

□ **Department of Physics**

**Examination paper for TFY4195 Optics (Optikk)**

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**1 For 25 free points, write something here:**

With a few sentences please indicate what you thought about this years version of the course, specifically around these issues:

How do you find the assignments using computer as a part of the pensum?

Total workload. Do you feel the content was appropriate for a basic course in optics? Anything missing, in that case what?

How did the problem solving/assignments/labs balance in terms of workload? Pls indicate approximately how many hours /week you had to devote to the course on average throughout the semester.

**Fill in your answer here**

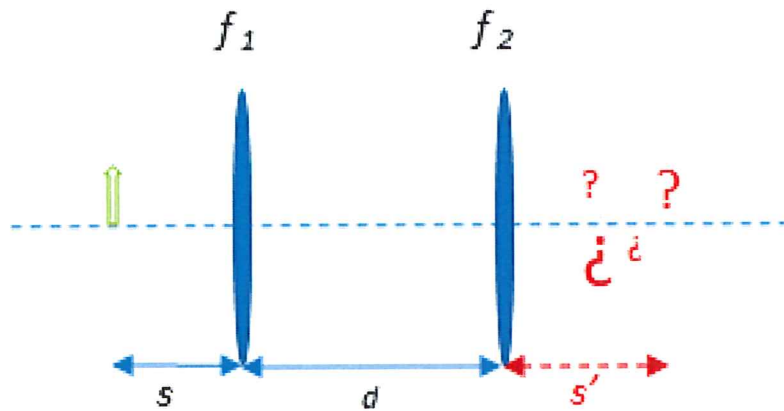
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WRITE ANYTHING  
~> GET POINTS  
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Words: 0

Maximum marks: 25

- 2 Two lenses are used to make an image of an object placed at a distance  $s$  from lens 1 as shown in the cartoon below. Where do you expect to find the image ( $s'$ ) and what will the magnification ( $M_T$ ) be? (recall the sign conventions that apply, and all length units are in cm.) Specifically,  $s = 6$ ;  $d = 6$ ;  $f_1 = 4$ ;  $f_2 = 3$ .



Select two alternatives:

$M_T = -5/3$

$M_T = -2/3$

$M_T = -3/2$

$M_T = -3/5$

$s' = 2$

$s' = 20$

$s' = 6$

$$\frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{s_{i1}} = \frac{1}{4} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{s_{i1}} = \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{6} = \frac{3-2}{12} = \frac{1}{12}$$

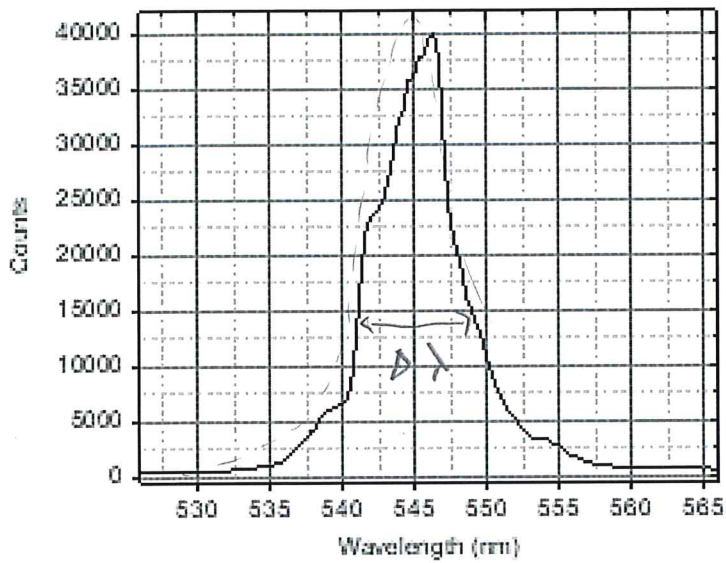
$$s_{i1} = 12 \Rightarrow s_{o2} = 6 - 12 = -6$$

$$-\frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{s_{i2}} = \frac{1}{3} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{s_{i2}} = \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{6} = \frac{2}{6} \Rightarrow \underline{s_{i2} = 2}$$

$$M_T = \left(-\frac{s_{i1}}{s_{o1}}\right) \left(-\frac{s_{i2}}{s_{o2}}\right) = \left(-\frac{12}{6}\right) \left(-\frac{2}{-6}\right) = -\frac{24}{36} = -\frac{2}{3}$$

Maximum marks: 6

- 3 The plot shows the spectrum of a light source to be used in a Michelson interferometer experiment. What is the approximate coherence length of the source?



Select one alternative:

- 3.4  $\mu\text{m}$   
 0.23 mm  
 22  $\mu\text{m}$   
 0.031 mm

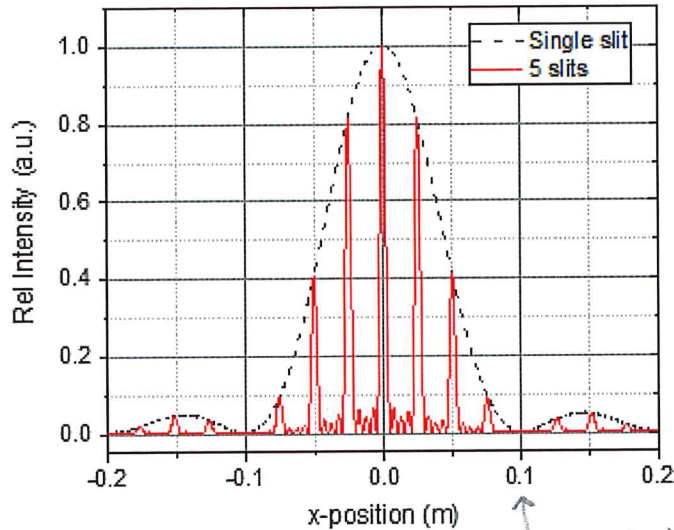
$$\lambda_0 = 545 \quad \Delta\lambda \approx 9.5 \quad l_c = \frac{\lambda_0^2}{\Delta\lambda} = \frac{(545)^2}{9.5} \text{ nm}$$

$$\approx 31 \cdot 10^5 \text{ nm} = 0.031 \text{ mm}$$

Maximum marks: 4

- 4 Marit is making multiple slit diffraction experiments with thin slits arranged vertically. On a screen some distance away (3.5 m) she records the diffraction patterns of a single slit and 5 slits, respectively, each being  $19 \mu\text{m}$  thin. Based on the recorded diffraction patterns shown below for a single slit and the 5 slit arrangement:

- 1) What was the wavelength used? 2) What was the separation  $a$ , between the 5 slits?



Multiple slit formula

$$I = I_0 \cdot \left( \frac{\sin \beta}{\beta} \right)^2 \left( \frac{\sin N\alpha}{\sin \alpha} \right)^2$$

$\uparrow$  Diffraction                       $\uparrow$  INTERFERENCE

Select two alternatives:

$\lambda = 439\text{nm}$

$\lambda = 550\text{nm}$

$a = 76\mu\text{m}$

$a = 114\mu\text{m}$

$a = 52\mu\text{m}$

$\lambda = 770\text{nm}$

1st diffraction minima given by  $N=1$  and here,  $m=1$

SMALL ANGLE APPROX PEAKS ON

$$m \cdot \lambda = b \cdot \sin \theta \sim b \tan \theta \sim b \cdot \frac{y_m}{f}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = 19 \mu\text{m} \cdot \frac{0.1 \text{ m}}{3.5 \text{ m}} = 0.543 \mu\text{m} \sim 550 \text{ nm}$$

FOR THE FINE STRUCTURE, FOURTH MINIMA ZERO @ 0.1

$$(N-1)\lambda = (5-1)\lambda = 4\lambda = a \cdot \frac{y_m}{f} \Rightarrow a = \frac{4\lambda f}{y_m} = 76 \mu\text{m}$$

