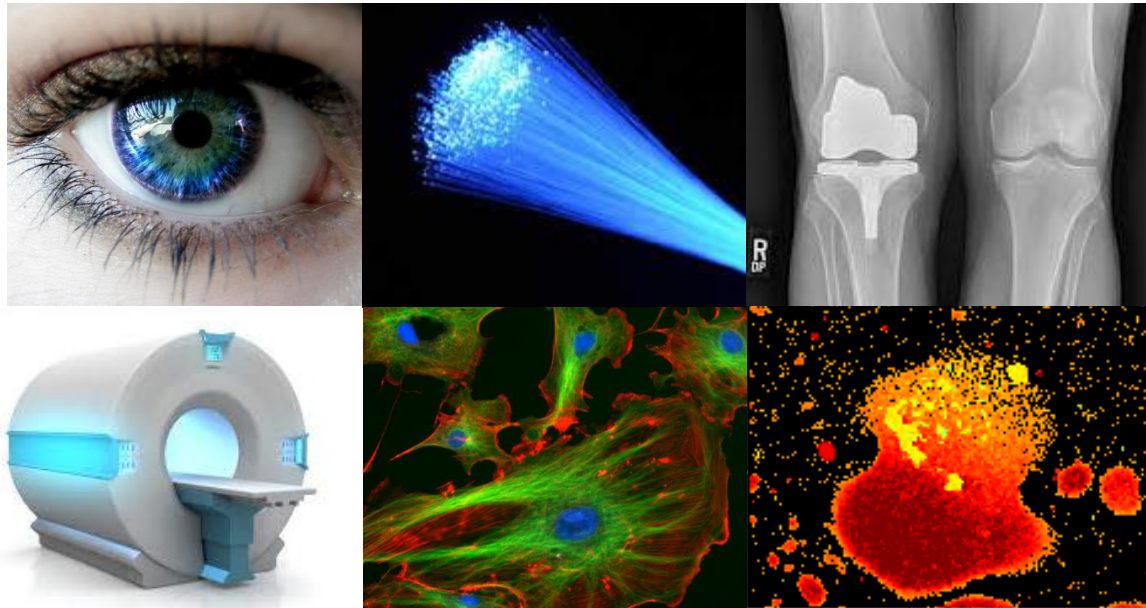
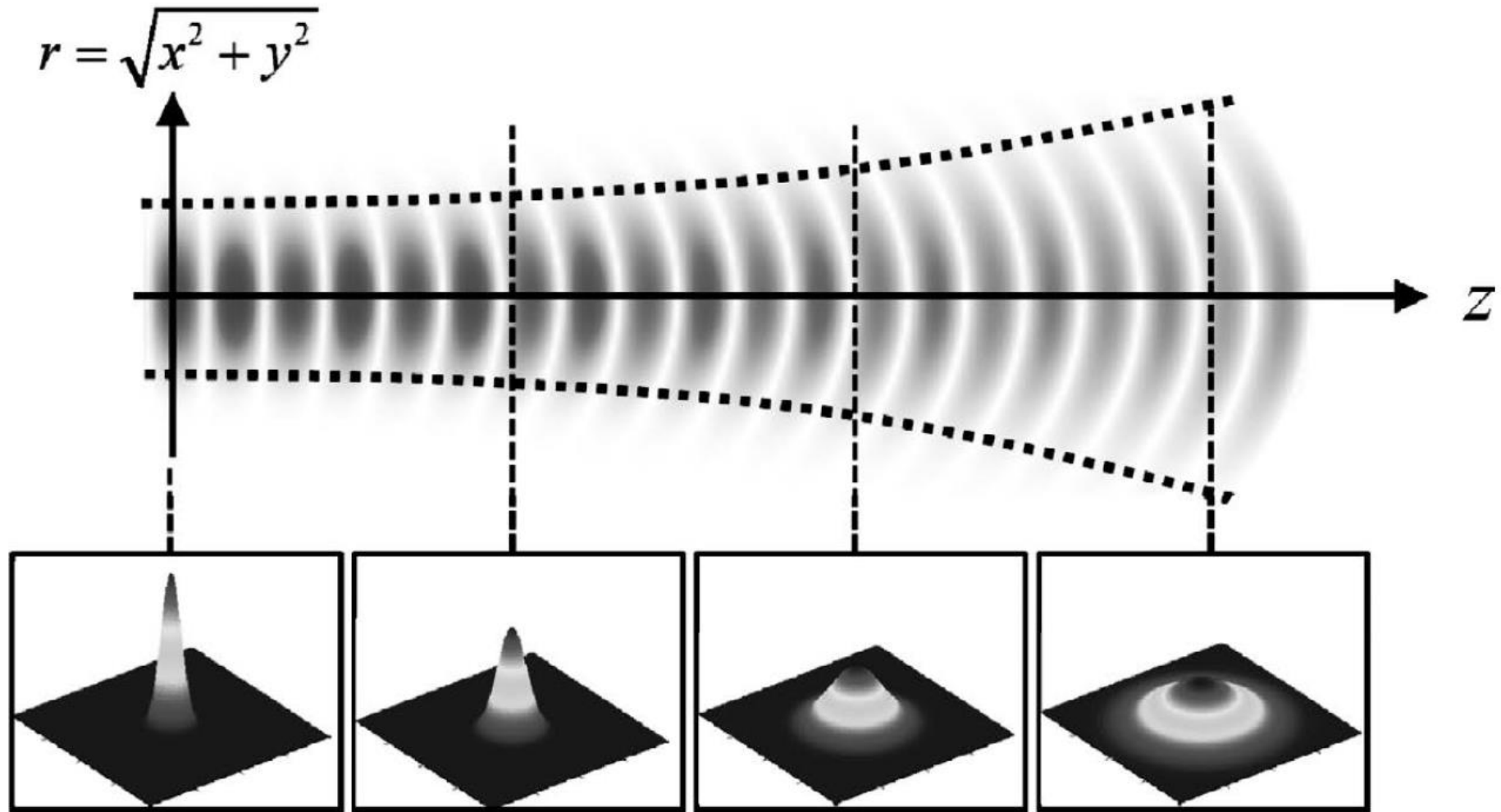


