

Chemistry 991 Problem Set #2

1) $\rho = r a_0$ so $\frac{d}{dr} = \frac{d}{d\rho} \frac{d\rho}{dr}$ or $\frac{d}{d\rho} = \frac{d}{dr} \frac{dr}{d\rho} = \frac{1}{a_0} \frac{d}{dr}$

thus $\frac{d^2}{d\rho^2} = \left(\frac{1}{a_0}\right)^2 \frac{d^2}{dr^2}$ or $\frac{\hbar^2}{2m_e} \frac{d^2}{d\rho^2} = \frac{\hbar^2}{2m_e} \left(\frac{1}{a_0}\right)^2 \frac{d^2}{dr^2}$

but $a_0 = \frac{4\pi\epsilon_0 \hbar^2}{m_e e^2}$ so $\frac{\hbar^2}{2m_e} \left(\frac{1}{a_0^2}\right) = \frac{\hbar^2}{2m_e} \frac{m_e^2 e^4}{(4\pi\epsilon_0)^2 \hbar^4}$
 $= \frac{m_e e^4}{32\pi^2 \epsilon_0^2 \hbar^2} = \frac{m_e e^4}{2(4\pi\epsilon_0)^2 \hbar^2}$

2) $R(r) = G(r)/r$

$\frac{d}{dr} R(r) = \frac{dG/dr}{r} - \frac{1}{r^2} G(r)$ so that $r^2 \frac{d}{dr} R(r) = r \frac{dG}{dr} - G(r)$

so $\frac{d}{dr} (r^2 \frac{d}{dr} R(r)) = \frac{dG}{dr} + r \frac{d^2 G}{dr^2} - \frac{dG}{dr}$ so $\frac{1}{r^2} \frac{d}{dr} (r^2 \frac{dR}{dr}) = \frac{1}{r} \frac{d^2 G}{dr^2}$

3) $\psi = N e^{-Zr}$ $\int_0^\infty \psi^2 r^2 dr = 1$ so $N^2 \int_0^\infty e^{-2Zr} r^2 dr = 1$

now $\int_0^\infty e^{-ar} r^n dr = n! / a^{n+1}$ so $\int_0^\infty e^{-2Zr} r^2 dr = \frac{2!}{(2Z)^3} = \frac{2}{4Z^3}$

thus $N_{1s} = \sqrt{4Z^3}$

for $2p$ $N^2 \int_0^\infty e^{-Zr} r^4 dr = 1$ or $N^2 \frac{4!}{Z^5} = \frac{24}{Z^5} N^2$

or $N_{2p} = \sqrt{\frac{Z^5}{24}}$

now, $2s$ $R = N(1+Br)e^{-rZ/2}$

B is determined so that $\int_0^\infty \psi_{2s}^2 r^2 dr = 0$ $\int N_{1s} N_{2s} (1+Br) e^{-3/2(rZ)} r^2$
 or $N_{1s} N_{2s} \left[\int_0^\infty e^{-3/2 rZ} r^2 dr + B \int_0^\infty e^{-3/2 rZ} r^3 dr \right]$
 $= N_{1s} N_{2s} \left[\frac{2!}{(3/2 Z)^3} + B \frac{3!}{(3/2 Z)^4} \right] = N_{1s} N_{2s} \left[1 + \frac{2B}{Z} \right] \frac{16}{27 Z^3}$

so $\left[1 + \frac{2B}{Z} \right] = 0$ or $B = -\frac{Z}{2}$ so $2s = N_{2s} \left(1 - \frac{Zr}{2} \right) e^{-Zr/2}$

then we need $\int R_{2s}^2 r^2 dr = 1$

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$$\text{or } N_{2s}^2 \int (1 - \frac{Z}{2}r)^2 e^{-Zr} r^2 dr = N^2 \int (1 - \frac{Z}{2}r + \frac{1}{4}Z^2 r^2) e^{-Zr} r^2 dr$$

$$= N^2 \left[2 \frac{Z^{-3}}{Z} - 3! \frac{Z^{-3}}{Z} + 4! \frac{1}{4} \frac{Z^{-3}}{Z} \right] = N^2 [2Z^{-3} - 6Z^{-3} + 6Z^{-3}] = N^2 2Z^{-3}$$

$$\text{so } N = \sqrt{\frac{Z^3}{2}}$$

the node in the 2s wavefunction occurs when $1 - Zr = 0$ or $r = \frac{1}{Z} = 2a_0$

finally

$$\langle \frac{1}{r} \rangle = \int R(r) \frac{1}{r} R(r) r^2 dr = \int R^2(r) r dr$$

$$\langle r \rangle = \int R^2(r) r^3 dr$$

so function $\langle 1/r \rangle$

$$1s \quad N_{1s}^2 \int e^{-2Zr} r^3 dr = 4Z^3 \frac{1!}{(2Z)^4} =$$

$$\langle r \rangle \quad N_{1s}^2 \int e^{-2Zr} r^3 dr = \frac{Z^3}{4} \frac{3!}{(2Z)^4}$$

