

Q1) Derive Heisenberg's Uncertainty principle, show that electron cannot reside inside the nucleus.

Sol Heisenberg's uncertainty principle states that:

"It is impossible to determine the exact position ( $\Delta x$ ) and momentum ( $\Delta p$ ) of a particle simultaneously with accuracy".

$$\text{i)} \Delta x \cdot \Delta p \approx h \text{ or } \frac{\hbar}{2}$$

$$\text{ii)} \Delta E \cdot \Delta t \approx h \text{ or } \frac{\hbar}{2}$$

## 1) Position and Momentum

Let us consider two Louis de Broglie waves  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  moving with angular frequency  $\omega_1$  and  $\omega_2$  and propagation constants  $k_1$  and  $k_2$  resp.

$$\therefore y_1 = A \sin(\omega_1 t - k_1 x)$$

$$y_2 = A \sin(\omega_2 t - k_2 x)$$

By principle of superposition,

The resultant wave is given by  $Y = y_1 + y_2$

$$Y = A [\sin(\omega_1 t - k_1 x) + \sin(\omega_2 t - k_2 x)]$$

$$Y = A \left[ 2 \sin\left(\frac{\omega_1 t - k_1 x + \omega_2 t - k_2 x}{2}\right) \cos\left(\frac{\omega_1 t - k_1 x - \omega_2 t + k_2 x}{2}\right) \right]$$

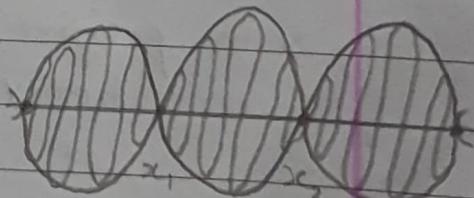
$$Y = A \left[ 2 \sin\left(\frac{(\omega_1 + \omega_2)t - (k_1 + k_2)x}{2}\right) \cos\left(\frac{(\omega_1 - \omega_2)t - (k_1 - k_2)x}{2}\right) \right]$$

$$\left[ \text{Let } \frac{\omega_1 + \omega_2}{2} \approx \omega \quad \frac{k_1 + k_2}{2} \approx k \right]$$

$$\text{and } \omega_1 - \omega_2 \approx \Delta \omega \quad k_1 - k_2 \approx \Delta k$$

$$Y = A \left[ 2 \sin(\omega t - kx) \cos\left(\frac{\Delta \omega t - \Delta k x}{2}\right) \right]$$

The particle is found between two consecutive nodes and nodes are formed when the amplitude is 0.



Since, amplitude is given by the cos component i.e.  $\cos\left(\frac{\Delta \omega t}{2} - \frac{\Delta Kx}{2}\right)$

$\therefore$  nodes are formed when  $\cos\left(\frac{\Delta \omega t}{2} - \frac{\Delta Kx}{2}\right) = 0$

$$\text{i.e. } \frac{\Delta \omega t}{2} - \frac{\Delta Kx}{2} = \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{3\pi}{2}, \frac{5\pi}{2}, \dots = \frac{(2n+1)\pi}{2}$$

Let the position of nodes be  $x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots$

$$\therefore \text{at } n=0, \text{ at } x_2, \frac{\Delta \omega t}{2} - \frac{\Delta Kx_2}{2} = (2n+3) \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\text{at } x_1, \frac{\Delta \omega t}{2} - \frac{\Delta Kx_1}{2} = (2n+1) \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$(\text{Subtracting them}) \quad \frac{\Delta Kx_1}{2} - \frac{\Delta Kx_2}{2} = \frac{\pi}{2}[2n+3 - 2n-1]$$

$$\frac{\Delta K}{2}(x_1 - x_2) = \frac{\pi}{2}(2)$$

$$\frac{\Delta x}{2} (\Delta K) = \pi$$

$$\left[ \Delta K = \frac{2\pi}{\Delta x} \right]$$

$$\frac{\Delta x \times 2\pi}{\Delta x \times 2} = \pi$$

$$\Delta x = \Delta x$$

$$\Delta x = \frac{h}{\Delta p}$$

$$\left[ \Delta x = \frac{h}{\Delta p} \right]$$

$$\boxed{\Delta x \cdot \Delta p = h}$$

for system of more than two waves,

$$\boxed{\Delta x \cdot \Delta p \geq \frac{h}{2}}$$

## 2) Energy and time

Let us consider a Louis deBroglie particle moving with velocity  $v$  in positive direction of  $x$  axis.

$$\text{i.e. } v = \frac{dx}{dt}$$

The energy of particle is given by,  $E = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$

Differentiating partially w.r.t v

$$\frac{\Delta F}{\Delta v} = \frac{1}{2} m \times 2v$$

$$\frac{\Delta E}{\Delta v} = m \times \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta t}$$

$$\Delta E \cdot \Delta t = \Delta x \times m \cdot \Delta v$$

$$\Delta E \cdot \Delta t = \Delta x \cdot \Delta p$$

$$[\Delta E \cdot \Delta t = h]$$

for system of more than two particles,  $\boxed{\Delta E \cdot \Delta t \geq \frac{h}{2}}$

Now, let us consider To determine the position of electron,

Let us consider an electron inside the nucleus,

As we know, radius of nucleus =  $10^{-14} \text{ m}$ .  $\therefore$  diameter =  $2 \times 10^{-14} \text{ m}$

$$\therefore \Delta p = \frac{h}{2 \Delta x} = \frac{5.272 \times 10^{-35}}{2 \times 10^{-14}} = 2.636 \times 10^{-21} \frac{\text{kg m}}{\text{sec}}$$

But theoretically,

$$\text{energy of electron } E = \sqrt{p^2 c^2 + m_0^2 c^4} \approx 10 \text{ MeV}$$

But from  $\beta$ -decay experiment,  $E \approx 4 \text{ MeV}$

which is contradictory

Therefore, our assumption is wrong that electron resides inside in nucleus.

Thus, electron cannot reside inside the nucleus.

Q2) Define phase velocity, group velocity and particle velocity. Derive their expression, show that in a non-dispersive medium, the group velocity equal to the phase velocity.

Ans Phase velocity  $\rightarrow$  The velocity of component wave in a wave packet is called phase velocity. It is given by

$$\text{Phase velocity i.e } V_p = \frac{\omega}{k} \quad \text{where } \omega = \text{Angular frequency}$$

$$k = \text{prop. const.}$$

group velocity  $\rightarrow$  The velocity with which a wavefront, formed due to superpositioning of waves, travels is called group velocity.

i.e Group Velocity  $v_g = \frac{d\omega}{dk}$

Particle velocity  $\rightarrow$  The change in position of a particle w.r.t. time is called particle velocity.

i.e  $v = \frac{dx}{dt}$

Let us consider a Louis deBroglie particle, moving with angular freq.  $\omega$  and propagation constant  $k$ .

$\therefore$  Its phase velocity i.e  $v_p = \frac{\omega}{k}$

$$kv = v_p \cdot k$$

Its group velocity i.e  $v_g = \frac{d\omega}{dk}$

$$k = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda}$$

$$\begin{aligned} v_g &= \frac{d(v_p \cdot k)}{dk} \\ &= v_p \frac{d(k)}{dk} + (k) \frac{d(v_p)}{dk} \end{aligned}$$

$$= v_p + \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} \frac{d(v_p)}{d\lambda}$$

$$\frac{dK}{d\lambda} = \frac{2\pi \times -1}{\lambda^2}$$

$$\left[ dK = -\frac{2\pi}{\lambda^2} d\lambda \right]$$

$$v_g = v_p - \lambda \frac{d(v_p)}{d\lambda}$$

In non-dispersive medium, phase velocity does not depend on ~~wavelength~~ group velocity i.e  $\frac{dv_p}{d\lambda} = 0$   $\therefore v_g = v_p - \lambda(0)$

$$v_g = v_p$$

Thus, in <sup>Non</sup> dispersive medium, group velocity is equal to phase velocity

Q3) Derive a moving matter particle is equal to wave packet.  
( $v_g = v$  relativity relation).

