



Note Phy4 Midterm - Lecture notes 1

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NOTE PHYSICS 4 - THEORY

(Midterm)

1. Vibration. Resonance

a) In simple harmonic oscillation:

+ The restoring force: $F = -kx$

+ Displacement of simple harmonic motion:

$$x = A \cos(\omega t + \varphi)$$

with: $\omega = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}}$

(k: spring constant (N/m); m: mass of the object(kg))

+ The period: $T = \frac{2\pi}{\omega}$;

+ Frequency: $f = \frac{1}{T} = \frac{\omega}{2\pi}$

b) The physical pendulum:

+ Angular displacement: $\theta = \theta_0 \cos(\omega t + \varphi)$

with: $\omega = \sqrt{\frac{mgd}{I}}$ (I: inertia moment; d: the distance from the rotating point)

+ The period: $T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{I}{mgd}}$

+ In the simple pendulum: $T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{L}{g}}$

c) Force Oscillation and Resonance:

+ In damped oscillation, the displacement is:

$$x = A e^{-\left(\frac{b}{2m}\right)t} \cos(\omega t + \varphi)$$

with: $\omega = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m} - \frac{b^2}{4m^2}}$ (b: damping coefficient (kg/s))

+ In force oscillation:

$$x = A \cos(\omega t + \varphi)$$

with: $A = \frac{F/m}{\sqrt{(\omega^2 - \omega_0^2)^2 + \left(\frac{b\omega}{m}\right)^2}} ; \quad \omega_0 = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}}$

if $\omega = \omega_0$ resonance

2. Mechanical Wave

a) The wave function:

$$y = A \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{T}t - \frac{2\pi}{\lambda}x\right) = A \sin(\omega t - Kx)$$

with: $\lambda = vT$ (λ : wavelength; v : the speed of wave)

and: $K = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda}$ (K: the wave number)

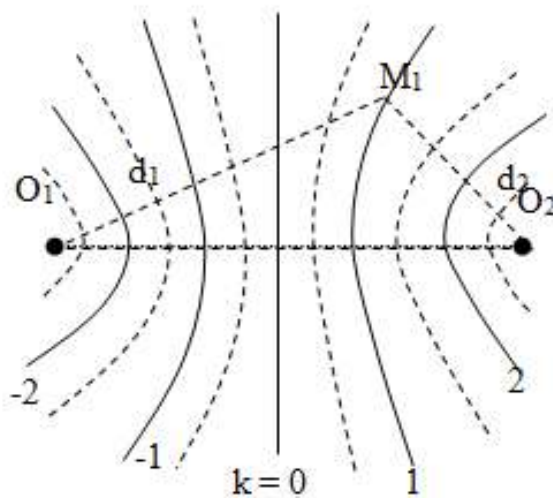
b) The speed of waves on strings:

$$v = \sqrt{\frac{T}{\mu}}$$

with: T: tension of the string (N)

μ : mass per unit length (kg/m) ($\mu = \frac{m}{L}$)

c) Superposition and Interference:



The general function of interference;

$$x = 2A \cos\left(\frac{\phi}{2}\right) \sin\left(\omega t - Kx_1 + \frac{\phi}{2}\right)$$

For the phase difference:

$$\phi = k 2 \pi \text{ constructive interference } (2 A)$$

$$\phi = (2 k + 1) \pi \text{ destructive interference } (0)$$

For the path difference:

In case two waves are in the same phase

$$\delta = d_1 - d_2 = k \lambda \text{ constructive interference}$$

$$\delta = d_1 - d_2 = \left(k + \frac{1}{2}\right) \lambda \text{ destructive interference}$$

In case two waves are out of phase

$$\delta = d_1 - d_2 = \left(k + \frac{1}{2}\right) \lambda \text{ constructive interference}$$

$$\delta = d_1 - d_2 = k \lambda \text{ destructive interference}$$

d) Standing wave

The position of the nodes: $x = \frac{n \lambda}{2}$ ($n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$)

The position of the antinodes: $x = \left(n + \frac{1}{2}\right) \lambda$ ($n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$)

In a string fixed at both ends:

- The wavelength: $\lambda_n = \frac{2L}{n}$ ($n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$)
- The frequency: $f_n = \frac{v}{\lambda_n} = \frac{nv}{2L} = \frac{n}{2L} \sqrt{\frac{T}{\mu}}$ ($n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$)

