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**Exa** Example (Solved example)

**Eqn** Equation (Particular equation of the above book)

**AP** Appendix to Example(Scilab Code that is an Appednix to a particular Example of the above book)

For example, Exa 3.51 means solved example 3.51 of this book. Sec 2.3 means a scilab code whose theory is explained in Section 2.3 of the book.

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# Chapter 1

## The Special Theory of Relativity

Scilab code Exa 1.2 Relativistic velocity addition

```
1 // Ex1_2: Page:10 (2014)
2 clc; clear;
3 c = 1; // For simplicity assume speed of light to
        be unity, m/s
4 v = 0.6*c; // Speed of first rocket w.r.t. the
        earth, m/s
5 u_prime = 0.9*c; // Speed of second rocket w.r.t.
        the first, m/s
6 // Case 1: Firing in the same direction as that of
        the first
7 u = (u_prime + v)/(1 + u_prime*v/c^2); // Speed of
        2nd rocket w.r.t. earth from Velocity Addition
        Rule
8 printf("\\nThe speed of second rocket w.r.t. earth
        fired in the same direction = %5.3fc", u);
9 // Case 2: Firing in the opposite direction as that
        of the first
10 u = (-u_prime + v)/(1 - u_prime*v/c^2); // Speed of
        2nd rocket w.r.t. earth from Velocity Addition
```

```

Rule
11 printf("\nThe speed of second rocket w.r.t. earth
    fired in the opposite direction = %5.3fc", u);
12
13 // Result
14 // The speed of second rocket w.r.t. earth fired in
    the same direction = 0.974c
15 // The speed of second rocket w.r.t. earth fired in
    the opposite direction = -0.652c

```

---

### Scilab code Exa 1.3 Length contraction

```

1 // Ex1_3 Page:12 (2014)
2 clc; clear;
3 c = 1; // For simplicity assume speed of light to
    be unity, m/s
4 L0 = 1; // For simplicity assume the classical
    length of the rod to be unity, m
5 d = 1; // Percentage difference of relativistic
    length from the classical length
6 L = (1 - d/100)*L0; // Relativistic length, m
7 v = poly(0, "v"); // Declare speed variable
8 v = roots(1 - v^2 - (L/L0)^2); // Relativistic
    speed of the moving object
9 printf("\nThe speed at which the relativistic value
    for length differ from the classical value by one
    percent = %5.3fc", v(1));
10
11 // Result
12 // The speed at which the relativistic value for
    length differ from the classical value by one
    percent = 0.141c

```

---

### Scilab code Exa 1.4 Speed of an unstable particle

```
1 // Ex1_4 Page:12 (2014)
2 clc; clear;
3 c = 3e+08; // Speed of light in vacuum, m/s
4 delta_tau = 2.6e-08; // Mean lifetime of an
   unstable particle at rest, s
5 d = 20; // Distance travelled by the unstable
   particle before it decays, m
6 v = poly(0, "v"); // Declare the speed variable
7 v = 1/sqrt(roots(d^2*v - (d/c)^2 - delta_tau^2));
   // Speed of the particle in Lab frame from Time
   Dilation relation, m/s
8 printf("\nThe speed at which the unstable particle
   20 m distance before decaying = %3.1e m/s", v);
9
10 // Result
11 // The speed at which the unstable particle 20 m
   distance before decaying = 2.8e+08 m/s
```

---

### Scilab code Exa 1.5 Proper lifetime of the particles

```
1 // Ex1_5 Page:13 (2014)
2 clc; clear;
3 c = 3e+08; // Speed of light in vacuum, m/s
4 v = 0.9*c; // Speed of beam of particles, m/s
5 delta_t = 5e-06; // Mean lifetime of particles as
   measured in the Lab frame, s
6 delta_tau = delta_t*sqrt(1-(v/c)^2); // The
   proper lifetime of the particles from Time
   Dilation Relation, s
7 printf("\nThe proper lifetime of the particles = %4
   .2e s", delta_tau);
8
9 // Result
```

```
10 // The proper lifetime of the particles = 2.18e-06 s
```

---

### Scilab code Exa 1.6 Relativistic variation of mass with velocity

```
1 // Ex1_6 Page:15 (2014)
2 clc; clear;
3 c = 1; // For simplicity assume speed of light to
        be unity, m/s
4 m0 = 1; // For simplicity assume the rest mass, kg
5 d = 1; // Percentage difference of relativistic
        mass from the rest mass, kg
6 m = m0*(1+20/100); // Effective mass of the body
        while moving, kg
7 v = poly(0, "v"); // Declare speed variable
8 v = roots(1 - (v/c)^2 - (m0/m)^2); //
        Relativistic speed of the moving body
9 printf("\nThe relativistic speed of the moving body
        = %5.3fc", v(1));
10
11 // Result
12 // The relativistic speed of the moving body = 0.553
        c
```

---

### Scilab code Exa 1.7 Rate of decrease of mass

```
1 // Ex1_7 Page:17 (2014)
2 clc; clear;
3 c = 3e+08; // Speed of light in vacuum, m/s
4 delta_E = 4e+026; // Rate of radiation of energy
        from the sun, J/s
5 delta_m = delta_E/c^2; // The decrease in mass, kg
6 printf("\nThe decrease in mass = %4.2e kg", delta_m)
        ;
```

```
7
8 // Result
9 // The decrease in mass = 4.44e+09 kg
```

---

Scilab code Exa 1.8 Momentum and velocity of an electron

```
1 // Ex1_8 Page:18 (2014)
2 clc; clear;
3 c = 1; // For simplicity assume speed of light to
        be unity, m/s
4 m_e = 0.512; // The rest energy of an electron, MeV
5 T = 10; // The kinetic energy of the electron, MeV
6 E = T + m_e; // Total energy of the electron, MeV
7 p = sqrt(E^2 - m_e^2)/c; // Momentum of the
        electron from Relativistic Energy Relation, MeV
8 v = poly(0, "v"); // Declare speed variable
9 v = roots(1 - (v/c)^2 - (m_e/E)^2); // Speed of
        the electron from Relativistic Energy Variation
        formula, m/s
10 printf("\nThe momentum of the electron = %4.1f MeV/c
        ", p);
11 printf("\nThe speed of the electron = %6.4fc", v(1))
        ;
12
13 // Result
14 // The momentum of the electron = 10.5 MeV/c
15 // The speed of the electron = 0.9988c
```

---

## Chapter 2

# Particle Nature of Radiation

Scilab code Exa 2.1 Number of photons emitted per second

```
1 // Ex2_1 Page:28 (2014)
2 clc; clear;
3 h = 6.626e-034; // Planck's constant, Js
4 nu = 100e+06; // Operational frequency of the
   source, Hz
5 P = 100e+03; // Power radiated by the source, W
6 E = h*nu; // Energy radiated by the source, J
7 n = P/E; // Number of quanta of energy per second
8 printf("\\nThe number of photons emitted per second =
   %5.3e photons/s", n);
9
10 // Result
11 // The number of photons emitted per second = 1.509e
   +30 photons/s
```

---

Scilab code Exa 2.2 Maximum kinetic energy and speed of photoelectrons

```
1 // Ex2_2 Page:31 (2014)
```

```

2  clc; clear;
3  h = 6.626e-034; // Planck's constant, Js
4  c = 3e+08; // Speed of light, m/s
5  e = 1.6e-019; // Energy equivalent of 1 eV, J
6  m = 9.1e-031; // Mass of an electron, kg
7  w0 = 2.28; // Work function of sodium, eV
8  lambda = 400e-09; // Wavelength of light, m
9  nu = c/lambda; // Frequency of light, Hz
10 KE_max = h*nu/e - w0; // Maximum kinetic energy of
    photoelectrons, eV
11 v = sqrt(2*KE_max*e/m); // Speed of photoelectrons
    , m/s
12 printf("\\nThe maximum kinetic energy of
    photoelectrons = %5.3f eV", KE_max);
13 printf("\\nThe speed of photoelectrons = %4.2e m/s",
    v);
14
15 // Result
16 // The maximum kinetic energy of photoelectrons =
    0.826 eV
17 // The speed of photoelectrons = 5.39e+05 m/s

```

---

**Scilab code Exa 2.3** Cutoff wavelength and stopping potential of Al

```

1 // Ex2_3 Page:31 (2014)
2 clc; clear;
3 h = 6.626e-034; // Planck's constant, Js
4 c = 3e+08; // Speed of light, m/s
5 e = 1.6e-019; // Energy equivalent of 1 eV, J
6 w0 = 4.2; // Work function of aluminium, eV
7 lambda = 2000e-10; // Wavelength of incident light
    , m
8 lambda0 = h*c/(w0*e); // The cut-off wavelength for
    aluminium, m
9 E = h*c/(lambda*e); // Energy of 2000 angstrom

```



```

    photon, eV
10 KE = E - w0;    // Kinetic energy of fastest
    electron, eV
11 printf("\nThe cut-off wavelength for aluminium = %4d
    angstrom", lambda0/1e-010);
12 printf("\nThe stopping potential = %4.2f V", KE);
13
14 // Result
15 // The cut-off wavelength for aluminium = 2958
    angstrom
16 // The stopping potential = 2.01 V

```

---

#### Scilab code Exa 2.4 Momentum and effective mass of a photon

```

1 // Ex2_4 Page:33 (2014)
2 clc; clear;
3 h = 6.626e-034; // Planck's constant, Js
4 c = 3e+08; // Speed of light, m/s
5 lambda = 0.2e-09; // Wavelength of photon, m
6 p = h/lambda; // Momentum of the photon, kgm/s
7 m = p/c; // Effective mass of photon, kg
8 printf("\nThe momentum of the photon = %3.1e kg-m/s"
    , p);
9 printf("\nThe effective mass of photon = %3.1e kg",
    m);
10
11 // Result
12 // The momentum of the photon = 3.3e-24 kg-m/s
13 // The effective mass of photon = 1.1e-32 kg

```

---

#### Scilab code Exa 2.5 Wavelength of scattered X rays at different angles

```

1 // Ex2_5 Page:35 (2014)

```

```

2  clc; clear;
3  h = 6.626e-034; // Planck's constant, Js
4  c = 3e+08; // Speed of light, m/s
5  m0 = 9.1e-031; // Mass of the electron, kg
6  lambda = 0.15e-09; // Wavelength of the incident X-
    rays, m
7  theta = zeros(3); // Declare a row matrix for
    theta
8  theta = [0, 90, 180]; // Scattering angles of
    photons, degree
9  for i = 1:3
10     lambda_prime = lambda + h/(m0*c)*(1 - cosd(theta
        (i))); // New wavelength due to Compton
        Shift, m
11     printf("\nThe wavelength of X-rays scattered at
        %d degrees = %5.3f nm", theta(i),
        lambda_prime/1e-09);
12 end
13
14 // Result
15 // The wavelength of X-rays scattered at 0 degrees =
    0.150 nm
16 // The wavelength of X-rays scattered at 90 degrees
    = 0.152 nm
17 // The wavelength of X-rays scattered at 180 degrees
    = 0.155 nm