Sol Let us consider a relativistic particle with mass  $m^* = \frac{m_0}{\sqrt{1-\frac{v^2}{c^2}}}$

Its phase velocity i.e  $v_p = \frac{\omega}{k} = \frac{2\pi\gamma}{2\pi/\lambda} = \frac{E \times k}{h m^* v} = \frac{m^* c^2}{m^* v}$

$$\boxed{v_p = \frac{c^2}{v}}$$

Its angular freq,  $\omega = 2\pi\gamma = 2\pi \frac{E}{h} = 2\pi \frac{m^* c^2}{h} = \frac{2\pi c^2 m^*}{h \sqrt{1-\frac{v^2}{c^2}}} \quad \textcircled{1}$

Its propagation angular const,  $k = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} = \frac{2\pi p}{h} = \frac{2\pi m^* v}{h} = \frac{2\pi v m^*}{h \sqrt{1-\frac{v^2}{c^2}}} \quad \textcircled{2}$

Differentiating  $\omega$  w.r.t  $v$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d\omega}{dv} &= \frac{d}{dv} \left( \frac{2\pi c^2 m^*}{h} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-\frac{v^2}{c^2}}} \right) \\ &= \frac{2\pi c^2 m^*}{h} \left[ -\frac{1}{2} \left( 1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2} \right)^{-\frac{3}{2}} \times \frac{-2v}{c^2} \right] \\ \boxed{\frac{d\omega}{dv} = \frac{2\pi m^*}{h} v \left( 1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2} \right)^{-\frac{3}{2}}} \quad \textcircled{A} \end{aligned}$$

Differentiating  $k$  w.r.t  $v$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dk}{dv} &= \frac{2\pi m^*}{h} \frac{d}{dv} \left( v \times \left( 1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2} \right)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \right) \\ &= \frac{2\pi m^*}{h} \left[ v \left( -\frac{1}{2} \left( 1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2} \right)^{-\frac{3}{2}} \times \frac{-2v}{c^2} \right) + \left( 1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2} \right)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \right] \\ &= \frac{2\pi m^*}{h} \left( 1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2} \right)^{-\frac{3}{2}} \left[ \frac{v^2}{c^2} + 1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2} \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{\frac{dk}{dv} = \frac{2\pi m^*}{h} \left( 1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2} \right)^{-\frac{3}{2}}} \quad \textcircled{B}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Group velocity i.e } V_g &= \frac{dw}{dk} = \frac{dw/dv}{dk/dv} \\
 &= \frac{2\pi m_0}{h} v \left(1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}\right)^{-\frac{3}{2}} \\
 &\quad \frac{2\pi m_0}{h} \left(1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}\right)^{-\frac{3}{2}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$\boxed{V_g = v}$

This is the relativity ~~real~~ relation i.e a moving particle is equal to wave packet.

Q10) Explain de-broglie wavelength. Calculate de-broglie wavelength associated with a proton moving with a velocity equal to  $\frac{1}{20}$  velocity of light.

Sol According to de-broglie, a moving matter particle is surrounded by a wave whose wavelength depends on the mass and velocity of the particle. These waves associated with moving particles are called matter waves and their wavelength is called de-broglie wavelength.

Given, Velocity of proton i.e  $v = \frac{1}{20} \times \text{velocity of light} = \frac{1}{20} \times 3 \times 10^8 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{sec}}$

mass of proton i.e  $m_p = 1.67 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$   
wavelength i.e  $\lambda = ?$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \lambda &= \frac{h}{p} = \frac{h}{m_p v} = \frac{6.62 \times 10^{-34}}{1.67 \times 10^{-27} \times \frac{1}{20} \times 3 \times 10^8} = \frac{662 \times 20 \times 10^{-7}}{167 \times 3 \times 10^8}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{13240 \times 10^{-15}}{501} = 26.427 \times 10^{-15}$$

So

De-broglie Wavelength i.e  $\boxed{\lambda = 2.64 \times 10^{-14} \text{ m}}$

Q11) An electron has a speed of  $3.5 \times 10^7$  m/sec within the accuracy of 0.0098%. Calculate the uncertainty in position of electron.

Sol

$$\text{Speed of electron} = 3.5 \times 10^7 \text{ m sec}^{-1}$$

$$\text{mass of electron } m_e = 9.1 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}$$

$$\Delta v = \frac{9.8}{1000.0 \times 1.00} \times 3.5 \times 10^7 = 3430$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta p &= m_e \Delta v = 9.1 \times 10^{-31} \times 3430 \\ &= 3.1213 \times 10^{-27}\end{aligned}$$

$$\Delta x = \frac{\hbar}{2} \times \frac{1}{\Delta p} = \frac{5.27 \times 10^{-35}}{3.12 \times 10^{-27}} = 1.68 \times 10^{-8}$$

Q4) What is wave function. Explain normalization of wave function.

Ans Wave Function is a function that expresses the probability of the particle to be at the position  $(x, y, z)$  at time  $t$ .

It is given by  $\Psi$  and it should satisfy following conditions:

i)  $\Psi$  should be finite everywhere

ii)  $\Psi$  should be continuous everywhere.

iii)  $\Psi$  and its 1<sup>st</sup> derivative  $\left( \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial y}, \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial z} \right)$  should be continuous

If we assume that the displacement of any point in space is given by  $\Psi$  then the particle density at that point will be directly proportional to the square of displacement i.e  $\Psi^2$ .

$\therefore \Psi^2$  is used to express the particle density

But since, in some cases, the value of  $\Psi$  can be zero then the question arises that what is the position of particle.

So Max-Born suggested that the quantity  $|\Psi|^2$  represents the probability of finding particle to be in state  $\Psi$  and so the quantity  $|\Psi|^2$  is the measure of probability density.

$$\Psi = \Psi_0 e^{-Et/\hbar}$$

$$\Psi^* = \Psi_0 e^{Et/\hbar}$$

$$\therefore \Psi \Psi^* = \Psi_0 e^{-Et/\hbar} \cdot \Psi_0 e^{Et/\hbar} = \Psi_0^2 \cdot 1$$

$$\Psi \Psi^* = |\Psi|^2 = \text{real value}$$

Then the quantity  $\Psi \Psi^* dV$  or  $|\Psi|^2 dV$  tells us the probability of finding the particle in infinite volume  $V$ .

Now, if the particle is in limited region under some forces (such as electron in atom or a particle in a box with impenetrable walls), then the probability of finding the particle in that finite space is unity i.e.  $\iiint_V |\Psi|^2 dV = 1$  or  $\iiint_V \Psi_{(r,t)} \Psi_{(r,t)}^* = 1$

where,  $\iiint_V$  represent the integration of the entire Volume.

The above condition is called condition of normalization and the wave functions which satisfy the above condition are called normalized wave function.

But if the particle is still bound inside the limited region, the probability of finding the particle at infinite distance, while it is still bound inside the limited region, is zero i.e.  $\Psi_{(r,t)} \Psi_{(r,t)}^* = 0$  when  $r \rightarrow \infty$ .

Q 2) Derive Energy operator

Q 4) Derive Momentum operator

Q 5) Derive time dependent Schrodinger wave equation.

Q 6) Derive time independent Schrodinger wave equation.

Ans Let us consider a Louis deBroglie material particle which shows dual nature. Its mathematical wave equation or wave function is given by,

$$\Psi = A e^{-i[wt - kx]}$$

$$\psi = A e^{-i[2\pi v t - \frac{p}{\hbar} x]}$$

$$\psi = A e^{-i2\pi \left[ \frac{E}{\hbar} t - \frac{p}{\hbar} x \right]}$$

$$\psi = A e^{-i\frac{(2\pi)}{\hbar} [Et - Px]}$$

$$\boxed{\psi = A e^{-i\frac{1}{\hbar} [Et - Px]}} \quad \text{---(1)}$$

## Energy - Momentum operators

→ Differentiating <sup>Partially</sup> eq(1) w.r.t t

$$\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} = A \frac{\partial}{\partial t} e^{-i\frac{1}{\hbar} [Et - Px]} = A e^{-i\frac{1}{\hbar} [Et - Px]} \left( -\frac{i}{\hbar} E \right)$$

$$\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} = \psi \times \frac{(-i^2)}{\hbar i} E$$

$$F\psi = i\hbar \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t}$$

(Q8) where,  $\boxed{E = i\hbar \frac{\partial}{\partial t}}$  is the Energy operator

→ Differentiating partially eq(1) w.r.t x

$$\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x} = A \frac{\partial}{\partial x} e^{-i\frac{1}{\hbar} [Et - Px]} = A e^{-i\frac{1}{\hbar} [Et - Px]} \left( -\frac{i}{\hbar} (-P) \right)$$

$$\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x} = \psi \frac{i}{\hbar} P$$

$$P\psi = \frac{\hbar}{i} \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x}$$

(Q7) where,  $\boxed{P = \frac{\hbar}{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x}}$  is Momentum operator

The total energy of system of particle is given by,

$$E = K.E. + P.F$$

$$E = \frac{1}{2} m v^2 + V$$

$$E = \frac{P^2}{2m} + V$$

Multiplying both sides by  $\Psi$

$$E\Psi = \frac{P^2\Psi}{2m} + V\Psi$$

$$i\hbar \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial t} = \left( \frac{\hbar}{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \right)^2 \Psi \times \frac{1}{2m} + V\Psi$$

$$i\hbar \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial t} = \frac{\hbar^2}{m} \frac{\partial^2 \Psi}{\partial x^2} \times \frac{1}{2m} + V\Psi$$

$$\boxed{i\hbar \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial t} = -\frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \frac{\partial^2 \Psi}{\partial x^2} + V\Psi} \quad \text{--- (A)}$$

