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# Optical Simulation

## Challenge Description

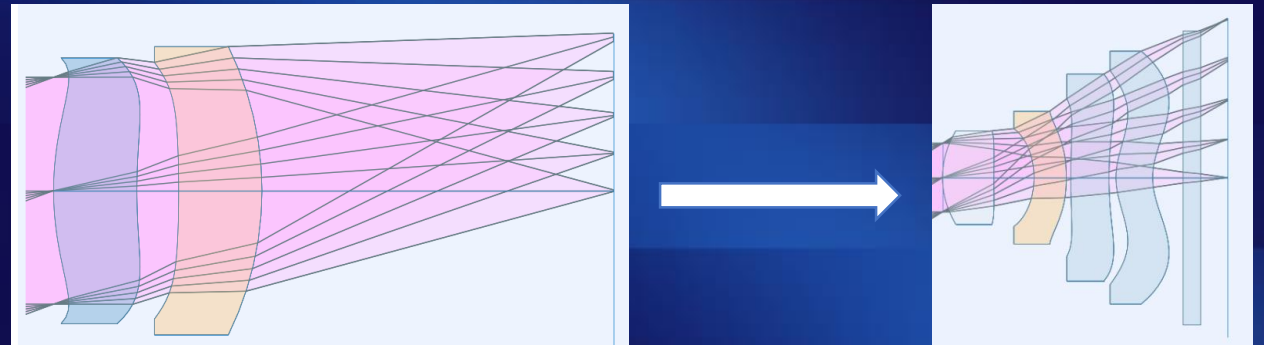
# Our goal

Develop an algorithm to find the optimal optical scheme for the specified parameters:

Our optical parameters:

Parameter	Value
Wavelength	470-650 nm
Field of view (sensor)	2,0 mm
Symmetry	axis

From a 2-lens optical system to 5 and more elements optical system



# Allowed materials for optical elements

For the purpose of this challenge, let's assume that we have the technology of mixing two materials:

Material	n	Abbe number
Plastic 1	$n_1=1.54$	$\text{Abbe}_1=75.0$
Plastic 2	$n_2=1.67$	$\text{Abbe}_2=39.0$
Plastic mix, $k \in [0,1]$	$n_1*k+n_2*(1-k)$	$\text{Abbe}_1*k+\text{Abbe}_2*(1-k)$

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def add_surface(self, surf_data, **kwargs):
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*add a surface where `surf\_data` is a list that contains: [curvature, thickness, refractive\_index, v-number, semi-diameter]*

