

#77132 Chemistry, General Chemistry

The ground state of the electron in hydrogen atom is -2.178×10^{-18} J. What would its energy be, if it is excited to $n=3$ level?

Answer:

$$E_{el} = -\frac{1}{n^2}K$$

$$K = -2.178 \times 10^{-18} \text{ J}$$

$$E_{el} = -\frac{1}{3^2} \times (-2.178 \times 10^{-18}) = 0.242 \times 10^{-18} \text{ J}$$

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