(Q5) This is the Time Dependent Schrodinger Wave equation

$$\text{eg (1), } \Psi = A e^{-i/\hbar [Et - Px]}$$

$$\Psi = A e^{-i/\hbar Et} e^{i/\hbar Px}$$

$$\boxed{\Psi = \Psi_x e^{-i/\hbar Et}} \quad \text{--- (B)}$$

$$\left[ \text{Let } \Psi_x = A e^{i/\hbar Px} \right]$$

Differentiating partially, eg (B) w.r.t.  $t$

$$\frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial t} = \Psi_x \frac{\partial}{\partial t} e^{-i/\hbar Et}$$

$$\boxed{\frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial t} = \Psi_x e^{-i/\hbar Et} \begin{bmatrix} -i/E \\ \hbar \end{bmatrix}} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Differentiating partially, eq (B) w.r.t  $x$

$$\frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial x} = e^{-i/\hbar Et} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \Psi_x$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial x} = e^{-i/\hbar Et} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \frac{\partial \Psi_x}{\partial x}$$

$$\boxed{\frac{\partial^2 \Psi}{\partial x^2} = e^{-i/\hbar Et} \frac{\partial^2 \Psi_x}{\partial x^2}} \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

Substituting eqn (B), (2) and (3) in eq (A)

$$i\hbar \Psi_x e^{-i/h Et} \left( -\frac{i}{\hbar} E \right) = -\frac{\hbar^2}{2m} E^2 \frac{\partial^2 \Psi_x}{\partial x^2} + V \Psi_x e^{-i/h Et}$$

$$\frac{-i^2 \hbar^2 E \Psi_x}{\hbar} e^{-i/h Et} = e^{-i/h Et} \left[ -\frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \frac{\partial^2 \Psi_x}{\partial x^2} + V \Psi_x \right]$$

$$E \Psi_x = -\frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \frac{\partial^2 \Psi_x}{\partial x^2} + V \Psi_x \quad \boxed{\text{where } E_x = H_x \text{ i.e. Hamiltonian operator}}$$

This is the Time Independent Schrodinger Wave equation

Q19) Explain Schrodinger wave equation for a particle in a three-dimensional box. Solve it to obtain Eigen function and show that Eigen Energy are discrete

Ans Schrodinger time independent wave equation for particle in one-dimension is,

$$E \Psi_x = -\frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \frac{\partial^2 \Psi_x}{\partial x^2} + V \Psi_x$$

$$(E-V) \frac{2m}{\hbar^2} \Psi + \frac{\partial^2 \Psi}{\partial x^2} = 0 \quad - \textcircled{A}$$

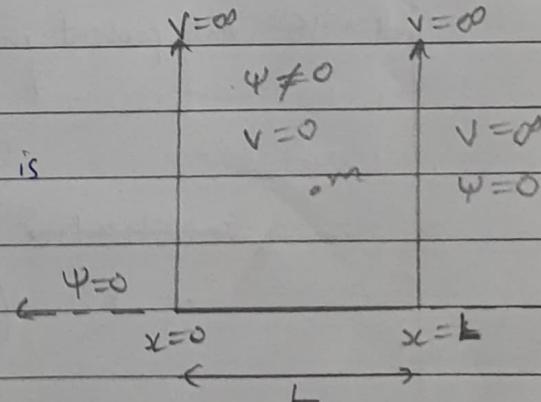
For three dimensional box,

$$\left( \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial z^2} \right) \Psi + \frac{2m}{\hbar^2} (E-V) \Psi = 0$$

$$\boxed{\nabla^2 \Psi + \frac{2m}{\hbar^2} (E-V) \Psi = 0}$$

$$\text{where } \nabla^2 = \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial z^2} \quad \text{i.e. Laplacian Operator}$$

Let us consider a particle of mass  $m$  inside of box of width ' $L$ '. The particle can move inside the box as the potential ( $V$ ) is zero. But the particle cannot move outside the box as the potential is very high.



∴ Boundary conditions are:  $V=0$  at  $0 < x < L$   
 $V=\infty$  at  $x \leq 0$  and  $x \geq L$

By using Schrodinger's time independent wave equation (eq A) and the boundary conditions, the energy of the particle can be calculated

Inside the box,  $V=0$  ∴ eq (A) becomes,

$$\frac{\partial^2 \Psi}{\partial x^2} + \frac{2m}{\hbar^2} E \Psi = 0$$

Let  $k^2 = \frac{2m}{\hbar^2} E$  ] (B)

$$\left[ \frac{\partial^2 \Psi}{\partial x^2} + k^2 \Psi = 0 \right]$$

The solution of 2<sup>nd</sup> order derivative is given by.

$$\Psi = A \sin kx + B \cos kx \quad (1)$$

$$\Psi=0, \text{ at } x=0$$

$$\therefore 0 = A \sin k(0) + B \cos k(0) = B$$

$$[B=0]$$

$$\Psi=0 \text{ at } x=L$$

$$\therefore 0 = A \sin kL + B \cos k(L) = A \sin kL + 0(\cos kL)$$

$$0 = A \sin kL$$

$$A \neq 0$$

$$\sin kL = 0$$

because at  $A=0$ ,  $\Psi=0$

$$kL = 0, \pi, 2\pi, \dots$$

(particle not present in box)

$$kL = \pm n\pi$$

$$\left[ k = \pm \frac{n\pi}{L} \right] \quad (2)$$

Substitution Equating eq (B) and (2)

$$k^2 = \left( \pm \frac{n\pi}{L} \right)^2$$

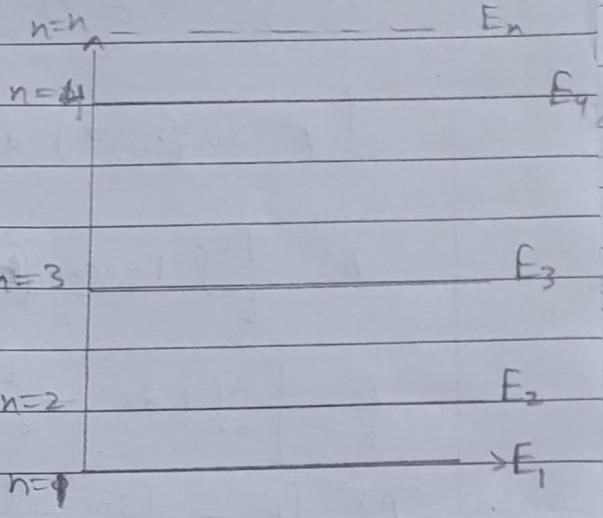
$$\frac{2mE}{\hbar^2} = \frac{n^2 \pi^2}{L^2}$$

$$E = \frac{n^2 \pi^2 \hbar^2}{2m L^2} = \frac{n^2 \pi^2}{2m L^2} \times \frac{\hbar^2}{4\pi^2}$$

$$E = \frac{n^2 \hbar^2}{8m L^2}$$

i.e Energy values where  $n=1, 2, 3 \dots$

For  $n=1$ ,  $E_1 = \frac{\hbar^2}{8m L^2}$



For  $n=2$ ,  $E_2 = \frac{4 \hbar^2}{8m L^2} = 4E_1$

For  $n=3$ ,  $E_3 = \frac{9 \hbar^2}{8m L^2} = 9E_1$

For  $n=4$ ,  $E_4 = \frac{16 \hbar^2}{8m L^2} = 16E_1$

Since, Energy is not continuous (or not equispaced)

Thus, Discontinuous form of energy is obtained

$\therefore$  Eigen energy is Discrete

eq(1),  $\Psi = A \sin kx + B \cos kx$   $\left[ \because B=0, k=\pm \frac{n\pi}{L} \right]$

$$\Psi = A \sin kx + 0(\cos kx)$$

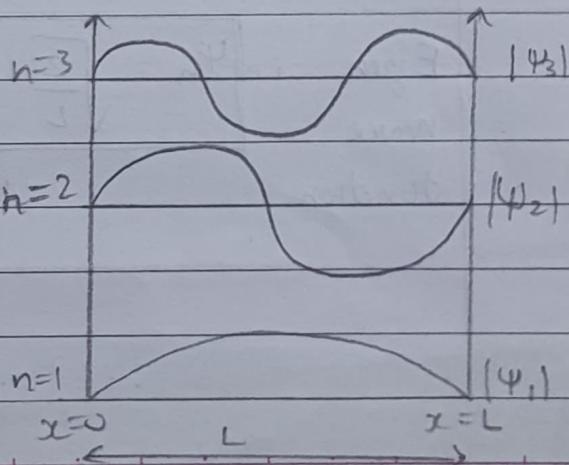
$$\boxed{\Psi_n = A \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{L} x\right)} - \text{(1)}$$

This is the Eigen function where  $n=1, 2, 3 \dots$

For  $n=1$ ,  $\Psi_1 = A \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{L} x\right)$

For  $n=2$ ,  $\Psi_2 = A \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{L} x\right)$

For  $n=3$ ,  $\Psi_3 = A \sin\left(\frac{3\pi}{L} x\right)$



Here,  $|\Psi|^2$  represents the probability of finding the particle at that instant.

