

Photon structure and behavior

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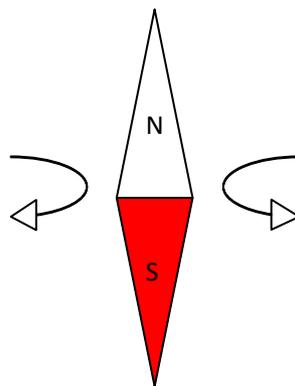
One of possibilities for that why like charges repel and opposite charges attract was a photon possessing negative and positive two poles that with an up or down spin frequency – any integer -- offers a fresh insight into photon energies.

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1. Introduction

Light is wave¹ or particle²? Now the argument is explained to display wave–particle duality in uncertainty principle of modern physical theories. While in here prefers particle to wave that light not only is made of particles -- photons³⁻⁷, but also they could own two opposing charge poles that gave rise to charge r-a (repel-attract) property; what is more, it accompanying a spin can offer an easier sketch on an origin of electromagnetic frequency (Fig. 1).

Fig. 1: Photon image and spin



A neutral photon (boson) seems like a compass or a fermionic dyon having both positive (+, N: north pole and north particle) and negative (–, S: south pole and south particle) charges that around its NS axis could emerge two spin (not only ± 1 , but also any integer as frequency) directions.

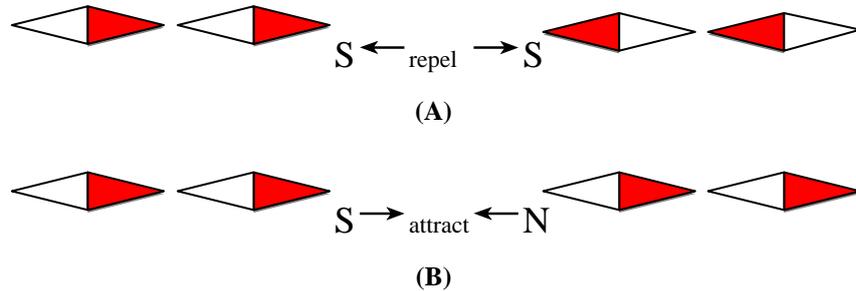
2. Suppositions and discussions

2.1. Photon structure

This photon image came from a problem that like charges repel each other and opposite charges mutually attract, which was often in my mind for a few decades. Why it is so that has no a deeper explanation on it up to now, to the best of my knowledge. Here a consideration is that either electric or magnetic field is made up of lines of force⁸ and the lines consist of photons; if these photons own an intrinsic configuration that occurs a N-S pair analogous to an electron-positron one -- but smaller, a fermionic dyon or skyrmion⁹⁻¹² and unable to be broken almost in any condition, which likely was anisotropic, oscillating and deformable (Fig. 1), and then line them (looking like string)¹³⁻¹⁶ able to create charge r-a phenomena (Fig. 2A-B).

However, it is surprised that when I skim a paper “A Photon is a Magnetic Dipole” and its references¹⁷⁻¹⁸ on viXra in Aug. 3, 2021, which is nearly comparable to my and stimulated me ahead of time to write this paper. For he used electromagnetic r-a phenomena to elucidate double-slit experiment I agree partly, since lattice materials of double-slit, and others we unclear, might be involved.

Fig. 2: Force line r-a occurrence of two magnets



(A) Nose to tail photons corresponds to Faraday’s illuminating a magnetic curve or line of force, no matter on magnetic or electric fields, subsequently displays like (negative) charges repulsion.

(B) Opposing (negative and positive) charges attraction.

2.2. Photon spin and energy

A photon energy is generally related to atomic or nuclear energy levels when a transition is from excited to ground state that are potential energies and their pictures a bit was unphysical (see also an elegant tangible nuclear model of 1-118 elements and their different isotopes)¹⁹, which the energy span is from radio waves to gamma rays ($\sim 10^{-9} - 10^6$ eV or $\sim 10^6 - 10^{20}$ Nz). A problem is that when a photon has been emitted afterward it became a free photon that how to express its kinetic energy?

To express real meaning of a photon energy, a promising way is to assume that its frequency could roughly be regarded as another expression of its spin that was variable (any integer, approximately equal to its angular momentum plus its orbital angular momentum in modern

physical concept), and exhibited a certain direction known as left-handed and right-handed, a spin photon probably linking to a spin of our universe and as a consequence lead to an asymmetric world that matter is more much than antimatter²⁰, or up and down that a photon has two possible polarization states²¹. That is

$$E = hc/\lambda = h\nu = hf,$$

giving

$$f = s_f,$$

so

$$E = hs_f$$

where are: E , photon energy; h , planck constant; c , light speed; λ , wavelength; f/ν , frequency; and s_f , spin frequency. Obviously, it is accessible to understand photon energies (Fig. 1).

