



PHYSICS

BOOKS - CHETANA PUBLICATION

Wave Optics

Example

1. What is Ray optics or geometrical optics?



Watch Video Solution

2. According to Newton's corpuscular theory of light , light is propagated in the form of



[Watch Video Solution](#)

3. By using Hugens' wave theory of the phenomenon of



[Watch Video Solution](#)

4. Explain Maxwell's electromagnetic theory.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

5. What is Dual nature of light?



[Watch Video Solution](#)

6. Why can light waves travel in vacuum whereas sound wave cannot?



[Watch Video Solution](#)

7. What are primary sources of light?



[Watch Video Solution](#)

8. What are secondary sources light?



[Watch Video Solution](#)

9. Explain the concept of a wavefront.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

10. What is wavefront ? What is the shape of the wavefront at a point far away from the source of light?



Watch Video Solution

11. Define:- Wave surface



Watch Video Solution

12. Define wavefront of light .



[Watch Video Solution](#)

13. Define:- Wave normal.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

14. State the different types of wavefront with examples.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

15. What do you mean by two particles are in phase?



Watch Video Solution

16. Draw diagrams for :- Spherical Wavefront



Watch Video Solution

17. Draw diagrams for :- Plane Wavefront



Watch Video Solution

18. State Huygens' Principle.



Watch Video Solution

19. Explain the construction of plane spherical wavefront on the basis of Huygen's principle.



Watch Video Solution

20. State the laws of reflection.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

21. With the help of a neat diagram, explain reflection of light from a plane reflecting surface on the basis of wave theory of light



[Watch Video Solution](#)

22. On the basis of Huygens's Wave theory of light, prove that the angle of incidence is equal to the angle of reflection.





[Watch Video Solution](#)

23. What is lateral inversion?



[Watch Video Solution](#)

24. With the help of a neat diagram, explain reflection of light from a plane reflecting surface on the basis of wave theory of light



[Watch Video Solution](#)

25. What is refraction of light?



[Watch Video Solution](#)

26. Derive Snell's law by Huygen's Construction of a plane wave-front.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

27. Explain Refraction of Light at a plane boundary between two media.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

28. Why is it the refracted ray bends towards the normal, and while entering from denser to rarer it bends away from the normal.



Watch Video Solution

29. Explain Refraction of light on the basis of Wave Theory. Hence prove the Laws of Refraction.



Watch Video Solution

30. Derive Snell's law by Huygen's Construction of a plane wave-front.



Watch Video Solution

31. Show that the velocity of light in a rarer medium is greater than velocity in a denser medium.



Watch Video Solution

32. Explain dependence of wavelength on the refractive index of the medium.



Watch Video Solution

33. White light consists of wavelengths from 400 nm to 700 nm. What will be the wavelegth range seen, when white light is passed through glass of refractive index 1.55?



Watch Video Solution

34. What is unpolarised light? Explain the concept of unpolarised light.



Watch Video Solution

35. What is polarisation of light?



Watch Video Solution

36. Explain the terms:- Plane polarised light.



Watch Video Solution

37. What is an unpolarised light ?



Watch Video Solution

38. Explain the terms:- Plane of Polarization



Watch Video Solution

39. Explain the terms:- Plane of Polarization



Watch Video Solution

40. State any five methods to produce plane polarized light.



Watch Video Solution

41. Explain what is meant by polarization and derive Malus' law.



Watch Video Solution

42. A system of three polarizers P_1 , P_2 , P_3 is set up such that the pass axis of P_3 is crossed with respect to that of P_1 . The pass axis of P_2 is inclined at 60° to the pass axis of P_3 . When a beam of unpolarized light of intensity I_0 is incident on P_1 the intensity of light transmitted by the three polarizers is I . The ratio (I_0 / I) equals (nearly):



[Watch Video Solution](#)

43. The intensity of light coming from one of the slits in Young's experiment is twice the intensity of light coming from the other slit. What will be the approximate ratio of the intensities of the bright and dark fringes in the resulting interference pattern?



Watch Video Solution

44. State and prove Brewster's Law.



Watch Video Solution

45. What is Brewster's Law? Derive the formula for Brewster angle?



Watch Video Solution

46. State and prove Brewster's Law.



Watch Video Solution

47. Unpolarized light with intensity I_0 is incident on two polaroids. The axis of the first polaroid makes an angle of 50° with the vertical, and the axis of the second polaroid is horizontal. What is the intensity of the light, after it has passed through the second polaroid?



[Watch Video Solution](#)

48. Explain polarization by scattering.





[Watch Video Solution](#)

49. For what angle of incidence, will light incident on a bucket, filled with liquid having refractive index 1.5 be completely polarized after reflection.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

50. State and explain the principle of superposition of waves.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

51. Explain the concept of interference of light.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

52. State the condition of constructive interference.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

53. State the condition of destructive interference.



Watch Video Solution

54. State the condition of constructive interference.



Watch Video Solution

55. Define:- destructive interference.



Watch Video Solution

56. Explain interference of water waves.



Watch Video Solution

57. What are coherent sources? How are they produced?



Watch Video Solution

58. Explain Young's Double Slit Experiment.



Watch Video Solution

59. Define Interference. Derive expression for fringe width in Young' double slit experiment.



Watch Video Solution

60. Show that both dark and Bright fringes have equal width.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

61. Write out relation between path difference and phase difference ($\Delta \phi$).



[Watch Video Solution](#)

62. State the conditions to get constructive and destructive interference of light.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

63. Explain Intensity distribution in interference with equations.



Watch Video Solution

64. a double - slit arrangement, the slits are separated by a distance equals to 100 times the wavelength of light passing through the slits:- What is the angular separation in radians between the central maximum and an adjacent maximum?



Watch Video Solution

65. a double - slit arrangement, the slits are separated by a distance equals to 101 times the wavelength of light passing through the slits:- What is the distance between these maxima on a screen 50.0 cm from the slits?



Watch Video Solution

66. In a biprism experiment, the fringes are observed in the focal plane of the eye piece at

a distance of 1.2m from the slits. The distance between the central bright band and 20th bright band is 0.4 cm. When a convex lens is placed between biprism and the eyepiece, the distance between the two vertical magnified images is found to be 0.9 cm. Determine the wavelength of light used.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

67. The distance between two consecutive bright fringes in a biprism experiment using

light of wavelength 6000\AA is 0.32 mm , by how much will the distance change, if light of wavelength 4800\AA is used.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

68. State the conditions for steady state interference.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

69. Explain interference due to thin films.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

70. Why are multiple colours observed over a thin film of oil floating on water? Explain with the help of a diagram.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

71. Plane wavefront of light of wavelength $5500\overset{\circ}{\text{A}}$ is incident on two slits in a screen perpendicular to the direction of light rays. If

the total separation of 10 bright fringes on a screen 2 m away is 2 cm, find the distance between the slits .



[Watch Video Solution](#)

72. In a young's double slit experiment, the difference in optical path length between the rays starting from the slits S_1 and S_2 and reaching a point A, on the screen is 0.0075mm and reaching another point B on the screen, on the other side of the central fringes is

0.0015 mm. How many bright and dark fringes are observed between A and B if the wavelength of light used is 6000\AA ?



[Watch Video Solution](#)

73. What are the two methods for obtaining coherent sources. Explain them.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

74. An isosceles prism of refracting angle 179° and refractive index 1.5 is used as a biprism by keeping it 10 cm. away from the slit, The edge of the biprism being parallel to the slit. The slit is illuminated by light of wavelength 500 nm and the screen is 90 cms. away from the biprism. Calculate the location of the centre of 20th dark band and the path difference at this location.



Watch Video Solution

75. Explain what is Optical Path.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

76. What must be the thickness of a thin film which, when kept near one of the slits shifts the central fringe by 5 mm for incident light of wavelength 5400\AA in Young's double slit interference experiment? The refractive index of the material of the film is 1.1 and the distance between the slits is 0.5 mm.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

77. The optical path of a ray of light of a given wavelength travelling a distance of 3 cm in flint glass having refractive index 1.6 is same as that on travelling a distance x cm through a medium having refractive index 1.25. Determine the value of x .



[Watch Video Solution](#)

78. Explain the phenomenon of diffraction of light.



Watch Video Solution

79. Explain in brief Fraunhofer's Diffraction.



Watch Video Solution

80. Explain in brief Fraunhofer's Diffraction.



Watch Video Solution

81. Explain with a proper diagram, the experimental set up for Fraunhofer's Diffraction.



Watch Video Solution

82. Describe with a neat diagram, the Fraunhofer's diffracting pattern due to a single slit.



Watch Video Solution

83. In Fraunhofer diffraction by a narrow slit, a screen is placed, at a distance of 2 m, from the lens to obtain a diffraction pattern. If the slit width is 0.2 mm and the first minimum is 5 mm, on either side of the central maximum. Find the wavelength of light.



Watch Video Solution

84. A parallel beam of green light of wavelength 546 nm passes through a slit of width 0.4 mm. The intensity pattern of the

transmitted light is seen on a screen which is 40 cm away. What is the distance between the two first order of minima?



[Watch Video Solution](#)

85. What must be the ratio of slit width on the wavelength for a single slit to have the first diffraction minimum at 45° .



[Watch Video Solution](#)

86. Monochromatic electromagnetic radiation from a distant source passes through a slit. The diffraction pattern is observed on the screen 2.5 m from the slit. If the width of the central maximum is 6.00 mm, what is the slit width if the wavelength is:- 500 nm (visible light)



Watch Video Solution

87. Monochromatic electromagnetic radiation from a distant source passes through a slit. The diffraction pattern is observed on the screen 2.5 m from the slit. If the width of the central maximum is 6.01 mm, what is the slit width if the wavelength is:- $50\mu\text{m}$ (infrared radiation)



Watch Video Solution

88. Monochromatic electromagnetic radiation from a distant source passes through a slit. The diffraction pattern is observed on the screen 2.5 m from the slit. If the width of the central maximum is 6.02 mm, what is the slit width if the wavelength is:- 0.500 nm (X rays)



Watch Video Solution

89. Compare Young's Double slit interference pattern and single slit Diffraction pattern.





[Watch Video Solution](#)

90. Explain what is resolving power?



[Watch Video Solution](#)

91. What is meant by limit of angular resolution and the resolving power of telescope ?



[Watch Video Solution](#)

92. According to Rayleigh scattering law ,



Watch Video Solution

93. Define:- Limit of resolution



Watch Video Solution

94. Define:- Resolving Power.



Watch Video Solution

95. Discuss the resolving power of a microscope:-With luminous point objects.



Watch Video Solution

96. Derive an expression for Resolving Power of a Microscope.



Watch Video Solution

97. Derive an expression for resolving Power of a Telescope.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

98. Resolving power of telescope can be increased by



[Watch Video Solution](#)

99. To collect the maximum amount of light coming from an object, the objective lens should be made as.....as possible.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

100. Write a short note on Radio Telescope.



Watch Video Solution

101. A telescope has an objective of diameter 2.5 m. What is the angular resolution, When it observes at 5500\AA .



Watch Video Solution

102. What is the minimum distance between two objects which can be resolved by a microscope having the visual angle of 30° when light of wavelength 500 nm is used ?



Watch Video Solution

103. A double-slit arrangement produces interference fringes for sodium light ($\lambda = 589nm$) that are 0.20° apart. What is the

angular fringe separation, if the entire arrangement is immersed in water. ($n = 1.33$)



[Watch Video Solution](#)

104. A star is emitting light at the wavelength of $5000\overset{\circ}{\text{A}}$, Determine the limit of resolution of a telescope, having an objective of diameter of 200 inch.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

105. Give one basic difference between interference and diffraction.



Watch Video Solution

106. What is plane polarised light ?



Watch Video Solution

107. What is diffraction of light? How does it differ from interference? What are fraunhoffer

and Fresnel diffractions?



Watch Video Solution

108. Distinguish between the phenomenon of Interference and Diffraction



Watch Video Solution

Exercise

1. If the refractive indices of glass and water with respect to air is $\frac{3}{2}$ and $\frac{4}{3}$ respectively.

Calculate the velocity of light in glass and water. From these results calculate the refractive index of glass with respect to water.

Given velocity of light in air is $3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

2. Light is incident on a glass slab making an angle of 30° with the surface. Calculate the

angle of refraction in glass and velocity of light in glass. Given $\mu = 1.5$, $V_a = 3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

3. The refractive index for water for red and violet colours are 1.325 and 1.334 respectively. Find the difference between the velocities of these two colours in water.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

4. Red light of wavelength 6400\AA in air, has a wavelength of 4000\AA in glass. If the wavelength of violet light in air is 4400\AA , what is the wavelength in glass. (Assume R.I. for violet and red colour are same)



[Watch Video Solution](#)

5. An parallel beam of monochromatic light is incident on a glass slab at an angle of incidence 60° . Find the ratio of the width of

the beam in glass to that in air, if the refractive index of glass is 1.5.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