Maximum marks: 6

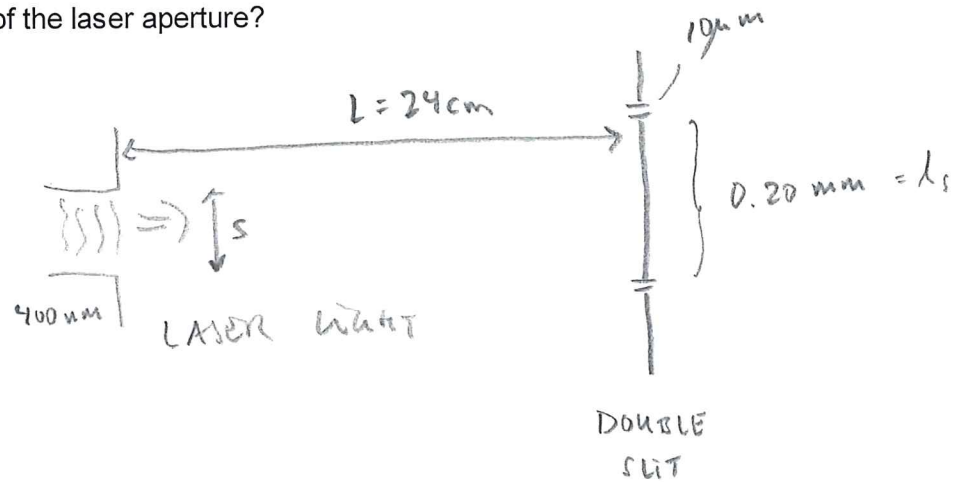
- 5 Hildegunn is in the diffraction lab and just set up a Lloyd double slit experiment using two thin slits ( $10\mu\text{m}$ ) separated  $0.20\text{ mm}$ . There is an eye safe laser available ( $\lambda = 400\text{nm}$ ) with small divergence and an exit aperture which is unknown. By directing the laser beam towards a wall far away she notices the spot is circular. She wants to check the diameter of the laser aperture using the spatial coherence phenomenon.

Keeping the laser quite far away (some 1-2 meters) on a rail, and directing the beam onto the double slits, she observes clearly (by closing the room lights) the diffraction pattern as simulated on the preparation assignment. Bringing the laser closer to the double slit the diffraction pattern eventually fades away at approx.  $24\text{ cm}$  from the double slit.

What was the diameter of the laser aperture?

Select one alternative:

- 1.0 mm
- 0.88 mm
- 0.73 mm
- 0.59 mm



Maximum marks: 4

For SPATIAL COHERENCE LIMIT

$$l_s = \frac{L \cdot \lambda}{s} \cdot 1.22 = 0.20 \text{ mm}$$

↑  
circular  
aperture

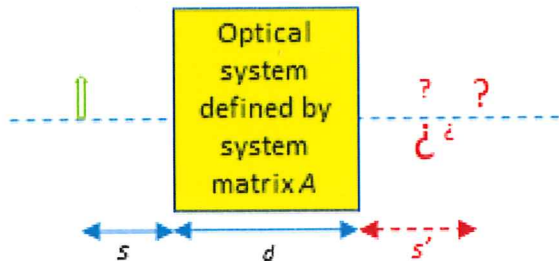
$$s = \frac{L \cdot \lambda \cdot 1.22}{0.20 \text{ mm}} = \frac{0.24 \cdot 400 \cdot 10^{-9} \cdot 1.22}{0.2 \cdot 10^{-3}} = 5.86 \cdot 10^{-4} \text{ m}$$

~ 0.59 mm

↑  
Make all  
meter  
[m]

$s = 2$

- 6 An optical system is used to make an image of an object placed at a distance  $s$  from its entrance plane as shown in the cartoon below. Where do you expect to find the image ( $s'$ ) and what will the magnification ( $M_T$ ) be? The corresponding system matrix  $A$  (defined as in the Pedrotti book) is shown as an inset. (Recall the usual sign conventions that apply, and that all length units are in cm.)



$$A = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 6 \\ -1/12 & -1/2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Select two alternatives:

$s' = 2$

$M_T = -3/5$

$M_T = -3/2$

$s' = 20$

$M_T = -5/3$

$s' = 6$

$M_T = -2/3$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & s_0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 6 \\ -1/12 & -1/2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} =$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & s_0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 4 \\ -1/12 & -2/3 \end{pmatrix} =$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} -1 - \frac{s_0}{12} & 4 - \frac{2s_0}{3} \\ -1/12 & -2/3 \end{pmatrix}$$

Maximum marks: 6

= 0 GIVES  $s_0$

$$4 - \frac{2s_0}{3} = 0 \Rightarrow s_0 = \frac{12}{2} = 6$$

9 GIVES  $M_T$

$$-1 - \frac{6}{12} = -\frac{3}{2}$$

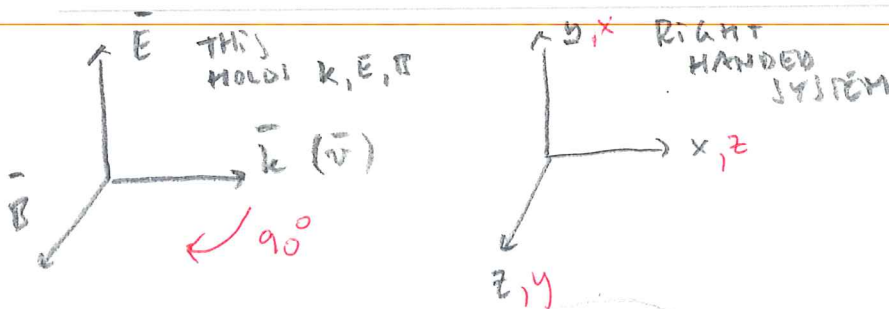
7 An electromagnetic wave propagating in the vacuum is given by the expression:

$$\vec{E}(y,t) = \hat{x} \cdot E_0 \cos \left[ 8\pi \cdot 10^{14} \left( \frac{y}{c} - t \right) \right]$$

