

# Optics JEE Main PYQ – 1

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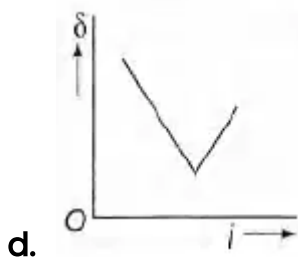
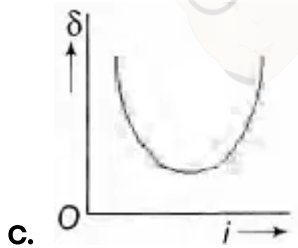
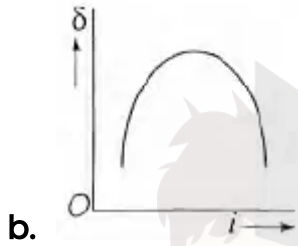
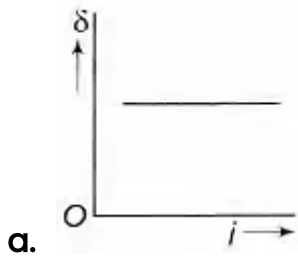
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# Optics

1. The graph between angle of deviation ( $\delta$ ) and angle of incidence ( $i$ ) for a triangular prism is represented by (+4, -1)

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2. Diameter of a plano-convex lens is 6 cm and thickness at the centre is 3 mm. (+4, -1)  
If speed of light in material of lens is  $2 \times 10^8$  m/s, the focal length of the lens is

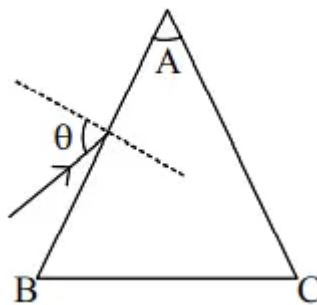
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- a. 15 cm

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- b. 20 cm
- c. 30 cm
- d. 10 cm

3. Monochromatic light is incident on a glass prism of angle  $A$ . If the refractive index of the material of the prism is  $\mu$ , a ray incident at an angle  $\theta$ , on the face  $AB$  would get transmitted through the face  $AC$  of the prism provided (+4, -1)  
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- a.  $\theta < \cos^{-1} \left[ \mu \sin \left( A + \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{\mu} \right) \right) \right]$
- b.  $\theta < \sin^{-1} \left[ \mu \sin \left( A - \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{\mu} \right) \right) \right]$
- c.  $\theta > \cos^{-1} \left[ \mu \sin \left( A + \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{\mu} \right) \right) \right]$
- d.  $\theta > \sin^{-1} \left[ \mu \sin \left( A - \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{\mu} \right) \right) \right]$

4. A vessel of depth  $2h$  is half filled with a liquid of refractive index  $2\sqrt{2}$  and the upper half with another liquid of refractive index  $\sqrt{2}$ . The liquids are immiscible. The apparent depth of the inner surface of the bottom of vessel will be : (+4, -1)  
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- a.  $\frac{h}{\sqrt{2}}$
- b.  $\frac{3}{4}h\sqrt{2}$

c.  $\frac{h}{3\sqrt{2}}$

d.  $\frac{h}{2(\sqrt{2}+1)}$

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5. An object is located in a fixed position in front of a screen. Sharp image is obtained on the screen for two positions of a thin lens separated by  $10\text{ cm}$ . The size of the images in two situations are in the ratio  $3 : 2$ . What is the distance between the screen and the object ? (+4, -1)

April 11, 2014

a.  $124.5\text{ cm}$

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b.  $144.5\text{ cm}$

c.  $65.0\text{ cm}$

d.  $99.0\text{ cm}$

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6. A concave mirror has radius of curvature of  $40\text{ cm}$ . It is at the bottom of a glass that has water filled up to  $5\text{ cm}$  (see figure). If a small particle is floating on the surface of water, its image as seen, from directly above the glass, is at a distance  $d$  from the surface of water. The value of  $d$  is close to : (Refractive index of water =  $1.33$ ) (+4, -1)

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a.  $8.8\text{ cm}$

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b.  $11.7\text{ cm}$

c.  $6.7\text{ cm}$

d.  $13.4\text{ cm}$

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7. A convergent doublet of separated lenses, corrected for spherical aberration, has resultant focal length of  $10\text{ cm}$ . The separation between the two lenses is  $2\text{ cm}$ . The focal lengths of the component lenses are : (+4, -1)