By using normalisation eq. condition,

$$\int_0^L |\Psi_n|^2 dx = 1$$

$$\int_0^L \left| A \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) \right|^2 dx = 1$$

$$\int_0^L A^2 \sin^2\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) dx = 1$$

$$A^2 \left[ \int_0^L 1 - \cos\left(\frac{2n\pi x}{L}\right) dx \right] = 1$$

$$\frac{A^2}{2} \left[ \int_0^L 1 dx - \int_0^L \cos\left(\frac{2n\pi x}{L}\right) dx \right] = 1$$

$$\frac{A^2}{2} \left[ L - \left[ \frac{\sin\left(\frac{2n\pi x}{L}\right)}{\frac{2n\pi}{L}} \right]_0^L \right] = 1 \quad [\because \sin n\pi = 0]$$

$$\frac{A^2}{2} (L - 0) = 1$$

$$A^2 = \frac{2}{L}$$

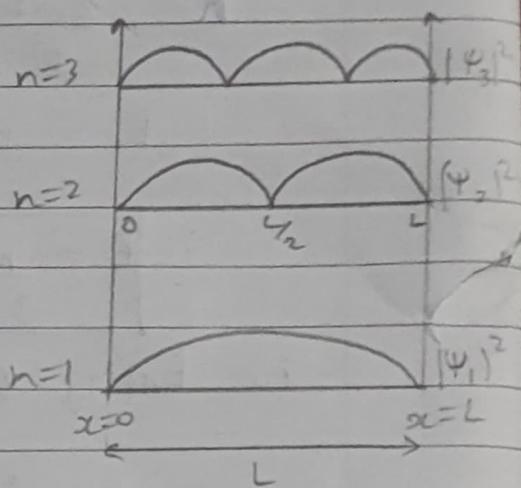
$$A = \sqrt{\frac{2}{L}}$$

eq (C),

$$\Psi_n = A \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right)$$

Eigen i.e.  $\boxed{\Psi_n = \sqrt{\frac{2}{L}} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right)}$

Wave function



$$\begin{aligned} 1 - \cos 2\theta &= 2 \sin^2 \theta \\ \sin^2 \theta &= \frac{1 - \cos 2\theta}{2} \end{aligned}$$

(intro)

Thomas Young in 1801 demonstrated interference of light and division of waveforms

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Q1) Explain Young's double slit experiment. Derive fringe width.

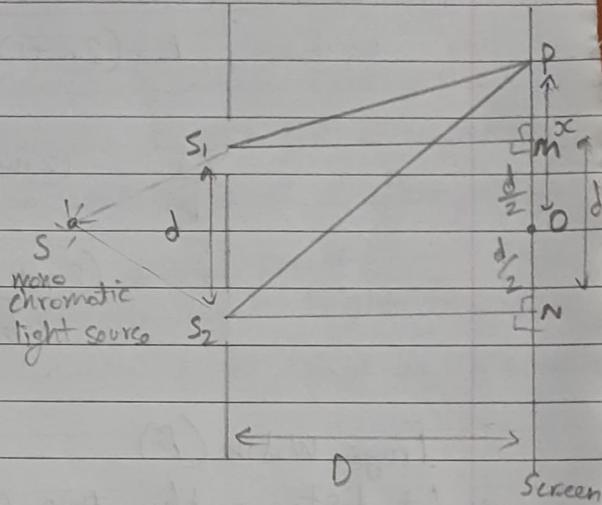
Sol) Let us consider a monochromatic light source (S) in front of which there are two narrow slits ( $S_1$ ) and ( $S_2$ ) at (D) distance from each other. Let the distance b/w the slits & screen be (P). We need to find the conditions of bright & dark fringes at point (P) on the screen. The distance between (P) and O is (x). Let us draw  $S_1 M \perp S_2 N$  perpendiculars on screen.

$$\text{Path diff. } [\Delta = S_2 P - S_1 P] - D \\ \text{b/w } S_1 \text{ & } S_2$$

By pythagoras,  
In  $\triangle S_1 PM$

$$(S_1 P)^2 = (PM)^2 + (S_1 M)^2 \\ = \left(x - \frac{d}{2}\right)^2 + D^2$$

$$\boxed{(S_1 P)^2 = x^2 + \frac{d^2}{4} - xd + D^2} \quad \text{①}$$



In  $\triangle S_2 PN$

$$(S_2 P)^2 = (PN)^2 + (S_2 N)^2 \\ = \left(x + \frac{d}{2}\right)^2 + D^2$$

$$\boxed{(S_2 P)^2 = x^2 + \frac{d^2}{4} + xd + D^2} \quad \text{②}$$

Subtracting eq ② from ①

$$(S_2 P)^2 - (S_1 P)^2 = x^2 + \frac{d^2}{4} + xd + D^2 - \left(x^2 + \frac{d^2}{4} - xd + D^2\right) \\ \Rightarrow 2xd = 2xd$$

$$(S_2 P - S_1 P)(S_2 P + S_1 P) = 2xd$$

$$S_2 P - S_1 P = \frac{2xd}{S_1 P + S_2 P} = \frac{2xd}{D+D} \quad [S_1 P \sim S_2 P \sim D]$$

$$\Delta = S_2 P - S_1 P = \frac{2xd}{2D}$$

$$\boxed{\Delta = \frac{xd}{D}} \quad \text{③}$$

For constructive interference (Bright fringes)

we know,  $\Delta = n\lambda$  where  $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$

$$\frac{x_d}{D} = n\lambda$$

$$x_n = \frac{n\lambda D}{d}$$

For Destructive interference (Dark fringes)

we know,  $\Delta = (2n+1) \frac{\lambda}{2}$  where,  $n = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots$

$$\frac{x_d}{D} = (2n+1) \frac{\lambda}{2}$$

$$x_n = \frac{(2n+1)\lambda D}{2d}$$

Fringe width ( $\beta$ )

Let distance b/w two consecutive fringes be  $x_n, x_{n+1}$

$$x_n = \frac{n\lambda D}{d} \quad x_{n+1} = (n+1) \frac{\lambda D}{d}$$

$$\beta = x_{n+1} - x_n = \frac{\lambda D}{d} (n+1 - n)$$

Fringe width =  $\beta = \frac{\lambda D}{d}$  for bright fringes.

Let dist b/w any two consecutive dark fringes be  $x_n$  and  $x_{n+1}$

$$\beta = x_{n+1} - x_n$$

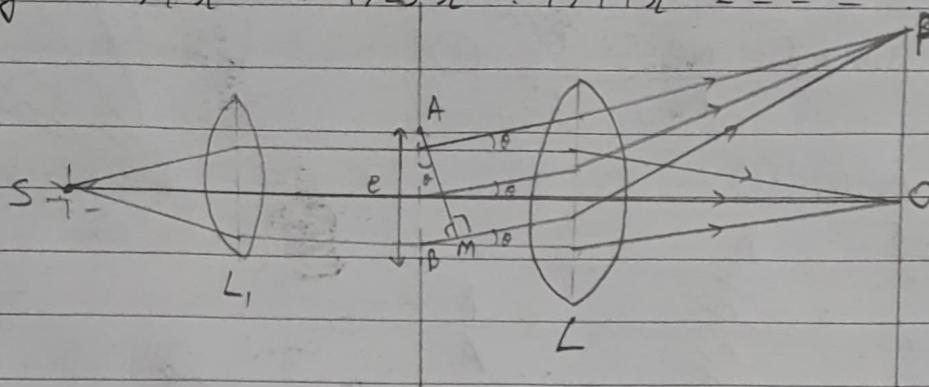
$$= \underbrace{(2(n+1)+1) \frac{\lambda D}{2d}}_{2d} - \underbrace{(2n+1) \frac{\lambda D}{2d}}_{2d} = \frac{\lambda D}{2d} (2n+3 - 2n-1)$$

$$\beta = \frac{2\lambda D}{2d} \Rightarrow \boxed{\beta = \frac{\lambda D}{d}} \text{ for dark fringes}$$

Conclusion  $\rightarrow \beta \propto \lambda, \beta \propto D, \beta \propto \frac{1}{d}$  where  $D = \text{dist b/w slits \& screen}$   
 $d = \text{dist b/w two slits}$

Q6) Discuss the phenomena of Fraunhofer diffraction at a single slit and show that the relative intensities of successive maxima are nearly  $1 : 4/9\pi^2 : 4/25\pi^2 : 4/49\pi^2 \dots$

Sol



Let us consider a monochromatic light source  $S$  whose light passes through Convex lens  $L_1$  then gets diffracted due to slit  $AB$  of length  $e$  and forms principal maxima at  $O$  and ~~and~~ fringe at  $P$  after passing through lens  $L$ .

