

Line Spectra

Activity 1 – Paragraph Completion

Question Group 1

Question 1

There is only one question in this Activity - a paragraph completion question with seven blanks to fill in. The paragraph is ...

Electrons in atoms have _____ energy levels. An electron's energy level can change when _____. When an atom _____ energy, the electron will jump to a higher energy level. This higher energy level is known as _____. Electrons won't maintain this high energy forever, but will transition to lower energy levels. These transitions result in _____ as the electron changes from the high energy state to the lower energy state. The difference in energy between the two energy states is equal to the _____. When viewed through a spectroscope, electron transitions are seen as _____.

Options for blanks include:

1. a continuous range of , only certain quantized
2. heat or electricity is applied, the object is touched or rubbed, a proton or neutron is added
3. releases , absorbs
4. a resting state, a ground state, an excited state, a united state
5. a phase change, a chemical reaction, the release of a photon
6. energy of the photon, enthalpy change of the reaction, heat of vaporization or fusion
7. a continuous rainbow of color, lines of a specific color, a magnificent fireworks display

Activity 2: Match That Color

Question Group 2

Question 2

Consider three colored lines on a line spectra - red, orange, and violet. Wavelengths associated with the lines are shown below. Match the wavelengths to the color of the lines.

Wavelength
610 nm

Wavelength
420 nm

Wavelength
685 nm

Question 3

Consider three colored lines on a line spectra - blue, green, and violet. Wavelengths associated with the lines are shown below. Match the wavelengths to the color of the lines.

Wavelength
425 nm

Wavelength
550 nm

Wavelength
468 nm

Question 4

Consider three colored lines on a line spectra - red, yellow, and green. Wavelengths associated with the lines are shown below. Match the wavelengths to the color of the lines.

Wavelength
675 nm

Wavelength
535 nm

Wavelength
585 nm

Question Group 3

Question 5

Consider three colored lines on a line spectra - violet, red, and green. Frequencies associated with the lines are shown below. Match the frequencies to the color of the lines.

Frequency (Hz)

$$5.8 \times 10^{14}$$

Frequency (Hz)

$$7.2 \times 10^{14}$$

Frequency (Hz)

$$4.5 \times 10^{14}$$

Question 6

Consider three colored lines on a line spectra - blue, green, and violet. Frequencies associated with the lines are shown below. Match the frequencies to the color of the lines.

Frequency (Hz)

$$7.1 \times 10^{14}$$

Frequency (Hz)

$$6.6 \times 10^{14}$$

Frequency (Hz)

$$5.6 \times 10^{14}$$

Question 7

Consider three colored lines on a line spectra - red, orange, and green. Frequencies associated with the lines are shown below. Match the frequencies to the color of the lines.

Frequency (Hz)

$$4.3 \times 10^{14}$$

Frequency (Hz)

$$5.7 \times 10^{14}$$

Frequency (Hz)

$$4.9 \times 10^{14}$$

Question Group 4

Question 8

Consider three colored lines on a line spectra - blue, green, and red. Photon energy values associated with the lines are shown below. Match the energy values to the color of the lines.

Energy (J)

$$2.9 \times 10^{-19}$$

Energy (J)

$$4.2 \times 10^{-19}$$

Energy (J)

$$3.7 \times 10^{-19}$$

Question 9

Consider three colored lines on a line spectra - violet, yellow, and orange. Photon energy values associated with the lines are shown below. Match the energy values to the color of the lines.

Energy (J)

$$3.4 \times 10^{-19}$$

Energy (J)

$$3.3 \times 10^{-19}$$

Energy (J)

$$4.8 \times 10^{-19}$$

Question 10

Consider three colored lines on a line spectra - red, orange, and yellow. Photon energy values associated with the lines are shown below. Match the energy values to the color of the lines.

Energy (J)

$$3.3 \times 10^{-19}$$

Energy (J)

$$3.4 \times 10^{-19}$$

Energy (J)

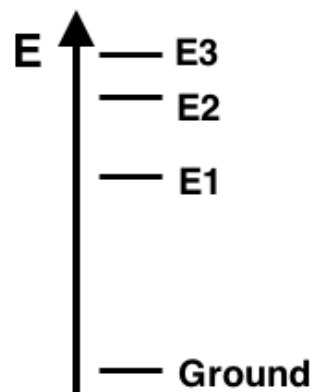
$$2.9 \times 10^{-19}$$

Activity 3: Match That Color

Question Group 5

Question 11

The energy level diagram for Element X shows the ground state and excited states **E1**, **E2**, and **E3**. The line spectra for this element displays three visible emission lines - violet, green, and red. The lines correspond to the electron transitions indicated below. Based on the properly-scaled energy levels shown in the diagram, match the three colors to the corresponding transitions.



e⁻ Transition from E3 to E1: _____

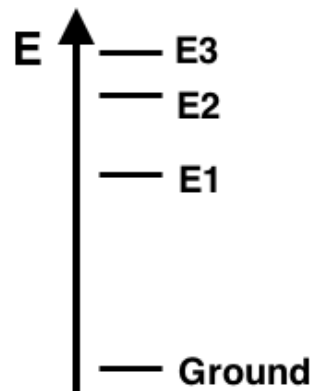
e⁻ Transition from E2 to E1: _____

e⁻ Transition from E1 to Ground: _____

Finally, the transition from E3 to Ground state would not be visible since it would correspond to the emission of ...

