Optics Problem Set II

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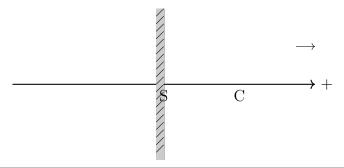
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Exercise 1: Mirror

Consider a convex spherical mirror with center C, vertex S, and radius R = 1.5 m.

- 1. Provide the conjugation relation and the magnification relation with origin at vertex S.
- 2. Application: Find the position and nature of an object AB when its image A'B' is real, upright, and three times larger than the object.



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Exercise 2: Plane Mirror

- 1. Determine the position and nature of the image of a real object produced by a plane mirror. Same question for a virtual object.
- 2. Consider two perpendicular plane mirrors. How many images does object A have?
- 3. Consider an object placed between two parallel mirrors. How many images does the object have?
- 4. A real object AB is placed at a distance AH = 20 cm from a plane mirror. Where is the image A'B' of AB given by the mirror? What is its nature?
- 5. Compare the size of A'B' and AB.
- 6. Draw the image A'B' of AB given by the mirror using light rays emitted from points A and B and reflecting on the mirror.

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Exercise 3: Spherical Mirror

Prove the following statements:

- 1. A concave spherical mirror always produces a real image of a virtual object.
- 2. The real image of a real object in a concave spherical mirror is always inverted.
- 3. A convex spherical mirror always produces a virtual image of a real object.
- 4. An object AB is placed in front of a concave spherical mirror with center C, vertex S, and radius 50 cm. Point A is located 1 m from vertex S.
 - (a) Geometrically construct the image A'B' of AB.
 - (b) Determine the position of A'.
 - (c) Calculate the linear magnification and specify the nature of the image.

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