



# UNIT 12

## GEOMETRICAL OPTICS

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## 12.1 REFLECTION OF LIGHT

### LONG QUESTIONS

Q.1 Define reflection of light. Also describe the laws and types of reflection.

(K.B+ A.B+U.B)

(LHR-G2)-2015 / (BWP-G1),(FSD-G1),(LHR-G1 / G2),(MTN-G1 / G2)-2014 / (GRW-G1 / G2),(SGD-G2),(FSD-G1),(MTN-G2),(SWL-G1)-2015 / (SGD-G1),(RWP-G2),(AJK-G1)-2016 / (LHR-G2),(GRW-G2),(MTN-G1),(GRW-G2),(RWP-G2),(SGD-G1)-2017

Ans:

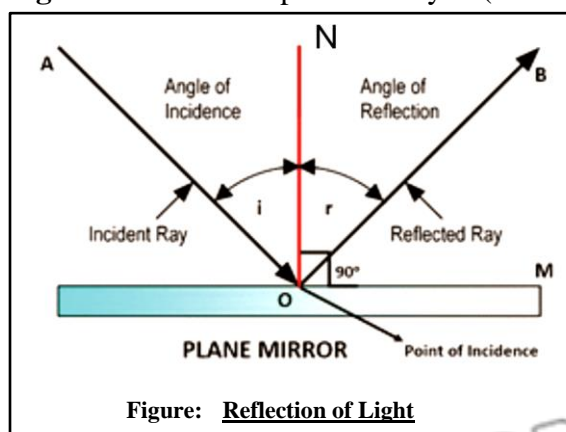
#### REFLECTION OF LIGHT

##### Definition:

“When light travelling in a certain medium falls on the surface of another medium, a part of it turns back in the same medium. This is called reflection of light”.

##### Explanation:

When a ray of light from air along the path **AO** falls on a plane mirror **M**, it is reflected along the path **OB**. The ray **AO** is called incident ray while the ray **OB** is called reflected ray. The angle between incident ray **AO** and normal **N**, i.e.,  $\angle AON$  is called the **angle of incidence** represented by **i**. The angle between the normal and the reflected ray **OB**, i.e.,  $\angle NOB$  is called **angle of reflection** represented by **r**. (As shown in figure)



#### LAWS OF REFLECTION

Following are the laws of reflection:

- The incident ray, the normal, and the reflected ray at the point of incidence all lie in the same plane.
- The angle of incidence is equal to the angle of reflection i.e.,  $\angle i = \angle r$

#### TYPES OF REFLECTION

Nature of reflection depends on smoothness of the surface. On the basis of nature of surface there are two following types of reflection.

- Regular reflection
- Irregular reflection

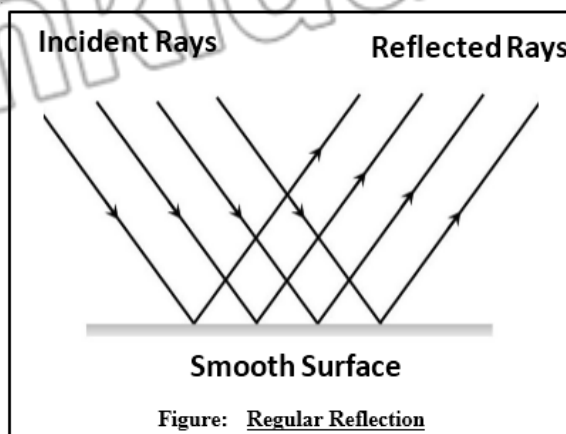
##### Regular Reflection:

##### Definition:

“The reflection by **smooth surfaces** is called regular reflection”.

**Example:**

A smooth surface of silver reflects parallel rays of light in one direction only.



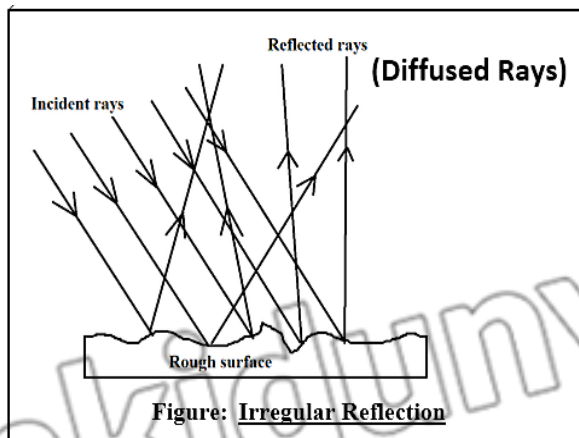
- Most of the objects in everyday life are not smooth on the microscopic level.

**Irregular Reflection:****Definition:**

“The reflection by **rough surfaces** is called irregular reflection”.

**Example:**

The rough surfaces of objects reflect the ray of light in many directions.



## 12.1 SHORT QUESTIONS

**Q.1** What is light? (K.B+C.B+A.B)

**Ans:** Light is a form of energy which give us sensation of vision. Light radiates from its source rather as ‘ripples’ spread across the surface of a pond. However, in the case of light, the ripples are tiny, vibrating, electric and magnetic forces. Light waves have wavelengths of less than a thousandth of a millimeter.

**Q.2** What is difference between luminous and non-luminous object? (K.B+A.B)

**Ans:** DIFFERENTIATION

The differences between luminous and non-luminous object are as follows:

Luminous Object	Non-Luminous Object
<b>Definition</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The luminous are the objects which produce light.</li> </ul> <p><u>Example:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Sun, lamps, lasers, and glowing TV screens all luminous objects.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The non-luminous are the objects which do not produce light but they only reflect light which fall on them and that is why we can see them.</li> </ul> <p><u>Example:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Paper, wood, bottle, table etc.</li> </ul>

**Q.3** Why the diffraction of light is very very low? (Conceptual Base + A.B)

**Ans:** The phenomenon of diffraction of light is not prominent because the wave length of light is very very small. For diffraction the wave length of wave should be greater than or equal to the obstacle of object through which diffraction is happened. If we want to experience the diffraction of light for that purpose we have to find the size of obstacle compare able to the wave length of light which is not easy task.

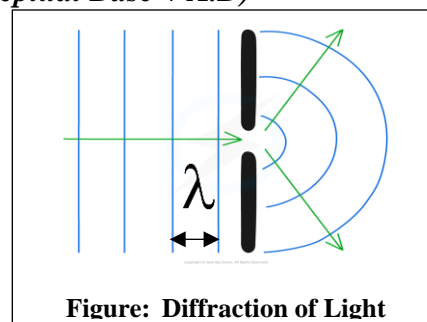


Figure: Diffraction of Light

**Q.4** How we can see the beam of light? (Conceptual Base + A.B)

**Ans:** We can see the beam of light because tiny particles of test smoke or mist in the air are reflecting some of the light into our eyes.

**Q.5** What do you know about the wave length and colours of light? (Conceptual Base)

**Ans:** When light enters the eyes, the brain senses different wavelengths as different colours. The wavelengths range from 0.000 4mm (violet light) to 0.000 7mm (red light), and white light is made up of all the wavelengths in this range.

**Q.6** Why virtual image is formed by a plane mirror? (Conceptual Base + A.B)

**Ans:** A plane mirror always forms a virtual image (behind the mirror) because the light does not actually pass through the image. The image will be the same size as the object and will be the same distance behind the mirror as the object is in front of the mirror.

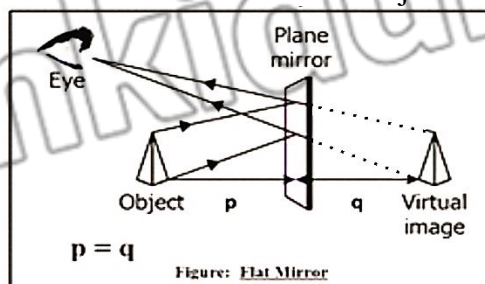


Figure: Flat Mirror

**Q.7** Why the word Ambulance is written inverted in front of Ambulance vehicle?

(C.B+A.B)

**Ans:** The letters on the front of an ambulance are written laterally inverted, so that the driver of the vehicle moving ahead of the ambulance can read the word properly after lateral



inversion, in the rear view mirror which is mostly a convex mirror and allows ambulance to overtake smoothly.

**Q.8 What is lateral inversion? (C.B)**

**Ans:** Lateral inversion is the reversal of mirror image where the right side of the object appears on the left side behind the mirror.



**Q.9 What is meant by reflection of light? (K.B)** (GRW-G1),(SWL-G2)-2014 / (RWP-G1)-2016

**Ans:** Given on Page # 82

**Q.10 State laws of reflection. (K.B)**

(BWP-G1),(FSD-G1),(LHR-G1 / G2),(MTN-G1 / G2)-2014 / (GRW-G1 / G2),(SGD-G2),(FSD-G1),(MTN-G2),(SWL-G

**Ans:** Given on Page # 82

**Q.11 What are the types of reflection? (K.B)**

(SGD-G2),(MTN-G2)-2016

**Ans:** Given on Page # 83

**Q.12 Difference between regular and irregular reflection (Diffuse Reflection). (K.B)**

(GRW-G2),(LHR-G1 / G2)-2014 / (BWP-G1)-2017

**Ans:** Given on Page # 83

**Q.13 Differentiate between angle of incidence and angle of reflection. (K.B)** (MTN-G2)-2017

**Ans:** Given on page # 82

**Q.14 How are we able to see a page of a book? (K.B+A.B)**

**OR Why do we see printed words as black area on a page?**

**Ans:**

### PHYSICS OF LIGHT

We can see a page of a book because light reflects from each part of page in all directions, so that some of the light rays from each part of the page enter our eye because almost no light is reflected by the printed words, therefore, we “see” them as black areas.

(Physics of Light Pg. # 37)

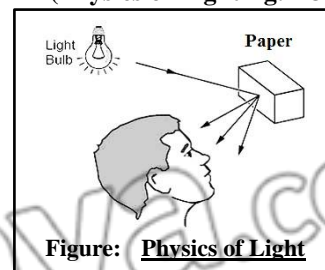


Figure: Physics of Light

**Q.15 What were the main ideas about the nature of light in early 1700 s? (K.B)**

(For your information Pg # 37)

**Ans:**

### NATURE OF LIGHT IN EARLY 1700 s

In the early 1700 s, there were two main ideas about the nature of light:

- Particle nature
- Wave nature

**Q.16 What theories were given by different scientist about the nature of light? (K.B)**

(For your information Pg # 37)

**Ans:**

### THEORIES ABOUT THE NATURE OF LIGHT

**Newton:**

Newton put forward the idea of corpuscular nature of light. According to him, light consist of tiny, fast-moving particles.

**Maxwell:**

He formulated the wave theory of light.

**Thomas Young:**

In 1802, Thomas Young proved the wave nature of light experimentally.

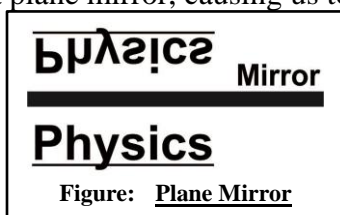
**Planck:**

In 1900, Planck suggested that light consists of small packets of energy called photons. Later on the idea of photon was confirmed by experiments.

**Q.17 Why do we see an inverted image in a plane mirror? (K.B)** (For Your Information Pg. # 38)

**Ans:** INVERTED IMAGE

Light rays are reflected in a plane mirror, causing us to see an inverted image.

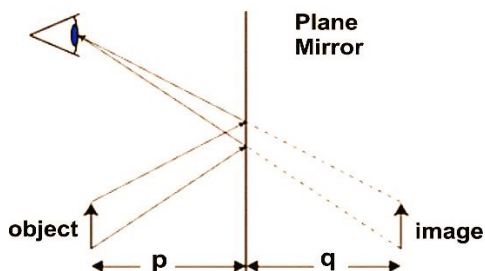


**Q.18 What will be the nature of images formed by a flat mirror? (K.B)**

(For Your Information Pg. # 38)

**Ans:** NATURE OF IMAGE

The image we see in a flat mirror is at the same distance behind the mirror as we are in front of it.



**Fig: Plane Mirror**

## 12.1 MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS

1. **Laws of reflection are: (K.B)** (BWP-G2)-2015  
 (A) 2 (B) 3  
 (C) 4 (D) 5
2. **Planck suggested that light consists of small packets of energy called: (K.B)** (For you information Pg. # 37)  
 (A) Electrons (B) Neutrons  
 (C) Photons (D) Positrons
3. **The angle between incident ray and normal N is: (K.B)**  
 (A) Angle of reflection (B) Angle of incidence  
 (C) Angle of refraction (D) Normal angle
4. **Angle of incidence is represented by: (K.B)**  
 (A) i (B) e  
 (C) R (D) p
5. **The angle between the normal and the reflected ray is called angle of: (K.B)**  
 (A) Angle of reflection (B) Angle of refraction  
 (C) Angle of incidence (D) Diffraction
6. **The incident ray, the normal, and the reflected ray at the point of incidence all lie in the: (K.B)**  
 (A) Opposite direction (B) Same plane  
 (C) x and y axis (D) y & z - axis
7. **According to the law of reflection: (A.B + U.B)**

- (A)  $i > r$  (B)  $i < r$   
 (C)  $r > i$  (D)  $i = r$
8. **Regular reflection is reflection by the: (K.B)**  
 (A) Rough surface (B) Smooth surface  
 (C) Irregular surface (D) Smooth and rough surfaces
9. **The rough surfaces of object reflect the rays of light in many directions which is called: (K.B)**  
 (A) Regular reflection (B) Irregular reflection  
 (C) Refraction (D) Interference

**12.2****SPHERICAL MIRRORS****LONG QUESTIONS**

**Q.1** What do you know about spherical mirrors? Also describe the types of spherical mirrors. (K.B+A.B+U.B)

Ans:

**SPHERICAL MIRRORS****Definition:**

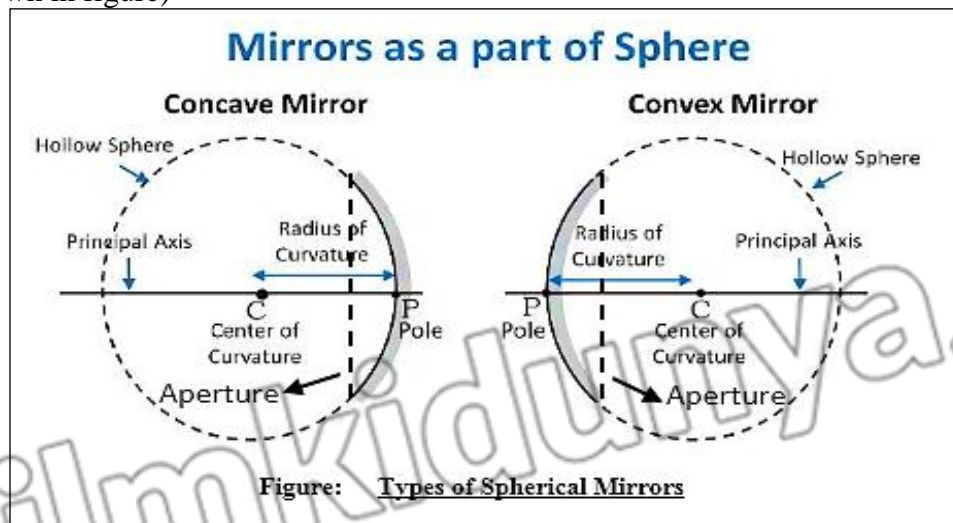
“A mirror whose polished, reflecting surface is a part of a hollow sphere of glass or plastic is called a spherical mirror”.

**Construction:**

In a spherical mirror, one of the two curved surfaces is coated with a thin layer of silver followed by a coating of red lead oxide paint. Thus, one side of the spherical mirror is opaque and the other side is a highly polished reflecting surface.

**TYPES OF SPHERICAL MIRRORS**

Depending upon the nature of reflecting surface, there are two types of spherical mirrors (as shown in figure)

**Concave mirror:****Definition:**

“A spherical mirror whose inner curved surface is reflecting is called concave mirror”.

**Size of image:**

In concave mirror the size of the image depends on the position of the object.

**Nature of image:**

Both virtual and real images can be formed by a concave mirror.

**Convex Mirror:****Definition:**

“A spherical mirror whose outer curved surface is reflecting is called convex mirror”.

**Size of image:**

In convex mirror the size of the image is always smaller than the object.

**Nature of image:**

Only virtual and erect image is formed by a convex mirror.

**Q.2 Describe the following terms associated with spherical mirrors. (K.B)**

(MTN-G1)-2016, (FSD-G2)-2014 / (SGD-G2), (BWP-G1)-2016 / (DGK-G2)-2017, (BWP-G1)-2014 / (BWP-G1), (DGK-G2)-2017

- Pole
- Center of Curvature
- Radius of Curvature
- Principal Axis

Ans:

**TERMS ASSOCIATED WITH MIRRORS****Pole (P):****Definition:**

“It is the **midpoint** of the curved surface of spherical mirror. It is also called vertex”.

**Centre of Curvature (C):****Definition:**

“A spherical mirror is a part of a sphere. The centre of this sphere is called centre of curvature”. It is denoted by C.

**Radius of Curvature (R):****Definition:**

“It is the radius of the sphere of which spherical mirror is a part”. It is denoted by R.

**Principal Axis:****Definition:**

“It is the line joining **centre of curvature** and **pole** of the spherical mirror”.

**Q.3 Define the principal focus. How is the principal focus of concave mirror different from the principal focus of convex mirror? (K.B + U.B)**

Ans:

**PRINCIPAL FOCUS****Definition:**

“After reflection from concave / convex mirror rays of light parallel to the principal axis converge to a point F or appeared to come from a point F. This point is called the principal focus of the mirror”.

**Principal Focus of Concave Mirror:**

After reflection from a concave mirror, rays of light parallel to the principal axis converge to a point F. This point is called "The Principal Focus" of concave mirror. (As shown in Figure). Hence, Concave mirrors are also called **converging mirrors**. Since rays actually pass through this point, therefore, it is called **real focus**. It is denoted by F.

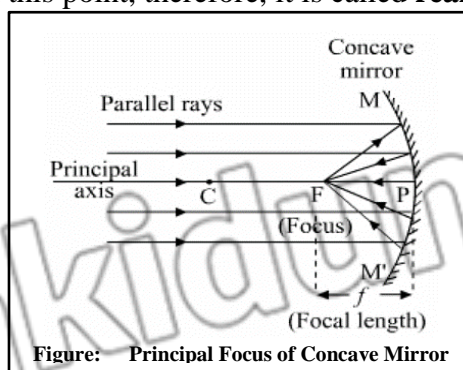
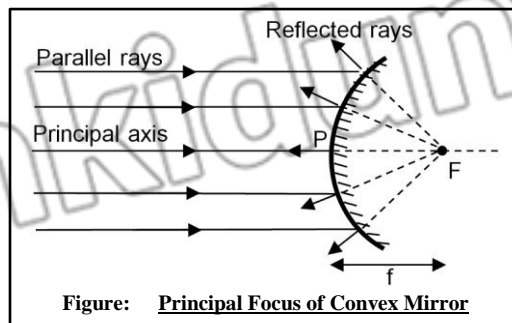


Figure: Principal Focus of Concave Mirror

**Principal Focus of Convex Mirror:**

In the case of a convex mirror, rays parallel to the **principal axis** after reflection appear to come from a point F situated **behind** the mirror. In other words rays of light appear to diverge from F. This point is called the **principal focus** of the convex mirror. Convex mirrors are also called **diverging mirrors**. The principal focus of a convex mirror is **virtual focus** because the reflected rays do not actually pass through it but appear to do so (as shown in figure).



## 12.2 SHORT QUESTIONS

**Q.1** What are spherical mirrors? (*K.B*) (FSD-G2)-2015 / (MTN-G2),(DGK-G2)-2016

**Ans:** Given on page # 87

**Q.2** What is the relation between focal length and radius of a spherical mirror? (*K.B + U.B*)

(FSD-G2)-2017

**Ans:**

### RELATIONSHIP

#### Focal Length:

#### Definition:

“It is the distance from the pole to the principal focus measured along the principal axis”.

#### Relation with Radius:

The focal length is related to the radius of curvature by  $f = R / 2$ . This means that as the radius of curvature is reduced, so too is the **focal length** of the reflecting surface.

It is denoted by  $f$ .

**Q.3** What are the characteristics of focus of a concave and a convex mirror? (*K.B*)

(RWP-G1)-2016 / (RWP-G2)(DGK-G1)-2017

**Ans:**

### CHARACTERISTICS OF FOCUS

#### In case of Concave Mirror:

Following are the characteristics of focus of concave mirror:

- The focus lies in front of the concave mirror.
- The focus is real as the rays of light after reflection converge at the focus.

#### In case of convex mirror:

Following are the characteristics of focus of convex mirror:

- The focus lies behind the mirror.
- The focus is virtual as the rays of light after reflection appears to come from the focus.

**Q.4** Explain the reflection of light by spherical mirrors with the help of diagram.

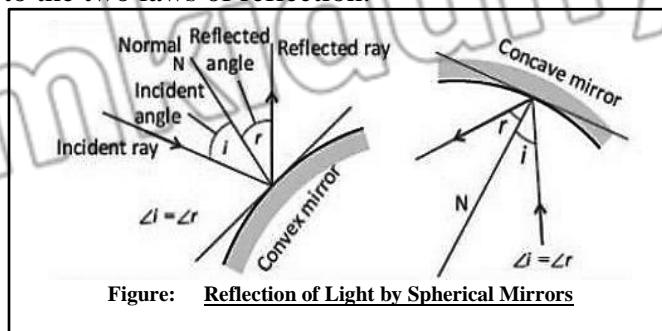
(*K.B+A.B*) (LHR-G2)-2015

**Ans:**

### REFLECTION OF LIGHT BY SPHERICAL MIRRORS

Like plane surfaces, spherical surfaces also reflect light following are the two laws of reflection as stated for plane surfaces.

