

Recap from last week

Index of refraction: $n = \frac{c}{v}$

Snell's Law: $n_1 \sin \theta_1 = n_2 \sin \theta_2$ (Refraction)

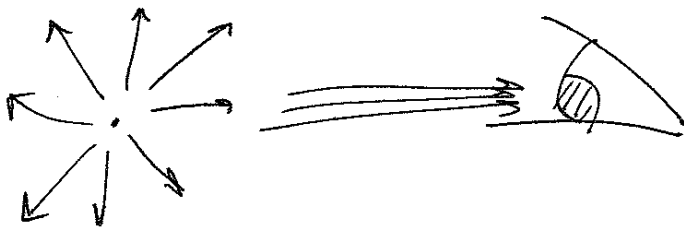
Law of Reflection: $\theta_1 = \theta_2$

Total internal reflection: If $n_2 > n_1$, then

$\sin \theta_c = \frac{n_2}{n_1}$. If $\theta > \theta_c$ no light is refracted, 100% reflected

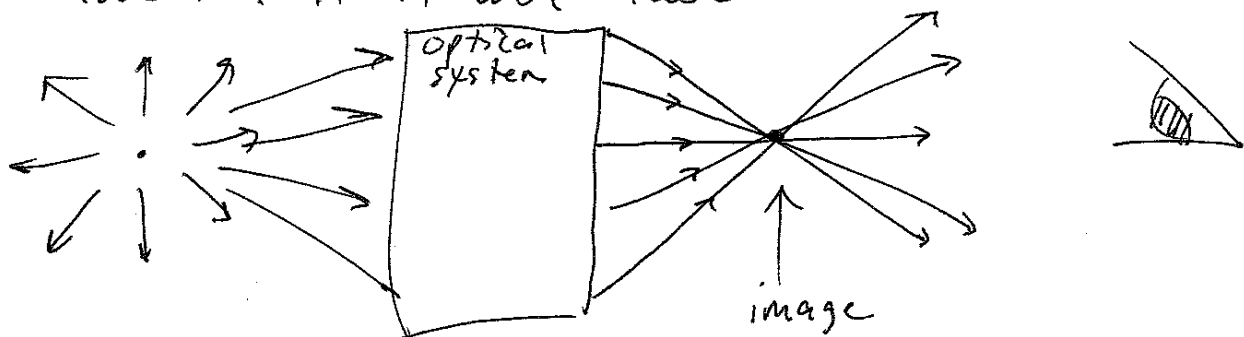
Imaging:

Most objects are rough - they scatter light in all directions



Human eye collects a small fraction of the scattered light.

An optical system can re-direct some of the rays to a 2nd location, simulating what the object would look like if it were there:



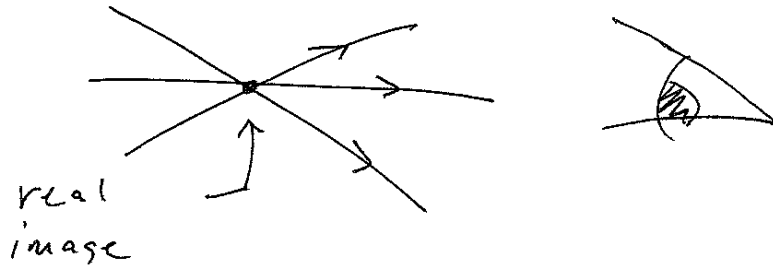
Two ways to see an image:

1) Look down the optical axis so the rays from the image enter your eye: magnifier, microscope, telescope.

