

Lecture 36

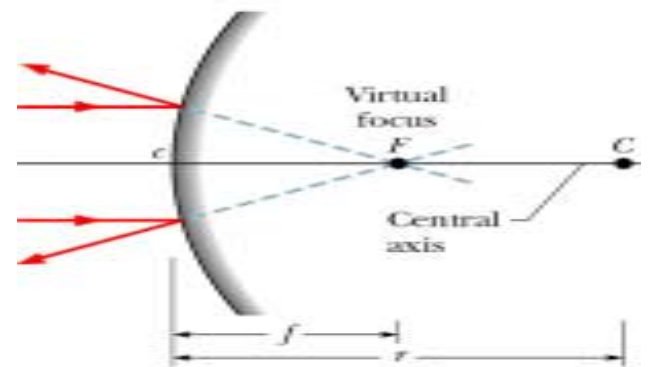
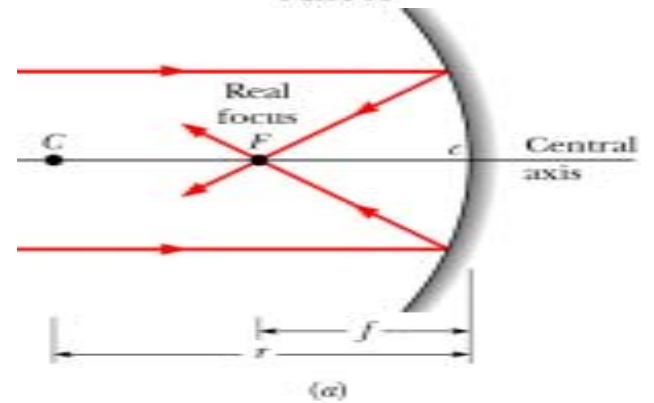
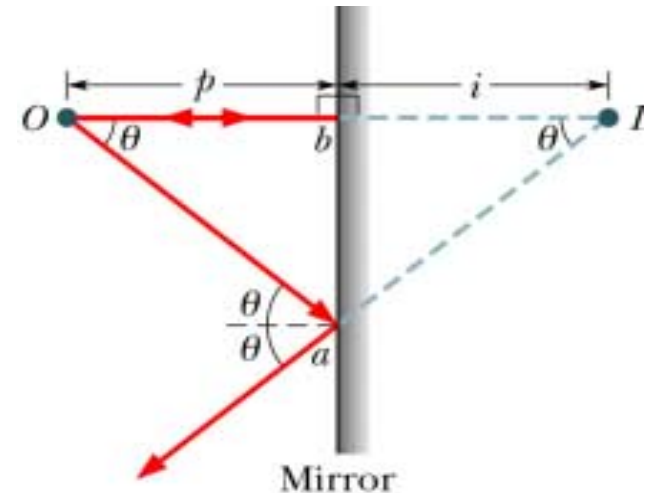
Chapter 35 - 36

Images & Interference

Review

- Mirrors

- Plane – flat mirror
- Concave – caved in away from object
- Convex – flexed out toward object
- Real images on side where object is, virtual images on opposite side
- Plane and convex mirrors make only virtual images
- Concave mirrors can produce both real and virtual images