6. Light is incident on a glass slab making an angle of 30° with the surface. Calculate the angle of refraction in glass and velocity of light in glass. Given $\mu = 1.5$, $V_a = 3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

7. If the critical angle of the medium is $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{5}\right)$ Find the refractive index of the medium and polarising angle.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

8. If the difference in velocities of light in glass and water is $0.25 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$. Find the velocity of light in air. (Given ${}_a\mu_g = 1.5$, ${}_a\mu_w = \frac{4}{3}$)



[Watch Video Solution](#)

9. The path difference between two identical waves arriving at a point is 85.5λ . If the path difference is 42.5 micrometer, the wavelength is



[Watch Video Solution](#)

10. In a biprism experiment the distance between the slit and the screen is 1 m and the separation of the two virtual images of the slit is 0.4 mm. An interference pattern is obtained with light of wavelength $5.5 \times 10^{-7} m$. Find

the distance between the 3rd and the 8th bright band.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

11. In a biprism experiment, the eye piece is kept at a distance of 1.5 m from the slit and the distance of the 2nd dark band from the central point was found to be 1.2 cm. The sizes of the magnified and diminished images of slits produced by the convex lens are found to

be 2.4 cm and 60 cm respectively. Calculate the wavelength of light used.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

12. In a biprism experiment, red light of wavelength 6500\AA was used. It was then replaced by green light of wavelength 5200\AA . Find the value of n for which $(n + 1)^{\text{th}}$ green bright band would coincide with the n^{th} bright band, for the same setting.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

13. In an experiment with Fresnel biprism sodium light is used and bands 0.0196 cm in width are observed at the distance of 100 cm from the slit. A convex lens is placed between the biprism and the slit. If the distance between the slit and screen is one meter, the magnified distance apart of the images is found to be 0.7 cms , the lens being 30 cm from the slit, calculate the wavelength of light.



Watch Video Solution

14. In a biprism experiment, a source of light has a wavelength of 5500\AA . Calculate the change in fringe width, if the screen is at a distance of 1 m from the points which are 1mm apart.



Watch Video Solution

15. In a single slit diffraction pattern, the distance between the 1st minima on the right and the 1st minima on the left is 5.2 mm. The screen on which the pattern is displayed is 80

cm from the slit. If $\lambda = 5460\text{\AA}$. Calculate the slit width.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

16. Diffraction pattern of a single width 0.5 cm is formed by a lens of a focal length 40 cm. Calculate the distance between the first dark and next bright fringe from the axis.
 $\lambda = 4890\text{\AA}$ (given)



[Watch Video Solution](#)

17. The semivertical angle of a cone of the rays incident on the objective of the microscope is 20° . If $\lambda = 6600\text{\AA}$, calculate the smallest distance between two points which can be just resolved.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

18. What is the minimum angular separation between two stars if a telescope is used to observe them, with an objective of aperture 20 cms. ($\lambda = 5900\text{\AA}$)



[Watch Video Solution](#)

19. Two slits in Young Experiment have width in the ratio $81:1$. What is the ratio of the amplitudes of the waves coming from them.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

20. Two coherent sources, whose intensity ratio are $81:1$, produce interference fringes.

Calculate the ratio of intensities of maxima and minima in the fringe system.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

21. Choose the correct answers:-Michelson and Morley performed several experiments to detect but obtained negative results.

A. Ether

B. Particles

C. Corpuscles

D. Waves

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

22. In dual nature of light, particles of light are called

A. electrons

B. photons

C. neutrons

D. corpuscles

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

23. Visible light comprises of waves in the
range.

A. 300 - 600 nm

B. 400 - 700 nm

C. 500- 800 nm

D. 600 - 700 nm

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

24. The refractive index of a medium is 1.7 the velocity of light in this medium is

A. $1.565 \times 10^8 \text{ m / s}$

B. $1.665 \times 10^8 \text{ m / s}$

C. $1.765 \times 10^8 \text{ m / s}$

D. $1.865 \times 10^8 m / s$

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

25. If the frequency of the light beam is $14 \times 10^{14} Hz$. The wave number of the beam of light in air is

A. $1.66 \times 10^6 m^{-1}$

B. $2.66 \times 10^6 m^{-1}$

C. $3.66 \times 10^6 m^{-1}$

D. $4.66 \times 10^6 m^{-1}$

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

26. The wavelength of a certain light in air and in a medium are 4560\AA and 3648\AA respectively. The speed of light in air to the speed of light in the medium is

