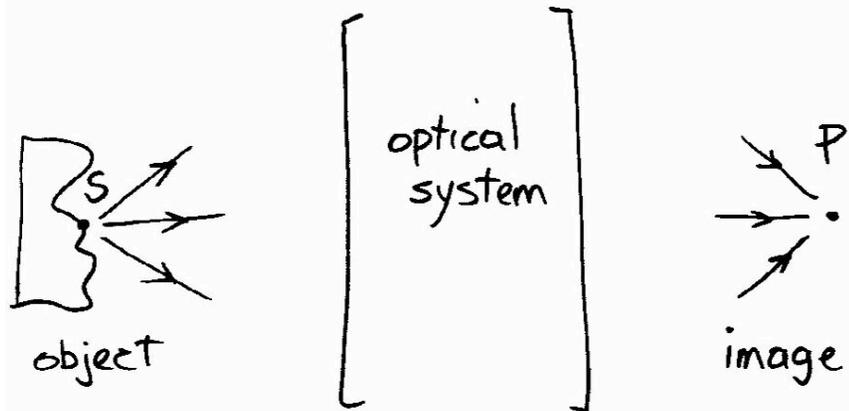


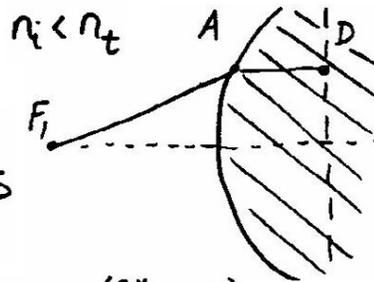
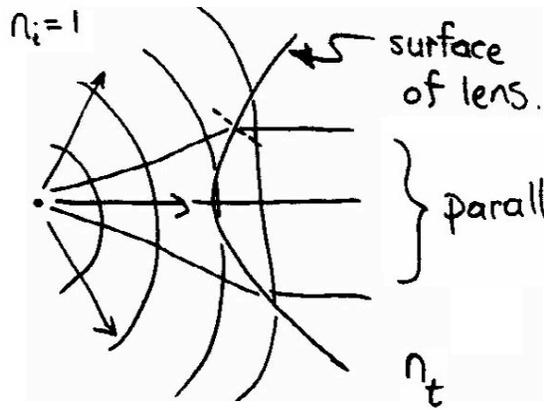
# Chap 5 - Geometrical Optics



S, P - conjugate points

- diffraction (due to finite acceptance of system)
- aberrations (due to imperfect systems)

perfect lenses (aspherical)



$$\phi = \omega \left( \frac{n_t}{c} - t \right)$$

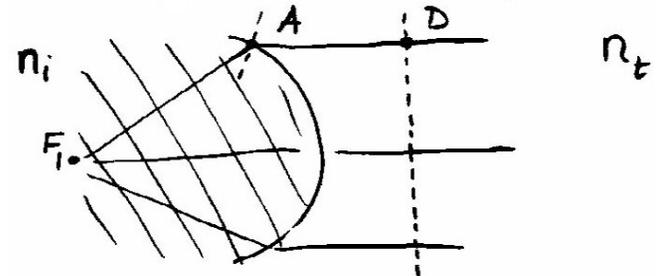
$$\Delta\phi = 0 \Rightarrow n_t x = c t = \text{const.}$$

$$\Rightarrow n_i \overline{F_i A} + n_t \overline{AD} = \text{const}$$

$$\text{or } \overline{F_i A} + \left( \frac{n_t}{n_i} \right) \overline{AD} = \text{const.}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{hyperboloid}$$

alternatively, for  $n_i > n_t$

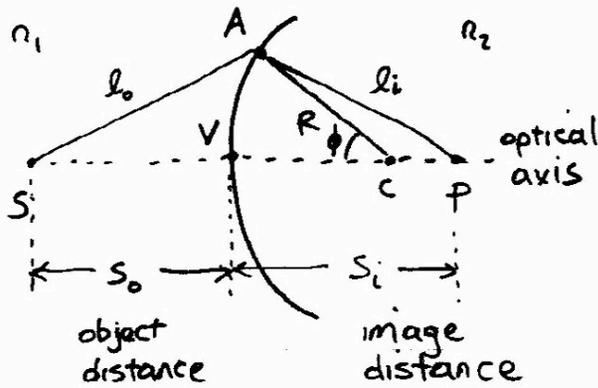


$$\text{again, } \overline{F_i A} + \left( \frac{n_t}{n_i} \right) \overline{AD} = \text{const.}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{ellipsoid}$$

- fabrication requires fine computer-controlled milling machines
- easier to make spherical surfaces by mechanical polishing.

