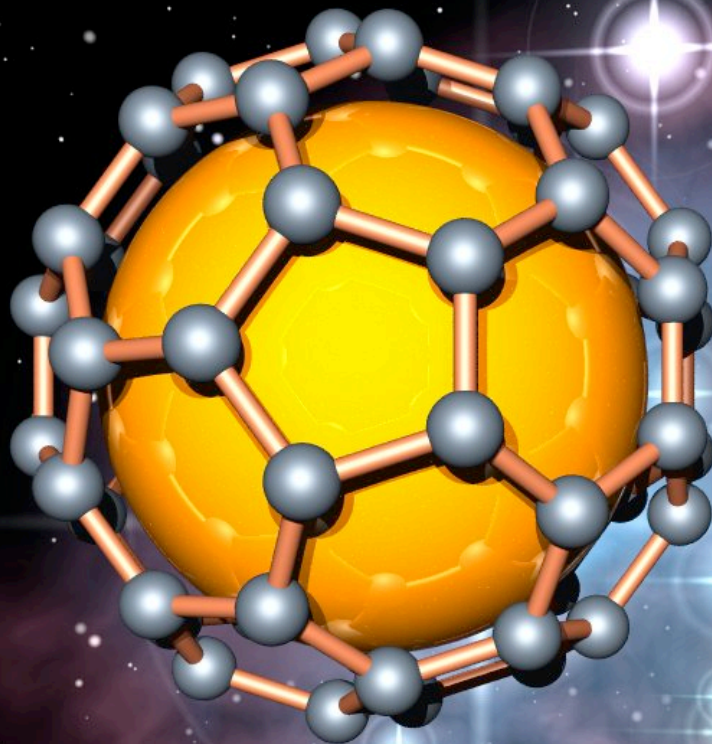


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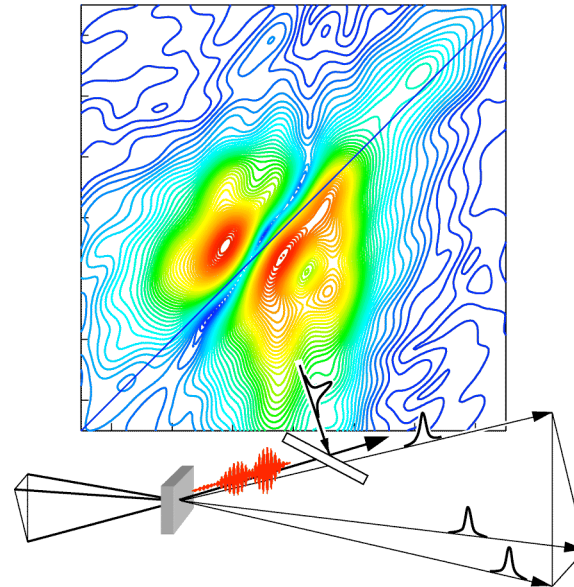
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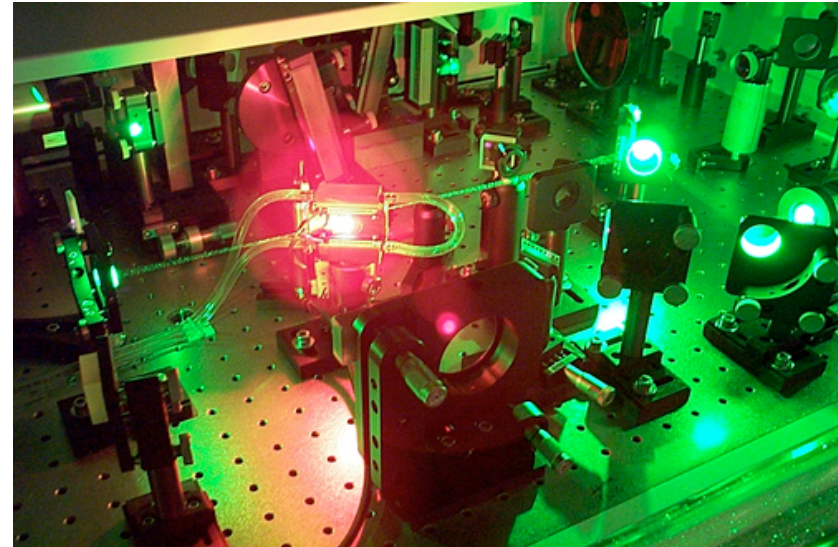
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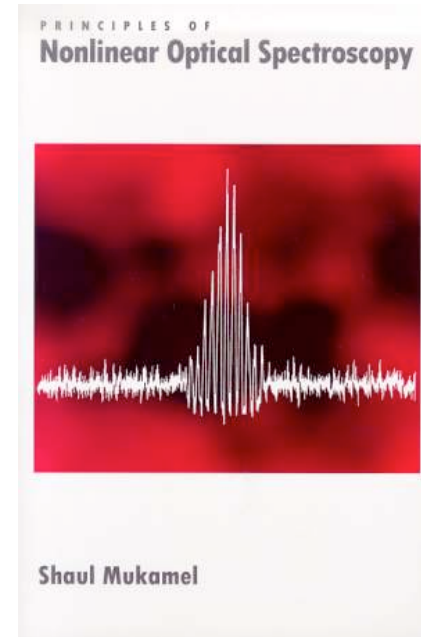
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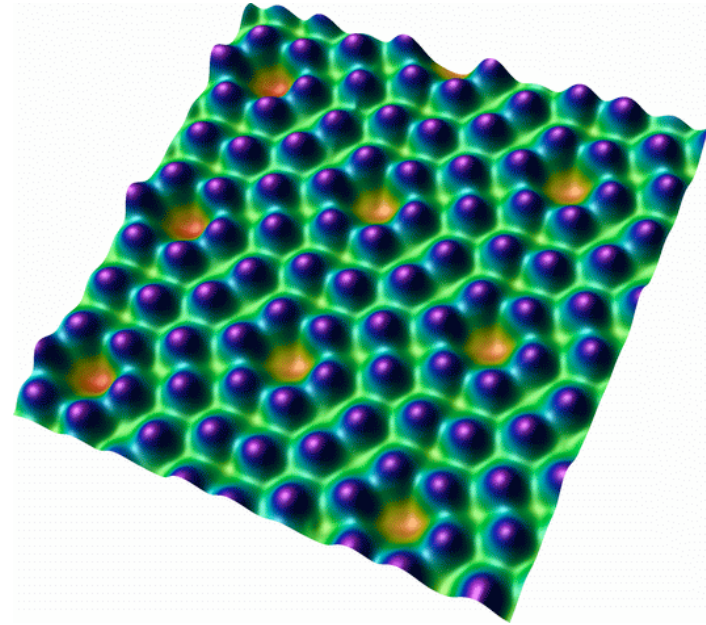
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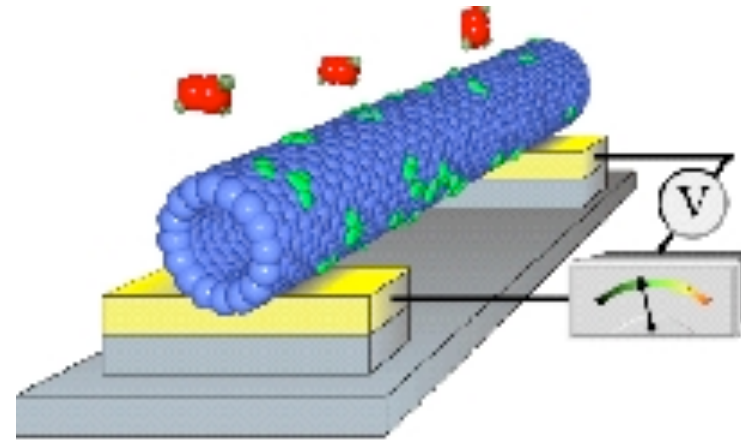
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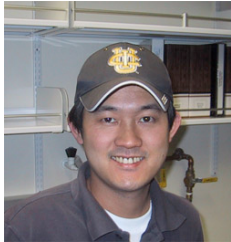
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Nanoscope Devices

