

Introduction to aberrations

OPTI518

Lecture 6

Chromatic aberrations

Chromatic aberrations

$$\partial_{\lambda} W(\vec{H}, \rho) = \partial_{\lambda} W_{000} + \partial_{\lambda} W_{200} H^2 + \partial_{\lambda} W_{111} H \rho \cos(\varphi) + \partial_{\lambda} W_{020} \rho^2$$



- Consider up to second order terms
- Change of image location with λ (axial or longitudinal chromatic aberration)
- Change of magnification with λ (transverse or lateral chromatic aberration)
- We start with a single surface

Second-order: single surface

$$W(0, \vec{\rho}) = \frac{y^2}{2} \left(\left(\frac{n' - n}{r} \right) - \left(\frac{n'}{s'} - \frac{n}{s} \right) \right) (\vec{\rho} \cdot \vec{\rho}) = W_{020} (\vec{\rho} \cdot \vec{\rho})$$

$$A = n \left(\frac{1}{r} - \frac{1}{s} \right) y = A' = n' \left(\frac{1}{r} - \frac{1}{s'} \right) y$$

Chromatic change of focus: single surface

$$\begin{aligned}\partial_{\lambda} W_{020} &= \frac{y^2}{2} \left(\partial n' \left(\frac{1}{r} - \frac{1}{s'} \right) - \partial n \left(\frac{1}{r} - \frac{1}{s} \right) \right) \\ &= \frac{y}{2} A \left(\frac{\partial n'}{n'} - \frac{\partial n}{n} \right) = \frac{1}{2} A \Delta \left(\frac{\partial n}{n} \right) y\end{aligned}$$

$$\Delta \left(\frac{\partial n}{n} \right) = \frac{\partial n'}{n'} - \frac{\partial n}{n}$$

$$\partial n = n_F - n_C$$

$$\lambda_F = 486.1 \text{ nm}$$

$$\lambda_C = 656.3 \text{ nm}$$

$$\lambda_d = 587.6 \text{ nm}$$

$$n = n_d$$

Change of image location with λ (Chromatic change of focus)

$$W_{020} = \frac{y^2}{2} \left\{ n' \left[\frac{1}{R} - \frac{1}{z'} \right] - n \left[\frac{1}{R} - \frac{1}{z} \right] \right\} = 0$$

$$\partial_\lambda W_{020} = \frac{y^2}{2} \left\{ (n' + \partial n') \left[\frac{1}{R} - \frac{1}{z'} \right] - (n + \partial n) \left[\frac{1}{R} - \frac{1}{z} \right] \right\}$$

$$\partial_\lambda W_{020} = \frac{y^2}{2} \left\{ \partial n' \left[\frac{1}{R} - \frac{1}{z'} \right] - \partial n \left[\frac{1}{R} - \frac{1}{z} \right] \right\}$$

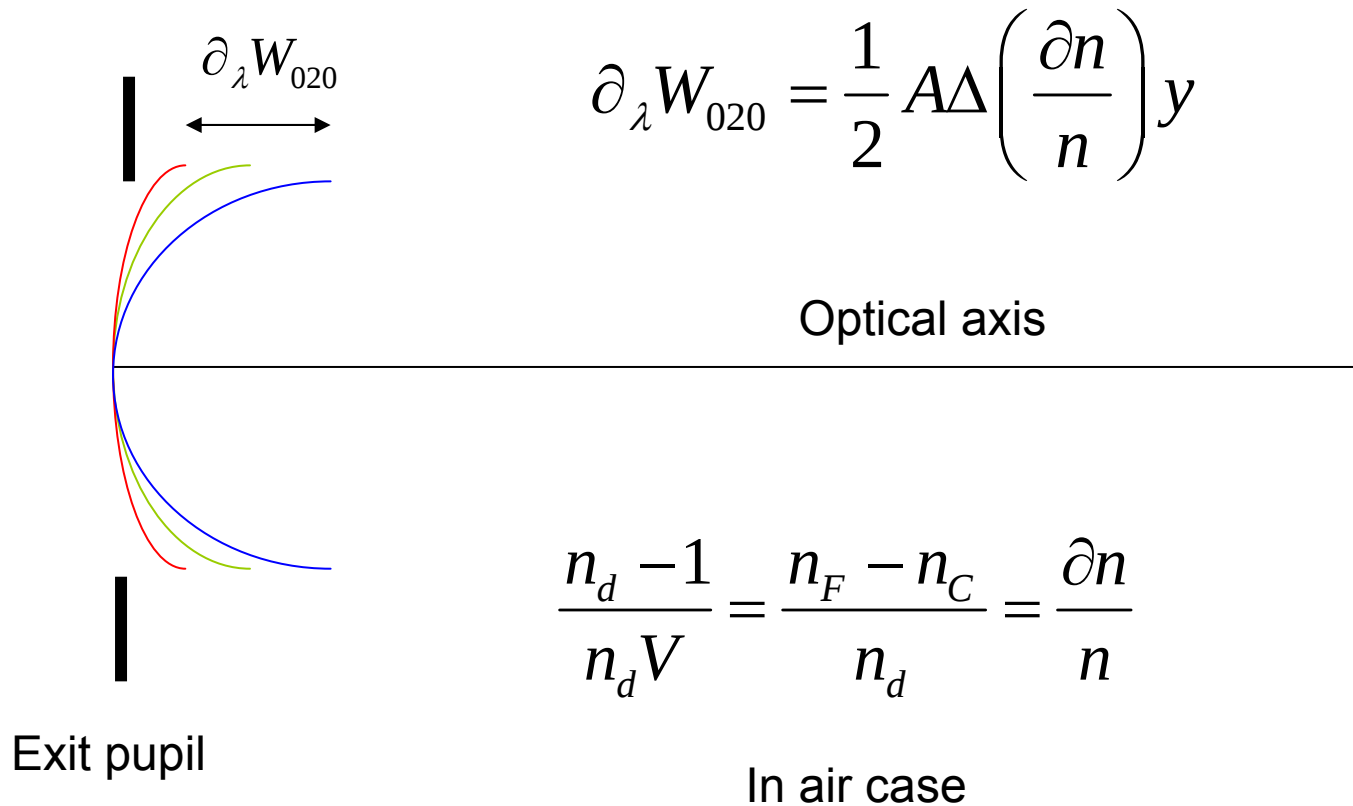
$$= \frac{y}{2} \left\{ \partial n' \left[\frac{y}{R} - \frac{y}{z'} \right] - \partial n \left[\frac{y}{R} - \frac{y}{z} \right] \right\}$$

$$= \frac{y}{2} \left\{ \partial n' [\alpha + n'] - \partial n [\alpha + n] \right\}$$

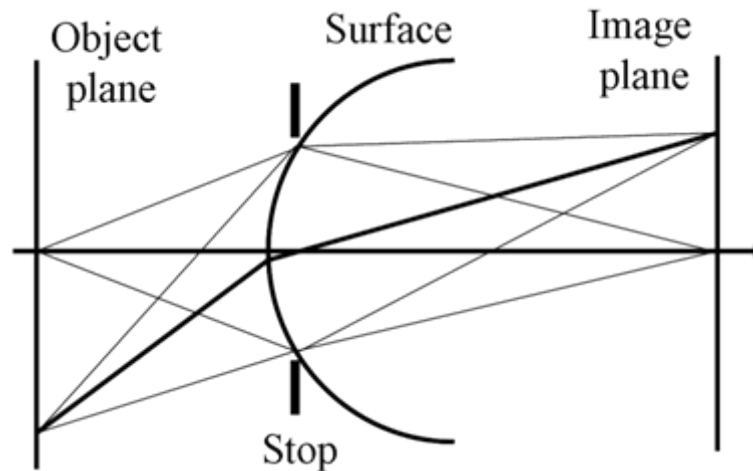
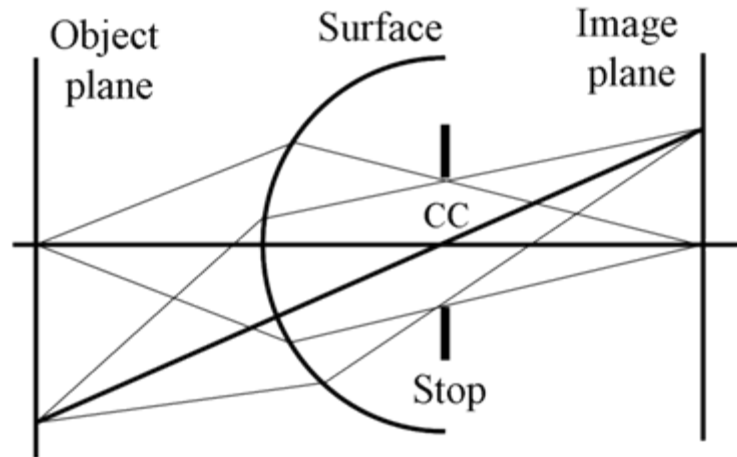
$$= \frac{y}{2} \left\{ \partial n' i' - \partial n i \right\}$$

$$\partial_\lambda W_{020} = \frac{y}{2} A \Delta \left\{ \frac{\partial n}{n} \right\}$$

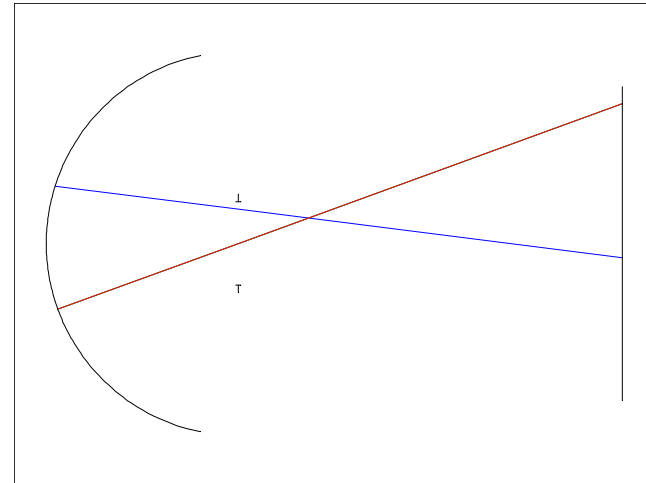
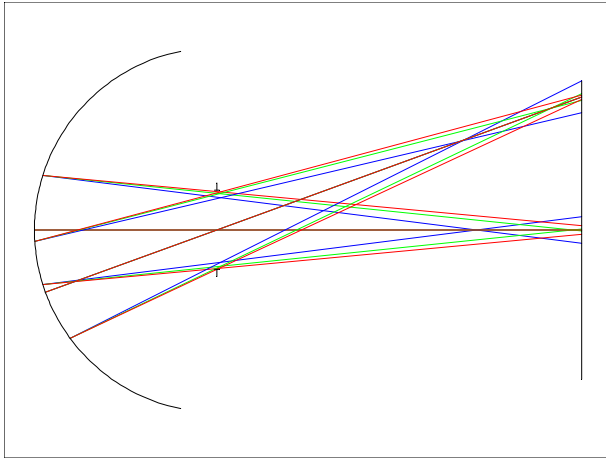
Chromatic coefficient meaning



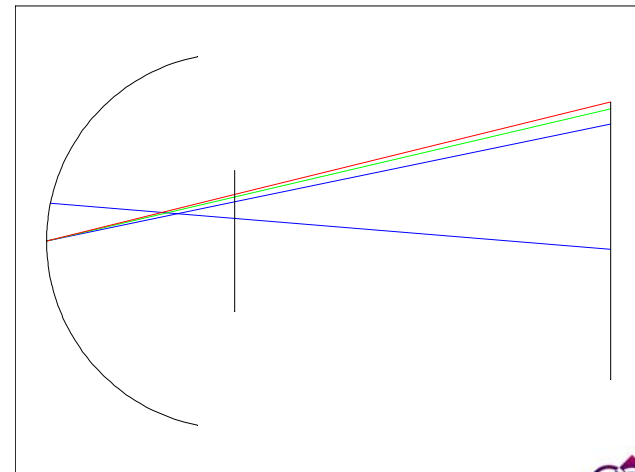
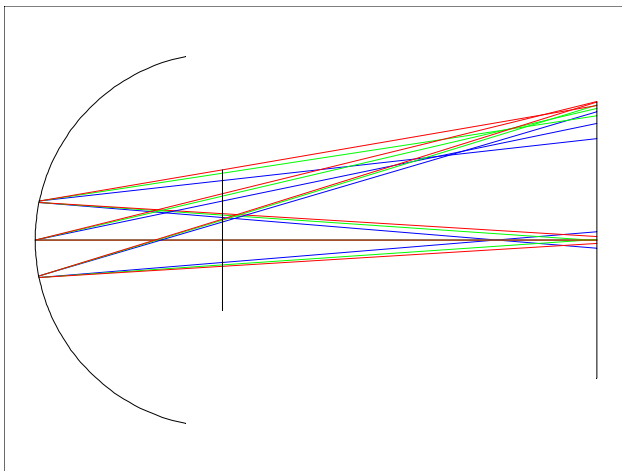
Chromatic change of magnification



With stop at CC



With stop at surface

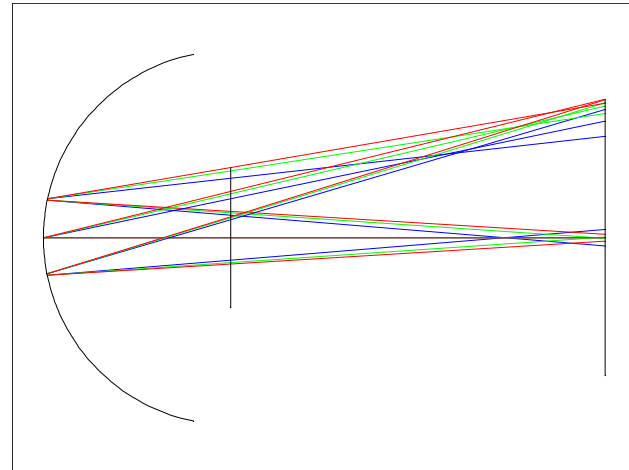
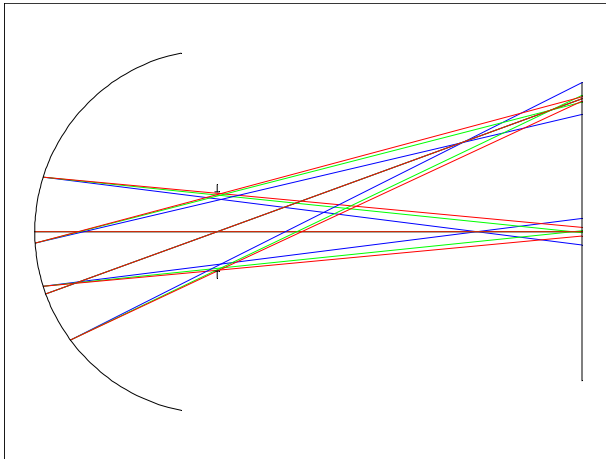


With stop at cc chief rays is not refracted and
therefore there is no change of magnification
with λ

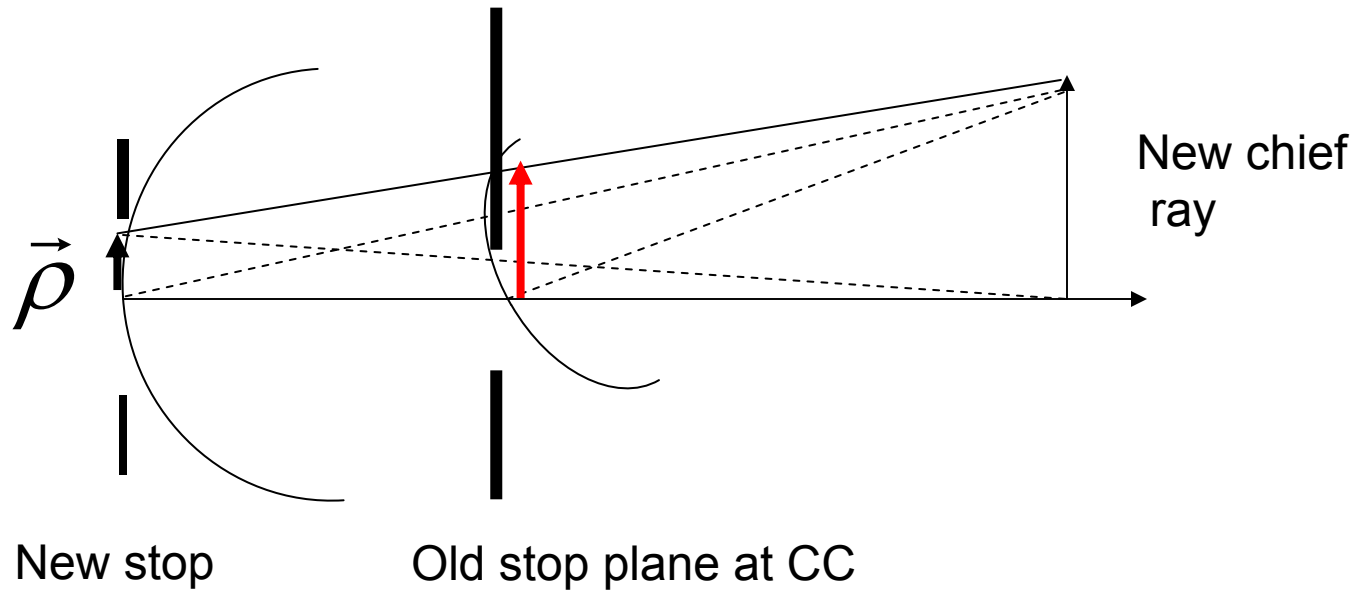
$$\partial_{\lambda} W_{111} = 0$$

$$\partial_{\lambda} W(\vec{H}, \rho) = \partial_{\lambda} W_{000} + \partial_{\lambda} W_{020}(\vec{\rho} \cdot \vec{\rho})$$

