

Problem 2-45 (Cont.)

Home Work #2

In Bob's frame,

He will wait for Anna to get to W planet

$$t = \frac{12 \text{ yr} \times \gamma}{0.6 \gamma} = 20 \text{ yr}$$

and another 20 yr for her to come back

But, He will age by 40 yrs

Thus, $\Delta t = \gamma \Delta t'$

$$\Delta t' = \frac{\Delta t}{\gamma} = \frac{40}{1.25} = 32 \text{ yrs}$$

Thus Anna will be aged by 32 yrs
At the meeting time!

Bob will be 60 yrs

Anna will be 52 yrs

Problem 2-51

Equation 2.17 reads $f_{\text{obs}} = f_{\text{source}} \frac{\sqrt{1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}}}{1 + \frac{v}{c} \cos \theta}$

If the source is moving toward an observer, $\theta = 180^\circ$
i.e. $\cos \theta = -1$

$$f_{\text{obs}} = f_{\text{source}} \frac{\sqrt{1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}}}{1 - \frac{v}{c}} = \frac{\sqrt{(1 - \frac{v}{c})(1 + \frac{v}{c})}}{\sqrt{(1 - \frac{v}{c})(1 - \frac{v}{c})}}$$

$$\boxed{f_{\text{obs}} = f_{\text{source}} \sqrt{\frac{1 + \frac{v}{c}}{1 - \frac{v}{c}}}}$$

Problem 2-54

Since the observed frequency is larger, than the source, the galaxy must be moving toward Earth

$$f = \frac{c}{\lambda} \quad f_{\text{obs}} = f_{\text{source}} \sqrt{\frac{1 + v/c}{1 - v/c}}$$
$$\frac{f_{\text{obs}}}{f_{\text{source}}} = \sqrt{\frac{1 + v/c}{1 - v/c}} = \frac{c/\lambda_{\text{obs}}}{c/\lambda_{\text{source}}} = \sqrt{\frac{1 + v/c}{1 - v/c}}$$

$$\left(\frac{\lambda_{\text{source}}}{\lambda_{\text{obs}}} \right)^2 = \frac{1 + v/c}{1 - v/c}$$
$$\left(1 - \frac{v}{c} \right) \left(\frac{\lambda_{\text{source}}}{\lambda_{\text{obs}}} \right)^2 = 1 + \frac{v}{c}$$

$$\left(\frac{\lambda_{\text{source}}}{\lambda_{\text{obs}}} \right)^2 - \frac{v}{c} \left(\frac{\lambda_{\text{source}}}{\lambda_{\text{obs}}} \right)^2 = 1 + \frac{v}{c}$$

$$\left(\frac{\lambda_{\text{source}}}{\lambda_{\text{obs}}} \right)^2 - 1 = \frac{v}{c} \left(1 + \left(\frac{\lambda_{\text{source}}}{\lambda_{\text{obs}}} \right)^2 \right)$$

$$\boxed{\frac{v}{c} = \frac{\left(\frac{\lambda_{\text{source}}}{\lambda_{\text{obs}}} \right)^2 - 1}{\left(\frac{\lambda_{\text{source}}}{\lambda_{\text{obs}}} \right)^2 + 1}}$$

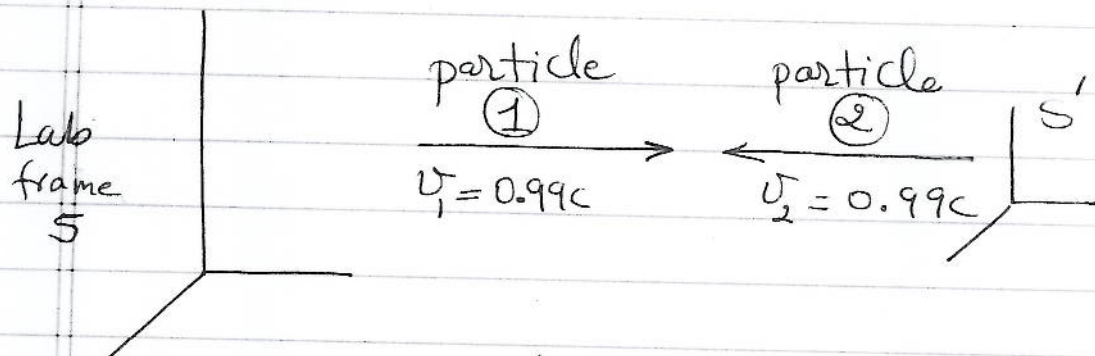
$$\left(\frac{\lambda_{\text{source}}}{\lambda_{\text{obs}}} \right)^2 = \left(\frac{396.85}{396.58} \right)^2 = 1.00136$$