$c$  is the speed of light and  $E_0$  its electric field amplitude [V/m]. What is the wavelength and direction/strength of the magnetic field vector in relation to the electric field amplitude?

Select two alternatives:

- $\lambda = 500\text{nm}$
- $\lambda = 1.0\mu\text{m}$
- B field amplitude :  $\hat{z}(E_0/c)$
- B field amplitude :  $-\hat{y}(E_0/c)$
- B field amplitude :  $-\hat{z}(E_0/c)$
- B field amplitude :  $\hat{y}(E_0/c)$
- $\lambda = 1.5\mu\text{m}$
- $\lambda = 750\text{nm}$



Maximum marks: 4

To GET  $\vec{B}$   
 ROTATE  $90^\circ$  so  
 $\vec{k}$  is ALONG  $y$ ,  
 THEN  $\vec{B}$  WITH BE  
 IN NEW  $-\hat{z}$

$$\vec{E}(y,t) = \hat{x} \cdot E_0 \cos \left[ 8\pi \cdot 10^{14} \left( \frac{y}{c} - t \right) \right]$$

$\frac{2\pi}{c}$  propagates along  $\hat{y}$

IDENTIFY

$$\frac{\omega}{c} = k = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} = \frac{8\pi \cdot 10^{14}}{3 \cdot 10^8} \Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{3}{4} \cdot 10^{-6} = 750 \text{ nm}$$



8 An electromagnetic wave propagating in the vacuum is given by the expression:

$$\vec{E}(x,t) = -\hat{z} \cdot E_0 \cos \left[ 6\pi \cdot 10^{14} \left( \frac{x}{c} - t \right) \right]$$

$c$  is the speed of light and  $E_0$  its electric field amplitude [V/m]. What is the wavelength and direction/strength of the magnetic field vector in relation to the electric field amplitude?

Select two alternatives:

$\lambda = 500\text{nm}$

SOLVE ALL PROBLEM 7

$\lambda = 750\text{nm}$

$\lambda = 1.0\mu\text{m}$

$\lambda = 1.5\mu\text{m}$

B field amplitude :  $-\hat{y}(E_0/c)$

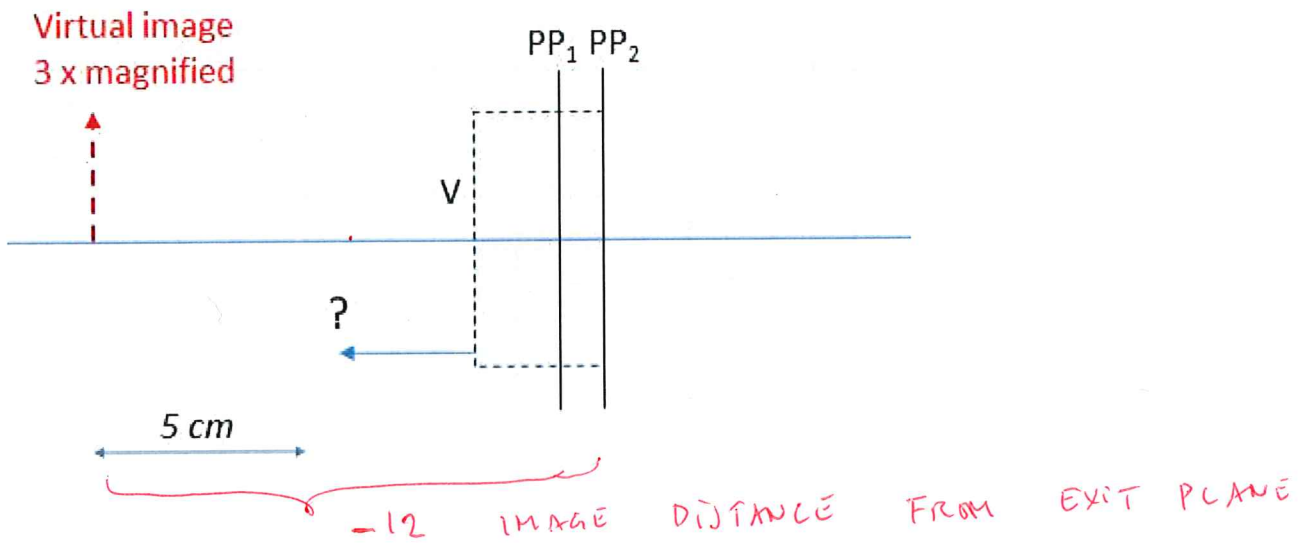
B field amplitude :  $-\hat{z}(E_0/c)$

B field amplitude :  $\hat{z}(E_0/c)$

B field amplitude :  $\hat{y}(E_0/c)$

Maximum marks: 4

- 9 The principal planes of an optical system (dashed rectangle) are indicated in the cartoon below. It is also known that the front and back focal lengths are 6 cm. Where should an object be placed (with reference to the input plane at 'V') in order to form a virtual image 3 times magnified, as shown in the picture. (The 5 cm arrow indicates the length scale.)



Select one alternative:

- 5 cm
- 4 cm
- 1 cm
- 3 cm
- 2 cm

USE RAY TRACE BY  
"TRIAL AND ERROR"

OR USE MATRIX  
APPROACH WITH  $S_i = -12$

Maximum marks: 8

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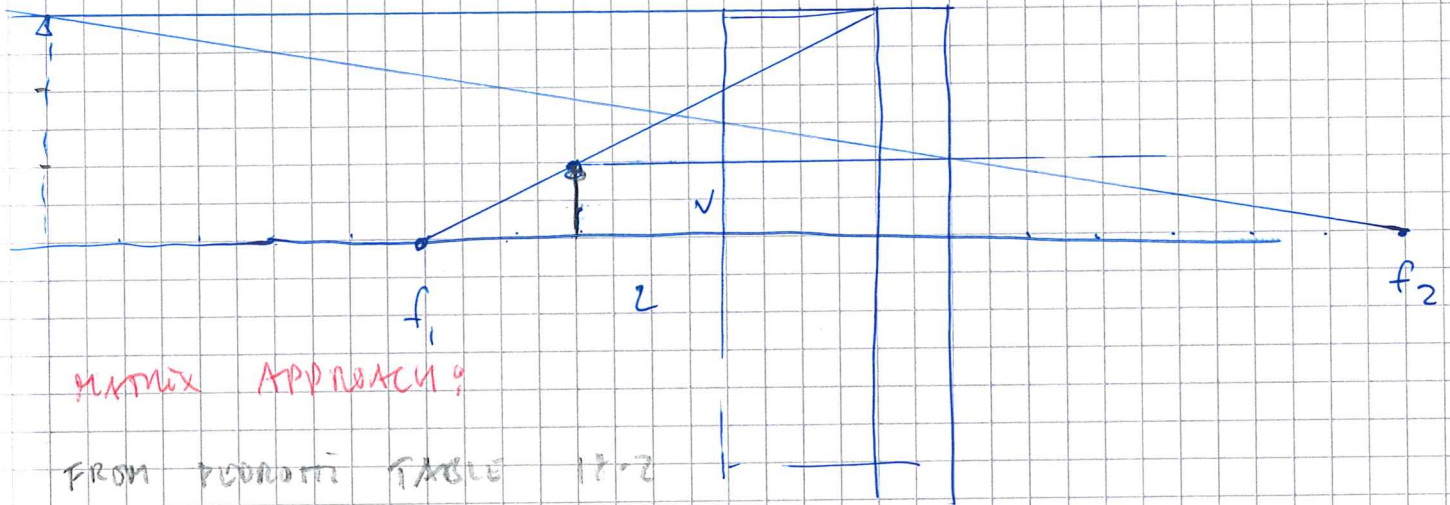
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RAY-TRACING

SOLUTION

(JUST TRY THE REASONABLE VARIANTS)

PP. PP.



