

164(4): The concept of $\omega_1 = R_1^{1/2} c$

We propose the equation:

$$\hbar \omega_1 = m_1 c^2 \quad - (1)$$

$$\omega_1 = R_1^{1/2} c \quad - (2)$$

In these equations ω_1 replaces the rest frequency ω_0 of de Broglie and m_1 is the traditional concept of constant mass.

In note 164(3), it was found that:

$$A = \omega \omega' - \omega_0 (\omega - \omega') = x_1^2 + (\omega^2 - x_1^2)^{1/2} (\omega' - x_1^2)^{1/2} \cos \theta \quad - (3)$$

where
$$x_1 = \frac{m_1 c^2}{\hbar} = \omega_1 \quad - (4)$$

Assume now that the photon mass m_1 is a constant keeping with the usual concept of mass in physics.

This must mean that there is a varying frequency
 ω_1 defined in ERE theory by eq. (2).

This concept may be easier to accept than one of varying mass m_1 . However, both concepts are equivalent through eq. (4). Therefore the factors x_1 and x_2 that appear in the

2) scattering equation (3) are defined by:

$$x_1 = \omega_1 = R_1^{1/2} c \quad - (5)$$

$$x_0 = \omega_0 = R_0^{1/2} c \quad - (6)$$

The three fundamental equations are:

$$E = \gamma mc^2 \quad - (7)$$

$$p = \gamma m v \quad - (8)$$

$$R = \left(\frac{mc}{f} \right)^2 \quad - (9)$$

so

$$\boxed{\omega = \gamma R^{1/2} c, \quad \underline{k} = \gamma R^{1/2} \frac{v}{c}} \quad - (10)$$

Eq. (10) must now be used in scattering theory. The energy and momentum conservation equations of ref. 164(3) are:

$$\omega + \omega_0 = \omega' + \omega'' \quad - (11)$$

and

$$\underline{k} = \underline{k}' + \underline{k}'' \quad - (12)$$

These lead to:

$$\omega \omega' - c R_2^{1/2} (\omega - \omega') = R_1 c^2 + (\omega^2 - R_1 c^2)^{1/2} (\omega'^2 - R_1 c^2)^{1/2} \cos \theta \quad - (13)$$

$$\rightarrow \omega \omega' \cos \theta \quad - (14)$$

$$\text{as } R_1 \rightarrow 0 \quad - (15)$$

Therefore for a "massless particle" R_1 is zero.

More precisely, a massless particle is defined by

$$\omega = \gamma R^{1/2} c \quad - (16)$$

with $\gamma \rightarrow \infty, R \rightarrow 0, v \rightarrow c \quad - (17)$

so the quantity:

$$K := \gamma R^{1/2} \quad - (18)$$

is indefinite.

In the limit the Compton effect is given by:

$$\boxed{c R_{\perp}^{1/2} (\omega - \omega') = \omega \omega' (1 - \cos \theta)} \quad - (19)$$

where

$$R_{\perp} = (m_2 c / \hbar)^2 \quad - (20)$$

and where m_2 is the electron mass.

Experimentally in the Compton effect, it is found that:

$$A = \omega \omega' \cos \theta \quad - (21)$$

For eq. (4) of note 164(3) this means:

$$R_1 c^2 = \frac{1}{2a} \left(-b \pm (b^2 - 4ac')^{1/2} \right) \quad - (22)$$

with

$$c' = 0 \quad - (23)$$

4) A possible solution is :

$$R_1 = 0 = \frac{1}{2a} (-b + b) - (24)$$

but it is possible that :

$$\boxed{R_1 = -\frac{b}{a}} \quad (25)$$

where

$$b = (\omega^2 + \omega'^2) \cos^2 \theta - 2\omega\omega' \cos \theta$$

$$a = 1 - \cos^2 \theta$$

this means that the curvature R_1 associated with the Compton effect experiment is non-zero experimentally.

Conclusion

The new concept of R_1 in scattering theory replaces the concept of massless photon, and it general replaces the concept of particle mass