Review

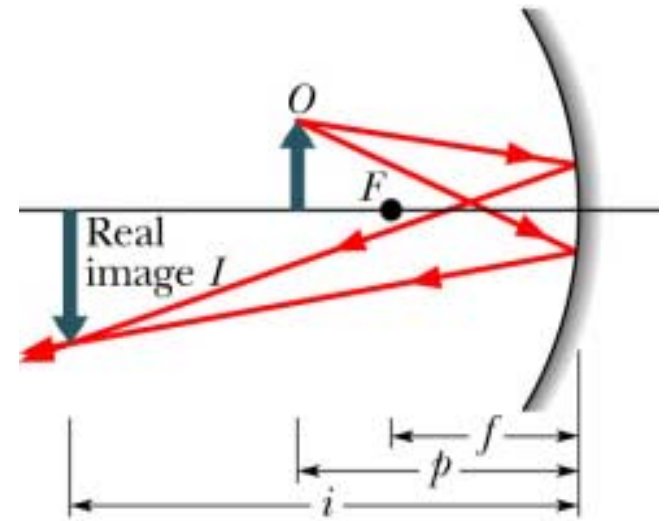
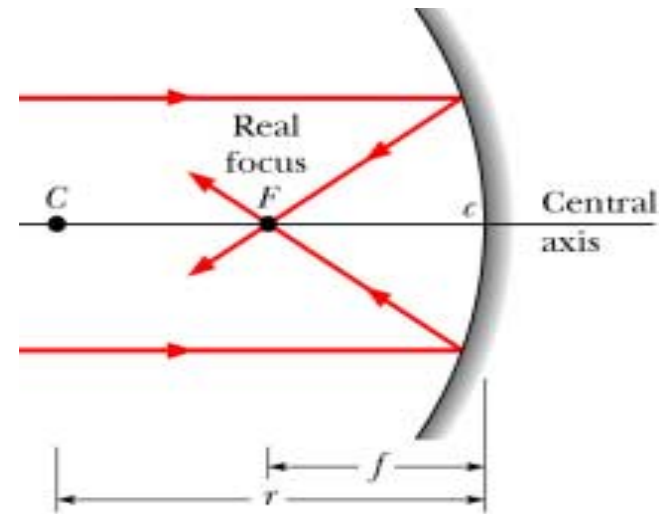
- Spherical mirrors have focal point, r is radius of curvature

$$f = \frac{1}{2} r$$

- Find focal length, f from

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

- Object distance p is +
- Image distance i is + for real images, - for virtual images
- f is + for concave, - for convex



Review

- Ratio of image's height h' to object's height h is called lateral magnification, m

$$|m| = \frac{h'}{h}$$

- Magnification also equal to

$$m = -\frac{i}{p}$$

- m is + if image has same orientation as object
- m is – if image is inverted from object
- Plane mirror $m = +1$

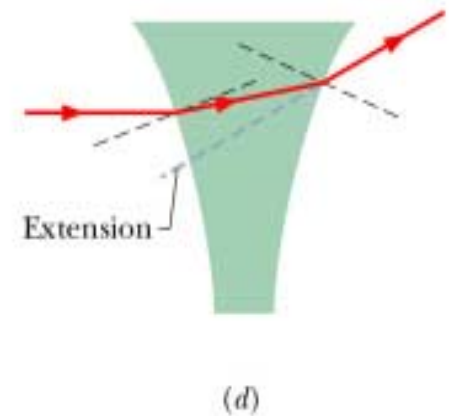
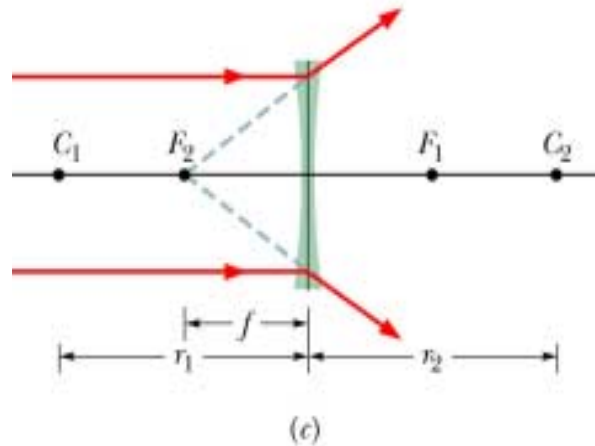
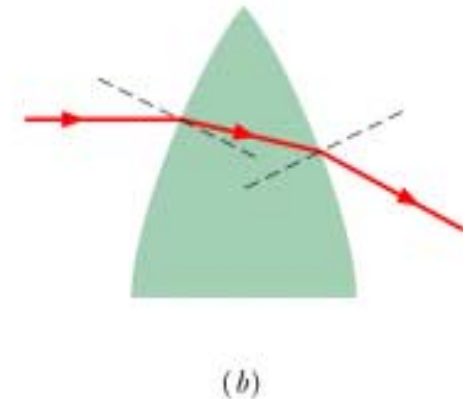
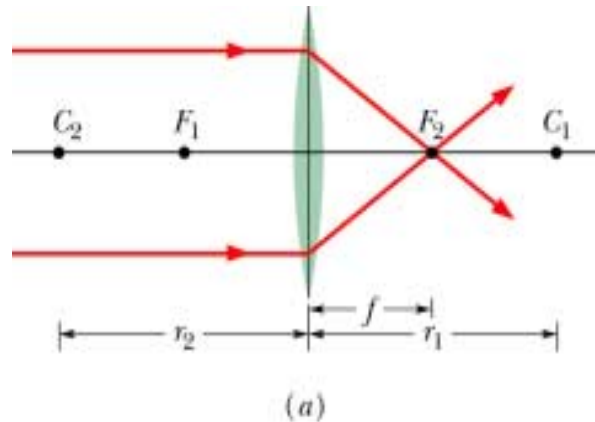
Review - Mirrors

