

Big Chem: Unit 9 Electron Structure

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1. What is the wavelength of an electron of mass 9.11×10^{-28} kg traveling at a velocity of 2.00×10^8 m/s? (Planck's constant = 6.63×10^{-34} J/Hz.)

Hint: Substitute in this formula: Ans: 3.64×10^{-15} m.

$$\lambda = \frac{h}{mv}$$

λ = wavelength in meters

v = the velocity in meters/sec

m = the mass in kilograms

h = Planck's constant in J/Hz

Where

Hint: Use the Electron Orbitals (Goose) Chart:

2. Calculate the maximum number of electrons that can occupy the levels when $n = 2, 3, 5,$ and 7 .

3. How many orbitals are in a(n) a. d sublevel, b. f sublevel ?

4. Write the electron configurations of the elements with $Z = 1$ through $Z = 20$. ($Z = \text{atomic number} = \text{the number of electrons to configure}$).

Hint: $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2 3p^6 4s^2 \dots$ etc.

5. Write **electron configurations** and draw the **dot diagrams** for the following elements: *Remember that dot structures use the valence (outermost) electrons and s and p orbitals only.*

a. $Z = 28$, b. $Z = 18$, c. $Z = 16$, d. $Z = 47$, e. $Z = 19$, f. $Z = 32$.

6. How many electrons can exist in the fifth energy level?

See Electronic Energy Levels Chart.

7. What elements are composed of atoms having the following configurations:

Hint: the total number of electrons, Z , is the atomic number.

Use The Periodic Table to determine the element.

a. $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2 3p^6 4s^2 3d^5$

b. $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2 3p^6 4s^2 3d^{10} 4p^6 5s^2 4d^4$

8. Write the electron configurations for niobium and zinc.

9. How many pairs of electrons are there in an atom of boron? an atom of sulfur? an atom of fluorine? *Hint: A filled orbital represents a pair of electrons on the Electronic Energy Levels Chart.*