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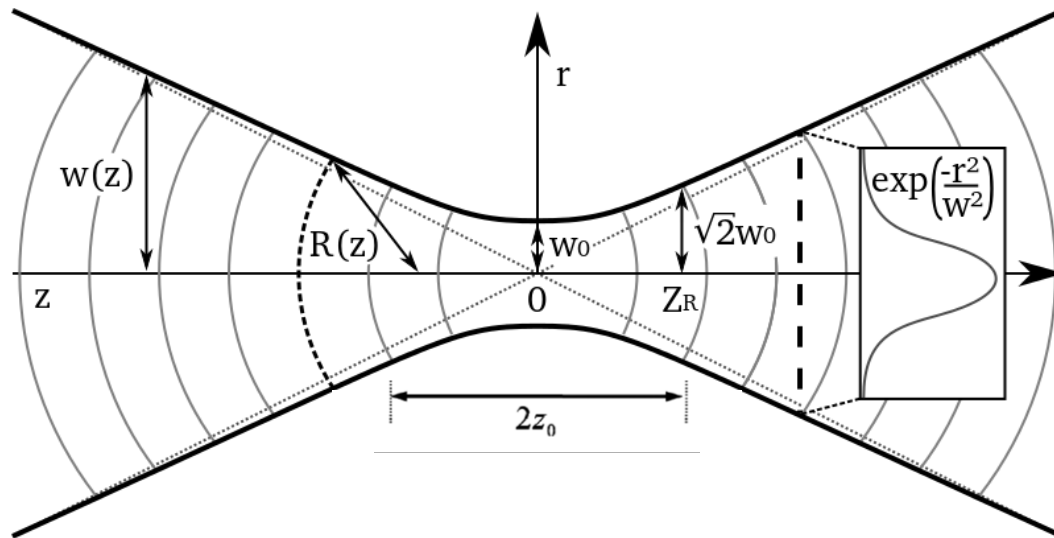


Propagation of a Laser beam – Gaussian beam



Gaussian beam

When considering the effects of diffraction, an ideal Laser beam behaves like a “Gaussian beam”.



w_0 =beam waist (radius)

Z_0 or Z_r =Raleigh distance

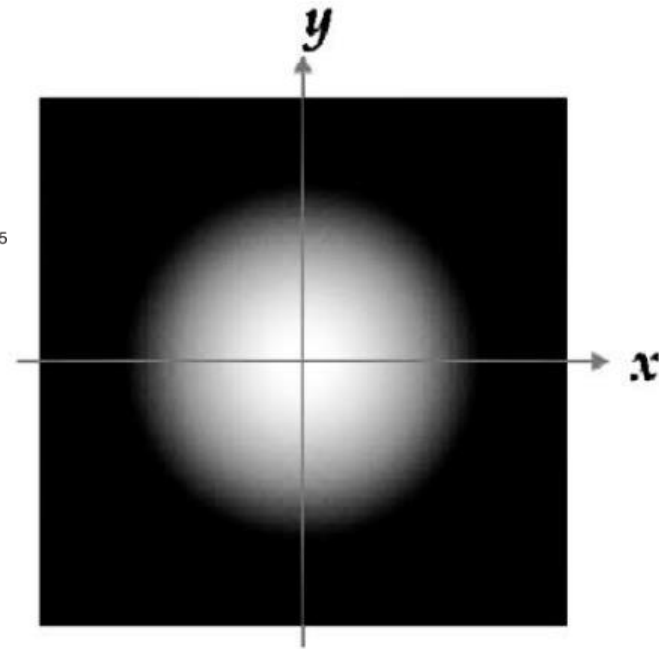
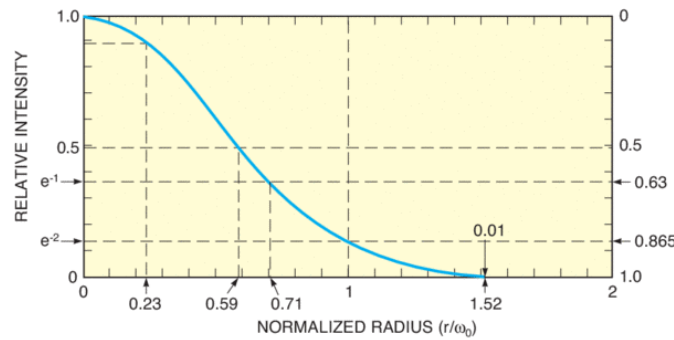
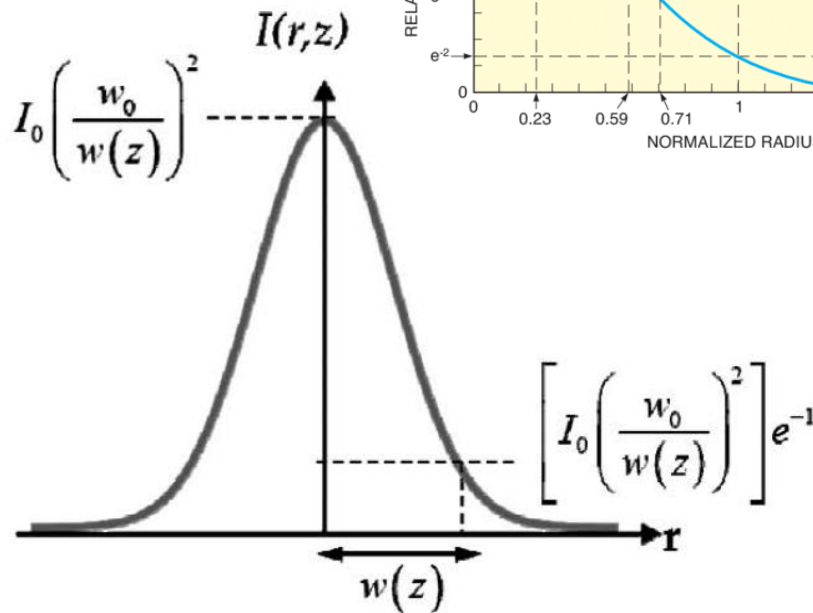
$$w(z_0) = \sqrt{2}w_0$$

$$2z_0 = \frac{2\pi n w_0^2}{\lambda}$$

$$I(r, z) = I_0 \left(\frac{w_0}{w(z)} \right)^2 \exp \left(-\frac{2r^2}{w(z)^2} \right)$$