Mirror Type	Object Location	Image Location	Image Size	Image Type	Image Orientation	Sign of f	Sign of i	Sign of m
Plane	Anywhere	$i = -p$	Equal	Virtual	Same	∞	-	+1
Concave	$p < f$	Anywhere	Bigger	Virtual	Same	+	-	+
Concave	$f < p < 2f$	$i > 2f$	Bigger	Real	Invert	+	+	-
Concave	$p = 2f$	$i = 2f$	Equal	Real	Invert	+	+	-
Concave	$p > 2f$	$2f > i > f$	Smaller	Real	Invert	+	+	-
Convex	Anywhere	$ i < f $	Smaller	Virtual	Same	-	-	+

Review

- **Thin Lenses**

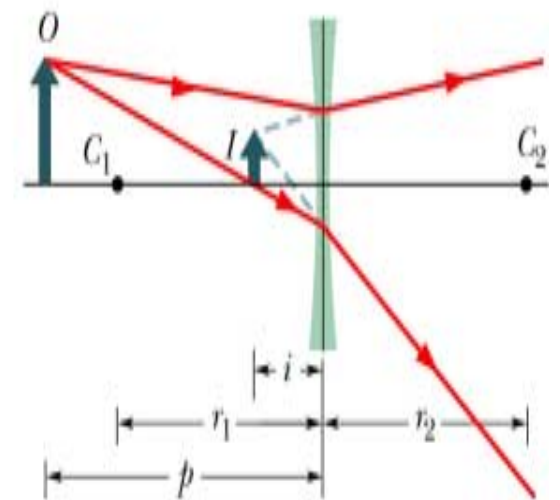
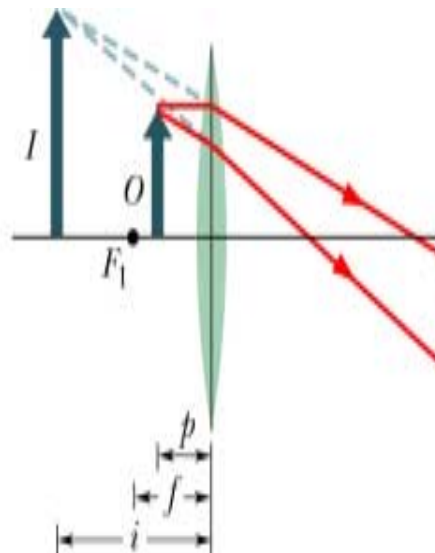
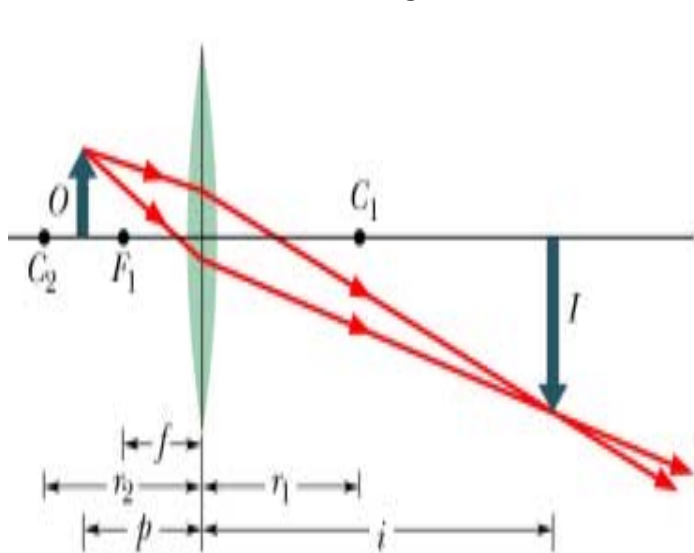
- Light rays bent by refraction form an image
- Converging – lens with convex refracting sides
- Diverging – lens with concave sides