$$\boxed{\frac{v}{c} = 0.00068}$$

~~wave~~ wavelength shift is about one part in a thousand

The speed is roughly one-thousandth that of light

Problem 2-62 : Particle Collider



Particle 2 is S' moving at $v = 0.99c$ relative to the Lab and particle 1 is the object which moves at $u = -0.99c$ in Lab

$$u' = \frac{u - v}{1 - \frac{uv}{c^2}} = \frac{-0.99c - 0.99c}{1 - (-0.99)(0.99)}$$

$$u' = -0.9995c$$

Problem 2-70

Consider a proton moving with at $v = 0.8c$

a) Momentum of the proton is :

$$p = \gamma m_e u = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - (0.8)^2}} \underbrace{(1.67 \cdot 10^{-27} \text{ kg})}_{m_p} (0.8 \times 3 \cdot 10^8 \text{ m/s})$$

$$p = 6.68 \cdot 10^{-19} \text{ Kg m/s}$$

$$b) E = \gamma m_e c^2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - (0.8)^2}} (1.67 \cdot 10^{-27} \text{ kg}) (3 \cdot 10^8 \text{ m/s})^2$$

$$E = 2.51 \cdot 10^{-10} \text{ J}$$

Energy can also be expressed in eV (electron Volt) units.
 $1 \text{ eV} = 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$ (1.6 $\times 10^{-19}$ is also the charge of an electron.)

$$\text{Thus } E_p = 2.51 \times 10^{-10} \text{ J} = \frac{2.51 \times 10^{-10} \text{ J}}{1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J/eV}} \text{ eV}$$
$$= 1568 \times 10^6 \text{ eV}$$

$$\boxed{E_p = 1568 \text{ MeV}}, \quad 1 \text{ MeV} = 10^6 \text{ eV}$$

(c) Kinetic Energy

$$KE = T = (\gamma - 1) m_p c^2$$

$$= \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - (0.8)^2}} - 1 \right) (1.67 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}) (3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s})^2$$

$$= 1.00 \times 10^{-10} \text{ J}$$

$$= 6.25 \times 10^8 \text{ eV}$$

$$\boxed{KE = T = 625 \times 10^6 \text{ eV} = 625 \text{ MeV}}$$

Problem - 2.84

$$W = \Delta KE = KE_{\text{final}} - KE_{\text{initial}}$$

$$= (\gamma_{u_f} - 1) m c^2 - (\gamma_{u_i} - 1) m c^2$$

$$\boxed{W = \Delta KE = (\gamma_{u_f} - \gamma_{u_i}) m c^2}$$

a) The work required to accelerate an electron from 0.3c to 0.6c

$$W = \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - (0.6)^2}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - (0.3)^2}} \right) (9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}) (3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s})^2$$

$$W = 1.65 \cdot 10^{-14} \text{ J}$$

in eV: $W = \frac{1.65 \cdot 10^{-14}}{1.6 \cdot 10^{-19}} = 103125 \text{ eV} = 0.103 \text{ MeV}$
 $= 103.125 \text{ keV}$

$$1 \text{ MeV} = 10^6 \text{ eV}$$

$$1 \text{ keV} = 10^3 \text{ eV}$$

(b) from $0.6c$ to $0.9c$

$$W = \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-(0.9)^2}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-(0.6)^2}} \right) (9.11 \cdot 10^{-31} \text{ kg}) (3 \cdot 10^8 \text{ m/s})^2$$

$$= 8.56 \cdot 10^{-14} \text{ J}$$

$$= 0.535 \text{ MeV}$$

$$W = 535 \text{ keV}$$

Problem 2-94

Consider the decay of a kaon: $K^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ + \pi^-$
 $m_K = 8.87 \cdot 10^{-28} \text{ kg}$, $m_\pi = 2.49 \cdot 10^{-28} \text{ kg}$