More than One, less than a Mole
Access to the Nanoworld
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Lab sessions



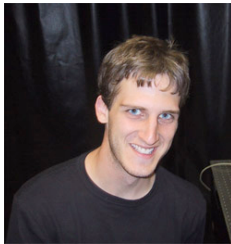
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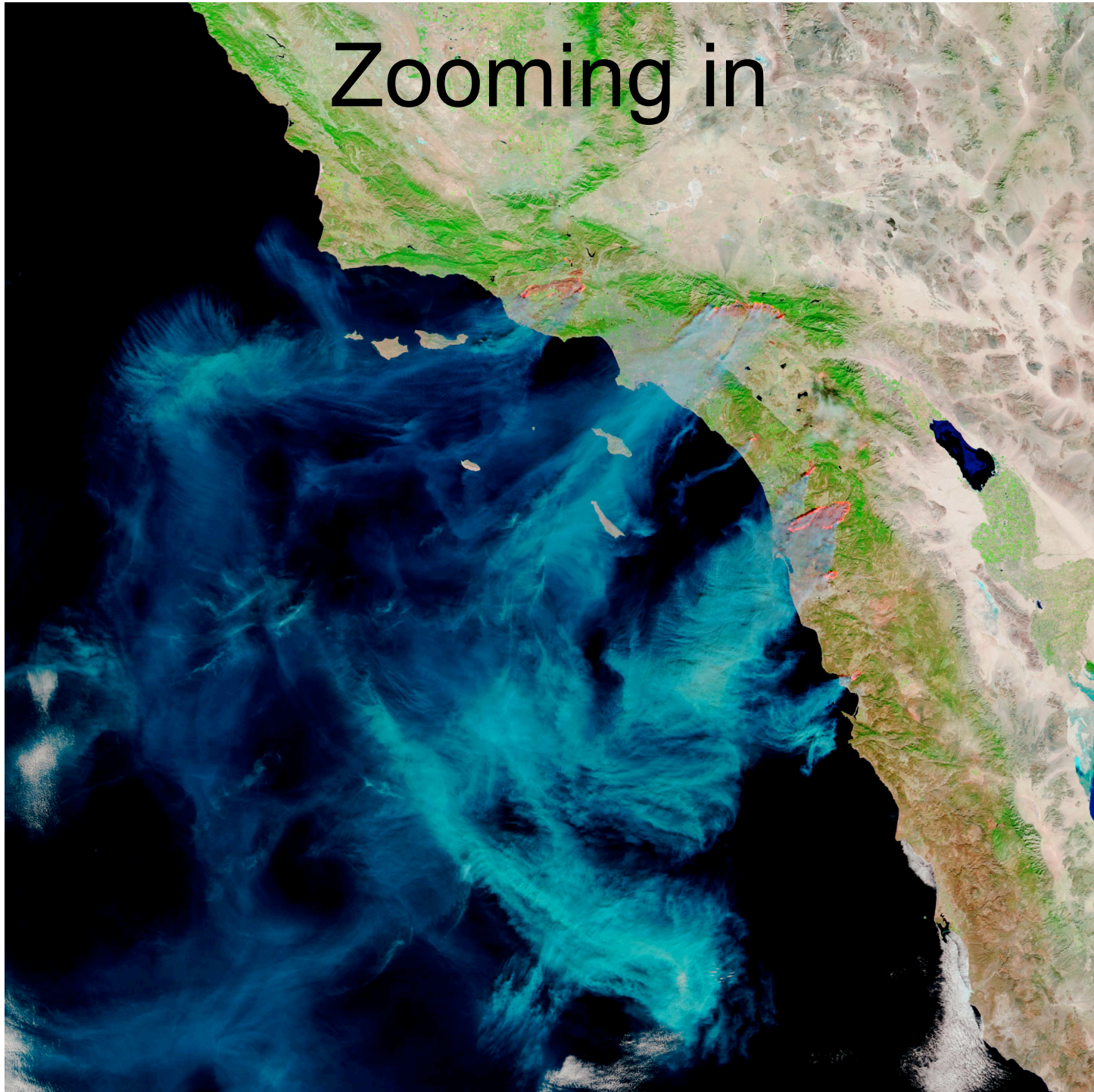
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Lab 5: Millikan Oil Drop Experiment

What is matter?