Review

- Thin Lenses

- Real images form on opposite side of lens from object, virtual images on same side
- Diverging lens only produces smaller, same orientation, virtual images (like convex mirror)
- Converging lens (like concave mirror) can produce both real and virtual images depending on where the object is in relation to the lens' focal point

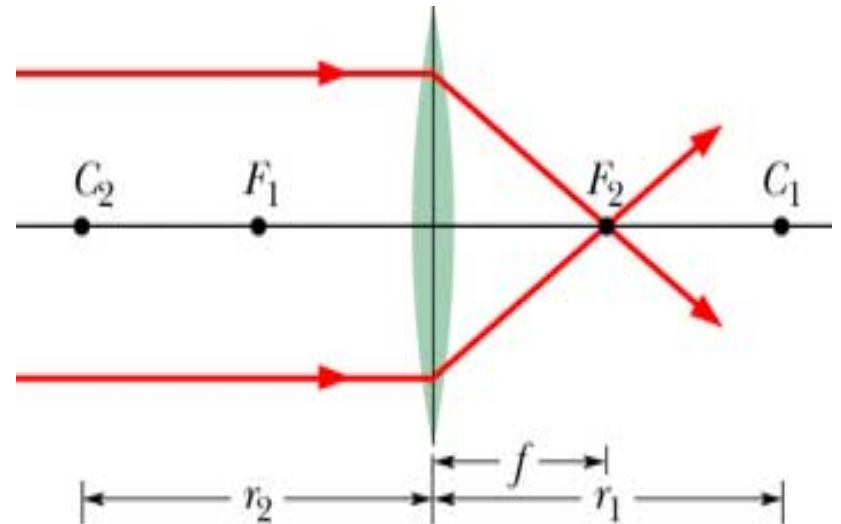


Review

- Thin lenses have a focal point on each side of lens
- Focal length, f same as mirror

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

- **Lens maker's equation** –
for lens in air, r_1 is radius of lens surface nearest the object, r_2 is other surface
– r is + for convex surface,
– for concave surface