# Spherical Lenses:



$V$  - vertex (on optic axis)

$OPL = n_1 l_o + n_2 l_i$  use Fermat's Principle

SAC:  $l_o = [R^2 + (S_o + R)^2 - 2R(S_o + R)\cos\phi]^{1/2}$

ACP:  $l_i = [R^2 + (S_i - R)^2 - 2R(S_i - R)\cos(\pi - \phi)]^{1/2}$   
 $-\cos\phi$

$\Rightarrow OPL = n_1 [R^2 + (S_o + R)^2 - 2R(S_o + R)\cos\phi]^{1/2} + n_2 [R^2 + (S_i - R)^2 + 2R(S_i - R)\cos\phi]^{1/2}$

note: all quantities positive ( $R, S_o, S_i$ )

$$\frac{d}{d\phi} OPL = + \frac{n_1}{2l_o} \cancel{2R(S_o+R)} \sin\phi - \frac{n_2}{2l_i} \cancel{2R(S_i-R)} \sin\phi = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{n_1}{l_o} + \frac{n_2}{l_i} = \frac{1}{R} \left( \frac{n_2 S_i}{l_i} - \frac{n_1 S_o}{l_o} \right)$$

• correct, but complicated

new  $\phi \Rightarrow$  diff.  $l_o, l_i \Rightarrow$  point  $P$  moves.

• simplify - assume paraxial rays ( $\phi \approx 0$ )

$\Rightarrow l_o \approx S_o, l_i \approx S_i$

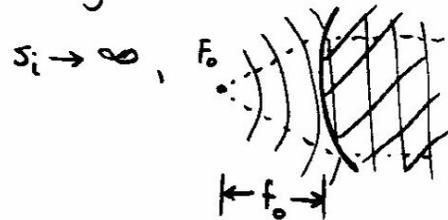
"1<sup>st</sup> order, or Gaussian optics"

and

$$\boxed{\frac{n_1}{S_o} + \frac{n_2}{S_i} = \frac{n_2 - n_1}{R}}$$

limiting cases:

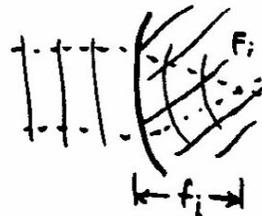
first (object) focal length  $S_o \equiv f_o$



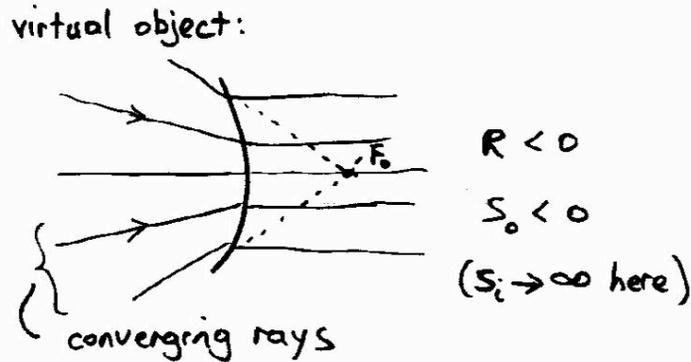
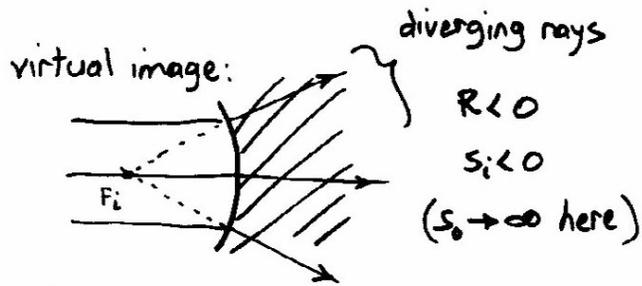
$$\frac{n_1}{f_o} = \frac{n_2 - n_1}{R}, \quad \underline{f_o = R \frac{n_1}{n_2 - n_1}}$$

$S_o \rightarrow \infty,$

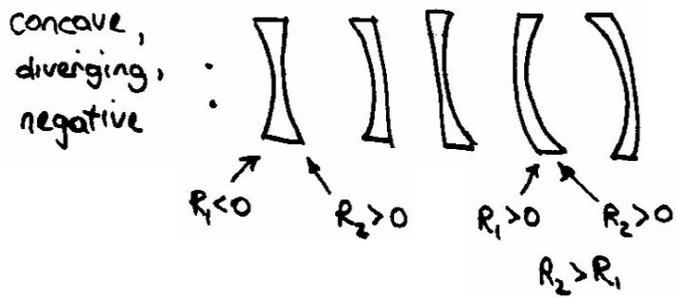
second (image) focal length  $S_i \equiv f_i$



$$\frac{n_2}{f_i} = \frac{n_2 - n_1}{R}, \quad \underline{f_i = R \frac{n_2}{n_2 - n_1}}$$



### Thin Lenses:



consider refraction from two spherical surfaces:

1<sup>st</sup> interface:  $\frac{n_m}{s_{o1}} + \frac{n_l}{s_{i1}} = \frac{n_l - n_m}{R_1}$

2<sup>nd</sup> interface:  $\frac{n_l}{s_{o2}} + \frac{n_m}{s_{i2}} = \frac{n_m - n_l}{R_2}$

thin lens:  $s_{o2} = -s_{i1}$ ,  $\frac{n_l}{s_{o2}} = -\frac{n_l}{s_{i1}}$

add:  $\frac{n_m}{s_{o1}} + \frac{n_m}{s_{i2}} = (n_l - n_m) \left( \frac{1}{R_1} - \frac{1}{R_2} \right)$

take  $n_m = 1$ ,  $\Rightarrow$   $\boxed{\frac{1}{s_o} + \frac{1}{s_i} = (n_l - 1) \left( \frac{1}{R_1} - \frac{1}{R_2} \right)}$  Thin Lens Eqn.

$s_{o1} = s_o$ ,  $s_{i2} = s_i$

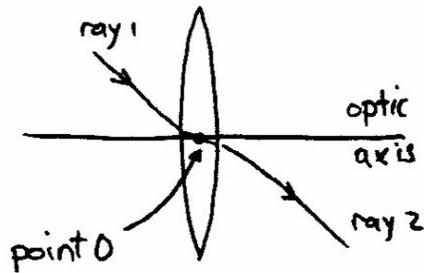
note:  $\lim_{s_i \rightarrow \infty} s_o = f_o = \left[ (n_l - 1) \left( \frac{1}{R_1} - \frac{1}{R_2} \right) \right]^{-1}$

$\lim_{s_o \rightarrow \infty} s_i = f_i = \left[ (n_l - 1) \left( \frac{1}{R_1} - \frac{1}{R_2} \right) \right]^{-1}$

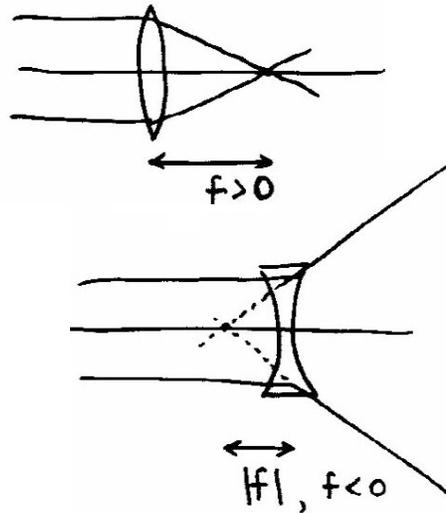
define  $\frac{1}{f} = (n_l - 1) \left( \frac{1}{R_1} - \frac{1}{R_2} \right)$   $f$  is focal length ( $f_o = f_i = f$ )

then  $\boxed{\frac{1}{s_o} + \frac{1}{s_i} = \frac{1}{f}}$  Gaussian lens formula.

## Ray Diagrams:



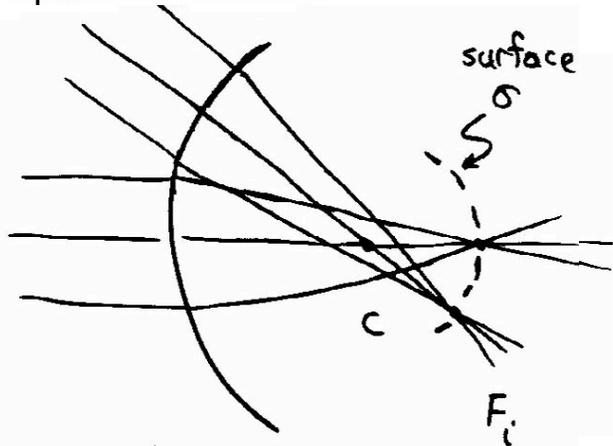
rays 1 and 2 are parallel;  
colinear for  $t \rightarrow 0$



- for all other rays, must use Thin Lens Eqn (but these rays above are sufficient in many cases).

## Focussing of Finite-sized objects:

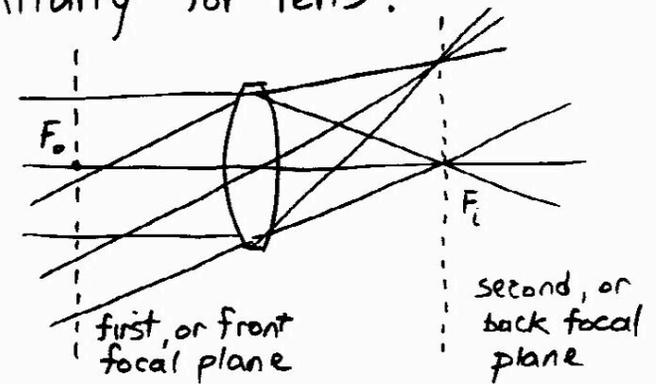
spherical surface:



for paraxial rays,  $\sigma$  is a plane (focal plane)

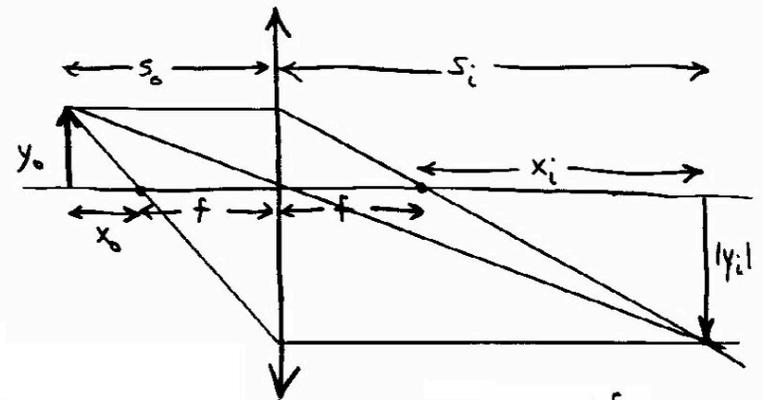
finite object

similarly for lens:



(for thin lens,  $f_o = f_i \equiv f$ )

## Magnification (thin lens)



$$s_o = x_o + f$$

$$s_i = x_i + f$$

all quantities  $> 0$  except  $y_i < 0$   
i.e. inverted image.

conjugate points;  
image

see that  $\frac{y_o}{|y_i|} = \frac{s_o}{s_i} = \frac{f}{s_i - f}$ ,  $\frac{s_i}{s_o} = \frac{s_i}{f} - \frac{1}{s_i}$

$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{s_o} + \frac{1}{s_i}$  (thus, construction is correct)

also  $\frac{|y_i|}{y_o} = \frac{f}{(s_o - f)} = \frac{f}{x_o}$

and  $\frac{y_o}{|y_i|} = \frac{f}{x_i} \Rightarrow \boxed{x_o x_i = f^2}$   
Newton's formula.

magnification (transverse)