self-Fourier Transform characteristic of the Gaussian beam

Gaussian Beam

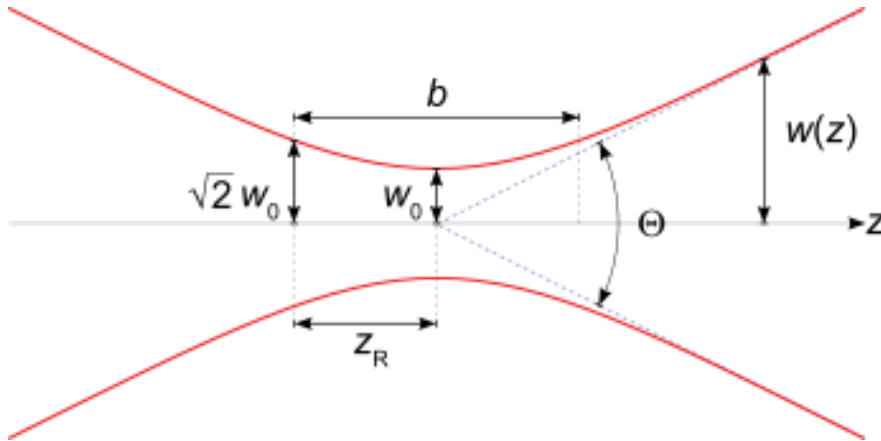


$$w(z)^2 = w_0^2 \left[1 + \left(\frac{z}{z_0} \right)^2 \right]$$

$$2z_0 = \frac{2\pi n w_0^2}{\lambda}$$

<https://www.newport.com/n/gaussian-beam-optics>

Gaussian beam



Divergence

$$\theta \simeq \frac{\lambda}{\pi w_0}$$

$$\Theta = 2\theta$$

Divergence

$$2w_0 = \frac{4\lambda}{\pi} \frac{f}{D} = 1.27\lambda f_{\#}$$

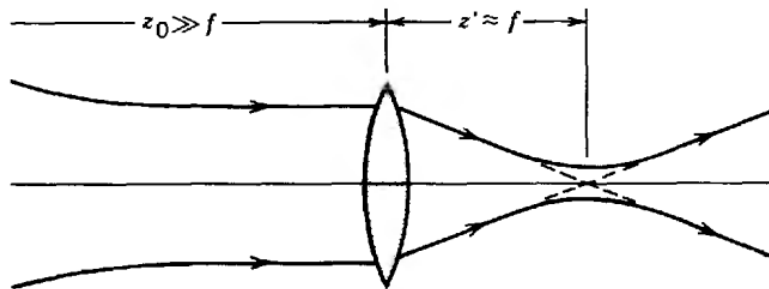
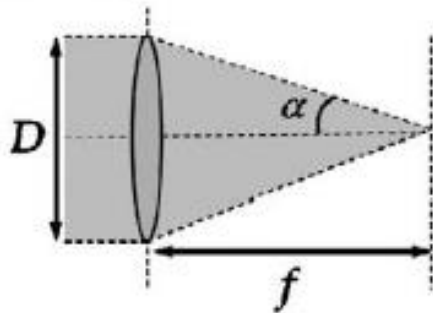
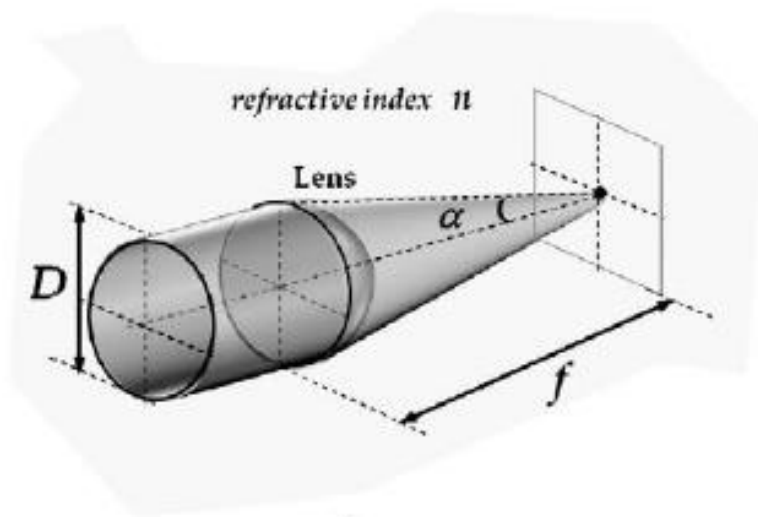


Figure 3.2-4 Focusing a collimated beam.

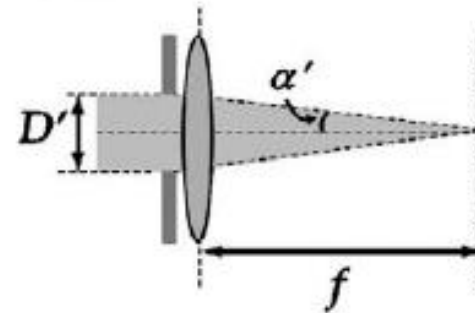
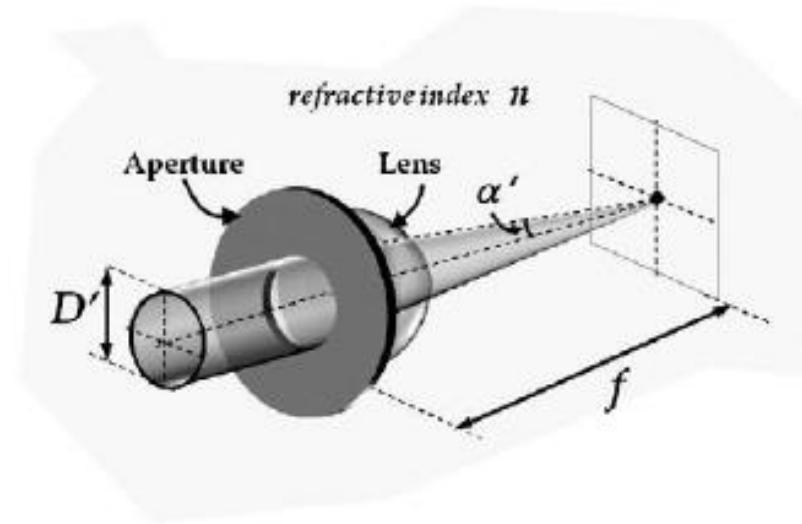
Calculate the waist of a beam from an HeNe Laser, with 1 mm of diameter, after being focused by a lens with $f=10$ mm.

