

Elementary Quantum Mechanics.

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De Broglie Hypothesis

In 1924 which Louis Louis de Broglies give the energy relation between classical and his shows that sub-atomic like electrons are shows both the properties of wave and matter. That's why the relation is called wave particle dual nature.

According to plank's theory

$$E = h\nu \dots \dots \dots \textcircled{1}$$

According to classical mechanics.

$$E = mc^2 \dots \dots \dots \textcircled{2}$$

Where m = mass of electron

c = velocity of light (3.8×10^8 m/sec)

From eqn $\textcircled{1}$ and $\textcircled{2}$

$$h\nu = mc^2$$

But we have,

$$\nu = \frac{c}{\lambda}$$

$$\lambda \dots \dots \dots \textcircled{3}$$

Then eqn $\textcircled{3}$ becomes.

$$\frac{hc}{\lambda} = mc^2$$

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

$$\lambda = \frac{h}{mc} \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{h}{P} \quad \text{--- (5)}$$

so, we can write

$$\lambda = \frac{h}{mv} = \frac{h}{mc} = \frac{h}{P} \quad \text{--- (6)}$$

Addition and substitution operator

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$$(\hat{A} + \hat{B}) f(x) = \hat{A} f(x) + \hat{B} f(x)$$

$$(\hat{A} - \hat{B}) f(x) = \hat{A} f(x) - \hat{B} f(x)$$

Multiplication operator

$$\hat{A} \cdot \hat{B} f(x) = \hat{A}(\hat{B} f(x)) = \hat{A} f'(x) = f''(x)$$

$$\hat{A} \cdot \hat{B} f(x) \neq \hat{B} \cdot \hat{A} f(x)$$

Linear operator

$$\hat{A} [f(x) + g(x)] = \hat{A} f(x) + \hat{A} g(x)$$

c is constant.

$$\hat{A} [c \cdot f(x)] = c \hat{A} f(x)$$

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Energy operator or Hamiltonian operator (\hat{H})
 According to a classical mechanics a total energy is represented by 'H' and it is nothing but sum of kinetic energy and potential energy.

$$H = \text{K.E.} + \text{P.E.}$$

$$H = \frac{1}{2} m v^2$$

$$H = T + V \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Corresponding operator eqⁿ (1) is

$$\hat{H} = \hat{T} + \hat{V} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

But we have,

$$\text{K.E.} = \frac{1}{2} m v^2 = \frac{m^2 v^2}{2m} = \frac{p^2}{2m}$$

$$(\because p = mv)$$

also the v have,

$$v = (x, y, z) \text{ three coordinate}$$

Therefore the particle mass m moving in three dimensional space the classical momentum

Function H can be given terms of momentum (p) along x, y and z axis.

$$H = \frac{1}{2m} (p_x^2 + p_y^2 + p_z^2) + V(x, y, z) \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

Corresponding eqⁿ

$$\hat{H} = \frac{1}{2m} (\hat{p}_x^2 + \hat{p}_y^2 + \hat{p}_z^2) + \hat{V}(x, y, z) \quad \text{--- (5)}$$

Then the momentum operator is,

$$\hat{p}_x = \frac{h}{2\pi i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x}$$

$$\hat{p}_y = \frac{h}{2\pi i} \frac{\partial}{\partial y}$$

$$\hat{p}_z = \frac{h}{2\pi i} \frac{\partial}{\partial z}$$

$$\hat{p}_x^2 = \left(\frac{h}{2\pi i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \right) \cdot \left(\frac{h}{2\pi i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \right)$$

$$= \frac{-h^2}{4\pi^2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2}$$

similarly

$$\hat{p}_y^2 = \left(\frac{h}{2\pi i} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right) \cdot \left(\frac{h}{2\pi i} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right)$$

$$= \frac{-h^2}{4\pi^2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2}$$

$$\hat{P}_x^2 = -\frac{h^2}{4\pi^2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2}$$

only feel the value in eqⁿ (5)

$$\hat{H} = -\frac{h^2}{8\pi^2m} \left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial z^2} \right) + V(x, y, z)$$

eq (7) is form of Hamiltonian operator. (7)

$$\hat{H} = -\frac{h^2}{8\pi^2m} \nabla^2 + V(x, y, z) \quad (8)$$

$$\nabla^2 = \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial z^2}$$

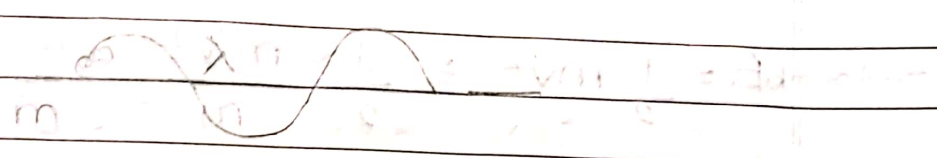
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* Schrodinger^{wave} equation:—

Schrodinger is argued scientist. if microscopic particle like electron could behave as like wave and hence eqⁿ of a wave on motion could be successfully applied them.

