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# Exercises and Complements for the Introduction to Physics II

## for Students

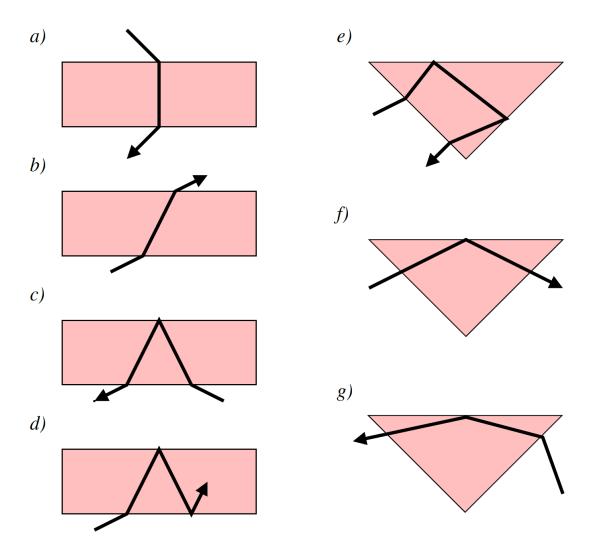
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## Exercise 25.

From a) to g), which optical paths through a glass plate are drawn incorrectly?

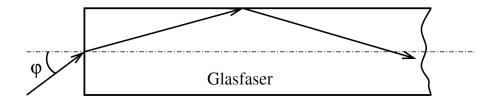


### Exercise 26.

The dimensions of the rear window in a car are:  $W \times H = 120 \times 45 \text{ cm}^2$ . The driver sits at a distance of l = 2 m away from the rear window. How big should the rear-view mirror be such that the driver can see the entire rear window. The distance between the driver and the mirror is  $l_0 = 0.5$  m.

### Exercise 27.

Light is coupled into the end of a glass fiber with refractive index  $n_F = 1.40$ . Due to total reflection, the light can transmit inside the fiber without loss.



- (a) When the glass fiber is surrounded by air, what is the maximum incident angle  $\varphi$  with which the light beam is able to enter and stay inside the fiber?
- (b) How does the angle of incidence change when the glass fiber is surrounded by water?

### Exercise 28.

A light wave with a wavelength of  $\lambda = 750$  nm (in air) hits a glass plate (refractive index of n = 1.5) at an angle of incidence  $\alpha = 45^{\circ}$  and passes through it.

- (a) What is the speed of light inside the glass plate?
- (b) What is the frequency and wavelength of the light iside the glass plate and after the glass plate?
- (c) By how many degrees is the light wave refracted when it passes from the air into the glass plate?
- (d) At what angle does the light leave the glass plate?

### Answers:

Aufgabe 26.  $7.5 \times 20 \text{ cm}^2$ 

Aufgabe 27. (a)  $78.46^{\circ}$  (b)  $19.20^{\circ}$ 

Aufgabe 28. (a)  $2 \cdot 10^8$  m/s (b)  $4 \cdot 10^{14}$  Hz; 750 nm; 500 nm (c)  $16.90^{\circ}$   $45^{\circ}$