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For the ground state of the hydrogen atom, find the probability of finding the electron in the range $\Delta r = 0.03 a_0$ at (a) $r = a_0$ and at (b) $r = 2a_0$.

From equations 7-30 and 7-31, the wavefunction for hydrogen in the ground state is

$$\psi_{100} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \left(\frac{1}{a_0}\right)^{3/2} e^{-r/a_0}$$

And the probability of finding the electron in a spherical shell of thickness dr (or Δr) is...

$$P(r) dr = \psi^* \psi 4\pi r^2 dr = \frac{4\pi r^2}{\pi a_0^3} e^{-2r/a_0} dr$$

As long as Δr is small compared to the distance over which the probability varies ... that is $\Delta r \ll a_0$... then the probability is...

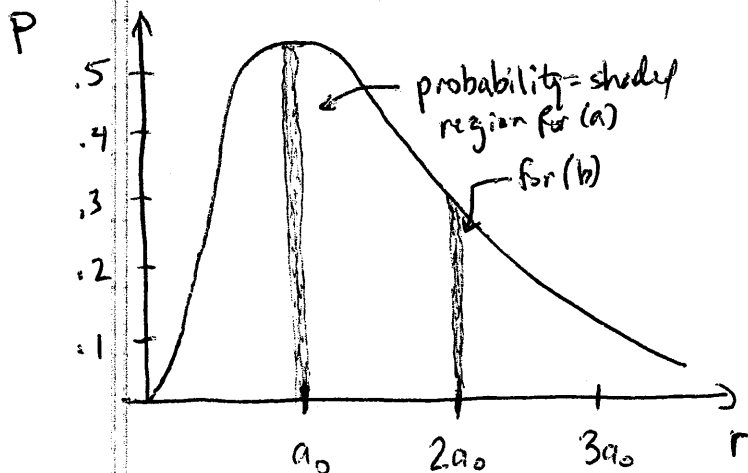
$$P(r) \Delta r = 4 \left(\frac{r}{a_0}\right)^2 e^{-2r/a_0} \cdot \left(\frac{\Delta r}{a_0}\right) \quad \text{dimensionless, as it should be ...}$$

(a) For $\Delta r = 0.03 a_0$ and at $r = a_0$...

$$P(a_0) \cdot \Delta r = 4 (1)^2 \cdot e^{-2} \cdot 0.03 = 0.0162 = \underline{\underline{1.62\%}}$$

(b) For $\Delta r = 0.03 a_0$ at $r = 2a_0$...

$$P(2a_0) \Delta r = 4 (2)^2 e^{-4} \cdot 0.03 = 0.00879 = \underline{\underline{0.88\%}}$$



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Hydrogen in the 2S state has wavefunction with normalization factor ~~1/200~~

$$C_{200} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \left(\frac{Z}{a_0}\right)^{3/2}$$

NOTE: This is an error in the text... it should be

$$C_{200} = \frac{1}{4} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \left(\frac{Z}{a_0}\right)^{3/2}$$

Using value in text

Using corrected value

(a) The wavefunction is

$$\psi_{200} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \left(\frac{Z}{a_0}\right)^{3/2} \left(2 - \frac{Zr}{a_0}\right) e^{-Zr/2a_0}$$

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For hydrogen $Z=1$, and at $r=a_0$...

$$\psi_{200} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \left(\frac{1}{a_0}\right)^{3/2} (2-1) e^{-1}$$

$$= 0.147 \frac{1}{a_0^{3/2}}$$

$$= 0.0367 \frac{1}{a_0^{3/2}}$$

(b) The square of the wavefunction is

$$|\psi_{200}|^2 = \frac{1}{2\pi} \left(\frac{Z}{a_0}\right)^3 \left(2 - \frac{Zr}{a_0}\right)^2 e^{-2Zr/a_0}$$

$$|\psi_{200}|^2 = \frac{1}{32\pi} \left(\frac{Z}{a_0}\right)^3 \left(2 - \frac{Zr}{a_0}\right)^2 e^{-2Zr/a_0}$$