A. 1.15

B. 1.25

C. 1.35

D. 1.45

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

27. The velocity of light in diamond is $1.25 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$. The refractive index of diamond with respect to water (${}_a\mu_w = 1.33$) is

A. 1.5

B. 1.6

C. 1.7

D. 1.8

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

28. Lateral inversion of light does not occur during at a plane surface.

A. reflection

B. refraction

C. rectilinear propogation

D. diffraction

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

29. If light is constrained or restricted or made to vibrate in one plane it is called

A. plane polarized light

B. Unpolarized light

C. reflection of light

D. refraction of light

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

30. $I_2 = I_1 \cos^2 \theta$ Law gives the intensity of a linearly polarized wave, after it passes through a polarizer.

A. Brewster's

B. Nicole's

C. Bragg's

D. Malus'

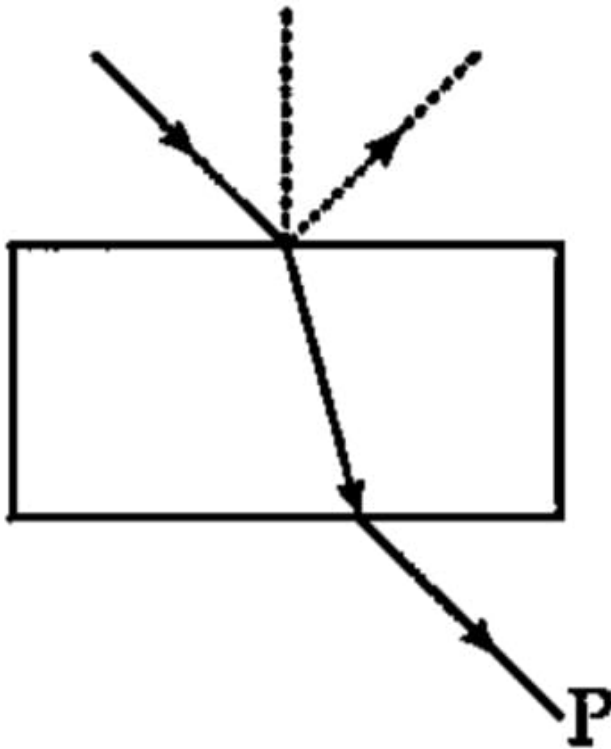
Answer:



Watch Video Solution

31. Consider a light beam incident from air to a glass slab at Brewster's angle as shown in figure . A polaroid is placed in the path of the

emergent ray at point P and rotated about an axis passing through the centre and perpendicular to the plane of the polaroid .



A. 30°

B. 45°

C. 60°

D. 90°

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

32. Which of the following phenomenon proves that light is a transverse wave.

A. Reflection

B. Interference

C. Diffraction

D. Polarization

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

33. Which property of light does not change when it travels from one medium to another.

A. velocity

B. Wavelength

C. Amplitude

D. Frequency

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

34. When its unpolarized light is passed through a polarizer, its intensity

A. increases

B. decreases

C. remains unchanged

D. depends on the orientation of the polarizer

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

35. In Young's double slit experiment , the two coherent sources have different intensities . If the ratio of maximum intensity to the minimum intensity in the interference pattern

produced is 25 : 1 . What was the ratio of intensities of the two sources ?

A. 5 : 1

B. 25 : 1

C. 3 : 2

D. 9 : 4

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

36. In Young's double slit experiment , a thin uniform sheet of glass is kept in front of two slits , parallel to the screen having slits . The resulting interference pattern will satisfy

- A. The interference pattern will remain unchanged
- B. The fringe width will decrease
- C. The fringe width will increase
- D. The fringes will shift.