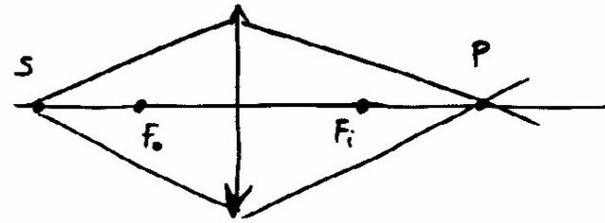
$M_T = \frac{y_i}{y_o} = -\frac{s_i}{s_o} = -\frac{x_i}{f} = -\frac{f}{x_o}$

Signs:            +            -

$s_o$	real object	virtual object
$s_i$	real image	virtual image
$f$	converging lens	diverging lens
$y_o$	erect object	inverted object
$y_i$	erect image	inverted image
$M_T$	image like object	image opp. object

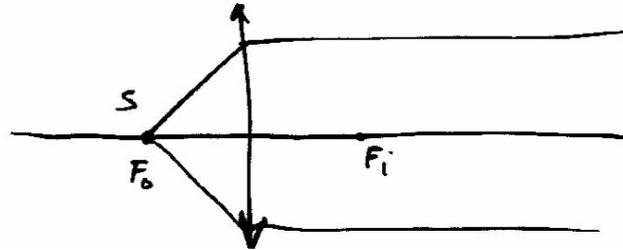
simple examples:

1)

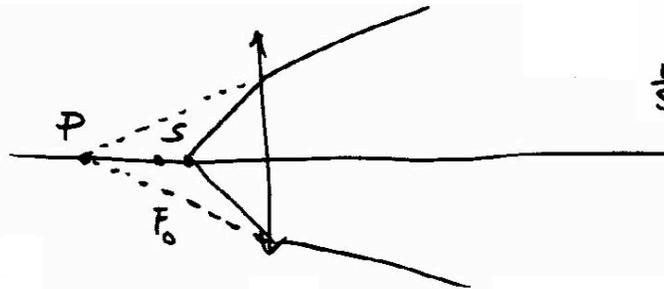


$s_o = 2f$   
 $\frac{1}{s_i} = \frac{1}{f} - \frac{1}{2f} = \frac{1}{2f}$   
 $\Rightarrow s_i = 2f$   
 $M_T = -1$

2)  $s_o = f \Rightarrow s_i = \infty$ ,  $M_T = \infty$



3)  $s_o < f \Rightarrow s_i < 0$



eg  $s_o = \frac{2}{3}f$   
 $\frac{1}{s_i} = \frac{1}{f} - \frac{3}{2f} = -\frac{1}{2f}$   
 $\Rightarrow s_i = -2f$   
 $M_T = +3$

Also, longitudinal magnification

$M_L = \frac{dx_i}{dx_o} = -\frac{f^2}{x_o^2} = -M_T^2$

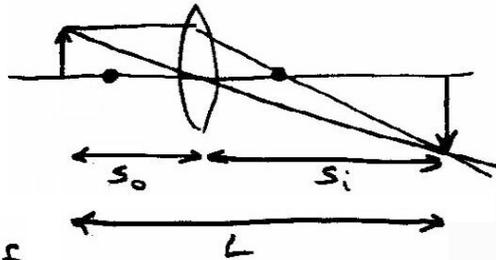
## Examples:

A) method of conjugate points:

consider single thin lens:  $\frac{1}{s_o} + \frac{1}{s_i} = \frac{1}{f}$

examine image-object distance:

$$L \equiv s_o + s_i$$



find:  $\frac{1}{s_i} = \frac{1}{L - s_o} = \frac{s_o - f}{s_o f}$

$$s_i = \frac{s_o f}{s_o - f}$$

$$L = s_o + \frac{s_o f}{s_o - f} = \frac{s_o^2 - s_o f + s_o f}{s_o - f} = \frac{s_o^2}{s_o - f}$$