\Rightarrow The fundamental frequency: $f_1 = \frac{1}{2L} \sqrt{\frac{T}{\mu}}$ and
 $f_n = n f_1$

In a pipe opened at both ends:

- The wavelength: $\lambda_n = \frac{2L}{n}$ ($n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$)
- The frequency: $f_n = \frac{v}{\lambda_n} = \frac{nv}{2L} = \frac{n}{2L} \sqrt{\frac{T}{\mu}}$ ($n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$)

⇒ The fundamental frequency: $f_1 = \frac{1}{2L} \sqrt{\frac{T}{\mu}}$ and $f_n = n f_1$

In a pipe closed at one end:

- The wavelength: $\lambda_n = \frac{4L}{n}$ ($n = 1, 3, 5, \dots$)
- The frequency: $f_n = \frac{v}{\lambda_n} = \frac{nv}{4L} = \frac{n}{4L} \sqrt{\frac{T}{\mu}}$ ($n = 1, 3, 5, \dots$)

⇒ The fundamental frequency: $f_1 = \frac{1}{4L} \sqrt{\frac{T}{\mu}}$ and $f_n = n f_1$

(n is odd number)

e) Sound wave:

+ Normal human can hear from 20Hz to 20000Hz

+ The intensity of sound wave: The rate at which the energy flows through a unit area

$$I = \frac{P}{A} = \frac{P}{4\pi r^2}$$

with: P is the power

+ The intensity of sound level:

$$\beta = 10 \log \frac{I}{I_0}$$

I_0 : threshold of hearing ($I_0 = 10^{-12} \text{ W/m}^2$)

f) Doppler effect:

$$f' = \frac{v + v_0}{v - v_s} f$$

v : the speed of sound

v_0 : the speed of the observer

v_s : the speed of the source

$v_0, v_s > 0 \Rightarrow$ The motion is toward \Rightarrow Higher frequency

$v_0, v_s < 0 \Rightarrow$ The motion is away \Rightarrow Lower frequency

3) Wave Optics:

a) The nature of light: The photon energy:

$$\varepsilon = hf = \frac{hc}{\lambda}$$

$$h = 6.63 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s}$$

b) Interference of light wave:

The path difference:

$$\delta = d_1 - d_2 \approx d \sin \theta \approx d \tan \theta = d \frac{y}{L}$$

- Bright fringe:

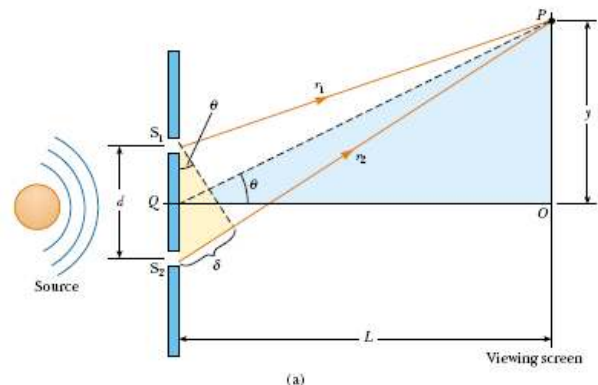
$$\delta = d \frac{y}{L} = k\lambda \quad y_{\text{bright}} = k \frac{L}{d} \lambda = ki$$

$$(i = \frac{L}{d} \lambda)$$

Angular position: $\delta = d \sin \theta = k\lambda$

- Dark fringe: $\delta = d \frac{y}{L} = \left(k + \frac{1}{2}\right) \lambda \quad y_{\text{dark}} = \left(k + \frac{1}{2}\right) i$

Angular position: $\delta = d \sin \theta = \left(k + \frac{1}{2}\right) \lambda$



The intensity:

$$\frac{\pi d \sin \theta}{\lambda}$$

$$\frac{\pi d y}{L \lambda}$$

$$(i)$$

$$(i) = I_0 \cos^2 i$$

$$I = I_0 \cos^2 i$$

c) Interference in a thin film

+ Change of phase due to reflection

- $n_1 < n_2 \Rightarrow 180^\circ$ phase change
- $n_1 > n_2 \Rightarrow$ no phase change