$$w = \sqrt{w_0^2 + (\theta_L z)^2}$$

Numerical aperture of a lens

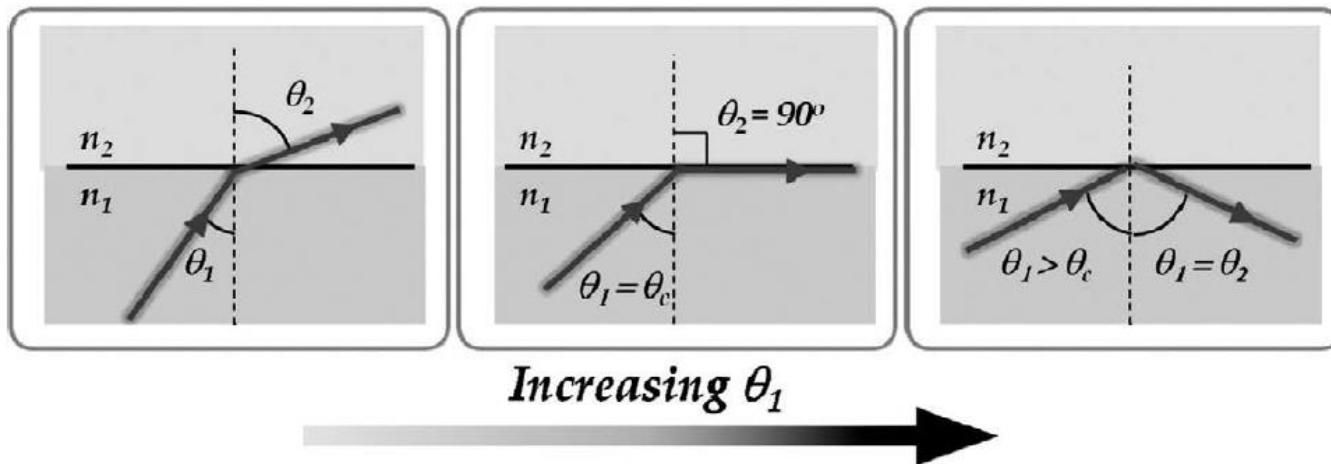
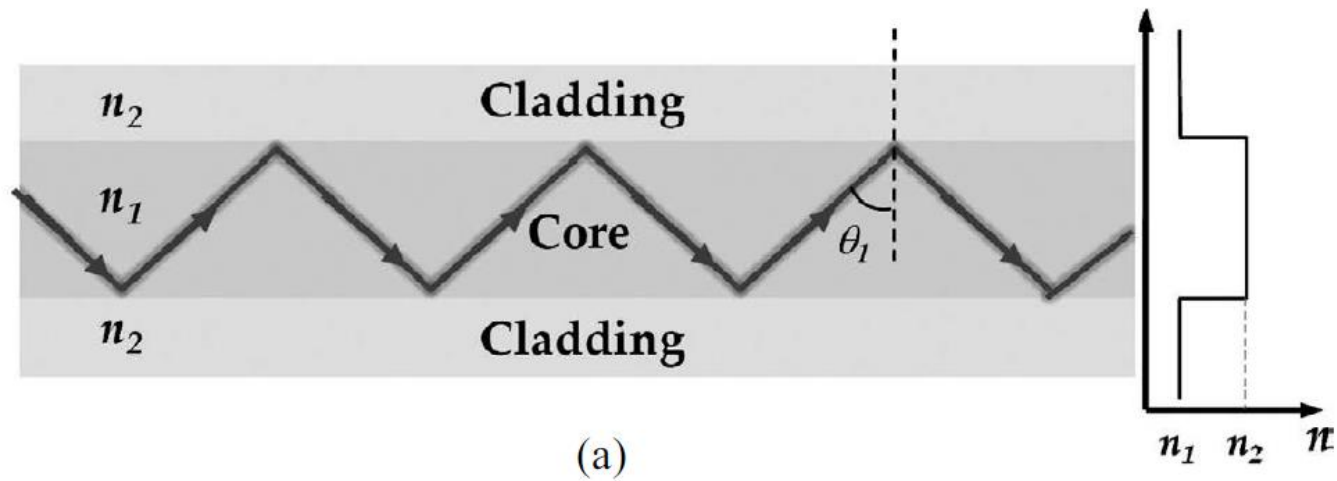


$$NA = n \sin \alpha \approx \frac{nD}{2f} = \frac{n}{2(f/\#)}$$



$$NA' = n \sin \alpha' \approx \frac{nD'}{2f} = \frac{n}{2(f/\#)'}$$

Guided Optics



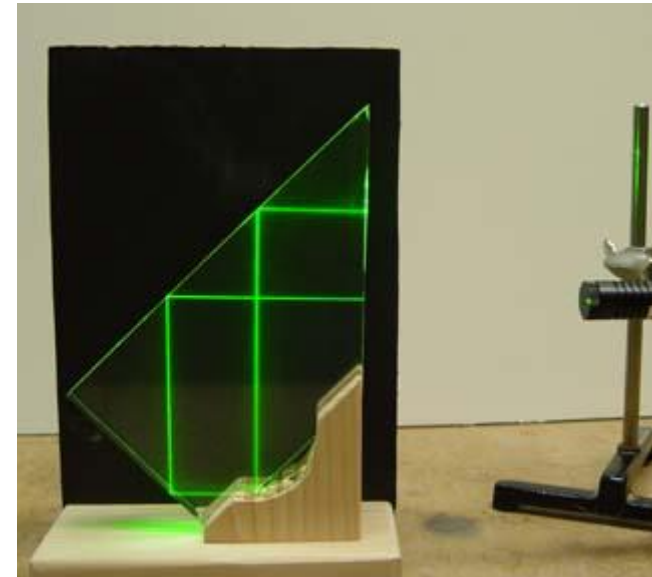
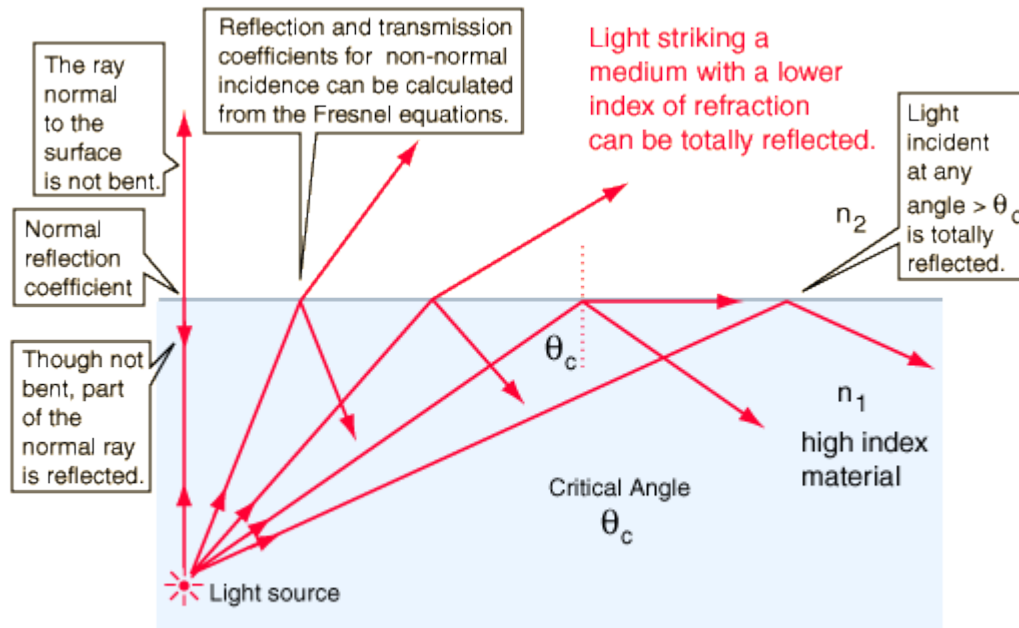
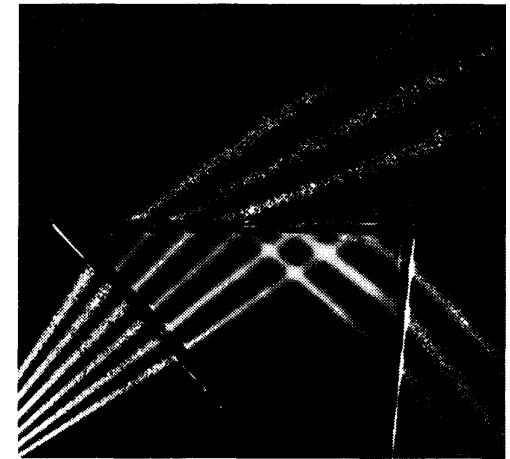
Critical angle: Total Internal reflection

