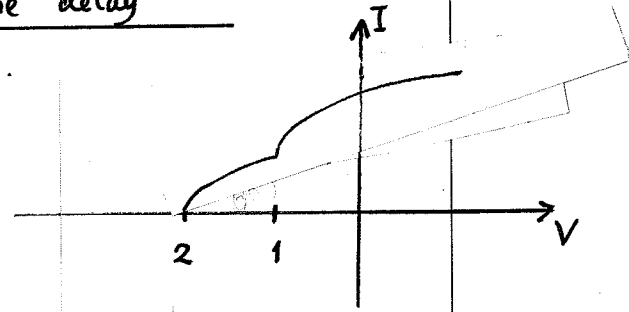


Photo Electric Effect

Dependence	Independence
I versus light intensity	V_s versus intensity
V_s versus f	no time delay

$$eV_0 = hf - \phi$$

A photoelectric effect Experiment uses a light source of 2 spectrum lines of 400 nm and 600 nm. Without the filter, one observes I versus V as shown. Explain the phenomenon.



Possible explanation: The light source is of 2 colors.

The first stopping potential at 1 volt for a longer wavelength, and the last stopping potential at 2 volt for a shorter wavelength.

$$\left. \begin{aligned} 1 \text{ eV} &= hf_1 - \phi \\ 2 \text{ eV} &= hf_2 - \phi \end{aligned} \right\} \quad 1 \text{ eV} = hf_2 - hf_1$$

$$h = \frac{1 \text{ eV}}{f_2 - f_1}$$

$$f_1 = \frac{c}{\lambda_1} = \frac{3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}}{600 \times 10^{-9} \text{ m}} = 5 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz}$$

$$f_2 = \frac{c}{\lambda_2} = \frac{3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}}{400 \text{ nm}} = 7.5 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz}$$

$$h = \frac{1 \text{ eV}}{2.5 \times 10^{14} / \text{s}} = 4 \times 10^{-15} \text{ eV} \cdot \text{s} = 6.4 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s}$$

We can find ϕ too: $1 \text{ eV} = hf_1 - \phi$; $\phi = hf_1 - 1 \text{ eV} = 4 \times 10^{-15} \text{ eV} \cdot \text{s} \times 5 \times 10^{14} - 1 = 2 - 1 = 1 \text{ eV}$.

Photon flux of 100W light bulb of $\lambda = 600 \text{ nm}$. at $r = 1.5 \text{ m}$

$hf = hc/\lambda$; therefore, to find energy quantum, it is useful to know the

$$hc = 4.136 \times 10^{-15} \text{ eV} \cdot \text{s} \cdot 3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s} = 12.4 \times 10^{-7} \text{ m} \cdot \text{eV} = 1240 \text{ nm} \cdot \text{eV}$$

$$hf = \frac{1240 \text{ nm} \cdot \text{eV}}{600 \text{ nm}}$$

$$= 2.07 \text{ eV}; \quad 100 \text{ joules} = 100 / 1.602 \times 10^{-19} \text{ eV} = 0.624 \times 10^{21} \text{ eV}$$

$$= 3 \times 10^{20} hf \text{ or } 3 \times 10^{20} \text{ photon.}$$

$$\text{Photon flux} = \frac{\# \text{ photon}}{\text{area}} = \frac{\# \text{ photon}}{4\pi r^2} = \frac{3 \times 10^{20}}{4\pi \times 1.5^2} = 1.1 \times 10^{19} \text{ photon/m}^2 = 1.1 \times 10^{15} \text{ photon/cm}^2$$