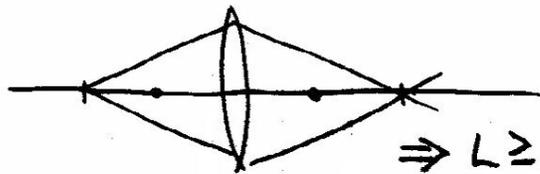
extrema:

$$\frac{dL}{ds_o} = \frac{(s_o - f) \cdot 2s_o - s_o^2}{(s_o - f)^2} = \frac{s_o^2 - 2s_o f}{(s_o - f)^2}$$

$$= 0 \quad \text{at } s_o = 0, \underline{s_o = 2f}$$

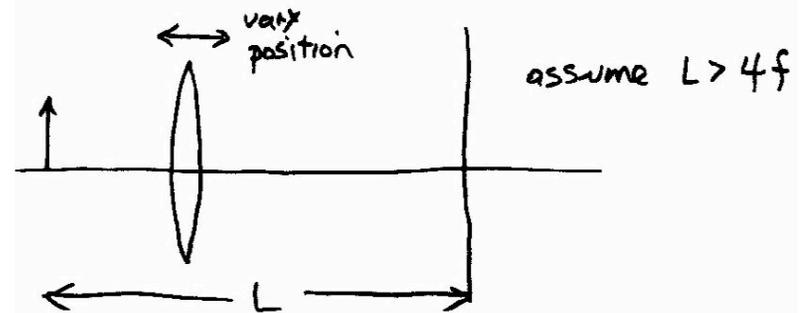
for  $s_o = 2f$ ,  $s_i = 2f$

and find that  $L$  is a minimum



$\Rightarrow L \geq 4f$   
in general.

now, consider arrangement with fixed object and image board, and vary position of lens:



for which values of  $s_o$  (and  $s_i$ ) is image in focus?

have  $L = \frac{s_o^2}{s_o - f}$ ; solve for  $s_o$ ,

$$s_o^2 - Ls_o + Lf = 0 \Rightarrow s_o = \frac{L \pm \sqrt{L^2 - 4Lf}}{2}$$

for  $L = 4f$  one root,  $s_o = \frac{L}{2} = 2f$

$L > 4f$  two roots,  $s_o^\pm = \frac{L}{2} \pm \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{L^2 - 4Lf}$

examine separation of roots:

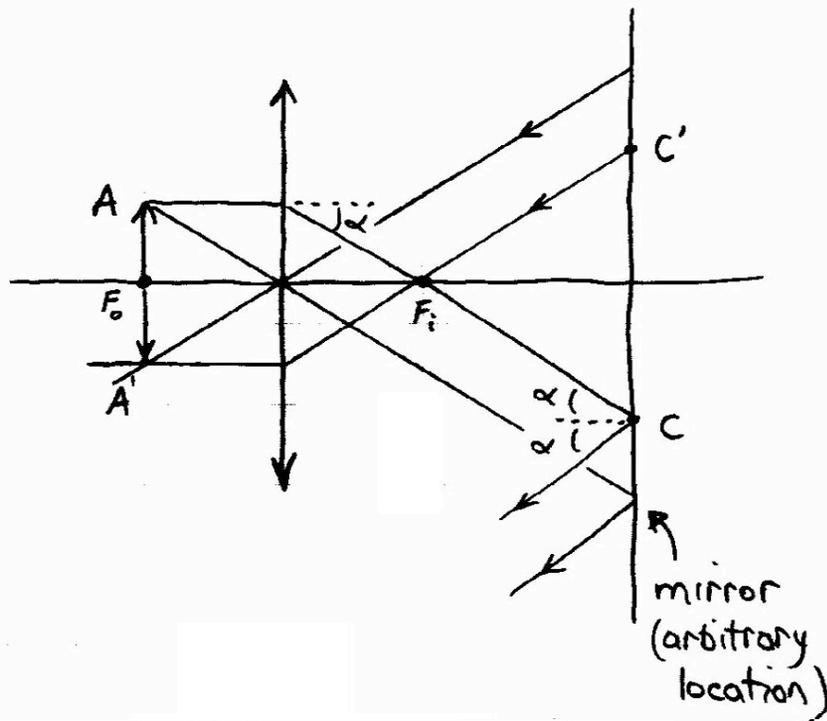
$$s_o^+ - s_o^- \equiv d = \sqrt{L^2 - 4Lf} \Rightarrow d^2 = L^2 - 4Lf$$

or

$$f = \frac{L^2 - d^2}{4L}$$

can use to measure  $f$ .