$$n_i > n_t$$

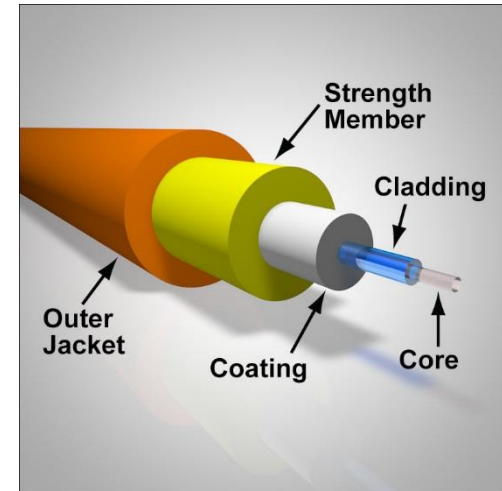
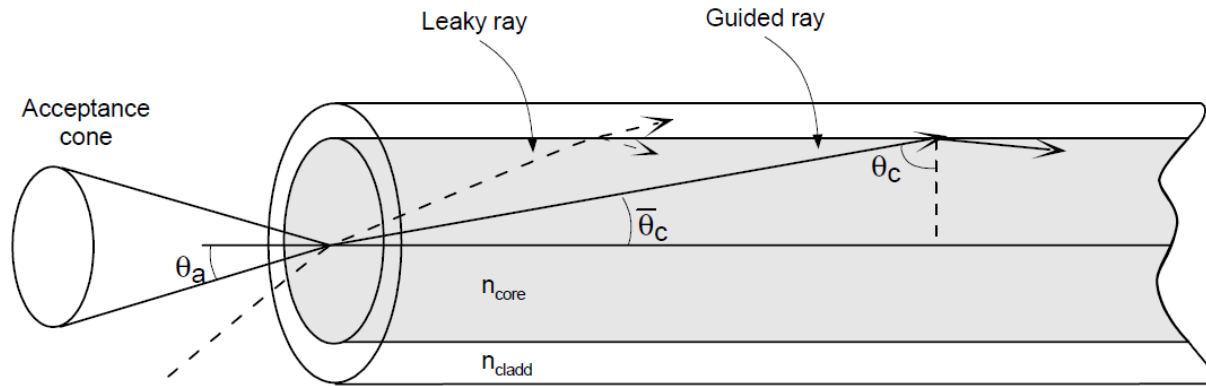
$$\theta_t = 90^\circ$$

$$\sin \theta_i = \frac{n_t}{n_i} \sin \theta_t$$

$$\theta_c = \theta_i = \arcsin\left(\frac{n_2}{n_1}\right)$$



Optical Fibres



Numerical Aperture and acceptance angle

$$\theta_a = \sin^{-1}[NA]$$

$$NA = (n_{co}^2 - n_{cl}^2)^{1/2}$$

Typical values

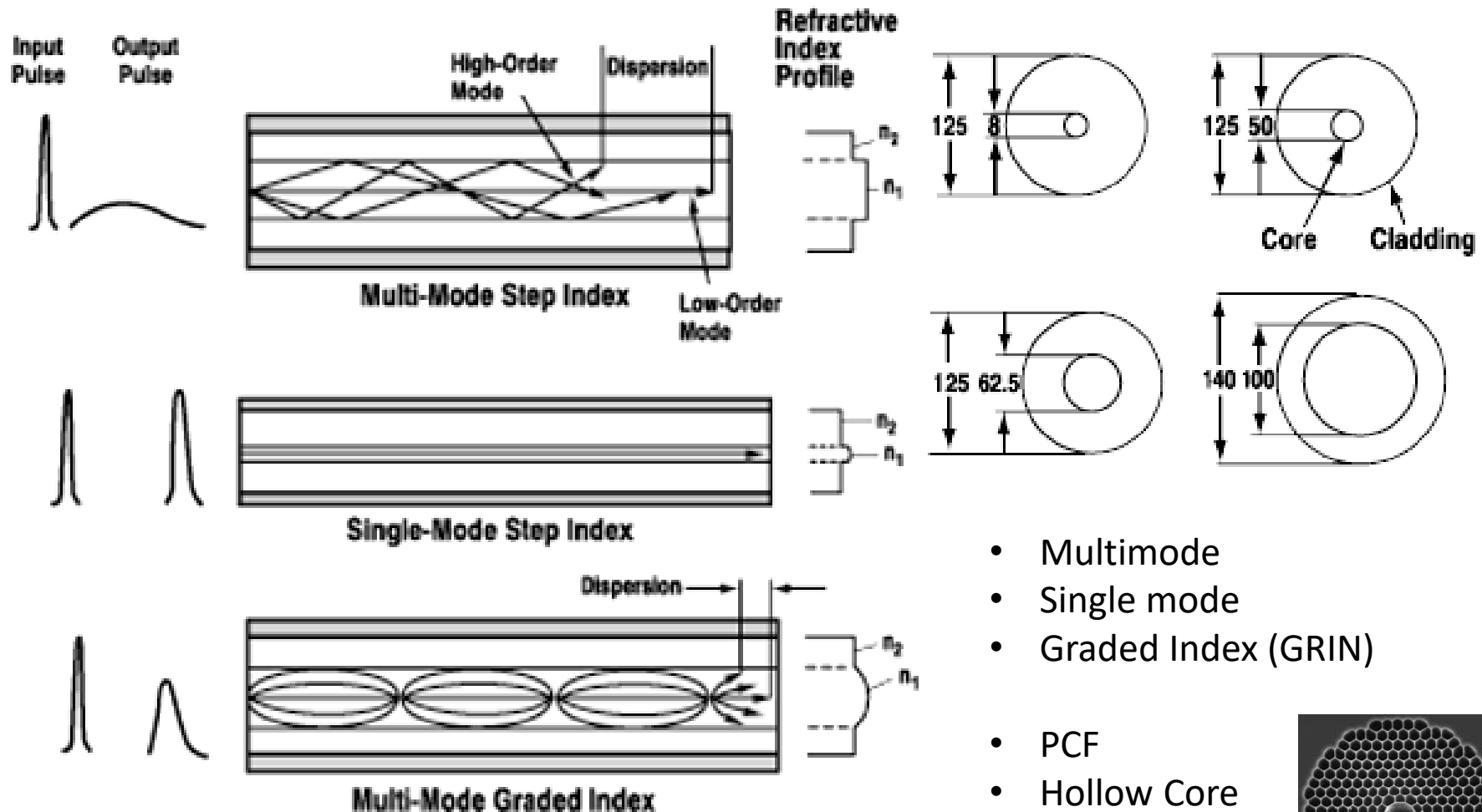
MM

NA de 0.1 a 0.5

SM

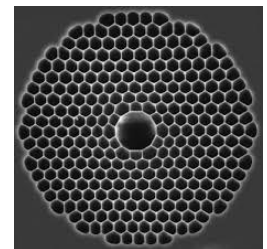
NA 0.12 (de 0.12 a 0.35)

