x-ray tube whose accelerating potential is 35 kV . The wavelengths are $K_\alpha = 0.071 \text{ nm}$ and $K_\beta = 0.063 \text{ nm}$. (a) Compute the corresponding energies of these photons. (b) Suppose we wish to prepare a beam consisting primarily of K_α x rays by passing the molybdenum x rays through a material that absorbs K_β x rays more strongly than K_α x rays by photoelectric effect on K -shell electrons of the material. Which of the materials listed in the accompanying table with their K -shell binding energies would you choose? Explain your answer.

Element	Zr	Nb	Mo	Tc	Ru
Z	40	41	42	43	44
E_K (keV)	18.00	18.99	20.00	21.04	22.12