For hydrogen and at $r=a_0$...

$$|\psi_{200}|^2 = \frac{1}{2\pi} \left(\frac{1}{a_0}\right)^3 (2-1)^2 e^{-2}$$

$$= 0.0215 \frac{1}{a_0^3}$$

$$|\psi_{200}|^2 = \frac{1}{32\pi} \left(\frac{1}{a_0}\right)^3 (2-1)^2 e^{-2}$$

$$= 0.00135 \frac{1}{a_0^3}$$

(c) The radial probability density is... $P(r) = |\psi|^2 4\pi r^2$ (Eq. 7-32), so...

$$P(r) = \frac{4\pi}{2\pi} \left(\frac{Z}{a_0}\right)^3 r^2 \left(2 - \frac{Zr}{a_0}\right)^2 e^{-2Zr/a_0}$$

$$= 2 \left(\frac{r}{a_0}\right)^2 \left(2 - \frac{r}{a_0}\right)^2 e^{-2r/a_0} \frac{1}{a_0} = 2 \cdot 1 \cdot 1 \cdot e^{-2} = 0.271 \frac{1}{a_0}$$

$$= 0.0169 \frac{1}{a_0}$$

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Write down the wavefunction for the hydrogen atom when the electron's quantum numbers are $n=3, l=2, m_l=-1$.

Using tables 7-1 and 7-2 $\psi_{32-1} = R_{32} Y_{2-1}$

$$\psi_{32-1} = \frac{4}{81\sqrt{30}a_0^3} \left(\frac{r}{a_0}\right)^2 e^{-r/3a_0} \cdot \sqrt{\frac{15}{8\pi}} \sin\theta \cos\theta e^{-i\phi}$$

$$\psi_{32-1} = \frac{1}{81} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \cdot \frac{1}{a_0^{3/2}} \left(\frac{r}{a_0}\right)^2 e^{-r/3a_0} \sin\theta \cos\theta e^{-i\phi}$$

because $\frac{4}{\sqrt{30}} \cdot \sqrt{\frac{15}{8}} = 1$

EXTRA CREDIT: Check to be sure the wavefunction is normalized.

That is... $\int_0^\infty dr \int_0^\pi d\theta \int_0^{2\pi} d\phi (\psi^* \psi) r^2 \sin\theta \stackrel{?}{=} 1$ Eq. at top of p. 282.

Since $i = \sqrt{-1}$ appears only in the term $e^{-i\phi}$ and $e^{i\phi} e^{-i\phi} = 1$
 \uparrow complex conj.

$$\psi^* \psi = \frac{1}{6561\pi} \cdot \frac{1}{a_0^3} \left(\frac{r}{a_0}\right)^4 e^{-2r/3a_0} \sin^2\theta \cos^2\theta$$

So... $\int_0^\infty \int_0^\pi \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{1}{6561\pi} \cdot \frac{1}{a_0^3} r^6 e^{-2r/3a_0} \sin^3\theta \cos^2\theta d\phi d\theta dr$

Cancel the ϕ integral trivially... $\times 2\pi$

$$\frac{2}{6561} \frac{1}{a_0^3} \int_0^\infty \int_0^\pi r^6 e^{-2r/3a_0} \sin^3\theta \cos^2\theta d\theta dr \stackrel{?}{=} 1$$

$$\text{Or... } \frac{2}{6561} \cdot \frac{1}{a_0^7} \left[\int_0^\infty r^6 e^{-2r/3a_0} dr \right] \times \left[\int_0^\pi \sin^3 \theta \cos^2 \theta d\theta \right] \stackrel{?}{=} 1$$

Work on these integrals separately...

$$\int_0^\infty r^6 e^{-2r/3a_0} dr \quad \text{change variables to } r = \frac{2r}{3a_0} \quad dr = \frac{2}{3a_0} dr$$

$$\int_0^\infty \left(\frac{3a_0}{2}\right)^6 r^6 e^{-r} \left(\frac{3a_0}{2}\right) dr = \left(\frac{3a_0}{2}\right)^7 \int_0^\infty r^6 e^{-r} dr$$