MATRIX APPROACH:

FROM PROBLEM TABLE 17-2

$$2 = \frac{D-1}{c} ; \quad 0 = \frac{1-A}{c} ; \quad -4 = \frac{B}{c} ; \quad b = -\frac{A}{c}$$

$$\Rightarrow c = -\frac{1}{6} ; \quad D = \frac{2}{3} ; \quad A = 1$$

ALSO USE eq 18.25  $f_1 = -6 = \frac{AD}{c} - B \Rightarrow B = 2$

IMAGE DISTANCE

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -12 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -\frac{1}{6} & \frac{2}{3} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ s_0 \end{pmatrix}$$

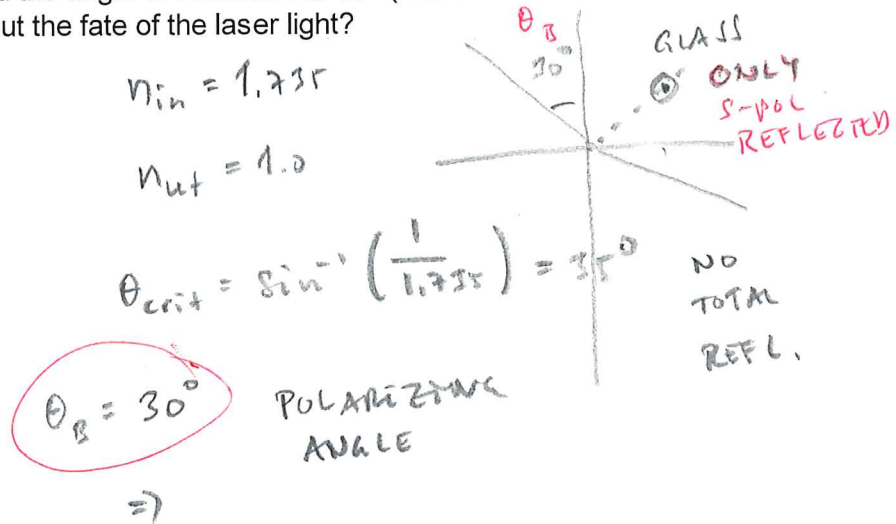
$$\begin{pmatrix} 3 & -6 \\ -\frac{1}{6} & \frac{2}{3} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ s_0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 3s_0 - 6 \\ -\frac{1}{6} & -\frac{s_0}{6} + \frac{2}{3} \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{matrix} s_0 = 2 \\ M_T = 3 \end{matrix}$$

OK

10 An unpolarized laserbeam is impinging onto a glass-air interface from the glass side. The refractive index of the glass is 1.735 and the angle of incidence is  $30^\circ$  (with reference to the surface normal). What can you say about the fate of the laser light?

Select one alternative:

- All light is transmitted.
- All reflected light is polarized.
- All light is reflected.
- All transmitted light is polarized.



Maximum marks: 4

11 An unpolarized laserbeam is impinging onto a glass-air interface from the glass side. The refractive index of the glass is 1.735 and the angle of incidence is  $40^\circ$  (with reference to the surface normal). What can you say about the fate of the laser light?

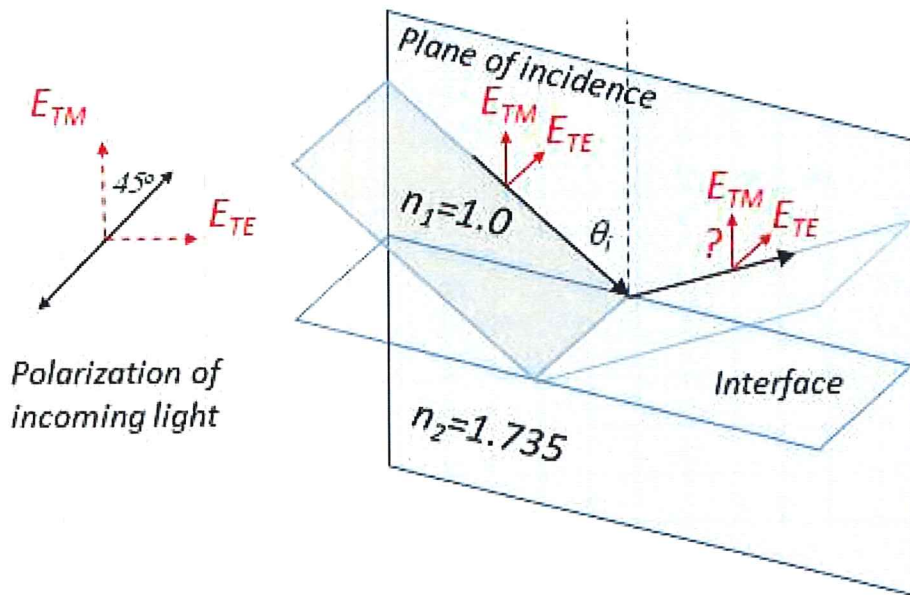
Select one alternative:

- All light is transmitted.
- All transmitted light is polarized.
- All reflected light is polarized.
- All light is reflected.