Figure shows how light is reflected by the spherical surfaces of concave and convex mirrors according to the two laws of reflection.



**Q.5 Differentiate between concave and convex mirrors. (K.B)**

(FSD-G1)(MTN-G2)(DGK-G2)-2014 / (LHR-G2)(SDG-G1)(SGD-G2)(AJK-G2) -2015 / (LHR-G1)-16

Ans: Given on page # 88

**Q.6 Differentiate between the focus of a concave & convex mirror? (K.B)**

(FSD-G1)(MTN-G2)(DGK-G2)-2014 / (LHR-G2)(SGD-G1),(SGD-G2)(AJK-G2)-2015 / (LHR-G1)-2016

Ans:

**DIFFERENTIATION**

The differences between the focus of a concave and a convex mirror are given as follows:

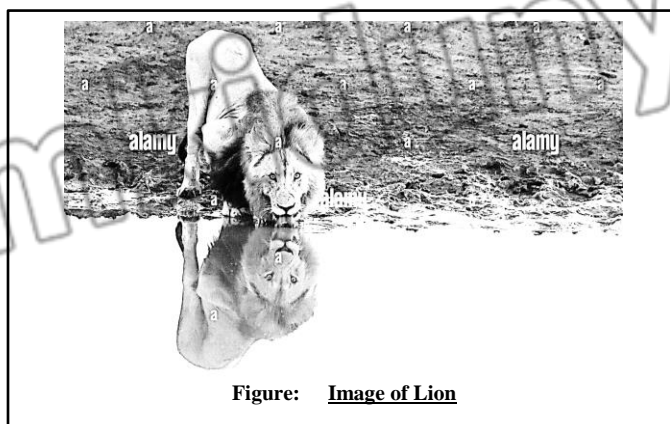
Focus of Convex Mirror	Focus of Concave Mirror
<b>Position</b>	
The focus lies behind the mirror.	The focus is in front of the mirror.
<b>Nature</b>	
The focus is virtual as the rays of light after reflection appear to come from the focus.	The focus is real as the rays of light after reflection converge at the focus.

**Q.7 Through which phenomenon of physics the image of a lion is formed inside the pond water? (U.B)** (Can you tell Pg. # 39)

Ans:

**IMAGE INSIDE THE POND WATER**

In the picture below, a clear image of lion formed inside the pond water due to the phenomenon of reflection of light.



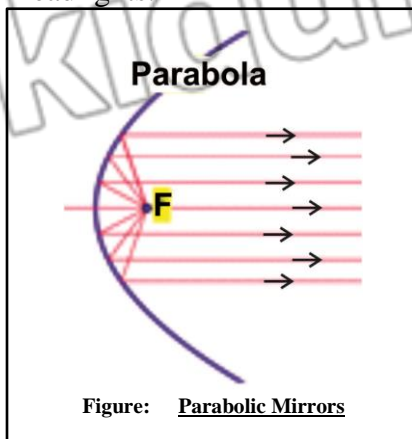
**Q.8 Which mirrors are used in headlights? (A.B) (For your Information Pg. # 39)**



Ans:

**PARABOLIC MIRRORS**

Parabolic mirrors are used in headlights.



- Q.9** Write down the nature of image of a pencil held in front of well-polished spoon (using the outside of the spoon with the convex surface bulging outward). Also tell whether the image will move closer or farther from the focus? (*U.B*) (Activity 12.1 Text Book Pg. # 40)

Ans:

**WELL POLISHED SPOON**

Take a well-polished spoon (using outside of the spoon, with the convex surface bulging outward), and hold it in one hand, hold the pencil with its tip in the upright position in the other hand.

**IMAGE NATURE**

When we look at its image in the well-polished spoon, it seems to be erect, virtual and smaller and the image moves farther from the focus.

**12.2 MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS**

- In convex mirror focus is: (*K.B*)** (RWP-G2)-14  
 (A) Centre of mirror (B) In front of mirror  
 (C) On the mirror (D) Behind the mirror
- The formula for focal length is: (*U.B + A.B*)** (LHR-G2),(RWP-G1)-2015 / (SWL-G2)-2017  
 (A)  $f = \frac{R}{2}$  (B)  $f = \frac{R}{4}$   
 (C)  $f = \frac{R}{3}$  (D)  $f = \frac{R}{5}$
- In concave mirror which surface is reflecting? (*K.B*)**  
 (A) Outer surface (B) Outer curved  
 (C) Inner curved surface (D) Side of the mirror
- Which statement is incorrect about concave mirror? (*K.B*)**  
 (A) Size of image depends upon position of the object  
 (B) Both virtual and real images can form  
 (C) Inner surface of spherical mirror is reflecting  
 (D) Only virtual images are formed
- A spherical mirror whose outer curved surface is reflecting is called: (*K.B*)**  
 (A) Concave mirror (B) Convex mirror  
 (C) Concave lens (D) Convex lens
- Which statement is correct about convex mirror? (*K.B*)**

- (A) Size of image is smaller than object (B) Only virtual & erect image is formed  
 (C) Outer curved surface is reflecting (D) All of the given statements are true
7. **Vertex is the midpoint of the curved surface of spherical mirror and is also called: (K.B)**  
 (A) Radius of curvature (B) Principal axis  
 (C) Pole (D) Principal focus
8. **A line joining centre of curvature and pole of the spherical mirror is: (K.B)**  
 (A) Principal axis (B) Principal focus  
 (C) Centre of curvature (D) Pole
9. **The distance from the pole to the principal focus measured along the principal axis is: (K.B)**  
 (A) Principal focus (B) Radius of curvature  
 (C) Focal length (D) Diameter

### 12.3 IMAGE LOCATION BY SPHERICAL MIRROR FORMULA

#### LONG QUESTIONS

- Q.1 What is spherical mirror formula? (K.B + U.B + A.B)  
 OR How can we tell about the nature of image and the size of the image compared with the size of the object formed by the mirror with the help of mirror formula?

Ans:

#### SPHERICAL MIRRORS

##### Definition:

“Mirror formula is the relationship between **object distance** p, **image distance** q from the mirror and **focal length** f of the mirror”.

##### Explanation:

We use the spherical mirror formula to tell about the nature of image (whether image is real or imaginary) inverted or erect formed by a mirror. It also tells the size of the image in comparison with the size of the object.

##### Mirror Formula:

Thus, we can write mirror formula as:

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q}$$

- By using mirror formula, we can tell about the nature of image (whether image is real or imaginary or erect) and also about the size of image compared with the size of the object, formed by a mirror.

##### Validity:

Spherical mirror formula is true/valid for both concave and convex mirrors.

#### 12.3 SHORT QUESTIONS

- Q.1 What is meant by mirror formula? (A.B)

(RWP-G2)-2016

Ans:

#### MIRROR FORMULA

##### Definition:

“Relationship between **object distance** p, **image distance** q, from the mirror and **focal length** of the mirror is called mirror formula”.

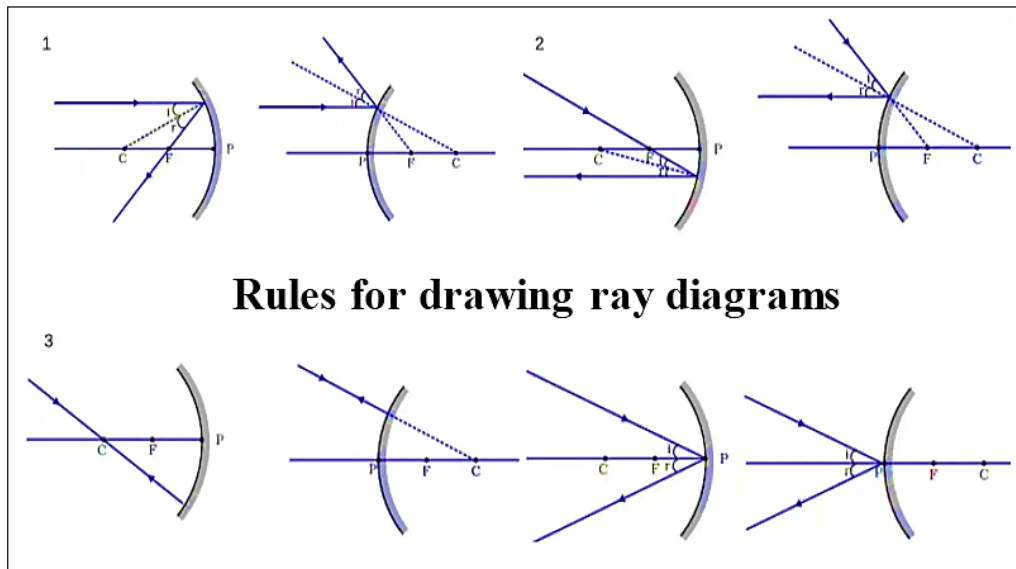
##### Formula:

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q}$$

**Q.2 Rules of light for image formation through mirror? (K.B+A.B)**

**Ans:** Concave/Convex Mirror Image Formation Rules

1. **Parallel Rays:** Light rays parallel to the principal axis are reflected through the focus of the mirror.
2. **Focus Rays:** Light rays through the focus of the mirror are reflected parallel to the principal axis.
3. **Chief Rays:** Light rays through the center of curvature of the mirror are reflected back along the same path.
4. **Vertex Rays:** Light rays that strike the mirror at its vertex leave at the same angle that it entered.



**Q.3 Write down the sign conventions for concave and convex mirror. (U.B+A.B)**

**Ans:** SIGN CONVENTIONS FOR SPHERICAL MIRRORS

The sign conventions of concave and convex mirrors are as follows:

Quantity	When Positive (+)	When Negative (-)
Object distance (p)	Real object	Virtual object
Image distance (q)	Real image	Virtual image
Focal length (f)	Concave mirror	Convex mirror

**Q.4 Spoon acts as which types of mirrors? (U.B)**

(Spoon as mirror Pg. # 40)

**Ans:** SPOON AS A SPHERICAL MIRROR

A well-polished spoon acts as convex (right) and concave (left) mirror.

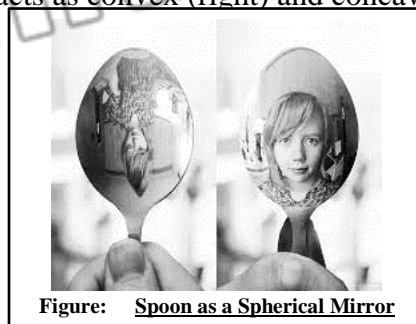
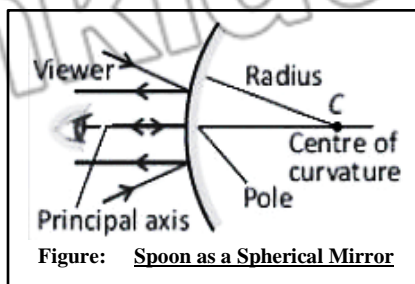


Figure: Spoon as a Spherical Mirror

**Q.5** Where does focus and centre of curvature lies for convex mirror? (K.B)  
(Physics insight Pg. # 40)

**Ans:** POSITION OF FOCUS AND CENTRE OF CURVATURE  
For a convex mirror focus and center of curvature lies behind the mirror.



**Q.6** Why convex mirrors are used in shopping mall? (A.B) (Point to ponder Pg. # 40)

**Ans:** CONVEX MIRROR IN SHOPPING MALL  
In large shopping malls convex mirrors are used for security purpose.



**Q.7** Why the focal length of a convex mirror is taken as negative? (U.B) (LHR-G2)-2015  
(For Your Information Pg. # 41)

**Ans:** FOCAL LENGTH OF CONVEX MIRROR

The focal length of spherical mirror is one half of the radius of curvature i.e.  $f = \frac{R}{2}$ .

However, we take the focal length of a convex mirror as negative. It is because the rays appear to come from focal point behind the mirror. Therefore, for a convex mirror,  $f = -\frac{R}{2}$ .

**Q.8** Why the term magnification is different from the term enlargement in optics? (K.B)

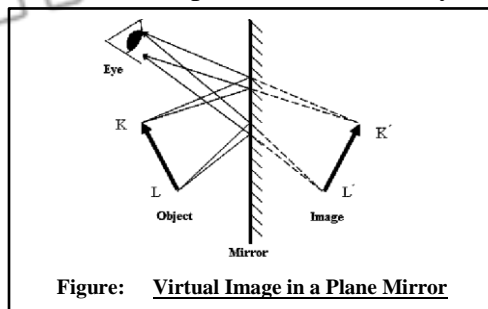
**Ans:** MAGNIFICATION VS ENLARGEMENT

The word magnification as used in optic does not only mean always enlargement because the image could be smaller than the object.

**Q.9** Draw the ray diagram for the virtual image in a plane mirror? (K.B+U.B)  
(For Your Information Pg. # 41)

**Ans:** RAY DIAGRAM

For the virtual image formation in a plane mirror, the ray diagram is given below:



**Q.10** How does convex mirror increase the view of observer? (*K.B+U.B*)

(Do you know Pg. # 41)

**Ans:**

**INCREASE IN VIEW**

Convex mirrors produce images that are smaller than objects. This increases the view for the observer.



Figure: Convex Mirror

**Q.11** Why does the position of fish inside the water seem to be at less depth than that of its actual position? (*K.B+U.B*)

(Point to Ponder Pg. # 41)

**Ans:**

**POSITION OF FISH IN WATER**

The position of fish inside the water seems to be at less depth than that of its actual position due to refraction of light. Because of refraction, water (or glass) looks less deep than it really is. Its apparent depth is less than its real depth. This diagram shows why.

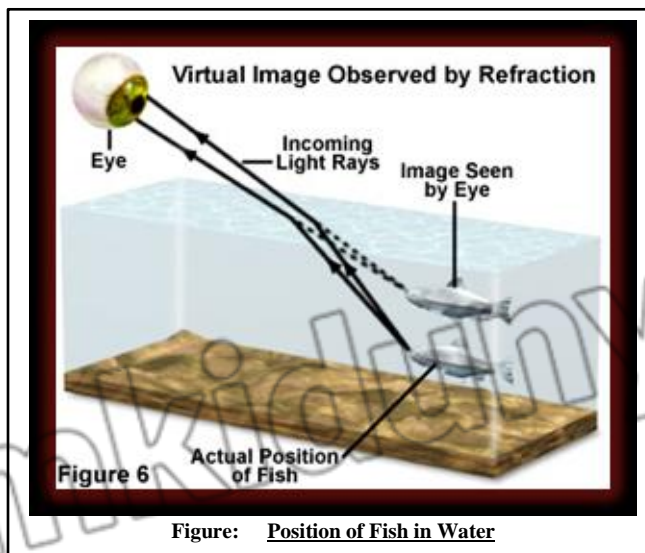


Figure: Position of Fish in Water

**Q.12** Can you measure the distance of the screen from the mirror or a well-polished spoon (using inside of the spoon with concave surface bulging inward), using a metre scale? Can you find out the rough focal length of the focal length of the concave mirror? Also draw the ray diagram to show the image formation in this situation. (*K.B+U.B*)

(Activity 12.2 Pg. # 41)

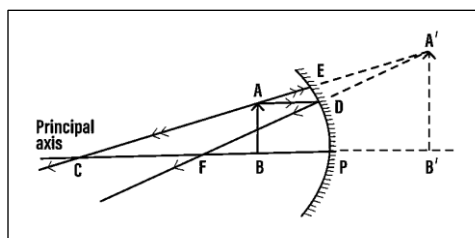
**Ans:**

**CONCAVE MIRROR OR WELL POLISHED SPOON**

Take a concave mirror or a well-polished spoon (using inside of the spoon with concave surface bulging inward). Hold it in hand towards a distant object, such as the sun, a building, a tree or a pole. Try to get a sharp, well focused image of the distant object on the wall or a screen. Measure the distance of the screen from the mirror using a meter scale. By applying the spherical mirror formula and by putting the values of distance of object and distance of image from the mirror, we can find out the focal length of the concave mirror.

**Q.13** How virtual image can be formed by concave mirror?

**Ans:** If object is placed between focus and pole of concave mirror than image formed by this mirror will be virtual erect and enlarge. This mirror used for shaving and makeup purpose.



### 12.3 MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS

1. The relationship between object distance  $p$ , image distance  $q$  from the mirror and focal length of the mirror is called: (K.B)

- (A) Mirror focal length (B) Distance from mirror  
(C) Mirror formula (D) Lens formula

2. Mirror formula is: (K.B)

- (A)  $\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q}$  (B)  $\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{p} - \frac{1}{q}$   
(C)  $\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{p} - \frac{q}{p}$  (D)  $\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{q} + \frac{p}{q}$

3. Focal length of spherical mirror is: (K.B)

- (A)  $\frac{R}{4}$  (B)  $\frac{R}{2}$   
(C)  $\frac{R}{3}$  (D)  $\frac{R}{9}$

(LHR 2016)

4. Convex mirror produce images: (K.B)

- (A) Larger than object (B) Smaller than object  
(C) Equal to object (D) Very large in size

#### EXAMPLE 12.1

A convex mirror is used to reflect light from an object placed 66 cm in front of the mirror. The focal length of the mirror is 46 cm. Find the location of the image. (U.B + A.B)

**Solution:**

**Given Data:**

Distance of object from mirror =  $p = 66$  cm

Focal length of convex mirror =  $f = -46$  cm

**Formula:**

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Or } \frac{1}{q} &= \frac{1}{f} - \frac{1}{p} \\ \frac{1}{q} &= -\frac{1}{46\text{cm}} - \frac{1}{66\text{cm}} \\ &= \frac{-66\text{cm} - 46\text{cm}}{3036\text{cm}^2} = \frac{-112\text{cm}}{3036\text{cm}^2} \\ \frac{1}{q} &= -\frac{1}{27\text{cm}} \Rightarrow q = -27\text{cm} \end{aligned}$$



$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q}$$

**Calculation:**

By using formula, we have

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q}$$

**EXAMPLE 12.2**

An object is placed 6 cm in front of a concave mirror that has focal length 10 cm. Determine the location of the image.

**Solution:****Given Data:**

Object distance from mirror =  $p = 6$  cm

Focal length of concave mirror =  $f = 10$  cm

**To Find:**

Location of the image =  $q = ?$

**Formula:**

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q}$$

**Calculations:**

Using the mirror formula, we have

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q}$$

**Result:**

Hence, the location of image is 27 cm from the convex mirror. Here, negative sign indicates that the image is behind the mirror and, therefore, is a virtual image.

$$\text{OR} \quad \frac{1}{q} = \frac{1}{f} - \frac{1}{p}$$

$$\text{OR} \quad \frac{1}{q} = \frac{1}{10\text{cm}} - \frac{1}{6\text{cm}}$$

$$= \frac{3-5}{30}$$

$$= \frac{-2}{30}$$

$$\frac{1}{q} = -\frac{1}{15\text{cm}} \Rightarrow q = -15\text{cm}$$

Hence, the image is located at 15cm from the concave mirror. Here, negative sign indicates that the image is virtual i.e., behind the mirror.

**Result:****12.4****REFRACTION OF LIGHT****LONG QUESTIONS**

Q.1 Define refraction of light. (K.B+U.B+A.B)

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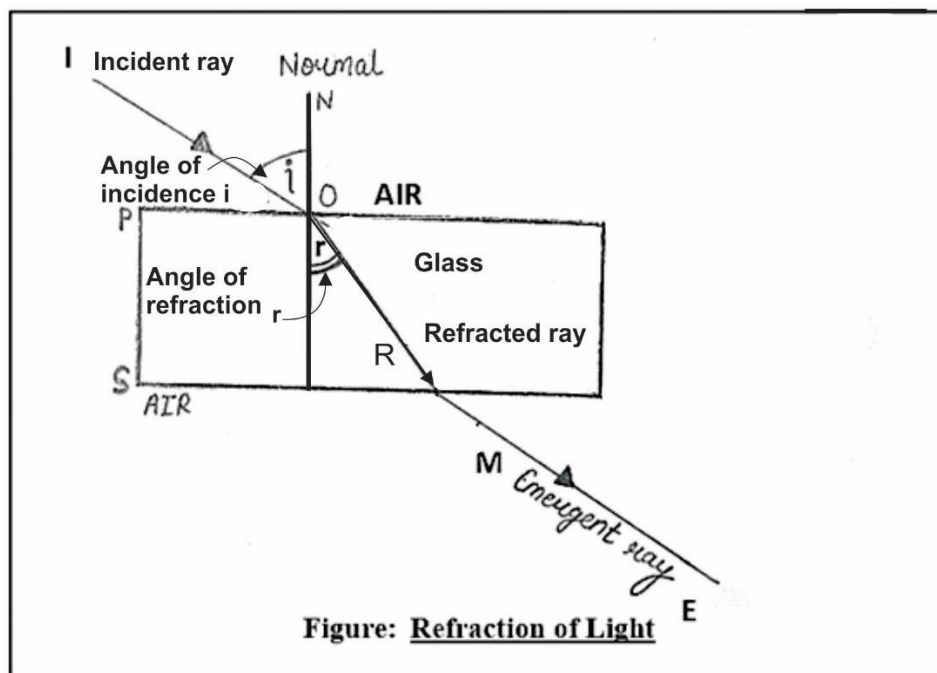
Ans:

**REFRACTION OF LIGHT****Definition:**

“The process of bending of light as it passes from one transparent medium into another is called refraction”.