Integrate by parts $\int u dv = uv - \int v du$ let $u = r^6 \rightarrow du = 6r^5 dr$
 $v = -e^{-r} \leftarrow dv = e^{-r} dr$

$$\left(\frac{3a_0}{2}\right)^7 \left[r^6 (-e^{-r}) \Big|_0^\infty - \int_0^\infty 6r^5 (-e^{-r}) dr \right] = \left(\frac{3a_0}{2}\right)^7 \cdot 6 \int_0^\infty r^5 e^{-r} dr$$

↖ zero at both limits

by analogy, this integral will be, after integration by parts
 $5 \int_0^\infty r^4 e^{-r} dr$

$$\text{So... } \left(\frac{3a_0}{2}\right)^7 \int_0^\infty r^6 e^{-r} dr = \left(\frac{3a_0}{2}\right)^7 \underbrace{6 \cdot 5 \cdot 4 \cdot 3 \cdot 2 \cdot 1}_{6!} \int_0^\infty e^{-r} dr$$

$$= -e^{-r} \Big|_0^\infty = 1$$

$$\left[\int_0^\infty r^6 e^{-2r/3a_0} dr \right] = 6! \left(\frac{3a_0}{2}\right)^7$$

Now the other integral... over θ .

$$\int_0^{\pi} \sin^3 \theta \cos^2 \theta d\theta = \int_0^{\pi} \sin \theta \underbrace{(1 - \cos^2 \theta)}_{\text{Using trig id. } \sin^2 \theta = 1 - \cos^2 \theta} \cos^2 \theta d\theta$$

$$\int_0^{\pi} (\cos^2 \theta - \cos^4 \theta) \sin \theta d\theta \quad \text{change variables...}$$

let $x = \cos \theta \quad dx = -\sin \theta d\theta$

$$\int_{-1}^{-1} (x^2 - x^4)(-dx) = \int_{-1}^1 (x^2 - x^4) dx$$

$$= \left[\frac{1}{3} x^3 - \frac{1}{5} x^5 \right]_{-1}^1 = \frac{2}{3} - \frac{2}{5}$$

$$= 2 \left[\frac{5-3}{15} \right] = \frac{4}{15}$$

So.. $\left[\int_0^{\pi} \sin^3 \theta \cos^2 \theta d\theta = \frac{4}{15} \right]$

Putting it all together...

$$\frac{2}{6561} \cdot \frac{1}{2^7} \cdot 6! \left(\frac{3a_0}{2} \right)^7 \cdot \frac{4}{15} \stackrel{?}{=} 1$$

$$\frac{2 \cdot 720 \cdot 3^7}{6561 \cdot 2^7} \cdot \frac{4}{15} \stackrel{?}{=} 1$$

$$\frac{2 \cdot 720 \cdot 2187 \cdot 4}{6561 \cdot 128 \cdot 15} \stackrel{?}{=} 1$$

$$1 = 1$$

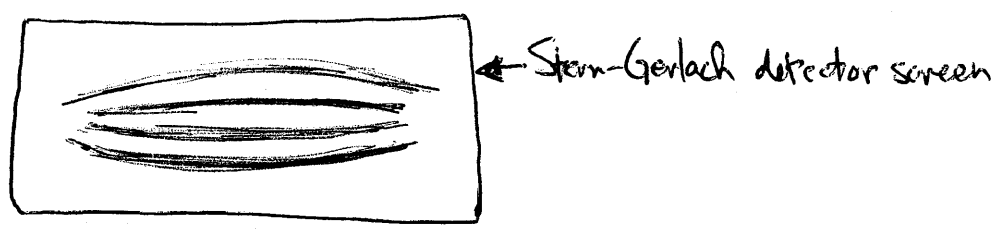
yes! ✓

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(a) Stern-Gerlach experiment with Yttrium atoms that have $j = 3/2$
How many lines do you expect to see?