A pattern of central bright fringe surrounded by <sup>alternate dark &</sup> weak bright fringes of decreasing intensity on either side of central bright fringe is observed on the screen.

$$\text{Path difference } \Delta = BM$$

$$\text{In } \triangle MAB, \sin \theta = \frac{BM}{AB} = \frac{BM}{e}$$

$$[\Delta = BM = e \sin \theta]$$

$$\text{Phase difference } \delta = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} \times \Delta$$

$$\boxed{\delta = \frac{2\pi e \sin \theta}{\lambda}}$$

If the slit is divided in  $n$ -equal parts then the phase difference of wave reaching the screen becomes,

$$\boxed{\delta = \frac{1}{n} \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} e \sin \theta}$$

and amplitude of each phase reaching the screen is ' $A'$ '

To obtain Resultant amplitude, let phase  $S$  be subtended at point  $P$ .

$$\text{In } \Delta PQT, \sin \frac{\delta}{2} = \frac{QT}{PQ} = \left[ \frac{A/2}{PQ} \right] \quad (1)$$

$$\text{In } \Delta PNQ, \sin \frac{n\delta}{2} = \frac{NQ}{PQ} = \left[ \frac{R/2}{PQ} \right] \quad (2)$$

Dividing eq (2) & (1)

$$\frac{\sin \frac{n\delta}{2}}{\sin \frac{\delta}{2}} = \frac{\frac{R}{2}}{\frac{A/2}{PQ}} = \frac{R}{A}$$

$$R = \frac{A \sin \frac{n\delta}{2}}{\sin \frac{\delta}{2}} = \frac{A \sin \frac{1}{n} \left( n \times \frac{1}{n} \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} e \sin \theta \right)}{\sin \frac{1}{n} \left( \frac{1}{n} \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} e \sin \theta \right)}$$

$\Rightarrow \left[ \text{Let } \frac{\pi}{2} e \sin \theta = \alpha \right]$

$$R = \frac{A \sin \alpha}{\sin \frac{\alpha}{n}}$$

$$\left[ \because n \ggg d \right]$$

$$\therefore \sin \frac{\alpha}{n} \sim \frac{\alpha}{n}$$

$$R = \frac{A \sin \alpha}{\frac{\alpha}{n}}$$

$$\boxed{R = \frac{n A \sin \alpha}{\alpha}}$$

Intensity i.e.  $I \propto (R)^2$

$$I = k (nA)^2 \left( \frac{\sin \alpha}{\alpha} \right)^2 \quad [\text{where, } kn^2 A^2 = I_0]$$

$$\boxed{I = I_0 \left( \frac{\sin \alpha}{\alpha} \right)^2}$$

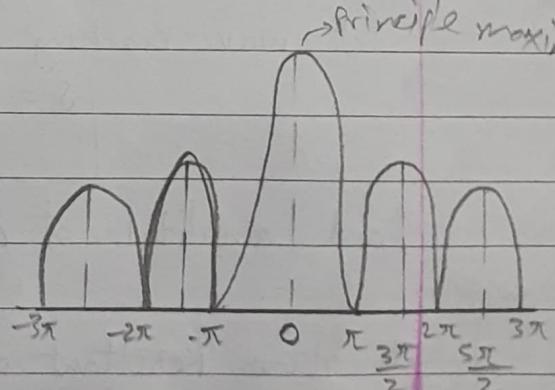
## ① Principle Maxima

$$\alpha = 0$$

$$\frac{\pi}{2} e \sin \theta = 0$$

$$\sin \theta = 0$$

$\therefore \boxed{\theta = 0^\circ}$  we get principle maxima



(2) Minima

$$\sin \alpha = 0$$

$$\alpha = 0, \pi, 2\pi, \dots$$

$$\alpha = \pm n\pi$$

$$\frac{\pi}{\lambda} e \sin \theta = \pm n\pi$$

$$e \sin \theta = \pm n\lambda$$

This is the condition for minima where  $n=1, 2, 3, \dots$

$n \neq 0$  because at  $n=0$ , we get principal maxima.

(3) Secondary maxima

Differentiating  $I$  w.r.t  $\alpha$

$$\frac{dI}{d\alpha} = I_0 \left( \frac{\sin \alpha}{\alpha} \right)^2$$

$$\frac{dI}{d\alpha} = I_0 \left[ \frac{\cos \alpha}{\alpha} - 2 \left( \frac{\sin \alpha}{\alpha} \right) \left( \frac{\cos \alpha}{\alpha} - \frac{\sin \alpha}{\alpha^2} \right) \right]$$

$$2I_0 \frac{\sin \alpha}{\alpha} = 0$$

$$\sin \alpha = 0$$

This gives the condition  
for minima

$$\frac{d \cos \alpha - \sin \alpha}{\alpha^2} = 0$$

$$\alpha \cos \alpha = \sin \alpha$$

$\alpha = \tan^{-1} \alpha$  which is similar to  
eqn of st. line

$$\alpha = \frac{3\pi}{2}, \frac{5\pi}{2}, \frac{7\pi}{2}, \dots$$

$$\alpha = (2n+1) \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\frac{\pi}{\lambda} e \sin \theta = (2n+1) \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$e \sin \theta = (2n+1) \frac{\lambda}{2}$$

This is the condition for Secondary maxima where  $n=1, 2, 3, \dots$

$$\text{If } \alpha = \frac{3\pi}{2}, I_1 = I_0 \frac{(\sin \frac{3\pi}{2})^2}{(\frac{3\pi}{2})^2} = I_0 \frac{(-1)^2}{\frac{9\pi^2}{4}} = \boxed{\frac{4I_0}{9\pi^2}}$$

$$\text{If } \alpha = \frac{5\pi}{2}, I_2 = I_0 \frac{(\sin \frac{5\pi}{2})^2}{(\frac{5\pi}{2})^2} = I_0 \frac{(1)^2}{\frac{25\pi^2}{4}} = \boxed{\frac{4I_0}{25\pi^2}}$$

$$\text{If } \alpha = \frac{7\pi}{2}, I_3 = I_0 \frac{(\sin \frac{7\pi}{2})^2}{(\frac{7\pi}{2})^2} = I_0 \frac{(-1)^2}{\frac{49\pi^2}{4}} = \boxed{\frac{4I_0}{49\pi^2}}$$

∴ Relative intensities of successive maximum are

$$I_0 : \frac{4I_0}{9\pi^2} : \frac{4I_0}{25\pi^2} : \frac{4I_0}{49\pi^2}$$

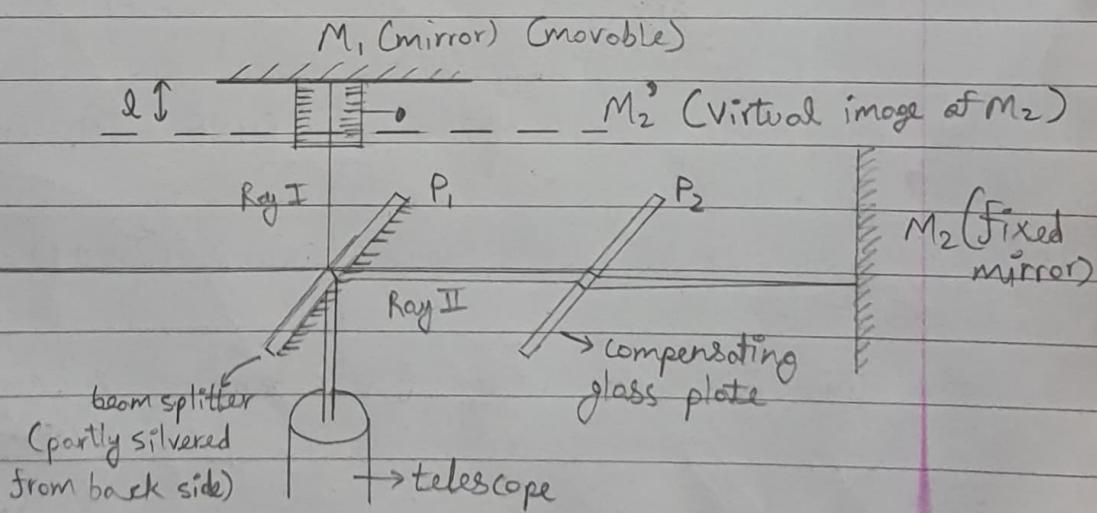
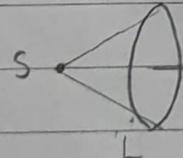
$$\text{i.e. } 1 : \frac{4}{9\pi^2} : \frac{4}{25\pi^2} : \frac{4}{49\pi^2}$$

Q5) Describe Michelson's interferometer and explain the formation of fringes in it. How this can be used to measure the wavelength of monochromatic light?

Ans. Michelson's Interferometer

Introduction & Principle - In Michelson's interferometer, light wave from an external source is divided in two coherent light beams by partial reflection at lightly silvered surface of glass plate and then made to recombine at same plate after travelling different optical path.

Construction & Diagram-



- Working → the monochromatic source of light is kept on the focus of lens  
 L so as to get a parallel <sup>emergent</sup> ray of light.  
 \* The ray of light is incident on plate  $P_1$  (beam splitter) which is inclined at an angle of  $45^\circ$  and is partly silvered on back/lower side,  
 So that the incident light is equally reflected and transmitted by it.

\* Half of the incident ray is reflected by  $P_1$  towards the movable Mirror  $M_1$  as Ray I and the other half is transmitted through  $P_1$  towards fixed Mirror  $M_2$  as Ray II.

\* Both rays, Ray I & Ray II, incident normally on the mirrors and hence on reflection, they retrace their path.

\* On returning to glass plate  $P_1$ , a part of the amplitude of Ray I is ~~transmit~~ transmitted towards the telescope whereas a part of the Ray II is reflected towards the telescope.