**Explanation:**

Refraction of light can be explained with the help of figure. A ray of light IO traveling from air falls on the surface of a glass block. At the air-glass interface, the ray of light IO changes direction and bends towards the normal and travels along the path OR inside the glass block. The rays IO and OR are called the incident ray and the refracted ray respectively. The angle 'i' made by the incident ray with the normal is called angle of incidence. The angle 'r' made by the refracted ray with the normal is called angle of refraction. When refracted ray leaves the glass, it bends away from the normal and travels along a path ME.



**Q.2** What are the laws of refraction? Also describe Snell's law and cause of refraction of light. (K.B + U.B + A.B) (RWP-G1)-2016

**Ans:**

#### LAWS OF REFRACTION

The laws of refraction are:

- The incident ray, the refracted ray, and the normal at the point of incidence all lie in the same plane.
- The ratio of the sine of the angle of incidence 'i' to the sine of the angle of refraction 'r' is always equal to a constant i.e.,  $\sin i / \sin r = \text{constant} = n$

**Snell's Law:**

**Statement:**

The ratio  $\sin i / \sin r$  is known as the refractive index of the second medium with respect to the first medium. So we have

$$\frac{\sin \hat{i}}{\sin \hat{r}} = n$$

**Cause of Refraction of Light:**

Refraction of light is caused by the difference in speed of light in different media. For example, the speed of light in air is approximately  $3.0 \times 10^8 \text{ ms}^{-1}$ . However, when light travels through a medium, such as water or glass, its speed decreases. The speed of light in water is approximately  $2.3 \times 10^8 \text{ ms}^{-1}$ , while in glass, it is approximately  $2.0 \times 10^8 \text{ ms}^{-1}$ .

To describe the change in the speed of light in a medium, we use the term **index of refraction or refractive index**.

**Refractive Index:**

With respect to the speed of light in different media, refractive index can also be defined as:

**Definition:**

“The refractive index ‘ $n$ ’ of a medium is the ratio of the speed of light ‘ $c$ ’ in air to the speed ‘ $v$ ’ of light in the medium”.

**Formula:**

$$\text{Refractive Index} = \frac{\text{Speed of light in air}}{\text{Speed of light in medium}}$$

$$\text{Or } n = \frac{c}{v}$$

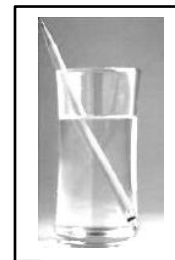
**12.4 SHORT QUESTIONS**

**Q.1 Describe the passage of light through parallel sided transparent material. (K.B)**

**Ans:**

**REFRACTION OF LIGHT**

If we dip one end of a pencil or some other object into water at an angle to the surface, the submerged part looks bent as shown in figure. Its image is displaced because the light coming from the underwater portion of the object changes direction as it leaves the water.



**Q.2 What is meant by refraction of light? (K.B)**

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**Ans:** Given on Page # 97

**Q.3 State law of refraction? (K.B)**

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**Ans:** Given on Page # 98

**Q.4 State Snell's law? (K.B + A.B)**

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**Ans:** Given on Page # 98

**Q.5 Define refractive index. (K.B)** (LHR-G1)-2014 / (BWP-G2)-2015 / (SGD-G2)(BWP-G2)(AJK-

**Ans:** Given on Page # 99

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**Q.6 Why do we see the bending of pencil in water? (K.B + A.B)**

**Ans:** BENDING OF PENCIL IN WATER

As, the refractive index or index of refraction describe the change in the speed of light in a medium so that, the medium through which, the speed of light is less than the speed of light in air will have high refractive index and hence will have more bending due to the phenomenon of refraction.

**Q.7 Which quantities change during refraction of light? (K.B) (Physics insight Pg. # 42)**

**Ans:** CHANGES DURING REFRACTION

In refraction, the speed of light changes due to change in the wavelength. But frequency and hence the colour of light does not changes.

**Q.8 Write the refractive index of the following substances. (K.B) (For your info. Pg. # 43 Table)**

**Ans:** REFRACTIVE INDEX OF SUBSTANCES (Table for MCQs)

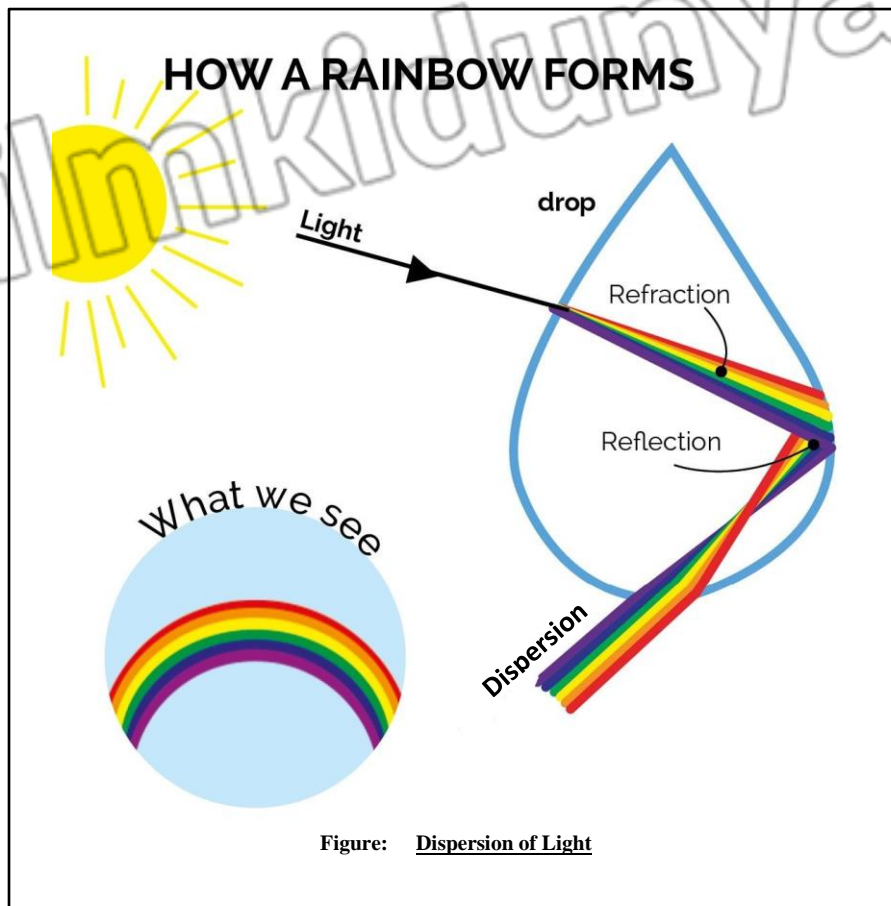
The refractive index of following substances are:

Substance	Index of Refraction (n)	Substance	Index of Refraction (n)
Diamond	2.42	Ethyl Alcohol	1.36
Cubic Zirconia	2.21	Ice	1.31
Glass (flint)	1.66	Water	1.33
Glass (crown)	1.52	Air	1.00

**Q.9 How dispersion of light occurs? (K.B + U.B) (Do you know Pg. # 43)**

**Ans:** DISPERSION OF LIGHT

Dispersion of light is due to the variation in the refractive index with the color. Dispersion in drops of water separates the colors of sunlight into rainbow. And this dispersion of light can also be experienced by prism.



**Q.10** Whether the bending of light be more or less for a medium with high refractive index. (K.B)

(Self Assessment Pg. # 43)

**Ans:** **BENDING WITH HIGH REFRACTIVE INDEX**

The bending of light will be more for a medium with high refractive index.

**Q.11** Why light express the phenomena of refraction? (A.B+C.B)

Or

**Why light bend towards normal when it moves from rare medium to denser medium?**

**Ans:** Light is made up of tiny waves. This travel more slowly in glass (or water) than in air. When a light pass from air into glass, one side of the beam is slowed before the other. This makes the beam 'bend'.

### **12.4 MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS**

- The bending of light as it passes from one transparent medium into another is: (K.B)
 

(A) Reflection	(B) Refraction
(C) Reverberation	(D) Incidence
- According to law of refraction: (U.B)

- (A)  $\frac{\sin i}{\sin r} > i$  (B)  $\frac{\sin r}{\sin i} > r$   
 (C)  $\frac{\sin i}{\sin r} = \text{constant}$  (D)  $\frac{\sin r}{\sin i} > n$
3.  $\frac{\sin i}{\sin r} = n = \frac{n_2}{n_1}$  is called: (U.B) (GRW 2013)  
 (A) Boyle's law (B) Charles's law  
 (C) Snell's law (D) Newton's law
4. Speed of light in air is approximately: (K.B)  
 (A)  $3.0 \times 10^8 \text{ ms}^{-1}$  (B)  $4 \times 10^9 \text{ ms}^{-1}$   
 (C)  $4 \times 10^{14} \text{ ms}^{-1}$  (D)  $3 \times 10^7 \text{ ms}^{-1}$
5. The speed of light is greater in: (K.B)  
 (A) Air (B) Water  
 (C) Solid (D) Glass
6. The speed of light in water is approximately: (K.B)  
 (A)  $2.0 \times 10^8 \text{ ms}^{-1}$  (B)  $2.3 \times 10^8 \text{ ms}^{-1}$   
 (C)  $3 \times 10^8 \text{ ms}^{-1}$  (D)  $3 \times 10^7 \text{ ms}^{-1}$
7.  $?$  =  $\frac{\text{speed of light in vacuum}}{\text{speed of light in medium}}$  (K.B)  
 (A) Reflective index (B) Snell's law  
 (C) Refractive index (D) Critical angle

**EXAMPLE 12.3**

A ray of light enters from air into glass. The angle of incidence is  $30^\circ$ . If the refractive index of glass is 1.52, then find the angle of refraction ' $r$ '. (U.B + A.B)

**Solution:**

**Give Data:**

Angle of incidence =  $i = 30^\circ$

Refractive index of glass =  $n = 1.52$

**Required:**

Angle of refraction =  $r = ?$

**Formula:**

$$n = \frac{\sin i}{\sin r}$$

**Calculations:**

Using Snell's law, we have

$$1.52 \times \sin r = \sin 30^\circ$$

$$\text{Or } \sin r = \sin 30^\circ / 1.52$$

$$\sin r = 0.33$$

$$r = \sin^{-1}(0.33)$$

$$r = 19.3^\circ$$

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**It:**

Hence angle of refraction is  $19.3^\circ$ .

**12.5****TOTAL INTERNAL REFLECTION****LONG QUESTIONS**



12.5 Q.1 What is meant by total internal reflection? Write its conditions. Explain it with the help of ray diagram. (K.B+U.B+A.B) (SGD-G2)(RWP-G2)-2015 / (DGK-G1)-2016

Ans:

### TOTAL INTERNAL REFLECTION

#### Definition:

“When the angle of incidence becomes larger than the critical angle, no refraction occurs. The entire light is reflected back into the denser medium. This is known as total internal reflection of light”.

OR

“When the value of **angle of incidence** becomes **greater** than the **critical angle**, then the ray does not enter into second medium, but reflects back into same medium such reflection of light is called total internal reflection”.

#### Conditions for Total Internal Reflection:

- The ray of light should travel from denser medium to rare medium.
- The angle of incidence should be greater than the critical angle.

#### Explanation:

When a ray of light travelling in denser medium enters into a rarer medium, it bends away from the normal. If the angle of incidence ‘ $i$ ’ increases, the angle of refraction ‘ $r$ ’ also increases. For a particular value of the angle of incidence, the angle of refraction becomes  $90^\circ$ .

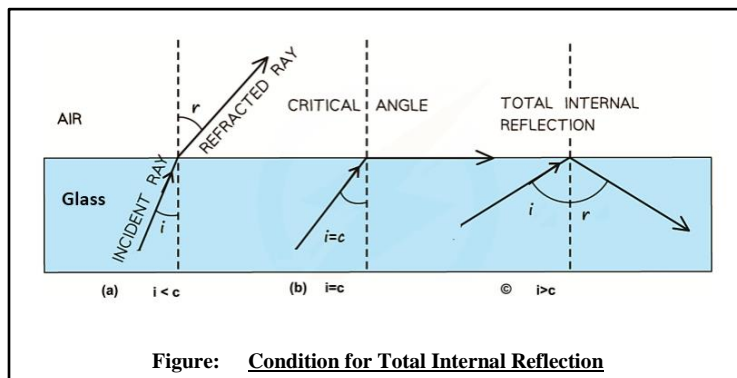


Figure: Condition for Total Internal Reflection

#### Critical Angle:

#### Definition:

“The angle of incidence that causes the refracted ray in the rarer medium to bend through  $90^\circ$  is called critical angle”.

OR

“The angle of incidence for which the corresponding angle of reflection becomes  $90^\circ$ , that angle of incidence is called as critical angle”.

## 12.5 SHORT QUESTIONS

Q.1 Define Critical angle. (K.B+U.B)

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Ans:

### CRITICAL ANGLE

#### Definition:

“The angle of incidence that causes the refracted ray in the rarer medium to bend through  $90^\circ$  is called critical angle”.

#### Formula Derivation:

$$n = \frac{\sin r}{\sin i}$$

Here,  $r = 90^\circ$

$$\therefore i = c$$

$$n = \frac{\sin 90^\circ}{\sin c}$$

$$n = \frac{1}{\sin c}$$

$$\sin c = \frac{1}{n} \Rightarrow c = \sin^{-1} \left[ \frac{1}{n} \right]$$

**Q.2 Define total internal reflection. (K.B)**

(GRW-G2)(SWL-G2)(DGK-G2)-2014 / (LHR-G2)(SGD-G1)(DGK-G2)-2015 / (RWP-G1)(FSD-G1)-2016

**Ans:** Given on Page # 102

**Q.3 Write conditions of total internal reflection. (K.B+U.B) (DGK-G2)-2014 / (FSD-G1)-2016**

**Ans:** TOTAL INTERNAL REFLECTION

There are two conditions of total internal reflection.

- Angle of incidence is greater than the critical angle i.e.  $i > c$ .
- Ray of light enters from denser to rare medium.

### 12.5 MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS

- When a ray of light enters from a denser medium to a rarer medium: (K.B)**  
 (A) It bends toward the normal (B) It bends away from the normal  
 (C) It bends towards inside (D) None of these
- The angle of incidence that causes the refracted ray in the rarer medium to bend through  $90^\circ$  is called: (K.B)**  
 (A) Critical angle (B) Angle of incidence  
 (C) Angle of reflection (D) Angle of refraction
- No refraction occurs when the angle of incidence is: (K.B + U.B)**  
 (A) Smaller than the critical angle (B) Larger than the critical angle  
 (C) Equal to the critical angle (D) Very small than the critical angle
- The critical angle of water is: (K.B) (BWP-G1 / G2)-2014 / (BWP-G1)-2015**  
 (A)  $48.8^\circ$  (B)  $488^\circ$   
 (C)  $90^\circ$  (D)  $95^\circ$
- Conditions for total internal reflection are: (K.B) (BWP-G2)-2014**  
 (A) 2 (B) 3  
 (C) 4 (D) 5
- If a ray of light in glass is incident on an air, surface at an angle greater than the critical angle, the ray will be: (K.B) (RWP-G1)-2017**  
 (A) Refract only (B) Reflect only  
 (C) Partially refract and reflect (D) Diffract only
- Critical angle is equal to: (U.B + A.B)**  
 (A)  $c = \sin^{-1} \frac{1}{n}$  (B)  $c = \sin^{-1} \frac{1}{n}$   
 (C)  $c = \frac{\sin i}{\sin r}$  (D) None
- Which is the refractive index of diamond? (K.B)**  
 (A) 1000 (B) 1.003  
 (C) 1.33 (D) 2.42
- Which r represents Snell's law? (A.B + U.B)**  
 (A)  $n = \frac{\sin i}{\sin r}$  (B)  $n_1 \sin r = n_2$

- (C)  $n = \frac{1}{q}$  (D)  $n = v \times \lambda$
10. Speed of light in glass is: (K.B)  
 (A)  $3 \times 10^8 \text{ ms}^{-1}$  (B)  $2 \times 10^8 \text{ ms}^{-1}$   
 (C)  $3 \times 10^8 \text{ ms}^{-1}$  (D)  $4 \times 10^8 \text{ ms}^{-1}$
11. The angle of incidence in the denser medium for which the corresponding angle of refraction is  $90^\circ$  in the rare medium is called: (K.B)  
 (A) Angle of deviation (B) Critical angle  
 (C) Angle of reflection (D) Angle of refraction

**EXAMPLE 12.4**

Find the value of critical angle for water (refracted angle= $90^\circ$ ). The refractive Index of water is 1.33 and that of air is 1. (U.B + A.B)

**Solution:**

**Given Data:**

Angle of refraction =  $r = 90^\circ$

Refractive index of water =  $n = 1.33$

**Required:**

Critical angle of water =  $C = ?$

**Formula:**

$$\text{Critical angle} = C = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{n}\right)$$

**Calculations:**

As, the angle of incidence for which the corresponding angle of refraction become  $90^\circ$  is called as critical angle. So, by using Snell's law, when light enters in air from water, we have.

$$\frac{\sin r}{\sin i} = n$$

$$\text{Or } n \sin i = \sin$$

$$n \sin i = \sin 90^\circ$$

$$n \sin i = 1$$

$$\text{But } n = 1.33$$

Therefore,

$$\sin i = 1/1.33$$

$$\text{Or } i = \sin^{-1}[1/1.33]$$

$$\text{Critical angle } C = 48.8^\circ$$

**Result:**

Hence the critical angle of water is  $48.8^\circ$ .

**12.6 APPLICATIONS OF TOTAL INTERNAL REFLECTION****LONG QUESTIONS**

12.6 Q.1 What are totally reflecting prisms? Also write its uses. (K.B + A.B + U.B)

Ans:

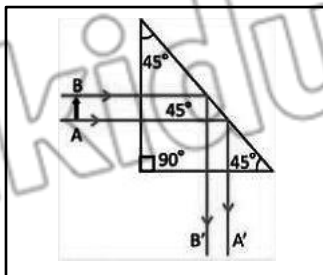
**TOTALLY INTERNAL REFLECTING PRISM**

**Definition:**

“Such prisms which reflect a beam of light through  $90^\circ$  or  $180^\circ$  by total internal reflection are called totally internal reflecting prisms”.

**Working:**

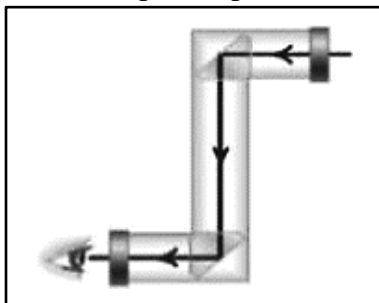
One of the angles of a right-angled prism is  $90^\circ$ . When a ray of light strikes a face of prism perpendicularly, it enters the prism without deviation and strikes the hypotenuse at an angle of  $45^\circ$  (As shown in Fig.).



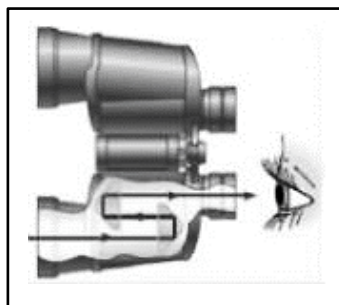
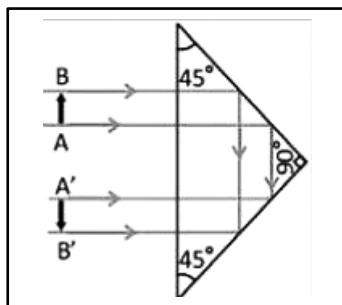
Since the angle of incidence  $45^\circ$  is greater than critical angle of the glass which is  $42^\circ$ , the light is totally reflected by the prism through an angle of  $90^\circ$ .

**Uses:**

- Two such prisms are used in periscope (As shown in Fig.).



- When the light is totally reflected by the prism by an angle of  $180^\circ$ . Two such prisms are used in binoculars.



**12.6 Q.2** What do you know about optical fibre? Also describe how light totally reflected through an optical fibre. (K.B + A.B + U.B) (FSD-G2)-2015 / (SGD-G2)(LHR-G1)-2016

Ans:

**OPTICAL FIBRE**

**Introduction:**

Total internal reflection is used in fiber optics which has number of advantages in telecommunication field.

**Definition:**

“Optical fibre or fibre optic is a hair size thread made up of glass or plastic through which light can travel by total internal reflection”.

**PARTS OF OPTICAL FIBRE**

Following are the parts of optical fibre:

- Core

- Cladding

**Core:**

The inner part of the fiber optics is called core that carries the light.

**Cladding:**

An outer concentric shell is called cladding.

**Core:**

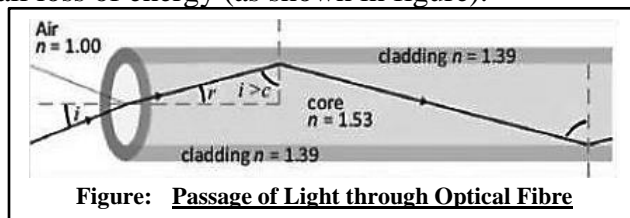
The core is made of glass or plastic of relatively **high index of refraction**.

**Cladding:**

The core is made of glass or plastic, but of relatively low refractive index of refraction.

**Phenomenon:**

Light entering from one end of the core strikes the core-cladding boundary at an angle of Incidence greater than critical angle and is reflected back into the core. In this way, light travels many kilometers with small loss of energy. In this way light travels many kilometers with small loss of energy (as shown in figure).