$$\frac{1}{f} = (n - 1) \left(\frac{1}{r_1} - \frac{1}{r_2} \right)$$

Review

- Thin lenses -

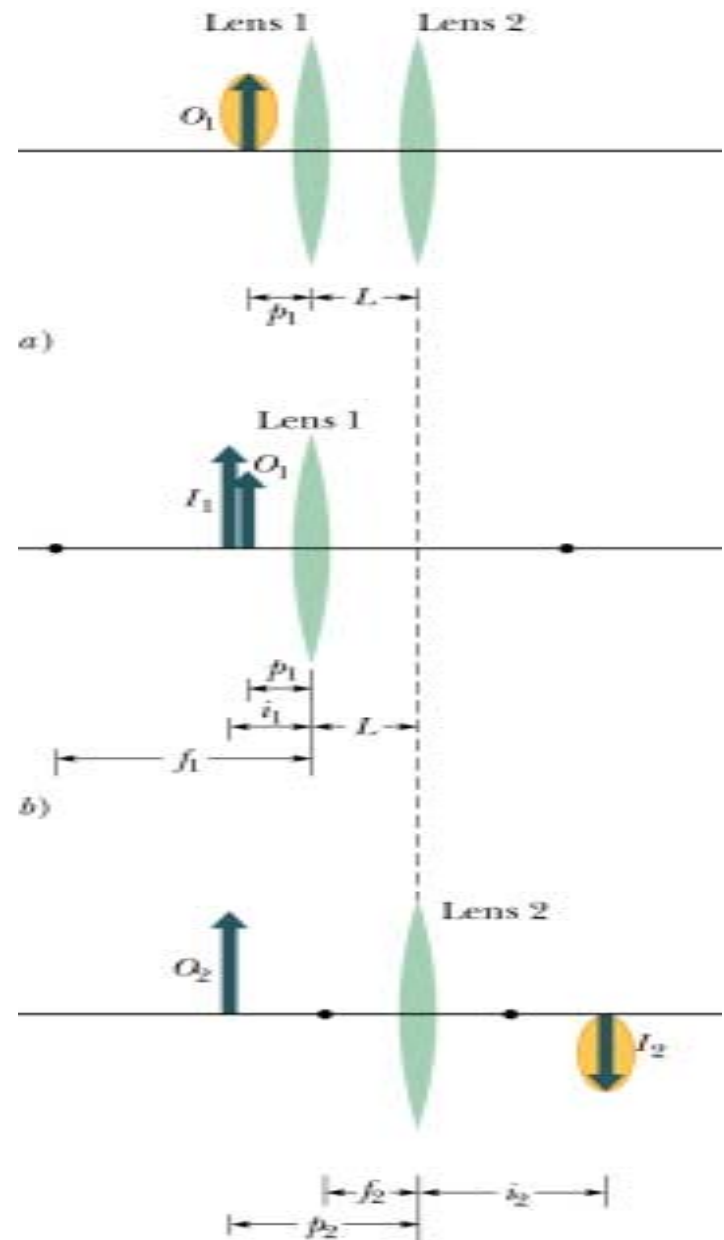
- Lateral magnification m same as for mirror

$$m = -\frac{i}{p}$$

- For a system of lenses or mirrors the total magnification M is product of each m

$$M = m_1 m_2 m_3 \dots$$

- Work through system of lenses one by one – use image from one lens as object for next lens



Review – Thin Lenses

Converging lens = concave mirror

Diverging lens = convex mirror

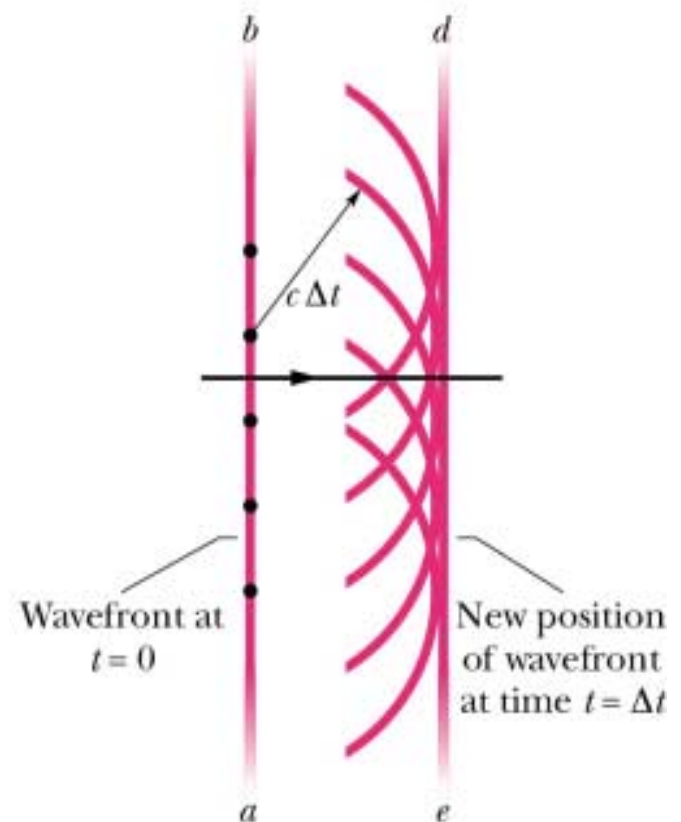
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Lecture 36 (cont.)