Zooming in



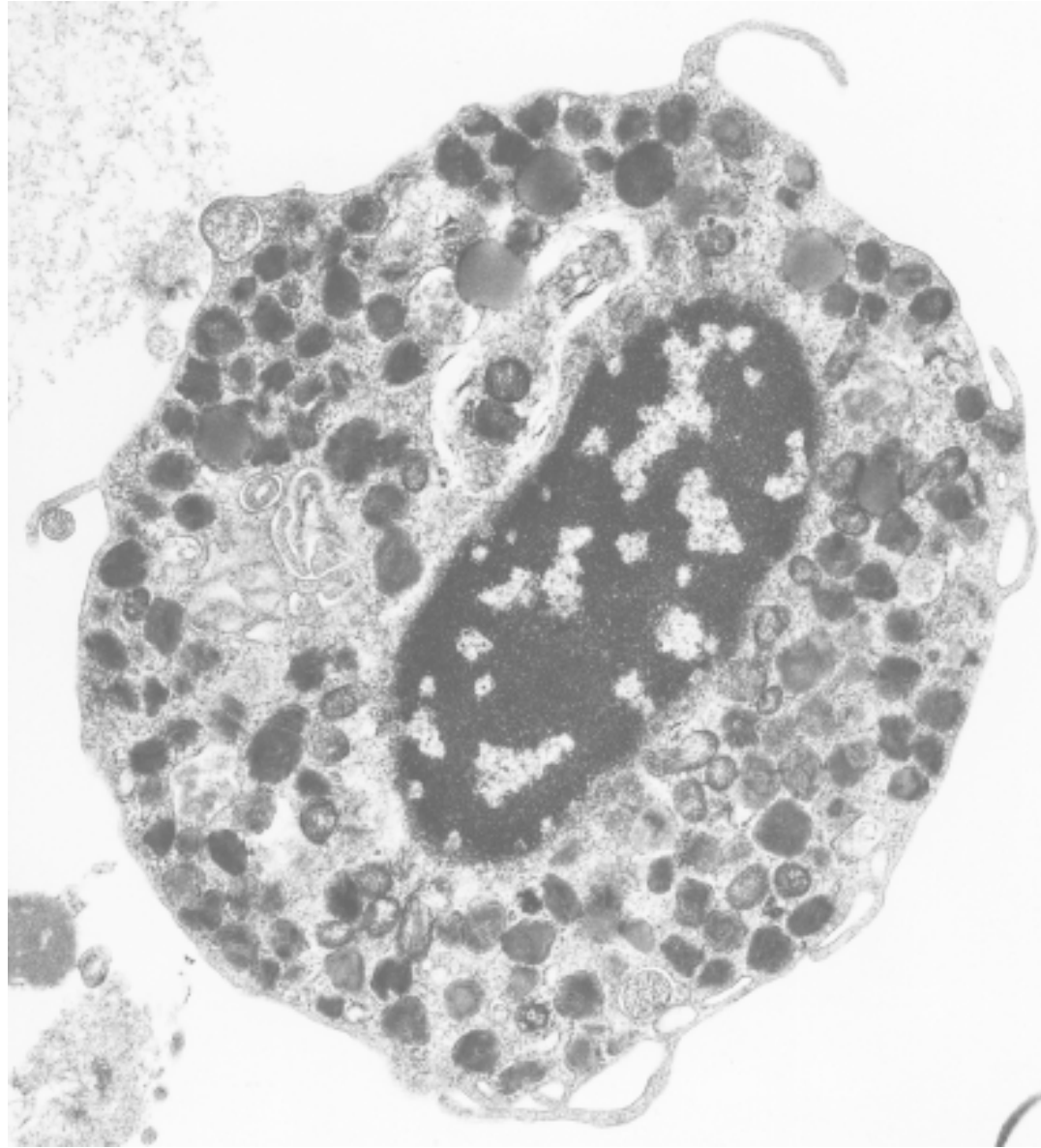
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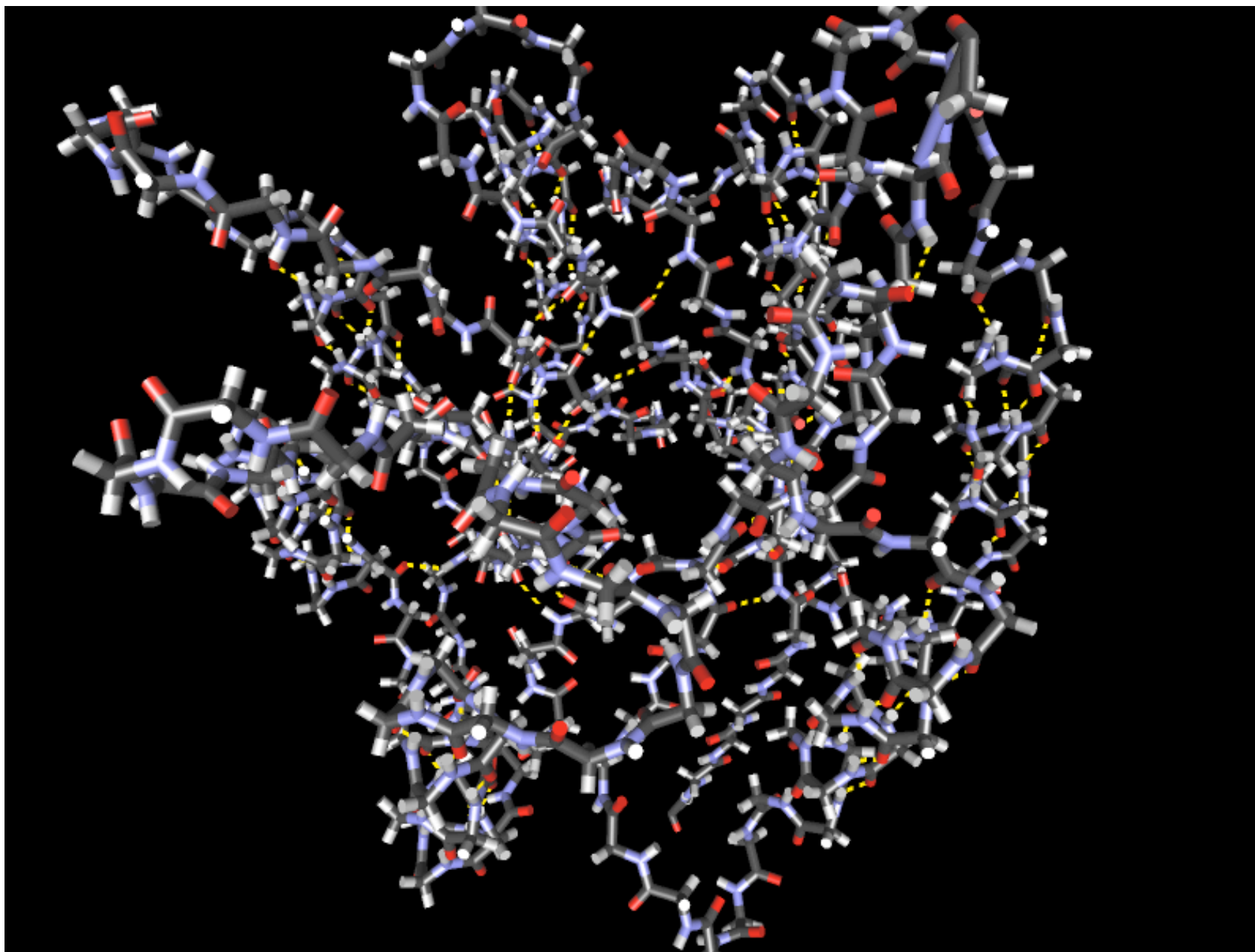
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