

3. IMAGES FORMED BY REFRACTION:

THIN LENSES.

The lense is the most widely used optical device.

On a hot sunny day, you have surely experimented with magnifying glasses & observed how a lens can be used

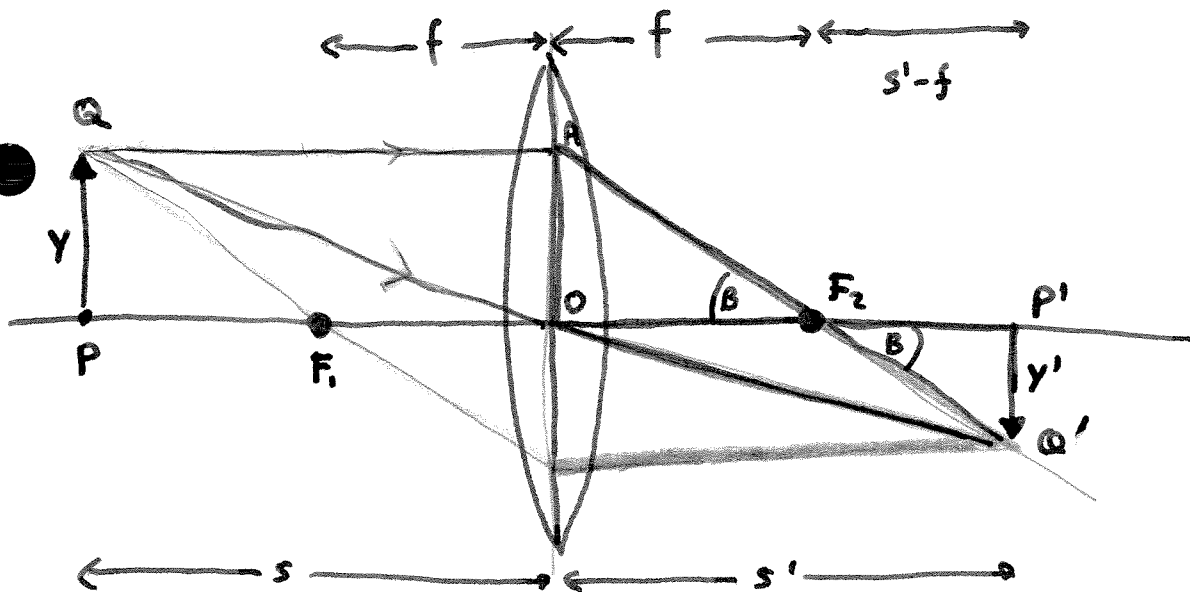
to burn holes in paper, fry ants & even start a fire.

When you do this, you are imaging the surface of the sun, on the paper, (or ant) that you are burning.

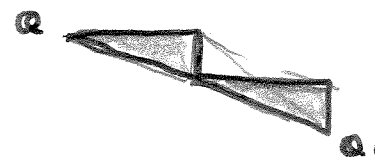
What then is the relation between the image & object

for a lens?

34.4a



ΔQAO & $\Delta Q'OP'$ are similar

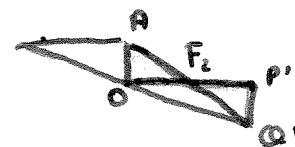


$$\frac{y}{s} = -\frac{y'}{s'} \Rightarrow \boxed{m = \frac{y'}{y} = -\frac{s'}{s}}$$

(1)

magnification
- thin lens

Also $\Delta P'Q'F_2$ & ΔAF_2O are similar



$$\Rightarrow \frac{y}{f} = -\frac{y'}{s'-f} \Rightarrow \frac{y'}{y} = -\frac{s'-f}{f} \quad (2)$$

Combining (1) & (2) gives

$$\frac{s'}{s} = \frac{s'-f}{f} \Rightarrow \frac{f}{s} = 1 - \frac{f}{s'}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{1}{s} + \frac{1}{s'} = \frac{1}{f}}$$