2.3. Photon mass and charge

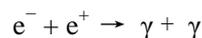
This scheme is based on light wave theory that still used wavelength or frequency term. A photon energy, on the other side, perhaps can't completely exclude that might partly result from its mass; however, our world displays a certain shape and size that is made of material. Commonly, an ordinary object kinetic energy is

$$E = mv^2/2,$$

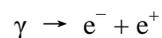
which its energy is proportional to its mass. But in a photon energy

$$E = mc^2,$$

photon speed c is constant in vacuum and mass m is massless. Accordingly, trying to seek a possible means is that a photon may occur an intrinsic mass m , but could increase to nm , $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$, like Bose-Einstein condensation²², and a big (multi) photon, even so large as a neutron, a mini black hole²³⁻²⁴ (somewhat corresponding to a neutrino?), or a black hole (needless to say its photon sphere-circle)²⁵, that its properties are same as a single photon. This is due to that electron and positron can be annihilated into two photons



in free space, or contrary



adjacent atomic nuclei, implying that electron-positron pair came mostly from one of nucleons of

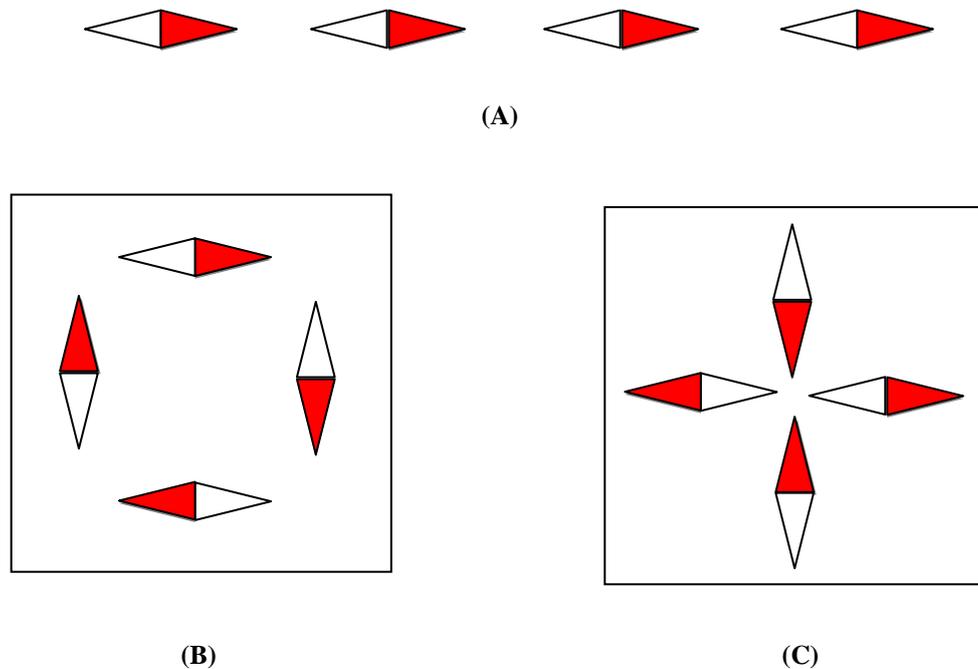
the atomic nuclei, and a photon existing mass and charge, no matter more or less, is necessary. Hence, a photon could have mass and charge, and, on the other side, its particle characteristic is more prior than of wave that merely is a show of its mass-charge field.

For a long time an attempt is using photons, which not only is force carrier but also a mere basic particle was assumed that all of others were composite²⁰, to simulate structures of electron and positron after that to neutron and proton²⁶, i.e.:

$$\gamma \rightarrow e^- + e^+ \rightarrow n \rightarrow p^+ + e^-.$$

Nevertheless a clear map has not been drawn so far, where as an embryonic idea in Fig. 3 shows some possible subparts of these particles, along with they grow to various size shapes that can match partons, or quarks and leptons to some degree.

Fig. 3: Photons forming open, closed and quadrupole “strings”



Photons could be configured to produce various pieces of stable and unstable fundamental particles. (A) 1-D (dimensional). (B) 2-D. (C) 3-D (Quadrupole photons / magnets, tetrahedral).