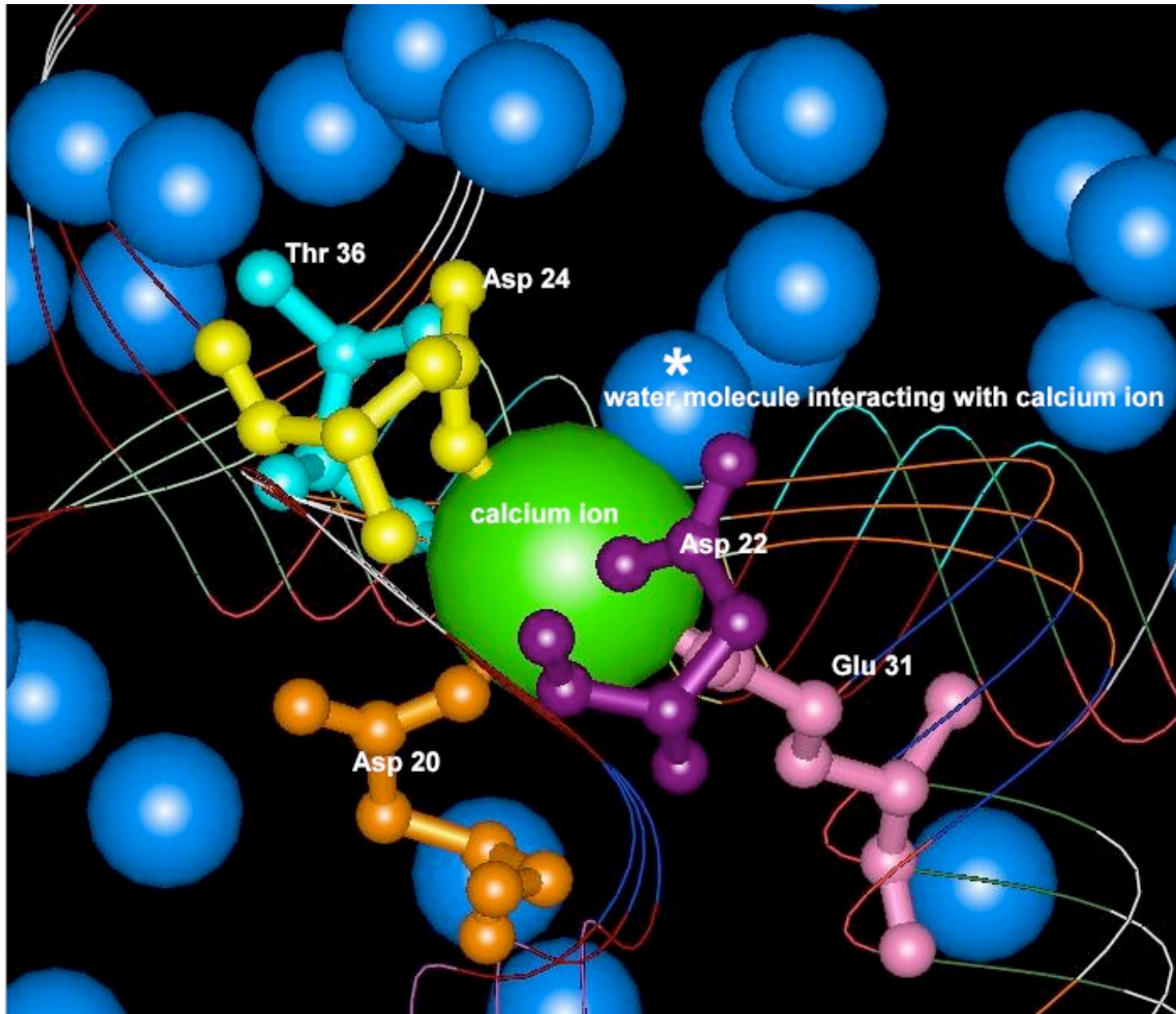
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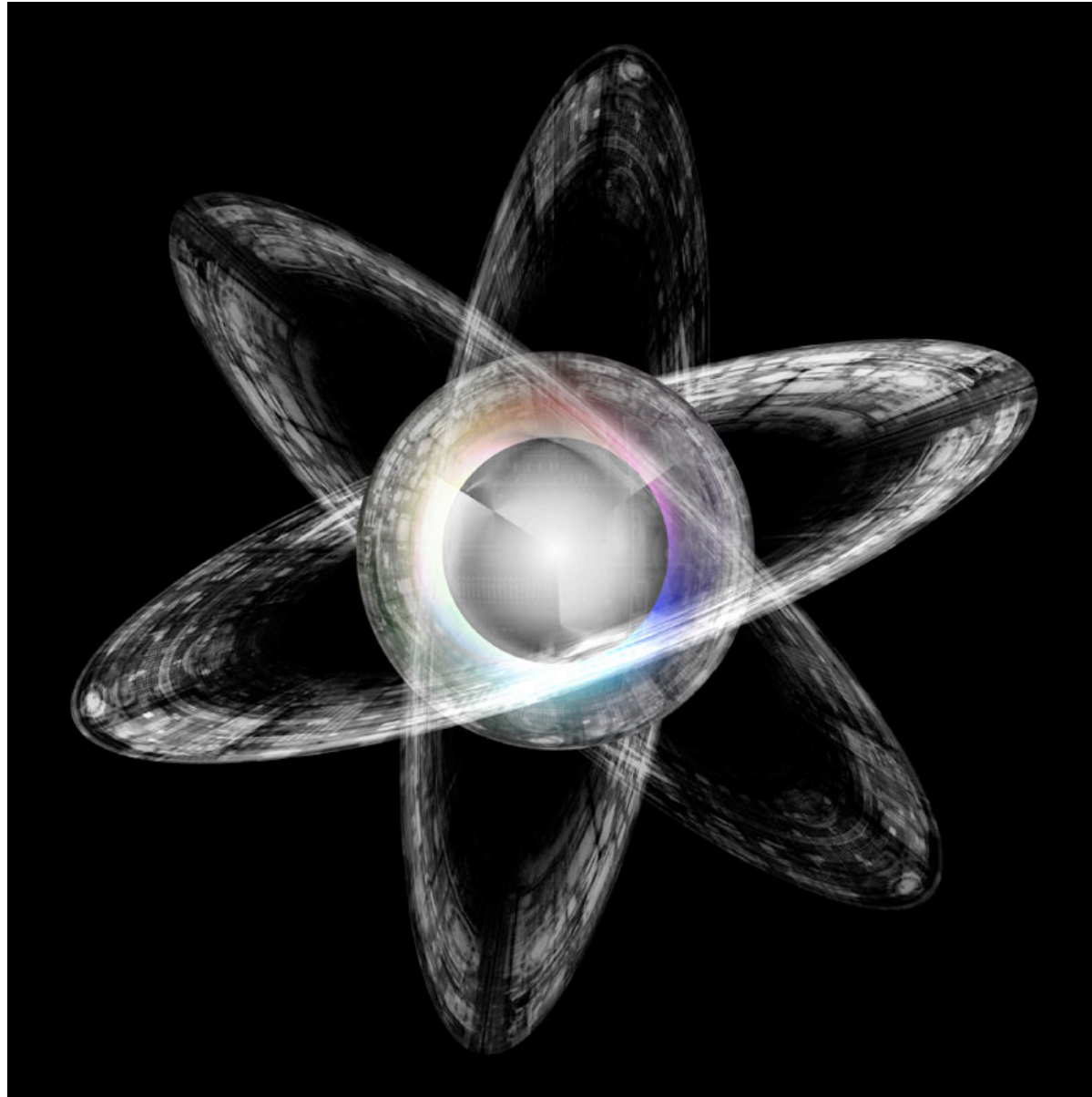
The world is made of molecules



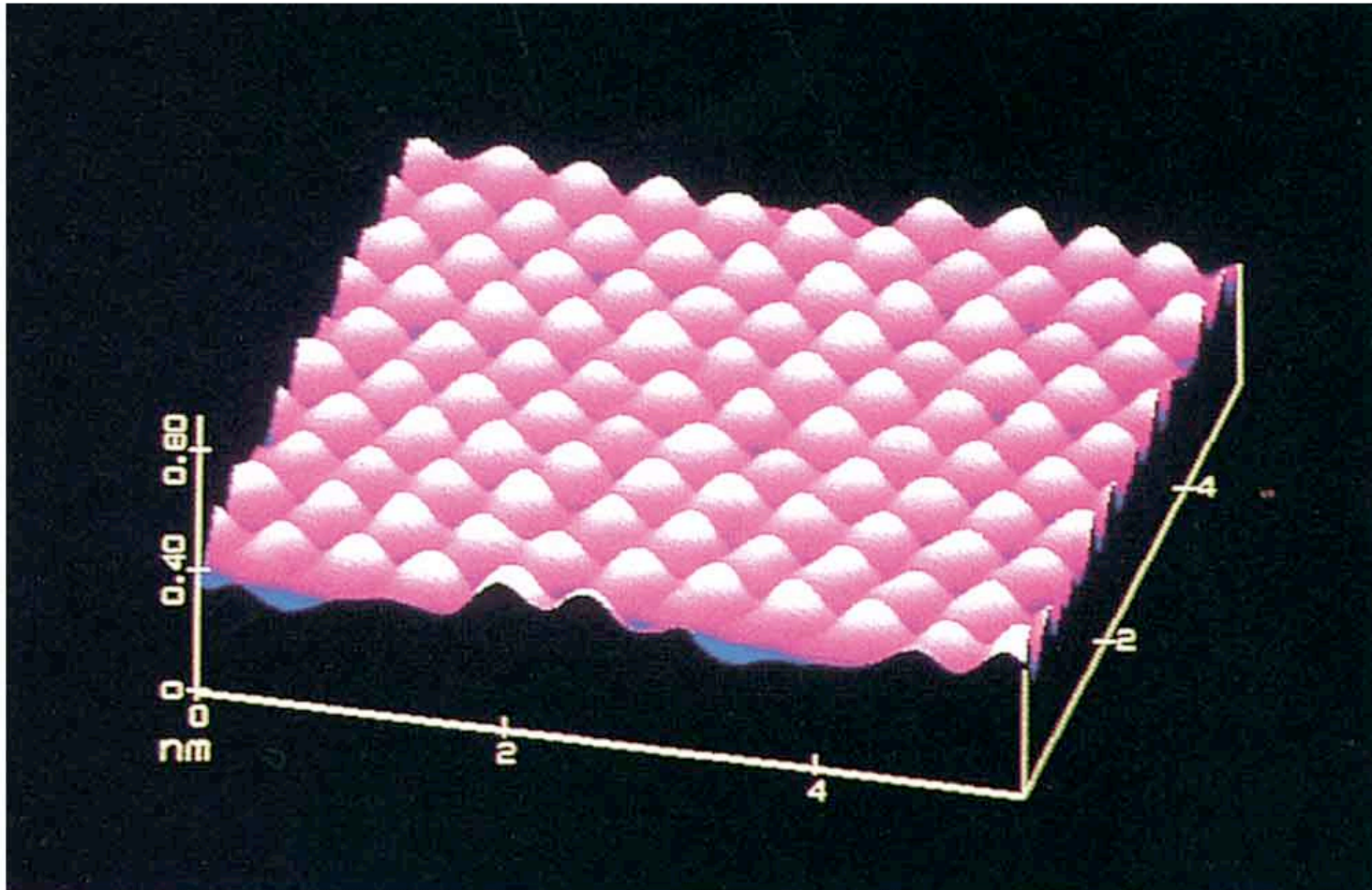
Molecules are made of atoms



Atom



Atoms are real



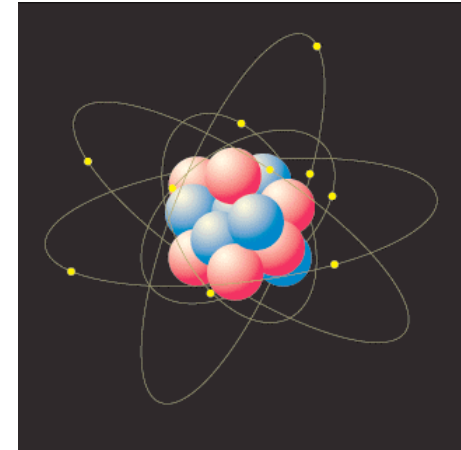
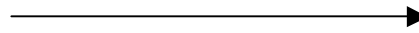
Sodium chloride crystal lattice

Atoms are small

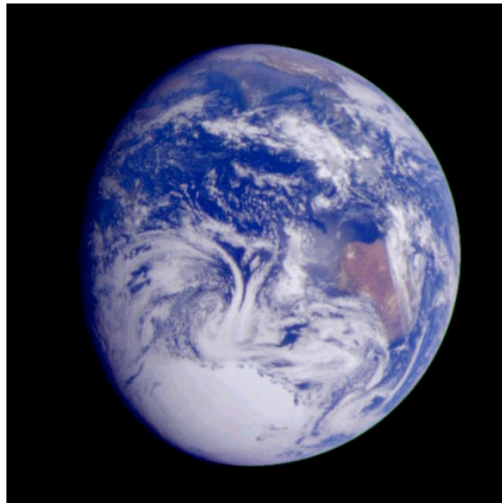


0.5 mm (5×10^{-4} m) ~ 1/50 ”

10 million times

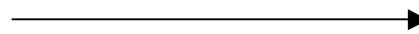


50 pm (5×10^{-11} m)



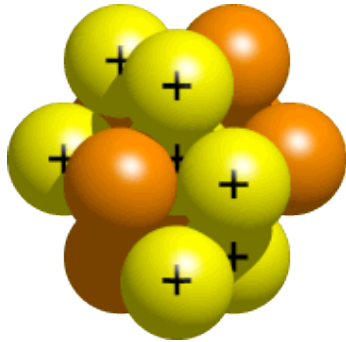
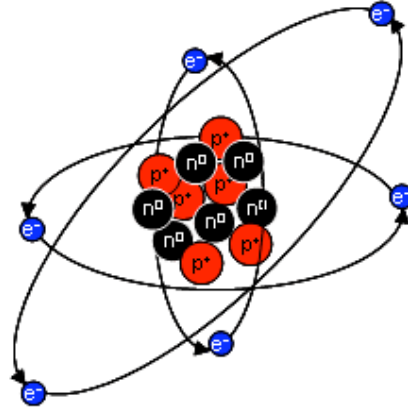
13×10^5 m ~ 8×10^3 mi

10 million times



~10 cm

Atoms have tiny masses



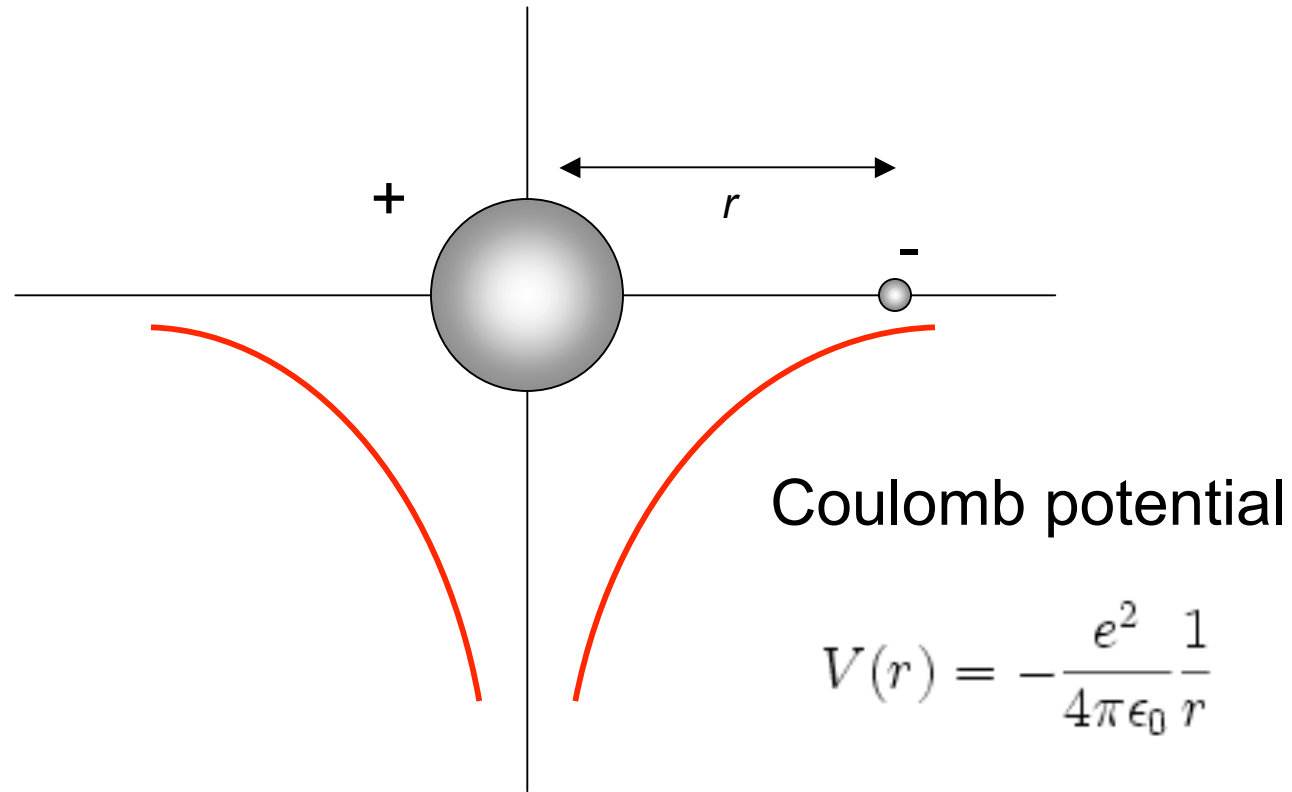
Proton (charge 1+): $m_p = 1.672 \times 10^{-27}$ kg