*The `curvature` entry is interpreted as radius if `radius\_mode` is **True***

*The `thickness` is the signed thickness*

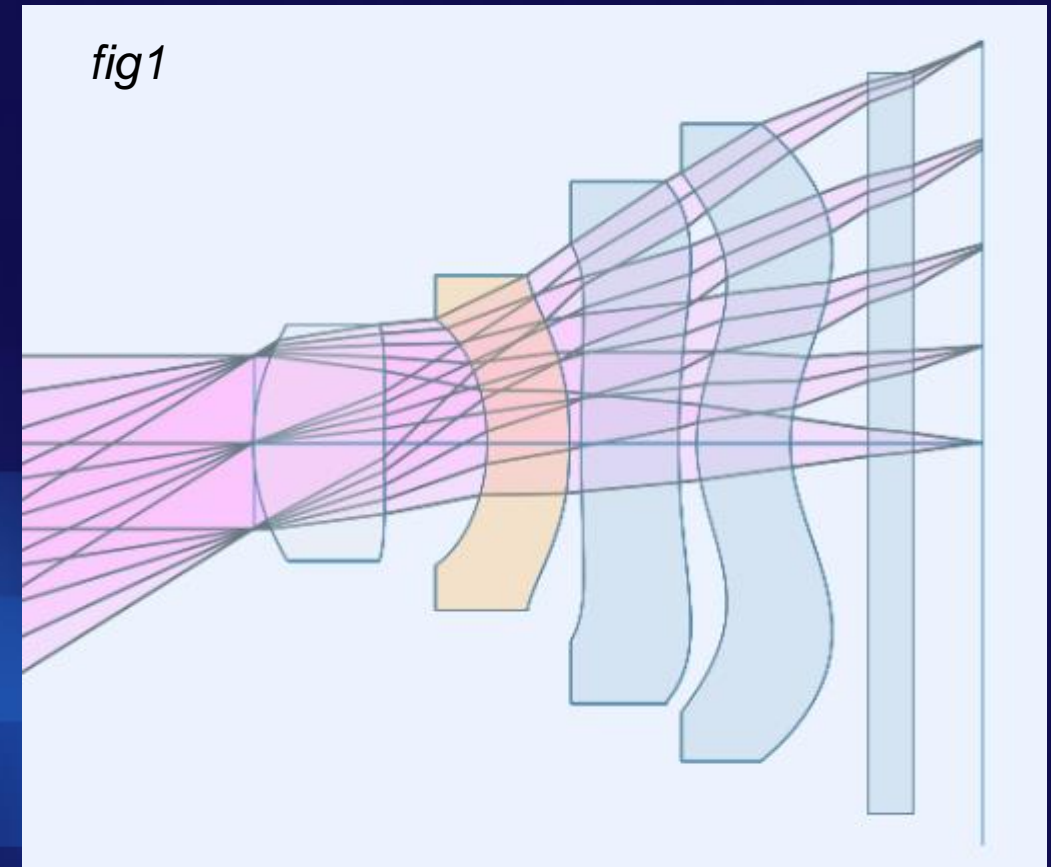
# What type of surfaces we can use

- Any spherical convex and concave surfaces
- Aspheric surfaces
- Any other surfaces, the main requirement is that they have a minimum thickness and work correctly in ray-optics package

# What about loss function

Parameter	design limitations
Focal distance	5,0 mm
F/#	$\leq 2,1$
Total length	$\leq 7\text{mm}$
Lens thickness	$\geq 100\mu$
Air thickness	$\geq 0$

Parameter	optical quality limitations
Spot RMS	the smaller the better
Encircled energy in D20 $\mu$	$\geq 80\%$



\* Spot Root Mean Square shows how well parallel incoming rays are focused at the destination, and is calculated for 5 different points of view (refer to fig1)

# Criteria for grading

- We use open source Python ray tracer:

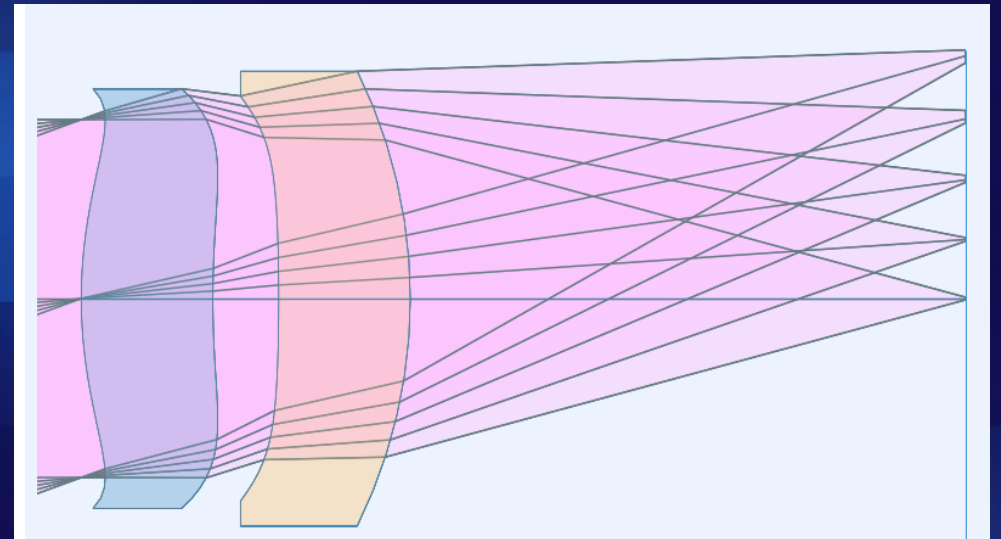
<https://ray-optics.readthedocs.io/en/latest/index.html>

\*.roa format optical scheme

- Example of calculations of the loss value available in check\_os.py
- Note: the final loss function, which will be used for grading & making the leaderboards, might be different from the example

## Let's start

- Install ray-optics: <https://ray-optics.readthedocs.io/en/latest/install.html>
- Try with test.roa



# Thank You!