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- Moseley discovered experimentally in 1913 that the atomic number, Z , of an element is inversely proportional to the square root of the wavelength, λ , of fluorescent X-rays emitted when an electron drops from the $n = 2$ to the $n = 1$ shell.

$$i.e. \quad \frac{1}{\sqrt{\lambda}} = kZ$$

Derive an expression for the constant of proportionality, k , for a hydrogen-like atom which would allow the value of k to be theoretically calculated.