Description at other stop location



Stop shifting



New chief ray height
at old pupil

$\bar{y}_E$

Marginal ray height
at old pupil

y_E

$$y_E \vec{\rho}_{shift} = y_E \vec{\rho} + \bar{y}_E \vec{H} \quad \uparrow$$

$$\vec{\rho}_{shift} = \vec{\rho} + \frac{\bar{y}_E}{y_E} \vec{H} = \vec{\rho} + \frac{\bar{A}}{A} \vec{H}$$

Perform stop shifting

$$\partial_{\lambda} W(\vec{H}, \rho) = \partial_{\lambda} W_{000} + \partial_{\lambda} W_{020}(\vec{\rho} \cdot \vec{\rho})$$

$$\vec{\rho} \rightarrow \vec{\rho} + \bar{S}\vec{H}$$

$$\partial_{\lambda} W(\vec{H}, \rho) = \partial_{\lambda} W_{000} + \partial_{\lambda} W_{020}(\vec{\rho} \cdot \vec{\rho}) = \partial_{\lambda} W_{000} + \frac{1}{2} A \Delta \left(\frac{\partial n}{n} \right) y(\vec{\rho} \cdot \vec{\rho})$$

$$\partial_{\lambda} W(\vec{H}, \rho) \rightarrow \partial_{\lambda} W(\vec{H}, \rho) = \partial_{\lambda} W_{000} + \frac{1}{2} A \Delta \left(\frac{\partial n}{n} \right) y(\vec{\rho} \cdot \vec{\rho})$$

$$= \partial_{\lambda} W_{000} + \frac{1}{2} A \Delta \left(\frac{\partial n}{n} \right) y(\vec{\rho} \cdot \vec{\rho}) + A \bar{S} \Delta \left(\frac{\partial n}{n} \right) y(\vec{H} \cdot \vec{\rho}) + \frac{1}{2} A \Delta \left(\frac{\partial n}{n} \right) y \bar{S}^2 (\vec{H} \cdot \vec{H})$$

$$= \partial_{\lambda} W_{000} + \frac{1}{2} A \Delta \left(\frac{\partial n}{n} \right) y(\vec{\rho} \cdot \vec{\rho}) + \bar{A} \Delta \left(\frac{\partial n}{n} \right) y(\vec{H} \cdot \vec{\rho}) + \frac{1}{2} A \Delta \left(\frac{\partial n}{n} \right) y \left(\frac{\bar{A}}{A} \right)^2 (\vec{H} \cdot \vec{H})$$



Chromatic changes

$$\partial_{\lambda} W(\vec{H}, \rho) = \partial_{\lambda} W_{000} \\ + \frac{1}{2} A \Delta \left(\frac{\partial n}{n} \right) y(\vec{\rho} \cdot \vec{\rho}) + \bar{A} \Delta \left(\frac{\partial n}{n} \right) y(\vec{H} \cdot \vec{\rho}) + \frac{1}{2} A \Delta \left(\frac{\partial n}{n} \right) y \left(\frac{\bar{A}}{A} \right)^2 (\vec{H} \cdot \vec{H})$$

Chromatic change of focus

Chromatic change of magnification

Chromatic change of piston

For a system of j surfaces

$$\partial_{\lambda} W_{000} = \sum_{i=0}^j t_i (n'_F - n'_C)_i$$

$$\partial_{\lambda} W_{200} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^j \frac{(\bar{A}_j)^2}{A_j} \Delta_j (\partial n / n) y_j$$

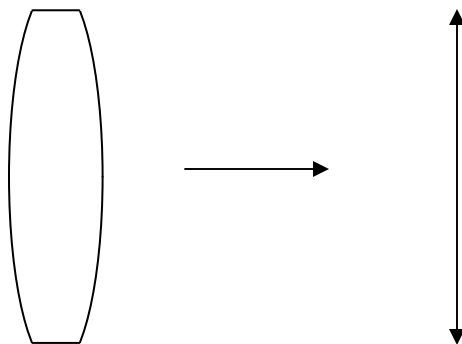
$$\partial_{\lambda} W_{111} = \sum_{i=1}^j \bar{A}_j \Delta_j (\partial n / n) y_j$$

$$\partial_{\lambda} W_{020} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^j A_j \Delta_j (\partial n / n) y_j$$

- Optical paths add
- Aberration coefficients add
- Though there might be other very small terms, called extrinsic, that are missing.

Thin lens concept

- Has no thickness
- Properties are found by setting $t=0$ in pertinent equations
- For example y is the same for both surfaces



For a system of thin lenses



$$A = n\hat{\lambda} = n\mathcal{U} + n\alpha \quad ; \quad \frac{\partial n}{\partial r} = \frac{n_f - n_c}{n_d}$$

$$\phi = \frac{n_1 - n}{R} \quad ; \quad = \frac{n_d - 1}{n_d r^2}$$

$$n'\mathcal{U}' = n\mathcal{U} - \phi\gamma \quad ; \quad \phi = (n-1)(c_1 - c_2)$$

$$A_2 = n_2\hat{\lambda}_2 = n_2\mathcal{U}_2 + n_2\alpha_2 = (n_1\mathcal{U}_1 - \phi, \gamma) + \frac{n_2}{R_2} \gamma$$

$$A_1 - A_2$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 A_1 - A_2 &= A_1 - \overbrace{\left[n_1 \nu_1 + \frac{n_1 \gamma}{R_1} \right]}^{A_1} - \frac{n_1 \gamma}{R_1} - \phi_1 \gamma + \frac{n_2 \gamma}{R_2} \\
 &= - \frac{n_1 \gamma}{R_1} - \frac{n_2 - n_1}{R_1} \gamma + \frac{n_2 \gamma}{R_2} \\
 &= - \frac{n_2 \gamma}{R_1} + \frac{n_2 \gamma}{R_2} = + n_2 \gamma [C_1 - C_2]
 \end{aligned}$$