$$= \frac{Z}{4}$$

$$\frac{3}{2Z}$$

$$2p \quad N_{2p}^2 \int e^{-r/Z} r^3 dr = \frac{Z}{4}$$

$$N_{2p}^2 \int e^{-r/Z} r^5 dr = 5/Z$$

$$2s \quad N_{2s}^2 \int e^{-r/Z} \left[\frac{r}{Z} - 1 \right]^2 r dr =$$

$$\frac{1}{Z^3} \int e^{-r/Z} \left[\frac{r^2}{Z} - 2r + 1 \right]^2 r dr = \frac{Z}{4}$$

$$N_{2s}^2 \int e^{-r/Z} \left[\frac{r}{Z} - 1 \right]^2 r^3 dr =$$

$$\frac{1}{Z^3} \int e^{-r/Z} \left[\frac{r^2}{Z} - 2r + 1 \right]^2 r^3 dr = 6/Z$$

Negative muon = $1.874 \cdot 10^{-28} \text{ kg} = 0.1135 \text{ amu}$

reduced mass = $\frac{0.1135 \times 1}{1.1135} = 0.1019 \text{ amu} =$

mass proton = $5.49 \cdot 10^{-4} \text{ amu}$

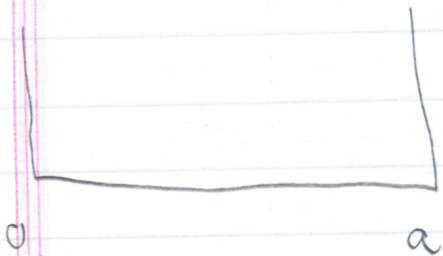
so $n(\mu\text{-proton}) / n(e\text{-proton}) \approx 187$

now, problem #1 $a_0 \approx \frac{1}{M_\mu}$

so for $\mu\text{-proton } a_0 \approx \frac{a_0(\text{electron-proton})}{187}$

$$\langle r \rangle = \frac{1}{187} a_0$$

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$$\left[-\frac{1}{2\mu} \frac{d^2}{dr^2} + \frac{J(J+1)}{2\mu r^2} \right] \psi(r) = E \psi(r) \quad \text{let } x = (2\mu E)^{1/2} r \quad r = x / \sqrt{2\mu E}$$

$$\frac{d}{dr} = \frac{d}{dx} \frac{dx}{dr} = \sqrt{2\mu E} \frac{d}{dx}$$

so, ψE in terms of x is

$$\frac{d^2}{dr^2} = 2\mu E \frac{d^2}{dx^2}$$

$$\left[-\frac{1}{2\mu} 2\mu E \frac{d^2}{dx^2} + \frac{J(J+1) 2\mu E}{2\mu x^2} \right] \psi(x) = E \psi(x)$$

$$\text{or } \left[-\frac{d^2}{dx^2} + \frac{J(J+1)}{x^2} - 1 \right] \psi(x) = 0 \quad \text{or } \left[\frac{d^2}{dx^2} - \frac{J(J+1)}{x^2} + 1 \right] \psi(x) = 0$$

$$\text{or } \left[x^2 \frac{d^2}{dx^2} - J(J+1) + x^2 \right] \psi(x) = 0$$

solutions are

$$w_0(x) = \sin x \quad w_1(x) = \frac{1}{x} \sin x - \cos x \quad w_2(x) = \left(\frac{3}{x^2} - 1 \right) \sin x - \frac{3 \cos x}{x}$$

solutions must vanish at $r=0$ or $x = \sqrt{2\mu E} a$

now

$\sin(x)$ vanishes at $x = \pi, 2\pi$ when $x = n\pi$ $\sqrt{2\mu E} a = n\pi$

$$\text{or } E = \frac{n^2 \pi^2}{2\mu a^2}$$

[exactly like particle in a box! we expect this, since for $J=0$ the potential is like a particle-in-a-box]

$$E = \frac{9.870}{2\mu a^2} = \frac{39.478}{2\mu a^2}$$

now for $J=1$ look at vanishing of $w_1(x)$ $x = 4.484, 7.717$

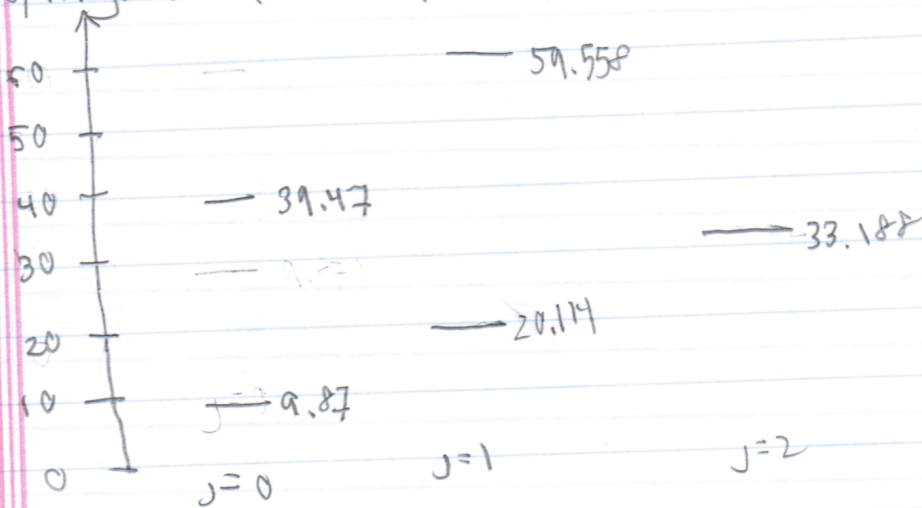
$$\text{or } E = \frac{4.484^2}{2\mu a^2}, \frac{7.717^2}{2\mu a^2} = \frac{20.114}{2\mu a^2}, \frac{59.558}{2\mu a^2}$$