He used classical independent eqⁿ. The eqⁿ is based on the electron moving around nucleus as a strong standing wave with λ along x axis.



We have eqⁿ of standing wave,

$$\psi = A \sin \frac{2\pi x}{\lambda} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

where ψ = amplitude of wave

A = constant

x = displacement along x axis

λ = wavelength.

Differentiate eqⁿ (1) with respect to x .

$$\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x} = A \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} \cos \frac{2\pi x}{\lambda} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Taking (2) eqⁿ with respect to x .

$$\frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial x^2} = -A \frac{4\pi^2}{\lambda^2} \sin \frac{2\pi x}{\lambda} \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

from eqⁿ (1) and (3)

$$\frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial x^2} = -\frac{4\pi^2}{\lambda^2} \psi \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

electron is moving with speed v and mass m hence.

$$k.E = \frac{1}{2} mv^2 = \frac{1}{2} \frac{m^2 v^2}{m} \dots \dots \dots (5)$$

According to Debroglie Hypothesis

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

$$\lambda^2 = \frac{h^2}{m^2 v^2}$$

$$m^2 v^2 = \frac{h^2}{\lambda^2} \dots \dots \dots (6)$$

Feels this value in eqⁿ

$$k.E = \frac{h^2}{2\lambda^2 \cdot m} \dots \dots \dots (7)$$

from eqⁿ (4) $\frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial x^2} = -\frac{4\pi^2}{\lambda^2} \psi$

$$\lambda^2 = \frac{-4\pi^2 \psi}{\partial^2 \psi / \partial x^2} \dots \dots \dots (8)$$

Feel the value of eqⁿ (8) and (7)

$$k.E = -\frac{h^2}{2m} \frac{4\pi^2 \psi}{\partial^2 \psi / \partial x^2}$$

$$K.E = -\frac{h^2}{8m\pi^2} \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial x^2} \quad \text{--- (9)}$$

Now total energy of electron,

$$E = K.E + P.E$$

$$E = K.E + V$$

$$K.E = E - V \quad \text{--- (10)}$$

From eqⁿ (9) and (10)

$$E - V = -\frac{h^2}{8m\pi^2} \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial x^2}$$

Now we have changing sign throughout.

$$-(E - V) = \frac{h^2}{8\pi^2 m} \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial x^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial x^2} = -\frac{(E - V)}{h^2} 8\pi^2 m \psi$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial x^2} + \frac{8\pi^2 m}{h^2} (E - V) \psi = 0 \quad \text{--- (11)}$$

Eqⁿ (11) is independent Schrodinger eqⁿ along x axis for electron moving along x, y and z axis the Schrodinger eqⁿ becomes.

Give the characteristic or properties of wave function.

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$$\frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{\partial z^2} + \frac{8\pi^2 m (E - V) \psi}{h^2} = 0 \quad (12)$$

$$\nabla^2 \psi + \frac{8\pi^2 m (E - V) \psi}{h^2} = 0 \quad (13)$$

Properties of characteristic

1) The physical interpretation of ψ or ψ^2 imposes the restriction of acceptable the value of ψ .

1) The wave function ψ must be single value at any point.

2) The wave function must always remains ∞ if infinite value is assigned to ψ then ψ^2 will be infinite and that means there is infinite probability of a finite finding of a particle.

3) The total probability of finding a electron some is must be unity.

$$\int \psi^2 dv = 1$$

$$\int \psi \cdot \psi^* dv = 1$$

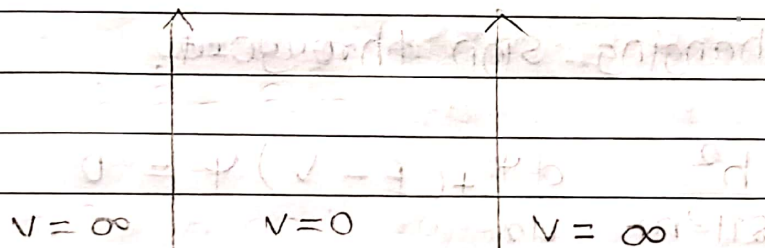
4) The wave function ψ must be continuous because the probability of value of finding a any point is single value, and therefore it should not be change suddenly. that means function must be continuous.

If wave function satisfied all these condition then it is called wave function.

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Particle in 1D box

consider a particle which is allowed to move in limiting space such a model is called particle in 1D box.