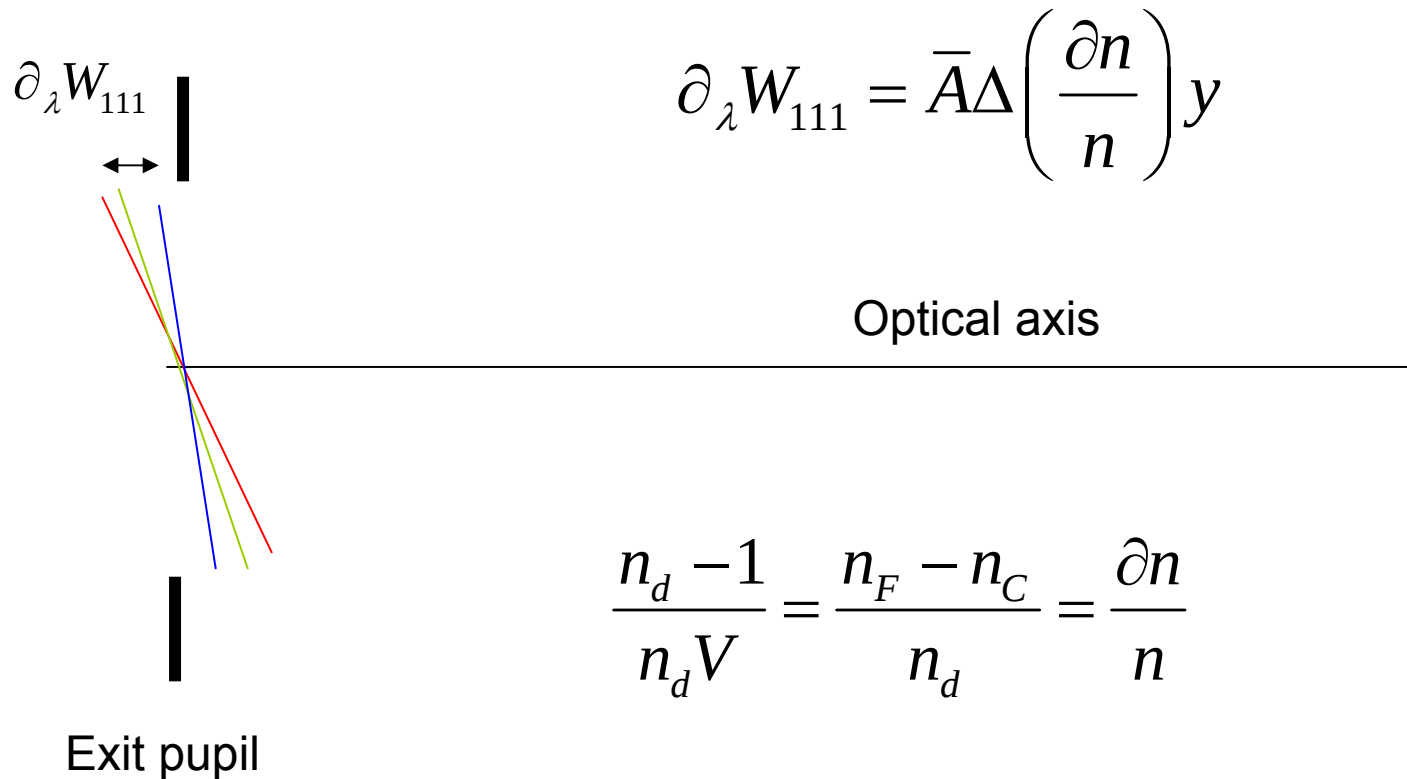
$$\partial_{\lambda} W_{020}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^{i=2} A_j \Delta \left\{ \frac{\delta n}{n} \right\}_j \gamma_j &= \frac{1}{2} \frac{n_d - 1}{n_d v} \gamma_2 [A_1 - A_2] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \frac{n_d - 1}{n_d v} \gamma [\cancel{v_2 n} C_1 - C_2] n_2 \gamma = \frac{1}{2} \phi \cdot \frac{\gamma^2}{v^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\delta_{\lambda} W_{020} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n \left\{ \frac{\phi_i \gamma_i^2}{v_i^2} \right\}$$

Does not depend
on conjugate!

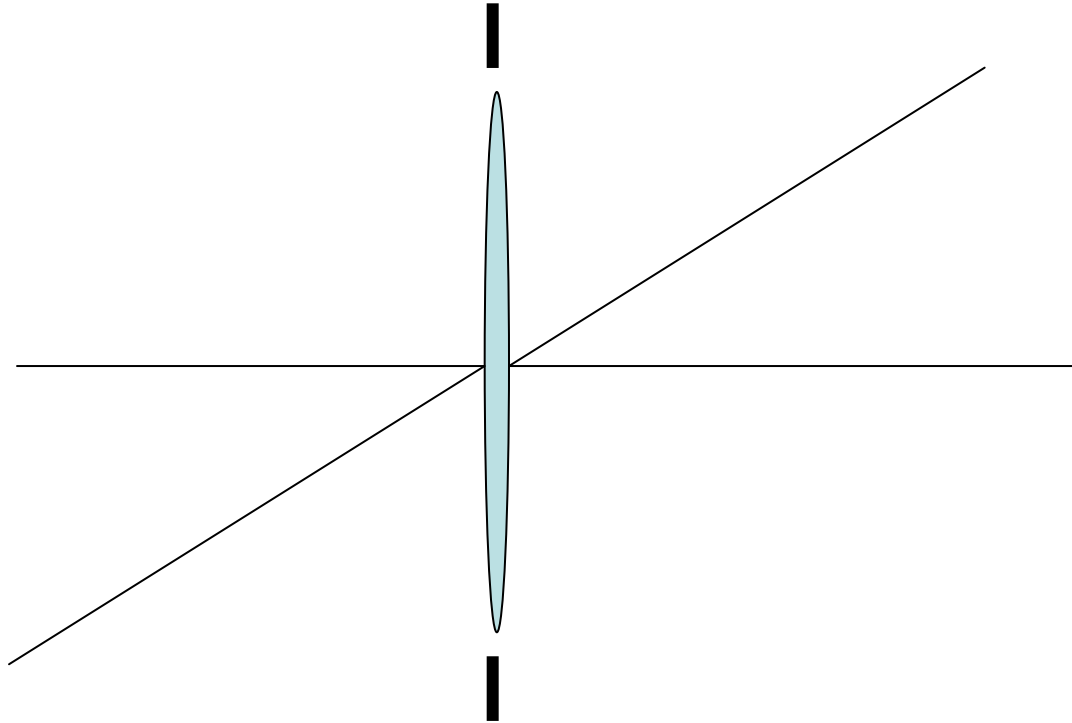
Chromatic change of magnification coefficient meaning



$$\partial_{\lambda} W_{111} = \bar{A} \Delta \left(\frac{\partial n}{n} \right) y$$

$$\frac{n_d - 1}{n_d V} = \frac{n_F - n_C}{n_d} = \frac{\partial n}{n}$$

Thin lens: stop at lens



Any ray at any wavelength through the center of the thin lens is un-deviated as it sees a parallel plate of thickness zero. Thus,

$$\partial_{\lambda} W_{111} = 0$$

Aberration function for thin lens with stop at the lens and with stop shifting

$$\partial_{\lambda} W(\vec{H}, \rho) = \partial_{\lambda} W_{000} + \partial_{\lambda} W_{020} (\vec{\rho} \cdot \vec{\rho}) = \partial_{\lambda} W_{000} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\phi}{\nu} y^2 (\vec{\rho} \cdot \vec{\rho})$$

$$\partial_{\lambda} W(\vec{H}, \rho) \rightarrow$$

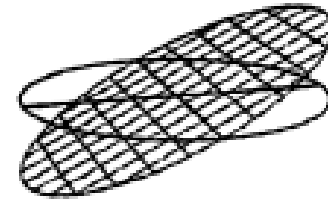
$$= \partial_{\lambda} W_{000} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\phi}{\nu} y^2 (\vec{\rho} \cdot \vec{\rho}) + \frac{\phi}{\nu} y^2 \bar{S} \Delta \left(\frac{\partial n}{n} \right) y (\vec{H} \cdot \vec{\rho}) + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\phi}{\nu} y^2 \bar{S}^2 (\vec{H} \cdot \vec{H})$$

$$\bar{S} = \bar{y} / y$$

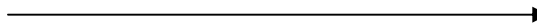
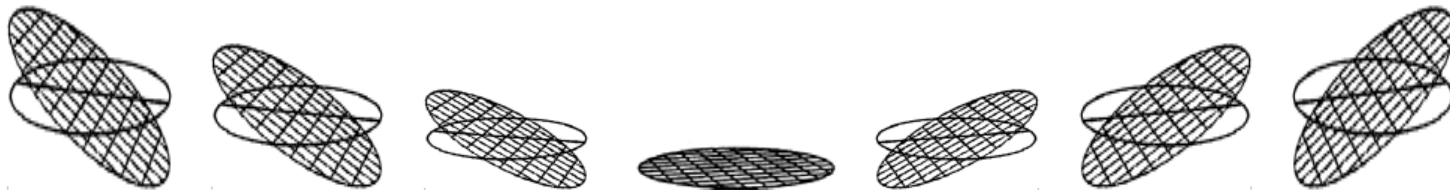
$$= \partial_{\lambda} W_{000} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\phi}{\nu} y^2 (\vec{\rho} \cdot \vec{\rho}) + \frac{\phi}{\nu} y \bar{y} (\vec{H} \cdot \vec{\rho}) + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\phi}{\nu} y^2 \left(\frac{\bar{y}}{y} \right)^2 (\vec{H} \cdot \vec{H})$$