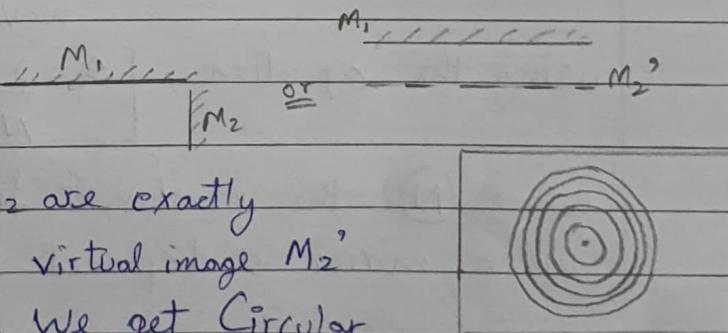
\* Since there are two beams towards the telescope and they are derived from the same incident wave, thus they are coherent.

\* These two waves form interference fringes at the field of view of telescope such that their path difference  $\Delta = 2d \sin \theta + \frac{\lambda}{2}$ ,  
 Condition for <sup>constructive interference</sup> maxima is  $\Delta = n\lambda$  and for destructive interference  
 $\Delta = (2n+1) \frac{\lambda}{2}$ .

Types of Fringes :

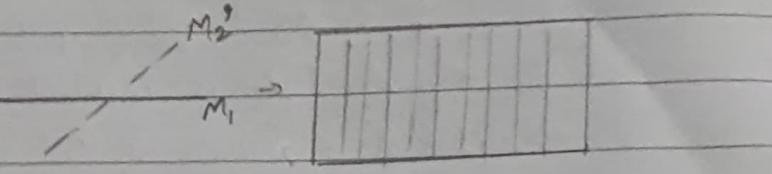
### ① Circular fringes

When mirror  $M_1$  and mirror  $M_2$  are exactly perpendicular or mirror  $M_1$  and virtual image  $M_2'$  are parallel to each other, then we get Circular fringes

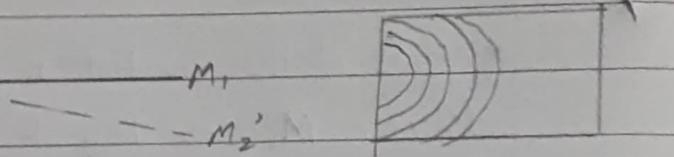


## ② Wedge or Localized fringes

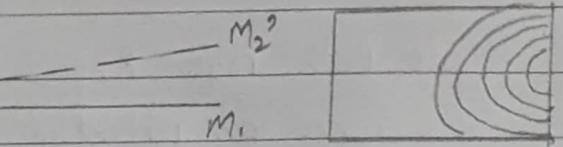
i) When  $M_2'$  is inclined over  $M_1$ , then straight line fringes are obtained



ii) When  $M_2'$  is inclined below  $M_1$ , then semicircular fringes, on left side of field of view of telescope, are obtained.



iii) When  $M_2'$  is inclined above  $M_1$ , then semicircular fringes, on right side of field of view of telescope, are obtained



\* 15 Function of compensating glass plate :-

→ To equalize the path of waves, a glass plate  $P_2$ , of same thickness and same material as glass plate  $P_1$ , is introduced in the path of Ray II towards mirror  $M_2$ .

Thus, glass plate  $P_2$  is called compensating glass plate.

→ In the absence of  $P_2$ , the path of Ray I & Ray II are not equal as Ray I travels through  $P_1$  twice whereas Ray II does not travel through  $P_2$  twice.

\* 25 Determination of wavelength: This can be used to determine the wavelength of monochromatic light by

using the equation,

$$\lambda = \frac{2l}{N}$$

that move across

where,  $(N)$  is the number of fringes ~~in~~ the field of view of telescope when mirror is displaced through a distance  $(l)$ .

Q9) Explain principle application of Michelson's interferometer.

Sol The application of Michelson's interferometer are as follows:

(1) Determination of thickness of thin transparent sheet:-

By using the formula, thickness i.e 
$$t = \frac{\lambda N}{2(\mu - 1)}$$

where,  $\mu$  is the refractive index of the material of thin transparent sheet and  $(N)$  is the number of fringes moving across the field of view when mirror is displaced through a distance  $(l)$ .

(2) Determination of two spectral line or for the resolution of two closely spaced spectral line:-

By using the relation, 
$$\Delta \lambda = \frac{2 \lambda \mu}{2N}$$

where, 
$$2 \lambda \mu = \lambda_1 + \lambda_2$$

Q 10) Explain plain transmission diffraction grating. Derive the maxima and minima.

Ans 20 Diffraction grating is an arrangement of parallel and equidistant slit.

It is made by ruling a large number of parallel and equidistant lines on an optically plane glass plate with a diamond point.

The ruled part scatters the light while the unruled part transmits the light.

Let us consider a  $N$  number of equidistant and parallel slits. Let ' $e$ ' be the width of each slit and ' $d$ ' be the space between each slit, then ~~the~~  $(e+d)$  is called 'grating element'.

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Intensity pattern for  $N$ -slits is given by,

$$I = I_0 \left( \frac{\sin \alpha}{\alpha} \right)^2 \left( \frac{\sin N\beta}{\sin \beta} \right)$$

where  $\alpha = \frac{\pi e \sin \theta}{\lambda}$  and  $\beta = \frac{\pi (e+d) \sin \theta}{\lambda}$  (1)

for single slit i.e.  $N=1$ ,  $I = I_0 \left( \frac{\sin \alpha}{\alpha} \right)^2 \frac{\sin \beta}{\beta}$

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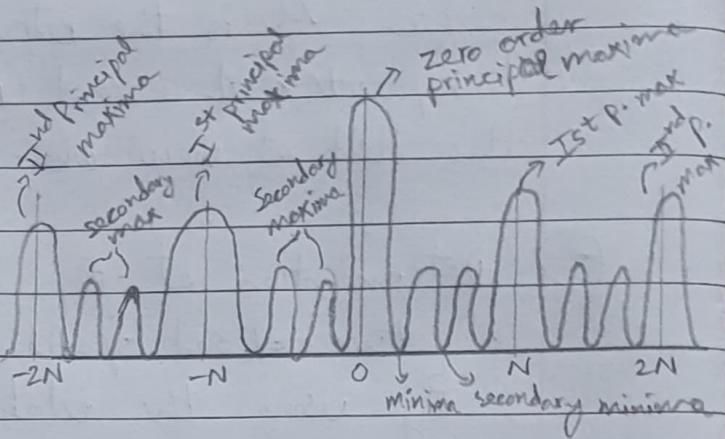
### Condition for Maxima

For maximum intensity,

$$\sin \beta = 0$$

$$\therefore \beta = 0, \pi, 2\pi, \dots$$

$$\beta = \pm n\pi$$



e.g. (1),  $\beta = \frac{\pi (e+d) \sin \theta}{\lambda}$

$$\pm n\pi = \frac{\pi (e+d) \sin \theta}{\lambda}$$

$$(e+d) \sin \theta = \pm n\lambda \quad \text{for Maxima where } n=0, 1, 2, \dots$$

### Condition for Minima

For minimum intensity,

$$\sin N\beta = 0$$

$$N\beta = 0, \pi, 2\pi, \dots$$

$$N\beta = \pm m\pi$$

$$\frac{N\pi}{\lambda} (e+d) \sin \theta = \pm m\pi$$

$$[N(e+d) \sin \theta = \pm m\lambda] \quad \text{for Minima where } m=1, 2, 3, \text{ excluding}$$

$m=0, N, 2N, \dots, nN$  as at these values there will be zero order principal maxima, first order principal maxima, ... upto  $n^{\text{th}}$  order principal maxima.

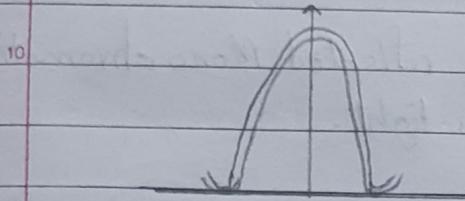
Q 8) Explain Rayleigh criterion and resolving power of grating.

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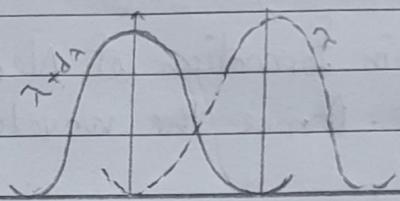
Grating is an arrangement of parallel and equidistant linear slits on a glass plate and the ability of a grating to form separate diffraction maxima or spectral lines of close wavelengths is called the Resolving power of grating.

So according to Rayleigh's criterion,

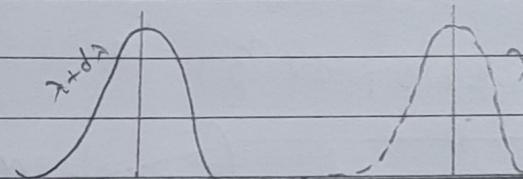
Let us consider two spectral lines of wavelength  $\lambda$  and  $\lambda + d\lambda$ .



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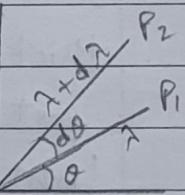


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According to Rayleigh's criterion, the wavelength of two spectral lines, having wavelengths  $\lambda$  and  $\lambda + d\lambda$ , is said to be Just Resolved by the grating when the  $n^{\text{th}}$  maxima of one wavelength ( $\lambda + d\lambda$ ) falls over the minima of other wavelength ( $\lambda$ ) in some direction.