You expect to see a line for each possible orientation of the angular momentum (and hence the magnetic dipole moment) vector.

for $j = 3/2$ $m_j = -3/2, -1/2, 1/2, 3/2$ so you should see 4 lines

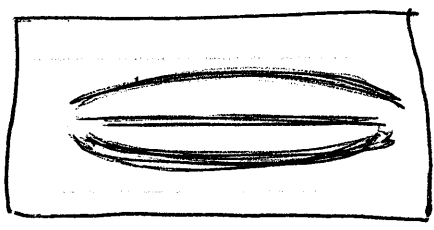


(b) If the atoms have $L=1$ and $S=0$, then the total angular momentum is $|\vec{J}| = |L-S|, \dots, L+S$ but this yields only 1 result...

$$J = 1 \dots$$

There are 3 possible orientations for \vec{J} (and hence $\vec{\mu}$) in this case

$$m_j = -1, 0, 1$$



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The spin-orbit effect in the $n=4$ states of hydrogen.

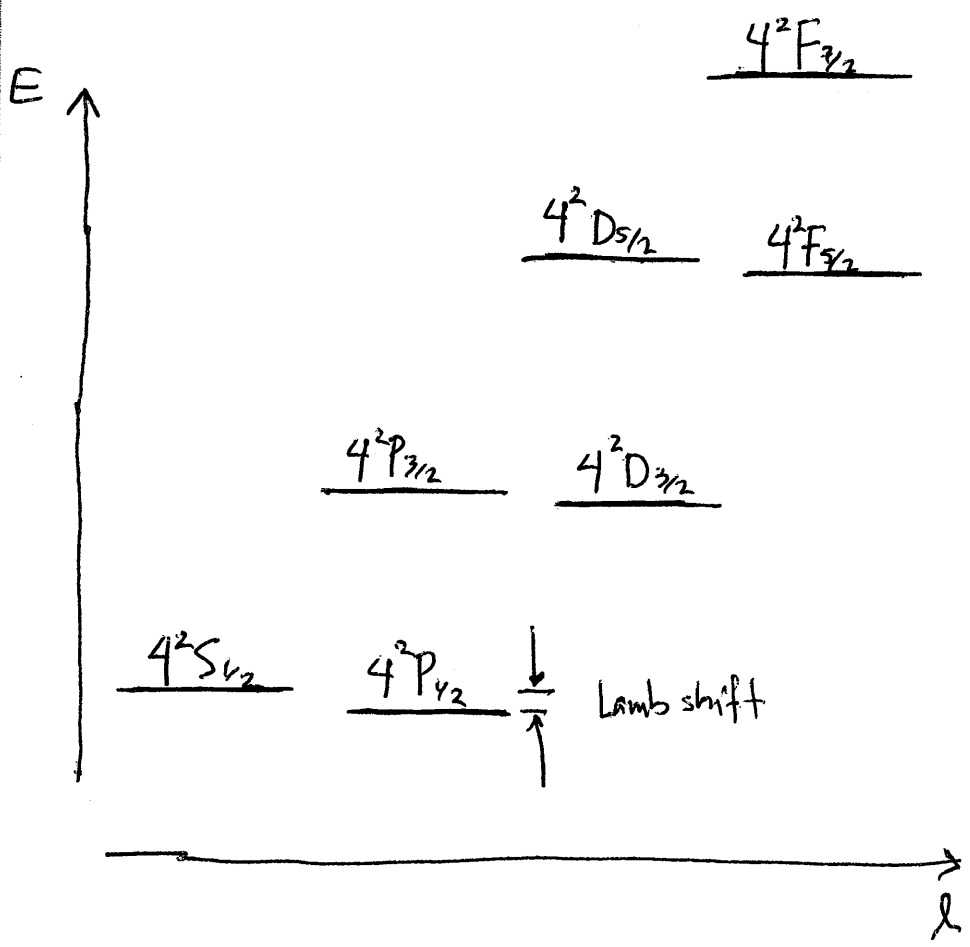
(a) In this level, the orbital angular momentum l can take on values 0, 1, 2, 3 corresponding to spectroscopic labels S, P, D, F.