Maximum marks: 4

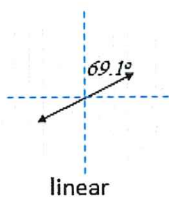
- 12 Light is reflected on an interface between air and a glass material, at an angle of incidence  $\theta_i = 45^\circ$ , as shown in the picture. The incoming light is linearly polarized  $45^\circ$ , meaning the amplitude components of the transverse electric field (TE mode) and the electric field component in the plane of incidence (TM mode), have equal amplitudes. What can you say about the polarization state of the reflected light?



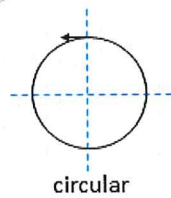
The refractive index parameters are given in the cartoon.

Select one alternative:

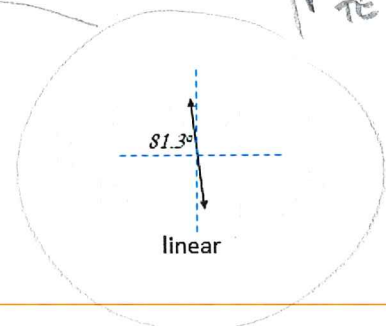
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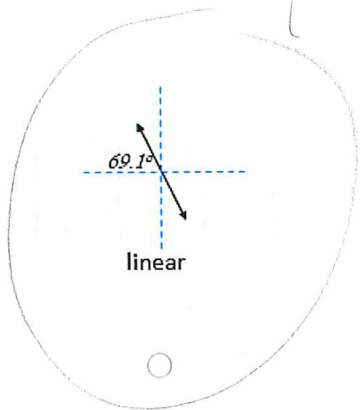
✓



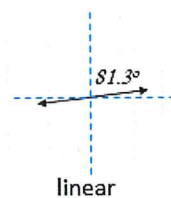
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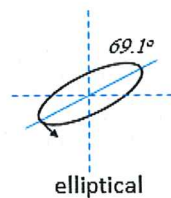
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NOT POSSIBLE SINCE  $|r_{TE}| > |r_{TM}|$

BOTH REQUIRE PHASE-SHIFT FROM TOTAL INTERNAL REFLECTION

MATLAB CODE  
=> FOR DETAILED CALCULATION

12 cont

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% Plot Fresnel external reflection;
% Mikael Lindgren Mayy 11th, 2021
clear all; close all;
%
ni = 1.0; % incoming index
nt = 1.735; % outgoing index
n = nt/ni;
tetaBext = atan(n)*180/pi % polarizing angle for external reflection

tetaBext = 60.0422

tetaBint = atan(1/n)*180/pi % dito internal reflection

tetaBint = 29.9578

% angluar range
teta = linspace(0,89.9,101)'; % 101 points in degrees
tetar = pi*teta/180; % Matlab uses radians
% refl coeffs for certain incident angle eqs. 23-27 and 23.28 in PP
phi = pi/4; phi_inc = phi*180/pi % incident angle 45 deg in radians and degrees