Chapter 36
Interference

Interference (1)

- Light is an EM wave
- Interfering light waves combine to enhance or suppress colors in sunlight
 - Soap bubbles, oil slicks
- Interference best evidence that light is a wave
- **Huygen's principle** – points on wavefront act as point sources of spherical wavelets, at time t new position of wavefront is tangent to wavelets



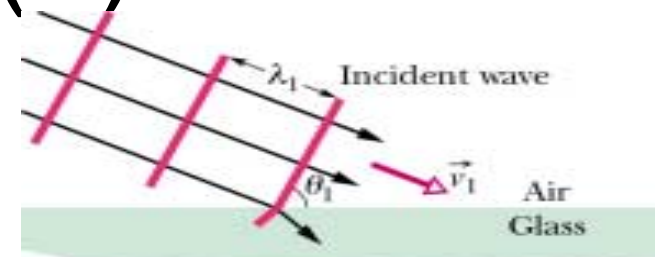
Interference (2)

- Can use **Huygen's principle** and geometry to prove Snell's law (see section 36-2)

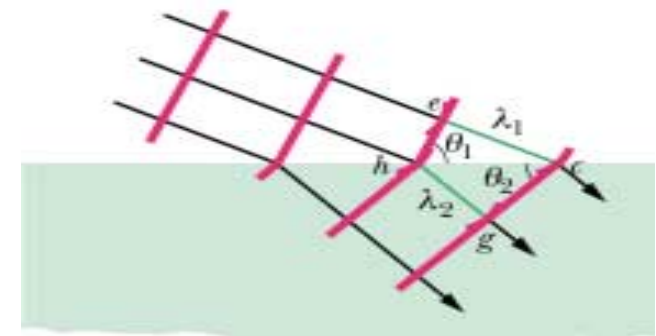
$$n_2 \sin \theta_2 = n_1 \sin \theta_1$$

- Wavelength of light in two different media, 1 and 2, are proportional to

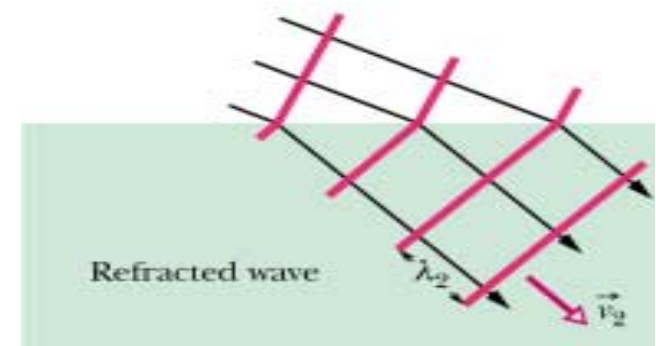
$$\frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_2} = \frac{v_1}{v_2} = \frac{\sin \theta_1}{\sin \theta_2} = \frac{n_2}{n_1}$$



(a)



(b)



Interference (3)

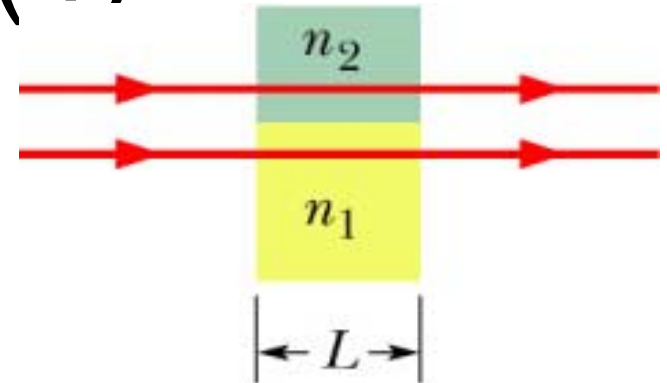
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- Frequency of light in medium is same as in vacuum
- Wavelength and velocity of light change in a medium and depend on its index of refraction, n
- Velocity of light in a medium is always smaller than speed of light in vacuum, c
- Wavelength of light in a medium, λ_n is smaller than in vacuum, λ and related by

$$\lambda_n = \frac{\lambda}{n}$$

Interference (4)

