

HW2

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Analysis Questions:

1. A convex lens has a radius of curvature of 30 mm.
 - a. What is the x location of an image if the object is located at 50 cm away?
 - b. If object is 25 cm away?
 - c. What is the magnification for a and b?
 - d. Draw the ray diagram.

2. Choose 0.5" diameter mirror http://www.thorlabs.us/newgrouppage9.cfm?objectgroup_id=1161
 - a. Mirrors marked with $\Phi 1/2''$. What is the radius of curvature of your mirror?
 - b. What is the focal distance?
 - c. Where should you place an object to have a magnification of 2?

3. Consider a green leaf.
 - a. What color will the leaf appear if you illuminate with only green light?
 - b. How much energy does each photon have at the peak of the chlorophyll absorption spectrum?
 - c. Find the solar output at the earth surface (watts/nm), and make an estimate of the number of photons per second that would hit a leaf. With 30% efficiency, how much energy could a single leaf absorb during a single day?

4. Design an antireflective coating (thickness, index) for the interface between air and water.

5. Assume a microscope design has a 20x objective with a 200 mm tube lens?
 - a. Draw out the placement of the lenses, sample, and detector.
 - b. What is the working distance of the objective (distance from the lens to the sample)?
 - c. How far away should the camera be from the tube lens?

6. Design a 10x beam expander.
 - a. Identify two appropriate lenses from thorlabs.
 - b. Draw out the ray diagrams (with distances) for your two lenses.
 - c. If a 2 mm beam hits the expander, how big will it be on the other side?
 - d. If a 2 mm beam goes backwards through the expander, how big will it be?

7. Assume a bi-convex lens with radii of curvature = 300 mm.
 - a. What is the focal distance (assuming 0 thickness) if the lens is made of glass?
 - b. What would be the focal distance of an equivalent lens made of sapphire?

Matlab Questions:

1. Take two picture with your cellphone.
 - a. Load in both images
 - b. Display both images next to each other and use imwrite it to a .jpg
 - c. Increase the contrast on just the green image, and redisplay in color
 - d. Make a new image where you put the red intensity into the blue channel and vice versa
 - e. Display only a sub-image of something interesting in the picture (crop).

2. Load in football.jpg.
 - a. Print out the number of y-pixels, x-pixels, and colors
 - b. Display just the blue image as a black and white.
 - c. Convert the original image to a double, grayscale image.
 - d. Display the image with a contrast limits from .1 to .8.