Change of Magnification

$$\Delta W_{111}(\vec{H} \cdot \vec{\rho})$$

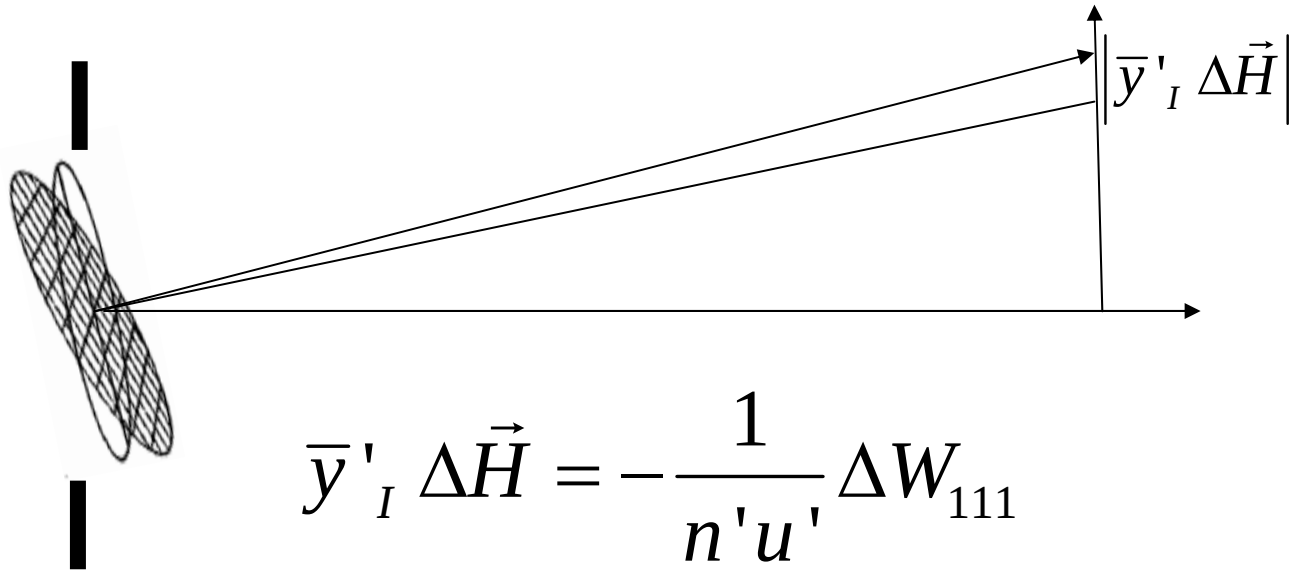


- Change of magnification depends linearly with the field of view.



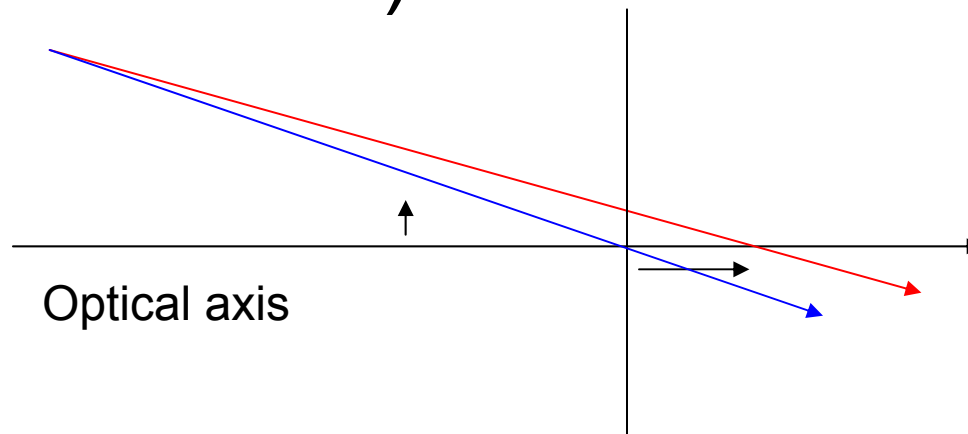
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Change of magnification