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

37. A ray of light passes from vacuum to a medium refractive index μ . The angle of incidence is found to be twice the angle of refraction. The angle of refraction is

A. $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{\mu}{2}\right)$

B. $\cos^{-1}(\mu)$

C. $2 \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{\mu}{2}\right)$

$$D. 2 \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{\mu}{2} \right)$$

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

38. The absolute refractive index of air is

A. zero

B. 0.95

C. 1

D. infinity

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

39. The ratio of velocity of light in glass to that in diamond, if the refractive index of glass and diamond with respect to air are $\frac{3}{2}$ and $\frac{12}{5}$ respectively will be

A. $\frac{5}{8}$

B. $\frac{8}{5}$

C. $\frac{18}{5}$

D. $\frac{5}{18}$

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

40. Polarization of light cannot be produced by

A. Reflection

B. Double refraction

C. Dichroism

D. Diffraction

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

41. The angle of incidence is 45° and the angle of refraction is 30° . The polarising angle for the same medium is

A. $54^\circ 43'$

B. 30°

C. 45°

D. 60°

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

42. The refractive index of the material is equal to the tangent of the polarizing angle. This is known as

A. Huygens' principle

B. Brewster's law

C. Newton's Law

D. Electromagnetic radiation

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

43. The relation between path length (Δl) and phase difference ($\Delta \phi$) is given by

A.
$$\Delta \phi = \left(\frac{2\pi}{\lambda} \right) \Delta l$$

$$\text{B. } \Delta \phi = \left(\frac{\lambda}{2\pi} \right) \Delta l$$

$$\text{C. } \Delta \phi = (2\pi\lambda) \Delta l$$

$$\text{D. } \Delta \phi = \left(\frac{1}{2\pi\lambda} \right) \Delta l$$

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

44. The phase difference between the two waves reaching an arbitrary point P from S_1 and S_2 is given by

A. $\Delta \phi = \frac{yd}{D} \left(\frac{\lambda}{2\pi} \right)$

B. $\Delta \phi = \frac{yd}{D} \left(\frac{2\pi}{\lambda} \right)$

C. $\Delta \phi = \frac{D}{yd} \left(\frac{\lambda}{2\pi} \right)$

D. $\Delta \phi = \frac{D}{yd} \left(\frac{2\pi}{\lambda} \right)$

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

45. The condition for constructive interference in terms of phase difference is given by

where $n = 0, \pm 2, \dots$

A. $\Delta \phi_n = (n2\pi)$

B. $\Delta \phi_n = (n\pi)$

C. $\Delta \phi_n = \left(\frac{1}{n2\pi} \right)$

D. $\Delta \phi_n = \left(\frac{1}{n\pi} \right)$

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

46. The condition for destructive interference in terms of phase difference is given by

where $n = 0, \pm 2, \dots$

A. $\Delta \phi_n = \left(n - \frac{1}{2} \right) 2\pi$

B. $\Delta \phi_n = \left(n - \frac{1}{2} \right) 4\pi$

C. $\Delta \phi_n = \left(n - \frac{1}{2} \right) 6\pi$

D. $\Delta \phi_n = \left(n - \frac{1}{2} \right) 3\pi$

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

47. The brilliant colours of soap bubbles and thin oil films on the surface of water are due to

to

A. Reflection

B. Refraction

C. Interference

D. Diffraction

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

48. In Fraunhofers' diffraction, the source of light and screen are kept at _____ distance from the obstacle.

A. Finite

B. Infinite

C. 1 meter

D. half a meter

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

49. Spherical or cylindrical wavefronts are considered for

A. Fresnel diffraction

B. Braggs diffraction

C. Brewsters diffraction

D. Fraunhoffers' diffraction

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

50. If the separation between the central maxima of the two objects is greater than the distance between the central maxima and first

minima of any two objects then they are said to be

A. Just resolved

B. Well resolved

C. Unresolved

D. Resolved

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

51. The path difference between two identical waves arriving at a point is 85.5λ . If the path difference is 42.5 micrometer, the wavelength is

A. 4771\AA

B. 4871\AA

C. 4971\AA

D. 4671\AA

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

52. In a biprism experiment, the distance between the slit and screen is 1 m and distance between the images of the slit is 0.274 mm. If the fringewidth is 0.2 cm, the wavelength of light is

A. 5380\AA

B. 5480\AA

C. 5580\AA

D. 5680\AA

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

53. In a biprism experiment, the fringe width is 0.4 mm, when the eyepiece is at a distance of 1 meter away from the slit. The change in fringe width, if the eyepiece is moved through a distance of 25 cm towards the byprism without changing any other arrangement is

A. 0.1mm

B. 0.2 mm

C. 0.3mm

D. 0.4mm

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

54. The fringe separation in a biprism is 3.2×10^{-4} m when red light of wavelength 6.4×10^{-7} m is used, by how much will this

change, if blue light of wavelength 4×10^{-7} m is used with the same setting.

