

# ECE170A Project 1

Start date: **10/22/19**

Due Date: **10/31/19**

**Use the Matlab LiveScript tool for writing and turning in your code. Codes should be in .mlx format. See this youtube video for a tutorial on LiveScript**

<https://www.mathworks.com/videos/introducing-the-matlab-live-editor-119100.html>

- 1. Sellmeier equation for refractive index:** Given Sellmeier coefficients of diamond and SiO<sub>2</sub> in lecture slide (or in the book), plot the refractive index vs. wavelength,  $n(\lambda)$  from 0.4  $\mu\text{m}$  to 2  $\mu\text{m}$  for both material, using MATLAB. Plot both in the same figure.
- 2. Fabry-Perot cavity:** Consider two optical cavities, one with diamond and the other with SiO<sub>2</sub>, inside. Mirror separation is 500  $\mu\text{m}$  and the mirror reflectivity are  $R=95\%$ . Use the refractive indices calculated in problem 1,
  - (a) plot the intensity spectrum of Fabry-Perot cavity from 1500 nm to 1530 nm
  - (b) Repeat for  $R=80\%$ . Explain what changed and why.

For the mode nearest to 1510 nm, calculate:

- (c) the mode wavelength
  - (d) the cavity Finesse
  - (e) the Free-spectral range
  - (f) and spectral width
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- 3. Diffraction** pattern:
    - (a) Plot the intensity diffraction patterns,  $I(\theta)$  for a single slit with widths of 20 $\mu\text{m}$ , 40 $\mu\text{m}$ , 80 $\mu\text{m}$  and 160 $\mu\text{m}$ . Assume a light wavelength of 532nm (green light).

- (b) Repeat for blue light (402nm) and red light (670nm).  
(c) Plot the intensity diffraction pattern for a 4 slit grating with  $a=d = 10\mu\text{m}$ . (See figure below)