Neutron (charge 0): $m_n = 1.674 \times 10^{-27}$ kg



Electron (charge 1-): $m_e = 9.109 \times 10^{-31}$ kg

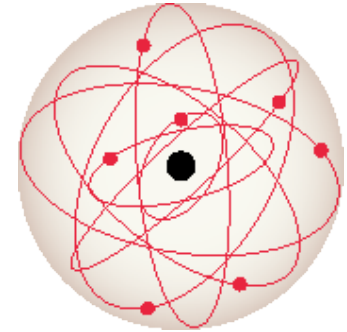
Why the Atom stays together



There is an attractive force between the electron and the nucleus

$$F = -\frac{dV(r)}{dr}$$

The World of Atoms



Atoms are extremely small

Protons, neutrons and electrons are extremely light

Electrons are confined to the vicinity of the nucleus

How do electrons move around the atom?

What Newton predicts



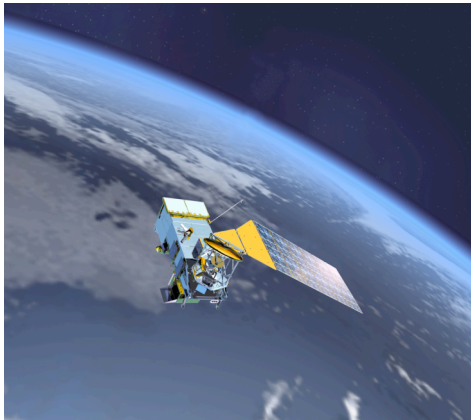
Sir Isaac Newton
(1642-1727)

Motion of object can be precisely
calculated from a set of observables:

x - position of object

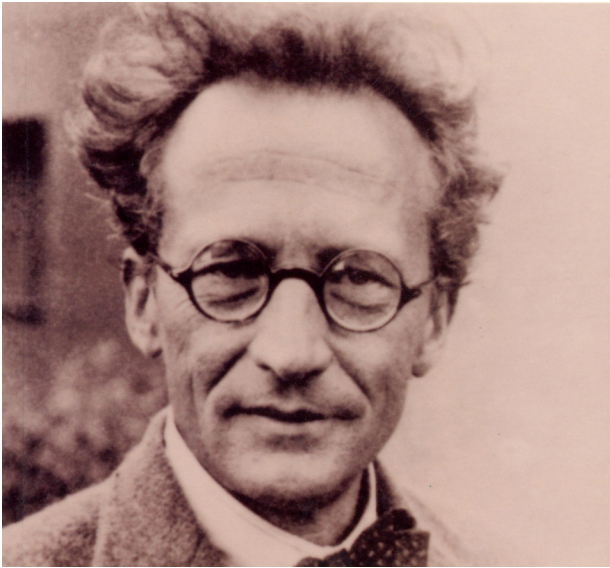
v - velocity of object

E - energy of object

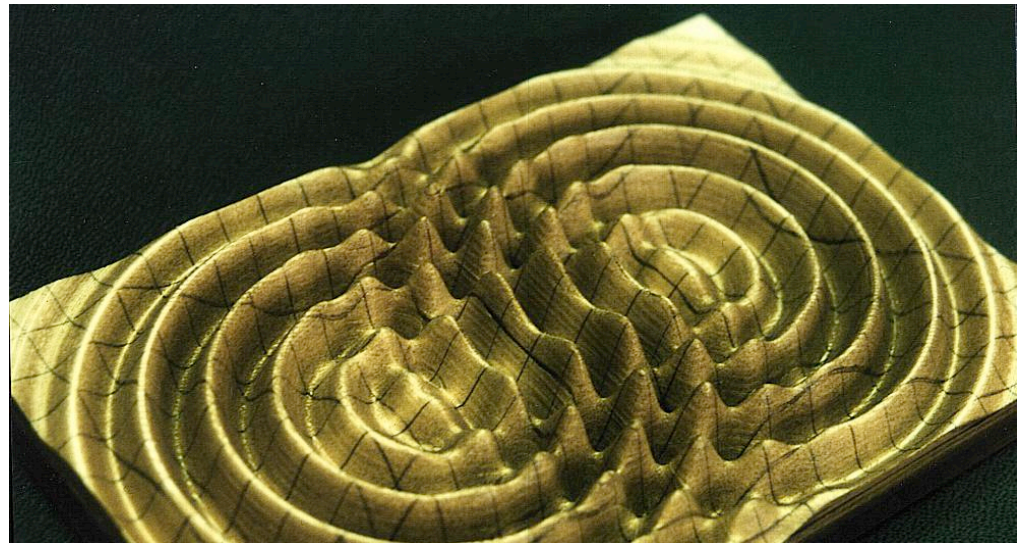


What Schrödinger says

Position, v and E of very small object can not have any random value.



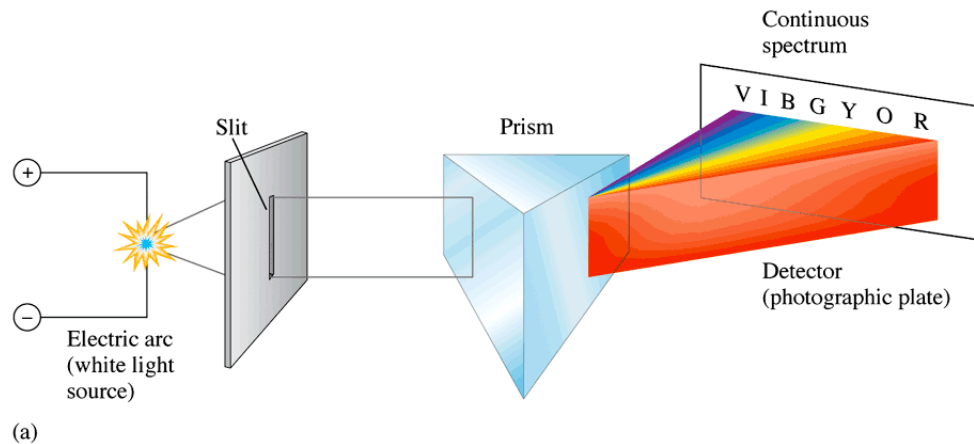
Erwin Schrödinger (1887-1961)



