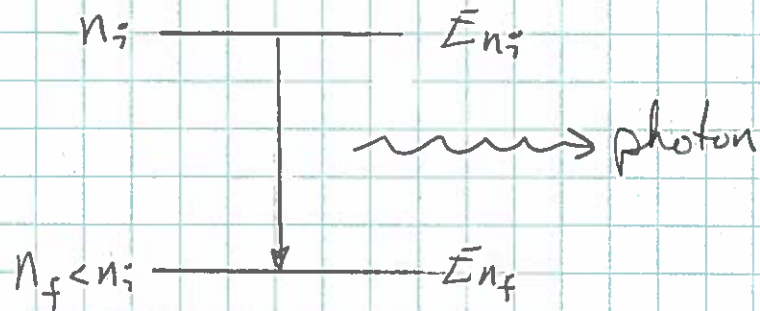
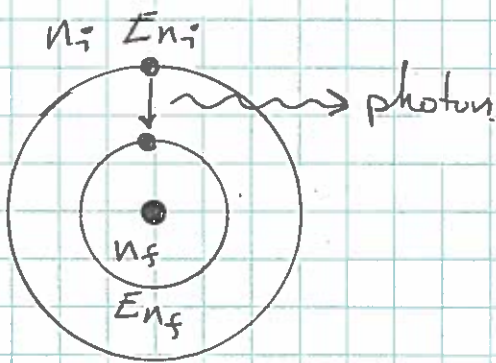


What does Bohr's theory predict for the Hydrogen spectrum?

Consider: emission



$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Photon Energy, } E_{ph} &= |\Delta E_e| = |E_{n_f} - E_{n_i}| \\
 &= \left| -\frac{13.6 \text{ eV}}{n_f^2} + \frac{13.6}{n_i^2} \right| \\
 &= 13.6 \text{ eV} \left( \frac{1}{n_f^2} - \frac{1}{n_i^2} \right) \\
 &= (13.6 \text{ eV}) \left( \frac{n_i^2 - n_f^2}{n_f^2 n_i^2} \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

Now, wavelength:

$$\lambda = \frac{hc}{E_{ph}} = \frac{hc}{(13.6 \text{ eV}) \left( \frac{n_i^2 - n_f^2}{n_f^2 n_i^2} \right)} = \underline{\underline{(91.18 \text{ nm}) \left( \frac{n_f^2 n_i^2}{n_i^2 - n_f^2} \right)}}$$

- perfect agreement with experiment!

for  $n_i = 3$  &  $n_f = 2$

$$\underline{\underline{\lambda = 656.5 \text{ nm}}}$$

This is the bright red line in the Hydrogen emission spectrum.