

Answer on Question #76389 – Chemistry – General Chemistry

The radiation generated by a microwave oven has a frequency of approximately $2.45 \times 10^9 \text{ s}^{-1}$.
What is the wavelength of this radiation?

Solution:

c = speed of electromagnetic radiation = $3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$

f = frequency of the waves = $2.45 \times 10^9 \text{ s}^{-1}$

$\lambda = c / f = 3 \times 10^8 / 2.45 \times 10^9 = 0.122 \text{ m}$

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