April 15, 2018

a.  $10\text{ cm}, 12\text{ cm}$

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b.  $12\text{ cm}, 14\text{ cm}$

- c. 16 cm, 18 cm
- d. 18 cm, 20 cm

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8. A convex lens is put  $10\text{ cm}$  from a light source and it makes a sharp image on a screen, kept  $10\text{ cm}$  from the lens. Now a glass block (refractive index 1.5) of  $1.5\text{ cm}$  thickness is placed in contact with the light source. To get the sharp image again, the screen is shifted by a distance  $d$ . Then  $d$  is : (+4, -1)  
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- a.  $0.55\text{ cm}$  away from the lens
- b.  $1.1\text{ cm}$  away from the lens
- c.  $0.55\text{ cm}$  towards the lens
- d. 0

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9. A thin cylindrical rod of length  $10\text{ cm}$  is placed horizontally on the principle axis of a concave mirror of focal length  $20\text{ cm}$ . The rod is placed in a such a way that mid point of the rod is at  $40\text{ cm}$  from the pole of mirror. The length of the image formed by the mirror will be  $\frac{x}{3}\text{ cm}$ . The value of  $x$  is \_\_\_\_\_ (+4, -1)  
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10. In an experiment for estimating the value of focal length of converging mirror, image of an object placed at  $40\text{ cm}$  from the pole of the mirror is formed at distance  $120\text{ cm}$  from the pole of the mirror. These distances are measured with a modified scale in which there are 20 small divisions in  $1\text{ cm}$ . The value of error in measurement of focal length of the mirror is  $\frac{1}{K}\text{ cm}$ . The value of  $K$  is \_\_\_\_\_ (+4, -1)

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## Answers

### 1. Answer: c

#### Explanation:

We know that the angle of deviation depends upon the angle of incidence.