```

---

### Scilab code Exa 2.6 Wavelength of a photon for pair production

```

1 // Ex2_6 Page:36 (2014)
2 clc; clear;
3 h = 6.626e-034; // Planck's constant, Js
4 c = 3e+08; // Speed of light in vacuum, m/s
5 E0 = 0.511; // Rest energy of an electron, MeV
6 e = 1.6e-019; // Energy equivalent of 1 eV, J

```

```
7 E = 2*E0*e*1e+06; // Rest energy of electron-  
    positron pair, J  
8 lambda = h*c/E; // Wavelength of photon to bring  
    pair production, m  
9 printf("\nWavelength of a photon that can produce an  
    electron-positron pair = %4.2e m", lambda);  
10  
11 // Result  
12 // Wavelength of a photon that can produce an  
    electron-positron pair = 1.22e-12 m
```

---

# Chapter 3

## Atomic Models

Scilab code Exa 3.1 Alpha particle scattering from gold foil

```
1 // Ex3_1 Page:45 (2014)
2 clc; clear;
3 t = 2e-06; // Thickness of gold foil , m
4 T = 8; // Kinetic energy of alpha-particles , MeV
5 rho = 19.3; // Density of gold foil , g/cm-cube
6 k = 8.984e+09; // Coulomb's constant , N-Sq.m/Sq.C
7 Z = 79; // Atomic number of gold
8 Z_prime = 2; // Atomic number of He nucleus
9 e = 1.6e-019; // Charge on an electron , C
10 A = 197; // Atomic weight of gold
11 N = 6.02e+023; // Avogadro's number , atoms/mol
12 n = N*rho*1e+06/A; // Number density of atoms ,
    atoms/metre-cube
13 b = k*Z*Z_prime*e^2/(2*T*1e+06*e); // Impact
    parameter for alpha particle , m
14 f = %pi*b^2*n*t; // Fraction of alpha-particles
    scattered at angles greater than 90 degrees
15 printf("\\nFraction of alpha-particles scattered at
    angles greater than 90 degrees = %3.1e", f);
16
17 // Result
```

```
18 // Fraction of alpha-particles scattered at angles
    greater than 90 degrees = 7.5e-05
```

---

**Scilab code Exa 3.3** Wavelength of photon for ionizing an H atom

```
1 // Ex3_3 Page:48 (2014)
2 clc; clear;
3 h = 6.626e-034; // Planck's constant, Js
4 c = 3e+08; // Speed of light in vacuum, m/s
5 e = 1.6e-019; // Charge on an electron, C
6 T = 10.5; // Kinetic energy of ejected electron,
    eV
7 E = 13.6 + T; // Energy of the photon, eV
8 lambda = h*c/(E*e); // Wavelength of incident photon
    from Planck's Quantum relation, m
9 printf("\nWavelength of the photon that would ionize
    a hydrogen atom = %5.2f nm", lambda/1e-09);
10
11 // Result
12 // Wavelength of the photon that would ionize a
    hydrogen atom = 51.55 nm
```

---

**Scilab code Exa 3.6** Wavelength of H alpha line for deuterium

```
1 // Ex3_6 Page:51 (2014)
2 clc; clear;
3 M = 1; // For simplicity assume mass of a proton
    to be unity, amu
4 m_e = 1/1836; // Mass of an electron, amu
5 m_d = 2*M; // Mass of a deuterium, amu
6 lambda = 6562.8; // Wavelength of H_alpha line of
    hydrogen, angstrom
```

```
7 mu = M/(1 + M/m_e); // Reduced mass of an electron-
  proton system, amu
8 mu_prime = m_d/(1 + m_d/m_e); // Reduced mass of
  an electron-deuterium system, amu
9 lambda_prime = lambda*mu/mu_prime; // Wavelength of
  H_alpha line of deuterium, angstrom
10 printf("\nThe wavelength of H_alpha line of
  deuterium = %4d angstrom", lambda_prime);
11
12 // Result
13 // The wavelength of H_alpha line of deuterium =
  6561 angstrom
```

---

# Chapter 4

## Wave Mechanical Concepts

Scilab code Exa 4.2 de Broglie wavelength of an electron

```
1 // Ex4_2 Page:59 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 e = 1.6e-019; // Energy conversion factor, J/eV
4 m = 9.1e-031; // Mass of an electron, kg
5 h = 6.626e-034; // Planck's constant, Js
6 c = 3e+08; // Speed of light in vacuum, m/s
7 // Non-relativistic case:
8 E = 1; // Kinetic energy of an electron, eV
9 p = sqrt(2*m*E*e); // Momentum of the electron,
    kg-m/s
10 lambda = h/p*1e+09; // de-Broglie wavelength of
    electron, nm
11 printf("\nNon-relativistic Case:\nThe de-Broglie
    wavelength of electron = %3.1f nm", lambda);
12 // Relativistic case:
13 KE = 100; // Kinetic energy of an electron, MeV
14 p = KE*e/c*1e+06; // Relativistic momentum of the
    electron, kg-m/s
15 lambda = h/p; // de-Broglie wavelength of
    electron, m
16 printf("\nRelativistic case:\nThe de-Broglie
```

```

    wavelength of electron = %5.3e m", lambda);
17
18
19 // Result
20 // Non-relativistic Case:
21 // The de-Broglie wavelength of electron = 1.2 nm
22 // Relativistic case:
23 // The de-Broglie wavelength of electron = 1.242e-14
    m

```

---

#### Scilab code Exa 4.3 Uncertainty in position of an electron

```

1 // Ex4_3 Page:64 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 m = 9.1e-031; // Mass of an electron , kg
4 h_cross = 1.05e-034; // Reduced Planck's constant ,
    Js
5 v = 4e+06; // Speed of the electron , m/s
6 p = m*v; // Momentum of the electron , kg-m/s
7 delta_p = p/100; // Uncertainty in momentum of
    the electron , kg-m/s
8 delta_x = h_cross*1e+09/(2*delta_p); //
    Uncertainty in position of the electron , nm
9 printf("\nThe uncertainty in position of the
    electron = %4.2f nm", delta_x);
10
11 // Result
12 // The uncertainty in position of the electron =
    1.44 nm

```

---

#### Scilab code Exa 4.4 Width of the spectral line

```

1 // Ex4_4 Page:64 (2014)

```



```
2 clc;clear;
3 c = 3e+08; // Speed of the electron , m/s
4 lambda = 4000e-010; // Wavelength of the spectral
   line , m
5 delta_t = 1e-08; // Average lifetime of an
   excited atomic state , s
6 delta_lambda = lambda^2/(4*pi*c*delta_t); //
   Natural width of the spectral line , m
7 printf("\nThe natural width of the spectral line =
   %4.2e m", delta_lambda);
8
9 // Result
10 // The natural width of the spectral line = 4.24e
    -015 m
```

---

## Chapter 6

# Quantum Mechanics of Simple Systems

Scilab code Exa 6.1 Probability of finding an electron in a square well

```
1 // Ex6_1 Page:90 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 a = 2e-010; // Length of the square well, m
4 x1 = 0; // Lower limit of position, m
5 x2 = 0.25e-010; // Upper limit of position, m
6 P = integrate('(sqrt(2/a)*sin(%pi*x/a))^2', 'x', x1,
7 x2); // Probabilitiy of finding the electron in
8 the given region
9 printf("\nThe probabilitiy of finding the electron
10 in the region x = 0 to 0.25e-010 = %6.4f ", P);
11
12 // Result
13 // The probabilitiy of finding the electron in the
14 region x = 0 to 0.25e-010 = 0.0125
```

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Scilab code Exa 6.2 Zero point energy and force constant of a CO molecule

```

1 // Ex6_2 Page:96 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 v0 = 6.43e+013; // The vibrational frequency of CO
   molecule , Hz
4 e = 1.6e-019; // Energy conversion factor , J/eV
5 mu = 1.1385e-026; // The reduced mass of CO
   molecule , kg
6 h = 6.626e-034; // Planck's constant , Js
7 E0 = 1/(2*e)*h*v0; // Zero point energy , eV
8 k = 4*(22/7*v0)^2*mu; // Force constant of the CO
   bond , N/m
9 printf("\nThe zero point energy of the CO bond = %5
   .3f eV", E0);
10 printf("\nThe force constant of the CO bond = %4d N/
   m", k);
11
12 // Result
13 // The zero point energy of the CO bond = 0.133 eV
14 // The force constant of the CO bond = 1859 N/m

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**Scilab code Exa 6.6** Energy difference between the first two rotational levels of C

```

1 // Ex6_6 Page:104 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 e = 1.6e-019; // Energy conversion factor , J/eV
4 h_cross = 1.054e-034; // reduced Planck's
   constant , Js
5 r = 1.131e-010; // Intermolecular separation of
   CO molecule , m
6 m_Carbon = 19.9217e-027; // Mass of carbon atom ,
   kg
7 m_Oxygen = 26.5614e-027; // Mass of oxygen atom ,
   kg
8 mu = m_Carbon*m_Oxygen/(m_Carbon+m_Oxygen); //
   Reduced mass of CO molecule , kg

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9 I = mu*r^2; // Moment of inertia of CO molecule,
  kg-Sq.m
10 delta_E = h_cross^2/(I*e); // Energy difference
  between the first two rotational energy levels of
  CO molecule, eV
11 printf("\nThe energy difference between the first
  two rotational energy levels of CO molecule = %4
  .2e eV", delta_E);
12
13 // Result
14 // The energy difference between the first two
  rotational energy levels of CO molecule = 4.77e
  -004 eV

```

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#### Scilab code Exa 6.7 Orbital angular momentum

```

1 // Ex6_7 Page:105 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 l = 1; // Orbital angular momentum quantum number
4 m = [1, 0, -1]; // The possible z-components of l
5 printf("\nThe possible orientations of vector L with
  respect to the z-axis are:");
6 for i = 1:3
7     theta = acosd(m(i)/sqrt(l*(l+1)));
8     printf("\ntheta = %d degree (m = %d)", theta, m(
  i));
9 end
10
11 // Result
12 // The possible orientations of vector L with
  respect to the z-axis are:
13 // theta = 45 degree (m = 1)
14 // theta = 90 degree (m = 0)
15 // theta = 135 degree (m = -1)

```

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# Chapter 7

## Atomic Physics

Scilab code Exa 7.1 Energy difference between 2p states of hydrogen atom

