

**CHEMISTRY I**  
**Wavelength ( $\lambda$ ), Frequency ( $\nu$ ) and Energy (E) Worksheet**

1. A certain violet light has a wavelength of  $4.13 \times 10^{-7}$  m.
  - a. What is the frequency of this light?
  - b. What is the energy of this light?
2. a. What is the energy of a quantum of light that has a frequency of  $4.31 \times 10^{14}$  Hz?
  - b. What is the wavelength of this light?
3. A green light has a frequency of  $6.26 \times 10^{14}$  Hz.
  - a. What is the wavelength of this light?
  - b. What is the energy of this light?
4. What is the energy of a light with a wavelength of  $7.94 \times 10^{-7}$  m?
5. a. What is the energy of a photon of microwave radiation with a frequency of  $4.69 \times 10^{11}$  Hz?
  - b. What is the wavelength of this radiation?

Suppose your favorite AM radio station broadcasts at a frequency of 1150 kHz. What is the wavelength of the radiation from the radio station in *centimeters*?

7. A Mercury (Hg) lamp emits radiation with a wavelength of  $4.36 \times 10^{-7}$  m.
  - a. What is the frequency of this radiation?
  - b. What is the energy of this radiation?
  - c. In what region of the electromagnetic spectrum will this radiation be found?
8. a. Calculate the energy of a photon of red light with a wavelength of  $6.45 \times 10^{-5}$  cm.
  - b. What is the frequency of this red light?
9. a. Calculate the energy of a photon of green light with a frequency of  $5.80 \times 10^{14}$  Hz.
  - b. Which light has more energy: the red light in question #8 or the green light on question #9?

$$E = h(\nu)$$

$$\lambda(\nu) = c$$

$$c = 3.0 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s or } 3.0 \times 10^{10} \text{ cm/s}$$

$$h = 6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ Joules/Hz}$$