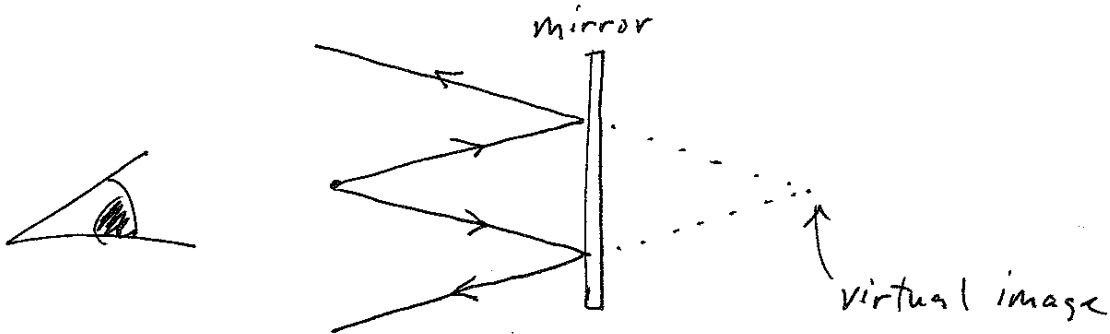
2) Use a screen ~~at~~ at the image location to scatter the rays in all direction. (Then you can see the image from any angle.)

Two types of Images

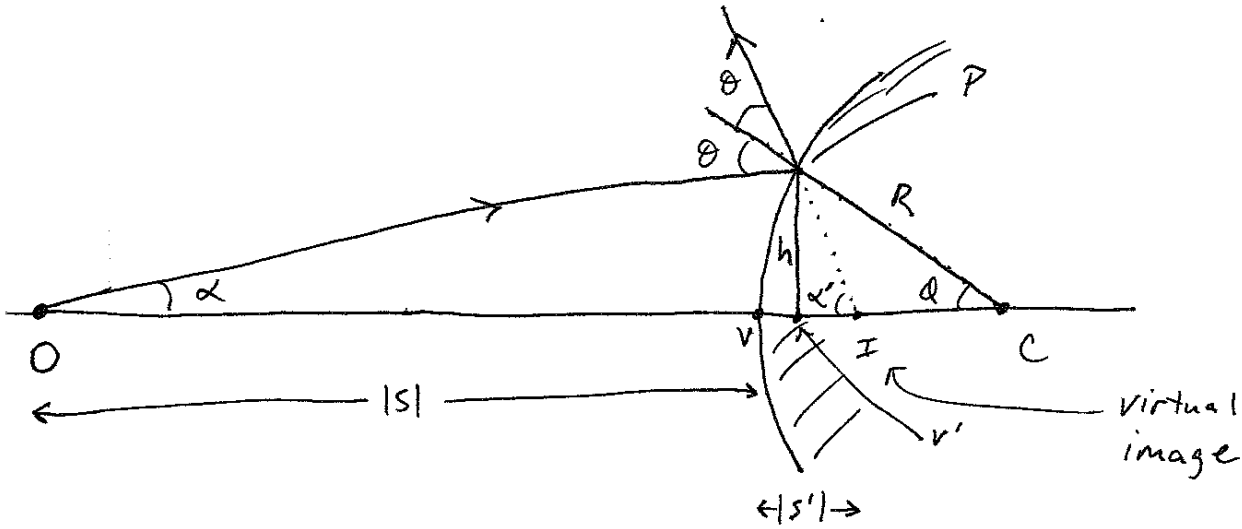
Real: The rays actually pass through the image point:



Virtual: The rays appear to pass through the image point, but they don't:



Spherical Convex Mirror



Triangle OPC : $\alpha + \alpha' + (\pi - \theta) = \pi \Rightarrow \alpha + \alpha' = \theta$ ①

Triangle OPI : $\alpha + \alpha' + (\pi - 2\theta) = \pi \Rightarrow \alpha + \alpha' = 2\theta$ ②

$2 \times \text{①} - \text{②} : \alpha + 2\alpha' - \alpha' = \theta$

$$\boxed{\alpha - \alpha' = -2\theta}$$

Small angle approximation: $\sin \theta \sim \theta \sim \tan \theta$, $\cos \theta \sim 1$

$\tan \alpha \sim \alpha = \frac{h}{|s|}$ (ignore small distance VV')

$\tan \alpha' \sim \alpha' = \frac{h}{|s'|}$

$\sin \theta \sim \theta = \frac{h}{|R|}$

$\therefore \frac{h}{|s|} - \frac{h}{|s'|} = \frac{-2h}{|R|}$

$$\boxed{\frac{1}{|s|} - \frac{1}{|s'|} = \frac{-2}{|R|}}$$

Spherical Convex Mirror.