Question 12

The energy level diagram for Element X shows the ground state and excited states **E1**, **E2**, and **E3**. The line spectra for this element displays three visible emission lines - violet, green, and red. The lines correspond to the electron transitions indicated below. Based on the properly-scaled energy levels shown in the diagram, match the three colors to the corresponding transitions.



e⁻ Transition from E3 to E3: _____

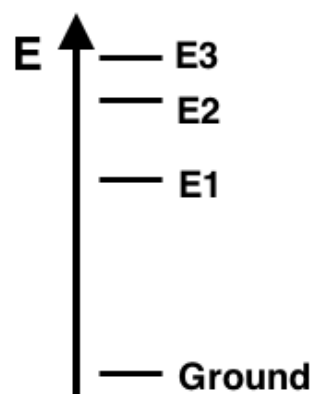
e⁻ Transition from E3 to E1: _____

e⁻ Transition from E2 to E1: _____

Finally, the transition from E1 to Ground state would not be visible since it would correspond to the emission of ...

Question 13

The energy level diagram for Element X shows the ground state and excited states **E1**, **E2**, and **E3**. The line spectra for this element displays three visible emission lines - violet, green, and orange. The lines correspond to the electron transitions indicated below. Based on the properly-scaled energy levels shown in the diagram, match the three colors to the corresponding transitions.



e⁻ Transition from E3 to E1: _____

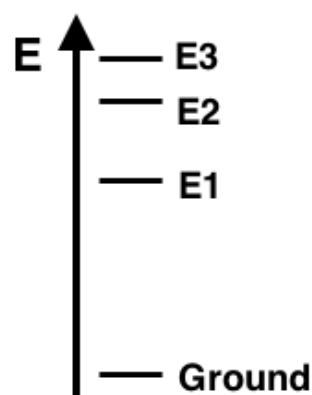
e⁻ Transition from E2 to E1: _____

e⁻ Transition from E1 to Ground: _____

Finally, the transition from E3 to E2 would not be visible since it would correspond to the emission of ...

Question 14

The energy level diagram for Element X shows the ground state and excited states **E1**, **E2**, and **E3**. The line spectra for this element displays three visible emission lines - blue, yellow, and red. The lines correspond to the electron transitions indicated below. Based on the properly-scaled energy levels shown in the diagram, match the three colors to the corresponding transitions.



e⁻ Transition from E3 to E1: _____

e⁻ Transition from E2 to E1: _____

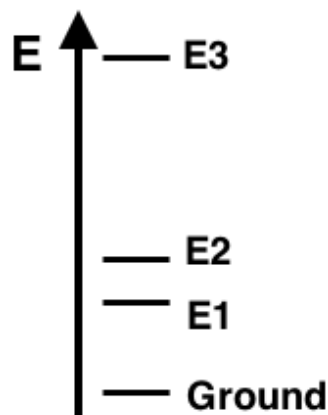
e⁻ Transition from E1 to Ground: _____

Finally, the transition from E3 to E2 would not be visible since it would correspond to the emission of ...

Question Group 6

Question 15

The energy level diagram for Element X shows the ground state and excited states **E1**, **E2**, and **E3**. The line spectra for this element displays three visible emission lines - violet, green, and red. The lines correspond to the electron transitions indicated below. Based on the properly-scaled energy levels shown in the diagram, match the three colors to the corresponding transitions.



e⁻ Transition from E3 to E2: _____

e⁻ Transition from E2 to Ground: _____

e⁻ Transition from E1 to Ground: _____

Finally, the transition from E3 to Ground state would not be visible since it would correspond to the emission of ...

Question 16

The energy level diagram for Element X shows the ground state and excited states **E1**, **E2**, and **E3**. The line spectra for this element displays three visible emission lines - violet, blue, and orange. The lines correspond to the electron transitions indicated below. Based on the properly-scaled energy levels shown in the diagram, match the three colors to the corresponding transitions.

e⁻ Transition from E3 to E2: _____

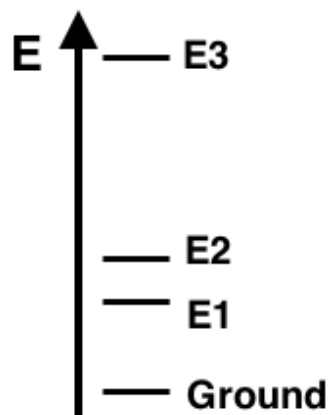
e⁻ Transition from E2 to Ground: _____

e⁻ Transition from E1 to Ground: _____

Finally, the transition from E2 to E1 would not be visible since it would correspond to the emission of ...

Question 17

The energy level diagram for Element X shows the ground state and excited states **E1**, **E2**, and **E3**. The line spectra for this element displays three visible emission lines - violet, green, and red. The lines correspond to the electron transitions indicated below. Based on the properly-scaled energy levels shown in the diagram, match the three colors to the corresponding transitions.



e⁻ Transition from E3 to E2: _____

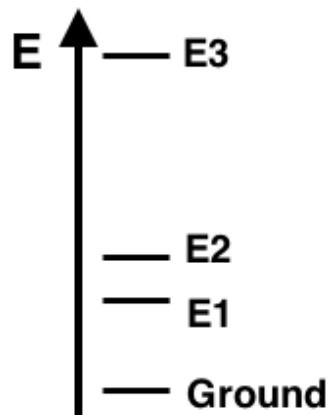
e⁻ Transition from E2 to E1: _____

e⁻ Transition from E2 to Ground: _____

Finally, the transition from E3 to Ground state would not be visible since it would correspond to the emission of ...

Question 18

The energy level diagram for Element X shows the ground state and excited states **E1**, **E2**, and **E3**. The line spectra for this element displays three visible emission lines - blue, yellow, and red. The lines correspond to the electron transitions indicated below. Based on the properly-scaled energy levels shown in the diagram, match the three colors to the corresponding transitions.



e⁻ Transition from E3 to E2: _____

e⁻ Transition from E2 to E1: _____

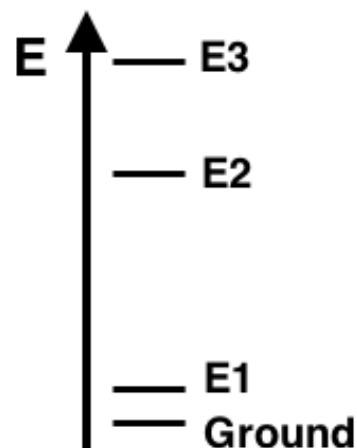
e⁻ Transition from E2 to Ground: _____

Finally, the transition from E2 to E1 would not be visible since it would correspond to the emission of ...

Question Group 7

Question 19

The energy level diagram for Element X shows the ground state and excited states **E1**, **E2**, and **E3**. The line spectra for this element displays three visible emission lines - violet, green, and red. The lines correspond to the electron transitions indicated below. Based on the properly-scaled energy levels shown in the diagram, match the three colors to the corresponding transitions.



e⁻ Transition from E3 to E2: _____

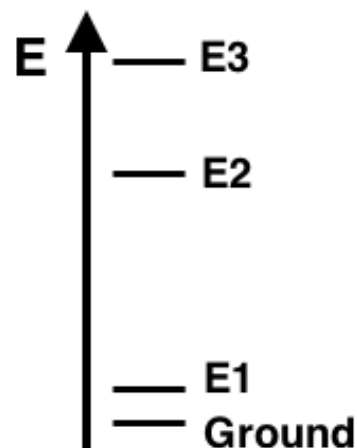
e⁻ Transition from E2 to E1: _____

e⁻ Transition from E2 to Ground: _____

Finally, the transition from E3 to Ground state would not be visible since it would correspond to the emission of ...

Question 20

The energy level diagram for Element X shows the ground state and excited states **E1**, **E2**, and **E3**. The line spectra for this element displays three visible emission lines - violet, blue, and orange. The lines correspond to the electron transitions indicated below. Based on the properly-scaled energy levels shown in the diagram, match the three colors to the corresponding transitions.



e⁻ Transition from E3 to E2: _____

e⁻ Transition from E2 to E1: _____

e⁻ Transition from E2 to Ground: _____

Finally, the transition from E1 to Ground state would not be visible since it would correspond to the emission of ...

Question 21

The energy level diagram for Element X shows the ground state and excited states **E1**, **E2**, and **E3**. The line spectra for this element displays three visible emission lines - violet, green, and red. The lines correspond to the electron transitions indicated below. Based on the properly-scaled energy levels shown in the diagram, match the three colors to the corresponding transitions.



e⁻ Transition from E3 to E2: _____

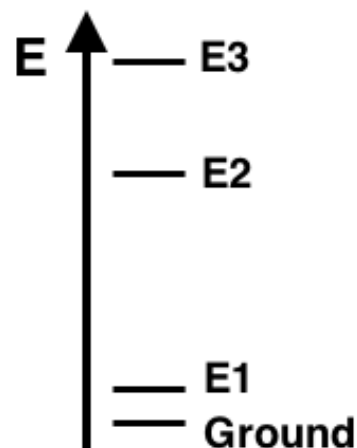
e⁻ Transition from E2 to E1: _____

e⁻ Transition from E1 to Ground: _____

Finally, the transition from E3 to Ground state would not be visible since it would correspond to the emission of ...

Question 22

The energy level diagram for Element X shows the ground state and excited states **E1**, **E2**, and **E3**. The line spectra for this element displays three visible emission lines - violet, blue, and red. The lines correspond to the electron transitions indicated below. Based on the properly-scaled energy levels shown in the diagram, match the three colors to the corresponding transitions.



e⁻ Transition from E3 to E2: _____

e⁻ Transition from E2 to E1: _____

e⁻ Transition from E1 to Ground: _____

Finally, the transition from E2 to Ground state would not be visible since it would correspond to the emission of ...