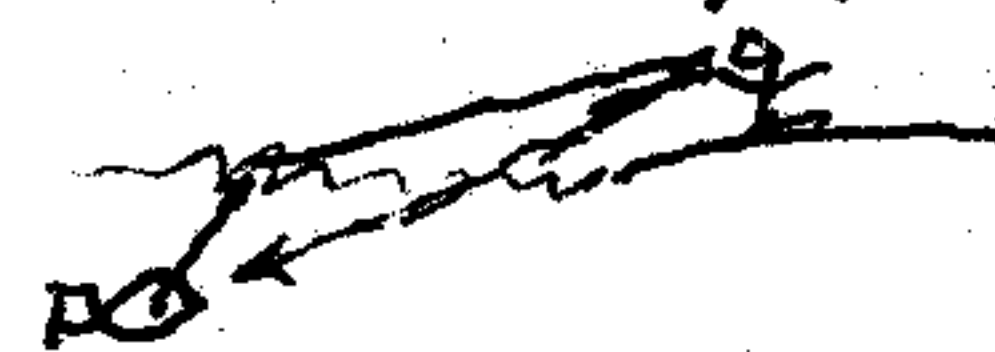


7. When rifle fishing, do you aim at, above, or below the image of a fish in the water, and WHY?

Aim below to compensate for refraction



8. A soap bubble with  $n=1.33$  strongly reflects 550 nm light. What is its thickness?

Constructive  $2nt = (m + 1/2)\lambda_0$  pick  $m=0$

$$t = \frac{\lambda_0}{4n} = \frac{550 \text{ nm}}{4(1.33)} = \underline{103 \text{ nm}}$$

9. What would happen to 550 nm light falling on a thin film of oil on water with the same thickness as the film in problem 8?

Destructive interference, no relative  $\pi$  phase shift due to reflection.

Long Questions (20 points each), drop the low one.

1. A laser emits a beam with a diameter of 5.00 mm and a wavelength of 1.50 micrometers. The beam travels in empty space in the z direction, and has a power of 2.00 kW.

a) Write down an expression for the electric field of the laser as a function of position and time.

$$E(z, t) = E_0 \sin(kz - \omega t) \text{ need } E_0, k, \omega$$

$$k = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} = 4.19 \times 10^6 \text{ 1/m}, \quad \omega = ck = 1.26 \times 10^{15} \text{ 1/s}$$

$$I = \frac{P}{\pi r^2} = \frac{2000 \text{ W}}{\pi (0.0025 \text{ m})^2} = 1.02 \times 10^8 \text{ W/m}^2 = \frac{1}{2} \epsilon_0 c E_0^2$$

so  $E_0 = 2.77 \times 10^5 \text{ V/m}$

$$E(z, t) = (2.77 \times 10^5 \text{ V/m}) \sin((4.19 \times 10^6 \text{ 1/m})z - (1.26 \times 10^{15} \text{ 1/s})t)$$

b) How much energy per unit volume is in the beam?

$$u = I/c = 0.34 \text{ J/m}^3$$

c) If the beam strikes a perfectly absorbing circular disc of diameter 2.5 mm, which lies perpendicular to the beam, how much force does it exert?

pressure  $\rightarrow P_r = \frac{F}{A} = \frac{I}{c}$   $A = \pi \left(\frac{0.0025}{2}\right)^2 = 4.91 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}^2$   
 (Laser bigger than disc, use disc area)

$$F = (0.34 \text{ J/m}^3) (4.91 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}^2) = \underline{1.67 \times 10^{-6} \text{ N}}$$

d) How much energy does the disc absorb in 10.0 s?

$$I = \frac{\text{Power}}{\text{Area}} \quad \text{so} \quad \text{Power} = IA = (1.02 \times 10^8 \frac{\text{W}}{\text{m}^2}) (4.91 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}^2) = 500 \text{ W}$$

$$\text{Energy} = \text{Power} \times \text{time} = \underline{5000 \text{ J}}$$