## ATOMS AND NUCLEI

45. Draw a schematic arrangement of the Geiger-Marsden experiment for studying  $\alpha$ -particle scattering by a thin foil of gold.

[All India 2009, Foreign 2010]

46. Draw the energy level diagram showing how the transitions between energy level result in the appearance of Lyman series.

[Delhi 2013]

47. Draw the energy level diagram showing how the line spectra corresponding to Paschen series occur due to transition between energy levels.

[Delhi 2013]

48. Draw the energy level diagram showing how the line spectra corresponding to Balmer series occur due to transition between energy levels.

[Delhi 2013]

49. Draw a plot of the binding energy per nucleon as a function of mass number for a large number of nuclei 20 > A > 240.

[Foreign 2008, All India 2009C, 2010, 2013]

50. Draw a plot of potential energy between a pair of nucleons as a function of their separation. Mark the regions where potential energy is (i) positive and (ii) negative.

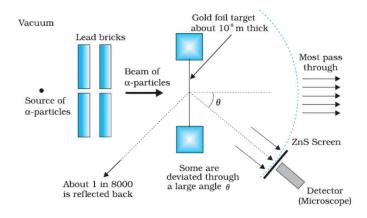
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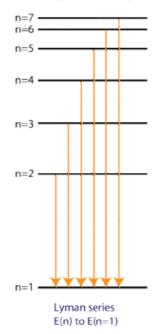


## **SOLUTIONS**

45. Given figure shows a schematic diagram of Geiger-Marsden experiment.



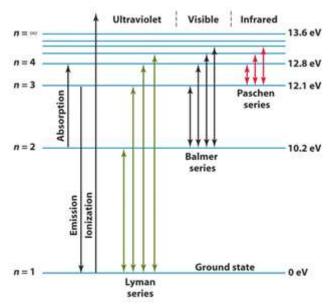
46. Energy level diagram for the Lymann series:



The Lymann series of the hydrogen atom is produced when transitions take place from higher orbit to the first orbit  $n_1=1$ 



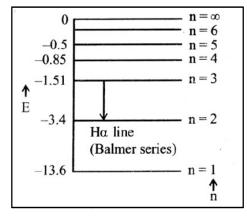
47. Energy level diagram for the Paschen series



The Paschen series of the hydrogen atom is produced when transitions take place from higher orbits to the third orbit.

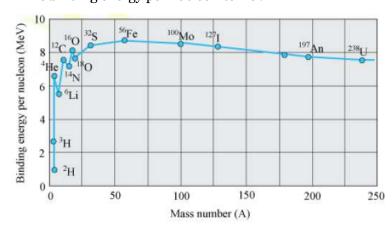
i.e., 
$$n_1 = 3$$
 and  $n_2 = 4, 5, 6, \dots \dots$ so on.

48. Energy level diagram: The Balmer series is produced when transition take place from higher orbits to n = 2 as shown in the figure.





The binding energy per nucleon curve. 49.



Plot of potential energy between a pair of nucleons as a function of their 50. separation:

