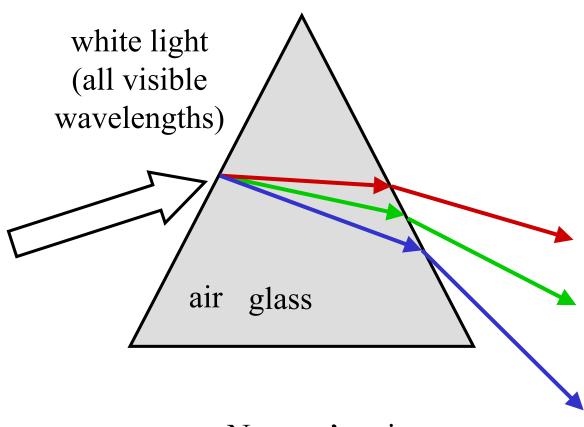
Prisms: Dispersion

Refractive index *n* is function of the wavelength



Newton's prism

Dispersion measures

Reference color lines C (H- λ =656.3nm, red), D (Na- λ =589.2nm, yellow), F (H- λ =486.1nm, blue)

Crown glass has

$$n_{\rm F} = 1.52933$$

$$n_{\rm D} = 1.52300$$

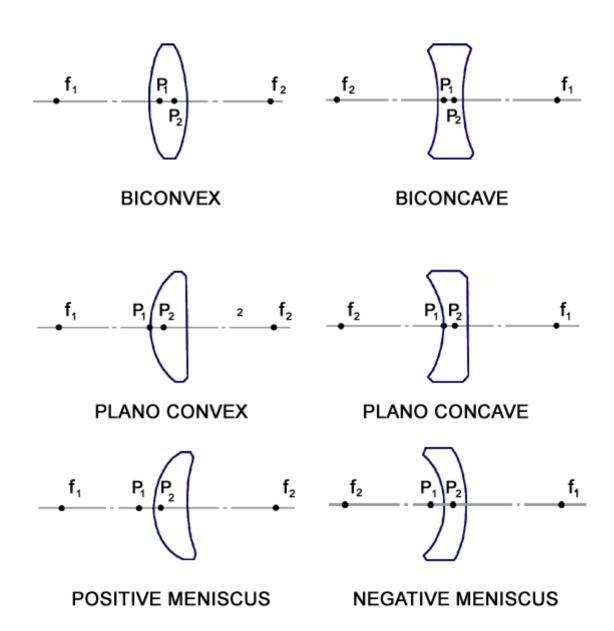
$$n_{\rm C} = 1.52042$$

Dispersive power

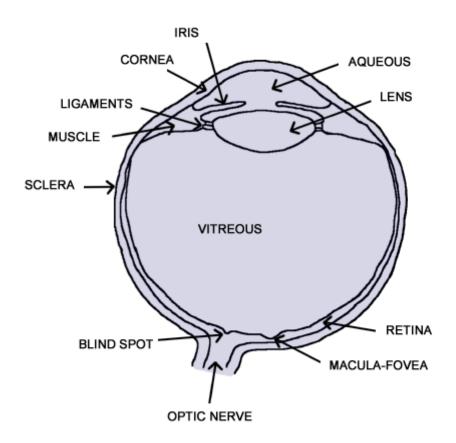
$$V = \frac{n_{\rm F} - n_{\rm C}}{n_{\rm D} - 1}$$

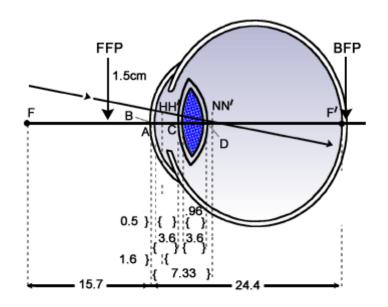
Dispersive index
$$v = \frac{1}{V} = \frac{n_D - 1}{n_F - n_C}$$