Types of fibres



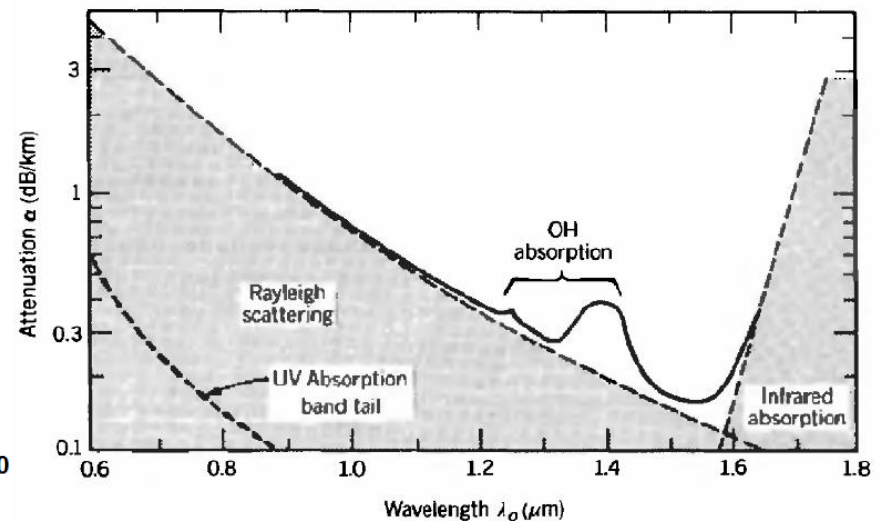
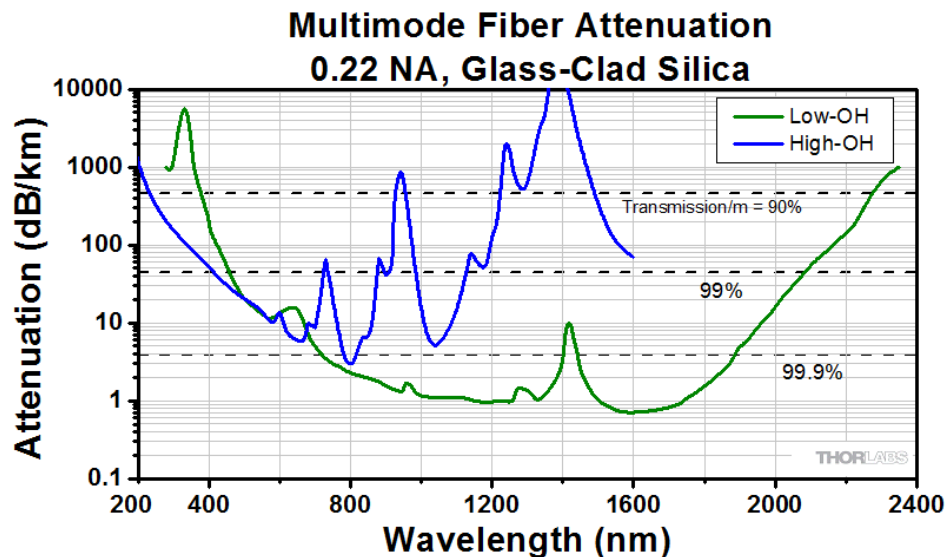
- Multimode
- Single mode
- Graded Index (GRIN)

- PCF
- Hollow Core
- Plastic
- Double Clad



Attenuation

- Fiber to use in each application depend on the Laser wavelength, its energy and the working power.
- Type of material and its purity determine absorption.(Quartz, pure Silica, polymers...)
- For high energies, small defects can lead to catastrophic failures.



