

333(4) : Triple Check on Energy Levels of H Atom

We have:

$$E = -\frac{mc^2}{2} \frac{d}{a_0} \frac{\lambda_c}{n^2} \quad - (1)$$

where

$$d = \frac{e^2}{4\pi\hbar c \epsilon_0} \quad - (2)$$

$$a_0 = \frac{4\pi\epsilon_0 \hbar^2}{m e^2} \quad - (3)$$

$$\lambda_c = \frac{\hbar}{mc} \quad - (4)$$

So:

$$\begin{aligned} E &= -\frac{mc^2}{2} \left(\frac{e^2}{4\pi\hbar c \epsilon_0} \right) \left(\frac{m e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 \hbar^2} \right) \left(\frac{\hbar}{mc} \right) \frac{1}{n^2} \\ &= -\frac{m e^4}{32\pi^2 \hbar^2 \epsilon_0^2 n^2} \quad - (5) \end{aligned}$$

QED