

## Answer on Question#76769 – Physics – Electromagnetism

If you had an ideal blackbody emitter at 300 degrees kelvin, what wavelength of light (in nanometers) would it emit?

**Solution.** The wavelength of the peak of the blackbody radiation is proportional to  $1/T$  and is called "Wien's shift" or "Wien's displacement law". According to this law

$$\lambda_{max} = \frac{2.898 \cdot 10^{-3} m \cdot K}{T}$$

Hence

$$\lambda_{max} = \frac{2.898 \cdot 10^{-3} m \cdot K}{300K} = 9660 \cdot 10^{-9} m = 9660 nm$$

**Answer.** 9660nm.

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