https://www.thorlabs.com/newgrouppage9.cfm?objectgroup_id=6840

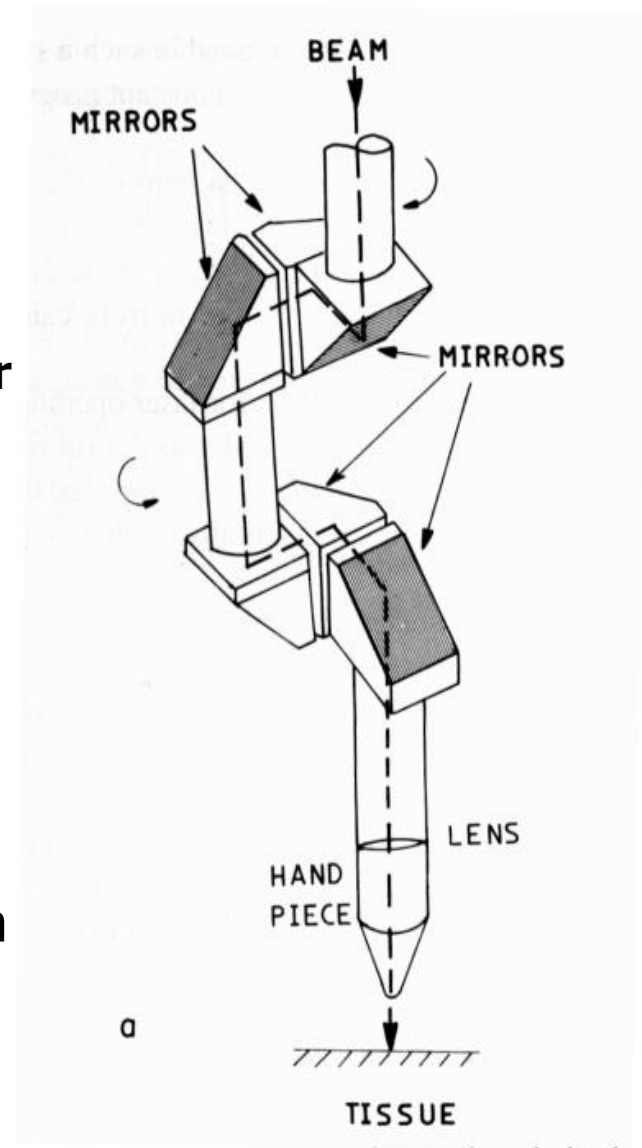
Articulated arm

Set of mirrors and/or prism in articulated supports

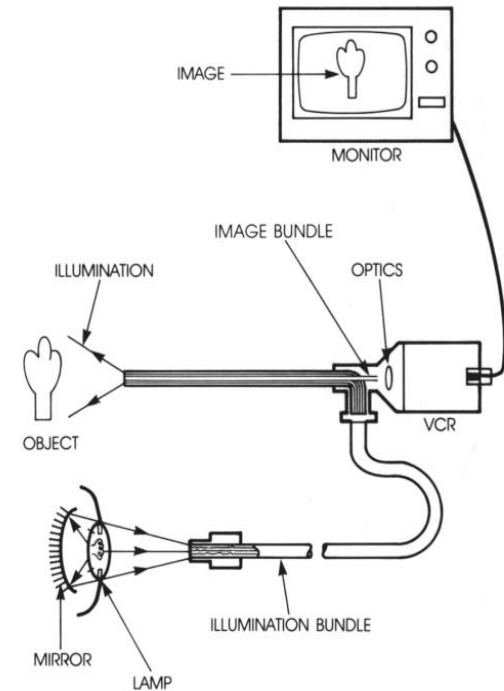
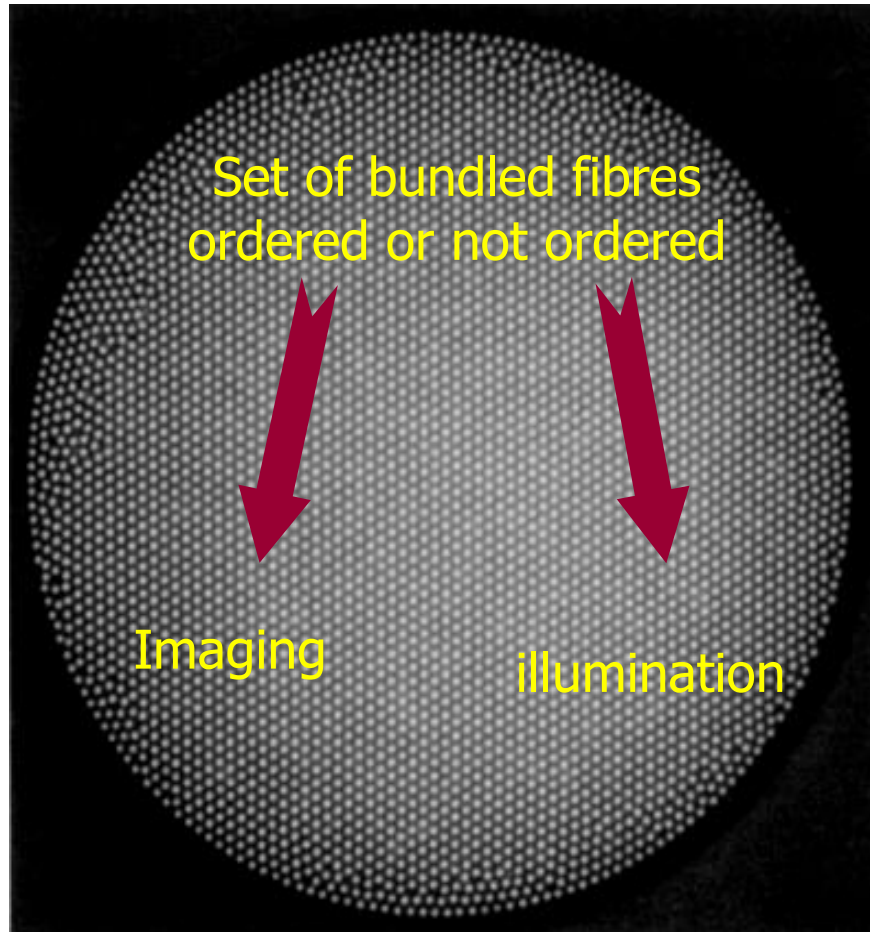
Used whenever optical fibers are not adequate for the transport of the laser radiation. (eg. too much energy)

Disadvantages

- dimensions
- limited movement ability
- rigid structure
- Diameter of the arm $\sim 15\text{-}50\text{ mm}$



Bundles

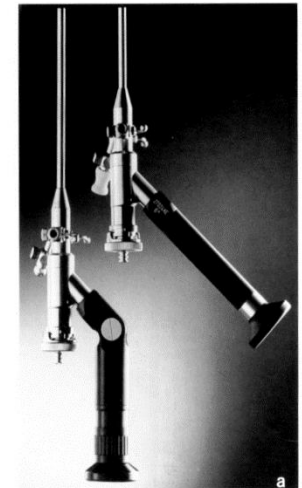
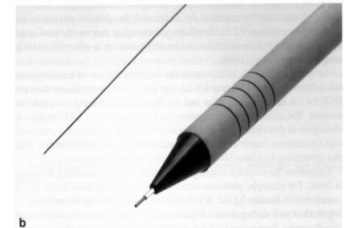
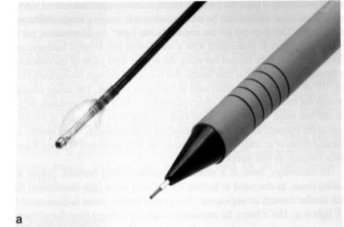
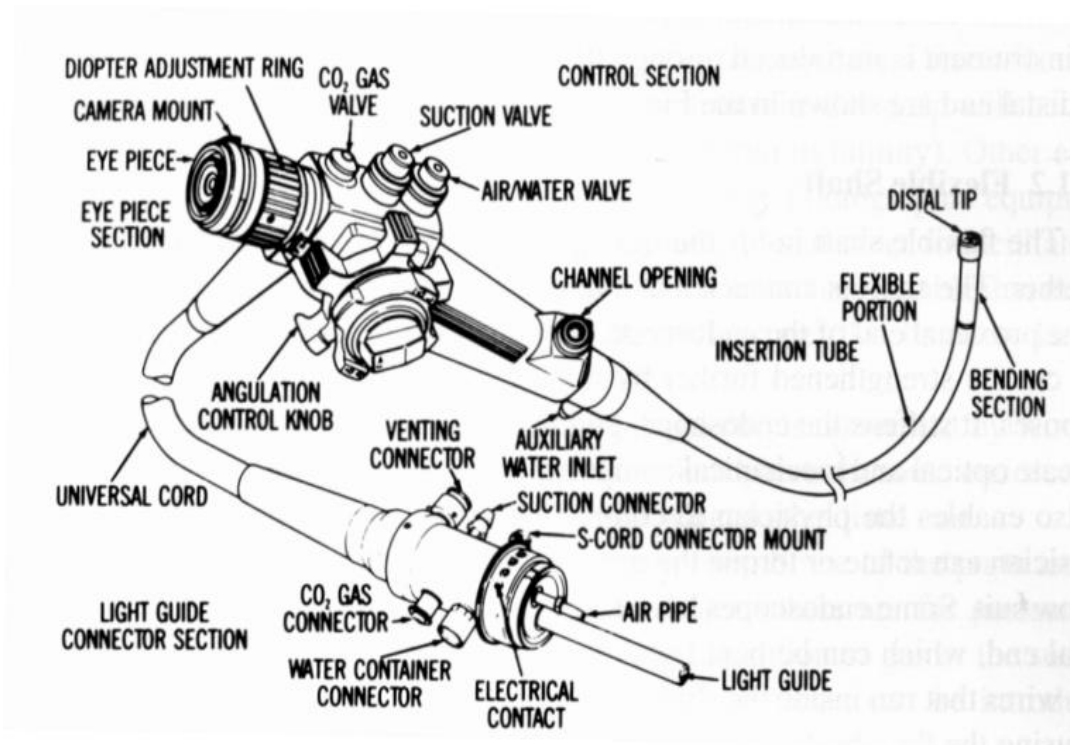