**Uses:**

- In Pakistan, optical fiber is being used in telephone and advanced telecommunication systems.
- We can listen thousands of phone calls without any disturbance.

**Q.1 What do you know about endoscope and endoscopy? Describe the types of an endoscope. (K.B + A.B +U.B)**

**Ans:**

**ENDOSCOPE****Definition:**

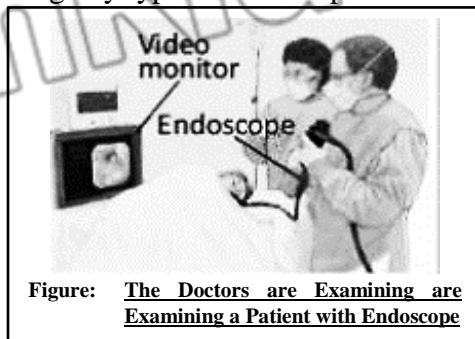
“An endoscope is a medical instrument used for exploratory diagnostics, and surgical purposes”.

**Use:**

An endoscope is used to explore the interior organs of the body. Due to its small size, it can be inserted through the mouth and thus eliminates the invasive surgery.

**Endoscopy:**

A medical procedure using any type of endoscope is called endoscopy.

**Construction:**

An endoscope uses two fiber-optic tubes through a pipe.

**Types:**

Its types are as follows:

- Gastroscope
- Cystoscope
- Bronchoscope

**Gastroscope:**

The gastroscope is used to examine the stomach, bladder and throat.

**Cystoscope:**

The cystoscope is used to examine bladder.

**Bronchoscope:**

The bronchoscope is used to view the throat.

**Phenomenon:**

The light shines on the organ of patient to be examined by entering through one of the fiber tubes of the endoscope. Then light is transmitted back to the physician's viewing lens through the other fiber tube by total internal reflection.

**Flexible endoscopes:**

Flexible endoscopes have a tiny camera attached to the end. Doctor can see the view recorded by the camera on a computer screen.

**12.6 SHORT QUESTIONS**

**Q.1** What is a light pipe? Write down its (medical) use? (K.B + A.B)

Ans:

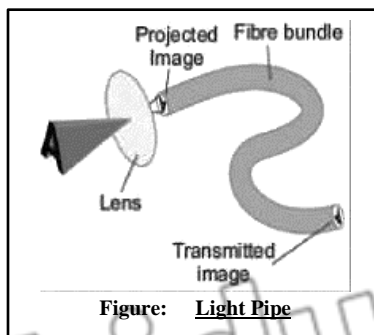
**LIGHT PIPE**

**Definition:**

“Light pipe is a bundle of thousands of optical fibers bounded together”.

**Uses:**

- They are used to illuminate the inaccessible places by the doctors or engineers.
- Doctors view inside the human body. They can also be used to transmit images from one place to another.



**Q.2** Define optical fibre. (K.B) (FSD-G1)-2015 / (GRW-G2)(BWP-G1)-2016 / (GRW-G2)(SWL-G2)-

2017

Ans:

**OPTICAL FIBRE**

It is a hair size thread made up of glass or plastic through which light can be travelled.

- The inner part of fibre optic is called core that carries light.
- The outer part is concentric shell caused cladding.

**Q.3** Differentiate between core and cladding of a optical fibre. (K.B)

(MTN-G1)-2017

Ans:

**DIFFERENTIATE**

The differences between core and cladding of a optical fibre are as follows:

The differences between the frequency and pitch are as follows:

Core	Cladding
• The inner part of the fibre optics is called	• An outer concentric shell is called



core that carries the light.	cladding.
• The core is made from glass or plastic of relatively high index of refraction.	• The cladding is made of glass or plastic, but of relatively low refractive index.

**Q.4 How light travels with the use of total internal reflection in optical fibre. (K.B)**

(RWP-G1)-2014 / (SWL-G2)-2017

**Ans:** **REFLECTION THROUGH OPTICAL FIBRE**

In optical fibre light entering from one end of the core strikes the core-cladding boundary at an angle of incidence greater than critical angle and is reflected back into the core. In this way light travels many kilometres with small loss of energy.

**Q.5 What is meant by endoscopy? (K.B)**

(BWP-G1)-2016 / (SWL-G2)-2017

**Ans:** Given on Page # 107

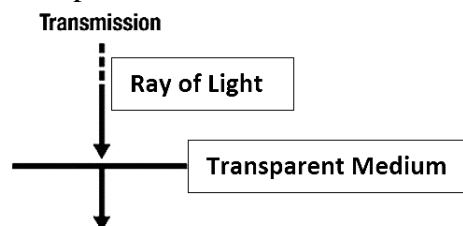
**Q.6 Define Cystoscope and Gastroscope. (K.B)**

(RWP-G1)-2014 / (SWL-G2)-2017

**Ans:** Given on Page # 107

**Q.7 What is transmission of light? (C.B+A.B)**

**Ans:** The Phenomenon of light in which when light from one medium falls perpendicularly on the surfaces of another transparent medium it does not change its path.



## 12.6 MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS

- To see from submarine and the ship at the surface of water, we use: (A.B)**  
 (A) Telescope (B) Microscope  
 (C) Periscope (D) Prism
- In totally reflecting prism one angle is of: (K.B)**  
 (A)  $45^\circ$  (B)  $90^\circ$   
 (C)  $180^\circ$  (D)  $120^\circ$ .
- In totally reflecting prism one angle is of  $90^\circ$ , and other two angles are of: (K.B)**  
 (A)  $30^\circ, 30^\circ$  (B)  $45^\circ, 90^\circ$   
 (C)  $45^\circ, 45^\circ$  (D)  $40^\circ, 40^\circ$
- Totally reflecting prism is used in: (A.B)**  
 (A) Periscope (B) Binoculars  
 (C) Periscope and binocular (D) Telescope
- Totally reflecting prism turns the incident ray at an angle of: (K.B + U.B)**  
 (A)  $90^\circ$  (B)  $60^\circ$   
 (C)  $75^\circ$  (D)  $45^\circ$
- The refractive index of internal coating of optical fibre is: (K.B)**  
 (A) 1.56 (B) 1.51  
 (C) 1.53 (D) 1.58
- Optical fibres are: (K.B)**  
 (A) Cheap (B) Flexible  
 (C) Lighter (D) All of these
- Optical fibre works on the principal of: (K.B + U.B)**

- (A) Reflection (B) Refraction  
(C) Total internal reflection (D) Diffraction
9. Which pipe is a bundle of thousands of optical fibres bounded together? (K.B)  
(A) Light pipe (B) Telescope  
(C) Microscope (D) Projector
10. It is used to explore the interior organs of the body? (K.B + A.B) (GRW 2013)  
(A) Telescope (B) Endoscope  
(C) Microscope (D) Projector
11. Endoscope used to diagnose the stomach is; (K.B + A.B)  
(A) Cystoscope (B) Gastroscope  
(C) Bronchoscope (D) Pancreoscope
12. Endoscope which is used to diagnose throat is; (K.B + A.B)  
(A) Gastroscope (B) Cystoscope  
(C) Bronchoscope (D) None of these

## 12.7 REFRACTION THROUGH PRISM

Q.1 What are totally reflecting prisms? Also write its uses. (K.B+A.B+U.B)

Ans:

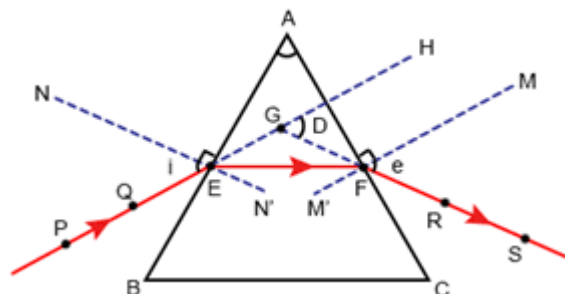
### TOTALLY INTERNAL REFLECTING PRISM

#### Definition:

“Prism is a transparent object (made of optical glass) with at least two smooth plane faces Inclined towards each other from which light is refracted”.

#### Explanation:

In case of triangular prism (as shown in figure), the emergent ray is not parallel to the incident ray. It is deviated by the prism from its original path. The **incident ray PE** makes an angle of incidence ‘ $i$ ’ at point **E** and is refracted towards the normal **N** as **EF**. The refracted ray **EF** makes an angle ‘ $r$ ’ with the normal inside the prism and travels to the other face of the prism. This ray emerges out from prism at point **F** making an angle ‘ $e$ ’. Hence the emerging ray **FS** is not parallel to the incident ray **PE** but is deviated by an angle **D** which is called angle of deviation.



#### Angle of Deviation:

“Light rays after refraction through a glass prism deviate through an angle. This angle is called angle of deviation”. This is denoted by  $D$ .

## 12.7 SHORT QUESTIONS

Q.1 What is prism? (K.B)

Ans: Given on Page # 109

Q.2 Angle of deviation. (K.B)

Ans: Given on Page # 109

(LHR-G2)-2015 / (GRW-G2)-2017

## 12.7 MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS

- Angle opposite to the base of triangle of prism is called: (K.B)  
(A) Angle of incidence (B) Angle of refraction  
(C) Angle of refraction (D) Emerging angle
- The refracted light striking to the side of prisms is called: (K.B)  
(A) Refracted ray (B) Incident ray  
(C) Reflected ray (D) Emergent ray
- The minimum value of angle of deviation is called: (K.B)

- (A) Minimum angle (B) Incident angle  
 (C) Angle of minimum deviation (D) None of these
4. **The angle at which prism deviates the incident ray is called: (K.B)**  
 (A) Angle of incident (B) Angle of reflection  
 (C) Angle of deviation (D) Angle of minimum deviation
5. **It is a transparent body (made of optical glass) with at least two polished plane faces inclined towards each other from which light is refracted: (K.B)**  
 (A) Prism (B) Camera  
 (C) Lens (D) Mirror

**12.8****LENSES****LONG QUESTIONS**

**Q.1 Define lens. Also describe its uses and types. (K.B+U.B+A.B)**

(FSD-G1)-2015

**Ans:**

**LENS****Definition:**

“A lens is any transparent material having two surfaces, of which at least one is curved. Lenses refract light in such a way that an image of the object is formed”.

**Uses:**

- Lenses of many different types are used in optical devices such as cameras, eyeglasses, microscopes, telescopes, and projectors.
- They also enable millions of people to see clearly and read comfortably.

**Types of Lenses:**

There are different types of lenses, which are given below:

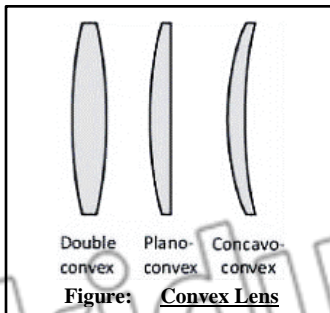
- Convex mirror
- Concave mirror

**Convex Lens / Converging Lens:****Definition:**

“The lens which causes incident parallel rays to converge at a point is known as convex or converging lens”.

**Formation:**

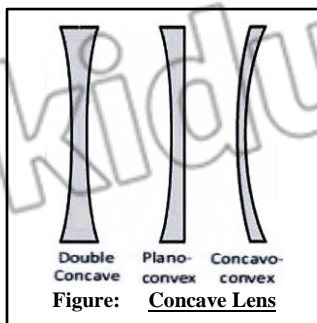
This lens is thick at the center but thin at the edges.

**Concave Lens / Diverging Lens:****Definition:**

“The type of lens which causes the parallel rays of light to diverge from a point is called concave or diverging lens”.

**Formation:**

This lens is thin at the center and thick at the edges.



12.8 Q.2 Describe the following lens terminologies. (K.B)

- Principal axis
- Focal length
- Optical Centre
- Principal focus of convex & concave lens

Ans:

LENS TERMINOLOGIES

Principal Axis:

Definition:

“Each of the two surfaces of a spherical lens is a section of a sphere. The line passing through the two centre of curvatures of the lens is called principal axis”.

Optical Center:

Definition:

“A point on the principal axis at the centre of lens is called optical centre”.

Symbol:

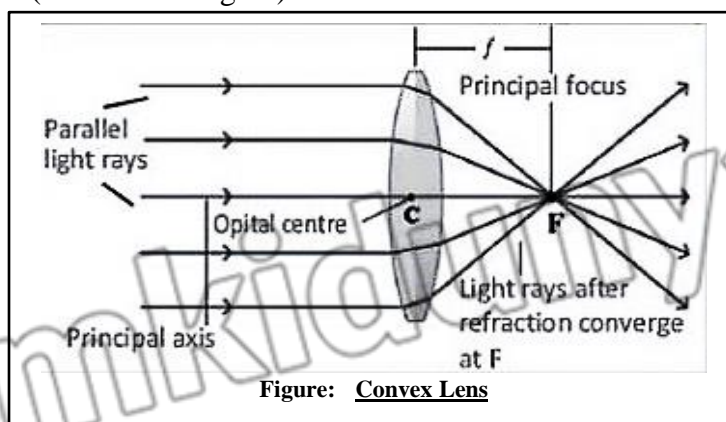
It is denoted by C.

Principal Focus of Convex Lens:

The light rays travelling parallel to the principal axis of a convex lens after refraction meet at a point on the principal axis, called principal focus or focal point F. Convex lens is also called converging lens.

Symbol:

It is denoted by F (as shown in figure).

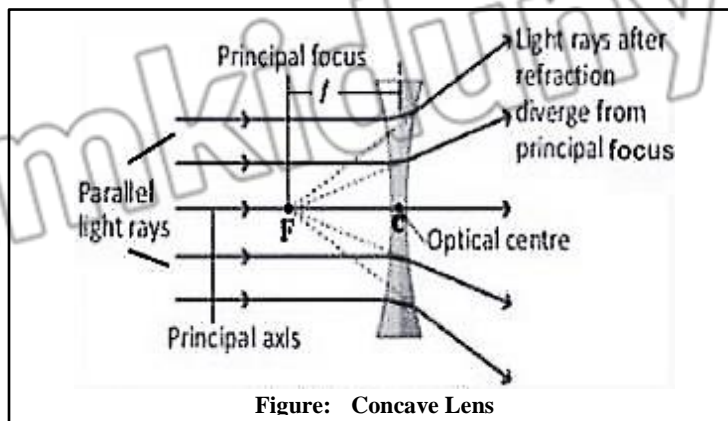


Principal Focus of Concave Lens:

For a concave lens, the parallel rays appear to come from a point behind the lens called principal focus F. Hence concave lens is also called diverging lens.

Symbol:

It is denoted by f (as shown in figure).

**Focal Length:****Definition:**

“The distance between the optical centre and the principal focus is called **focal length** of lens”.

**Symbol:**

It is denoted by  $f$ .

**Q.3 Define power of the lens. Also define the unit of power of lens. (K.B + U.B)**

**Ans:**

**POWER OF LENS****Definition:**

“Power of a lens is defined as the reciprocal of its **focal length in metres**”.

**Formula:**

The formula of power of lens is:

Power of a lens =  $P = 1 / \text{focal length in metre}$

**Unit:**

The SI unit of power of a lens is "Diopetre", denoted by a symbol  $D$ .

**12.8 SHORT QUESTIONS**

**Q.1 Define lens. (K.B)**

**Ans:** Given on Page # 110

**Q.2 Write down the uses of lens. (A.B)**

**Ans:** Given on Page # 110

**Q.3 Define convex lens and concave lens. (K.B)**

**Ans:** Given on Page # 110

**Q.4 What do you know about principal axis and principal focus of lens? (K.B)**

**Ans:** Given on Page # 111

**Q.5 Define optical centre and focal length of lens? (K.B + U.B)**

**Ans:** Given on Page # 112

**Q.6 What do you know about power of lens? (K.B + U.B)**

**Ans:** Given on Page # 112

**Q.7 Define unit of power of lens. (K.B + U.B)**

**Ans:**

**DIOPTRE****Definition:**

“1 Diopetre is the power of lens whose focal length is 1 metre”.

**Formula:**

If  $f$  is expressed in metres so that,

$$1D = 1m^{-1}$$

**Power of Convex Lens:**

Because the focal length of a convex lens is positive. Therefore, its power is also positive.

**Power of Concave Lens:**

The power of a concave lens is negative, for it has negative focal length.

**Q.8 What happens when light passes through prism? (K.B) (Refraction through prism Pg. #**

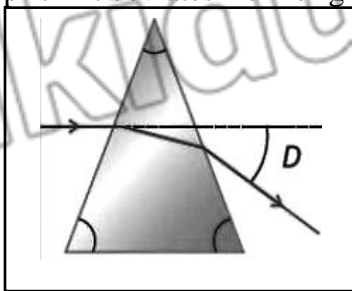
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Ans:

**REFRACTION THROUGH PRISM**

When light passes through prism it deviates from original path due to refraction.



**Q.9 How does the combination of two triangular prisms resemble a concave or convex lens? (K.B + U.B)**

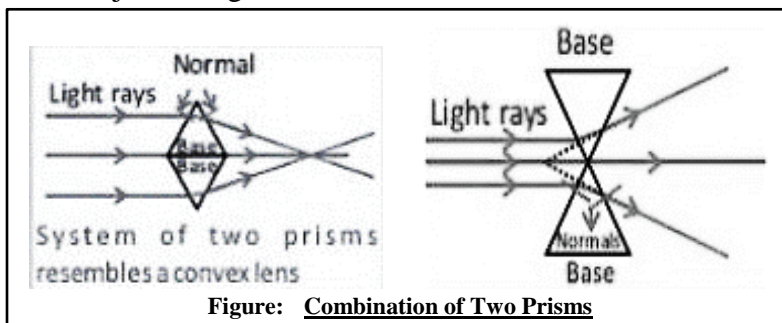
Ans:

**COMBINATION OF TWO PRISMS****When Bases Combined:**

If the base of two triangular prisms are joined together then it resembles a convex lens.

**When Cones Combined:**

If two triangular prisms are joined in such a way that their bases held opposite to each other and cones are joined together then it resembles a concave lens.



**Q.10 Why diopters are handy to use? Explain with the help of an example. (K.B)**

(For your information Pg. # 49)

Ans:

**HANDY TO USE**

Diopters are handy to use because if two thin lenses are placed side by side, the total power is simply the sum of the individual powers.

**Example:**

An ophthalmologist places a 2.00 dioptre lens next to 0.25 dioptre lens and immediately knows that the power of combination is 2.25 dioptre.

**Q.11 What is the critical point which must be kept in mind while dealing with diverging lenses? (K.B)**

(Remember it Pg. # 49)

Ans:

**DIVERGING LENSES**

When dealing with diverging lenses, be careful not to omit the negative sign associated with the focal length and the image position.

**Q.12 How length and curvature of lens if act the power of lens? (Conceptual Base)**

**Ans:** When the length of lens increase its focal length become large then its power will decrease but when the length decrease then its curvature increase and its focal length also decrease. So when the focal length decreases, power of length increases.

$$\text{Power} = \frac{1}{\text{Focal Length in meter}}$$

### 12.8 MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS

1. **The line passing through the two centres of curvatures of the lens is called: (K.B)**  
 (A) Principal focus (B) Optical centre  
 (C) Principal axis (D) Focal length
2. **Optical centre is represented by: (K.B)**  
 (A) A (B) f  
 (C) F (D) C
3. **For a concave lens, the parallel rays appear to come from a point behind the lens is called: (K.B)**  
 (A) Principal focus (B) Principal axis  
 (C) Focal length (D) Optical length
4. **The distance between the optical centre and the principal focus is: (K.B)**  
 (A) Principal focus (B) Principal axis  
 (C) Focal length (D) Optical length
5. **In a lens, number of curved surfaces will be at least: (K.B)**  
 (A) Two (B) Three  
 (C) One (D) Four
6. **Lenses are used in optical devices: (A.B)**  
 (A) Camera (B) Eyeglasses  
 (C) Microscope (D) All given
7. **The lens which causes incident parallel rays to converge at a point is: (K.B)**  
 (A) Convex lens (B) Converging lens  
 (C) Both a & b (D) Concave lens
8. **Lens thick at the centre but thin at the edges is: (K.B)**  
 (A) Concave (B) Convex  
 (C) Diverging (D) Plane
9. **SI unit of power of lens is: (K.B)**  
 (A) Meter (B) Diopter  
 (C) Centimeter (D) Millimeter
10.  **$1D = ?$  (U.B + K.B)**  
 (A)  $1m^{-1}$  (B)  $m^{-2}$   
 (C)  $m^{-3}$  (D)  $cm^{-1}$
11. **It has positive focal length: (K.B)**  
 (A) Simple lens (B) Concave lens  
 (C) Convex lens (D) None of above

### 12.9

### IMAGE FORMATION BY LENSES

#### LONG QUESTIONS



**Q.1 Explain the image formation by lenses. ( $K.B + U.B + A.B$ ) (AJK-G1)(BWP-G2)-2015**

**Ans:** IMAGE FORMATION BY LENSES

In mirrors images are formed through reflection, but lenses form images through refraction.

**Image Formation in Convex Lens:**

Image formation in convex lens can be explained with the help of ray diagram of three principal rays (as shown in figure).

- The ray parallel to the principal axis passes through the focal point after refraction by the lens.
- The ray passing through the optical centre passes straight through the lens and remains undeviated.
- The ray passing through the focal point becomes parallel to the principal axis after refraction by the lens.