A. 1.2×10^{-4}

B. 2.2×10^{-4}

C. 3.2×10^{-4}

D. 4.2×10^{-4}

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

55. The path difference of two identical waves arriving at a point is 100.5λ . The phase difference is 44 micrometer. The wavelength of light is used is

A. 4358\AA

B. 4368\AA

C. 4378\AA

D. 4388\AA

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

56. If the magnified and diminished images are 4.5 mm and 0.02 mm apart, then d in the biprism experiment is

A. 0.1

B. 0.2

C. 0.3

D. 0.4

Answer:





57. Calculate the distance of the 30th bright band in a biprism experiment , if the distance of the 15th bright band, from the centre of the interference pattern is 6 mm.

A. 3 mm

B. 6 mm

C. 9 mm

D. 12 mm

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

58. In Young's experiment, the distance between two slits is 0.8mm and the distance of the screen from the slit is 1.2 m. If the fringe width is 0.79 mm, the wavelength of light used is

A. 5167\AA

B. 5267\AA

C. 5367\AA

D. 5467\AA

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

59. In a biprism experiment, the slit is illuminated by light of wavelength 4800\AA . The distance from the slit to the screen is 1 metre. If the distance between the two virtual sources is 0.3 cm, determine the distance

between the 5th bright band on one side and 5th dark band on the other side.

A. $12.2 \times 10^{-4} m$

B. $13.2 \times 10^{-4} m$

C. $14.2 \times 10^{-4} m$

D. $15.2 \times 10^{-4} m$

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

60. The limit of resolution of a microscope with self luminous point objects is

A. $0.61 \frac{\lambda}{N.A}$

B. $\frac{NA}{0.61} \lambda$

C. $0.61 \lambda (NA)$

D. $\frac{1}{0.61} \lambda (NA)$

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

61. The resolving power of a microscope, with a pair of non-luminous objects is

A. $\frac{2(NA)}{\lambda}$

B. $\frac{\lambda}{2(NA)}$

C. $2(NA)\lambda$

D. $\frac{1}{2(NA)\lambda}$

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

62. For constructive interference, the phase difference between two waves should be

A. $0, \frac{\pi}{2}, \pi, \dots$

B. $0, 2\pi, 4\pi, \dots$

C. $\pi, 3\pi, 5\pi, \dots$

D. $\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{3\pi}{4}, \dots$

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

63. For constructive interference, the phase difference between two waves should be

A. $0, \frac{\pi}{2}, \pi, \dots$

B. $0, 2\pi, 4\pi, \dots$

C. $\pi, 3\pi, 5\pi, \dots$

D. $\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{3\pi}{4}, \dots$

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

64. In the diffraction pattern due to a single slit of width 'd' with incident light of wavelength ' λ ', at an angle of diffraction ' θ ', the condition for first minimum is

A. $\lambda \sin \theta = d$

B. $d \cos \theta = \lambda$

C. $d \sin \theta = \lambda$

D. $\lambda \sin \theta = d$

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

65. The resolving power of a telescope of aperture 100 cm for light of wavelength $5.5 \times 10^{-7} m$ is

A. 0.149×10^{-7}

B. 1.49×10^{-7}

C. 14.9×10^{-7}

D. 149×10^{-7}

Answer:





66. A diffraction pattern is obtained using a beam of red light. What happens if the red light is replaced by blue light?

- A. No change
- B. Diffraction pattern becomes narrower
- C. Band becomes broader
- D. Bands disappear altogether

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

67. Width of the central maxima is

A. $\frac{\lambda D}{a}$

B. $\frac{2\lambda D}{a}$

C. $\frac{3\lambda D}{a}$

D. $\frac{4\lambda D}{a}$

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

68. A parallel beam of light ($\lambda = 6000\text{\AA}$) is incident normally on a narrow slit of width 0.3 mm. The angular separation between, the first two minima is

A. $2 \times 10^{-3} \text{ rad}$

B. $2 \times 10^{-3} \text{ degree}$

C. $3 \times 10^{-3} \text{ rad}$

D. $0.3 \times 10^{-3} \text{ rad}$

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

69. A plane wave of wavelength 5500\AA is incident normally on a slit of width $2 \times 10^{-2}\text{cm}$. The width of the central maximum on a screen 50 cms away is

A. $2.5 \times 10^{-3}\text{cm}$

B. $2.75 \times 10^{-3}\text{cm}$

C. $27.5 \times 10^{-3}\text{cm}$

D. $5.50 \times 10^{-3}\text{cm}$

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

70. If numerical aperture of a microscope is increased then its _____

- A. resolving power decreases
- B. limit of resolution decreases
- C. resolving power remains constant
- D. limit of resolution increases.