In addition, about mass and charge a topic is their relationship that mass has F_g (gravitational-) and charges have F_r (repelling-) and F_a (attracting-force), noticing that among four fundamental gravitational, electromagnetic, weak and strong forces solely electromagnetic one can occur repelling characteristic, including of proton-proton. Here a guess is that if there is a balance (cross) point, $\sim 10^{-15}$ m (i.e. nucleon scale, Fig. 4):

$$F_r = F_a,$$

when a distance is larger than this value:

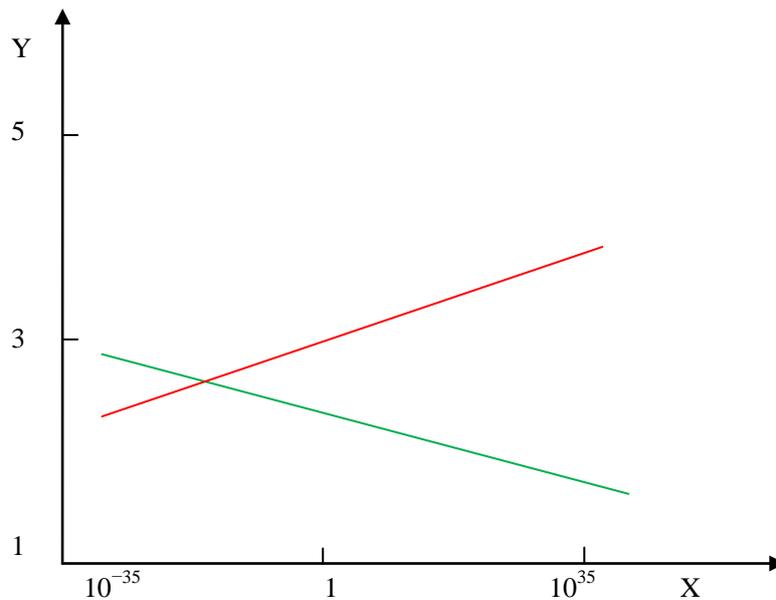
$$F_r < F_a,$$

otherwise reverse. Thus:

$$F_g = F_a - F_r,$$

meaning that gravitational and electromagnetic forces may be identical, which the both might slightly deviate from inverse-square law. In the light of this, so far as to say other three forces are in different scale show of electromagnetic one (Fig. 4). What tending to think a picture of that cosmos is shaped only by photons (bosons, matter) and electromagnetic force (interaction) is too simple to likely? However, it is uncertain that whether some physical laws and constants are invariant, or not.²⁷⁻³⁰

Fig. 4: Exponent as a function of distances



This only is conceptual, not precise values. Red and green lines represent repelling and attracting forces, respectively; and distance m is at X axis and exponent n in $F = Gm_1m_2/r^n$ and $F = kq_1q_2/r^n$ is at Y axis that both gravitational and Coulomb constants: G ($6.674 \times 10^{-11} \text{ m}^3 \text{ kg}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-2}$) and k ($8.988 \times 10^9 \text{ N m}^2 \text{ C}^{-2}$) would be integrated into a stronger “nuclear” one.

Finally, a difficult problem in next step is that how to estimate a value of a photon mass and charge, and then to construct electron-positron pairs (somewhat similar to a spinor³¹⁻³²) but in a what case uncharged photons (bosons, a fermionic dyon) can form charged particles (fermions), very key, and how many photons (n) need to build an elementary charge (e , electron or positron,

i.e.: e/n , n is not negative integer), which their present rough values are: $m_\gamma \lesssim 10^{-14} \text{ eV}/c^2$, $q_\gamma < 1 \times 10^{-35} e$, respectively³³⁻³⁵. A photon charge is near $e/10^{35}$ that a quark only is $e/3$ or $2e/3$? However, perhaps there was a certain ratio of mass and charge that, e.g., 3 photon masses equal to 3 norton plus souton charges:

$$3m_\gamma = 3(q_N + q_S),$$

although net charges of 3 photons are zero that is parallel to a neutron containing proton and electron, implying that a photon mass and charge units might be more fundamental than of other particles. In other words: a photon could sever as two most basic units of mass and charge to some extent, or mass could stand for charge, vice versa that is no difference between them, if possible.

Now discussion has reached photon level, a smallest overt stable particle that unlikely was bigger than an electron we known, that might be an upper limit of that we can do. Namely to find a latent sub-photon particle (N and S, or force particles, e.g. graviton³⁶ that its mass: $m_g \leq 7.7 \times 10^{-23} \text{ eV}/c^2$; relative speaking that gluons, W and Z bosons were too large) getting more information seems impossible, despite need for a deeper reason upon charge r-a character, and others. Will string ($\sim 10^{-35} \text{ m}$, Planck length) be?

3. Conclusions

Electromagnetic r-a phenomenon existence seems to indicate that a photon not only was a point-like particle, but also had two opposing charge endpoints that can occur up or down spin with a variable frequency, which gave rise to photon energies of large span range ($\sim 1 - 10^{15}$).

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