Various types of lenses

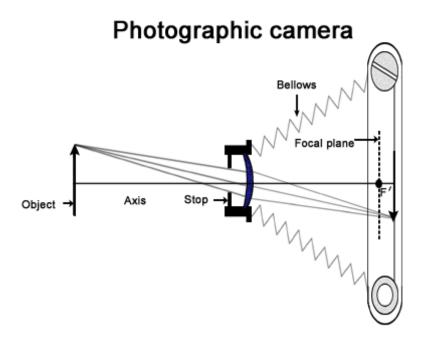


Anatomy of the human eye

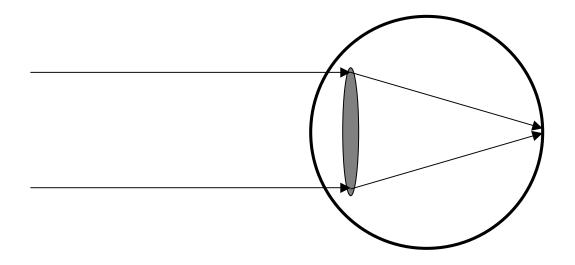




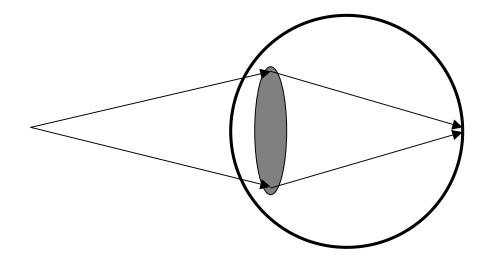
Eye schematic with typical dimensions



Accommodation (focusing)



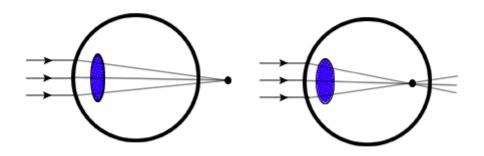
Remote object (unaccommodated eye)



Proximal object (accommodated eye)

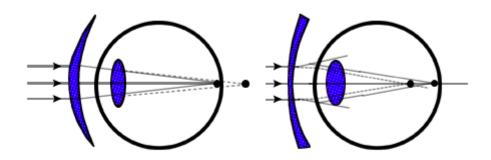
Comfortable viewing up to 2.5cm away from the cornea

Eye defects and their correction



Hypermetropia, farsighted

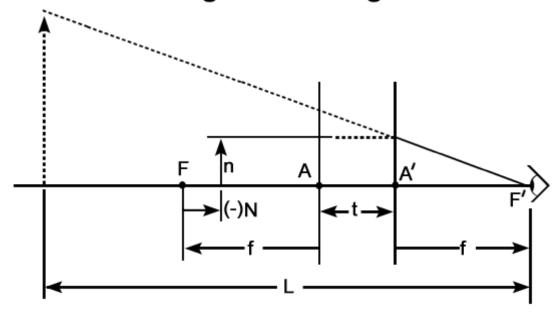
Myopia, nearsighted

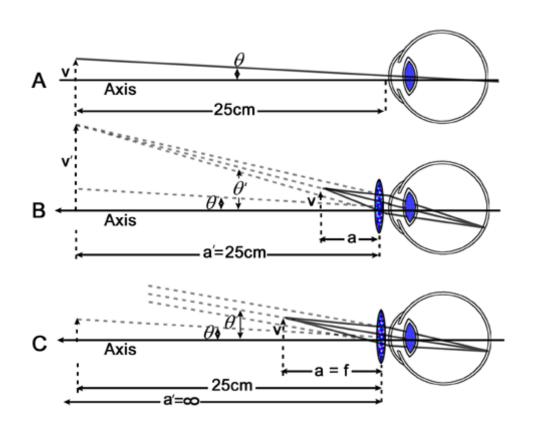


Farsighted eye corrected

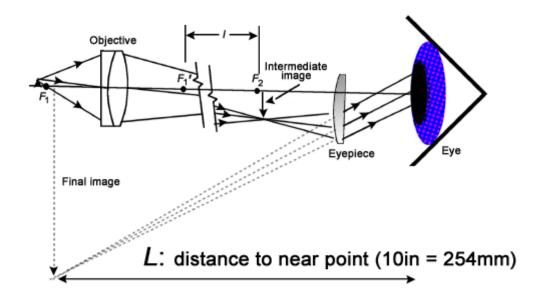
Nearsighted eye corrected

The single-lens magnifier





The compound microscope



Objective magnification

$$M_O \approx -\frac{I}{f_O}$$

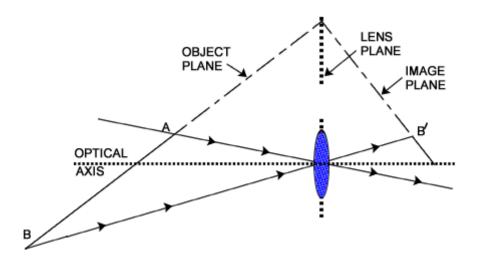
Eyepiece magnification

$$M_E \frac{L}{f_E}$$

Combined magnification

$$M = M_E M_O$$

The Scheimpflug condition



The object plane and the image plane intersect at right angles at the plane of the lens.