Spherical Concave Mirror

$$\frac{1}{|S|} + \frac{1}{|S'|} = \frac{2}{|R|}$$

Ex: $S = 4 \text{ cm}$
$R = -2 \text{ cm}$
$\frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{S'} = \frac{2}{(-2)} = -1$
$S' = -\frac{4}{5}$

Both concave and convex described by

$$\boxed{\frac{1}{S} + \frac{1}{S'} = \frac{2}{R}} \quad \text{Spherical mirror}$$

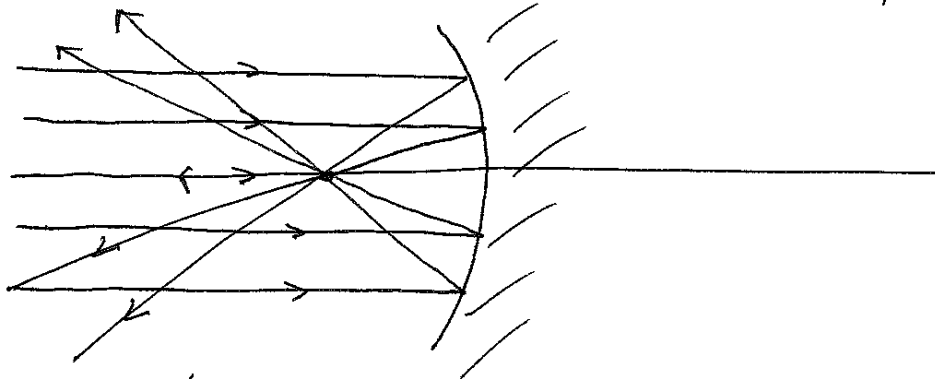
With these sign conventions:

- 1) object distance S is positive if object is real.
- 2) image distance S' is positive if image is real.
- 3) R positive for ~~convex~~ concave mirror, R negative for ~~concave~~ ^{convex} mirror.

Need to know if object and image are real or virtual before applying equation

Focal points

If object is at $+\infty$, all incoming rays are parallel:



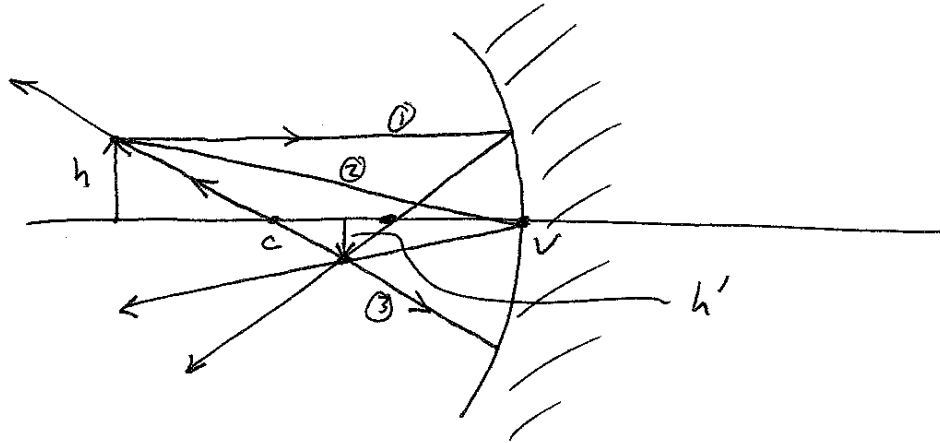
$\frac{1}{S} + \frac{1}{S'} = \frac{2}{R}$

$\leftarrow S' \rightarrow$

$$S' = \boxed{\frac{+R}{2} \equiv F} \quad (\text{focal length})$$

- $F > 0$ concave
- $F < 0$ convex

Objects off-axis = non-point objects



Principle Rays:

- 1) Ray parallel to optical axis passes through focal point after reflection.
- 2) Ray intersects vertex V reflects at equal angle.
- 3) Ray passes through center of curvature returns along same path.