B) measure  $f$  using a mirror:



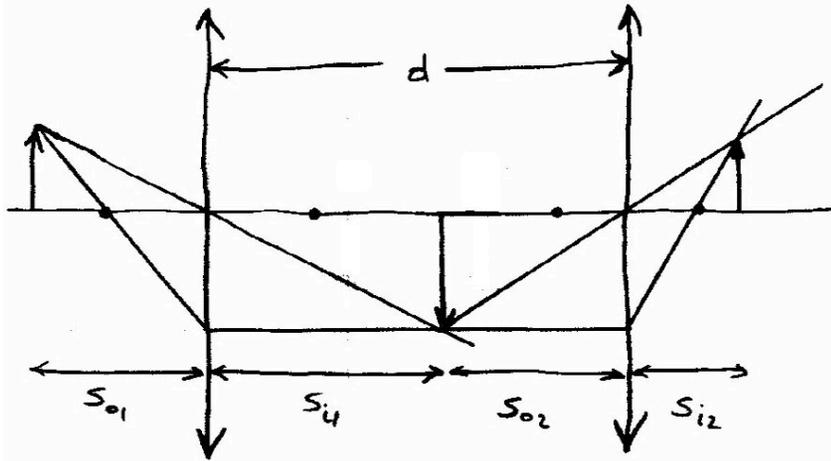
- show that if object is in first focal plane of lens, then image is in same plane, and inverted.
- look at ray from A; reflected from mirror at angle  $\alpha$
- similarly for all rays from A, since it's in focal plane!

- now follow ray from  $C'$ , located on opposite side of optic axis from C.
- where is that ray (and other parallel rays) focussed?

at  $A'$  !

- thus, image is inverted and in same plane as object.
- result is independent of location of mirror (although brightness of image is affected by mirror location).

c) two thin lenses,  $d \gg f_1 + f_2$



• expect non-inverted image, with variable  $M_T$ .

Work out:

$$\frac{1}{s_{o1}} + \frac{1}{s_{i1}} = \frac{1}{f_1}$$

$$\frac{1}{s_{i1}} = \frac{1}{f_1} - \frac{1}{s_{o1}}$$

$$\Rightarrow s_{i1} = \frac{f_1 s_{o1}}{s_{o1} - f_1}$$

$$\frac{1}{s_{o2}} + \frac{1}{s_{i2}} = \frac{1}{f_2}, \quad s_{o2} = d - s_{i1}$$

$$\frac{1}{s_{i2}} = \frac{1}{f_2} - \frac{1}{d - s_{i1}} = \frac{d - s_{i1} - f_2}{f_2(d - s_{i1})}$$

$$\Rightarrow s_{i2} = \frac{f_2(d - s_{i1})}{d - s_{i1} - f_2}$$

$$\text{thus, } s_{i2} = \frac{f_2 \left( d - \frac{f_1 s_{o1}}{s_{o1} - f_1} \right)}{d - \frac{f_1 s_{o1}}{s_{o1} - f_1} - f_2} = \frac{f_2 d - \frac{f_1 f_2 s_{o1}}{(s_{o1} - f_1)}}{d - f_2 - \frac{f_1 s_{o1}}{(s_{o1} - f_1)}}$$

and, for magnification:

$$M_T = M_{T1} M_{T2} = + \frac{s_{i1}}{s_{o1}} \frac{s_{i2}}{s_{o2}}$$

$$\text{turns out} = \frac{f_1 s_{i2}}{d(s_{o1} - f_1) - s_{o1} f_1}$$

eg.  $f_1 = 30 \text{ cm}$ ,  $f_2 = 20 \text{ cm}$ ,  $d = 120 \text{ cm}$

if  $s_{o1} = 50 \text{ cm}$  then  $s_{i1} = \frac{30 \cdot 50}{50 - 30} = 75 \text{ cm}$ ,

$$s_{o2} = 120 - 75 = 45 \text{ cm}, \quad s_{i2} = \frac{20 \cdot 45}{45 - 20} = 36 \text{ cm}$$

$$M_T = \frac{36}{45} \cdot \frac{75}{50} = 1.2 \quad \text{agrees with above formula.}$$

