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## Physical Experiment II

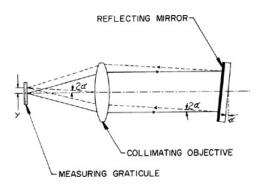
## Prelab Report 09

Experiment Title:	Measurement of the Apex Angle of a Prism and the Wavelengths of Mercury Lights Using a Spectrometer	
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## **Answers to Questions** (20 points)

(1) Autocollimation is an optical setup where a collimated beam (of parallel light rays) leaves an optical system and is reflected back into the same system by a plane mirror.



(2)

I. 
$$d = \frac{1}{600 lines/mm} = 1.67 \times 10^{-6} m/line$$

II.

Since  $dsin\theta = m\lambda$ 

We can get 
$$\sin\theta = \frac{m\lambda}{d} = \frac{1 \times 435.83 \times 10^{-9} m}{1.67 \times 10^{-6} m} = 0.261$$

Thus,  $\theta \approx 0.264 \text{ rad}$