

Ch 14 Scattering

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Example #1 P. 562

$$N_{sc} = N_{inc} n_{tar} \sigma$$

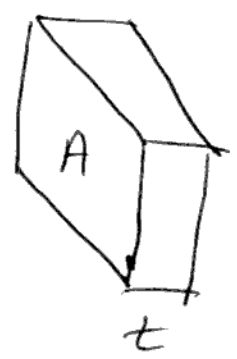
$$= (60) \left(\frac{50}{150 \text{ ft}^2} \right) \left(\frac{1}{2} \text{ ft}^2 \right) = 10$$

incident bullets
 $\frac{\text{crows}}{\text{Area}}$
Cross section (area)

Example 14.2

$\nearrow 10^4$ $\nearrow 1.5 \times 10^{-28} \text{ m}^2$

$$N_{sc} = N_{inc} n_{tar} \sigma$$



$$V = A t$$

$$n_{tar} = \frac{\#}{\text{Area}}$$

$$\rho = \frac{M}{V} = \frac{M}{A t}$$

$$m = \text{one Al nucleus} = 27 \text{ AMU} = 27 \times (1.66 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg})$$

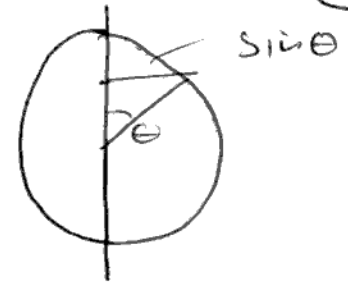
$$n_{tar} = \frac{\rho t}{m} = \frac{M t}{m A t} = \frac{M}{m A} = \frac{\#}{\text{Area}}$$

$$n_{tar} = \left(2.7 \times 10^3 \frac{\text{kg}}{\text{m}^3} \right) (10^{-4} \text{ m}) = 6 \times 10^{24} \text{ m}^{-2}$$

$$\left[27 \times 1.66 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg} \right] \Rightarrow N_{sc} = 9$$

Solid Angle

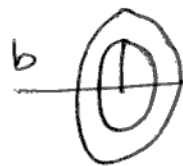
$$\Delta \Omega = \frac{A}{r^2} \rightarrow \sin \theta \, d\theta \, d\phi$$



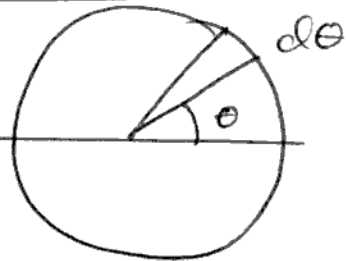
$$N_{sc}(\text{in } d\Omega) = N_{inc} \eta_{tar} \frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} d\Omega$$

$$\int d\Omega = \int_0^\pi \sin \theta \, d\theta \int_0^{2\pi} d\phi = 2 \times 2\pi = 4\pi$$

14.5



$$d\sigma = 2\pi b \, db$$

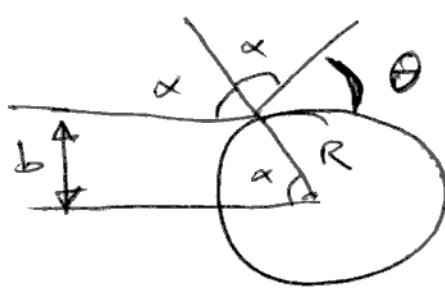


$$d\Omega = 2\pi \sin \theta \, d\theta$$

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} = \frac{2\pi b \, db}{2\pi \sin \theta \, d\theta} = \frac{b}{\sin \theta} \left| \frac{db}{d\theta} \right|$$

Ex 14.5

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$$2\alpha + \theta = \pi$$

$$\theta = \pi - 2\alpha$$

$$b = R \sin \alpha = R \sin\left(\frac{\pi - \theta}{2}\right) = R \cos(\theta/2)$$