front focal length

$$s_{i2} \rightarrow \infty \Rightarrow s_{o2} \rightarrow f_2$$

$$\Rightarrow s_{i1} \rightarrow d - f_2, \text{ and}$$

$$\frac{1}{s_{o1}} = \frac{1}{f_1} - \frac{1}{d - f_2}$$

$$\boxed{\text{f.f.l.} = \frac{f_1(d - f_2)}{d - (f_1 + f_2)}}$$

back focal length

$$s_{o1} \rightarrow \infty \Rightarrow s_{i1} \rightarrow f_1$$

$$\Rightarrow s_{o2} \rightarrow d - f_1$$

$$\frac{1}{s_{i2}} = \frac{1}{f_2} - \frac{1}{d - f_1}$$

$$\boxed{\text{b.f.l.} = \frac{f_2(d - f_1)}{d - (f_1 + f_2)}}$$

how about for other  $d$  values?

- same formulas, but results are different ( $M_T < 0$  for  $d$  small).

for  $d \rightarrow 0$ :

$$\text{b.f.l.} = \text{f.f.l.} = \frac{f_1 f_2}{f_1 + f_2}$$

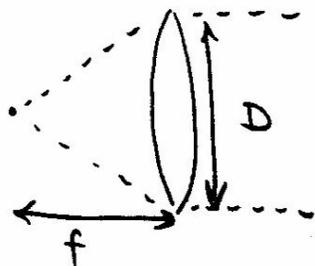
looks like single lens, with

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{f_1} + \frac{1}{f_2} \quad n_1 \quad n_2$$

eg. achromatic doublet;  
 $f_1 > 0, f_2 < 0$  to minimize aberrations from dispersion



Apertures e.g. diameter of lens restricts light collection



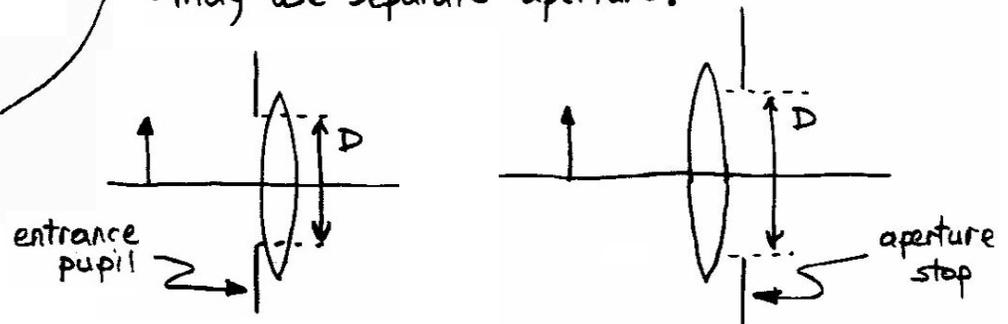
define "f-number"

$$f/\# = \frac{f}{D}$$

eg. write as  $f/2$  or  $f/4$  etc.

smaller  $f/\# \Rightarrow$  more light gathering capability

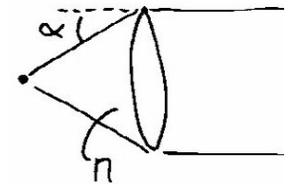
• may use separate aperture:



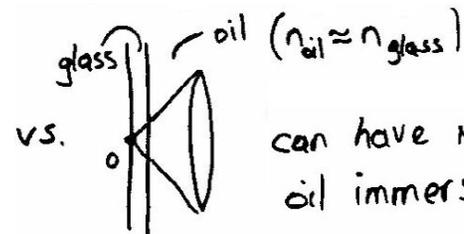
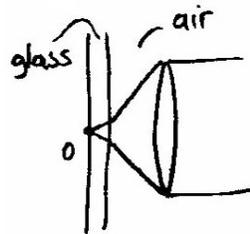
Also, some microscopes quote spec for

numerical aperture  $N.A. \equiv n \sin \alpha$

$$\sin \alpha \approx \tan \alpha = \frac{D/2}{f} = \frac{1}{2 \cdot (f/\#)}$$



larger  $n$  increases light gathering capability;



can have  $N.A. > 1$  for oil immersion lens!