

# Physics

## Unit 11: Electromagnetic Waves

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1. Know about the spectrum of light including the complete spectrum and visible light.
2. Know about the eye, vision correction, and color vision
3. Know how to make ray diagrams for mirrors and lenses.
4. What type of images do the various mirrors and lenses make? (real or virtual) (upright or inverted) (enlarged or reduced)
5. Why does refraction happen?
6. A spy satellite is in orbit at a distance of  $1.0 \times 10^5$  m above the ground. It carries a telescope that can resolve the two rails of a railroad track that are 1.4 m apart using light of wavelength 500 nm. What is the size of the mirror in the telescope?
7. WAUS has a frequency of 90.7 MHz. What is its wavelength?
8. An electromagnetic wave has a magnetic field with peak value 0.500 T. What is the average intensity of the wave?
9. If the index of refraction is 1.25, what is the speed of light in the material?
10. A beam of light in a material of index of refraction of 1.5 hits a boundary with air ( $n = 1.00$ ). If the angle of incidence is  $25^\circ$ , what is the angle of refraction?
11. A 2 cm object is placed 15 cm from a lens. The resulting image height has a magnitude of 0.5 cm and the image is inverted. What is the focal length of the lens?
12. What is the image distance if an object is placed 10 cm in front of a concave mirror with radius of curvature of 12 cm?
13. Light with a 700 nm wavelength is shown through a double slit. If the  $m = 0$  and  $m = 1$  bright fringes are separated by  $10^\circ$ , what is the separation of the slits?
14. Light with a 700 nm wavelength is shown through a single slit onto a screen 3 m away. What is the width of the slit if the 2<sup>nd</sup>-order dark fringe is located 50 cm from the center of the central bright region?
15. A diffraction grating has 2000 lines/cm and has monochromatic light shown on it. If the 3<sup>rd</sup>-order maximum is at  $20^\circ$ , what is the wavelength of the light?
16. A portion of a soap bubble appears to have  $\lambda = 500.0$  nm in a vacuum when viewed at normal incidence in white light. Determine the smallest, non-zero thickness for the soap film if its index of refraction is 2.0.
17. Unpolarized light with an average intensity of  $1000$  W/m<sup>2</sup> enters a polarizer with a vertical transmission axis.
  - a. What is the intensity of the light after the polarizer?
  - b. Then the light hits a second polarizer. The light that exits the second polarizer has an intensity of  $300$  W/m<sup>2</sup>. What is the orientation angle of the second polarizer?

4. Mirrors

Concave:  $d_o > R$  image real, inverted, reduced, between C and F

$f < d_o < R$  image real, inverted, enlarged, beyond C

$d_o < f$  image virtual, upright, enlarged, behind mirror

Convex: image virtual, upright, reduced, behind mirror

Lenses

Converging:  $d_o > 2f$  image real, inverted, reduced, between 2F and F

$f < d_o < 2f$  image real, inverted, enlarged, beyond 2F

$d_o < f$  image virtual, upright, enlarged, behind lens

Diverging: image virtual, upright, reduced, behind lens

5. Speed of light changes

$$6. \theta = 1.22 \frac{\lambda}{D}$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{1.4 \text{ m}}{1 \times 10^5 \text{ m}}$$

$$\theta = 0.000014$$

$$\theta = 1.22 \frac{\lambda}{D}$$

$$0.000014 = 1.22 \frac{500 \times 10^{-9} \text{ m}}{D}$$

$$D = \mathbf{0.044 \text{ m}}$$

$$7. f = 90.7 \times 10^6 \text{ Hz}, c = 3.00 \times 10^8 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

$$c = f\lambda$$

$$3.00 \times 10^8 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} = (90.7 \times 10^6 \text{ Hz})\lambda$$

$$\lambda = \mathbf{3.31 \text{ m}}$$

$$8. I_{ave} = \frac{cB_0^2}{2\mu_0}$$

$$I_{ave} = \frac{(3.00 \times 10^8 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}})(0.500 \text{ T})^2}{2(4\pi \times 10^{-7} \frac{\text{T}}{\text{Nm}})}$$

$$I_{ave} = \mathbf{2.98 \times 10^{13} \text{ W/m}^2}$$

$$9. n = 12.5$$

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

$$12.5 = \frac{3.00 \times 10^8 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}}{v}$$

$$v = \mathbf{2.4 \times 10^7 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}}$$

$$10. n_1 = 1.5, \theta_1 = 25^\circ, n_2 = 1.0, \theta_2 = ?$$

$$n_1 \sin \theta_1 = n_2 \sin \theta_2$$

$$1.5 \sin 25^\circ = 1.0 \sin \theta$$

$$0.6339 = \sin \theta$$

$$\theta = \sin^{-1} 0.6339 = \mathbf{39.3^\circ}$$

$$11. h_o = 2 \text{ cm}, d_o = 15 \text{ cm}, h_i = -0.5 \text{ cm}, f = ?$$

$$\frac{h_i}{h_o} = -\frac{d_i}{d_o}$$

$$\frac{-0.5}{2} = \frac{-d_i}{15}$$

$$-2d_i = -7.5$$

$$d_i = 3.75 \text{ cm}$$

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{d_i} + \frac{1}{d_o}$$

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{15} + \frac{1}{3.75}$$

$$f = \mathbf{3 \text{ cm}}$$

$$12. R = 12 \text{ cm}, f = 6 \text{ cm}, d_o = 10 \text{ cm}$$

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{d_o} + \frac{1}{d_i}$$

$$\frac{1}{6} = \frac{1}{10} + \frac{1}{d_i}$$

$$\frac{1}{6} - \frac{1}{10} = \frac{1}{d_i}$$

$$d_i = \mathbf{15 \text{ cm}}$$

$$13. \sin \theta = \frac{m\lambda}{d}$$

$$\sin 10^\circ = \frac{1(700 \times 10^{-9} \text{ m})}{d}$$

$$d = 4.03 \mu\text{m} = \mathbf{4.03 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}}$$

$$14. \sin \theta = \frac{m\lambda}{W}$$



$$\tan \theta = \frac{0.5}{3}$$

$$\theta = 9.46^\circ$$

$$\sin 9.46^\circ = \frac{2(700 \times 10^{-9} \text{ m})}{W}$$

$$W = \mathbf{8.52 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}}$$

$$15. \sin \theta = \frac{m\lambda}{d}$$

$$d = \frac{1}{2000 \frac{\text{lines}}{\text{cm}}} = 0.0005 \text{ cm} = 0.000005 \text{ m}$$

$$\sin 20^\circ = \frac{3\lambda}{0.000005 \text{ m}}$$

$$\lambda = \mathbf{5.7 \times 10^{-7} \text{ m}}$$

16. Only ray 1 phase shifts so to get constructive interference,  $2t = \frac{\lambda_n}{2}$

$$\lambda_n = \frac{\lambda}{n} = \frac{500 \times 10^{-9} \text{ m}}{2.0} = 250 \times 10^{-9} \text{ m}$$

$$2t = \frac{250 \times 10^{-9} \text{ m}}{2}$$

$$t = \mathbf{6.25 \times 10^{-8} \text{ m}}$$

$$17. a. \mathbf{500 \frac{W}{m^2}} \text{ (halved)}$$

$$b. S = S_0 \cos^2 \theta$$

$$300 \frac{W}{m^2} = 500 \frac{W}{m^2} \cos^2 \theta$$

$$0.6 = \cos^2 \theta$$

$$0.7746 = \cos \theta$$

$$\theta = \cos^{-1} 0.7746 = \mathbf{39.2^\circ}$$