Consider a particle is moving in 1 Dimension box of length L with infinite height of wall is ∞ . The potential energy inside the box is 0 and outside the box is ∞ , Here the particle moves in the length L ,

The energy operator is given by,

$$\hat{H}\psi = E\psi \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Where \hat{H} is Hamiltonian operator, having

$$\hat{H} = -\frac{\hbar^2}{8\pi^2m} \frac{d^2}{dx^2} + V \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

from eqⁿ ① and ②

$$-\frac{h^2}{8\pi^2m} \frac{d^2\psi}{dx^2} + V\psi = E\psi$$

$$-\frac{h^2}{8\pi^2m} \frac{d^2\psi}{dx^2} + V\psi - E\psi = 0$$

changing sign throughout,

$$\frac{h^2}{8\pi^2m} \frac{d^2\psi}{dx^2} + (E - V)\psi = 0$$

Now we have cancel to term.

Multiplying throughout by $\frac{8\pi^2m}{h^2}$

$$\frac{d^2\psi}{dx^2} + \frac{8\pi^2m}{h^2} (E - V)\psi = 0$$

eqⁿ ③ is a ~~Schrodinger~~ Schrodinger eqⁿ as particle moving axis in a 1D box.

Since, particle is discontinuous is convenient to consider the ~~Schrodinger~~ Schrodinger eqⁿ where Schrodinger eqⁿ outside the box when potential energy is given as $V = \infty$. Then eqⁿ ③ becomes.

$$\frac{d^2\psi}{dx^2} + \frac{8\pi^2m}{h^2} (E - \infty)\psi = 0$$

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$$\frac{d^2\psi}{dx^2} + \frac{h^2}{8\pi^2m} \psi = 0$$

$$\frac{h^2}{8\pi^2m} \frac{d^2\psi}{dx^2} + (E - \infty)\psi = 0$$

$$\frac{h^2}{8\pi^2m} \frac{d^2\psi}{dx^2} + E\psi - \infty\psi = 0$$

Rearranging above eqⁿ.

$$\frac{h^2}{8\pi^2m} \frac{d^2\psi}{dx^2} - \infty\psi = -E\psi$$

$$-\frac{h^2}{8\pi^2m} \frac{d^2\psi}{dx^2} + \infty\psi = E\psi \quad \text{--- (5)}$$

The boundaries eqⁿ inside the box where $V=0$,

from eqⁿ (5)

$$-\frac{h^2}{8\pi^2m} \frac{d^2\psi}{dx^2} = E\psi \quad \text{--- (6)}$$

$$-\frac{h^2}{8\pi^2m} \frac{d^2\psi}{dx^2} - E\psi = 0 \quad \text{--- (7)}$$

Due to infinity large potential energy beyond the boundary of the box particle has no change in the region. $x < 0$ and $x > 0$, i.e. ψ^2 and hence ψ is must be zero

Since ψ must be continuous hence eqⁿ (7) becomes.

$$\frac{d^2\psi}{dx^2} + \frac{8\pi^2m}{h^2} E \psi = 0$$

(8)

Now these eqⁿ

$$\frac{d^2\psi}{dx^2} + k^2\psi = 0$$

(9)

$$k^2 = \frac{8\pi^2m}{h^2} E$$

$$E = \frac{k^2 h^2}{8\pi^2 m}$$

$$(10)$$

The eqⁿ (8) (9) is satisfied by function like $\sin kx$ and $\cos kx$ all of each which are finite and single value.

They are fullfill in the well behaved function they we have,

$$\psi = A \sin kx + B \cos kx$$

(11)

where A and B is arbitrary constant.

The value of A, B and k can be determined by applying boundary for above eqn.

$$x=0 \text{ and } \psi=0$$

$$0 = A \sin 0 \cdot k + B \cos 0 \cdot k$$

$$0 = 0 + B$$

$$B = 0 \text{ --- (12)}$$

From eqn (11) and eqn (12)

$$\psi = A \sin kx$$

Now put the value $x=L$

$$\psi = A \sin kL \text{ --- (13)}$$

$$0 = A \sin kL$$

so we can see

Both A and B are zero that mean zero, which is not fact solution of eqn

$$\text{(13)} \quad kL = n\pi \text{ --- (14) } (n \neq 0)$$

$$k = \frac{n\pi}{L} \text{ fill this value in eqn (13)}$$

$$\psi = A \sin n\pi$$

$$\psi = A \sin \frac{n\pi}{L} x \text{ --- (14)}$$

Now we have eqⁿ

$$E = \frac{k^2 h^2}{8\pi^2 m}$$

$$E = \frac{n^2 \pi^2 h^2}{L^2 \cdot 8\pi^2 m}$$

$$E = \frac{n^2 h^2}{8mL^2} \quad \text{--- (15)}$$

where $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots, \infty$ etc.

If h, m, L are constant
 \therefore The energy depends on only the value of n and the lowest energy of particle

$$E = \frac{h^2}{8mL^2} \quad \text{--- (16)}$$

(zero point energy)

Give