**Ray Diagram:**

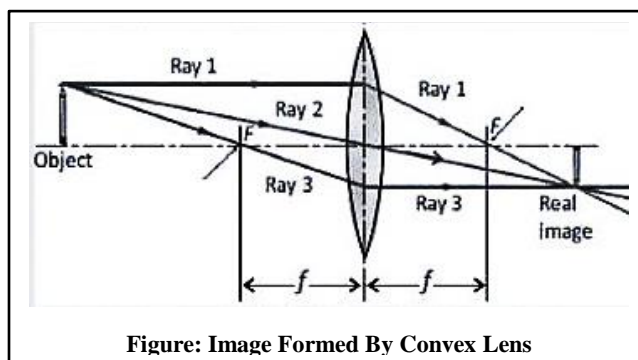


Figure: Image Formed By Convex Lens

**Image Formation in Concave Lens:**

Image formation in concave lens can be explained with the help of ray diagram of three principal rays (as shown in figure).

- The ray parallel to the principal axis diverged outside after refraction by the lens.
- The ray passing through the optical centre passes straight through the lens and remains undeviated.
- The ray parallel to the principal axis diverged after refraction by the lens.

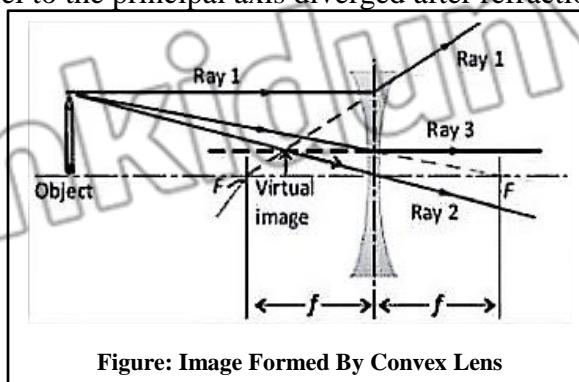


Figure: Image Formed By Concave Lens

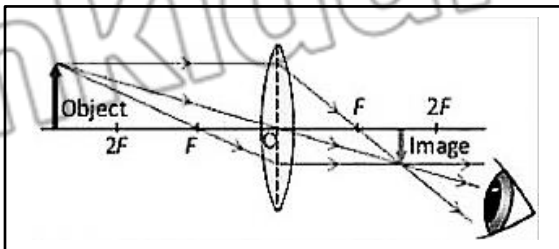
**12.8 Q.2 Explain the image formation in convex lens with the help of ray diagram. Also describe the nature**

**Ans:** IMAGE FORMATION IN CONVEX LENS

Images formed by the convex lens, depending upon the location of object are given as follows:

**Object beyond 2F:**

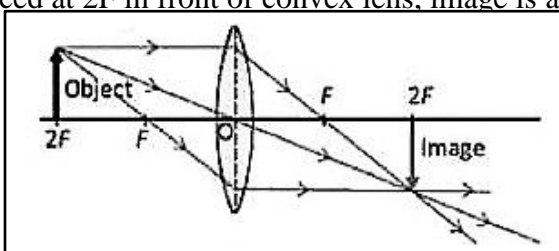
When the object is placed beyond 2F in front of convex lens, image is formed between F and 2F.

**Nature:**

The image is between F and 2F, real, inverted, smaller than the object.

**Object at 2F:**

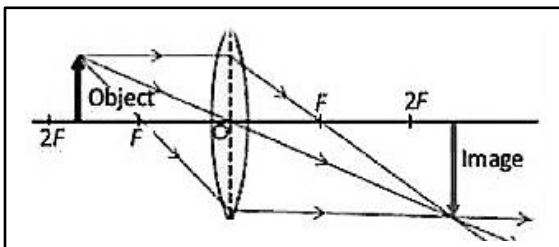
When the object is placed at 2F in front of convex lens, image is also formed at 2F.

**Nature:**

The image is at 2F, real, inverted, the same size as the object.

**Object between F and 2F:**

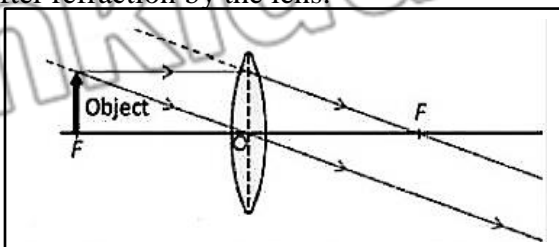
When the object is placed between F and 2F in front of convex mirror, image is formed beyond 2F.

**Nature:**

The image is beyond 2F, real, inverted, larger than the object.

**Object at F:**

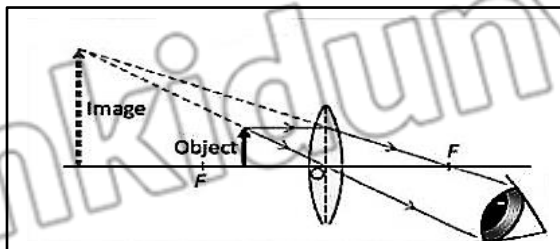
When the object is placed at E in front of convex lens, image will not be formed. Because rays become parallel after refraction by the lens.

**Nature:**

No image is formed because the refracted rays are parallel and never meet.

**Object between Lens and F:**

When the object is placed between lens and F, image is formed behind the object.

**Nature:**

The image is behind the object, virtual, erect, and larger than the object.

### 12.9 SHORT QUESTIONS

**Q.1** Write down the characteristics of three principal rays, passing through the convex lens. (K.B)

**Ans:** Given on Page # 115

**Q.2** Draw the ray diagram of three principal rays passing through the concave lens.

(K.B+U.B)

**Ans:** Given on Page # 115

**Q.3** What is the nature of image formed in convex lens at following different locations of object in front of convex lens? (K.B + U.B)

**Ans:** Given On Page # 116 (See Topic 12.9, Long Question-2)

**Q.4** Write down the ways to compare lenses simply by looking at them. (K.B)

(For your information Pg. # 50)

**Ans:**

#### WAYS TO COMPARE LENSES

The ways of comparing lenses are:

- Lenses can be compared simply by looking at them.
- A lens with a long focal length is thin; its surfaces are not very strongly curved.
- A lens with a short focal length is fatter; its surfaces are more strongly curved.

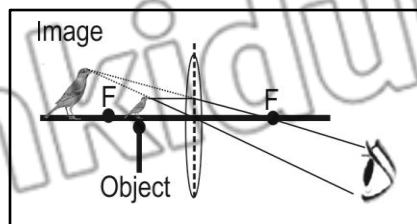
**Q.5** How can we make a converging lens into magnifying glass? (K.B + A.B)

(Physics Insight Pg. # 50)

**Ans:**

#### CONVERGING LENS AS MAGNIFYING GLASS

A converging lens becomes a magnifying glass when an object is located inside the lens's focal length.



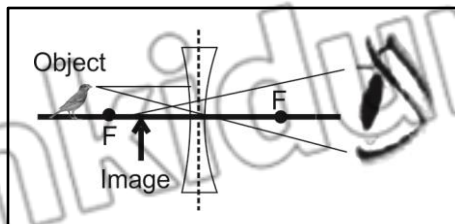
**Q.6** When do we have the same ray diagram of diverging lens as that of converging lens? (K.B)

(Physics Insight Pg. # 50)

**Ans:**

#### RAY DIAGRAM OF DIVERGING LENS

A diverging lens always forms a smaller image.



**Q.7** What can we assume about thin lens formula compared with the thick lens when objects and images are far away? (*K.B + U.B*) (Approximations Pg. # 51)

**Ans:**

**THICK AND THIN LENS**

The thin lens formula assumes the lenses have no thickness. This is a good assumption when objects and images are far away compared with the thickness of a lens.

**12.9 MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS**

- In mirrors images are formed through reflection, but lenses form images through;** (*K.B*)  
 (A) Refraction (B) Incidence  
 (C) Diffraction (D) Reflection
- In case of convex lens when object is placed beyond  $2F$ , the image is formed;** (*K.B + U.B*)  
 (A) Between  $F$  and  $2F$  (B) Real, inverted  
 (C) Smaller than object (D) All of these
- The image with convex lens is formed at  $2F$ , real, inverted, the same size as the object when the object is placed at;** (*K.B + U.B*)  
 (A)  $2F$  (B) Between  $F$  and  $2F$   
 (C)  $F$  (D)  $C$
- When object is at  $F$  the image is;** (*K.B + U.B*)  
 (A) Inverted (B) Real  
 (C) Small (D) Not formed

**12.10 IMAGE LOCATION BY LENS EQUATION**

**LONG QUESTIONS**

**12.10 Q.1** What is lens equation? How can we locate the image by lens equation? (*K.B + U.B + A.B*) (Example 12.6)(AJK-G1)-2016 / (GRW-G1)(FSD-G2)(BWP-G2)-2017

**Ans:**

**LENS EQUATION**

**Definition:**

“The relation between the object and Image distance from the lens In terms of the focal length of the lens is called lens formula”.

**Formula:**

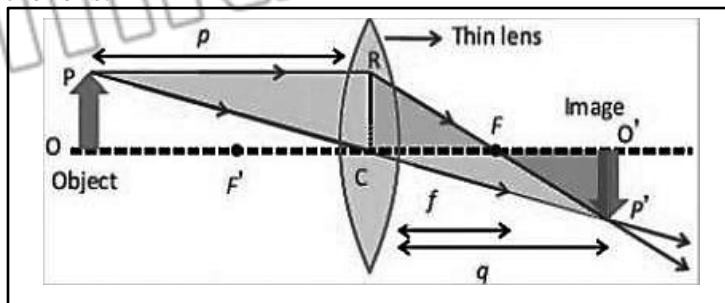
$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q}$$

**Validity:**

The lens equation is valid for both concave and convex lenses.

**Explanation:**

In figure, let an object  $OP$  be placed in front of a convex lens at a distance  $p$ . A ray  $PR$  parallel to the principal axis after refraction passes through focus  $F$ . Another ray  $PC$  meets the first ray at point  $P'$  after passing through the optical center  $C$ . If this process is repeated for the other points of the object, a real and inverted image  $O'P'$  is formed at a distance  $q$  from the lens.



### Sign Conventions for Lenses:

The sign conventions for lenses are:

#### Focal length:

- $f$  is positive for a converging lens.
- $f$  is negative for a diverging lens.

#### Object Distance:

- $p$  is positive, if the object is towards the left side of the lens. It is called a real object.
- $p$  is negative, if the object is on the right side of the lens. It is called virtual object.

#### Image Distance:

- $q$  is positive for a real image made on the right side of the lens by real object.
- $q$  is negative for a virtual image made on the left side on the lens by real object.

## 12.10 SHORT QUESTIONS

**Q.1** What is Lens formula? (*K.B + U.B*)

**Ans:** Given on Page # 118.

**Q.2** What are the sign conventions for focal length in lenses? (*K.B*)

**Ans:** Given on Page # 119.

**Q.3** What are the sign conventions for object distance in lenses? (*K.B*)

**Ans:** Given on Page # 119.

**Q.4** What are the sign conventions for image distance in lenses? (*K.B*)

**Ans:** Given on Page # 119.

**Q.5** Define optics and geometrical optics. How much is it useful in other branches of sciences? (*K.B + A.B*)

(For your information Pg. # 51)

**Ans:**

### OPTICS AND GEOMETRICAL OPTICS

#### Optics:

#### Definition:

“The study of behavior of light behavior is called optics”.

#### Geometrical Optics:

#### Definition:

“The branch of optics that focuses on the creation of images is called geometrical optics” because it is based on relationships between angles and lines that describe light rays.

**Uses in other Branches of Science:**

Optics also includes the study of the eye itself because the human eye forms an image with a lens.

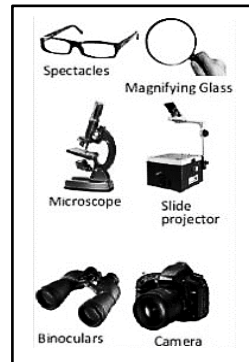
**Q.6 Write down the names of objects / devices of daily life in which lenses are used. (K.B + A.B)**

**Ans:**

**NAMES OF OBJECTS**

The objects in which lenses are used that are:

- Spectacles
- Magnifying glass
- Microscope
- Slide projector
- Binoculars
- Camera



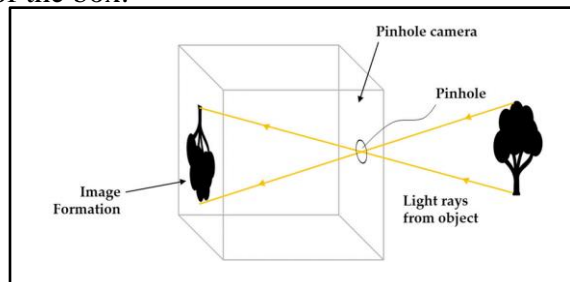
**Q.7 What is a pinhole camera? How can we make pinhole camera without lens? (K.B + U.B)**

(A camera without lens Pg. # 53)

**Ans:**

**PINHOLE CAMERA**

Even simpler than a camera with one lens is a pinhole camera. To make a pinhole camera, a tiny pinhole is made in one side of a box. An inverted, real image is formed on the opposite side of the box.



**12.10 MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS**

1. Lens formula is (U.B + A.B)

(A)  $\frac{1}{p} = \frac{1}{f} + \frac{1}{q}$

(B)  $\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q}$

(C)  $\frac{1}{f} = \frac{q}{p} + \frac{1}{q}$

(D)  $\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{p} - \frac{1}{q}$

2. For a converging lens f is; (K.B)

(A) Negative

(B) Positive

(C) Sometime negative and sometime positive

(D) Smaller

3. The study of behaviour of light is called; (K.B)

(A) Optics

(B) Geometry

(C) Plasma

(D) Geometrical optics

4. If the object is on the right side of the lens then p is; (K.B)

(A) Positive

(B) Negative

(C) Smaller

(D) Larger

**EXAMPLE 12.5**

A person 1.7 m tall is standing 2.5 m in front of a camera. The camera uses a convex lens whose focal length is 0.05 m. Find the image distance (the distance between the lens and the film) and determine whether the image is real or virtual.

**Solution:**

**Given Data:**

Focal length of convex lens =  $f = 0.05$  m

Distance of person from lens =  $p = 2.5$  m

**Required:**

Distance of image =  $q = ?$

Nature of image = ?

**Formula:**

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q}$$

**Calculations:**

By using formula, we have

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q}$$

Or 
$$\frac{1}{q} = \frac{1}{f} - \frac{1}{p}$$

$$\frac{1}{q} = \frac{1}{0.05\text{m}} - \frac{1}{2.5\text{m}}$$

$$\frac{1}{q} = 19.6\text{m}^{-1}$$

Or 
$$q = 0.05\text{m}$$

**Image Nature:**

Since the image distance is positive, so a real image is formed on the film at the focal point of the lens.

**Result:**

Hence, the image distance is 0.05 m from the lens. Since the image distance is positive, so a real image is formed on the film at the focal point of the lens.



**EXAMPLE 12.6**

A concave lens has focal length of 15 cm. At what distance should the object from the lens be placed so that it forms an image at 10 cm from the lens? Also find the magnification of the lens.

**Solution:**

**Given Data:**

Distance of image from concave lens =  $q = -10$  cm

Focal length of concave lens =  $f = -15$  cm

**Required:**

(a) Distance of object from lens =  $p$   
= ?

(b) Magnification of the lens =  $m = ?$

**Formula:**

$$(a) \quad \frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q}$$

$$(b) \quad m = \frac{q}{p}$$

**Calculations:**

By using formula, we have

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q}$$

$$\text{Or} \quad \frac{1}{p} = -\frac{1}{q} + \frac{1}{f}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{(-10\text{cm})} + \frac{1}{(-15\text{cm})}$$

$$= \frac{1}{10\text{cm}} - \frac{1}{15\text{cm}}$$

$$\frac{1}{p} = \frac{3\text{cm} - 2\text{cm}}{30\text{cm}^2}$$

$$\frac{1}{p} = -\frac{1}{30\text{cm}}$$

$$p = -30\text{cm}$$

(b) Magnification of the lens is =  $m = \frac{q}{p}$

$$m = \frac{q}{p} = \frac{10\text{cm}}{30\text{cm}} = \frac{1}{3} \quad (\text{Ignore negative sign})$$

Hence, the object is 30cm, on the left side from the concave lens and the image is reduced to one-third in size than the object.

**Result:**

**12.11 APPLICATIONS OF LENSES****LONG QUESTIONS**

12.11 Q.1 Describe the application of lenses in camera with ray diagram. (A.B)

Ans:

CAMERA

**Definition:**

“A device for recording visual images in the form of photographs, movie films or video signals”.

**Construction:**

A simple camera consists of a light-proof box with a converging lens in front and a light sensitive plate or film at the back. The lens focuses images to be photographed onto the film. In simple lens camera, the distance between lens and film is fixed which is equal to the focal length of the lens.

**Position of Object:**

In camera, object is placed beyond  $2F$ .

**Nature of Image:**

A **real, inverted** and **diminished** image is formed (as shown in figure).

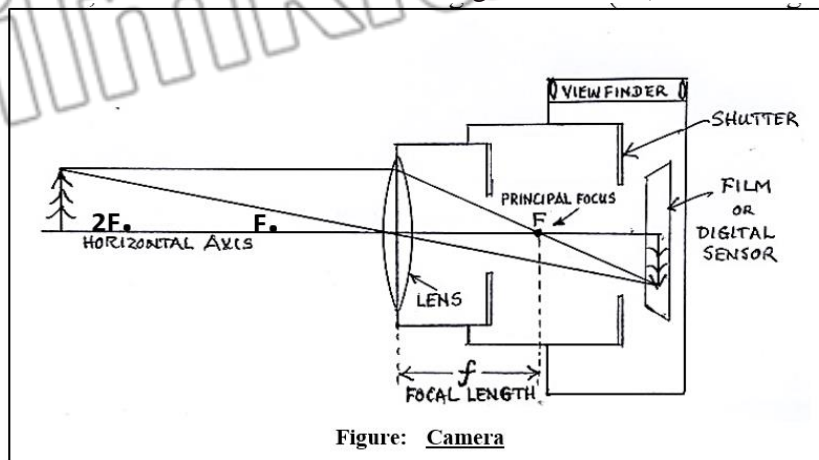


Figure: Camera

12.11 Q.2 Explain the working of slide projector with the ray diagram to describe the application of lens. (A.B)

Ans:

**SLIDE PROJECTOR****Definition:**

“An optical instrument that projects on enlarged image of individual slides into a screen or wall”.

**Construction and Working:**

The light source is placed at the centre of curvature of a converging or concave mirror. The concave mirror is used to reflect light back in fairly parallel rays. The condenser is made up of 2 converging lenses that refract the light so that part of slide are illuminated with parallel rays.

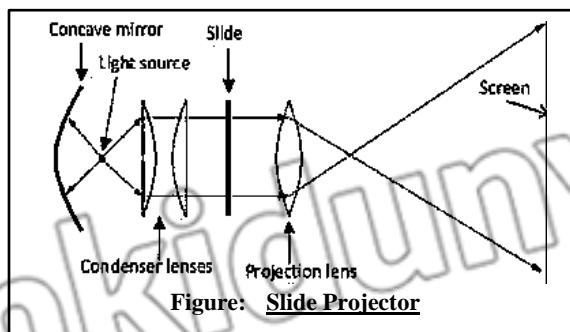


Figure: Slide Projector

The projection or converging lens provides a real, large and inverted image. It must be real to be projected on a screen.

**Object Position:**

The slide (object) must be placed between  $F$  and  $2F$  of projection lens.

**Nature:**

Lens produces a **real, large, and inverted** image.

**Placement of Slide:**

Because the image is inverted, the slide must be placed upside down and laterally inverted so the erect Image can be seen properly.

12.11 Q.3 Describe the working of photograph enlarger with the ray diagram. (A.B)

Ans:

### PHOTOGRAPH ENLARGER

#### Definition:

An optical instrument for making enlarged photographic prints in which a negative is brightly illuminated and its enlarged image is focused onto a sheet of sensitized paper.

#### Construction:

It uses a convex lens to produce a real, magnified and inverted image of the film on photographic paper.

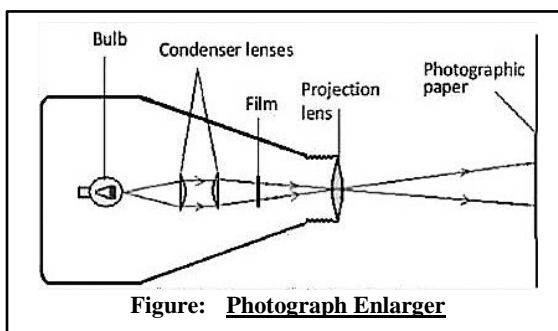


Figure: Photograph Enlarger

#### Working Principle:

The working principle of photograph enlarger is basically the same as that of a slide projector.

#### Position of Object:

In the case of photograph enlarger object is placed at distance of more than  $F$  but less than  $2F$ .

#### Nature of Image:

We get a real, inverted and enlarged image.

## 12.11 SHORT QUESTIONS

Q.1 What is the construction of camera? (K.B)

Ans: Given on Page # 122

Q.2 What is the working principle of photograph enlarger? (K.B)

Ans: WORKING PRINCIPLE OF PHOTOGRAPH ENLARGER

The working principle of photograph enlarger is basically the same as that of a slide projector. It uses a convex lens to produce a real, magnified, inverted image of the film on photographic paper.