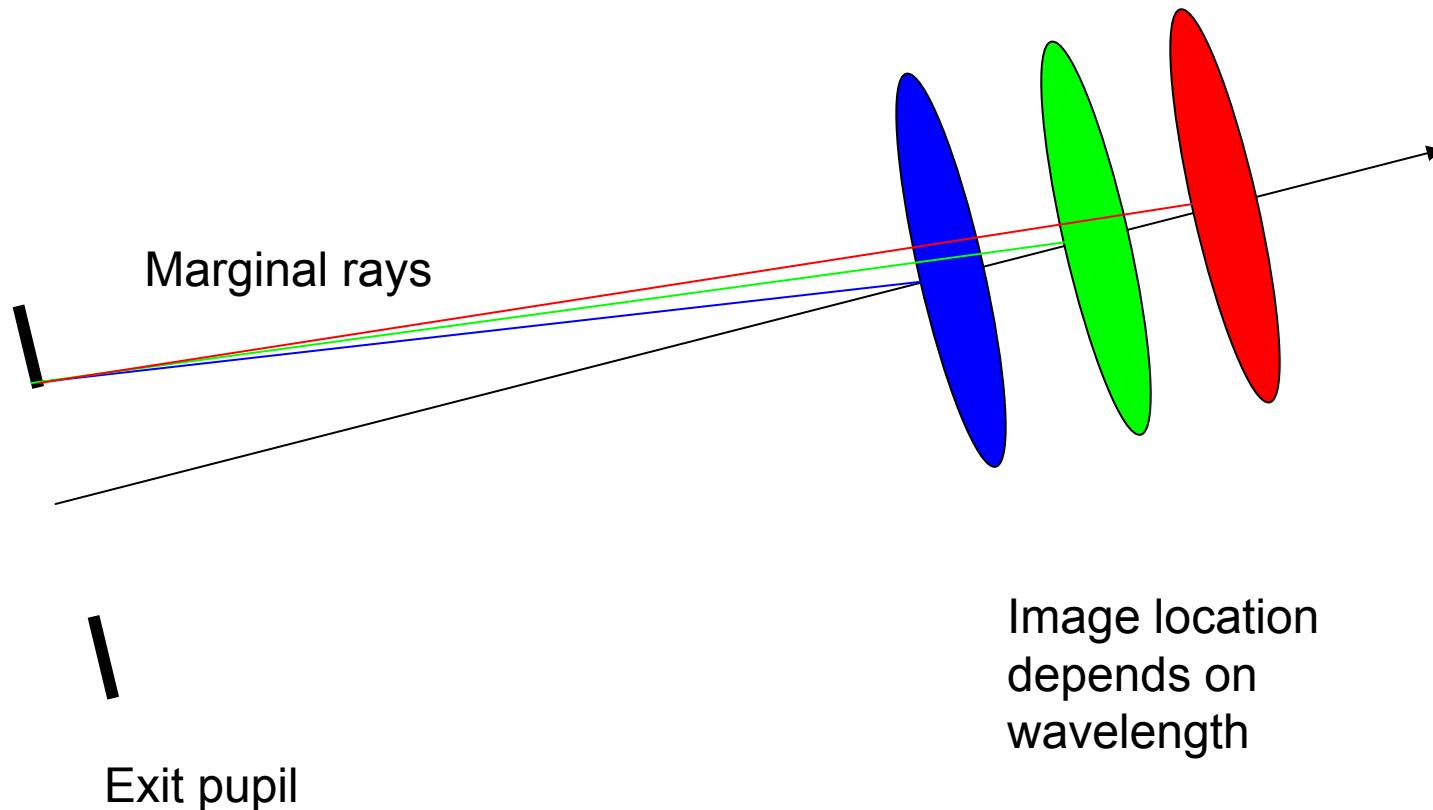


Clear terminology

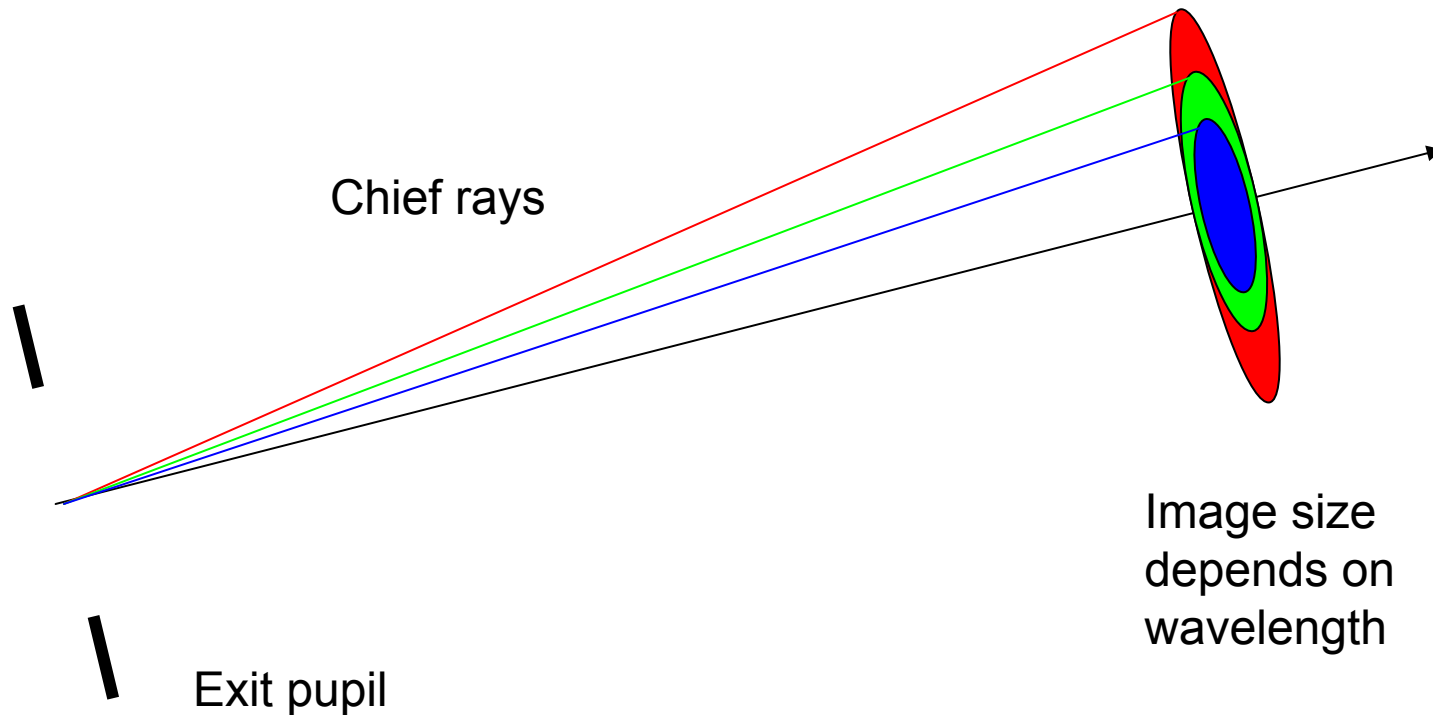
- Chromatic change of magnification (older: lateral, transverse color)
- Chromatic change of focus (older: axial, longitudinal color)



Chromatic change of focus



Chromatic change of magnification



Equation summary

For a system of j surfaces

$$\partial_{\lambda} W_{000} = \sum_{i=0}^j t_i (n'_F - n'_C)_i$$

$$\partial_{\lambda} W_{200} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^j \frac{(\bar{A}_j)^2}{A_j} \Delta_j (\partial n / n) y_j$$

$$\partial_{\lambda} W_{111} = \sum_{i=1}^j \bar{A}_j \Delta_j (\partial n / n) y_j$$

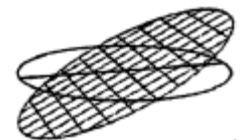
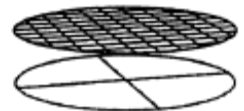
$$\partial_{\lambda} W_{020} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^j A_j \Delta_j (\partial n / n) y_j$$

For a system of thin lenses

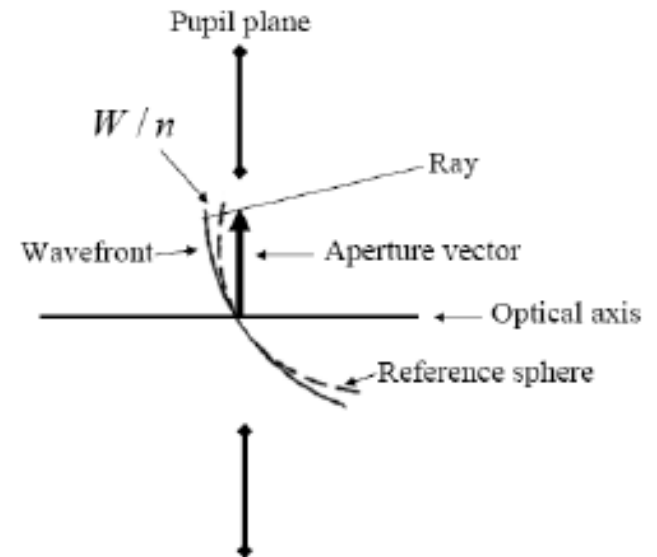
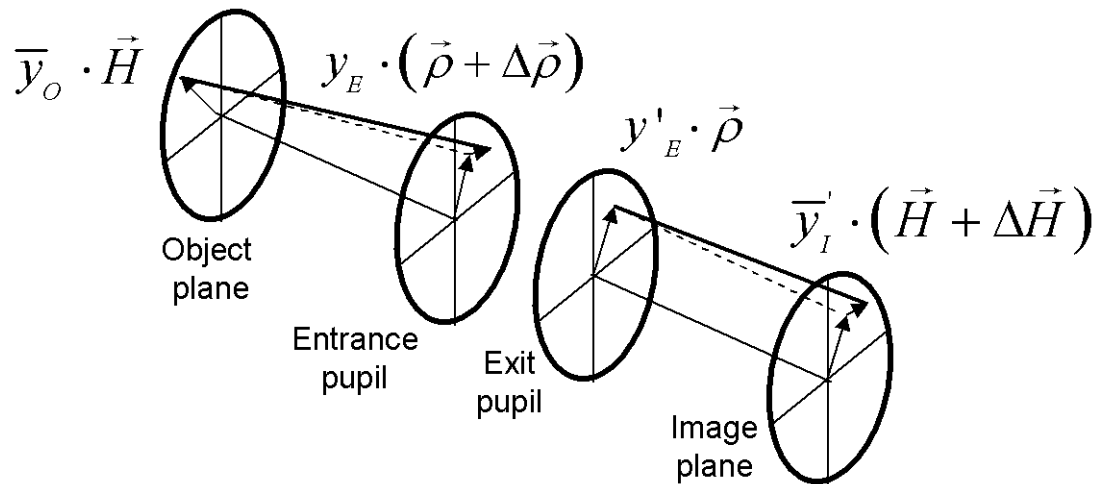
$$\partial_{\lambda} W_{200} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^j \left[\frac{\phi}{\nu} \bar{y}^2 \right]_i$$

$$\partial_{\lambda} W_{111} = \sum_{i=1}^j \left[\frac{\phi}{\nu} \bar{y} y \right]_i$$

$$\partial_{\lambda} W_{020} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^j \left[\frac{\phi}{\nu} y^2 \right]_i$$



Summary I



$$W(\vec{H}, \rho) = W_{000} + W_{200}H^2 + W_{111}H\rho\cos(\varphi) + W_{020}\rho^2$$



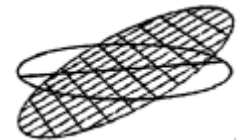
Summary II

$$\partial_{\lambda} W_{111} = \sum_{i=1}^j \bar{A}_j \Delta_j (\partial n / n) y_j$$

$$\partial_{\lambda} W_{020} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^j A_j \Delta_j (\partial n / n) y_j$$

$$\partial_{\lambda} W_{111} = \sum_{i=1}^j \left[\frac{\phi}{\nu} \bar{y} y \right]_i$$

$$\partial_{\lambda} W_{020} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^j \left[\frac{\phi}{\nu} y^2 \right]_i$$



Summary III

$$\Delta s' = -2 \frac{\Delta W_{020}}{n'} \frac{1}{u'^2}$$

$$\Delta s' = -8 \frac{\Delta W_{020}}{n'} \left(f / \# \right)^2$$

$$\Delta s' \approx \left(f / \# \right)^2 \text{ in micrometers for } \Delta W_{020} = \frac{\lambda}{4}$$

$$\lambda = 0.0005 \text{ mm}$$

$$\nu_c = \frac{2 \cdot NA}{\lambda}$$

Cut-off spatial frequency for a LSIS
with incoherent illumination

Achromatic doublet



$$\Phi = \Phi_a + \Phi_b \quad \frac{\Phi_a}{\nu_a} = -\frac{\Phi_b}{\nu_b}$$

$$\Phi_a = \Phi \frac{\nu_a}{\nu_a - \nu_b}$$

$$\Phi_b = -\Phi \frac{\nu_b}{\nu_a - \nu_b}$$

Chromatic coordinates

$$n^2(\lambda) = 1 + \frac{B_1\lambda^2}{\lambda^2 - C_1} + \frac{B_2\lambda^2}{\lambda^2 - C_2} + \dots + \frac{B_i\lambda^2}{\lambda^2 - C_i},$$

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$$n(\omega) = n_0 + v_1\omega^1 + v_2\omega^2 + \dots + v_j\omega^j,$$