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

71. If the frequency of the light beam is $14 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz}$. The wave number of the beam of light in air is

A. $1.66 \times 10^6 \text{ m}^{-1}$

B. $2.66 \times 10^6 \text{ m}^{-1}$

C. $3.66 \times 10^6 \text{ m}^{-1}$

D. $4.66 \times 10^6 \text{ m}^{-1}$

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

72. Which of the following phenomenon proves that light is a transverse wave.

A. Reflection

B. Interference

C. Diffraction

D. Polarization

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

73. The relation between path length (Δl) and phase difference ($\Delta \phi$) is given by

A. $\Delta \phi = \left(\frac{2\pi}{\lambda} \right) \Delta l$

B. $\Delta \phi = \left(\frac{\lambda}{2\pi} \right) \Delta l$

C. $\Delta \phi = (2\pi\lambda) \Delta l$

D. $\Delta \phi = \left(\frac{1}{2\pi\lambda} \right) \Delta l$

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

74. Select and write the most appropriate answer from the given alternative:- If the magnified and diminished images are 4.5mm and 2 mm apart, then d in the biprism experiment is

A. 0.1

B. 0.2

C. 0.3

D. 0.4

Answer:



Watch Video Solution

75. What are secondary sources light?



Watch Video Solution

76. What is polarisation of light?



Watch Video Solution

77. What are coherent sources of light ?



Watch Video Solution

78. Explain interference due to thin films.



Watch Video Solution

79. A star is emitting light at the wavelength of $5000\overset{\circ}{\text{A}}$, Determine the limit of resolution of a telescope, having an objective of diameter of 200 inch.



Watch Video Solution

80. The intensity of light coming from one of the slits in Young's experiment is twice the intensity of light coming from the other slit. What will be the approximate ratio of the

intensities of the bright and dark fringes in the resulting interference pattern?



[Watch Video Solution](#)

81. The distance between two consecutive bright fringes in a biprism experiment using light of wavelength 6000\AA is 0.32 mm, by how much will the distance change, if light of wavelength 4800\AA is used.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

82. A parallel beam of green light of wavelength 546 nm passes through a slit of width 0.4 mm. The intensity pattern of the transmitted light is seen on a screen which is 40 cm away. What is the distance between the two first order of minima?



Watch Video Solution

83. What is the minimum angular separation between two stars if a telescope is used to

observe them, with an objective of aperture 20
cms. ($\lambda = 5900\text{\AA}$)



Watch Video Solution

84. In a biprism experiment, the fringes are observed in the focal plane of the eye piece at a distance of 1.2m from the slits. The distance between the central bright band and 20th bright band is 0.4 cm. When a convex lens is placed between biprism and the eyepiece, the distance between the two vertical magnified

images is found to be 0.9 cm. Determine the wavelength of light used.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

85. Monochromatic electromagnetic radiation from a distant source passes through a slit. The diffraction pattern is observed on the screen 2.5 m from the slit. If the width of the central maximum is 6.00 mm, what is the slit width if the wavelength is:- 500 nm (visible light)



[Watch Video Solution](#)

86. Monochromatic electromagnetic radiation from a distant source passes through a slit. The diffraction pattern is observed on the screen 2.5 m from the slit. If the width of the central maximum is 6.01 mm, what is the slit width if the wavelength is:- $50\mu\text{m}$ (infrared radiation)



[Watch Video Solution](#)

87. Monochromatic electromagnetic radiation from a distant source passes through a slit. The diffraction pattern is observed on the screen 2.5 m from the slit. If the width of the central maximum is 6.02 mm, what is the slit width if the wavelength is:- 0.500 nm (X rays)



Watch Video Solution

88. In a biprism experiment, red light of wavelength $6500\overset{\circ}{\text{A}}$ was used. It was then

replaced by green light of wavelength 5200\AA .

Find the value of n for which $(n + 1)^{\text{th}}$ green bright band would coincide with the n^{th} bright band, for the same setting.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

89. Compare Young's Double slit interference pattern and single slit Diffraction pattern.



[Watch Video Solution](#)

90. Derive an expression for fringe width for Bright and Dark bands.



Watch Video Solution