## 12.11 MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS

- Optical device is; (K.B)
 

(A) Camera	(B) Slide projector
(C) Photograph enlarger	(D) All of given
- Which statement is correct about image formed by camera? (K.B)
 

(A) Real image is formed	(B) Inverted image is formed
(C) Diminished image is formed	(D) All options are true
- In case of photograph enlarger, the object is placed at distance; (U.B)
 

(A) More than $F$	(B) Less than $2F$
(C) Both (A) and (B)	(D) More than $3F$
- The working principle of photograph enlarger is the same as; (U.B)
 

(A) Slide projector	(B) Camera
(C) Telescope	(D) Endoscope

**12.12 SIMPLE MICROSCOPE****LONG QUESTIONS**

12.12 Q.1 How does image formation take place in simple microscope? Also derive the formula of magnifying power.

Ans: SIMPLE MICROSCOPE

**Definition:**

“A magnifying glass is a convex lens which is used to produce magnified images of small objects. Hence, it is also called simple microscope”.

**Object Position to Lens:**

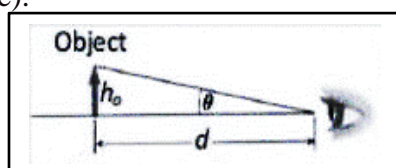
The object is placed nearer to the lens than the principal focus such that an upright, virtual and magnified image is seen clearly at 25cm from the normal eye.

**Magnifying Power:**

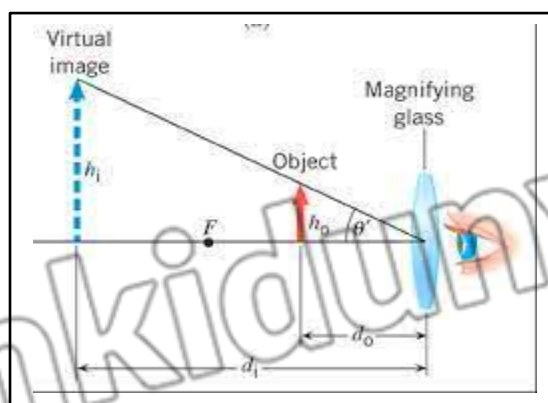
It is ratio of angular size of final image produced by magnifying glass to the angular size of object seen without magnifying glass.

**Explanation:**

Let  $\theta$  be the angle subtended at the eye by a small object when it is placed at near point of the eye (as shown in figure).



If the object is now moved nearer to the eye (as shown in figure), the angle on the eye will increase and becomes  $\theta'$ , but the eye will not be able to see it clearly. In order to see the object clearly, we put a convex lens between the object and the eye, so that the lens makes a large virtual image of the object at near point of the eye. In this way, the object appears magnified.

**Mathematical Equation:**

The magnifying power in this case will be:

$$M = \frac{\theta'}{\theta} = \frac{\text{Angular size of final image produced by magnifying glass}}{\text{Angular size of object seen without magnifying glass}}$$

It can be shown that the magnifying power is given by the relation:

$$M = \frac{\theta'}{\theta} = 1 + \frac{d}{f}$$

Where  $f$  is the focal length of lens and  $d$  is near point of eye. It is clear from this relation that a lens of shorter focal length will have greater magnifying power.

### 12.12 SHORT QUESTIONS

**Q.1** What do you mean by resolving power of an instrument? (K.B)

**Ans:** RESOLVING POWER

**Definition:**

“The resolving power of an instrument is its ability to distinguish between two closely placed objects or point sources”.

**High Resolving Power:**

- In order to see objects that are close together, we use an instrument of high resolving power.

**Example:**

We use high resolving power microscope to see tiny organisms and telescope to view distant stars.

**Q.2** What is a simple microscope? (K.B)

(FSD-G1)-2016

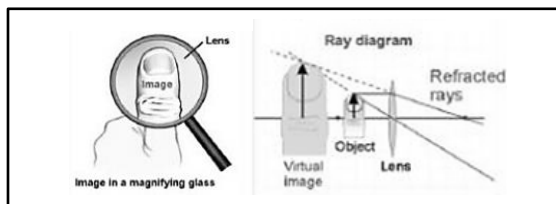
**Ans:** SIMPLE MICROSCOPE

A magnifying glass is a convex lens which is used to produce magnified image of small objects. Hence it is also called a simple microscope.

**Q.3** What is a magnifying glass? (K.B)

**Ans:** IMAGE OF MAGNIFYING GLASS

Magnifying glass is a lens that forms a virtual image that is larger than object and appears behind the lens.



**Q.4** What do you mean by linear magnification? (K.B+U.B)

**Ans:** LINEAR MAGNIFICATION

**Definition:**

“The ratio of the size of image to that of the size of object is called linear magnification”.

**Mathematical Formula:**

$$m = \frac{\text{image height}}{\text{object height}} = \frac{h_i}{h_o} = \frac{q}{p}$$

**Unit:**

It has no unit because it is a ratio of two same quantities.

### 12.12 MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS

1. A magnifying glass is a convex lens which is used to produce magnified images of small objects. It is also called: (K.B)

- (A) Compound microscope (B) Simple microscope  
(C) Electron microscope (D) Light microscope

2. For seeing tiny objects we use microscope of: (A.B)



- (A) Low resolving power  
(C) Electron microscope

- (B) High resolving power  
(D) Light microscope

## 12.13 COMPOUND MICROSCOPE

### LONG QUESTIONS

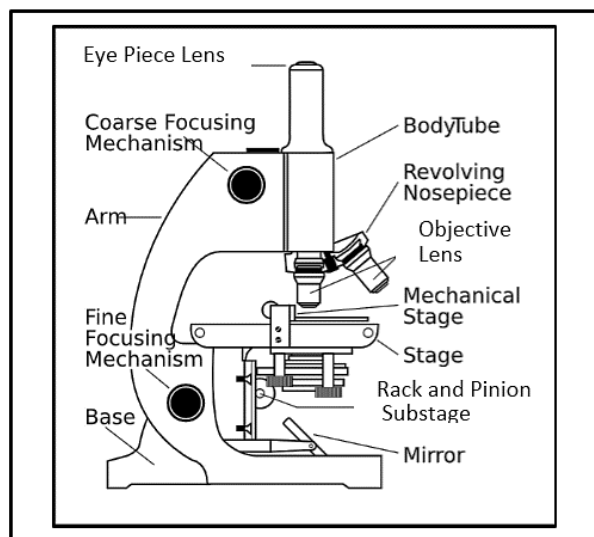
12.13 Q.1 Describe compound microscope. Also describe its magnification. (K.B+U.B+A.B)  
(MTN-G2) (DGK-G2)-2015 / (GRW-G2)(BWP-G1)-2016

Ans:

#### COMPOUND MICROSCOPE

##### Definition:

“Compound microscope has two converging lenses, the objective and the eyepiece and is used to investigate structure of small objects”.



##### Features:

Following are some features of compound microscope:

- It gives greater magnification than a single lens.
- The objective lens has a short focal length,  $f_o < 1\text{cm}$ .
- The eyepiece has larger focal length,  $f_e$  of a few cm..

##### Magnification of the Compound Microscope:

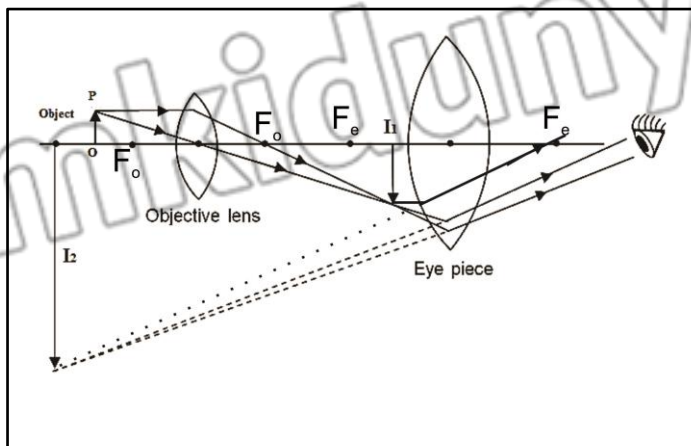
Objective forms a small image  $I_1$ , inside the focal point of eyepiece. This image acts as an object for the eyepiece and the final larger image  $I_2$  is formed outside the focal point of the objective.

##### Mathematical Equation:

The magnification of compound microscope is given by

$$M = \frac{L}{f_o} \left( 1 + \frac{d}{f_e} \right)$$

Where  $L$  is the length of compound microscope which is equal to the distance between objective and eye piece,  $d$  is distance of final image from eye,  $f_o$ , and  $f_e$ , are the focal lengths of objective and eye piece respectively.



### Uses of Compound Microscope:

- A compound microscope is used to study bacteria and other micro objects.
- It is also used for research in several fields of sciences like Microbiology, Botany, Geology and Genetics.

## 12.13 SHORT QUESTIONS

**Q.1 Define compound microscope. (K.B)**

(GRW-G1)-2017

Ans:

### COMPOUND MICROSCOPE

#### Definition:

“Compound microscope has two converging lenses, the objective and the eyepiece and is used to investigate structure of small object.”

**Q.2 What are the features of compound microscope? (K.B)**

(AJK-G1)-2014

Ans:

### FEATURES OF COMPOUND MICROSCOPE

The features of compound microscope are:

- It gives greater magnification than a single lens.
- The eyepiece has larger focal length  $f_e$  of a few cm.

**Q.3 What are the uses of compound microscope? (A.B)**

(Compound microscope Pg. # 57)

Ans:

### USES OF COMPOUND MICROSCOPE

The uses of compound microscope are:

- To study bacteria and other micro objects.

It is also used for research in several fields of sciences like microbiology, botany, geology and genetics.

**Q.4 Compare the focal length of objective lens and eyepiece of compound microscope. (K.B+U.B)**

Ans:

### COMPOUND MICROSCOPE

Objective lens has smaller focal length, than the eyepiece. Distance between the objective lens and the eyepiece is greater than  $f_o + f_e$ . It is used to see very small objects.

**Q.5 What do you know about astronomical telescope? (K.B+A.B)**

(Astronomical Telescope Pg. # 57)

Ans:

### ASTRONOMICAL TELESCOPE

Objective lens has larger focal length than the eyepiece. Distance between the objective lens and the eyepiece is equal to  $f_o + f_e$ . It is used to see distant astronomical objects.



**12.13 MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS**

1. Which statement is correct about compound microscope? (K.B) (RWP-G2)-2015  
 (A) Focal length of objective lens is smaller than eyepiece.  
 (B) Distance between objective lens and eyepiece is greater than  $f_0 + f_e$ .  
 (C) It is used to see very small object  
 (D) All given statements are true
2. The magnification of compound microscope is; (A.B+U.B)  
 (A)  $M = \frac{L}{f_0} \left( 1 + \frac{d}{f_e} \right)$   
 (B)  $M = \frac{L}{f_0}$   
 (C)  $M = \left( 1 + \frac{d}{f_e} \right)$   
 (D)  $M = \frac{L}{f_e} \left( 1 + \frac{d}{f_e} \right)$

**12.14****TELESCOPE****LONG QUESTIONS**

12.14 Q.1 Describe the working and magnification of telescope.(K.B+A.B+U.B)(BWP-G2)-2016

Ans:

**TELSECOPE****Definition:**

“Telescope is an optical instrument which is used to observe distant objects using lenses or mirrors”.

**Refracting Telescope:**

A telescope that uses two converging lenses is called refracting telescope (as shown in figure). In refracting telescope, an objective lens forms a real image of the distant object, while an eyepiece forms a virtual image that is viewed by the eye.

**Working of Refracting Telescope:**

When parallel rays from a point on a distant object pass through objective lens, a real image  $I_1$ , is formed at the focus  $F_o$ , of the objective lens. This image acts as an object for the eyepiece. A large virtual image  $I_2$ , of  $I_1$ , is formed by the eyepiece at a large distance from the objective lens. This virtual image makes an angle  $\theta$  at the eyepiece.

**Magnification of Telescope:**

Magnification of a refracting telescope can be determined by  $M = \frac{f_0}{f_e}$

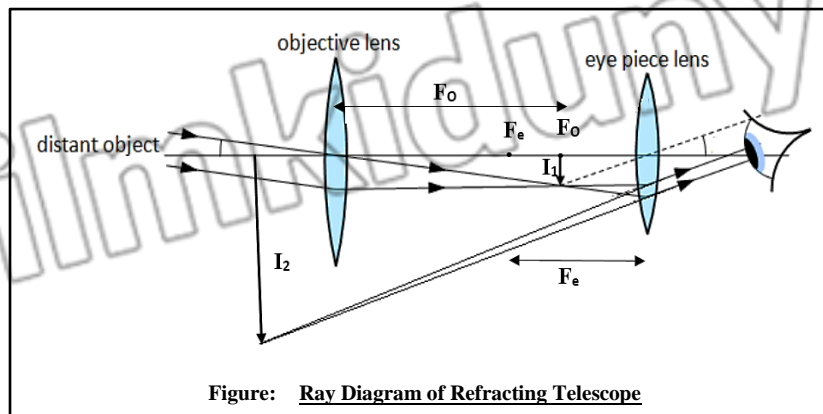


Figure: Ray Diagram of Refracting Telescope

**12.14 SHORT QUESTIONS**

**Q.1** What is telescope? (K.B) (SGD-G1)-2014

Ans: TELESCOPE

**Definition:**

Telescope is an optical instrument which is used to observe distant object using lenses or mirrors.

**Q.2** What is refracting telescope? (K.B) (MTN-G2)-2016

Ans: REFRACTING TELESCOPE

**Definition:**

“A telescope that uses two converging lenses is called refracting telescope”.

**Q.3** What do you know about terrestrial telescope? (K.B) (For your information Pg. # 58)

Ans: TERRESTRIAL TELESCOPE

Terrestrial telescope is similar to refracting telescope except with an extra lens between objective and eyepiece.

**Q.4** What will be the magnification of combination of lenses? (K.B) (For your information Pg. # 58)

Ans: MAGNIFICATION OF COMBINATION OF LENSES

The magnification of a combination of lenses is equal to the product of the magnification of each lens.

**Q.5** What is the importance of telescope in astronomy? (K.B) (For your information Pg. # 58)

Ans: PURPOSE OF TELESCOPE

A telescope cannot make stars look bigger, because they are too far away. But there is something important the telescope can do– it makes stars look brighter. Dim stars look bright, and stars that are too faint to see come into view. Without a telescope, we can see up to 3000 individual stars in the night sky; a small telescope can increase this by a factor of at least 10. So a telescope is better than the naked eye for seeing dim stars. The reason is that the telescope gathers more light than the eye.

**Q.6** Write two differences between telescope and microscope. (K.B) (SWL-G2)-2017

Ans: DIFFERENTIATION

The differences between telescope and microscope are as follows:

Telescope	Microscope
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>It is optical instrument which is used to observe distant object using lenses or mirrors.</li> <li>Telescope is used to see distant astronomical objects.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Microscope is used to investigate structure of small objects.</li> <li>A microscope is used to study bacteria and other micro objects.</li> </ul>

**12.14 MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS**

- It is an optical instrument which is used to observe distant objects using lens or mirror. *(K.B)*  
 (A) Microscope (B) Kaledoscope  
 (C) Telescope (D) Light microscope
- Magnification of telescope can be determined by using formula: *(K.B)*  
 (A)  $M = \frac{f_0}{f_e}$  (B)  $M = \frac{f_0}{f_o}$   
 (C)  $M = \frac{F}{L}$  (D)  $M = \frac{L_o}{f_o}$

**12.15****THE HUMAN EYE****LONG QUESTIONS**

Q.1 Describe the structure and image formation in human eye? *(K.B+U.B+A.B)*

(LHR-G1)-2015

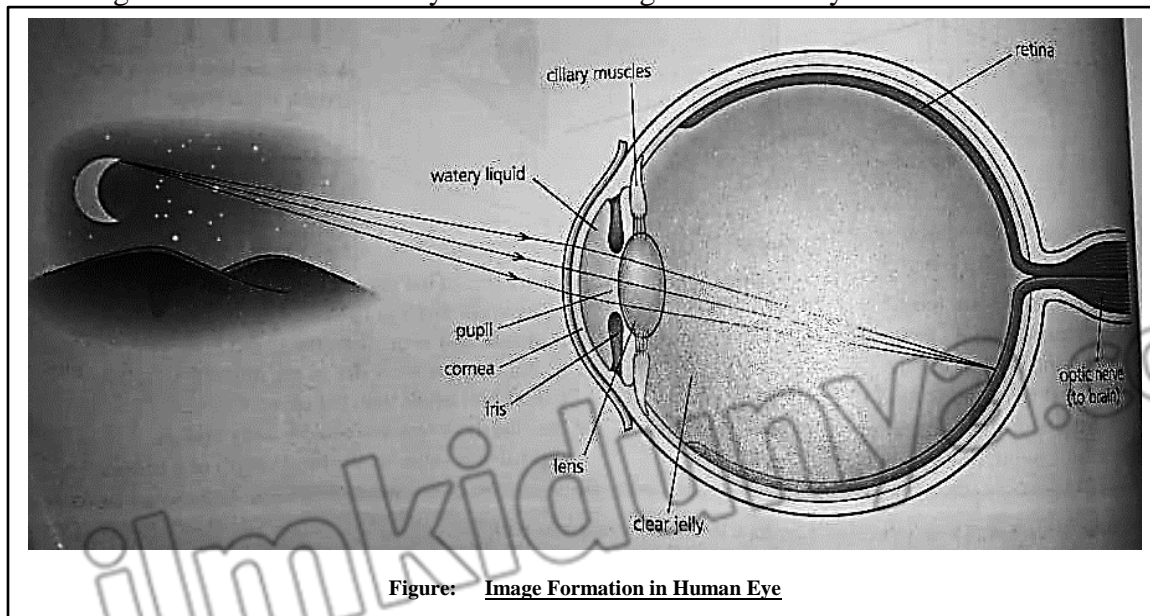
Ans:

**THE HUMAN EYE****Definition:**

“Eye is an organ of a human body used for vision”.

**Image Formation:**

The image formation in human eye is shown in figure. Human eye acts like a camera.

**Parts of Human Eye:**

The parts of human eye which plays an important role in the image formation are described as below:

**Retina:**

Human eye acts like a camera. In place of the film, the retina records the picture. The eye has a refracting system containing a converging lens. The lens forms an image on the retina which is a light sensitive layer at the back of the eye.

**Lens:**

In the camera, the distance of lens from film is adjusted for proper focus but in the eye, the lens changes focal length.

**Cornea:**

Light enters the eye through a transparent membrane called the cornea.

**Iris:**

The iris is the colored portion of the eye and controls the amount of light reaching the retina.

**Pupil:**

Iris has an opening at its center called the pupil. The iris controls the size of the pupil.

**Image Formation (Function of Ciliary muscles):**

In bright light, Iris contracts the size of the pupil while in dim light pupil is enlarged. The lens of the eye is flexible and accommodates objects over a wide range of distances.

**Q.2 What do you know about accommodation? Also describe the mechanism for focusing in eye. (K.B)**

**Ans:**

**ACCOMODATION**

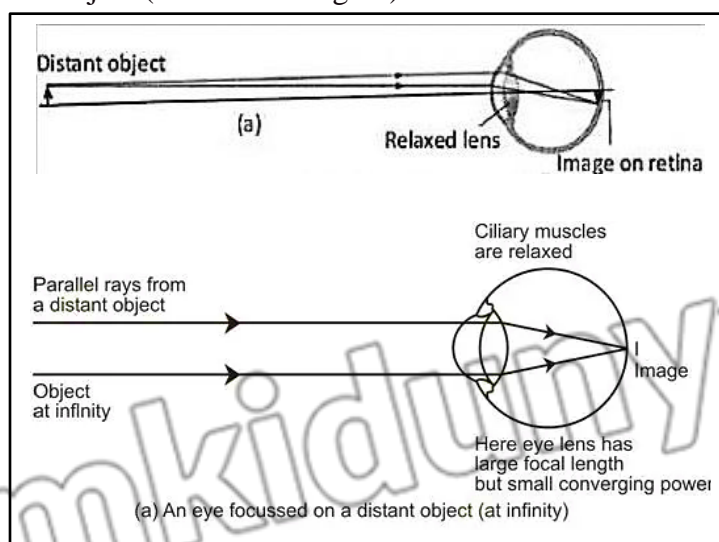
**Definition:**

“The variation of focal length of eye lens to form a sharp image on retina is called accommodation”.

- It is large in young people while it goes on decreasing with age.

**For Distant Objects:**

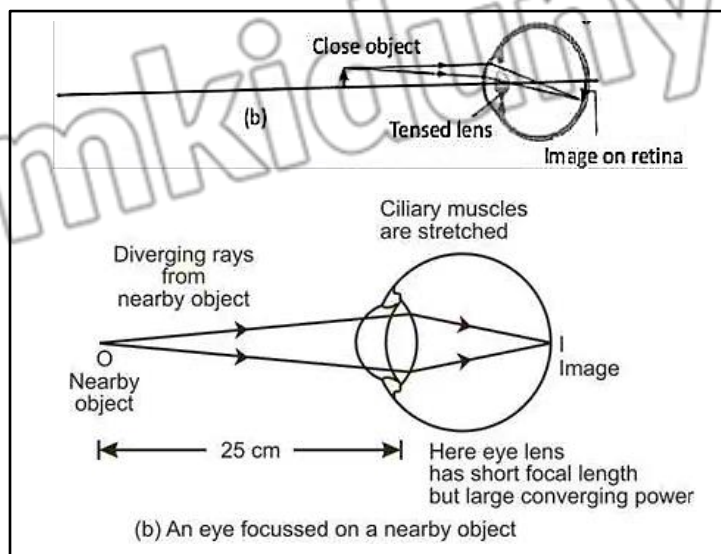
If an object is far away from the eye, the deviation of light through the lens must be less. To do this, the ciliary muscles relax and decrease the curvature of the lens, thereby, increasing the focal length. The rays are thus focused onto the retina producing a sharp image of the distant object (as shown in figure).



