

Modern physics Chapter 14. Solutions to exercises.

14.2.1.1 The distance to Ursula Mayor I is $R = 1.0 \times 10^9$ light years. Hubble's law $v = HR$ where $H = 21$ km/s per million light years. The velocity becomes:

$$v = HR = 21 \times 10^3 \times 1.0 \times 10^9 / 10^6 \text{ m/s} = 2.1 \times 10^7 \text{ m/s}$$

14.4.1 From the figure we have when $t = 10$ days that the luminosity is around $2 \times 10^3 L_{\text{sun}}$

14.8.1 The formula for the red shift $\frac{v}{c} = \frac{(z+1)^2 - 1}{(z+1)^2 + 1} = \frac{(3.5+1)^2 - 1}{(3.5+1)^2 + 1} = 0.906$

$$\text{Answer: } 0.906c = 2.72 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$$

14.8.2.1 The red shift parameter $z = \frac{\sqrt{1+\beta}}{\sqrt{1-\beta}} - 1 = \frac{\sqrt{1+0.8}}{\sqrt{1-0.8}} - 1 = 3 - 1 = 2$

14.11.1 $M = 70 M_{\text{sol}}$ $r = \frac{2GM}{c^2} = \frac{2 \times 6.66 \times 10^{-11} \times 70 \times 1.989 \times 10^{30}}{(3.00 \times 10^8)^2} \text{ m} \approx 210 \text{ km}$

14.12.1 $T = \frac{\hbar c^3}{8\pi kGM} = \frac{6.63 \times 10^{-34} (3.00 \times 10^8)^3}{8\pi \times 2\pi \times 1.38^{-23} \times 6.67 \times 10^{-11} \times 70 \times 1.989 \times 10^{30}} \approx 8.9 \times 10^{-10} \text{ K}$

14.13.1 The lifetime $T = 8.3 \times 10^{-26} (10^{11}) \text{ s} \approx 80 \text{ s}$ (Gone in 80s!)