```
1 // Ex7_1 Page:113 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 e = 1.6e-019; // Energy conversion factor , J/eV
4 mu_B = 9.27e-024; // Bohr magneton, J/T
5 B = 3; // Magnetic field , T
6 m_l = [-1, 1]; // Orbital magnetic quantum number
7 dE = mu_B*B*(m_l(2)-m_l(1))/e; // Energy
   difference between m_l = -1 and m_l = +1, eV
8 printf("\nThe energy difference between m_l = -1 and
   m_l = +1 components in 2p state = %4.2e eV", dE)
   ;
9
10 // Result
11 // The energy difference between m_l = -1 and m_l =
   +1 components in 2p state = 3.48e-004 eV
```

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Scilab code Exa 7.3 d electron of a H atom subjected to the vector atom model

```

1 // Ex7_3 Page:118 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 l = 2; // Orbital angular momentum quantum number
4 s = 0.5; // Spin quantum number
5 state = ["D(5/2)", "D(3/2)"]; // States of the d-
    electron
6 j = [1 + s, 1 - s]; // Total angular momentum
    quantum number
7 for i = 1:2
8     theta(i) = acosd((j(i)*(j(i)+1) - l*(l+1) - s*(s
        +1))/(2*sqrt(l*(l+1))*sqrt(s*(s+1))));
9     printf("\nThe angle between L and S for %s state
        = %5.2f degree", state(i), theta(i));
10 end
11
12 // Result
13 // The angle between L and S for D(5/2) state =
    61.87 degree
14 // The angle between L and S for D(3/2) state =
    135.00 degree

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Scilab code Exa 7.6 LS coupling of electrons in 4p and 4d subshells

```

1 // Ex7_6 Page:126 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 l1 = 1; // Orbital angular momentum quantum
    number of first electron
4 l2 = 2; // Orbital angular momentum quantum
    number of second electron
5 s1 = 0.5; // Spin quantum number of first
    electron
6 s2 = 0.5; // Spin quantum number of second
    electron
7 L_max = l1 + l2;
8 L_min = l2 - l1;

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 9 S_max = s1 + s2;
10 S_min = s1 - s2;
11 printf("\nThe possible values of L, S and J are:");
12 for L = L_max:-1:L_min
13     for S = S_max:-1:S_min
14         J_max = L + S; J_min = L - S;
15         printf("\nL = %d, S = %d, J = ", L, S);
16         for J = J_max:-1:J_min
17             if (J <> J_min) then
18                 printf("%d, ", J);
19             else
20                 printf("%d", J);
21             end
22         end
23     end
24 end
25
26 // Result
27 // The possible values of L, S and J are:
28 // L = 3, S = 1, J = 4, 3, 2
29 // L = 3, S = 0, J = 3
30 // L = 2, S = 1, J = 3, 2, 1
31 // L = 2, S = 0, J = 2
32 // L = 1, S = 1, J = 2, 1, 0
33 // L = 1, S = 0, J = 1

```

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#### Scilab code Exa 7.10 Lande g factor for various states

```

1 // Ex7_10 Page:136 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 // Case 1: For pure orbital angular momentum
4 S = poly(0, 'S'); // Total spin angular momentum
   variable
5 S = 0; // S value for pure orbital angular
   momentum

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6 L = poly(0, 'L'); // Total orbital angular
    momentum variable
7 J = L + S; // J value for pure orbital angular
    momentum
8 g = horner(1 + (J*(J + 1) + S*(S + 1) - L*(L + 1))
    /(2*J*(J + 1)), 0); // Lande's g-factor
9 printf("\nFor pure orbital angular momentum, g = %d"
    , g);
10 // Case 2: For pure spin angular momentum
11 S = poly(0, 'S'); // Total spin angular momentum
    variable
12 L = 0; // L value for pure spin angular momentum
13 J = L + S; // J value for pure spin angular
    momentum
14 g = horner(1 + (J*(J + 1) + S*(S + 1) - L*(L + 1))
    /(2*J*(J + 1)), 0); // Lande's g-factor
15 printf("\nFor pure spin angular momentum, g = %d", g
    );
16 // Case 3: For state 3P1
17 S = 1; // S value for pure spin angular momentum
18 L = 1; // L value for pure spin angular momentum
19 J = L + S; // J value for pure spin angular
    momentum
20 g = horner(1 + (J*(J + 1) + S*(S + 1) - L*(L + 1))
    /(2*J*(J + 1)), 0); // Lande's g-factor
21 printf("\nFor 3P1 state , g = %d/2", 2*g);
22
23 // Result
24 // For pure orbital angular momentum, g = 1
25 // For pure spin angular momentum, g = 2
26 // For 3P1 state , g = 3/2

```

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Scilab code Exa 7.12 L alpha X rays and L electrons from silver

1 // Ex7\_12 Page:141 (2014)



```

2  clc;clear;
3  E_K_alpha = 21.99;    // The energy in silver for
   K_alpha X-ray, keV
4  E_K_beta = 25.145;   // The energy in silver for
   K_beta X-ray, keV
5  EB_K = 25.514;      // The binding energy of K
   electron in silver, keV
6  E_L_alpha = E_K_beta - E_K_alpha;    // The energy
   in silver for L_alpha X-ray, keV
7  EB_L = -EB_K + E_K_alpha;    // The binding energy
   of L electron in silver, keV
8  printf("\nThe energy of the L_alpha X-ray = %5.3f
   keV", E_L_alpha);
9  printf("\nThe binding energy of the L electron = %5
   .3f keV", EB_L);
10
11 // Result
12 // The energy of the L_alpha X-ray = 3.155 keV
13 // The binding energy of the L electron = -3.524 keV

```

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### Scilab code Exa 7.13 Energy of K alpha X rays of sodium

```

1  // Ex7_13 Page:141 (2014)
2  clc;clear;
3  Z = 11;    // Atomic number of sodium
4  h = 6.626e-034;    // Planck's constant, Js
5  e = 1.6e-019;    // Energy conversion factor, J/eV
6  c = 3e+08;    // Speed of light in vacuum, m/s
7  R_inf = 1.097e+07;    // Rydberg constant, per metre
8  E_K_alpha = (3*h*c*R_inf*(Z - 1)^2)/(4*e*1e+03);
   // The energy of the K_alpha X-ray of sodium, keV
9  printf("\nThe energy of the K_alpha X-ray of sodium
   = %4.2f keV", E_K_alpha);
10
11 // Result

```

12 // The energy of the K\_alpha X-ray of sodium = 1.02  
keV

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# Chapter 8

## Statistical Physics

Scilab code Exa 8.2 Silver as a Fermi Dirac system

```
1 // Ex8_2 Page:164 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 h = 6.626e-034; // Planck's constant, Js
4 m = 9.1e-031; // Mass of an electron, kg
5 e = 1.6e-019; // Energy conversion factor, J/eV
6 rho = 10.5; // Density of silver, g/cc
7 M = 108; // Atomic weight of silver, g/mol
8 N_A = 6.02e+023 // Avogadro's number, atoms/mol
9 n = rho*N_A/(M*1e-06); // Number density of
  conduction electrons, per/metre-cube
10 E_F = h^2/(8*m*e)*(3/%pi*n)^(2/3); // Fermi
  energy, eV
11 E_bar = 3/5*E_F; // Mean energy of electron at 0
  K, eV
12 printf("\nThe number density of conduction electrons
  = %4.2e per metre-cube", n);
13 printf("\nThe Fermi energy for silver = %4.2f eV",
  E_F);
14 printf("\nThe mean energy of the electron at 0 K =
  %4.2f eV", E_bar);
15
```

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16 // Result
17 // The number density of conduction electrons = 5.85
    e+028 per metre-cube
18 // The Fermi energy for silver = 5.51 eV
19 // The mean energy of the electron at 0 K = 3.31 eV

```

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**Scilab code Exa 8.3** Electronic contribution to the molar heat capacity of silver

```

1 // Ex8_3 Page:164 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 T = 300; // Room temperature, K
4 E_F = 5.49; // Fermi energy, eV
5 k = 1.38e-023; // Boltzmann constant, J/K
6 e = 1.602e-019; // Energy conversion factor, J/eV
7 C_v = %pi^2*k*T/(2*E_F*e); // Molar heat capacity
    , J/mol/K
8 printf("\nThe molar heat capacity = %6.4f R", C_v);
9
10 // Result
11 // The molar heat capacity = 0.0232 R

```

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# Chapter 9

## Molecular Spectra

Scilab code Exa 9.1 Bond length of CO molecule

```
1 // Ex9_1 Page:172 (2014)
2 clc; clear;
3 d = 3.8626; // The average spacing between
    adjacent rotational lines of CO molecule , per cm
4 B = d/2*100; // Rotational constant , per m
5 h = 6.626e-034; // Planck's constant , Js
6 c = 3e+08; // Speed of light in vacuum, m/s
7 I = h/(8*%pi^2*B*c); // Moment of inertia of the
    CO molecule , kg/Sq.m
8 N_A = 6.022e+023; // Avogadro's number , atoms/mol
9 M_C = 0.012; // Isotopic masses of C-12 atom, kg/
    mol
10 M_O = 0.016; // Isotopic masses of O-16 atom, kg
    /mol
11 mu = M_C*M_O/((M_C + M_O)*N_A); // Reduced mass
    of CO molecule , kg
12 r = sqrt(I/mu); // Bond length of CO, m
13 printf("\n\nThe bond length of CO = %5.3e m", r);
14
15 // Result
16 // The bond length of CO = 1.128e-010 m
```

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Scilab code Exa 9.3 Vibrational energy states of NO molecule

```
1 // Ex9_3 Page:175 (2014)
2 clc; clear;
3 f0 = 1876.06; // Fundamental frequency of NO
   molecule , per cm
4 f1 = 3724.2; // First overtone frequency of NO
   molecule , per cm
5 A = [f0 2; f1/2 3]; // Declare the 2 X 2 matrix
   for multiplication
6 I = [1;1]; // Unity column matrix
7 X = inv(A)*I; // Eigen value matrix
8 nu_e_bar = 1/X(1); // Equilibrium vibrational
   frequency , per cm
9 x_e = X(2); // Anharmonicity constant
10 E0 = 1/2*nu_e_bar; // Zero point energy of the
   molecule , per cm
11 printf("\\nThe equilibrium vibrational frequency = %7
   .2f per cm", nu_e_bar);
12 printf("\\nThe anharmonicity constant = %4.2e", x_e);
13 printf("\\nThe zero point energy of the molecule =
   %3d per cm", ceil(E0));
14
15 // Result
16 // The equilibrium vibrational frequency = 1903.98
   per cm
17 // The anharmonicity constant = 7.33e-003
18 // The zero point energy of the molecule = 952 per
   cm
```

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Scilab code Exa 9.4 Force constant of the HCl bond