+ The wavelength of light in a medium

$$\lambda_n = \frac{v}{f} = \frac{c}{nf} \lambda_n = \frac{\lambda}{n}$$

+ The interference in a thin film

- **Constructive interference:** $2nt = (m + \frac{1}{2})\lambda$
 ○ ($m = 1, 2, 3, \dots$)
- **Destructive interference:** $2nt = m\lambda$ ($m = 1, 2, 3, \dots$)

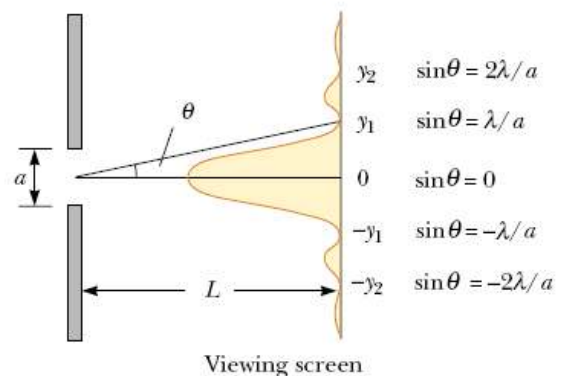
(t: the thickness of the film; n:refraction index of the film)

d) Light diffraction:

+ The general condition for destructive interference

$$\sin\theta = m \frac{\lambda}{a} \quad (m = 1, 2, 3, \dots)$$

(a: the width of the split)



+ Position of dark fringe

$$y_m = m \frac{L\lambda}{a}$$

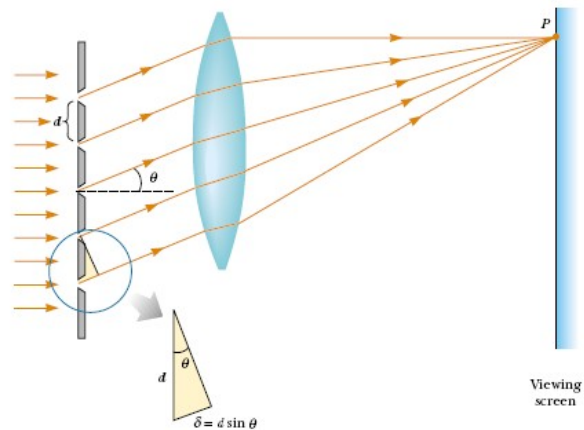
+ The intensity at each point on the screen

$$I = I_{\max} \left[\frac{\sin \left(\frac{\pi a \sin \theta}{\lambda} \right)}{\frac{\pi a \sin \theta}{\lambda}} \right]^2$$

- If $a \gg \lambda \Rightarrow$ all the light concentrate at the geometrical focus
- If $a < \lambda \Rightarrow$ The central maximum spread over $180^\circ \Rightarrow$ Cannot see the fringe

e) Diffraction

grating: consider a large number of splits, all with the same width a and spaced equal distances d between centers



The condition for maximum intensity:

$$d \sin \theta = m \lambda \quad (m = 1, 2, 3, \dots)$$

(d : grating spacing)

For grating spacing d : $d = \frac{\text{Length}}{\text{Number of splits}}$

f) Diffraction of X-rays by crystal

The Bragg equation (for the path difference)

$$\delta = d_1 - d_2 \approx 2 d \sin \theta$$

(θ : the incident angle; d : the distance between adjacent planes)

g) Polarization:

The intensity of the light transmitted through the analyzer:

$$I = I_{\max} \cos^2 \phi$$

(ϕ : the angle between two polarizer axis)

For the unpolarized light passing through a polarizer:

$$I = \frac{I_{\max}}{2}$$

4) Geometric Optics

a) Refraction and Reflection

+ **Index of refraction:**

$$n = \frac{c}{v}$$

(v : the speed of light in a medium)

