

# **Department of Physics**

**College of Education** 

Salahalddin University-Erbil

Subject: Optics Lab.

Course Book – (Year 2)

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# **Course Book**

1. Course name	Optics Lab.		
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5. Time (in hours) per week	2 hours/week		
6. Office hours	Tuesday 8:30-10:30, Wednesday 9:30-11:30		
7. Course code	EdPh0206		
8. Teacher's academic profile	https://academics.su.edu.krd/saman.mawlud https://academics.su.edu.krd/runas.sula https://academics.su.edu.krd/ahmed.ahmed2		
9. Keywords	Geometrical Optics and Wave Optics		

#### 10. Course overview:

This course offers instruction in principles of light, reflection, refraction, wave optics and quantum optics. Classes can include lectures as well as a laboratory component. Optical reflection and refraction will be derived, as well as the lens equation and elements of geometrical optics. Optical interference, diffraction, and polarization will be covered in detail, including the role of diffraction in image formation.

Upon completion of this course, students should understand the physical principles underlying geometrical optics, especially the relationship between rays, wavefronts and electromagnetic waves. They should understand how light propagates through "most" optical systems — where "most" refers to optical systems that are not affected by the wave nature of light. They should be able to

analyze and design simple optical systems such as telescopes, imagers, luminaires and concentrators. For example, students should be able to:

- Determine the behavior of a ray (reflection/refraction angles and amplitudes)
- at any optical surface.
- Design an imaging system with a desired resolution, field-of-view and magnification.
- Model a complex optical system using paraxial ray tracing.
- Identify fundamental limits and aberrations in an optical system.

# 11. Course objective:

The course will give students a better understanding of a number of important phenomenon and topics in optics and will enable the students to:

- 1- Provide a good foundation in optics
- 2- Provide knowledge of the behaviour of light
- 3- Inspire interest for the knowledge of concepts in physical and geometrical optics

# 12. Student's obligation

Students are evaluated through exams and reports.

# 13. Forms of teaching

Wight board, data show, sheets.

#### 14. Assessment scheme

Grades will be determined by the use of weekly exams.

Weekly Experiments: 15% Final Theoretical Exam: 10% Final Experimental Exam: 10%

### 15. Student learning outcome:

The science learning goals of laboratory experiences include enhancing mastery of science subject matter, developing scientific reasoning abilities, increasing understanding of the complexity and ambiguity of empirical work, developing practical skills, increasing understanding of the nature of science, and improving teamwork abilities. The research suggests that laboratory experiences will be more likely to achieve these goals if they (1) are designed with clear learning outcomes in mind, (2) are thoughtfully sequenced into the flow of classroom science instruction, (3) integrate learning of science content and process, and (4) incorporate ongoing student reflection and discussion.

This is not a complete list of all you will be asked to study and encouraged to learn. However, after successfully completing this lecture and laboratory course you should at least be able to:

- 1. The student will demonstrate the ability to think critically and to use appropriate concepts to analyze qualitatively problems or situations involving the fundamental principles of optics.
- 2. The student will demonstrate the ability to use appropriate mathematical techniques and concepts to obtain quantitative solutions to problems in optics.
- 3. Students will demonstrate basic experimental skills by the practice of setting up and conducting an experiment with due regards to minimizing measurement error.

### 16. Course Reading List and References:

- 1- A Text book of Optics, N.S. Brijlal, S.Chand & Co. Ltd., New Delhi, 2009.
- 2- **Physical optics**, A. K. Ghatak Tata McGraw Hill Publishing House Co. Ltd., New Delhi, 2006.
- 3- **Fundamentals of Optics** by Jenkins A. Francis and White E. Harvey, *McGraw Hill Inc*.

17. Practical Topics	Experiment Group 1 (Ray Optics)			
	Law of distance:     A.To verify the inverse square law.     B.To draw the spectral distribution curve for the given cell.			
	2. Astigmatism.			
	<ul><li>3. Study and use of spectrometer:</li><li>A.To find the refractive index of the glass of a prism.</li><li>B.To study the resolving power of a prism.</li></ul>			
	4. Studying the focal length A. To measure the focal length of a convex lens. B. To measure the focal length of a concave mirror.			
	5. Spherical and chromatic aberrations of a lens.			
	6. To measure the power and focal length of concave lens by using convex lens.			

- 7. Lambert's law.
- 8. To measure the radius of curvature of a mirror or the surface of a lens by means of spherometer.
- To measure the refractive index of glass and a liquid by the method of real and apparent depth.
- To measure the magnification of a microscope.
- 11. Law of reflection and refraction.

# **Experiment Group 2 (Wave Optics)**

- Determine the wave length of monochromatic light by Young's experiment.
- 2. Fresnel's Biprism.
- 3. Determination of the diameter of a fine wire by interference.
- 4. Interference of light by Fresnel's mirror.
- To verify Snell's law of refraction and measure the refractive index of glass by using laser light.
- 6. To measure the wave length of light using a diffraction grating and a spectrometer.
- 7. Velocity of light based on a pulsating LED.
- 8. Michelson interferometer.
- 9. Malus's Law of Polarization.

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Ministry of Higher Education a	10. To measure r	10. To measure refractive index of air by using Michelson Interferometer.			
	11. Single slit circ	ular and apertures	s diffraction		
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a) 72.5 <sup>0</sup> b) 53.	1° c) 90.0°	d) 17.4 <sup>0</sup>	e) 36.9 <sup>0</sup>		
distance S = 50mm virtual image?	h of a lens is $f = 100$ in. Where will you fire	•	-		
<ul> <li>3. Complete the following phrases:     Example:     Q. Explain one of the following:     1. How does the spacing between fringes vary with the width of the slit?     2. Why it is easier to obtain fringes with a laser than with another light source?</li> </ul>					
4. Drive: Q. Prove that the focal I	length of a thin lens is equal $\frac{1}{f}$ $\frac{1}{u}$ $\frac{1}{v}$	ual to:			
Suppose that $f$ is the focal length of a thin lens.					
20. Extra notes:					

21. Peer review