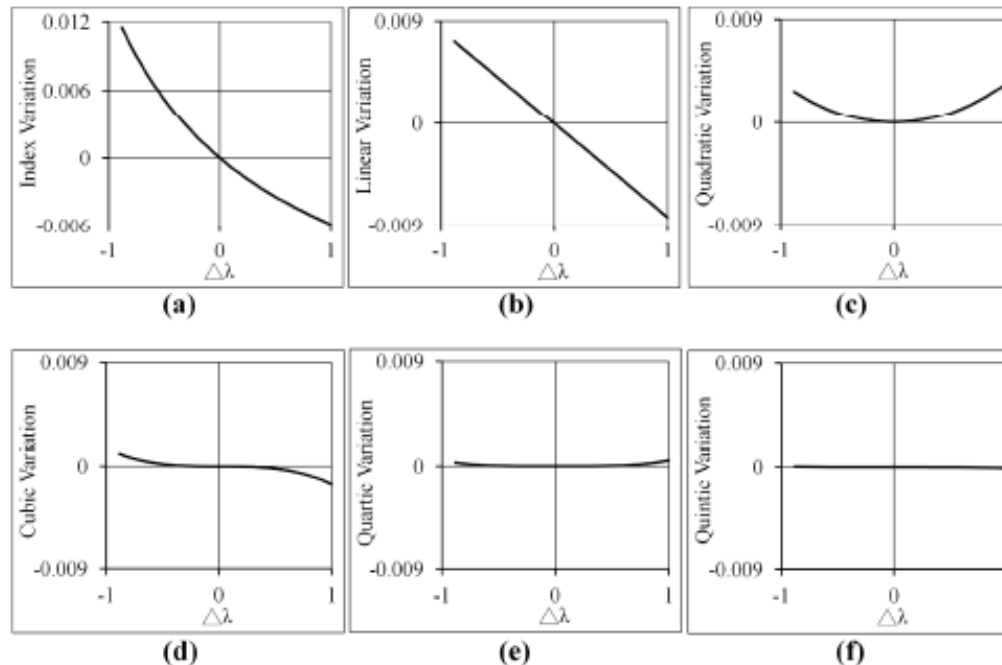
$$\omega = \frac{\lambda - \lambda_0}{1 + \alpha(\lambda - \lambda_0)}$$

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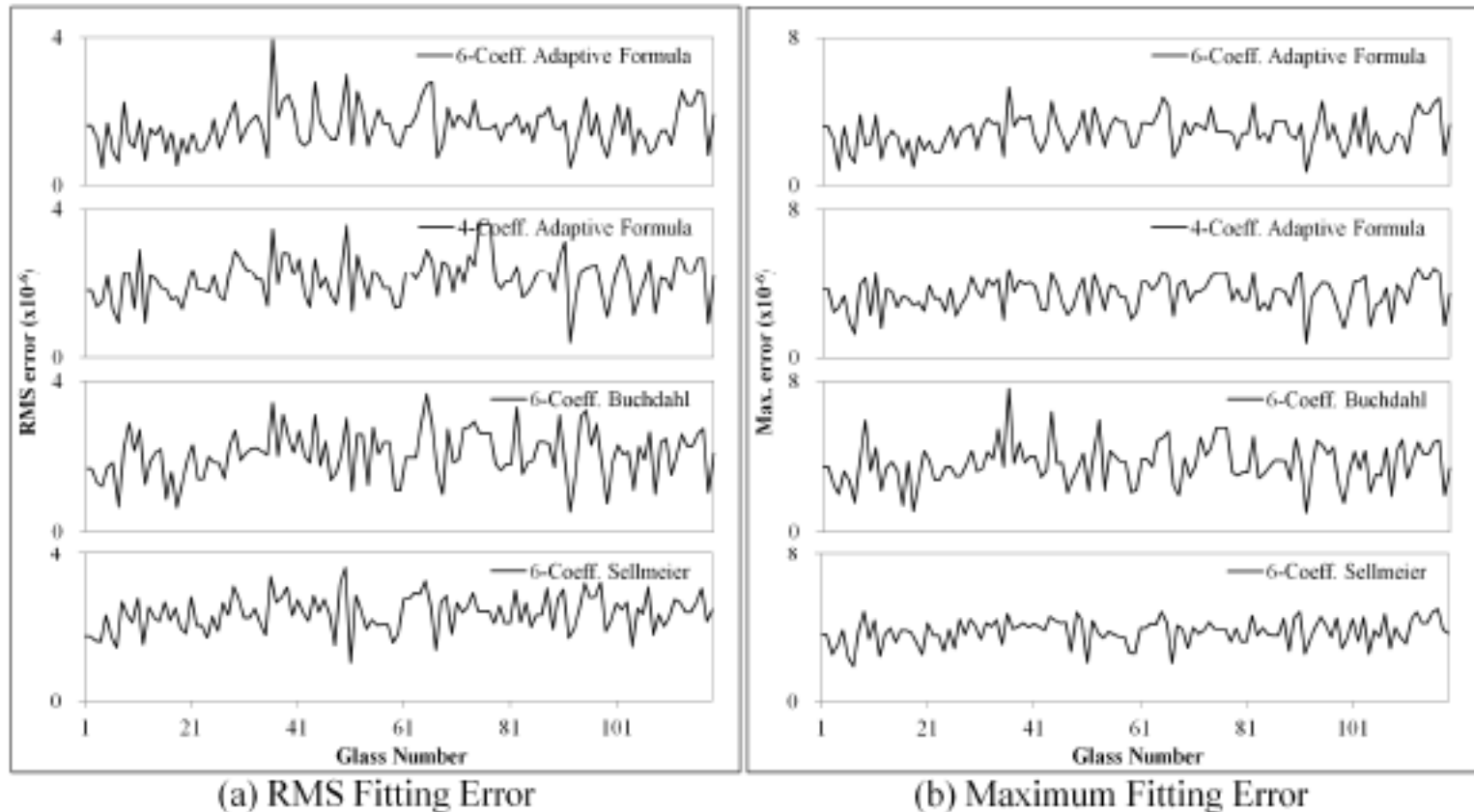
Adaptive formula

$$n = n_0 + A_1(\Delta\lambda) + A_2(\Delta\lambda)^2 + \dots + A_q(\Delta\lambda)^q + \frac{A_{q+1}(\Delta\lambda)^{q+1}}{1 + K(\Delta\lambda)}$$

$$\Delta\lambda = \frac{\lambda - \lambda_0}{\Lambda}$$



Index fit



Schott glass catalogue

Chromatic change of focus

$$\begin{aligned}\partial_{\lambda} W_{020} &= \sum_{i=1}^N \left[\frac{y_i^2}{2} (c_{1i} - c_{2i}) (n_i - n_{0i}) \right] \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^N \left[S_i \left(A_{1i} (\Delta\lambda) + A_{2i} (\Delta\lambda)^2 + \dots + A_{qi} (\Delta\lambda)^q + \frac{A_{q+1,i} (\Delta\lambda)^{q+1}}{1 + K_i (\Delta\lambda)} \right) \right],\end{aligned}$$

$$S = \frac{y^2}{2} (c_1 - c_2)$$

$$0 = \sum_{i=1}^N S_i A_{1i} = \sum_{i=1}^N S_i A_{2i} = \sum_{i=1}^N S_i A_{3i}$$