**For Close Objects:**

If an object is close to the eye, the ciliary muscles increase curvature of the lens, thereby, shortening the focal length. The divergent rays from the nearer object are thus bent more so as to come to a focus on the retina (as shown in figure).



**Correction:**

Defects in accommodation may be corrected by using different type of lenses in eyeglasses.

**Focusing Mechanism of Eye:**

- The camera focuses the image of an object at a given distance from it by moving the lens towards or away from the film.
- The eye has different adjusting mechanism for focusing the image of an object onto the retina. Its ciliary muscles control the curvature and thus the focal length of the lens, and allow objects at various distances to be seen.

**Q.3 Describe the near point and far point of an eye. (K.B)**

**Ans:**

**NEAR POINT****Definition:**

“The near point of the eye is the minimum distance of an object from the eye at which it produces a sharp image on the retina”.

- This distance is also called the least distance of distinct vision.

**Explanation:**

When we hold a book too close, the print is blurred because the lens cannot adjust enough to bring the book into focus. An object closer to the eye than the near point appears blurred. For people in their early twenties with normal vision, the near point is located about 25 cm from the eye. It increases to about 50 cm at the age 40 years and to roughly 500 cm at the age of 60 years.

**FAR POINT****Definition:**

“The far point of the eye is the maximum distance of a distant object from the eye on which the fully relaxed eye can focus”.

**Explanation:**

A person with normal eyesight can see objects very far away, such as the planets and stars, and thus has a far point located at infinity. Majority of people do not have “normal eyes” in this sense.

**12.15 SHORT QUESTIONS**

**Q.1 Define accommodation. (K.B)**

**Ans:** ACCOMODATION

**Deficiency:**

“The variation of focal length of eye lens to form a sharp image on retina is called accommodation”.

**Q.2 How do we see? (K.B)**

(For your information Pg. # 59)

**Ans:** SEEING OBJECT

We see because the eye forms images on the retina at the back of the eyeball.

**Q.3 How the size of the pupil of our eye will change? (K.B)**

(Quick quiz Pg. # 59)

- In dim light
- In bright light

**Ans:** SIZE OF PUPIL

**In Dim Light:**

In dim light pupil is enlarged.

**In Bright Light:**

In bright light, iris contracts the size of the pupil.

**Q.4 Define near point and far point. (K.B)**

**Ans:** NEAR POINT

**Definition:**

“The near point of the eye is the minimum distance of an object from the eye at which it produces a sharp image on the retina”.

- This distance is also called the least distance of distinct vision.

FAR POINT

**Definition:**

“The far point of the eye is the maximum distance of a distant object from the eye on which the fully relaxed eye can focus”.

## 12.15 MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS

**1. Human eye acts like: (K.B)**

- |                 |                |
|-----------------|----------------|
| (A) Camera      | (B) Telescope  |
| (C) Kaledoscope | (D) Microscope |

**2. Light enters the eye through transparent membrane called: (K.B)**

- |            |            |
|------------|------------|
| (A) Retina | (B) Cornea |
| (C) Iris   | (D) Pupil  |

**3. The coloured portion of eye controls the amount of light reaching the retina. (K.B)**

- |            |              |
|------------|--------------|
| (A) Iris   | (B) Pupil    |
| (C) Cornea | (D) Eye lens |

**4. The variation of focal length of eye lens is called: (K.B)**

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- |                   |                   |
|-------------------|-------------------|
| (A) Variation     | (B) Accommodation |
| (C) Magnification | (D) Resolution    |

## 12.16

## DEFECTS OF VISION

### LONG QUESTIONS

**Q.1 What do you mean by defects of vision? Describe the main defects of vision and how they are minimized.**

Ans:

**DEFECTS OF VISION****Definition:**

“The Inability of the eye to see the image of objects clearly is called defect of vision”.

**Causes of Defects of vision:**

The defects of vision arise when the eye lens is unable to accommodate effectively.

**Effect:**

The images formed are therefore blurred.

**Nearsightedness (myopia):****Definition:**

“Some people cannot see distant objects clearly without the aid of spectacles. This defect of vision is known as short sight or nearsightedness”.

**Reason:**

It may be due to the eyeball being too long. Light rays from a distant object are focused in front of the retina and a blurred image is produced.

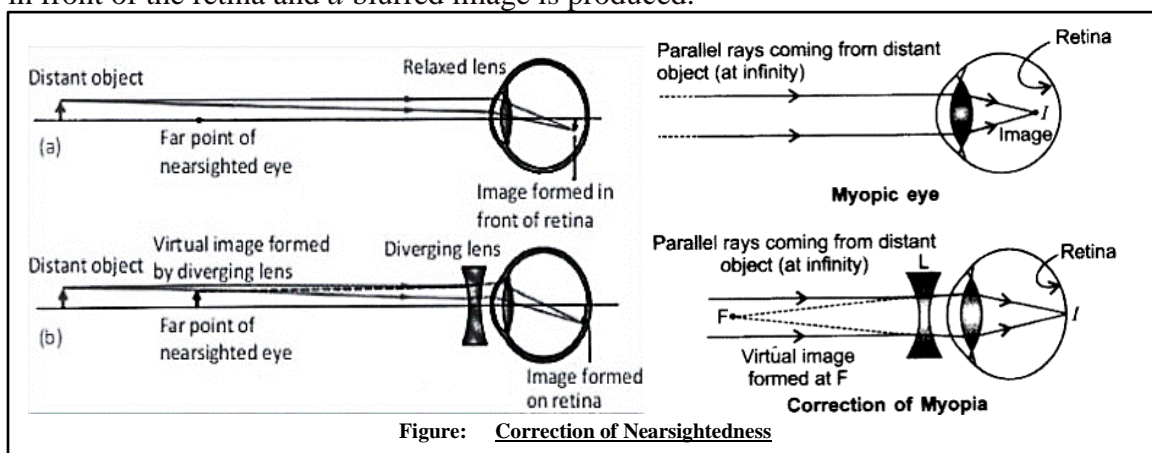


Figure: Correction of Nearsightedness

**Correction:**

The nearsighted eye can be corrected with glass or contact lenses that use diverging lenses. Light rays from the distant objects are now diverged by this lens before entering the eye. To the observer, these light rays appear to come from far point and are therefore focused on the retina, thus forming a sharp image.

**Farsightedness (hypermetropia):****Definition:**

“The disability of the eye to form distinct images of nearby objects on its retina is known as farsightedness”.

**Reason:**

It may be due to eye ball being too short.

**Correction:**

When a farsighted eye tries to focus on a book held closer than the near point, it shortens its focal length as much as it can. However, even at its shortest, the focal length is longer than it should be. Therefore, the light rays from the book would form a blurred image behind the retina (as shown in figure).

This defect can be corrected with the aid of a suitable converging lens. The lens refracts the light rays and they converge to form an image on the retina. To an observer, these rays



appear to come from near point to form a sharp virtual image on the retina (as shown in figure)

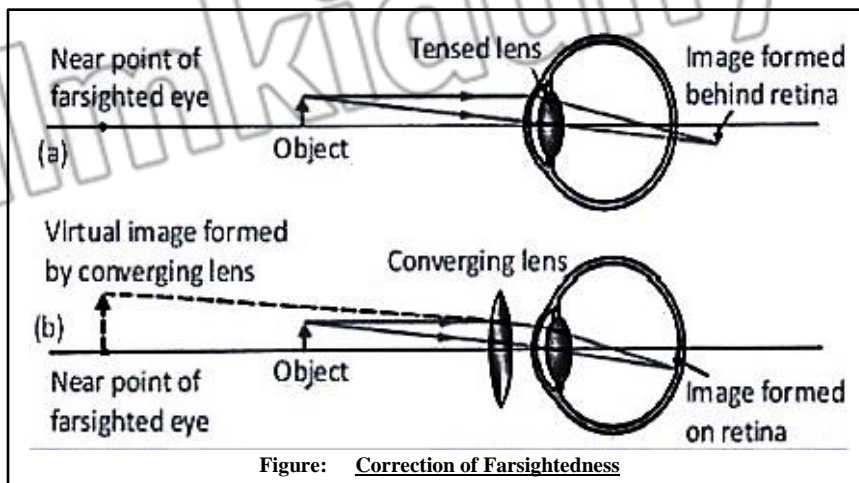


Figure: Correction of Farsightedness

## 12.16 SHORT QUESTIONS

**Q.1 Compare the contact lenses with the eyeglasses? (K.B + U.B)**

**Ans:**

### CONTACT LENSES

Contact lenses produces the same results as eyeglasses do. These small, thin lenses are placed directly on the corneas. A thin layers of tears between the cornea and lens keeps the lens in the place. Most of the refraction occurs at the air-lens surface, where the difference in indices of refraction is greatest.

**Q.2 Which animals can move their eye lenses forward or backward? (K.B)**

(Interesting information Pg. # 61)

**Ans:**

### MOVING EYE LENSES

Some animals like fish has the ability to move their eye lenses forward or backward and hence, are able to see clearly objects around them.

**Q.3 How can we prevent the glare of reflected light from an eye? (K.B)**

(Interesting information Pg. # 61)

**Ans:**

### PREVENTION

A thin film can be placed on the lenses of eyeglasses to keep them from reflecting wavelengths of light that are highly visible to the human eye. This prevents the glare of reflected light.

**Q.4 Define nearsightedness and farsightedness. (K.B)**

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**Ans:**

### NEARSIGHTEDNESS (MYOPIA)

#### Definition:

“Some people cannot see distant objects clearly without the aid of spectacles. This defect of vision is known as short sight or nearsightedness”.

### FARSIGHTEDNESS (HYPERMETROPIA)

#### Definition:

“The disability of the eye to form distinct images of nearby objects on its retina is known as farsightedness”.

**Q.5 Why doctor check the eyes of patient with torch light at last stage? (Conceptual Base)**

**Ans:** The doctor check the eyes of patient with torch light at last stage whether the patient is dead or alive because the lens of eye of a alive person is sensitive to the light and it

change its curvature and length one the light fall. But the lens of dead person does not change its curvature and length when light fall. So doctor declare the patient is died.

### 12.16 MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS

- When people cannot see distant objects clearly without the aid of spectacles the defect of vision is called as: (K.B)
  - Short-sighted
  - Near-sightedness
  - Both (A) & (B)
  - Farsightedness
- Short sighted may be due to eyeball being: (K.B)
  - Too long
  - Too short
  - Too thick
  - Too thin
- Which animal has the ability to move eye lens forward or backward? (K.B)
  - Fish
  - Human
  - Birds
  - Dog
- The nearsighted eye can be corrected by using; (K.B)
  - Diverging lens
  - Converging lens
  - Both (A) & (B)
  - Concave mirror
- The disability of the eye to form distinct images of nearby object on retina is called farsightedness or: (K.B)
  - Short sightedness
  - Isometropia
  - Hypermetropia
  - Myopia
- Farsightedness can be corrected by using: (A.B)
  - Converging lens
  - Diverging lens
  - Concave mirror
  - Convex mirror
- Power of concave lens is: (K.B)
  - Greater
  - Less
  - Positive
  - Negative
- Long sightedness is caused due eye ball being. (K.B)
  - Too thick
  - Too thin
  - Too short
  - Too long
- Near point of a normal human being is: (K.B) (GRW 2013)
  - 25 cm
  - 50 cm
  - 100 cm
  - Infinity
- Long sightedness can be corrected by: (A.B)
  - Convex mirror
  - Concave mirror
  - Convex lens
  - Concave lens

### MCQ'S ANSWER KEY (TOPIC WISE)

#### 12.1 REFLECTION OF LIGHT

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
A	C	B	A	A	B	D	A	B

**12.2 SPHERICAL MIRRORS**

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
D	A	C	D	B	B	C	A	C

**12.3 IMAGE LOCATION BY SPHERICAL MIRROR****FORMULA**

1	2	3	4
C	A	B	A

**12.4 REFRACTION OF LIGHT**

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
B	C	C	A	C	B	C	B

**12.5 TOTAL INTERNAL REFLECTION**

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
B	B	B	A	A	B	B	D

**12.6 APPLICATION OF TOTAL INTERNAL REFLECTION**

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
C	B	C	C	A	C	D	C	A	B	B	C

**12.7 REFRACTION THROUGH PRISM**

1	2	3	4	5
D	A	C	C	A

**12.8 LENSES**

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
C	D	A	C	C	D	C	B	B	A	C

**12.9 IMAGE FORMATION BY LENSES**

1	2	3	4
A	A	A	D

**12.10 IMAGE LOCATION BY LENSES**

1	2	3	4
B	B	D	B

**12.11 APPLICATION OF LENSES**

1	2	3	4
D	D	C	A

**12.12 SIMPLE MICROSCOPE**

1	2
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B	B
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### 12.13 COMPOUND MICROSCOPE

1	2
D	A

### 12.14 TELESCOPE

1	2
C	A

### 12.15 THE HUMAN EYE

1	2	3	4
A	B	A	B

### 12.16 DEFECTS OF VISION

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
C	A	A	A	C	A	D	C	A	D

## TEXT BOOK EXERCISE

### MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS

- i. Which of the following quantity is not changed during refraction of light? (*K.B*)
  - (a) its direction
  - (b) its speed
  - (c) its frequency
  - (d) its wavelength
- ii. A converging mirror with a radius of 20cm creates a real image 30cm from the mirror. What is the object distance? (*U.B+A.B*)
  - (a) -5.0cm
  - (b) -7.5cm
  - (c) -15cm
  - (d) -20cm
- iii. An object is placed at the centre of curvature of a concave mirror. The image produced by the mirror is located: (*K.B*)
  - (a) out beyond the centre of curvature
  - (b) at the centre of curvature
  - (c) between the centre of curvature and the focal point
  - (d) at the focal point
- iv. An object is 14cm in front of a convex mirror. The image is 5.8cm behind the mirror. What is the focal length of the mirror? (*U.B+A.B*)
  - (a) -4.1cm
  - (b) -8.2cm
  - (c) -9.9cm
  - (d) -20cm
- v. The index of refraction depends on: (*K.B*)
  - (a) the focal length
  - (b) the speed of light
  - (c) the image distance
  - (d) the object distance
- vi. Which type of image is formed by a convex lens on a screen? (*K.B*)
  - (a) inverted and real
  - (b) inverted and virtual
  - (c) upright and real
  - (d) upright and virtual

- vii. Which type of image is produced by the converging lens of human eye if it views a distant object? (K.B)  
 (a) real, erect same size (b) real, inverted, diminished  
 (c) virtual, erect, diminished (d) virtual, inverted, magnified
- viii. Image formed by a camera is: (K.B)  
 (a) real, inverted and diminished (b) virtual, upright and diminished  
 (c) virtual, upright and magnified (d) real, inverted and magnified
- ix. If a ray of light in glass is incident on an air surface at an angle greater than the critical angle, the ray will: (K.B)  
 (a) refract only (b) reflect only  
 (c) partially refract and partially reflect (d) diffract only
- x. The critical angle for a beam of light passing from water into air is 48.8 degrees. This means that all light rays with an angle of incidence greater than this angle will be: (K.B)  
 (a) absorbed (b) totally reflected  
 (c) partially reflected and partially transmitted (d) totally transmitted

**ANSWER KEY**

i	ii	iii	iv	v	vi	vii	viii	ix	x
C	C	B	C	B	A	B	A	B	B

**REVIEW QUESTIONS**

12.1 What do you understand by reflection of light? Draw a diagram to illustrate reflection at a plane surface. (K.B)

Ans: (See Topic 12.1, Short Question-1)

12.2 Describe the following terms used in reflection: (K.B)

- (i) Normal (ii) Angle of incidence (iii) Angle of reflection

Ans:

ANGLE OF INCIDENCEDefinition:

“The angle between the incident ray and normal is called as angle of incidence (i)”

ANGLE OF REFLECTIONDefinition:

“The angle between normal and reflected ray at the point of incidence is called as angle of reflection (r)”

NORMALDefinition:

“A line (imaginary) at right angle to the plan (surface) is called normal to the surface”

12.3 State laws of reflection. Describe how they can be verified graphically. (K.B+U.B)

Ans: (See Topic 12.1, Long Question-1)

12.4 Define refraction of light. Describe the passage of light through parallel-sided transparent material. (K.B)

Ans: (See Topic 12.4, Long Question-1)

12.5 Define the following terms used in refraction: (K.B)

- (i) Angle of incidence (ii) Angle of refraction

Ans:

ANGLE OF INCIDENCEDefinition:

“Incidence ray makes an angle with normal line is called angle of incidence”

ANGLE OF REFRACTIONDefinition:

“The angle made by refracted ray with normal line is called angle of refraction”

**12.6** What is meant by refractive index of a material? How would you determine the refractive index of a rectangular glass slab? (K.B+U.B+A.B)

Ans: (See Topic 12.4, Long Question-2)

**12.7** State the laws of refraction of light and show how they may be verified using rectangular glass slab and pins. (K.B+U.B+A.B)

Ans: (See Topic 12.4, Long Question-2)

**12.8** What is meant by the term total internal reflection? (K.B)

Ans: (See Topic 12.5, Short Question-2)

**12.9** State the conditions for total internal reflection. (K.B)

Ans: (See Topic 12.5, Short Question-3)

**12.10** What is critical angle? Derive a relationship between the critical angle and the refractive index of a substance. (K.B+A.B+U.B)

Ans: (See Topic 12.5, Long Question-1)

**12.11** What are optical fibres? Describe how total internal reflection is used in light propagating through optical fibres. (K.B+A.B+U.B)

Ans: (See Topic 12.6, Long Question-2)

**12.12** Define the following terms applied to a lens: (K.B)

(i) Principal axis (ii) Optical centre (iii) Focal length

Ans: (See Topic 12.8, Long Question-4)

**12.13** What is meant by the principal focus of a (a) convex lens (b) concave lens? Illustrate your answer with ray diagrams. (K.B +U.B)

Ans: (See Topic 12.8, Long Question-4)

**12.14** Describe how light is refracted through convex lens. (K.B +U.B)

Ans: (See Topic 12.9, Long Question-1)

**12.15** With the help of a ray diagram, how can you show the use of thin converging lens as a magnifying glass? (K.B)

Ans: (See Topic 12.12, Short Question-3)

**12.16** A coin is placed at a focal point of a converging lens. Is an image formed? What is its nature? (K.B)

Ans: (See Topic 12.9, Long Question-2) (object at F)

**12.17** What are the differences between real and virtual images? (K.B)

Ans: **DIFFERENCE**

Real Image	Virtual Image
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The image that can be obtained on screen is called real image</li> <li>In real image, rays of light actually converge to form image</li> <li>Image is inverted</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The image that can not be obtained on screen is called virtual image.</li> <li>In virtual image, rays of light appear to diverge</li> <li>Virtual image is erect</li> </ul>

**12.18** How does a converging lens form a virtual image of a real object? How does a diverging lens form a real image of a real object?(K.B)

Ans: **CONVERGING LENS**

- Converging lens form a virtual image of real object when the object is placed between optical centre and principal focus. The image is formed behind the object, virtual and larger in size than object.

**DIVERGING LENS**

- Diverging lens form a virtual image of real objects therefore, it is not possible for a diverging or concave lens to form a real image of real object.



12.19 Define power of a lens and its units. (K.B)

Ans: (See Topic 12.8, Short Question-6)

12.20 Describe the passage of light through a glass prism and measure the angle of deviation. (K.B+U.B+A.B)

Ans: (See Topic 12.7, Long Question-1)

12.21 Define the terms resolving power and magnifying power. (K.B)

Ans: (See Topic 12.12, Long & Short Question-1)

12.22 Draw the ray diagrams of (U.B+K.B)

(i) Simple microscope (ii) Compound microscope (iii) Refracting telescope

Ans: Given on previous pages 125,127,129

12.23 Mention the magnifying powers of the following optical instruments (K.B)

(i) Simple microscope (ii) Compound microscope (iii) Refracting telescope

Ans:

### SIMPLE MICROSCOPE

#### Magnifying Power:

Magnifying power of simple microscope can be determined by using formula:

$$M = \frac{\theta'}{\theta} = \frac{\text{Angular size of final image produced by magnifying glass}}{\text{Angular size of object seen without glass}}$$

$$\text{OR } M = \frac{\theta'}{\theta} = 1 + \frac{d}{f}$$

### COMPOUND MICROSCOPE

#### Magnifying Power:

Magnifying power of compound microscope can be determined by using formula:

$$M = \frac{L}{f_o} \left( 1 + \frac{d}{f_e} \right)$$

### TELESCOPE

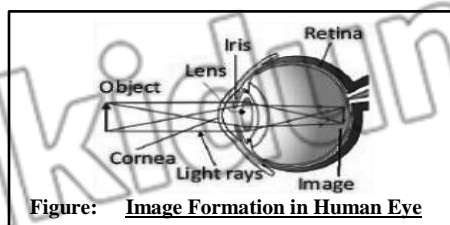
#### Magnifying Power:

Magnifying power of telescope can be determined by using formula.

$$M = \frac{f_o}{f_e}$$

12.24 Draw ray diagrams to show the formation of images in the normal human eye. (K.B)

Ans:



12.25 What is meant by the terms nearsightedness and farsightedness? How can these defects be corrected? (K.B+U.B+A.B)

Ans: (See Topic 12.6, Long Question-1)

## **CONCEPTUAL QUESTIONS**

12.1 A man raises his left hand in front of a plane mirror, the image facing him is raising his right hand. Explain why.

Ans:

### IMAGE BY PLANE MIRROR

Images produced by the plane mirror are virtual, upright, left-right reversed, the same distance from the mirror and of same size as object.