```

1 // Ex9_4 Page:175 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 PI = 3.14;
4 u = 1.67e-027; // Mass equivalent of 1 amu, kg/
    amu
5 c = 3e+008; // Speed of light in vacuum, m/s
6 lambda0 = 3.465e-006; // Wavelength of
    vibrational absorption line of HCl molecule, m
7 m1 = 1.0087; // Mass of H atom, amu
8 m2 = 35.453; // Mass of Cl atom, amu
9 mu = m1*m2/(m1 + m2)*u; // Reduced mass of HCl
    molecule, kg
10 k = 4*PI^2*mu*(c/lambda0)^2; // Force constant of
    H-Cl bond, N/m
11 printf("\nForce constant of the H-Cl bond = %5.1f N/
    m", k);
12
13 // Result
14 // Force constant of the H-Cl bond = 484.2 N/m

```

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#### Scilab code Exa 9.5 Vibrational frequency for Raman shift

```

1 // Ex9_5 Page:187 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 lambda_ex = 4358.3; // Wavelength of the exciting
    radiation, angstrom
4 lambda_R = 4768.5; // Wavelength of the Raman
    line, angstrom
5 nu_prime = 1/lambda_ex*1e+08; // Wave number of
    the exciting radiation, per cm
6 nu_prime_R = 1/lambda_R*1e+08; // Wave number of
    the Raman line, per cm
7 nu = nu_prime - nu_prime_R; // Vibrational
    frequency of the sample, per cm
8 printf("\nThe vibrational frequency of the sample =

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    %4d per cm", ceil(nu));
9
10 // Result
11 // The vibrational frequency of the sample = 1974
    per cm

```

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### Scilab code Exa 9.6 Bond length of hydrogen molecule

```

1 // Ex9_6 Page:188 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 h = 6.626e-034; // Planck's constant, Js
4 c = 3e+08; // Speed of light in vacuum, m/s
5 m = 1.673e-027; // Mass of protium, kg
6 m1 = m; // Mass of first hydrogen atom, kg
7 m2 = m; // Mass of second hydrogen atom, kg
8 nu_prime = 346; // Wave number of the first
    rotational Raman line of hydrogen, per cm
9 B = nu_prime*1e+02/6; // Rotational constant of a
    hydrogen molecule, per m
10 I = h/(8*pi^2*B*c); // Moment of inertia of
    hydrogen molecule, kg Sq.m
11 mu = m1*m2/(m1 + m2); // Reduced mass of hydrogen
    molecule, kg
12 r = sqrt(I/mu); // Bond length of hydrogen
    molecule, m
13 printf("\nThe bond length of hydrogen molecule = %4
    .2e m", r);
14
15 // Result
16 // The bond length of hydrogen molecule = 7.62e-011
    m

```

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### Scilab code Exa 9.7 Magnetic field strength to observe an NMR spectrum



```

1 // Ex9_7 Page:193 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 h = 6.626e-034; // Planck's constant, Js
4 nu = 120e+06; // Operating frequency, Hz
5 g_N = 5.585; // Nuclear g-factor
6 mu_N = 5.0508e-027; // Nuclear magneton, J/T
7 B0 = h*nu/(g_N*mu_N); // Magnetic field strength
// required to observe the NMR spectrum, T
8 printf("\nThe magnetic field strength required to
// observe the NMR spectrum = %5.3f T", B0);
9
10 // Result
11 // The magnetic field strength required to observe
// the NMR spectrum = 2.819 T

```

---

#### Scilab code Exa 9.8 Chemical shift in benzene and TMS

```

1 // Ex9_8 Page:194 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 h = 6.626e-034; // Planck's constant, Js
4 B0 = 1.65; // Magnetic field strength required to
// observe the NMR spectrum, T
5 g_N = 5.585; // Nuclear g-factor
6 mu_N = 5.0508e-027; // Nuclear magneton, J/T
7 nu = g_N*mu_N*B0/h; // Operating frequency, Hz
8 d_nu = 510e+06; // Frequency separation between
// protons in benzene and TMS, Hz
9 delta = d_nu/nu; // Chemical shift in NMR
// spectrum, ppm
10 printf("\nChemical shift in NMR spectrum = %4.2f ppm
// ", delta);
11
12 // Result
13 // Chemical shift in NMR spectrum = 7.26 ppm

```

---

Scilab code Exa 9.10 Electron g factor in ESR resonance

```
1 // Ex9_10 Page:198 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 h = 6.626e-034; // Planck's constant, Js
4 B0 = 1.3; // External magnetic field, T
5 mu_B = 9.27e-024; // Bohr's magneton, J/T
6 nu = 35e+009; // Operating frequency, Hz
7 g = h*nu/(mu_B*B0); // Electron g-factor
8 printf("\nThe electron g-factor for the unpaired
   electron = %5.3f", g);
9
10 // Result
11 // The electron g-factor for the unpaired electron =
   1.924
```

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# Chapter 10

## Crystal Structure and Bonding

Scilab code Exa 10.1 Miller indices of the plane

```
1 // Ex10_1 Page:211 (2014)
2 clc; clear;
3 m = 2; n = 3; p = 1; // Coefficients of intercepts
   along the crystallographic axes
4 m_inv = 1/m; // Reciprocal of the first
   coefficient
5 n_inv = 1/n; // Reciprocal the second
   coefficient
6 p_inv = 1/p; // Reciprocal the third
   coefficient
7 mul_fact = double(lcm(int32([m,n,p]))); // LCM of m,
   n and p
8 i1 = m_inv*mul_fact; // Clear the first fraction
9 i2 = n_inv*mul_fact; // Clear the second fraction
10 i3 = p_inv*mul_fact; // Clear the third fraction
11 printf("\\nThe Miller indices of the plane are (%d %d
   %d) ", i1, i2, i3);
12
13 // Result
14 // The Miller indices of the plane are (3 2 6)
```

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Scilab code Exa 10.2 Miller indices of the plane parallel to z axis

```
1 // Ex10_2 Page:211 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 p = 2; q = 3/2; r = %inf; // Coefficients of
   intercepts along the x-, y- and z-axes
4 inv_p = 1/p; // Reciprocal of the first
   coefficient
5 inv_q = 1/q; // Reciprocal the second
   coefficient
6 inv_r = 1/r; // Reciprocal the third
   coefficient
7 mul_fact = double(lcm(int32([p, q*2]))); // LCM of p
   and twice of q
8 m1 = inv_p*mul_fact; // Clear the first fraction
9 m2 = inv_q*mul_fact; // Clear the second fraction
10 m3 = inv_r*mul_fact; // Clear the third fraction
11 printf("\nThe Miller indices of the plane parallel
   to z-axis are (%d %d %d) ", m1, m2, m3);
12
13 // Result
14 // The Miller indices of the plane parallel to z-
   axis are (3 4 0)
```

---

Scilab code Exa 10.6 Interplanar spacing of silver planes

```
1 // Ex10_6 Page:213 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 r = 0.152e-09; // Atomic radius of silver , m
4 a = 4*r/sqrt(2); // Lattice parameter for silver ,
   m
5 // Case-I
```

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6 h = 2; k = 3; l = 1; // Miller Indices for first set
  of planes
7 d_231 = a/(h^2+k^2+l^2)^(1/2); // The interplanar
  spacing of (2 3 1) planes , m
8 printf("\nThe interplanar spacing of (2 3 1) planes
  = %6.4f nm", d_231/1e-09);
9 // Case-II
10 h = 1; k = 1; l = 0; // Miller Indices for second
  set of planes
11 d_110 = a/(h^2+k^2+l^2)^(1/2); // The interplanar
  spacing of (1 1 0) planes , m
12 printf("\nThe interplanar spacing of (1 1 0) planes
  = %5.3f nm", d_110/1e-09);
13
14 // Result
15 // The interplanar spacing of (2 3 1) planes =
  0.1149 nm
16 // The interplanar spacing of (1 1 0) planes = 0.304
  nm

```

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**Scilab code Exa 10.7** Miller indices of the plane in a cubic crystal

```

1 // Ex10_7 Page:213 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 a = 0.424e-09; // Lattice parameter of cubic
  crystal , m
4 p = 2; q = %inf; r = 1; // Coefficients of
  intercepts along the x-, y- and z-axes
5 inv_p = 1/p; // Reciprocal of the first
  coefficient
6 inv_q = 1/q; // Reciprocal the second
  coefficient
7 inv_r = 1/r; // Reciprocal the third
  coefficient
8 mul_fact = double(lcm(int32([p, r]))); // LCM of p

```

```

    and r
 9 h = inv_p*mul_fact;    // Clear the first fraction
10 k = inv_q*mul_fact;    // Clear the second fraction
11 l = inv_r*mul_fact;    // Clear the third fraction
12 d_102 = a/(h^2+k^2+l^2)^(1/2); // The interplanar
    spacing of (1 0 2) planes , m
13 printf("\nThe Miller indices are (%d %d %d) ", h, k,
    l);
14 printf("\nThe interplanar spacing = %6.4f nm", d_102
    /1e-09);
15
16 // Result
17 // The Miller indices are (1 0 2)
18 // The interplanar spacing = 0.1896 nm

```

---

#### Scilab code Exa 10.8 Number of atoms per unit cell of lead

```

1 // Ex10_8 Page:214 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 a = 3.2e-10; // Lattice parameter for lead , m:
4 M = 207.2; // Atomic weight of Pb, gram per
    mole
5 rho = 11.36e+03; // Density of Pb, kg per metre
    cube
6 N = 6.023D+26; // Avogadro's No., per k-mol
7 // Volume of the unit cell is given by
8 // a^3 = M*n/(N*rho)
9 // Solving for n
10 n = a^3*rho*N/M; // Number of atoms per unit cell
11 printf("\nThe number of atoms per unit cell for an
    fcc lattice of lead = %d", n);
12
13 // Result
14 // The number of atoms per unit cell for an fcc
    lattice of lead = 1

```

---

Scilab code Exa 10.9 Diffraction of X rays from a crystal

```
1 // Ex10_9 Page:220 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 d = 2.51e-010; // Spacing between adjacent planes
   , m
4 theta = 9; // Glancing angle for diffraction ,
   degree
5 n = 1; // Order of diffraction
6 lambda = 2*d*sind(theta)/n; // Wavelength of X-
   ray from Bragg's Law, m
7 n = 2; // New order of diffraction
8 theta = asind(2*lambda/(2*d)); // Glancing angle
   for second order diffraction , degree
9 printf("\nThe wavelength of X-rays = %6.4f angstrom"
   , lambda/1e-010);
10 printf("\nThe glancing angle for second order
   diffraction = %2d degree", theta);
11
12 // Result
13 // The wavelength of X-rays = 0.7853 angstrom
14 // The glancing angle for second order diffraction =
   18 degree
```