$$\theta_4 = \sin^{-1} n \sin(\theta_3)$$

$A + \delta = \theta_1 + \theta_4$ , which suggests that

$$A = \theta_2 + \theta_3$$

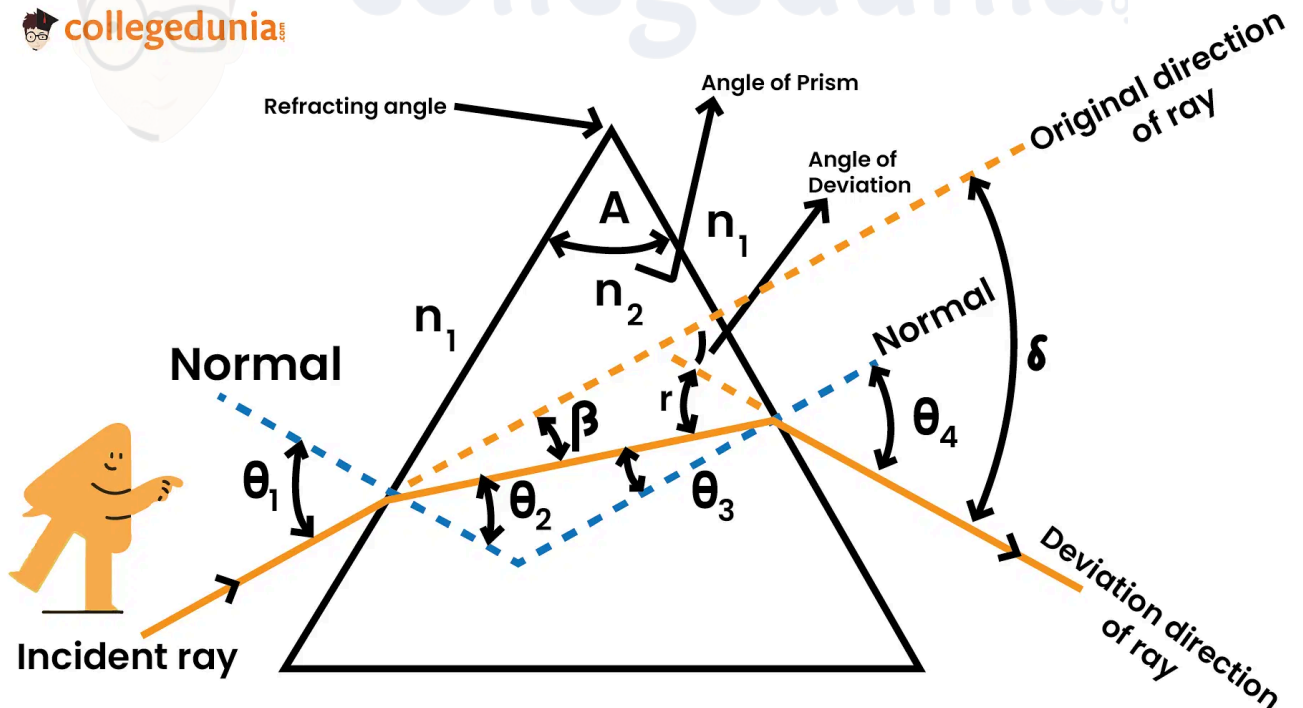
substituting the value of  $\theta_4$ ,

$$\delta = \theta_1 + \sin^{-1} n \sin(\theta_3) - A$$

then the value of  $\delta$  is

$$\delta = \theta_1 + \sin^{-1} n \sin(A - \sin^{-1}(\sin(\theta_1/n))) - A$$

Plot this on the graph. The curve should be continuous and non-linear. Also, minimum deviation takes place at only value 1 of angle incidence.



Therefore, The graph between angle of deviation ( $\delta$ ) and angle of incidence ( $i$ ) for a triangular prism is represented by Option C).

The graph between the angle of deviation ( $\delta$ ) and the **angle of incidence** ( $i$ ) for a triangular prism is not a simple linear relationship.

- It is a non-linear curve that can be represented by a sine function.
- The angle of deviation ( $\delta$ ) is the angle between the incident ray and the emergent ray after passing through the prism.
- The angle of incidence ( $i$ ) is the angle between the incident ray and the normal to the surface of the prism.
- As the angle of incidence ( $i$ ) increases, the angle of deviation ( $\delta$ ) also changes.
- Initially, the angle of deviation increases slowly with the angle of incidence, but as the angle of incidence increases further, the angle of deviation starts to increase more rapidly.

This non-linear relationship is due to the refraction of light as it passes through the prism. The **refractive index** of the prism material and the geometry of the prism play a crucial role in determining the angle of deviation for a given angle of incidence.

To accurately represent the graph between  $\delta$  and  $i$  for a triangular prism, a mathematical equation based on the principles of optics and trigonometry is used. The equation involves the refractive index of the prism material, the apex angle of the prism, and the angle of incidence.

*Read more from chapter: [Angle of minimum deviation](#)*

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## 2. Answer: c

### Explanation:

By Pythagoras theorem

$$R^2 = (3)^2 + (R - 0.3)^2 \Rightarrow R \approx 15 \text{ cm}$$

Refractive index of material of lens  $\mu = \frac{c}{v}$

Here  $c$  = speed of light in vacuum =  $3 \times 10^8$  m/s

$v$  = speed of light in material of lens =  $2 \times 10^8$  m/s

$$\mu = \frac{3 \times 10^8}{2 \times 10^8} = \frac{3}{2}$$

From lens maker's formula

$$\frac{1}{f} = (\mu - 1) \left( \frac{1}{R_1} - \frac{1}{R_2} \right)$$

Here,  $R_1 = R$  and  $R_2 = \infty$  (For plane surface)

$$\frac{1}{f} = \left( \frac{3}{2} - 1 \right) \left( \frac{1}{15} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow f = 30 \text{ cm}$$