For $l=0$, $j=\frac{1}{2}$; for $l=1$, $j=\frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2}$; for $l=2$, $j=\frac{3}{2}, \frac{5}{2}$, etc

On page 299, ^{the authors} says that "for given n , the energy of the electron increases with increasing l ". The spin-orbit effect gives states with larger j a greater energy (see Fig. 7-18). So, the most straightforward answer to this question is that the states, in order of increasing energy are...

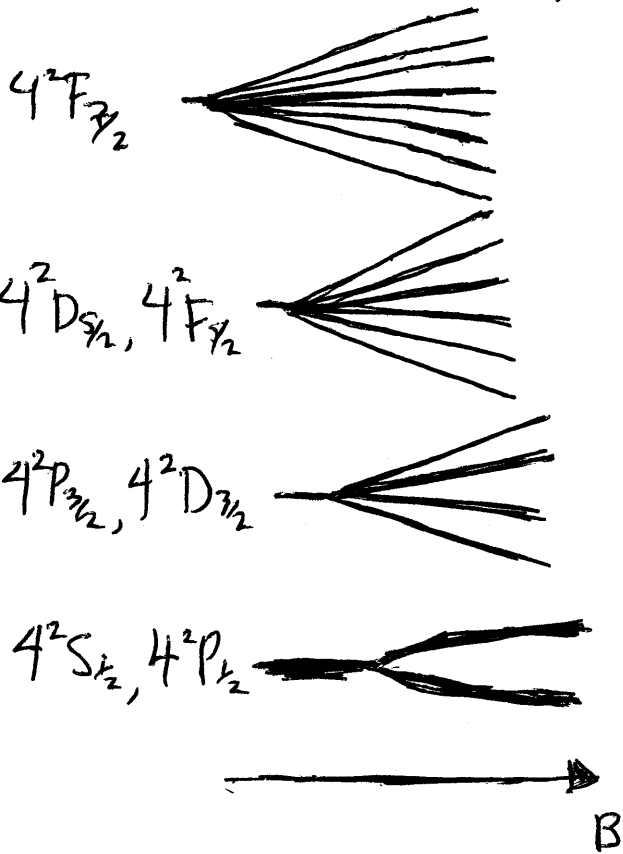
$$4^2S_{\frac{1}{2}}, 4^2P_{\frac{1}{2}}, 4^2P_{\frac{3}{2}}, 4^2D_{\frac{3}{2}}, 4^2D_{\frac{5}{2}}, 4^2F_{\frac{5}{2}}, 4^2F_{\frac{7}{2}}$$

How ever, see footnote 14, referenced near the top of p. 299 and the preceding sentence. In hydrogen the states with the same j value have nearly identical, ... and Lamb shift actually causes a very tiny switch in the order shown above.



(b) If a weak magnetic field is applied, into how many levels will each state split?
 The number of levels is equal to the number of m_j values. This is the Zeeman Effect.

$l = \frac{1}{2}$	$m_j = -\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}$	2 levels
$= \frac{3}{2}$	$= -\frac{3}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2}$	4 levels
$= \frac{5}{2}$	$= -\frac{5}{2}, -\frac{3}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2}, \frac{5}{2}$	6 levels
$= \frac{7}{2}$	$= -\frac{7}{2}, -\frac{5}{2}, -\frac{3}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2}, \frac{5}{2}, \frac{7}{2}$	8 levels



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A hydrogen atom is in the 3D state. (a) What are the possible values of j ?

In the D state $l=2$. Since there is only 1 electron, $S=\frac{1}{2}$

$$\text{So, } j = 2 - \frac{1}{2} = \boxed{\frac{3}{2}} \text{ or } j = 2 + \frac{1}{2} = \boxed{\frac{5}{2}}$$

$$3^2 D_{3/2}, \quad 3^2 D_{5/2}$$

(b) What are the possible values for the magnitude of the total angular momentum?

$$|\vec{J}| = \sqrt{j(j+1)} \hbar$$

$$\text{For } j = \frac{3}{2} \quad |\vec{J}| = \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}\left(\frac{5}{2}\right)} \hbar = \boxed{\frac{\sqrt{15}}{2} \hbar}$$

$$\text{For } j = \frac{5}{2} \quad |\vec{J}| = \sqrt{\frac{5}{2}\left(\frac{7}{2}\right)} \hbar = \boxed{\frac{\sqrt{35}}{2} \hbar}$$

(c) What are the possible z -components of the total angular momentum?

