

1. review
2. list what know about light, ^{matter like} electrons (matter)
3. photo-electric effect
 - ⇒ light is particles
 - matter " "
 - who is ok w/ this?
 - why or why not?
4. laser diffraction
 - ⇒ light as waves
5. electron diffraction
 - ⇒ matter as waves

~~How can we rectify these observations?~~

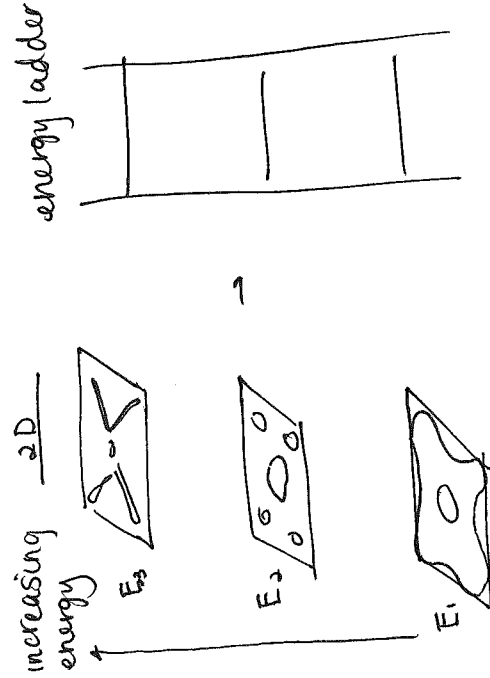
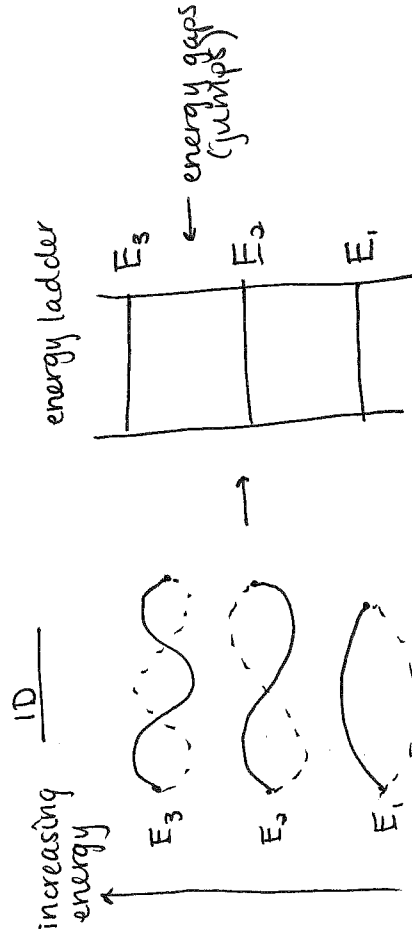
- ⇒ can perform double slit on electrons, see same pattern
- ⇒ if cover one of slits, lose interference

6. how can we rectify wave + particle?
 - ⇒ slow motion
 - build interference
7. wavefunction = probability
8. measurement removes interference
9. duality
10. discussion - wave or particle?
11. calculations

Review from Lec 1
(have students list key terms)

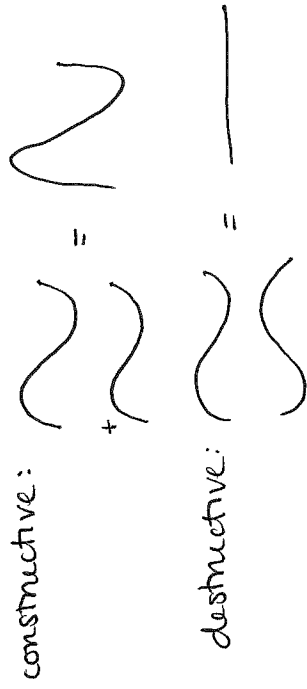
quantization: of/having a discrete set of values

Standing waves
Two examples:



superposition: when two waves exist in the same location, they interfere w/ each other. The resulting wave is the sum, or superposition, of the two individual waves

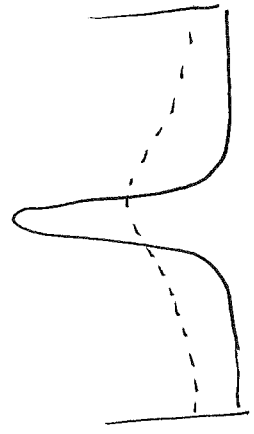
→ Two kinds of interference:



boundary conditions: the behavior of our system (string, plate, ripple tank...) is depends on what is happening at the boundaries



Diffusion

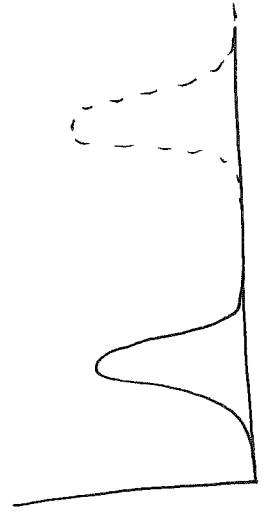


behavior: spreads out in time
(delocalizes)

mathematically:

$$\text{curvature} \leftarrow \text{velocity} \begin{matrix} \text{(time)} \\ \text{(time)} \end{matrix}$$

Waves



behavior: travels w/out spreading out
(stays localized)

mathematically:

$$\text{curvature} \leftarrow \text{acceleration} \begin{matrix} \text{(time)} \\ \text{(time)} \end{matrix}$$

same when:
stationary states
(like standing waves
that don't change in
time)