---

Scilab code Exa 10.10 Angle of incidence of X rays on a crystal plane

```
1 // Ex10_10 Page:220 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 lambda = 1.4e-010; // Wavelength of X-rays , m
4 a = 5e-010; // Lattice parameter, m
5 h = 1, k = 1, l = 1; // Miller indices of planes
   from which the reflection occurs
```

```

6 d_111 = a/sqrt(3);    // Interplanar spacing between
   (1 1 1) planes, m
7 n = 1;    // Order of diffraction
8 theta_111 = asind(n*lambda/(2*d_111));    // Angle
   at which the X-ray is incident on (1 1 1) plane
   of the crystal, degree
9 printf("\nThe angle at which the X-ray is incident
   on (1 1 1) plane = %2d degree", theta_111);
10
11 // Result
12 // The angle at which the X-ray is incident on (1 1
   1) plane = 14 degree

```

---

#### Scilab code Exa 10.11 Lattice parameters of an fcc crystal

```

1 // Ex10_11 Page:221 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 h = 6.626e-034;    // Planck's constant, Js
4 e = 1.6e-019;    // Charge on an electron, C
5 m = 9.1e-031;    // Mass of an electron, kg
6 V = 120;    // Accelerating potential, volt
7 theta = 22;    // The angle at which the reflection
   maximum is observed, degree
8 lambda = h/sqrt(2*m*e*V);    // Wavelength of a
   moving electron, m
9 h = 1, k = 1, l = 1;    // Miller indices of planes
   from which the reflection occurs
10 n = 1;    // Order of diffraction
11 d_111 = n*lambda/(2*sind(theta)*1e-010);    //
   Interplanar spacing between (1 1 1) planes, m
12 a = sqrt(3)*d_111;    // Lattice parameter, m
13 printf("\nThe lattice parameter = %5.3f angstrom", a
   );
14
15 // Result

```



```
16 // The lattice parameter = 2.591 angstrom
17 // The answers vary due to round off error
```

---

#### Scilab code Exa 10.12 Potential energy of KCl system

```
1 // Ex10_12 Page:224 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 e = 1.6e-019; // Charge on an electron , C
4 epsilon_0 = 8.85e-012; // Absolute electric
   permittivity of free space , coulomb-square/N/Sq.m
5 r_0 = 0.32e-009; // Inter-ionic distance of KCl,
   m
6 V = -e/(4*3.14*epsilon_0*r_0); // Potential
   energy of K+ and Cl- ions , eV
7 printf("\nThe potential energy of K+ and Cl- ions =
   %5.3f eV", V);
8
9 // Result
10 // The potential energy of K+ and Cl- ions = -4.498
   eV
```

---

#### Scilab code Exa 10.13 Cohesive energy of NaCl

```
1 // Ex10_13 Page:224 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 e = 1.6e-019; // Charge on an electron , C
4 epsilon_0 = 8.85e-012; // Absolute electric
   permittivity of free space , coulomb-square/N/Sq.m
5 r_0 = 0.31e-009; // Equilibrium separation of Na+
   and Cl- ions , m
6 alpha = 1.748; // Madelung constant
7 n = 9; // Repulsive exponent
8 E_ion = 5; // Ionization energy of NaCl, eV
```

```

9 V = -1*alpha*e^2/(4*3.14*epsilon_0*r_0*e)*(1-1/n);
    // Potential energy of Na+ and Cl- ions, eV
10 E_ele = 1/2*V;    // Electron affinity, eV
11 E_trans = E_ion + E_ele;    // Electron transfer
    energy, eV
12 delta_E = E_trans/2;    // Contribution per ion to
    the cohesive energy, eV
13 E_cohesive = E_ele + delta_E;    // Cohesive energy
    per NaCl atom, eV
14 printf("\nThe cohesive energy per NaCl atom = %5.3f
    eV", E_cohesive);
15
16 // Result
17 // The cohesive energy per NaCl atom = -2.911 eV
18 // The answers vary due to round off error

```

---

# Chapter 11

## Lattice Dynamics

Scilab code Exa 11.1 Highest possible frequency of Cu and Si

```
1 // Ex11_1 Page:238 (2014)
2 clc; clear;
3 h = 6.626e-034; // Planck's constant, Js
4 k = 1.38e-023; // Boltzmann constant, J/K
5 // Case-I: For Cu
6 theta_D = 350; // Debye temperature for Cu, K
7 nu_D = k*theta_D/h; // The highest possible
    frequency for Cu, per sec
8 printf("\\nThe highest possible frequency for Cu = %6
    .3fe+011 per sec", nu_D/1e+011);
9 // Case-II: For Si
10 theta_D = 550; // Debye temperature for Si, K
11 nu_D = k*theta_D/h; // The highest possible
    frequency for Si, per sec
12 printf("\\nThe highest possible frequency for Si = %6
    .2fe+011 per sec", nu_D/1e+011);
13
14 // Result
15 // The highest possible frequency for Cu = 72.895e
    +011 per sec
16 // The highest possible frequency for Si = 114.55e
```

+011 per sec

---

**Scilab code Exa 11.2** Specific heat and highest frequency in lead

```
1 // Ex11_2 Page:238 (2014)
2 clc; clear;
3 h = 6.626e-034; // Planck's constant, Js
4 N = 6.02e+026; // Avogadro's number, per k-mol
5 k = 1.38e-023; // Boltzmann constant, J/K
6 T = 10; // Temperature of Lead, K
7 theta_D = 105; // Debye temperature of lead, K
8 C = 12/5*3.14^4*N*k*(T/theta_D)^3; // Specific
    heat of Pb from Debye T-cube law, J/K/k-mol
9 printf("\\nThe specific heat of Pb = %6.1f J/K/k-mol"
    , C);
10 nu_D = k*theta_D/h; // The highest possible
    frequency for Cu, per sec
11 printf("\\nThe highest frequency for lead = %5.2 fe
    +011 per sec", nu_D/1e+011);
12
13 // Result
14 // The specific heat of Pb = 1674.3 J/K/k-mol
15 // The highest frequency for lead = 21.87e+011 per
    sec
16 // The answers vary due to round off error
```

---

# Chapter 12

## Band Theory of Solids

Scilab code Exa 12.1 Speed of the electron at its mean energy at 0K

```
1 // Ex12_1 Page:243 (2014)
2 clc; clear;
3 E_F = 8; // Fermi energy, eV
4 E0_bar = 3/5*E_F; // Average kinetic energy of a
   free electron gas at 0K
5 e = 1.6E-019; // Energy equivalent of 1 eV, J
6 m = 9.1E-031; // Mass of an electron, kg
7 v = sqrt(2*E0_bar*e/m); // Speed of the electron, m/
   s
8 printf("\\nThe speed of the electron at its mean
   energy at 0K = %3.1e m/s", v);
9
10 // Result
11 // The speed of the electron at its mean energy at 0
   K = 1.3e+06 m/s
```

---

Scilab code Exa 12.2 Current density and resistivity of Cu

```

1 // Ex12_2 Page:244 (2014)
2 clc; clear;
3 I = 8; // Current through the copper wire, A
4 d = 18e-03; // Diameter of the copper wire, m
5 V = 5; // Potential difference across the wire,
    V
6 L = 1; // Length of the copper wire, m
7 A = %pi*(d/2)^2; // Area of cross-section of the
    wire, Sq.m
8 J = I/A; // Current density in the wire, A/Sq.m
9 E = V/L; // Electric field across the wire, V/m
10 rho = E/J; // Resistivity of the material, ohm-m
11 printf("\nThe current density in the copper wire =
    %4.2e A/Sq.m", J);
12 printf("\nThe resistivity of the material = %4.2e
    ohm-m", rho);
13
14 // Result
15 // The current density in the copper wire = 3.14e+04
    A/Sq.m
16 // The resistivity of the material = 1.59e-04 ohm-m
17 // The answer provided in the textbook is wrong

```

---

### Scilab code Exa 12.3 Conductivity and resistivity of Cu

```

1 // Ex12_3 Page:245 (2014)
2 clc; clear;
3 tau = 1e-015; // Average collision time of an
    electron, s
4 a = 4e-010; // Lattice parameter of cubic structure,
    m
5 n = 1; // Number of electrons atoms per unit cell
6 e = 1.6e-019; // Charge on an electron, C
7 m = 9.1e-031; // Mass of an electron, kg
8 N = n/a^3; // Number of electrons per unit volume,

```

```

    per metre-cube
9  sigma = N*e^2*tau/m; // Conductivity of copper, mho
    /m
10 rho = 1/sigma; // Resistivity of copper, ohm-m
11 printf("\nThe conductivity of copper = %4.2e mho/m",
    sigma);
12 printf("\nThe resistivity of copper = %4.2e ohm-m",
    rho);
13
14 // Result
15 // The conductivity of copper = 4.40e+05 mho/m
16 // The resistivity of copper = 2.28e-06 ohm-m

```

---

#### Scilab code Exa 12.4 Electronic specific heat of potassium

```

1 // Ex12_4 Page:247 (2014)
2 clc; clear;
3 e = 1.6e-019; // Energy equivalent of 1 eV, J
4 k = 1.38e-023; // Boltzmann constant, J/K
5 N_A = 6.023e+026; // Avogadro's number/k-mol
6 T = 27+273; // Room temperature, K
7 E_F = 2; // Fermi energy
8 C = (%pi^2*k^2*N_A*T)/(2*E_F*e); // Electronic
    specific heat of potassium, J/k-mol/K
9 printf("\nThe electronic specific heat of potassium
    = %3d J/k-mol/K", C);
10
11 // Result
12 // The electronic specific heat of potassium = 530 J
    /k-mol/K

```

---

#### Scilab code Exa 12.5 Lorentz number of zinc

```

1 // Ex12_5 Page:247 (2014)
2 clc; clear;
3 e = 1.6e-019; // Charge on an electron , C
4 m = 9.1e-031; // Mass of an electron , kg
5 K = 327; // Thermal conductivity of Zn, W/m/K
6 N_A = 6.023e+026; // Avogadro's number/k-mol
7 T = 300; // Room temperature , K
8 tau = 2.5e-014; // Relaxation time of electrons in
    divalent Zn, s
9 d = 7.13e+03; // Density of Zn, kg/metre-cube
10 A = 65.38; // Atomic weight of Zn, g/mol
11 N = 2*d*N_A/A; // Number of electrons per unit
    volume, per metre-cube
12 sigma = N*e^2*tau/m; // Electrical conductivity
    of Zn, mho/m
13 L = K/(sigma*T); // Lorentz number for Zn, W-ohm/
    Sq.K
14 printf("\nLorentz number for Zn = %5.3e W-ohm/Sq.K",
    L);
15
16 // Result
17 // Lorentz number for Zn = 1.180e-08 W-ohm/Sq.K

```

---

### Scilab code Exa 12.6 Hall coefficient of Cu

```

1 // Ex12_6 Page:248 (2014)
2 clc; clear;
3 e = 1.6e-019; // Charge on an electron , C
4 n = 5e+028; // Number of atoms per unit volume of Cu
    , per metre-cube
5 R_H = -1/(n*e); // Hall coefficient , metre-cube/C
6 printf("\nThe Hall coefficient for Cu = %4.2e metre-
    cube/C", R_H);
7
8 // Result