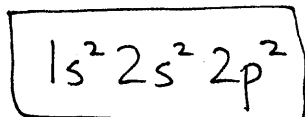
$$L_z = m_j \hbar \quad \text{where } m_j = -j, -j+1, \dots, j-1, j$$

$$\text{For } j = \frac{3}{2} \quad \boxed{L_z = -\frac{3}{2}\hbar, -\frac{1}{2}\hbar, +\frac{1}{2}\hbar, +\frac{3}{2}\hbar}$$

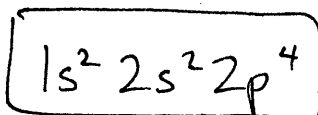
$$\text{For } j = \frac{5}{2} \quad \boxed{L_z = -\frac{5}{2}\hbar, -\frac{3}{2}\hbar, -\frac{1}{2}\hbar, +\frac{1}{2}\hbar, +\frac{3}{2}\hbar, +\frac{5}{2}\hbar}$$

7-44 Write the electron configuration for the ground states of (a) carbon, (b) oxygen, and (c) argon.

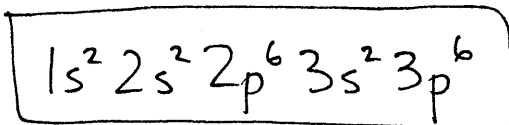
(a) Carbon is atomic number $Z=6$, so its electron configuration in the ground state is...



(b) Oxygen $Z=8$:



(c) Argon $Z=18$:



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Which of the following atoms would you expect to have its ground state split by the spin-orbit interaction: Li, B, Na, Al, K, Ag, Cu, Ga?

In order for there to be spin-orbit interaction in the ground state, there must be non-zero total orbital and spin angular momentum.

Li $1s^2 2s^1$ $l=0$... no ground state splitting

* B $1s^2 2s^2 2p^1$ ← net ang. momentum and odd # of electron spins... SPLIT

Na $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^1$ filled $2p$ states → no spin-orbital ang. momentum... $3s^1$ electron has $l=0$ no splitting.

* Al $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2 3p^1$ ← $l=1$ SPLIT

K $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2 3p^6 4s^1$... no splitting, for same reason as for Na.

Ag $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2 3p^6 3d^{10} 4s^2 4p^6 4d^{10} 5s^1$ ← $l=0$ no splitting
filled sub-orbitals... no net ang. momentum

Cu $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2 3p^6 3d^{10} 4s^1$

filled sub-orbitals... same as Ag no splitting

* Ga $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2 3p^6 3d^{10} 4s^2 4p^1$ ← net angular momentum! SPLIT

These three elements have ground state spin-orbit splitting.

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If the 3s electron in sodium did not penetrate the inner core its energy would be $E_n = -\frac{Z^2 E_0}{n^2}$ with $Z=1$ due to the shielding

of the other 10 electrons and $E_0 = 13.6 \text{ eV}$. $E_3 = -\frac{13.6 \text{ eV}}{9} = -1.51 \text{ eV}$

the same as the $n=3$ level in hydrogen.

But, the measured ionization potential is 5.14V ... not 1.51V, meaning that the 3s electron sees an effective nuclear charge that is greater than 1 ... it penetrates into the inner electron region.

$$-E_3 = -\frac{Z_{\text{eff}}^2 E_0}{3^2} = -Z_{\text{eff}}^2 \cdot 1.51 \text{ V}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} \uparrow \\ 5.14 \text{ V} \end{array}$$

$$\text{So... } Z_{\text{eff}} = \sqrt{\frac{5.14}{1.51}} = \underline{\underline{1.84}}$$

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What elements have these ground-state electron configurations?