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} = \frac{b}{\sin \theta} \frac{db}{d\theta} = \frac{R \cos(\theta/2)}{\sin \theta} \frac{R \sin(\theta/2)}{2} = \frac{R^2}{4}$$

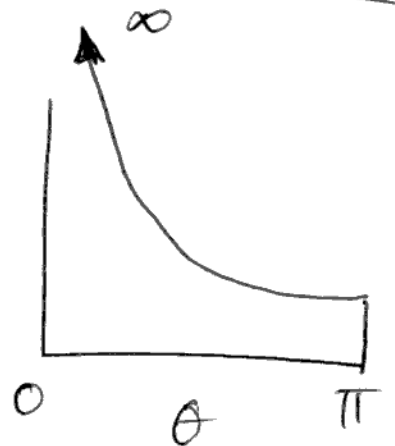
$$\text{w/ } \cos\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) \sin\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) = \frac{\sin(\theta)}{2}$$

Note: $\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} = \text{const} = \text{isotropic}$

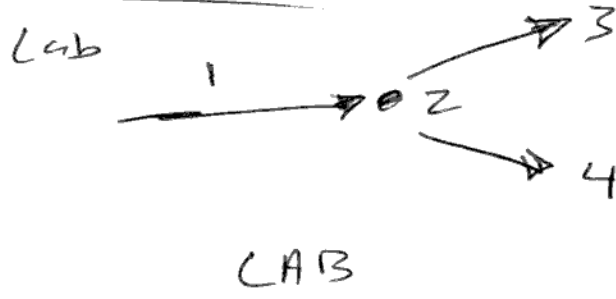
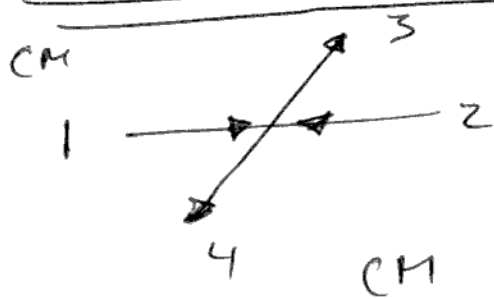
$$\begin{aligned} \sigma &= \int \frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} d\Omega = \int \frac{R^2}{4} \sin \theta d\theta d\phi \\ &= \frac{R^2}{4} \cdot 4\pi = \pi R^2 \end{aligned}$$

Rutherford Scattering

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} = \left[\frac{Kq_1 q_2}{4E \sin^2(\theta/2)} \right]^2$$



Lab to CM frame



$$P_1 = P(001)$$

$$P_2 = P(00-1)$$

$$P_3 = P(0Sc)$$

$$P_4 = P(0-S-c)$$

$$P'_1 = P(002)$$

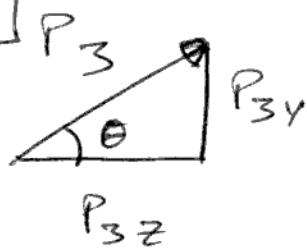
$$P'_2 = P(000)$$

$$P'_3 = P(0S1+c)$$

$$P'_4 = P(0-S1-c)$$

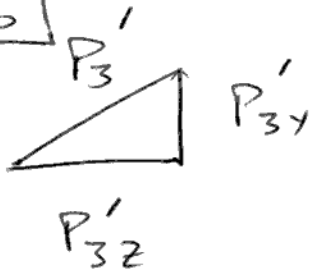
→ Add $P(001)$ to get →

CM



$$\tan \theta = \frac{P_{3y}}{P_{3z}} = \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} = \tan \theta$$

Lab



$$\tan \theta' = \frac{P'_{3y}}{P'_{3z}} = \frac{\sin \theta}{1 + \cos \theta} = \tan\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)$$

$$\theta_{\text{Lab}} = \theta' = \frac{\theta_{\text{cm}}}{2}$$

$$P'_3 \cdot P'_4 = P^2 [-s^2 + (1+c)(1-c)] = P^2 [1 - s^2 - c^2] = 0$$

P'_3 and P'_4 are orthogonal 90°