```



9 // The Hall coefficient for Cu =  $-1.25 \times 10^{-10}$  metre-cube/C

---

# Chapter 13

## Magnetic Properties of Solids

Scilab code Exa 13.1 Magnetism in Si

```
1 // Ex13_1 Page:256 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 H = 1.2e+05; // Magnetic field in silicon , A/m
4 chi = -4.2e-006; // Magnetic susceptibility
5 mu_0 = 4*%pi*1e-007; // Magnetic permeability , T-
  m/A
6 M = chi*H; // Magnetization of Si, A/m
7 B = mu_0 *(H + M); // Magnetic flux density in Si
  , T
8 mu_r = M/H + 1; // Relative permeability of the
  material
9 printf("\nThe magnetization of Si = %5.3f A/m", M);
10 printf("\nThe magnetic flux density in Si = %5.3f T"
  , B);
11 printf("\nThe relative permeability of the material
  = %f", mu_r);
12
13 // Result
14 // The magnetization of Si = -0.504 A/m
15 // The magnetic flux density in Si = 0.151 T
16 // The relative permeability of the material =
```

0.999996

---

**Scilab code Exa 13.2** Diamagnetic susceptibility of He

```
1 // Ex13_2 Page:258 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 mu_0 = 4*%pi*1e-007; // Magnetic permeability, T-
    m/A
4 e = 1.6e-019; // Charge on an electron, C
5 m = 9.1e-031; // Mass of an electron, kg
6 Z = 2; // Atomic number of He
7 N = 28e+026; // Number of He atoms per unit
    volume of the sample, per metre-cube
8 r_bar = 0.6e-010; // Mean radius of He atom, m
9 chi_dia = -mu_0*Z*e^2*N*r_bar^2/(6*m); //
    Diamagnetic susceptibility of He
10 printf("\nThe diamagnetic susceptibility of He = %5
    .3e", chi_dia);
11
12 // Result
13 // The diamagnetic susceptibility of He = -1.188e
    -007
```

---

**Scilab code Exa 13.3** Radius of an atom of a diamagnetic material

```
1 // Ex13_3 Page:259 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 mu_0 = 4*%pi*1e-007; // Magnetic permeability, H/
    m
4 e = 1.6e-019; // Charge on an electron, C
5 m = 9.1e-031; // Mass of an electron, kg
6 Z = 1; // Atomic number of the material
```

```

7 a = 2.55e-010;    // Lattice constant of cubic
  structure , m
8 chi_dia = -5.6e-006;    // Diamagnetic
  susceptibility of the material
9 N = 2/a^3;    // Number of atoms per unit volume of
  the material , per metre-cube
10 r_bar = sqrt(abs(chi_dia)*6*m/(mu_0*Z*e^2*N));    //
  Radius of an atom of the material , m
11 printf("\nThe radius of an atom of the material = %5
  .3f angstrom", r_bar/1e-010);
12
13 // Result
14 // The radius of an atom of the material = 0.888
  angstrom

```

---

**Scilab code Exa 13.4** Susceptibility of a paramagnetic salt at 300 K

```

1 // Ex13_4 Page:260 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 mu_0 = 4*%pi*1e-007;    // Magnetic permeability , H/
  m
4 N = 6.5e+025;    // Number of atoms per unit volume
  of the salt , per metre-cube
5 mu = 9.27e-024;    // Bohr magneton , A-Sq.m
6 k = 1.38e-023;    // Boltzmann constant , J/K
7 T = 300;    // Absolute temperature of the specimen ,
  K
8 chi_para = mu_0*N*mu^2/(3*k*T);    // Susceptibility
  of paramagnetic salt
9 printf("\nThe susceptibility of paramagnetic salt =
  %4.2e", chi_para);
10
11 // Result
12 // The susceptibility of paramagnetic salt = 5.65e
  -007

```

---

Scilab code Exa 13.5 Susceptibility and magnetization produced in paramagnetic salt

```
1 // Ex13_5 Page:260 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 mu_0 = 4*3.14*1e-007; // Magnetic permeability, H
  /m
4 mu = 9.27e-024; // Bohr magneton, A-Sq.m
5 k = 1.38e-023; // Boltzmann constant, J/K
6 T = 300; // Absolute temperature of the specimen,
  K
7 H = 2e+005; // Magnetic field to which
  paramagnetic salt is subjected, A/m
8 rho = 4370; // Density of paramagnetic salt, kg/
  metre-cube
9 N_A = 6.021e+026; // Avogadro's number, per k-mol
10 M = 168.5; // Molecular weight of paramagnetic
  salt, kg/k-mol
11 N = rho*N_A/M; // Number of atoms per unit volume
  of the salt, per metre-cube
12 chi_para = mu_0*N*(2*mu)^2/(3*k*T); //
  Susceptibility of paramagnetic salt
13 M = chi_para*H; // Magnetization produced in
  paramagnetic salt, A/m
14 printf("\nThe susceptibility of paramagnetic salt =
  %5.3e", chi_para);
15 printf("\nThe magnetization produced in paramagnetic
  salt = %6.2f A/m", M);
16
17 // Result
18 // The susceptibility of paramagnetic salt = 5.428e
  -004
19 // The magnetization produced in paramagnetic salt =
  108.56 A/m
```

---

# Chapter 14

## Superconductivity

Scilab code Exa 14.1 Current through a tin wire at 2 K

```
1 // Ex14_1 Page:272 (2014)
2 clc; clear;
3 mu_0 = 4*%pi*1e-007; // Absolute magnetic
    permeability of free space, N/Sq.A
4 r = 2e-003; // Radius of tin wire, m
5 T = 2; // Temperature of tin wire, K
6 T_c = 3.722; // Critical temperature of tin, K
7 B_c0 = 0.0305; // Critical field at 0 K, T
8 B_cT = B_c0*(1-(T/T_c)^2); // Critical field at T
    K, T
9 I_c = 2*%pi*r*B_cT/mu_0; // Critical current
    through the tin wire from Ampere's Law, A
10 printf("\nThe critical current through the tin wire
    = %5.1f A", I_c);
11
12 // Result
13 // The critical current through the tin wire = 216.9
    A
```

---

Scilab code Exa 14.2 Penetration depth of lead below room temperature

```
1 // Ex14_2 Page:274 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 T = 5.2; // Temperature of lead, K
4 T_c = 7.193; // Critical temperature of lead, K
5 lambda_0 = 37; // London penetration depth at 0 K
   , nm
6 lambda_T = lambda_0*(1-(T/T_c)^4)^(-1/2); //
   Penetration depth of lead at T K, nm
7 printf("\\nThe penetration depth of lead at %3.1f K =
   %5.2f nm", T, lambda_T);
8
9 // Result
10 // The penetration depth of lead at 5.2 K = 43.40 nm
```

---

# Chapter 15

## Lasers

Scilab code Exa 15.2 Energy and number of photons per pulse of a laser

```
1 // Ex15_2 Page:298 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 h = 6.626e-034; // Planck's constant, Js
4 c = 3e+008; // Speed of light in vacuum, m/s
5 t = 30e-003; // Pulse width of laser, s
6 P = 0.6; // Output power of laser per pulse, W
7 lambda = 640e-009; // Wavelength of laser light,
  m
8 E = P*t; // Energy deposited per laser pulse, J
9 n = E*lambda/(h*c); // Number of photons in each
  laser pulse
10 printf("\nThe energy deposited per laser pulse = %5
  .3f J", E);
11 printf("\nThe number of photons in each pulse = %3.1
  e", n);
12
13 // Result
14 // The energy deposited per laser pulse = 0.018 J
15 // The number of photons in each pulse = 5.8e+016
```

---



### Scilab code Exa 15.3 Area and intensity of the image

```
1 // Ex15_3 Page:298 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 P = 2.5e-003; // Output power of laser source , W
4 d = 1.8e-02; // Diameter of the aperture , m
5 a = d/2; // Radius of the beam, m
6 lambda = 5000e-010; // Wavelength of laser light ,
   m
7 f = 20e-002; // Focal length of the lens , m
8 A = %pi*(lambda*f/a)^2; // Area of the spot at
   the focal plane , Sq.m
9 I = P*(a/(lambda*f))^2/%pi; // Intensity of the
   image , W/Sq.m
10 printf("\nThe area of the spot at the focal plane =
   %4.2e Sq.m", A);
11 printf("\nThe intensity of the image = %4.2e W/Sq.m"
   , I);
12
13 // Result
14 // The area of the spot at the focal plane = 3.88e
   -010 Sq.m
15 // The intensity of the image = 6.45e+006 W/Sq.m
```

---

### Scilab code Exa 15.4 Spread of laser beam

```
1 // Ex15_4 Page:298 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 lambda = 693e-009; // Wavelength of laser beam, m
4 D = 3e-003; // Diameter of the mirror , m
5 d = 300e+003; // Height of satellite above the
   surface of earth , m
```

```
6 delta_theta = 1.22*lambda/D;    // Angular spread of
   the laser beam, rad
7 a = delta_theta*d;    // Diameter of the laser beam
   on the satellite, m
8 printf("\nThe angular spread of the laser beam = %4
   .2e rad", delta_theta);
9 printf("\nThe diameter of laser beam on the
   satellite = %4.1f m", a);
10
11 // Result
12 // The angular spread of the laser beam = 2.82e-004
   rad
13 // The diameter of laser beam on the satellite =
   84.5 m
```

---

# Chapter 16

## Fibre Optics and Holography

Scilab code Exa 16.1 Parameters of a step index fibre

```
1 // Ex16_1 Page:306 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 n1 = 1.43; // Refractive index of core
4 n2 = 1.40; // Refractive index of cladding
5 theta_c = acosd(n2/n1); // Propagation angle,
   degree
6 NA = sqrt(n1^2 - n2^2); // Numerical aperture
7 theta_a = asind(NA); // Acceptance angle, degree
8 printf("\nPropagation angle = %4.1f degree", theta_c
   );
9 printf("\nNumerical aperture = %6.4f", NA);
10 printf("\nAcceptance angle = %5.2f degree", 2*
   theta_a);
11
12 // Result
13 // Propagation angle = 11.8 degree
14 // Numerical aperture = 0.2914
15 // Acceptance angle = 33.88 degree
```

---

Scilab code Exa 16.3 Output power from an optical fibre

```
1 // Ex16_3 Page:311 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 z = 30; // Length of the optical fibre , km
4 alpha = 0.8; // Fibre loss , dB/km
5 P_i = 200; // Power input to the optical fibre ,
    micro-watt
6 P_o = P_i/10^(alpha*z/10); // Output power of the
    optical fibre , micro-watt
7 printf("\nThe output power from the optical fibre =
    %5.3f micro-watt", P_o);
8
9 // Result
10 // The output power from the optical fibre = 0.796
    micro-watt
```