A plane mirror produces virtual image. If we view an image of our self in a plane mirror, we will quickly notice that there is an apparent left right reversal of the image. That's why if we raise our left hand, the image facing him raising his right hand due to the left-right reversal of the orientation.

**12.2 In your own words, explain why light waves are refracted at a boundary between two materials.**

**Ans:** REFRACTION OF LIGHT WAVES

When light rays enter from one transparent medium into another medium the speed of light changes due to change in wavelength. The speed of light is different in different materials due to difference in densities so light rays are refracted at the boundary between two materials.

**12.3 Explain why a fish under water appears to be at a different depth below the surface than it actually is. Does it appear deeper or shallower?**

**Ans:** FISH IN WATER

A fish under water appears to be at different depth below the surface, it appears to be shallower because apparent depth is always less than the real depth and image is formed after the refraction of light in water at the apparent depth.

**12.4 Why or why not concave mirrors are suitable for makeup?**

**Ans:** CONCAVE MIRRORS FOR MAKEUP

Concave mirrors are suitable for make up because when a person stands between principal focus and pole of mirror, he sees an enlarge erect and virtual image of his face and it is not suitable, when a person is not with in the focal length of mirror because the image formed will be real and inverted.

**12.5 Why is the driver's side mirror in cars is convex rather than plane or concave?**

**Ans:** DRIVER'S SIDE MIRROR AS CONVEX

The image formed by the convex mirror is always virtual, erect and diminished so convex mirrors are used in automobiles which enable the driver to see the automobiles coming behind him.

**12.6 When an optician's testing room is small, he uses a mirror to help him test the eyesight of his patients. Explain why.**

**Ans:** OPTICIAN'S TESTING FORSIGHT

If the optician's room is small, then for testing the patients eye sight original words are placed at the back side of patient and mirror is placed in front of the patient. So, that the image of words is formed at the distance doubled than the size of room.

**12.7 How does the thickness of a lens affect its focal length?**

**Ans:** EFFECT OF THICKNESS OF A LENS

As we know that  $f=R/2$ , focal length is half of the radius of curvature. Thickness of lens (or) curvature of lens affect the focal length of lens. A thick lens has short focal length and a thin lens has large local length.

**12.8 Under what conditions will a converging lens form a virtual image?**

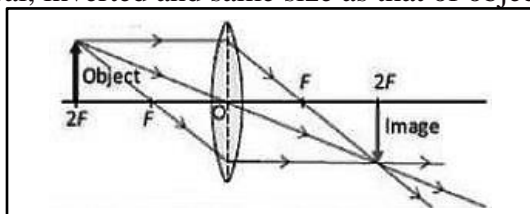
Ans: VIRTUAL IMAGE BY CONVERGING LENS

If the object is placed between principal focus and optical centre of converging lens, the image formed will be virtual, erect and large in size than the object.

12.9 Under what conditions will a converging lens form a real image that is the same size as the object?

Ans: REAL & SAME SIZE IMAGE

If object is placed at a distance of  $2F$  from the optical centre of converging lens, the image formed will be real, inverted and same size as that of object.



12.10 Why do we use refracting telescope with large objective lens of large focal length?

Ans: REFRACTIVE TELESCOPE WITH LARGE OBJECTIVE LENS

In telescope, objective lens of large focal length is used in order to collect information of distant object from infinity. Objective lens forms a real, inverted and diminished image at the principal focus of objective lens. This image acts as an object for the eye piece lens and this lens forms the large, erects virtual image at a large distance from the objective lens.

### **NUMERICAL PROBLEMS (U.B + A.B)**

12.1 object 10.0 cm in front of a convex mirror forms an image 5.0 cm behind the mirror. What is the focal length of the mirror?

**Solution:**

**Given Data:**

Distance of object =  $p = 10$  cm

Distance of image =  $q = -5$  cm

(For convex mirror)

**Required:**

Focal length  $f = ?$

**Formula:**

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q}$$

**Calculations:**

By putting the values

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{10\text{cm}} - \frac{1}{5\text{cm}}$$

$$= \frac{1-2}{10\text{cm}}$$

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{-1}{10\text{cm}}$$

$$f = -10 \text{ cm}$$

**Result:**

Hence the focal length of convex mirror is 10 cm. Here, negative sign indicates that image is virtual.

12.2 An object 30.0 cm tall is located 10.5 cm from a concave mirror with focal length 16.0cm. (a) Where is the image located) (b) How high is it?

**Solution:**

**Given Data:**

Object height =  $h_o = 30$  cm

Distance of object =  $p = 10.5$

cm

Focal length =  $f = 16$  cm

**Required:**

(a) Distance of image =  $q = ?$

(b) Image height =  $h_i = ?$

**Formula:**

(a) Using the formula

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{q} + \frac{1}{p}$$

(b) we know that

$$\frac{\text{image height}}{\text{object height}} = \frac{q}{p}$$

**Calculations:**

(a) By using formula, we have

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{q} + \frac{1}{p}$$

$$\text{Or } \frac{1}{q} = \frac{1}{f} - \frac{1}{p}$$

$$\frac{1}{q} = \frac{1}{16\text{cm}} - \frac{1}{10.5\text{cm}}$$

$$\text{Or } \frac{1}{q} = \frac{1}{16\text{cm}} - \frac{10}{105\text{cm}}$$

$$= \frac{105-160}{(16)(105)\text{cm}}$$

$$= -\frac{55}{(16)(105)\text{cm}}$$

$$q = -30.54 \text{ cm}$$

(b) By using formula, we have

$$\text{or } \frac{h_i}{h_o} = \frac{q}{p}$$

by putting the values

$$\frac{h_i}{30\text{cm}} = \frac{30.54\text{cm}}{10.5\text{cm}}$$

$$h_i = \frac{30.54\text{cm}}{10.5\text{cm}} \times 30\text{cm}$$

$$h_i = 87.26 \text{ cm}$$

**Result:**

Hence the distance of image will be 30.54 cm from concave mirror. Here, negative sign indicates the image is virtual. The height of image formed will be 87.26 cm.

12.3 An object and its image in a concave mirror are of the same height, yet inverted, when the object is 20.0 cm from the mirror. What is the focal length of the mirror?

**Solution:**

**Given Data:**

Distance of object =  $p = 20$  cm

Distance of image =  $q = 20$  cm

**Required:**

Focal length =  $f = ?$

**Formula:**

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q}$$

**Calculations:**

By using the formula, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{f} &= \frac{1}{20\text{cm}} + \frac{1}{20\text{cm}} \\ &= \frac{1+1}{20\text{cm}} \\ &= \frac{2}{20\text{cm}} \\ f &= \frac{20\text{cm}}{2} \\ f &= 10\text{ cm} \end{aligned}$$

**Result:**

Hence, the focal length of mirror will be 10 cm.

12.4 Find the focal length of a mirror that form an image 5.66 cm behind a mirror of an object placed at 34.4 cm in front of the mirror

**Solution:**

**Given Data:**

Distance of the image form the mirror =  $q =$

5.66

Distance of object form the mirror =  $p = 34.4$

cm

**Required:**

Find out the focal length of the mirror =  $f = ?$

**Formula:**

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q}$$

**Calculations:**

By using the above formula

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q}$$

As the image is formed behind the mirror, so it would be convex mirror, so  $q$  will be taken negative.

$q = - 5.66$  cm

$p = + 34.4$  cm

By substituting values in above equation, we get;

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{f} &= -\frac{1}{5.66} + \frac{1}{34.4} \\ \frac{1}{f} &= -0.177 + 0.029 \\ \frac{1}{f} &= -0.148 \\ f &= -6.77\text{cm} \end{aligned}$$

**Result:**

Hence, the focal length of mirror will be 6.77 cm and here, negative sign indicates that the image is virtual.

12.5 An image of a statue appears to be 11.5 cm behind a convex mirror with focal length 13.5 cm. find the distance form the statue to the mirror.

**Solution:** (GRW 2014)

**Given Data:**

Distance of image =  $q = -11.5$  cm  
(For convex mirror)  
Focal length =  $f = 13.5$  cm

**Required:**

Distance of object =  $p = ?$

**Formula:**

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q}$$

**Calculations:**

By using the formula, we have

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q}$$

Or 
$$\frac{1}{p} = \frac{1}{f} - \frac{1}{q}$$

By putting the values

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{p} &= \frac{-1}{13.5 \text{ cm}} + \frac{1}{11.5 \text{ cm}} \\ &= \frac{-11.5 + 13.5}{(13.5)(11.5) \text{ cm}} \\ &= \frac{2}{155.25 \text{ cm}} \\ p &= \frac{155.25 \text{ cm}}{2} \\ p &= 77.62 \text{ cm} \end{aligned}$$

**Result:**

Hence the distance of statue from the mirror will be 6.21 cm.

12.6 An image is produced by a concave mirror of focal length 8.70cm. The object is 13.2 cm tall and at a distance 19.3 cm from the mirror. (a) Find the location and height of the image. (b) Find the height of the image produced by the mirror if the object is twice as far from the mirror.

**Solution:**

**Given Data:**

Focal length  $f = 8.70$  cm  
Object height  $h_o = 13.2$  cm  
Distance of object  $p = 19.3$  cm

**Required:**

- (a) Location of image =  $q = ?$   
(b) Height of image =  $h_i = ?$

**Formula:**

(a) 
$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q}$$

(b) 
$$\frac{h_i}{h_o} = \frac{q}{p}$$

**Calculations:**

(a) By using the formula, we have

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q}$$

Or 
$$\frac{1}{q} = \frac{1}{f} - \frac{1}{p}$$

By putting the values

$$\frac{1}{q} = \frac{1}{8.7 \text{ cm}} - \frac{1}{19.3 \text{ cm}}$$

$$\frac{1}{q} = \frac{19.3 - 8.7}{(8.7)(19.3) \text{ cm}}$$

$$\frac{1}{q} = \frac{10.6}{167.9 \text{ cm}}$$

$$q = \frac{167.9 \text{ cm}}{10.6}$$

$$q = 15.83 \text{ cm}$$

(b) By using the formula, we have

$$\frac{h_i}{h_o} = \frac{q}{p} \Rightarrow h_i = \frac{q}{p} \times h_o$$

By putting the values

$$h_i = \frac{15.84 \text{ cm}}{19.3 \text{ cm}} \times 13.2 \text{ cm}$$

$$h_i = 10.83 \text{ cm}$$

(b) When the object is twice as far from the mirror, then

$$p = 19.3 \text{ cm} \times 2 = 38.6 \text{ cm}$$

Now, again using the formula

$$\frac{h_i}{h_o} = \frac{q}{p}$$

Or 
$$h_i = \frac{q}{p} \times h_o$$

By putting the values

$$h_i = \frac{15.84 \text{ cm}}{38.6 \text{ cm}} \times 13.2 \text{ cm}$$

$$h_i = 5.42 \text{ cm}$$

**Result:**

Hence the image formed will be at the distance of 15.83cm and the image height will be 10.83 cm. But if object is at double distance then height will be 5.42 cm.



12.7 Nabeela uses a concave mirror when applying makeup. The mirror has a radius of curvature of 38.0 cm. (a) what is the focal length of the mirror? (b) Nabeela is located 50cm from the mirror. Where will her image appear? (c) Will the image be upright or inverted?

**Solution:**

**Given Data:**

Radius of curvature =  $R = 38 \text{ cm}$

Distance of object =  $p = 50 \text{ cm}$

**Required:**

(a) Focal length =  $f = ?$

(b) Distance of image =  $q = ?$

(c) Nature of image = ?

**Formula:**

$$(a) \quad f = \frac{R}{2}$$

$$(b) \quad \frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{q} + \frac{1}{p}$$

**Calculations:**

(a) By using the formula, we have

$$f = \frac{R}{2}$$

$$\text{or} \quad f = \frac{38 \text{ cm}}{2}$$

$$f = 19 \text{ cm}$$

(b) Using the formula

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{q} + \frac{1}{p} \quad \text{Or} \quad \frac{1}{q} = \frac{1}{f} - \frac{1}{p}$$

By putting the values

$$\frac{1}{q} = \frac{1}{19 \text{ cm}} - \frac{1}{50 \text{ cm}}$$

$$= \frac{50 - 19}{(19)(50) \text{ cm}} = \frac{31}{950 \text{ cm}}$$

$$\text{Therefore, } q = \frac{950 \text{ cm}}{31} \Rightarrow q = 30.64 \text{ cm}$$

(c) **Nature of image:**

The image formed will be real, inverted and smaller in size than object.

**Result:**

Hence, the focal length of mirror will be 19 cm and distance of image will be 30.64 cm. The image formed will be real, inverted and smaller in size than object.

12.8 An object 4cm high is placed at a distance of 12cm from a convex lens of focal length 8cm. Calculate the position and size of the image. Also state the nature of the image.

**Solution:**

**Given Data:**

Height of object =  $h_o = 4 \text{ cm}$

Distance of object =  $p = 12 \text{ cm}$

Focal length =  $f = 8 \text{ cm}$

**Required:**

(a) Position of image =  $q = ?$

(b) Size of image =  $h_i = ?$

(c) Nature of the image = ?

**Formula:**

$$(a) \quad \frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q}$$

$$(b) \quad \frac{h_i}{h_o} = \frac{q}{p}$$

**Calculations:**

(a) By using the formula, we have

$$\frac{1}{q} = \frac{1}{f} - \frac{1}{p}$$

By putting the values

$$\frac{1}{q} = \frac{1}{8 \text{ cm}} - \frac{1}{12 \text{ cm}}$$

$$= \frac{12 - 8}{(8)(12) \text{ cm}} = \frac{4}{96 \text{ cm}}$$

$$q = \frac{96 \text{ cm}}{4} \Rightarrow q = 24 \text{ cm}$$

(b) by using formula, we have

$$\frac{h_i}{h_o} = \frac{q}{p} \Rightarrow h_i = \frac{q}{p} \times h_o$$

By putting the values

$$h_i = \frac{24 \text{ cm}}{12 \text{ cm}} \times 4 \text{ cm}$$

$$h_i = \frac{96 \text{ cm}}{12 \text{ cm}} \Rightarrow h_i = 8 \text{ cm}$$

(c) **Image nature:**

Since the lens is convex and size of image is larger than the size of the object, therefore, image formed is real, inverted and magnified.

**Result:**

Hence, the position of the image will be 24 cm and the size of image will be 8 cm. Since the lens is convex and size of image is larger than the size of the object, therefore, image formed is real, inverted and magnified.

- 12.9 An object 10cm high is placed at a distance of 20cm from a concave lens of focal length 15cm. Calculate the position and size of the image. Also state the nature of the image. (LHR 2014)

**Solution:**

**Given Data:**

Size of object =  $h_o = 10$  cm  
 Distance of object =  $p = 20$  cm  
 Focal length =  $f = -15$  cm (for concave lens)

**Required:**

- (a) Position of image =  $q = ?$   
 (b) Size of image =  $h_i = ?$   
 (c) Nature of image = ?

**Formula:**

**Calculations:**

- (a) By using the formula, we have

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q}$$

$$\text{or } \frac{1}{q} = \frac{1}{f} - \frac{1}{p}$$

By putting the values

$$\frac{1}{q} = \frac{1}{-15 \text{ cm}} - \frac{1}{20 \text{ cm}}$$

$$= \frac{-4 - 3}{60 \text{ cm}} = \frac{-7}{60 \text{ cm}}$$

$$q = -\frac{60}{7} \text{ cm} = -8.57 \text{ cm}$$

- (b) By using formula, we have

$$\frac{h_i}{h_o} = \frac{q}{p}$$

$$\text{Or } h_i = \frac{q}{p} \times h_o$$

By putting the values

$$h_i = \frac{8.57 \text{ cm}}{20 \text{ cm}} \times 10 \text{ cm} \Rightarrow h_i = 4.28 \text{ cm}$$

- (c) **Image nature:**

Since the lens is concave and object is larger in size than the size of the image, therefore, the image is virtual, erect and diminished.

**Result:**

Hence, the position of image will be 8.57 cm. Here negative sign indicates that image is virtual. The size of image will be 4.28 cm. Image will be virtual erect and diminished.

- 12.10 A convex lens of focal length 6cm is to be used to form a virtual image three times the size of the object. Where must the lens be placed?

**Solution:**

**Given Data:**

Focal length =  $f = 6$  cm (For virtual image)

Distance of image =  $q = -3p$

**Required:**

Distance of object  $p = ?$

**Formula:**

By using the formula, we have

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q}$$

**Calculations:**

By putting the values,

$$\frac{1}{6 \text{ cm}} = \frac{1}{p} - \frac{1}{3p}$$

$$\frac{1}{6 \text{ cm}} = \frac{3-1}{3p}$$

$$\frac{1}{6 \text{ cm}} = \frac{2}{3p}$$

Or  $3p = 12 \text{ cm}$

$$p = \frac{12 \text{ cm}}{3}$$

$$p = 4 \text{ cm}$$

**Result:**

Hence, the distance of object will be 4 cm from convex lens.

12.11 A ray of light from air is incident on a liquid surface at an angle of incidence  $35^\circ$ . Calculate the angle of refraction if the refractive index of the liquid is 1.25. Also calculate the critical angle between the liquid air interface.

**Solution:**

**Given Data:**

Angle of incidence  $i = 35^\circ$   
Refractive index  $n = 1.25$

**Required:**

- (a) Angle of refraction  $r = ?$   
(b) Critical angle  $= C = ?$

**Formula:**

$$(a) n = \frac{\sin \hat{i}}{\sin \hat{r}}$$

$$(b) \sin C = \left( \frac{1}{n} \right)$$

**Calculations:**

(a) Using Snell's law

$$n = \frac{\sin \hat{i}}{\sin \hat{r}}$$

$$\text{Or } \sin r = \frac{\sin i}{n}$$

By putting the values

$$\sin r = \frac{\sin(35^\circ)}{1.25}$$

$$\sin r = \frac{0.57}{1.25}$$

$$= 0.456$$

$$r = \sin^{-1}(0.456)$$

$$r = 27.13^\circ$$

(b) For critical angle. We know that

$$\sin C = \left( \frac{1}{n} \right)$$

$$\text{or } C = \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{n} \right)$$

By putting the values

$$C = \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{1.25} \right)$$

$$= \sin^{-1}(0.8)$$

$$C = 52.13^\circ$$

**Result:**

Hence, the angle of reflection of light from air to liquid will be  $27.12^\circ$  and critical angle between liquid air interface will be  $52.13^\circ$ .

12.12 The power of a convex lens is 5D. At what distance the object should be placed from the lens so that its real and 2 times larger image is formed. (LHR 2013, LHR 2016)

**Solution:**

**Given Data:**

Power of the lens  $p = 5D$   
Size of image  $= q = 2p$

**Required:**

Distance of object  $= p = ?$

**Formula:**

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{q} + \frac{1}{p}$$

**Calculations:**

To find the distance of object from convex lens, first we have to find the focal length of lens. So that by using formula, we have

$$\text{Power of lens } p = \frac{1}{f}$$

$$\text{or } 5 = \frac{1}{f}$$

$$\text{or } f = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\text{or } f = 0.2\text{m}$$

$$= \frac{2}{10} \times 100 \text{ cm} = 20 \text{ cm}$$

Now using the formula

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{q} + \frac{1}{p}$$

By putting the values

$$\frac{1}{20\text{cm}} = \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{2p}$$

$$\frac{1}{20\text{cm}} = \frac{2+1}{2p}$$

$$\frac{1}{20\text{cm}} = \frac{3}{2p}$$

$$2p = 60\text{cm}$$

$$p = \frac{60\text{cm}}{2}$$

$$p = 30\text{cm}$$

**Result:**

Hence, the distance of object from the convex

**SELF TEST**

Time: 40 min.

Marks: 25

**Q.1** Four possible answers (A), (B), (C) & (D) to each question are given, mark the correct answer. (6×1=6)

**1.** In a convex mirror the size of the image:

- (A) Is smaller than the size of the object (B) Is greater than the size of the object  
(C) Depends upon the position of the object (D) Is equal to the size of the object

**2.** The index of refraction depends on:

- (A) The focal length (B) The speed of light  
(C) The image distance (D) The object distance

**3.** An object is 14 cm in front of a convex mirror. The image is 5.8 cm behind the mirror. What is the focal length of the mirror?

- (A) 4.1 cm (B) 8.2 cm  
(C) 9.9 cm (D) 20 cm

**4.** After refraction from a convex lens, rays of light parallel to the principal axis converge at a point, this point of convex lens is called:

- (A) Principal focus (B) Pole  
(C) Focal length (D) Optical centre

**5.** The focal length is related to radius of curvature by the formula:

- (A)  $f = \frac{R}{2}$  (B)  $f = 2R$   
(C)  $f = R2$  (D)  $f = 3R$

**6.** Optical fibers work on the principle of:

- (A) Refraction (B) Continuous refraction  
(C) Total internal reflection (D) Both B & C

**Q.2** Give short answers to following questions. (5×2=10)

- State laws of reflection.
- What are the characteristics of focus of a concave and convex mirror?
- What is meant by total internal reflection?
- Define power of a lens. Give its mathematical form and SI unit.
- Illustrate the image formation in a convex lens with the help of a ray diagram when the object is placed beyond 2F.

**Q.3** Answer the following questions in detail. (4+5=9)

- What is meant by total internal reflection? Explain in detail.
- An object 10 cm high is placed at a distance of 20 cm from a concave lens of focal length 15 cm. Calculate position and size of the image. Also, state the nature of the image.

**Note:**

Parents or guardians can conduct this test in their supervision in order to check the skill of students.