$J=2$ look at vanishing of $w_2(x)$ $x = 5.7609$

$$E = \frac{5.7609^2}{2\mu a^2} = \frac{33.188}{2\mu a^2}$$

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so, energies are (in units of $1/4na^2$)



the $1s \rightarrow 2p$ transition

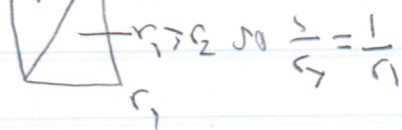
$$9.87 \rightarrow 20.114 = 10.244$$

$n=1$ (for electron) so $\Delta E = \frac{10.244}{2a^2} = -\frac{1}{2} \rightarrow -\frac{1}{8} = \frac{3}{8}$

so $2a^2 \left(\frac{3}{8}\right) = 10.244 \quad a^2 = 13.659 \quad \boxed{\alpha = 3.695 a_0}$

6) $1s = \sqrt{4Z^3} e^{-Zr} \left(\frac{1}{4\pi}\right) \frac{1}{r^2} = \frac{1}{r^2}$ this cancels when we integrate over angles θ and ϕ

$r_2 = r_1 = r$



$$\int_0^\infty r^2(r) \frac{1}{r^2} r^2 dr = \frac{1}{r_1} \int_0^{r_1} 4Z^3 e^{-2Zr} r^2 dr + \int_{r_1}^\infty 4Z^3 e^{-2Zr} r^2 dr$$

$$= \frac{1}{r_1} [1 - 2Zr_1 e^{-2Zr_1} - 2Zr_1 e^{-2Zr_1} - e^{-2Zr_1}] + Ze^{-2Zr_1} (2Zr_1 + 1)$$

$$= \frac{1}{r_1} [1 - e^{-2Zr_1} (1 + 2Zr_1)] + 1$$

$$\text{now } \int_0^\infty |r^2 \psi(r)|^2 \int_0^\infty |r^2 \psi(r)|^2 \frac{1}{r_1 r_2} dV_1 dV_2 = \int_0^\infty 4Z^3 e^{-2Zr_1} [1 - e^{-2Zr_1} (1 + Zr_1)] \frac{r_1^2}{r_1} dr_1$$

$$= \frac{5Z}{8}$$

$$\langle \psi | h | \psi \rangle = \int \psi \left[-\frac{1}{2N} \nabla^2 \frac{d}{dr} r^2 \frac{d}{dr} \psi \right] \psi - Z \int \psi \frac{1}{r} \psi$$

again because of normalization, integral over angle cancels out

$$\psi = \sqrt{4Z^3} e^{-Zr} \quad \text{or } \psi(Z) = \sqrt{4Z^3} e^{-Zr}$$

$$\frac{d}{dr} \psi(Z) = -\sqrt{4Z^3} Z e^{-Zr}$$

$$r^2 \frac{d}{dr} \psi(Z) = -\sqrt{4Z^3} Z r^2 e^{-Zr}$$

$$\frac{d}{dr} \left(r^2 \frac{d}{dr} \psi(Z) \right) = \sqrt{4Z^3} (Z^2 r^2 - 2Zr) e^{-Zr}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \left(r^2 \frac{d}{dr} \psi(Z) \right) = \sqrt{4Z^3} \left(Z^2 - \frac{2Z}{r} \right) e^{-Zr}$$

$$\text{so KE} = \frac{1}{2} 4Z^3 \int e^{-2Zr} \left(-\frac{2Z}{r} + Z^2 \right) r^2 dr = \frac{Z^2}{2}$$

potential energy is easier $-\int \psi(Z) \frac{Z}{r} \psi(Z) = -Z 4Z^3 \int_0^\infty e^{-2Zr} r dr = -Z^2$

so the one-electron energy is $-Z^2 + \frac{Z^2}{2}$, or, for 2 electrons $(-2Z^2 + Z^2)$

8 Total energy is

$$-2Z^2 + Z^2 + \frac{5Z}{8} = E$$

$$\frac{\partial E}{\partial Z} = -2Z + 2Z + \frac{5}{8}$$

for He, $Z=2$ $\frac{\partial E}{\partial Z} = -4 + 2Z + \frac{5}{8} = 0$ so, when $\frac{\partial E}{\partial Z} = 0$ $Z = 1.6875$

$$E_{\text{best}} = -4Z + Z^2 + \frac{5}{8}Z = (Z=1.6875) = -2.84765$$