+ **The law of reflection:** The angle of reflection is equal to the angle of the incident light

$$\theta_i = \theta_r$$

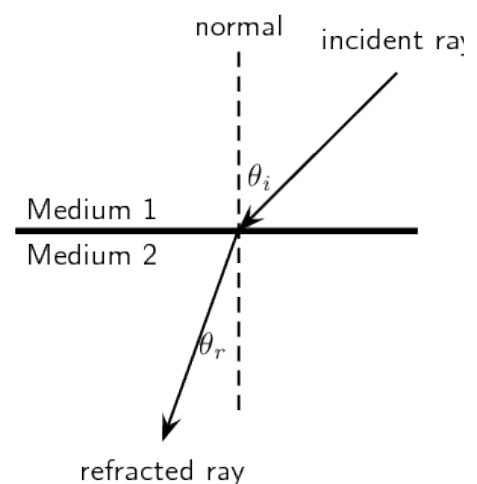
+ **Snell's Law of Refraction:**

$$n_i \sin \theta_i = n_r \sin \theta_r$$

+ **The critical angle for total internal reflection:**

$$\sin \theta_{\text{crit}} = \frac{n_r}{n_i} \quad (\text{if } n_i > n_r)$$

b) Thin lenses:



+ The focal length f (the lens maker's equation):

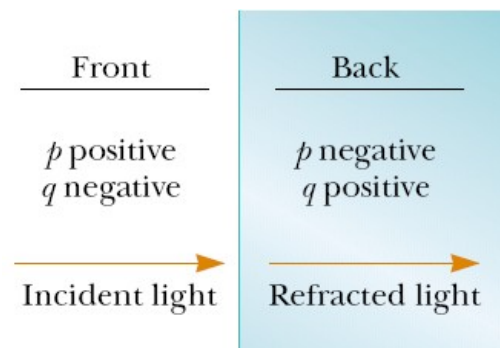
$$\frac{1}{f} = (n-1) \left(\frac{1}{R_1} - \frac{1}{R_2} \right)$$

- If $f > 0 \Rightarrow$ converging lens
- If $f < 0 \Rightarrow$ diverging lens

+ Thin-lens equation:

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

- If: $p > 0 \Rightarrow$ Real object;
 $p < 0 \Rightarrow$ Virtual object
- If: $q > 0 \Rightarrow$ Real image;
 $q < 0 \Rightarrow$ Virtual image

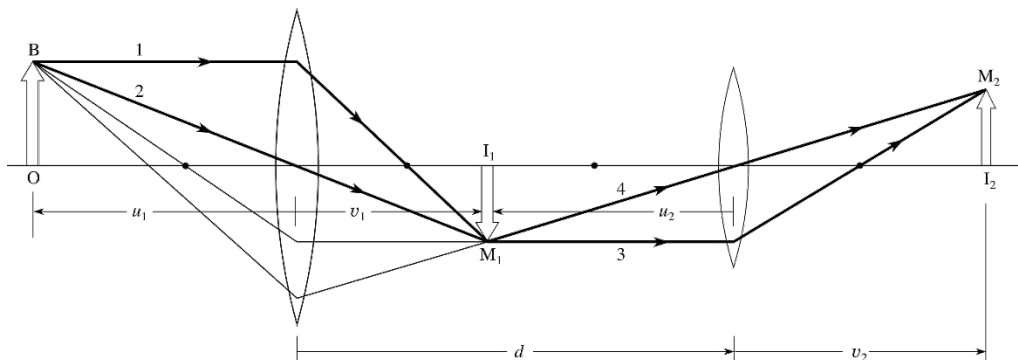


+ Magnification:

$$M = \frac{h'}{h} = -\frac{q}{p}$$

- If $M > 0 \Rightarrow$ The image is the same direction as the object (erect image)
- If $M < 0 \Rightarrow$ The image is opposite direction to the object (inverted image)

+ For the two lenses system:



- Thin-lens equation for lens 1:

$$\frac{1}{f_1} = \frac{1}{p_1} + \frac{1}{q_1}$$

- The distance between lens 1 and lens 2:

$$d = q_1 + p_2$$

- Thin-lens equation for lens 2:

$$\frac{1}{f_2} = \frac{1}{p_2} + \frac{1}{q_2}$$

- Total magnification:

$$M = M_1 \cdot M_2 = \frac{q_1}{p_1} \cdot \frac{q_2}{p_2}$$

c) Prism (optional)

$$sini = n \sin r$$

$$\sin i' = n \sin r'$$

$$A = r + r'$$

$$D = i + i' - A$$

For minimum deflection:

$$i = i'$$

$$r = r' = \frac{A}{2}$$

$$D_m = 2i - A$$

d) Mirrors (optional)

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

$$f = \frac{R}{2}$$