

- B3. Calculate the separation of two slits that cause the second order maximum for light of wavelength 546 nm to occur at an angle of 0.600° .

$$\sin\theta = \frac{m\lambda}{d} \Rightarrow d = \frac{m\lambda}{\sin\theta} = \frac{2(546 \text{ nm})}{\sin(0.600^\circ)}$$

$$d = 1.04 \times 10^5 \text{ nm} = 0.104 \text{ mm}$$

- B4. Calculate the de Broglie wavelength of an electron moving with a speed of $7.50 \times 10^6 \text{ m/s}$.

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

$$\lambda = \frac{6.63 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J}\cdot\text{s}}{(9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg})(7.50 \times 10^6 \text{ m/s})} = 9.70 \times 10^{-11} \text{ m}$$

- B5. Determine the energy of the photon emitted when an electron in the hydrogen atom undergoes a transition from the $n = 8$ level to the $n = 6$ level.

$$E_n = -E_1 \frac{Z^2}{n^2} \quad \text{so} \quad E_8 - E_6 = -E_1 Z^2 \left(\frac{1}{8^2} - \frac{1}{6^2} \right)$$

$$E_8 - E_6 = -13.6 \text{ eV} (1)^2 \left(\frac{1}{64} - \frac{1}{36} \right) = 0.165 \text{ eV}$$