Magnification: ratio of image height to object height

Similar triangles

$$\frac{h}{s} = \frac{h'}{s'}$$

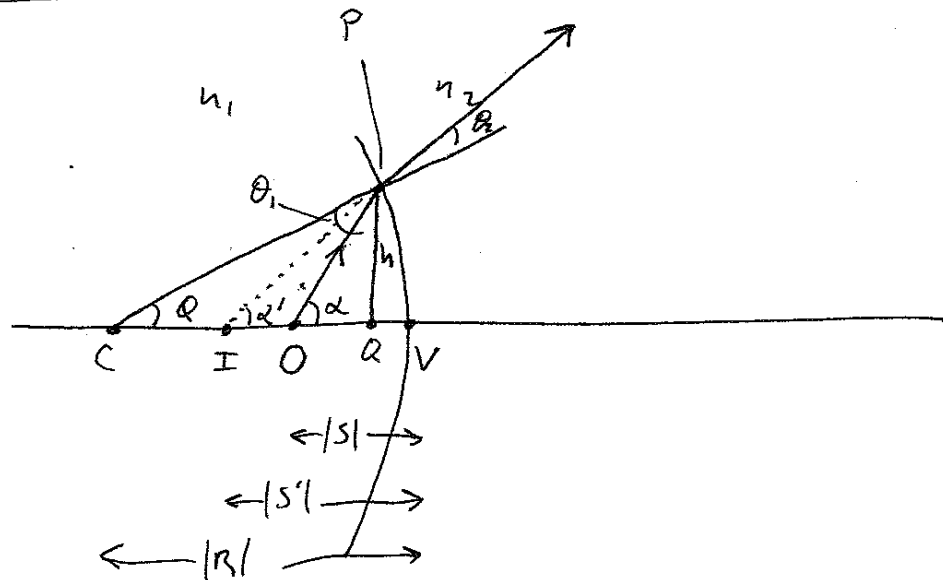
$$|m| = \left| \frac{s'}{s} \right| = \left| \frac{h'}{h} \right|$$

Sign convention m is negative if image is inverted.

$$m = -\frac{s'}{s}$$

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Refraction at Concave Spherical Surface



Triangle CPD: $\alpha + \theta_1 + \pi - \alpha = \pi \Rightarrow \theta_1 = \alpha - \alpha$

Triangle CPI: $\alpha + \theta_2 + \pi - \alpha' = \pi \Rightarrow \theta_2 = \alpha' - \alpha$

Snell's Law for small angles: $n_1 \theta_1 \sim n_2 \theta_2$

$$n_1 (\alpha - \alpha) = n_2 (\alpha' - \alpha)$$

Ignore short distance QV:

$$\alpha \sim \frac{h}{s}, \quad \alpha' \sim \frac{h}{s'}, \quad \alpha \sim \frac{h}{R}$$

$$n_1 \left(\frac{h}{s} - \frac{h}{R} \right) = n_2 \left(\frac{h}{s'} - \frac{h}{R} \right)$$

$$\boxed{\frac{n_1}{s} - \frac{n_2}{s'} = \frac{n_1 - n_2}{R}}$$

Refraction at Concave Spherical Surface

Re-do for convex surface: $\frac{n_1}{s} + \frac{n_2}{s'} = \frac{n_2 - n_1}{R}$

Both cases: $\boxed{\frac{n_1}{s} + \frac{n_2}{s'} = \frac{n_2 - n_1}{R}}$ with

1) real objects: $s > 0$

2) real image: $s' > 0$

3) Concave: $R < 0$. Convex: $R > 0$