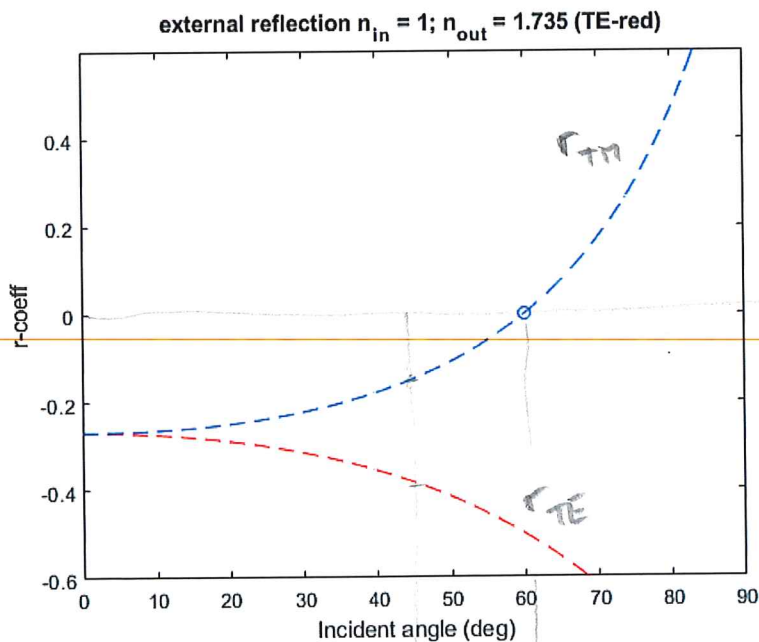
phi_inc = 45

rTE_phi = (cos(phi)-sqrt(n^2-sin(phi).*sin(phi)))./((cos(phi)+sqrt(n^2-sin(phi).*sin(phi))));
rTM_phi = (-n^2*cos(phi)+sqrt(n^2-sin(phi).*sin(phi)))./((n^2*cos(phi)+sqrt(n^2-sin(phi).*sin(phi))));
r_pol = atan(rTE_phi/rTM_phi)*180/pi % ratio rTE/rTM in terms of angle

r_pol = 69.0513

% reflection coefficients external, all angles
rTE = (cos(tetar)-sqrt(n^2-sin(tetar).*sin(tetar)))./((cos(tetar)+sqrt(n^2-sin(tetar).*sin(tetar))));
rTM = (-n^2*cos(tetar)+sqrt(n^2-sin(tetar).*sin(tetar)))./((n^2*cos(tetar)+sqrt(n^2-sin(tetar).*sin(tetar))));
% plot
plot(teta,rTE,'r--',teta,rTM,'b--',tetaBext,0,'ob'); axis([0 90 -0.6 0.6]); % circle at Brewster angle
xlabel('Incident angle (deg)'); ylabel('r-coeff'); title('external reflection n_i_n = 1; n_o_u_t = 1.735 (TE-red)')

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$$\Rightarrow |r_{TE}| > |r_{TM}|$$

$\theta_{inc}$   $\theta_B$

Maximum marks: 5

- 13 Match the basic optical system with the most representative ray-transfer system matrix. N.b., the length unit is cm where appropriate.

	$\begin{bmatrix} 1.000 & 0.000 \\ -0.200 & 1.000 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 0.000 & 3.500 \\ -0.286 & 1.000 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} -3.10 & 16.4 \\ 0.370 & -2.28 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} -0.167 & 21.0 \\ 0 & -6.00 \end{bmatrix}$
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Maximum marks: 8

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & L \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

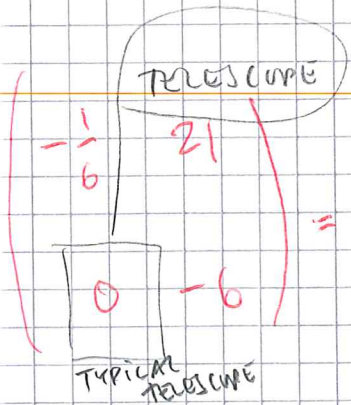
Put in some  
TYPICAL PARAMETERS  
f & L

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{f} & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

CAMERA  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 3.5 \\ -\frac{1}{3.5} & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3.5 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{3.5} & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

LUPP  
MAGNIFYING GLASS  
(TYPICAL)

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{5} & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -0.2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$



$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{3} & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 18+3 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{18} & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

MICROSCOPE

$$\begin{pmatrix} -3.1 & 16.4 \\ 0.37 & -2.28 \end{pmatrix}$$




$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{5} & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 16.4 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{4} & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

ocular      TUBE      objective

STANDARD DISTANCE






14 Match the scientist with their most known achievement(s) in optics and electromagnetics.

	 Max Karl Planck 1858-1947	 Christiaan Huygens 1629-1695	 Pierre de Fermat 1607-1665
Discovered the radiation law that ultimately explained light as photons giving the photon energy as the $E = h\nu$ .	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Explained the laws of refraction by the <i>principle of least time</i> , but perhaps mostly known as mathematician for his 'last theorem'	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
One of the founders of mathematical physics, in optics known for the <i>spherical wave principle</i> proving the reflection, refraction and diffraction of light.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Maximum marks: 6

15 Match the scientist with their most known achievement(s) in optics and electromagnetics.

	 Michael Faraday 1791 - 1867	 André-Marie Ampère 1775 - 1836	 James Clerk Maxwell 1831 - 1879
Pioneer in the understanding of induction, describing the relation between time-varying magnetic and electric fields.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Known for his mathematical foundations for describing magnetic fields and how they relate to currents.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Postulated the time-varying 'displacement current', to complete the magnetic curl equation and ultimately resulting in a unifying theory of electromagnetism.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Maximum marks: 6