Laser endoscope

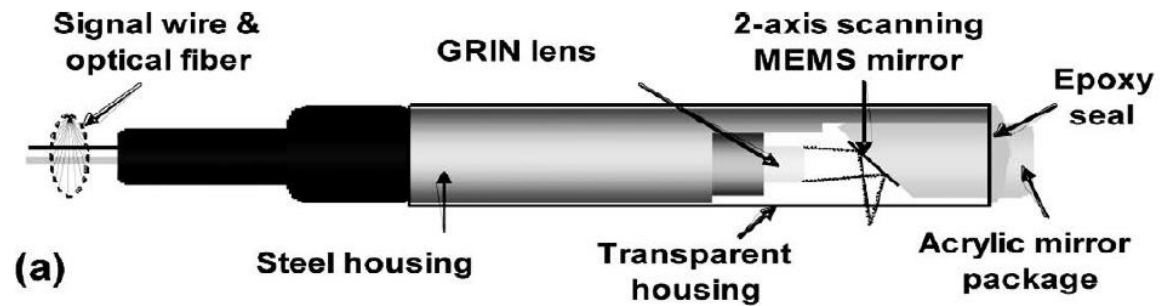
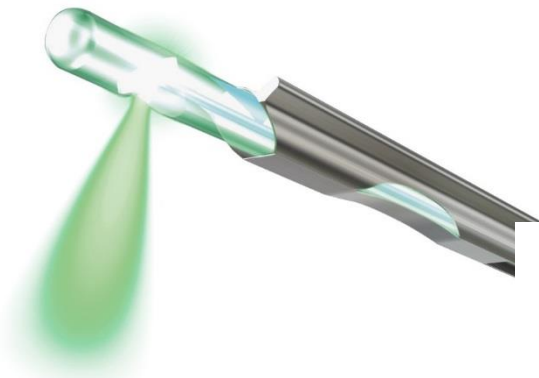
A tool for (simultaneous
diagnostic & therapy

dimensions

versatility



Laser Endoscope



http://www.richard-wolf.com/no_cache/products.html?tx_snetrwproducts_pi1%5Bproduct%5D=139&tx_snetrwproducts_pi1%5Baction%5D=show&tx_snetrwproducts_pi1%5Bcontroller%5D=Product

Hand pieces

type

Fixed focus

Variable focus

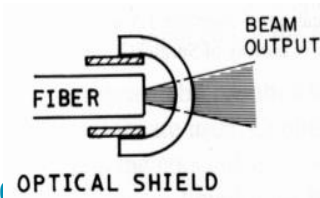
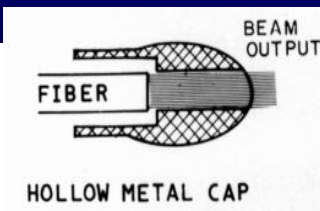
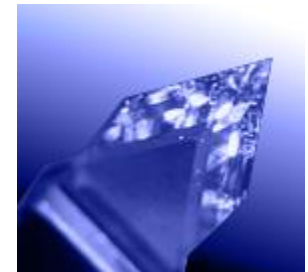
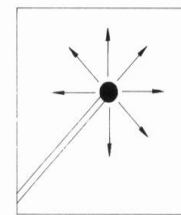
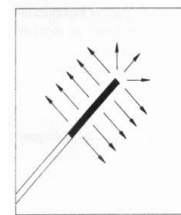
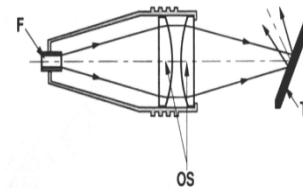
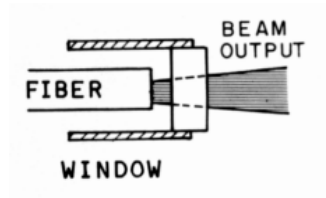
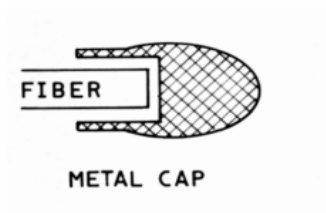
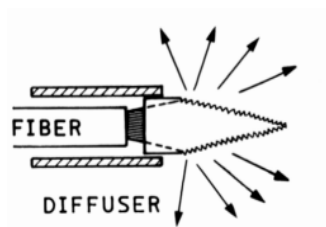
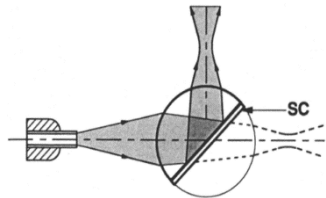
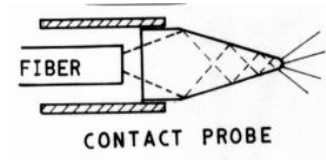
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Hot spots

Fiber protection



micromanipulators

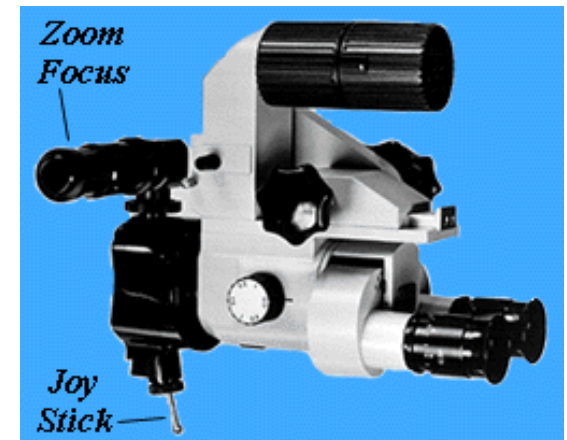
- Shifts the LASER beam without affecting the microscope
- When coupling light into the system, the LASER should not interfere with the field of view of the microscope.

zoom:

allow different focal distances to be used

(short focal distances) *focusing* for cutting

(long focal distances) Unfocusing *for* coagulation



Laser biomicroscope



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