Condition for  $n^{\text{th}}$  Maxima in direction  $(\theta + d\theta)$  of  $(\lambda + d\lambda)$

$$(e+d) \sin(\theta + d\theta) = n(\lambda + d\lambda) \quad (1)$$



Condition for adjacent minima of wavelength  $\lambda$  in direction of  $(\theta + d\theta)$

$$N(e+d) \sin(\theta + d\theta) = m\lambda$$

$\overset{\text{2nd}}{\lambda}$  and  
 $\overset{\text{1st}}{\lambda + d\lambda}$

when adjacent minima  $m = nN + 1$ ,

$$N(e+d) \sin(\theta + d\theta) = (nN + 1)\lambda \quad [\text{from eq(1)}]$$

$$N(n(\lambda + d\lambda)) = (nN + 1)\lambda$$

$$nN\lambda + nNd\lambda = nN\lambda + \lambda$$

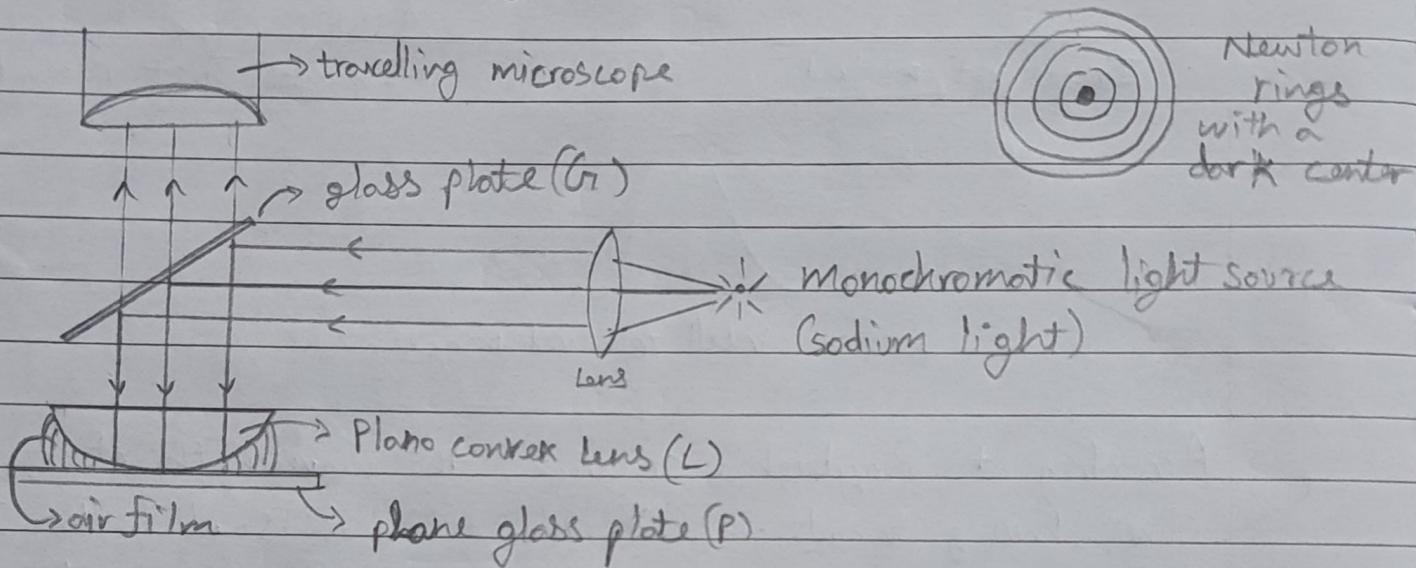
$$nNd\lambda = \lambda$$

$$\boxed{nN = \frac{\lambda}{d\lambda}}$$

i.e. the Resolving power of grating

- 5 The resolving power of grating is the product of total number of rulings  $(N)$  and the order of spectral lines  $(n)$   
 and  $\lambda$  is the average of two nearby wavelengths  
 $d\lambda$  is the difference of two nearby wavelengths.

- 2) Explain formation of Newton's ring in reflected Monochromatic light. Derive the wavelength of sodium light.



When a plano convex lens ( $L$ ) of large radius of curvature is placed on a plane glass plate ( $P$ ), an air film of gradually increasing thickness from the point of contact is formed between the upper part of glass plate and lower part of plano convex lens.

Light from monochromatic light source falls on glass plate ( $G$ ), inclined at  $45^\circ$  and get reflected from the front of plate towards  $L$  and falls normally on the airfilm enclosed between  $L$  and  $P$ .

Then this light gets reflected back upward from air film due to which interference takes place which results in the formation of bright and dark fringes observed by the help of a travelling microscope.

These fringes are circular because the air film is symmetrical about the point of contact of the lens <sup>with</sup> the glass plate.

Path difference at reflected ray,  $\Delta = 2\mu t \cos r + \frac{\lambda}{2}$

for normal incidence of rays ( $r=0$ ) ,  $\Delta = 2t + \frac{\lambda}{2}$  -①  
and assembly in air ( $\mu=1$ )

for  $t=0$ , at centre,  $\Delta = \frac{\lambda}{2}$  which is the condition for

minimum intensity at the centre thus we get a dark ring at centre.

Condition of Maxima Bright Fringe

$$\Delta = n\lambda$$

$$2t + \frac{\lambda}{2} = n\lambda$$

$$2t = n\lambda - \frac{\lambda}{2}$$

$$2t = (2n-1) \frac{\lambda}{2} \quad \text{②}$$

Condition for Dark Fringe

$$\Delta = (2n+1) \frac{\lambda}{2}$$

$$2t + \frac{\lambda}{2} = (2n+1) \frac{\lambda}{2}$$

$$2t = (2n+1-1) \frac{\lambda}{2} = 2n \frac{\lambda}{2}$$

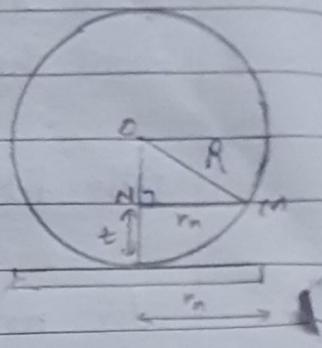
$$2t = n\lambda \quad \text{③}$$

Diameter of fringes

Let us consider a convex lens of radius of curvature 'R' from which a plane convex lens of thickness 't' is cut.

$r_n$  is the radius of Newton's ring.

In  $\triangle ONM$  by Pythagoras theorem



$$(OM)^2 = (ON)^2 + (MN)^2$$

$$R^2 = (R-t)^2 + (r_n)^2$$

$$R^2 = R^2 + t^2 - 2Rt + r_n^2 \quad [\text{neglecting } t^2 \because r_n^2 \gg t^2]$$

$$2Rt = r_n^2$$

$$\boxed{2t = \frac{r_n^2}{R}} \quad \textcircled{C}$$

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→ For bright fringe, eq(A),  $2t = (2n-1) \frac{\lambda}{2}$

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$$\frac{r_n^2}{R} = (2n-1) \frac{\lambda}{2}$$

$$\left(\frac{D_n}{2}\right)^2 = (2n-1) \frac{\lambda R}{2}$$

$$\frac{D_n^2}{4} = (2n-1) \frac{\lambda R}{2}$$

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$$D_n = 2\sqrt{\lambda R(2n-1)}$$

$$\boxed{D_n = \sqrt{2\lambda R(2n-1)}}$$

or  $[D_n \propto \sqrt{2n-1}]$  where,  $n = 1, 2, 3$

i.e.  $D_n \propto \sqrt{1}, \sqrt{3}, \sqrt{5}, \dots$

25 ∵ Diameter of  $n^{th}$  bright fringe is directly proportional to square root of odd numbers.

→ For dark fringe, eq(B),  $2t = n\lambda$

$$\frac{r_n^2}{R} = n\lambda$$

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$$\frac{D_n^2}{4} = n\lambda R$$

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$$D_n^2 = 4n\lambda R \quad \text{or} \quad [D_n \propto \sqrt{n}] \quad \text{where, } n=1,2,3$$

$$[D_n = \sqrt{4n\lambda R}] \quad \text{i.e. } D_n \propto 1, 2, 3$$

∴ The diameter of  $n^{th}$  dark fringe is directly proportional to square root of natural numbers  $n$

⇒ Determination of wavelength of monochromatic light

Let  $D_n$  and  $D_{n+p}$  be the diameter of  $n^{th}$  and  $(n+p)^{th}$  dark fringe

$$D_n^2 = 4n\lambda R$$

$$D_{n+p}^2 = 4(n+p)\lambda R$$

$$\therefore D_{n+p}^2 - D_n^2 = 4\lambda R(n+p) - 4\lambda R n$$

$$D_{n+p}^2 - D_n^2 = 4\lambda R(n+p-n)$$

$$D_{n+p}^2 - D_n^2 = 4p\lambda R$$

$$\therefore \lambda = \frac{D_{n+p}^2 - D_n^2}{4pR}$$

By using this equation we can find the wavelength of sodium light which comes out to be  $5896 \text{ Å}$ .