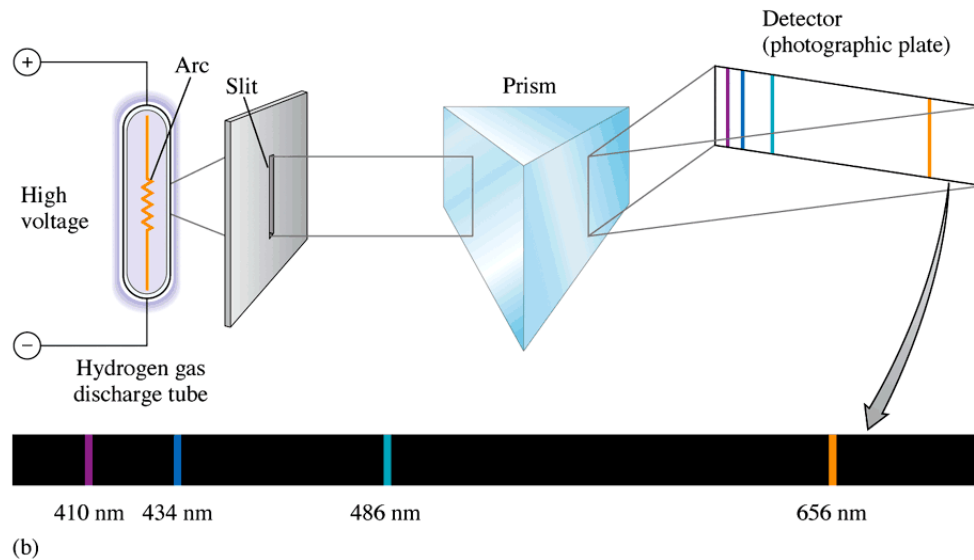
Small particles behave like waves!

Observables have only certain *discrete* values

Who's right?



White light passing through a prism produces a continuous spectrum.

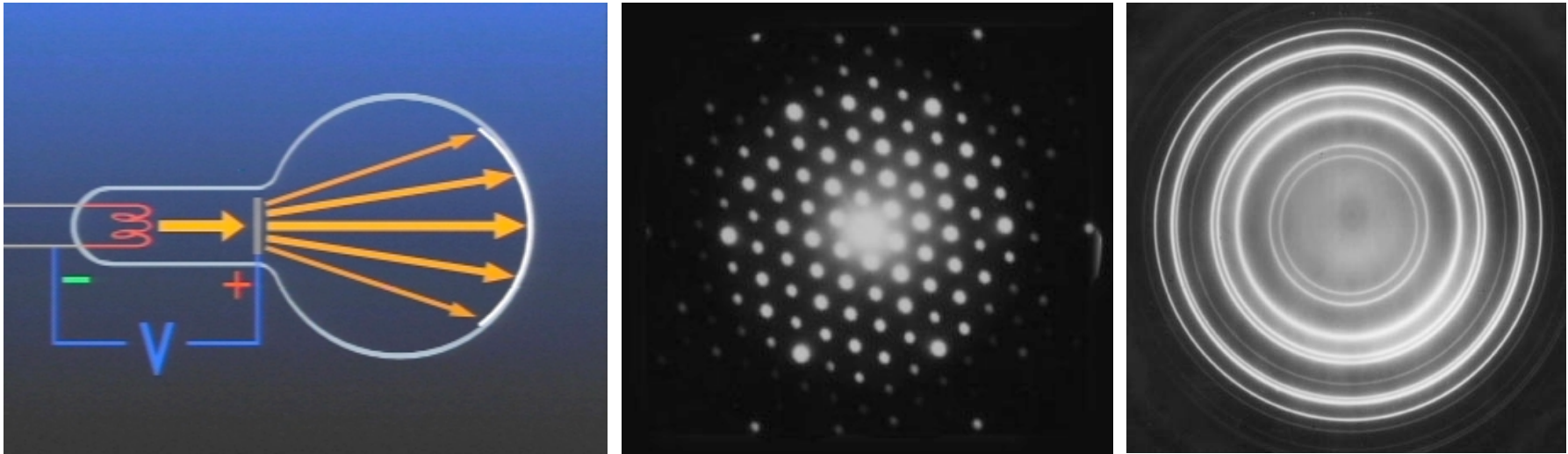


Hydrogen gas exposed to an electric discharge gives a line spectrum.

Who's right?

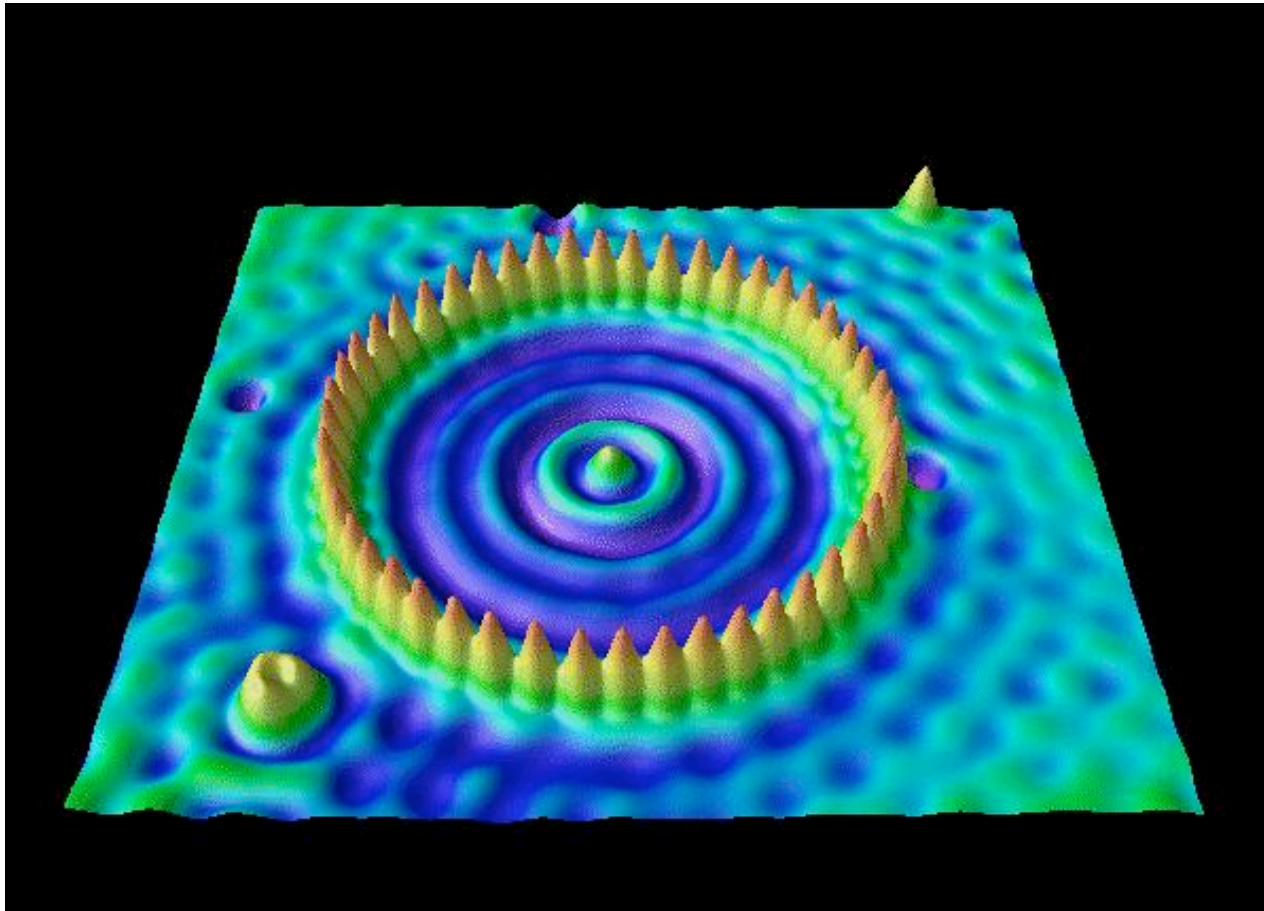
Electrons are particles with a rest mass of $m_e = 9.109 \times 10^{-31}$ kg

Do they also behave like waves?