---

# Chapter 17

## Nuclear Properties

Scilab code Exa 17.1 Density of a nucleus

```
1 // Ex17_1 Page:324 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 A = poly (0, 'A'); // Declare the mass number
   variable
4 m_n = 1.67e-027; // Nucleon mass, kg
5 R0 = 1.2e-015; // Nuclear constant, m
6 d = m_n*A/(4/3*pi*R0^3*A);
7 printf("\nDensity of the nucleus = %3.1e km/metre-
   cube", horner(d,0));
8
9 // Result
10 // Density of the nucleus = 2.3e+017 km/metre-cube
```

---

Scilab code Exa 17.2 Kinetic energy of the alpha particle

```
1 // Ex17_2 Page:324 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 e = 1.6e-019; // Energy equivalent of 1 eV, J/eV
```

```

4 R0 = 1.2e-015;    // Nuclear constant , m
5 k = 9e+09;      // Coulomb's constant , N-Sq.m/Sq.C
6 q1 = 2*1.6e-019; // Charge on alpha particle , C
7 q2 = 90*1.6e-019; // Charge on thorium nucleus , C
8 A_alpha = 4;    // Mass number of helium nucleus
9 A_Th = 228;    // Mass number of thorium
10 r = R0*(A_alpha^(1/3) + A_Th^(1/3)); // Distance
    between He and Th, m
11 PE = k*q1*q2/(r*e)*1e-006; // Potential energy of
    the system , MeV
12 printf("\nThe kinetic energy of the alpha particle
    when it is far away = %4.1f MeV", PE);
13
14 // Result
15 // The kinetic energy of the alpha particle when it
    is far away = 28.1 MeV

```

---

### Scilab code Exa 17.3 Separation between spectral lines in a mass spectrograph

```

1 // Ex17_3 Page:326 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 e = 1.6e-019; // Charge on an electron , C
4 E = 2.48e+004; // Applied electric field , N/C
5 B = 0.75; // Applied magnetic field , T
6 R0 = 1.2e-015; // Nuclear constant , m
7 m1 = 12*1.6605e-027; // Mass of the C-12 ion
8 m2 = 13*1.6605e-027; // Mass of the C-13 ion
9 m3 = 14*1.6605e-027; // Mass of the C-14 ion
10 r1 = E*m1/(e*B^2*1e-003); // Radius of orbit of C
    -12 ion , mm
11 r2 = E*m2/(e*B^2*1e-003); // Radius of orbit of C
    -13 ion , mm
12 r3 = E*m3/(e*B^2*1e-003); // Radius of orbit of C
    -14 ion , mm
13 d1 = 2*r2 - 2*r1; // Distance between the lines

```

```

    of C-12 and C-13, mm
14 d2 = 2*r3 - 2*r2;    // Distance between the lines
    of C-13 and C-14, mm
15 d = d1/2;    // Separations between the lines when
    the ions are doubly charged, mm
16 printf("\nThe distance between the lines of C-12 and
    C-13 = %4.2f mm", d1);
17 printf("\nThe distance between the lines of C-13 and
    C-14 = %4.2f mm", d2);
18 printf("\nThe separation between the lines when the
    ions are doubly charged = %4.2f mm", d);
19
20 // Result
21 // The distance between the lines of C-12 and C-13 =
    0.92 mm
22 // The distance between the lines of C-13 and C-14 =
    0.92 mm
23 // The separation between the lines when the ions
    are doubly charged = 0.46 mm

```

---

**Scilab code Exa 17.4** Binding energy and average binding energy per nucleon of C12

```

1 // Ex17_4 Page:327 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 m_n = 1.008665;    // Mass of a neutron, amu
4 m_p = 1.007825;    // Mass of a proton, amu
5 A = 12;    // Mass number of carbon, amu
6 Z = 6;    // Atomic number of carbon, amu
7 N = A - Z;    // Neutron number of carbon, amu
8 M_C12 = 12.0;    // Mass of C-12 atom, amu
9 M = Z*m_p + N*m_n;    // Total mass of constituents,
    amu
10 delta_m = M - M_C12;    // Mass deficiency, amu
11 E_B = delta_m * 931.5;    // Binding energy, MeV
12 E_B_avg = E_B/A;    // Average binding energy per

```

```

    nucleon , MeV
13 printf("\nThe binding energy of C(12,6) = %5.2f MeV"
    , E_B);
14 printf("\nThe average binding energy per nucleon of
    C(12,6) = %3.2f MeV" , E_B_avg);
15
16 // Result
17 // The binding energy of C(12,6) = 92.16 MeV
18 // The average binding energy per nucleon of C(12,6)
    = 7.68 MeV

```

---

**Scilab code Exa 17.6** Binding energy of the last neutron in Na

```

1 // Ex17_6 Page:335 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 m_n = 1.008665; // Mass of a neutron , amu
4 M_Na22 = 21.9944; // Mass of Na-22 atom, amu
5 M_Na23 = 22.989767; // Mass of Na-23 atom, amu
6 delta_m = M_Na22 + m_n - M_Na23; // Mass
    deficiency with Na-23, amu
7 E_B = delta_m*931.5; // Energy equivalent of mass
    deficiency , MeV
8 printf("\nThe binding energy of the last neutron in
    Na-23 = %4.1f MeV" , E_B);
9
10 // Result
11 // The binding energy of the last neutron in Na-23 =
    12.4 MeV

```

---

**Scilab code Exa 17.7** Range of nuclear force

```

1 // Ex17_7 Page:341 (2014)
2 clc;clear;

```



```

3 h_cross = 1.05e-034;    // Reduced Planck's constant
   , Js
4 e = 1.6e-019;        // Charge on an electron , C
5 m_pi = 140e+006;     // Mass of pi_meson , eV/Sq.c
6 c = 3e+008;         // Speed of light in vacuum , m/s
7 r = h_cross*c/(m_pi*e);    // Range of the nuclear
   force , m
8 printf("\nThe range of the nuclear force = %3.1f fm"
   , r/1e-015);
9
10 // Result
11 // The range of the nuclear force = 1.4 fm

```

---

# Chapter 18

## Radioactive Decay

Scilab code Exa 18.1 Fraction of samples remained after various half lives

```
1 // Ex18_1 Page:347 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 NO = poly(0, 'N0'); // Declare the original
   number of nuclides
4 HL = [2 5 10]; // Half lives , time units
5 for i = 1:3
6 printf("\nAfter %d half lives , the fraction remains
   = 1/%d", HL(i), 2^HL(i));
7 end
8
9 // Result
10 // After 2 half lives , the fraction remains = 1/4
11 // After 5 half lives , the fraction remains = 1/32
12 // After 10 half lives , the fraction remains =
   1/1024
```

---

Scilab code Exa 18.2 Radioactivity of gold

```

1 // Ex18_2 Page:348 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 t_half = 2.7*24*60*60; // Half life of Au-198, s
4 lambda = 0.693/t_half; // Decay constant of Au
   -198, per sec
5 M = 198; // Molar mass of Au-198, g
6 m = 1e-006; // Mass of Au-198 sample, g
7 N_A = 6.023e+023; // Avogadro number, atoms/mol
8 t = 8*24*60*60; // Age of the sample, s
9 N = m*N_A/M; // Number of nuclei in the sample
10 A0 = lambda*N; // Activity of Au-198, Ci
11 A = A0*exp(-lambda*t); // Activity of the 8 days
   old sample, decays per sec
12 printf("\nThe decay constant of Au-198 = %4.2e per
   sec", lambda);
13 printf("\nThe activity of Au-198 = %5.3f Ci", A0/3.7
   e+010);
14 printf("\nThe activity of the 8 days old sample of
   Au-198 = %4.2e decays per sec", A);
15
16 // Result
17 // The decay constant of Au-198 = 2.97e-006 per sec
18 // The activity of Au-198 = 0.244 Ci
19 // The activity of the 8 days old sample of Au-198 =
   1.16e+009 decays per sec

```

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### Scilab code Exa 18.3 Mass of 2 mCi of radioactive C14

```

1 // Ex18_3 Page:348 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 N_A = 6.02e+023; // Avogadro number, atoms/mol
4 M = 14; // Gram atomic mass of C-14, g
5 t_half = 5570*365*24*60*60; // Half life of C-14,
   s
6 lambda = 0.693/t_half; // Decay constant of Au

```

```

    -198, per sec
7 A = 2e-003*3.7e+010;    // Activity of C-14, decays
    per sec
8 N = 1/lambda*A;    // The number of nuclei in the C
    -14 sample
9 m = N*M/N_A;    // Mass of N atoms of C-14, g
10 printf("\nThe mass of 2 mCi of radioactive C-14 = %4
    .2e g", m);
11
12 // Result
13 // The mass of 2 mCi of radioactive C-14 = 4.36e-004
    g

```

---

#### Scilab code Exa 18.5 Age of the rock on moon

```

1 // Ex18_5 Page:353 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 N1 = 1;    // Assume the number of present atoms of
    K-40
4 N2 = 10.2;    // No.of atoms of Ar-40 relative to K
    -40
5 t_half = 1.25e+009;    // Half-life of K-40, years
6 lambda = 0.693/t_half;    // Decay constant, per sec
7 t = log(1 + N2/N1)/lambda;    // Age of the rock on
    moon, years
8 printf("\nThe age of the rock on moon = %4.2e yr", t
    );
9
10 // Result
11 // The age of the rock on moon = 4.36e+009 yr

```

---

#### Scilab code Exa 18.6 Atomic mass of Th 228

```

1 // Ex18_6 Page:356 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 m_U232 = 232.037131; // Atomic mass of U-232, u
4 m_He4 = 4.002603; // Atomic mass of He-4, u
5 KE_alpha = 5.32; // Kinetic energy of alpha-
    particle, MeV
6 m_Th228 = m_U232 - m_He4 - KE_alpha/931.5; //
    Atomic mass of Th-228, u
7 printf("\nThe atomic mass of Th-228 = %10.6 f u",
    m_Th228);
8
9 // Result
10 // The atomic mass of Th-228 = 228.028817 u
11 // The answers vary due to round off error

```

---

**Scilab code Exa 18.7** Maximum and minimum energy of neutrino in C11 decay

```

1 // Ex18_7 Page:359 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 m_AX = 11.011433; // Mass of parent nucleus, MeV
4 m_AX_prime = 11.009305; // Mass of daughter
    nucleus, MeV
5 m_e = 0.511; // Mass of an electron, MeV
6 Q_min = 0;
7 Q = (m_AX - m_AX_prime)*931.5 - 2*m_e; // Q
    value for the decay, MeV
8 printf("\nThe maximum energy of the neutrino = %4.2 f
    MeV", Q);
9 printf("\nThe minimum energy of the neutrino = %d
    MeV", Q_min);
10
11 // Result
12 // The maximum energy of the neutrino = 0.96 MeV
13 // The minimum energy of the neutrino = 0 MeV