Example

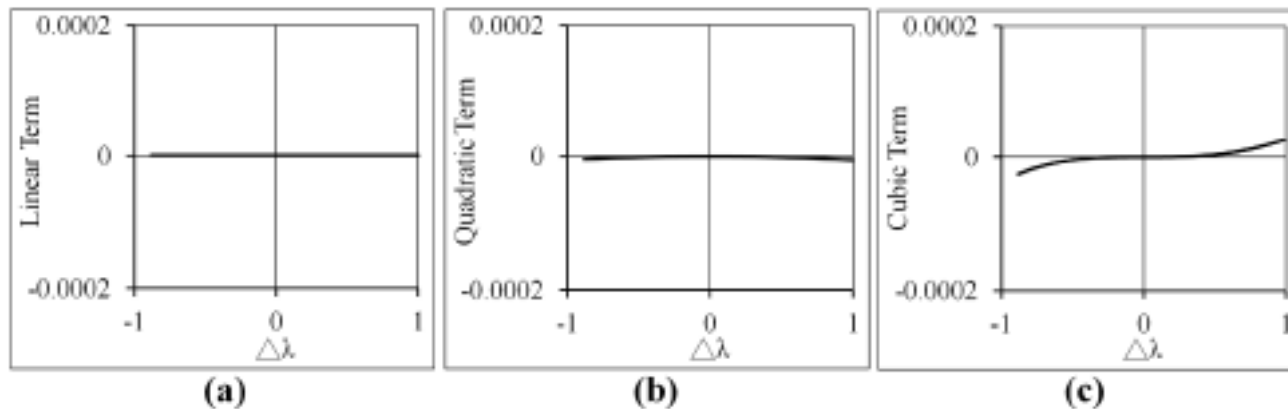
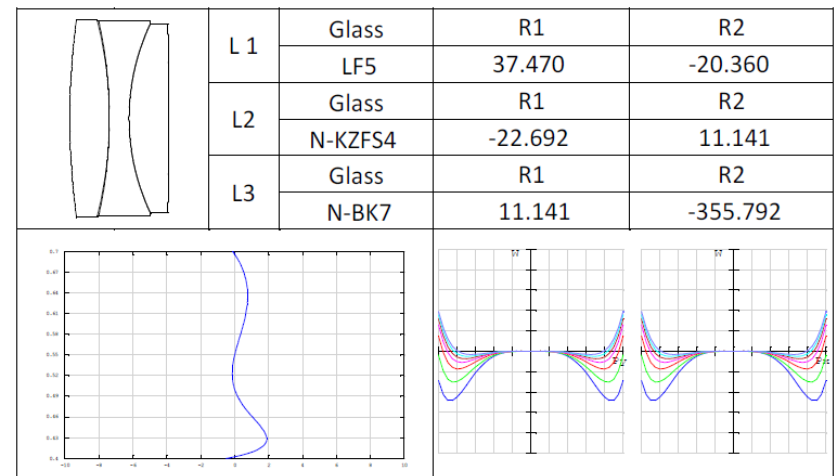
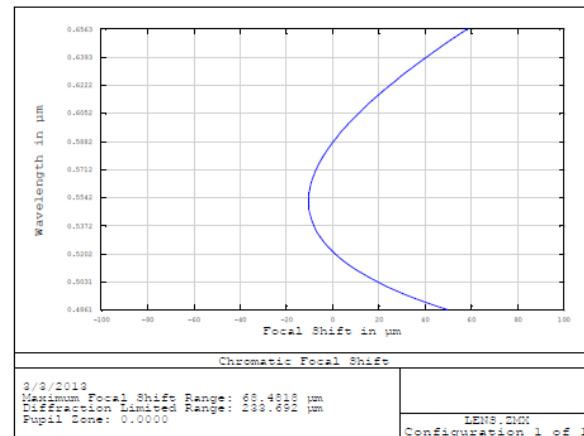
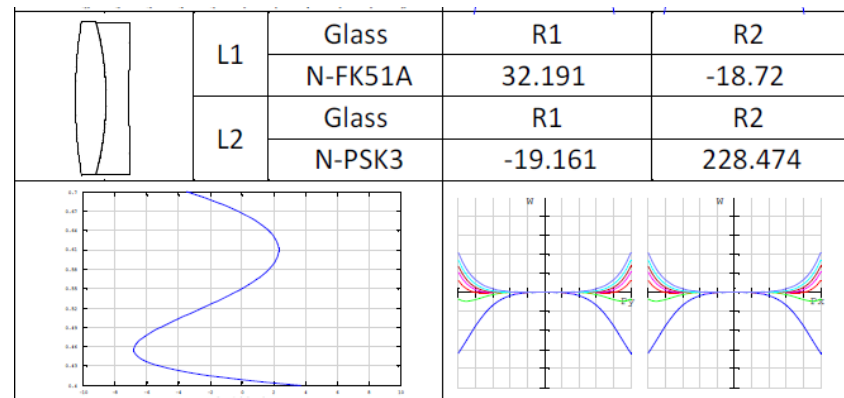
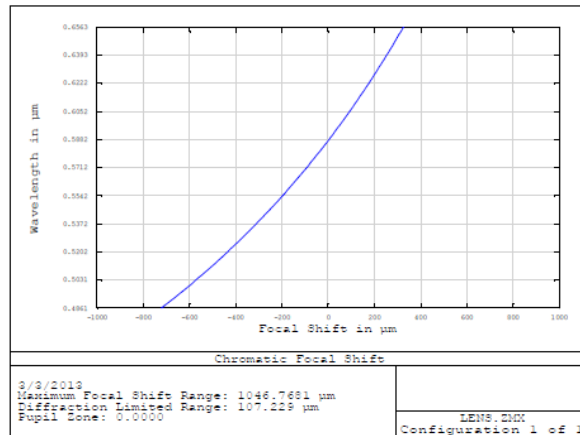


Fig. 4. Cancellation of primary and secondary spectrum in a doublet by using N-FK51A and N-PSK3 glasses: (a) linear term, (b) quadratic term, (c) residual cubic term.

Chromatic focal shift: singlet, achromat, apochromat, superapochromat



Adaptive dispersion formula for index interpolation and chromatic aberration correction

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Table 3. Coefficients of the Adaptive Dispersion Formula

Glass	Glascode	RMS error	Max error	n_d	A_1	A_2	A_3	K
F2	620364.360	1.78×10^{-6}	3.66×10^{-6}	1.6240797991	-0.0175823138	0.0084939540	-0.0039437159	0.4482924521
F2HT	620364.360	1.78×10^{-6}	3.66×10^{-6}	1.6240797991	-0.0175823138	0.0084939540	-0.0039437159	0.4482924521
F5	603380.347	1.34×10^{-6}	2.41×10^{-6}	1.6071803097	-0.0163564579	0.0078466009	-0.0036212272	0.4427577747
K10	501564.252	1.50×10^{-6}	2.68×10^{-6}	1.5034895779	-0.0091235644	0.0039963730	-0.0017361587	0.4078457752
K7	511604.253	2.17×10^{-6}	3.29×10^{-6}	1.5131399068	-0.0086740087	0.0037429354	-0.0016023252	0.4056074727
KZFS12	696363.384	1.29×10^{-6}	1.90×10^{-6}	1.7005486953	-0.0197559775	0.0093812806	-0.0043473655	0.4481076563
LAFN7	750350.438	9.14×10^{-7}	1.27×10^{-6}	1.7545809783	-0.0221108140	0.0106482744	-0.0049607472	0.4508494797
LF5	581409.322	2.28×10^{-6}	3.88×10^{-6}	1.5848200074	-0.0146682637	0.0069250085	-0.0031571546	0.4438275348
LLF1	548458.294	2.25×10^{-6}	4.24×10^{-6}	1.5509865723	-0.0123292334	0.0057038704	-0.0025694851	0.4278574641
N-BAF10	670471.375	1.30×10^{-6}	2.27×10^{-6}	1.6734077339	-0.0146314049	0.0067350023	-0.0030083033	0.4184418426
N-BAF4	606437.289	2.93×10^{-6}	4.50×10^{-6}	1.6089700000	-0.0142513307	0.0066758774	-0.0030899162	0.4489441850
N-BAF51	652450.333	9.32×10^{-7}	1.60×10^{-6}	1.6556884323	-0.0149422042	0.0069230748	-0.0030925600	0.4325816755
N-BAF52	609466.305	2.18×10^{-6}	3.65×10^{-6}	1.6117303475	-0.0134213158	0.0062205045	-0.0028584367	0.4353441662
N-BAK1	573576.319	2.10×10^{-6}	3.53×10^{-6}	1.5748684175	-0.0102142823	0.0045090173	-0.0019318776	0.3974743819
N-BAK2	540597.286	1.86×10^{-6}	2.68×10^{-6}	1.5421182517	-0.0092770487	0.0040325181	-0.0017255081	0.3991595342
N-BAK4	569560.305	1.82×10^{-6}	3.30×10^{-6}	1.5712484846	-0.0104272578	0.0046121424	-0.0020063385	0.3988090023
N-BALF4	580539.311	1.53×10^{-6}	3.12×10^{-6}	1.5821197901	-0.0110506897	0.0049349611	-0.0021552280	0.4052109538
N-BALF5	547536.261	1.61×10^{-6}	2.77×10^{-6}	1.5498197672	-0.0104818527	0.0046568148	-0.0020542052	0.4205205555
N-BASF2	664360.315	1.28×10^{-6}	2.96×10^{-6}	1.6688298093	-0.0190288069	0.0092672742	-0.0043988202	0.4668742354
N-BASF64	704394.320	1.86×10^{-6}	2.48×10^{-6}	1.7082375202	-0.0184101344	0.0087455915	-0.0040350268	0.4456748237
N-BK10	498670.239	2.37×10^{-6}	3.83×10^{-6}	1.4995991678	-0.0076080500	0.0031294407	-0.0013115008	0.4099663546
N-BK7	517642.251	1.81×10^{-6}	3.14×10^{-6}	1.5187231399	-0.0082423581	0.0034670871	-0.0014780390	0.3974299435