Looks like the pattern that a wave would make!

Who's right?



Electrons confined to a circular well

Schrödinger wins first prize!



Newton: 2nd prize

Electrons, protons, atoms have wave-like properties

The world of atoms is described through *Quantum Mechanics*

Math tools

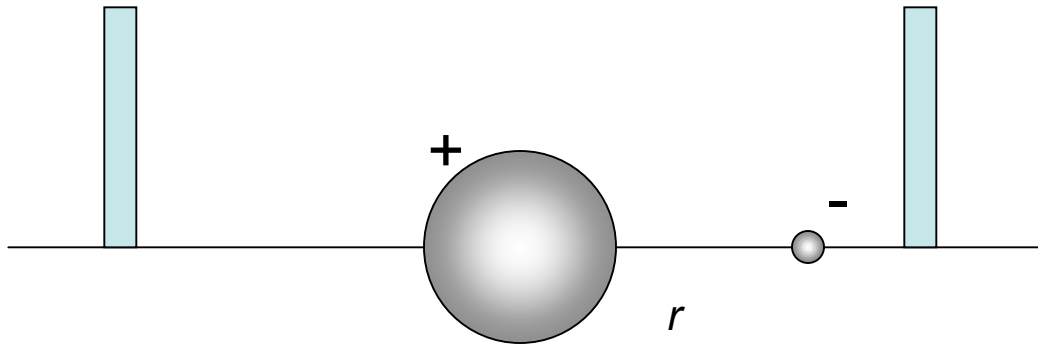
Newton: $f(r, t)$ $x \longrightarrow$ v, E etc.

Quantum: $\Psi(r, t) \longrightarrow$ x, v, E etc.

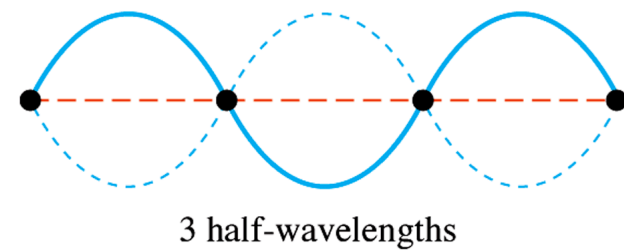
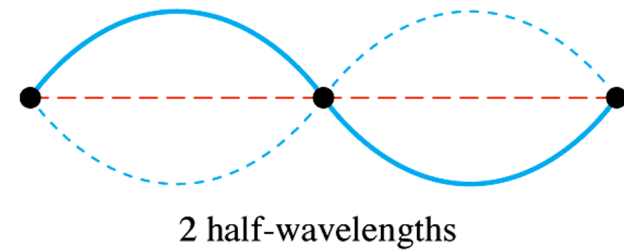
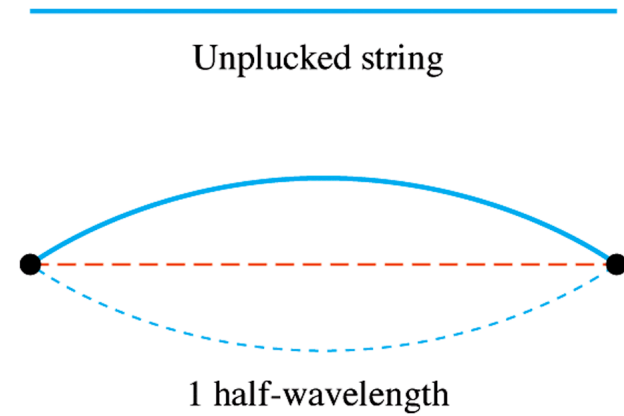
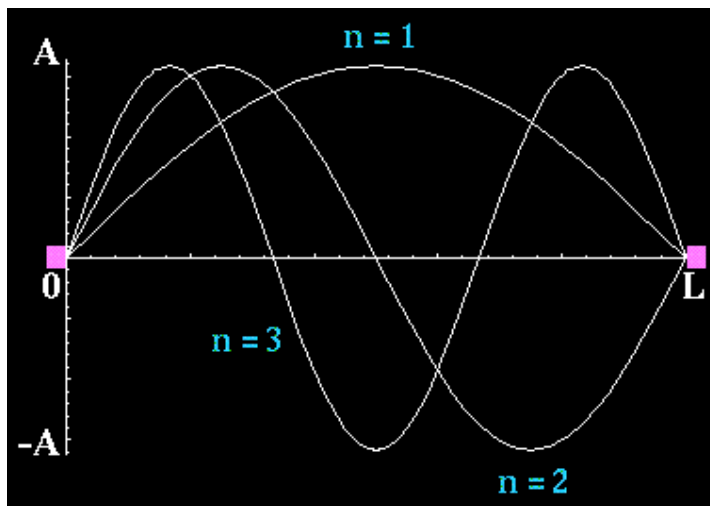
The shape of the wavefunction can be obtained from the Schrödinger equation:

$$-\frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \frac{d^2}{dx^2} \Psi(r, t) = E \Psi(r, t)$$

Wave properties



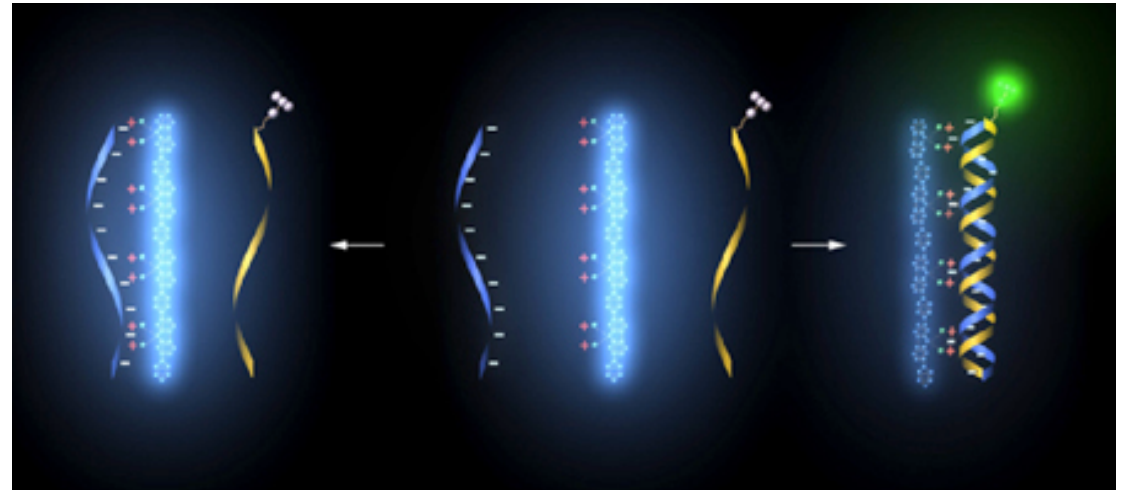
The electron bound to the atom looks like a standing wave.



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Molecular Sensors

Molecules, Light and Solar Cells