```

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Scilab code Exa 18.8 Kinetic energy of the neutrino

```
1 // Ex18_8 Page:359 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 m_K40 = 39.963999; // Mass K-40 nucleus, MeV
4 m_Ar40 = 39.962384; // Mass Ar-40 nucleus, MeV
5 Q = (m_K40 - m_Ar40)*931.5; // Q value for the
   reaction, MeV
6 printf("\nThe kinetic energy of the neutrino = %5.3f
   MeV", Q);
7
8 // Result
9 // The kinetic energy of the neutrino = 1.504 MeV
```

---

Scilab code Exa 18.9 Maximum kinetic energy of the beta particle

```
1 // Ex18_9 Page:360 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 m_N12 = 12.018613; // Mass N-12 nucleus, MeV
4 m_C12 = 12; // Mass C-12 nucleus, MeV
5 m_e = 0.000549; // Mass of the electron, MeV
6 E_gamma = 4.43; // Energy of the emitted gamma
   ray, MeV
7 Q = (m_N12 - m_C12 - 2*m_e)*931.5; // Q value
   for the reaction, MeV
8 E_max = Q - E_gamma; // The maximum kinetic
   energy of the beta particle, MeV
9 printf("\nThe maximum kinetic energy of the beta
   particle = %5.2f MeV", E_max);
10
11 // Result
```

12 // The maximum kinetic energy of the beta particle =  
11.89 MeV

---

# Chapter 19

## Nuclear Reactions

Scilab code Exa 19.1 Q value of the reaction and KE of the residual nucleus

```
1 // Ex19_1 Page:368 (2014)
2 clc; clear;
3 K_x = 10; // Energy of incident deuterons, MeV
4 K_y = 15; // Energy of emitted neutrons. MeV
5 m_H2 = 2.014102; // Atomic mass of deuterium, u
6 m_n = 1.008665; // Mass of a neutron, u
7 m_Cu63 = 62.929599; // Atomic mass of Cu-63, u
8 m_Zn64 = 63.929144; // Atomic mass of Zn-64, u
9 Q = (m_H2 + m_Cu63 - m_n - m_Zn64)*931.5; // Q-
    value of the reaction, MeV
10 K_Y = Q + K_x - K_y; // The KE of the residual
    nucleus, MeV
11 printf("\\nThe Q-value of the reaction = %5.3f MeV",
    Q);
12 printf("\\nThe KE of the residual nucleus = %5.3f MeV
    ", K_Y);
13
14 // Result
15 // The Q-value of the reaction = 5.488 MeV
16 // The KE of the residual nucleus = 0.488 MeV
```

---



Scilab code Exa 19.2 Q value and threshold energy of the reaction

```
1 // Ex19_2 Page:368 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 m_x = 1.008665; // Mass of a proton, u
4 m_y = 1.007825; // Mass of a neutron, u
5 M_X = 18.998404; // Atomic mass of F-19, u
6 M_Y = 19.003577; // Atomic mass of O-19, u
7 Q = (M_X + m_x - m_y - M_Y)*931.5; // Q-value of
   the reaction, MeV
8 K_x_min = (1 + m_x/M_X)*abs(Q); // The threshold
   energy for the reaction, MeV
9 printf("\nThe Q-value of the reaction = %6.4f MeV",
   Q);
10 printf("\nThe threshold energy for the reaction = %4
   .2f MeV", K_x_min);
11
12 // Result
13 // The Q-value of the reaction = -4.0362 MeV
14 // The threshold energy for the reaction = 4.25 MeV
```

---

Scilab code Exa 19.3 Energy released in the fission reaction

```
1 // Ex19_3 Page:373 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 m_p = 1.007825; // Mass of a proton, u
4 m_n = 1.008665; // Mass of a neutron, u
5 m_U235 = 235.043924; // Atomic mass of U-235, u
6 m_Ba141 = 140.91440; // Atomic mass of Ba-141, u
7 m_Kr92 = 91.92630; // Atomic mass of Kr-92, u
8 delta_m = (m_n + m_U235 - m_Ba141 - m_Kr92 - 3*m_n);
   // Mass difference, u
```

```

9 E = delta_m*931.5;    // Energy released in the
    fission reaction , MeV
10 printf("\nThe energy released in the fission
    reaction = %5.1f MeV", E);
11
12 // Result
13 // The energy released in the fission reaction =
    173.2 MeV

```

---

**Scilab code Exa 19.4** Number of reactions per second in a reactor

```

1 // Ex19_4 Page:373 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 e = 1.6e-019;    // Energy equivalent of 1 eV, J/eV
4 E = 200;    // Energy released per fission , MeV
5 P = 300e+006;    // Power of the nuclear reactor , W
6 n = P/(E*1e+006*e);    // Number of fission
    reactions taking place per second
7 printf("\nThe number of fission reactions taking
    place per second = %4.2e", n);
8
9 // Result
10 // The number of fission reactions taking place per
    second = 9.38e+018

```

---

**Scilab code Exa 19.5** Energy released epr gram of fuel

```

1 // Ex19_5 Page:378 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 m_D = 1.66e-027;    // Mass of the deuterium , kg
4 m_1H2 = 2.014102;    // Mass of deuterium , u
5 m_1H3 = 3.01609;    // Mass of the tritium , u
6 m_1H1 = 1.007825;    // Mass of protium , u

```

```

7 Q = (2*m_1H2 - m_1H3 - m_1H1)*931.5;    // Energy
    released per fusion , MeV
8 E = 0.001/(2*m_D)*Q/2;    // Energy released per
    gram of fuel , MeV
9 printf("\nThe energy released per gram of fuel = %4
    .2e MeV" , E);
10
11 // Result
12 // The energy released per gram of fuel = 6.02e+023
    MeV
13 // The answer provided in the textbook is wrong

```

---

**Scilab code Exa 19.6** Energy required for deuterium tritium fusion reaction

```

1 // Ex19_6 Page:379 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 e = 1.6e-019;    // Charge on an electron , C
4 k = 1.38e-023;    // Boltzmann constant , J/K
5 K = 8.99e+009;    // Coulomb's constant , N-Sq.m/Sq.C
6 r_d = 1.5e-015;    // Radius of deuterium nucleus , m
7 r_t = 1.7e-015;    // Radius of tritium nucleus , m
8 KE = K*e^2/(r_d + r_t)/2;    // Kinetic energy for
    one particle , MeV
9 T = 2*KE/(3*k);    // Temperature required for the
    deuterium-tritium fusion to occur , K
10 printf("\nThe temperature required for the deuterium-
    tritium fusion to occur = %1.0e K" , T);
11
12 // Result
13 // The temperature required for the deuterium-tritium
    fusion to occur = 2e+009 K

```

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## Chapter 20

# Nuclear Radiation Detectors and Particle Accelerators

Scilab code Exa 20.1 Better particle for studying details of the nucleus

```
1 // Ex20_1 Page:390 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 e = 1.6e-019; // Energy equivalent of 1 eV, J/eV
4 m = 1.67e-027; // Mass of a nucleon, kg
5 h = 6.626e-034; // Planck's constant, Js
6 E = 30; // Energy of alpha particle, MeV
7 r = 1.2e-015; // Nuclear constant, m
8 lambda_p = h/sqrt(2*m*E*1e+006*e); // de-Broglie
    wavelength of the proton, m
9 lambda_a = h/sqrt(2*4*m*E*1e+006*e); // de-
    Broglie wavelength of the alpha particle, m
10 d = 2*r; // size of the nucleon, m
11 printf("\nThe wavelength of the proton = %3.1e m",
    lambda_p);
12 printf("\nThe wavelength of the alpha particle = %3
    .1e m", lambda_a);
13 if ((lambda_p - d) < (lambda_a - d)) then
14     printf("\nThe proton is better for studying the
    nuclear details.")
```

```

15 else
16     printf("\nThe alpha particle is better for
           studying the nuclear details.")
17 end
18
19 // Result
20 // The wavelength of the proton = 5.2e-015 m
21 // The wavelength of the alpha particle = 2.6e-015 m
22 // The alpha particle is better for studying the
   nuclear details.

```

---

Scilab code Exa 20.2 Frequency of alternating voltage and KE of protons in a cyclotron

```

1 // Ex20_2 Page:391 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 q = 1.6e-019; // Charge on an electron , C
4 e = 1.6e-019; // Energy equivalent of 1 eV, J/eV
5 m = 1.67e-027; // Mass of a proton , kg
6 B = 2; // Applied magnetic field , T
7 R = 0.25; // Maximum radius of cyclotron , m
8 f = q*B/(2*%pi*m); // Frequency needed for
   applying alternating voltage , Hz
9 K = (q*B*R)^2/(2*m); // Kinetic energy of protons
   when they leave the cyclotron , J
10 printf("\nThe frequency needed for applying
    alternating voltage = %4.1f MHz", f/1e+006);
11 printf("\nThe kinetic energy of protons when they
    leave the cyclotron = %2d MeV", ceil(K/(e*1e+006)
    ));
12
13 // Result
14 // The frequency needed for applying alternating
   voltage = 30.5 MHz
15 // The kinetic energy of protons when they leave the
   cyclotron = 12 MeV

```



# Chapter 21

## Elementary Particles

Scilab code Exa 21.1 Q value of the elementary particle reaction

```
1 // Ex21_1 Page:399 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 m_pi = 140; // Mass of a pion , MeV
4 m_p = 938.3; // Mass of a proton , MeV
5 m_K = 498; // Mass of a kaon , MeV
6 m_lambda = 1116; // Mass of lambda hyperon , MeV
7 Q = m_pi + m_p - m_K - m_lambda;
8 printf("\nThe Q-value of the reaction = %3d MeV",
9 floor(Q));
9
10 // Result
11 // The Q-value of the reaction = -536 MeV
```

---

Scilab code Exa 21.2 Relativistic mass of neutral pion

```
1 // Ex21_2 Page:399 (2014)
2 clc;clear;
3 m_pi_minus = 139.6; // Mass of a pion , MeV
```

```
4 m_p = 938.3;    // Mass of a proton, MeV
5 m_n = 939.6;    // Mass of a neutron, MeV
6 K_n = 0.6;      // The kinetic energy of the neutron,
    MeV
7 E_pi0 = m_p + m_pi_minus - m_n - K_n;    // Mass of
    neutral pion, MeV
8 E_pi0_r = sqrt(E_pi0^2 - (m_n + K_n)^2 + m_n^2);
    // Relativistic mass of neutral pion, MeV
9 printf("\nThe relativistic mass of neutral pion = %5
    .1f MeV", E_pi0_r);
10
11 // Result
12 // The relativistic mass of neutral pion = 133.5 MeV
```

---