

VINAYAKA MISSION'S RESEARCH FOUNDATIONS, SALEM
(Deemed to be University)

B.OPTOMETRY DEGREE EXAMINATION – February 2020

First Year

GEOMETRIC OPTICS

Time: Three hours

Maximum: 80 marks

I Choose the best answer

(5 x 1 = 5)

1. Following affect the task visibility EXCEPT
 - a) Size of task
 - b) Likeability
 - c) Illumination
 - d) Glare
2. Relative illuminance ratio for task: immediate background: general background =
 - a) 10:3:1
 - b) 3:10:1
 - c) 1:3:10
 - d) 13:3:10
3. Snell's law is the
 - a) Second law of refraction
 - b) Second law of reflection
 - c) Second law of dispersion
 - d) Second law of polarization
4. Fibre optics principle
 - a) Refraction
 - b) Specular reflection
 - c) Diffuse reflection
 - d) Total internal reflection
5. The redistribution of atomic energy levels that takes place in a system so that laser action can occur is called as
 - a) Population inversion
 - b) Popular inversion
 - c) Atomic inversion
 - d) Retributions

II Fill in the blanks

(5 x 1 = 5)

1. Coma is an _____ axis aberration.
2. Hyperopia occurs when the image falls _____ the retina.
3. _____ are used to measure the intensity of the light produced by an unknown source in terms of a standard source.
4. _____ is a method of light control using opaque medium.
5. Keplerian telescoped use _____ lens.

(p.t.o)

III Answer **ALL** questions:

(10 x 2 = 20)

1. Define : Vergence
2. Derive only the expression for lateral displacement of emergent light ray refracted from a glass slab.
3. Define: temporal coherence.
4. Describe the term accommodation.
5. State the laws of reflection.
6. Define: Pincushion & Barrel distortion.
7. Define utilization factor.
8. What is luminous flux?
9. Mention 4 points for a Galilean telescope.
10. What is rectilinear propagation of light?

IV Write any **FIVE** answers of the following:

(5 x 6 = 30)

1. Explain the image formation by a concave mirror with suitable diagrams
2. Differentiate Galilean and Keplerian telescope.
3. Write few applications of fibre optics.
4. What are the factors that affect a visual task?
5. Derive an expression for circle of least confusion.
6. Write a note on monochromatic aberrations.
7. Transposition: Write the following prescription in other +cyl forms
 - a. +3.00DS*180/+2.50DC* 90
 - b. -5.00DS/-2.00DC* 170

V Write any **TWO** essays of the following:

(2 x 10 = 20)

1. Describe the cardinal points of the optical system.
2. Find the primary and secondary focal length for two convex lenses of power +5.00DS and +4.00DS separated by 4cm.
3. Write in detail on Ruby LASER.

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