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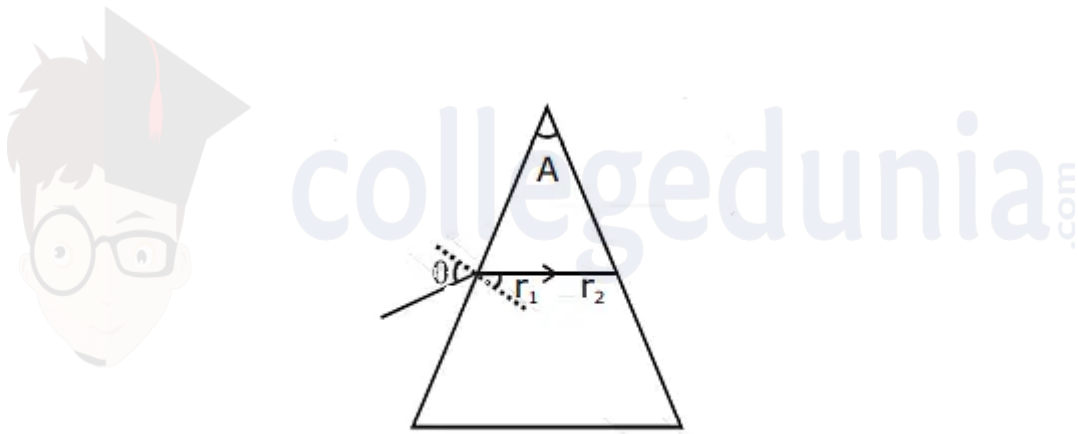
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3. Answer: d

Explanation:



$r_2$

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#### 4. Answer: b

##### Explanation:

For near normal incidence,

$$h_{app} = \frac{h_{actual}}{\left(\frac{\mu_{in}}{\mu_{ref.}}\right)}$$

$$\therefore h_{apparent} = \frac{\frac{h}{\left(\frac{2\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}}\right)} + h}{\frac{\sqrt{2}}{1}} = \frac{3h}{2\sqrt{2}} = \frac{3}{4}h\sqrt{2}$$

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## 5. Answer: d

**Explanation:**

$$\frac{m_1}{m_2} = \frac{3}{2} = \left(\frac{D+10}{D-10}\right)^2$$
$$D = 99 \text{ cm}$$

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## 6. Answer: a

### Explanation:

Light incident from particle P will be reflected at mirror  $u = -5\text{cm}$ ,  $f = -\frac{R}{2} = -20\text{cm}$

$$\frac{1}{v} + \frac{1}{u} = \frac{1}{f}$$

$$v_1 = +\frac{20}{3}\text{cm}$$

This image will act as object for light getting refracted at water surface

So, object distance  $d = 5 + \frac{20}{3} = \frac{35}{3}\text{cm}$  below water surface.

After refraction, final image is at

$$\begin{aligned}d' &= d \left( \frac{\mu_2}{\mu_1} \right) \\ &= \left( \frac{35}{3} \right) \left( \frac{1}{4/3} \right) \\ &= \frac{35}{4} = 8.75\text{cm} \\ &\approx 8.8\text{cm}\end{aligned}$$

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## 7. Answer: d

### Explanation:

For a convergent doublet of separated lens, we have

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{f_1} + \frac{1}{f_2} - \frac{d}{f_1 f_2}$$

where  $d$  is separation between two lens,  $f_1$  and  $f_2$  are focal lengths of component lenses,

$f$  is resultant focal length. Therefore, E (1) becomes

$$\frac{1}{10} = \frac{1}{f_1} + \frac{1}{f_2} - \frac{2}{f_1 f_2} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{10} = \left( \frac{f_2 + f_1 - 2}{f_1 f_2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow f f_2 = 10 f_2 + 10 f_1 - 20$$

$$\Rightarrow 10 f_1 + 10 f_2 - f f_2 = +20$$

For  $f = 18 \text{ cm}$  and  $f_2 = 20 \text{ cm}$ , the above equation satisfies.

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## 8. Answer: a

### Explanation:

$$\frac{1}{v} - \frac{1}{u} = \frac{1}{f} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{10} - \frac{1}{-10} = \frac{1}{f} \Rightarrow f = 5\text{cm}$$

Shift due to slab =  $t \left(1 - \frac{1}{\mu}\right)$  in the direction of incident ray

$$= 1.5 \left(1 - \frac{2}{3}\right) = 0.5$$

$$\text{again, } \frac{1}{v} - \frac{1}{-9.5} = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{u} = \frac{1}{5} - \frac{2}{19} = \frac{9}{95}$$