Kaon moving in the positive x direction

(a) Speed of kaon before decay

• Use Conservation of Energy

$$E_K = E_{\pi^+} + E_{\pi^-}$$

$$\gamma_u m_K c^2 = \gamma_{0.9} m_\pi c^2 + \gamma_{0.8} m_\pi c^2$$

$$\gamma_u = \frac{(\gamma_{0.9} + \gamma_{0.8}) m_\pi}{m_K} = \frac{(2.294 + 1.67) \cdot 2.49 \cdot 10^{-28}}{8.87 \cdot 10^{-28}}$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-(\frac{u}{c})^2}} = 1.11278$$

$$\pi^+ : \gamma = \frac{1}{\frac{0.9c}{\sqrt{1-(0.9)^2}}}$$

$$\pi^- : \gamma_{0.8c} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-(0.8)^2}}$$

$$\frac{1}{1 - \left(\frac{u}{c}\right)^2} = 1.2382 \Rightarrow 1 - \left(\frac{u}{c}\right)^2 = 0.8075$$

Thus, $U = 0.437c$

(b) The directions of the pions after the decay.
Use conservation of Momentum.

$$\gamma_u m_K u = \gamma_{0.9} m_{\pi^+} (0.9c) + \gamma_{0.8} m_{\pi^-} (0.8c)$$

Now, we need to project this on x and y axis.

Along the x axis.

$$\gamma_{0.437} (8.87 \times 10^{-28}) (0.437c) = \gamma_{0.9} (2.49 \times 10^{-28}) (0.9c) \cos \theta_1 + \gamma_{0.8} (2.49 \times 10^{-28}) (0.8c) \cos \theta_2$$

Thus

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \gamma_{0.437} (8.87) (0.437) = \gamma_{0.9} (2.49) (0.9) \cos \theta_1 + \gamma_{0.8} (2.49) (0.8) \cos \theta_2$$

Along the y-axis

$$\textcircled{2} \quad 0 = \gamma_{0.9} (2.49) (0.9 \sin \theta_1) - \gamma_{0.8} (2.49) (0.8 \sin \theta_2)$$

$$\gamma_{0.437} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - (0.437)^2}} = 1.1178$$

$$\gamma_{0.9} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - (0.9)^2}} = 2.29416$$

$$\gamma_{0.8} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - (0.8)^2}} = 1.6667$$

Thus, Equation $\textcircled{1}$ will be

$$4.312 - 5.141 \cos \theta_1 = 3.32 \cos \theta_2$$

And Equation (2) will be

$$5.141 \sin \theta_1 = 3.32 \sin \theta_2$$

Square both equations

$$(1) 18.591 - 44.335 \cos \theta_1 + 26.432 \cos^2 \theta_1 = 11.022 \cos^2 \theta_2$$

$$(2) 26.432 \sin^2 \theta_1 = 11.022 \sin^2 \theta_2$$

if we add (1) and (2) ($\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = 1$ Δ)

$$18.591 - 44.335 \cos \theta_1 + 26.432 = 11.022$$

Solving this for θ_1

$$\boxed{\theta_1 = 39.9^\circ} \text{ for the } 0.9c \pi^+$$

plug the value of θ_1 in $5.141 \sin \theta_1 = 3.32 \sin \theta_2$
will give us

$$\boxed{\theta_2 = 83.6^\circ} \text{ for the } 0.8c \pi^-$$