- Phase difference between 2 light waves can change if waves travel through different media with different n
- Number of wavelengths in media



$$N_1 = \frac{L}{\lambda_{n_1}} = \frac{Ln_1}{\lambda}$$

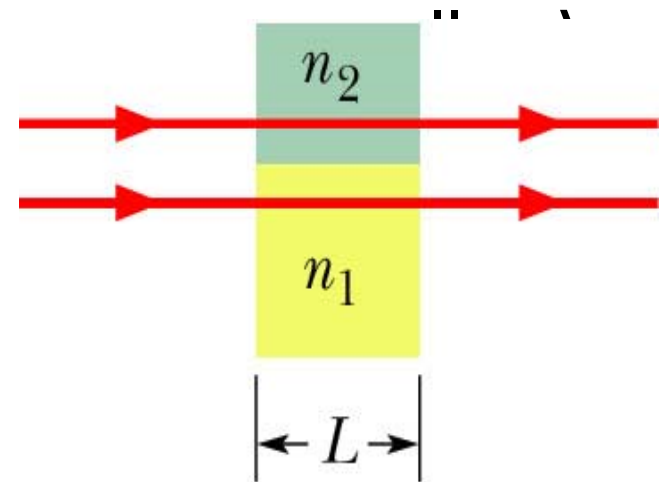
$$N_2 = \frac{L}{\lambda_{n_2}} = \frac{Ln_2}{\lambda}$$

- Phase difference between the two waves

$$N_2 - N_1 = \frac{Ln_2}{\lambda} - \frac{Ln_1}{\lambda} = \frac{L}{\lambda} (n_2 - n_1)$$

Interference (5)

- Checkpoint #2 – Rays have same wavelength and initially in phase. A) If 7.6 wavelengths fit within top material and 5.5 fit within bottom, which has greater index of refraction, n ?
- Larger n produce $\lambda_n = \frac{\lambda}{n}$
- Which material has $\lambda_n = \frac{\lambda}{n}$?
- Smaller λ , more wavelengths same distance



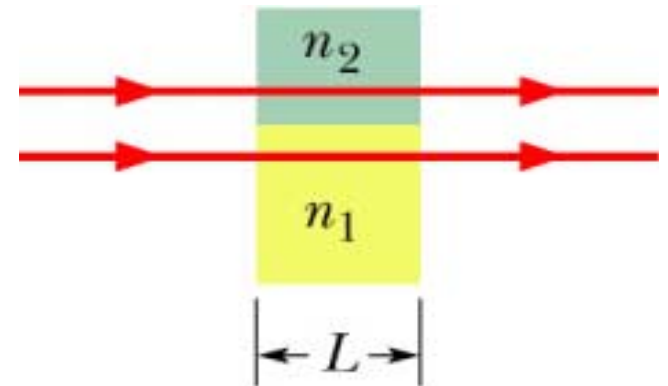
Top material has greater index of refraction, n

Interference (6)

- Checkpoint #2 – Rays have same wavelength and initially in phase. B) After material will interference of waves give brightest, bright intermediate, dark intermediate illumination or darkness?

- Look at phase difference in
of λ

$$N_2 - N_1 = \frac{L}{\lambda} (n_2 - n_1)$$



- Given # of wavelengths for
material

$$N_2 - N_1 = 7.6 - 5.5 = 2.1$$

- Waves are 2.1 wavelengths out of phase after passing through materials

Interference (7)

- Checkpoint #2 – B) After material will interference of waves give brightest, bright intermediate, dark intermediate illumination or darkness?
- If phase difference is an integer # of wavelengths (0, 1, 2, ...) then waves are in phase and have full constructive interference (brightest spot)
- Effective phase difference is decimal fraction
- Total phase difference = 2.1
- Effective phase difference = 0.1

Interference (8)

- Checkpoint #2 – B) After material will interference of waves give brightest, bright intermediate, dark intermediate illumination or darkness?
- If phase difference is 0.5 wavelengths (half a wavelength) then waves are completely out of phase and fully destructive interference (dark spot)
- Our effective phase difference of 0.1 is closer to 0 than 0.5 so intermediate bright spot but not the brightest.

Interference (9)

- For interference pattern to appear waves must have a constant phase difference
- If phase difference does not vary with time waves are **coherent**
- Light is produced by emission from individual atoms
- Atoms in conventional light (light bulbs, sunlight) are in random phases so light is **incoherent**
- **Lasers** are designed so atoms emit coherent and monochromatic light