Q3) How can Newton's ring be used to determine the refractive index of liquid? Derive necessary formula.

Ans Path difference in thin film,  $\Delta = 2Mr + \cos r + \frac{\lambda}{2}$

at  $r=\lambda$ ,  $\cos r=1$

$$\Delta = 2Mr + \frac{\lambda}{2}$$

where  $M$  is the refractive index of liquid.

For bright fringe,  $\downarrow \Delta = n\lambda$

$$2Mr + \frac{\lambda}{2} = n\lambda$$

$$2\mu t = (2n-1) \frac{\lambda}{2}$$

$$\left[ 2t = (2n-1) \frac{\lambda}{2\mu} \right]$$

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By geometrical property of a circle,  $2t = \frac{r_n^2}{R}$

$$(2n-1) \frac{\lambda}{2\mu} = \frac{r_n^2}{R}$$

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$$\frac{D_n^2}{4r_2} = (2n-1) \frac{\lambda R}{2\mu}$$

$$D_n^2 = \frac{2\lambda R (2n-1)}{\mu}$$

For  $(n+p)^{th}$  fringe,  $D_{n+p}^2 = \frac{2\lambda R (2(n+p)-1)}{\mu}$

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$$\therefore D_{n+p}^2 - D_n^2 = \frac{2\lambda R}{\mu} \left[ 2n+2p-1 | 2n+1 \right] = \frac{2\lambda R}{\mu} (2p)$$

$$(D_{n+p}^2 - D_n^2)_{\text{liquid}} = \frac{4p\lambda R}{\mu} \quad \text{---(1)}$$

$$(D_{n+p}^2 - D_n^2)_{\text{air}} = 4p\lambda R \quad \text{---(2)}$$

Dividing equation (1) & (2)

$$\frac{(D_{n+p}^2 - D_n^2)_{\text{liquid}}}{(D_{n+p}^2 - D_n^2)_{\text{air}}} = \frac{4p\lambda R \times \frac{1}{\mu}}{4p\lambda R}$$

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$$\therefore \text{Refractive index of liquid i.e } \boxed{\mu = \frac{(D_{n+p}^2 - D_n^2)_{\text{air}}}{(D_{n+p}^2 - D_n^2)_{\text{liquid}}}}$$

Q4) Explain briefly why Newton's rings are circular.

30) Explain difference between interference and diffraction.

Explain difference between Fresnel's diffraction and Fraunhofer diffraction.

Q7) Explain difference between Fresnel's diffraction and Fraunhofer diffraction.

Ans Newton's rings are circular because the air film is symmetrical about the point of contact of plane convex lens with the glass plate.

### Interference

- i) The superposition of two waves is called interference.
- ii) The interference fringes may or may not have same width.
- iii) The region of minimum intensity is usually almost perfectly dark.
- iv) All maxima are of some intensity.
- v) Types of interference :-
  - a) Constructive interference
  - b) Destructive interference
- v) Types of diffraction :-
  - a) Fresnel's diffraction
  - b) Fraunhofer diffraction

### Fresnel Diffraction

- i) The source and screen are at finite difference.
- ii) The wavefronts are divergent either spherical or cylindrical.
- iii) No mirror or lenses are used for observation.
- iv) For obtaining Fresnel's diffraction, zone plates are used.
- i) The bending of light is called diffraction.
- ii) Diffraction fringes do not have some width.
- iii) The region of minimum intensity is not perfectly dark.
- iv) All maxima are of varying intensities.
- v) Fraunhofer Diffraction
- vi) The source and screen are at infinite distance.
- vii) The wavefronts are plane which is realised by using convex lens.
- viii) Diffracted rays are collected by a lens on a telescope for observation.
- ix) For obtaining Fraunhofer diffraction, single or double slits or diffraction grating is used.

V) The center of diffraction pattern  $\rightarrow$  The center of the diffraction pattern may be bright or dark depending on the number of Fresnel zones. is always bright for all paths parallel to axis of lens.

Q 12) In Newton's ring show that the diameter of bright rings is proportional to square root of odd natural number. The diameter of 10th dark ring due to wavelength  $6000 \text{ Å}$  in air is  $0.5 \text{ cm}$ . Find the radius of curvature of lens.

**Ans** Let us consider a convex lens of radius of curvature  $R$  from which a plane convex lens of thickness  $t$  is cut.  $r_n$  is the radius of  $n^{\text{th}}$  Newton's ring.

In  $\Delta ONM$  by Pythagoras theorem

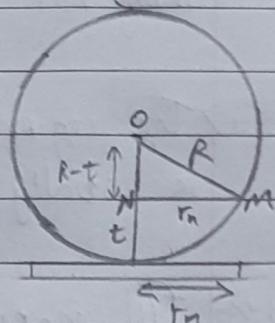
$$(OM)^2 = (ON)^2 + (NM)^2$$

$$R^2 = (R-t)^2 + (r_n)^2$$

$$R^2 = R^2 + t^2 - 2Rt + r_n^2 \quad [\text{neglecting } t^2]$$

$$2Rt = r_n^2$$

$$\boxed{2t = \frac{r_n^2}{R}}$$



For bright fringe,  $\Delta = n\lambda$

$$2t + \frac{\lambda}{2} = n\lambda$$

$$\boxed{2t = (2n-1)\frac{\lambda}{2}}$$

$$\frac{r_n^2}{R} = (2n-1)\frac{\lambda}{2}$$

$$\frac{D_n^2}{4z^2} = (2n-1)\frac{\lambda R}{2}$$

$$D_n^2 = 2\lambda R(2n-1)$$

$$\boxed{D_n = \sqrt{2\lambda R(2n-1)}}$$

or  $\boxed{D_n \propto \sqrt{2n-1}}$  where  $n=1, 2, 3, \dots$   
i.e.  $D_n \propto \sqrt{1}, \sqrt{3}, \sqrt{5}$

Thus, Diameter of bright rings is proportional to square root of odd natural numbers.

Path difference in thin film,

$$\Delta = 2nt \cos r + \frac{\lambda}{2}$$

$$(r=0, \mu=1)$$

$$\boxed{\mu = 2t + \frac{\lambda}{2}}$$

(Sol) 12)

Given,  $n = 10$

$$D_{10} = 0.5 \text{ cm} = 5 \times 10^{-1} \text{ cm}$$

$$\lambda = 6000 \text{ Å} = 6 \times 10^3 \times 10^{-10} \times 10^{-2} = 6 \times 10^{-5} \text{ cm}$$

$R = ?$

For dark fringe,  $D_n = \sqrt{4n\lambda R}$

$$D_{10} = \sqrt{4 \times 10 \times 6 \times 10^{-5} \times R}$$

$$(5 \times 10^{-1})^2 = 24 \times 10^{-4} \times R$$

$$\frac{25 \times 10^{-2}}{24 \times 10^{-4}} = R$$

Radius of curvature  $i.e. [R = 1.041 \times 10^{-2} \text{ cm}]$

Q 11) In Newton's ring shows the diameter of 4th and 12th dark rings are .400 cm and .700 cm. find the diameter of 20 dark rings

Sol 15)

Given,  $D_4 = 0.4 \text{ cm}$

$$D_{12} = 0.7 \text{ cm}$$

$$D_{20} = ?$$

$$D_{n+p}^2 - D_n^2 = 4p\lambda R$$

$$20 \quad \lambda R = \frac{D_{4+8}^2 - D_4^2}{4(8)} = \frac{0.49 - 0.16}{32} = \frac{33}{32} \times 10^{-2}$$

$$[\lambda R = 1.031 \times 10^{-2}]$$

for Dark fringe,  $D_n^2 = 4n\lambda R$

$$D_{20} = \sqrt{4 \times 20 \times 1.031 \times 10^{-2}}$$

$$D_{20} = \sqrt{8248 \times 10^{-4}}$$

$$D_{20} = 90.81 \times 10^{-2}$$

Diameter of 20  
dark rings

$$[D_{20} = 0.9081 \text{ cm}]$$

Q 13) A parallel beam of sodium light is allowed to be incident normally on a plane grating having 4250 lines per/cm and a second order Spectral lines is observed to be deviated through  $30^\circ$ . Calculate the wavelength of spectral line.

Sol)  $n = 4250 \text{ lines per cm}$

$$n = 2$$

$$\theta = 30^\circ$$

$$\lambda = ?$$

For bright maxima,  $(n+d) \sin \theta = n\lambda$

$$\lambda = \frac{4250 \sin 30^\circ}{2}$$

$$\lambda = 2125 \times \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\boxed{\lambda = 1062.5 \text{ cm}}$$

Q 14) In Michelson's Interferometer 200 fringes cross the field of view when movable mirror is displaced through 0.0589 mm. Calculate the ~~wave~~ wavelength of monochromatic light used.

Ans)  $N = 200$

$$\lambda = 0.0589 \text{ mm}$$

$$\lambda = ?$$

$$\lambda = \frac{2d}{N} = \frac{2 \times 0.0589}{200} = \frac{589 \times 10^{-4}}{100} = 5.89 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}$$

$$\boxed{\lambda = 5.89 \times 10^{-4} \text{ mm}}$$