$$\Rightarrow v = \frac{95}{9} = 10.55\text{ cm}$$

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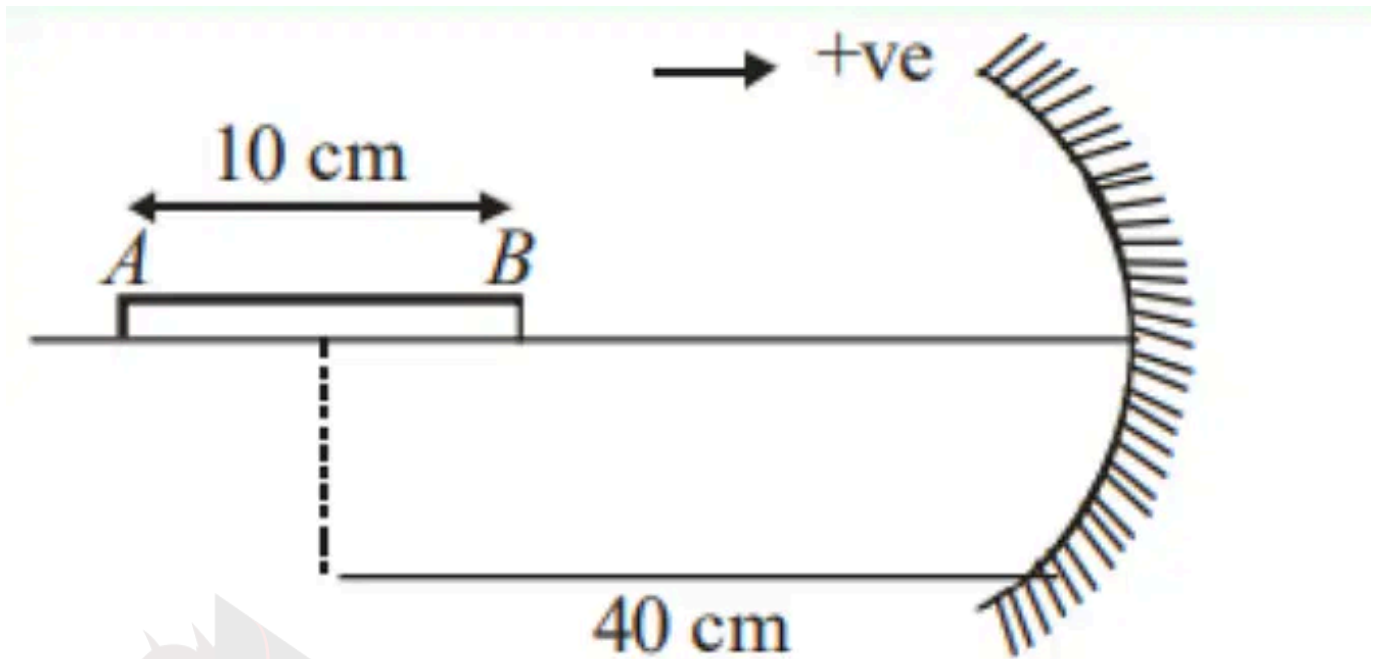
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## 9. Answer: 32 – 32

## Explanation:

The correct answer is 32.



$$U_A = -45 \text{ cm}, f = -20 \text{ cm}$$

$$V_A = \frac{-45 \times (-20)}{-45 - (-20)} = \frac{-900}{-25} = -36 \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{And } U_B = -35 \text{ cm}$$

$$\therefore V_B = \frac{-35 \times (-20)}{-35 - (-20)} = \frac{700}{-15}$$

$$\therefore V_A - V_B = \text{length of image}$$

$$= (-36 + \frac{140}{3}) \text{ cm}$$

$$= \frac{-108 + 140}{3} \text{ cm}$$

$$= \frac{32}{3} \text{ cm}$$

$$\therefore x = 32$$

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## 10. Answer: 32 – 32

### Explanation:

The correct answer is 32.

$$\frac{1}{v} + \frac{1}{u} = \frac{1}{f}$$
$$\frac{-1}{120} - \frac{1}{40} = \frac{1}{f}, \quad f = -30 \text{ cm}$$

Now,

$$\frac{-1}{v^2} dv - \frac{1}{u^2} du = -\frac{1}{f^2} df$$

$$\text{Also } dv = du = \frac{1}{20} \text{ cm}$$

$$\therefore \frac{\frac{1}{20}}{(120)^2} + \frac{\frac{1}{20}}{(40)^2} = \frac{df}{(30)^2}$$

On solving

$$df = \frac{1}{32} \text{ cm}$$

$$\therefore k = 32$$

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