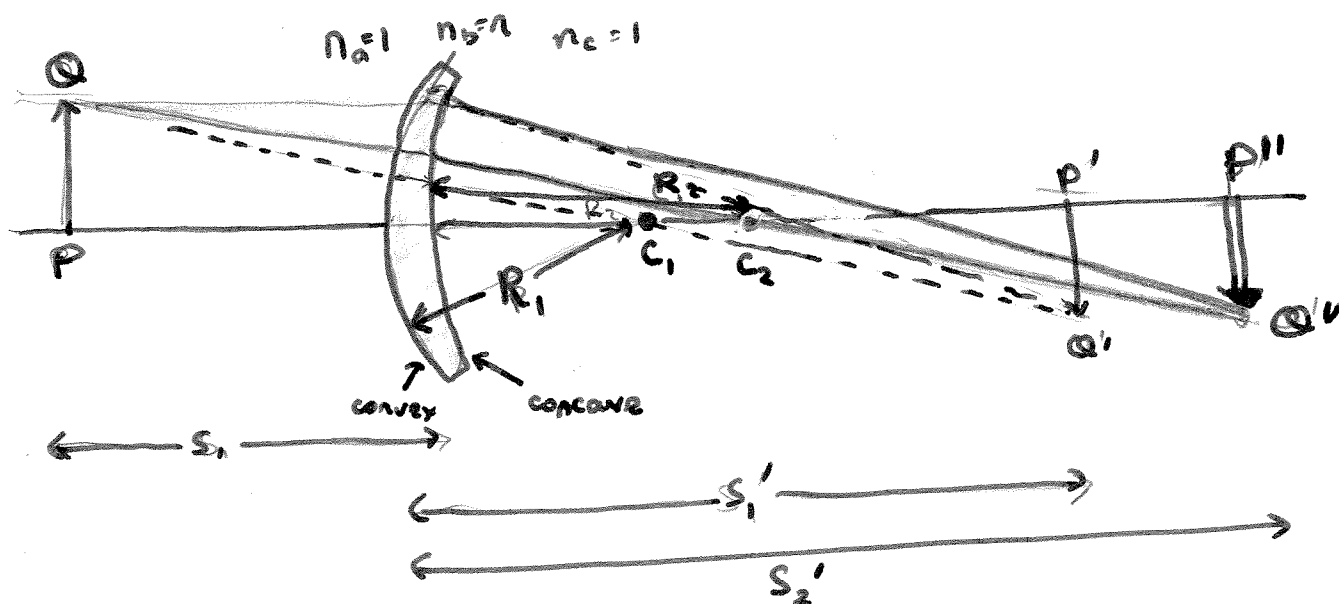
thin lens
o-image reln.

34.4b Lensmaker Equation

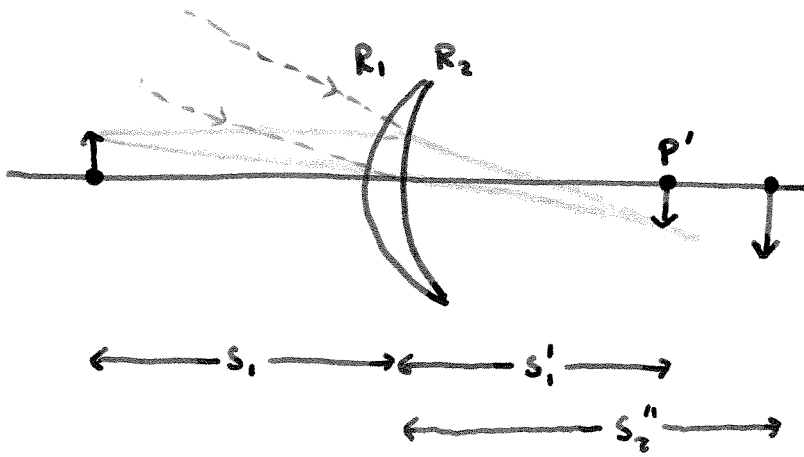
But how is the focal length related to the dimensions of the lens? Here we can use our basic refraction equation

$$\frac{n_a}{s} + \frac{n_b}{s'} = \frac{n_b - n_a}{R}$$

but apply it to a lens which has two radii of curvature



The light refracting off the second surface is focussed at a distance s_1' to the right of the surface, and behaves as an OBJECT at position $s_2 = -s_1'$ for the second surface.



$$\frac{1}{s_1} + \frac{n}{s_1'} = \frac{n-1}{R_2} \quad (1)$$

The image at P_1' behaves as a virtual object for the second surface, so in

$$\frac{n}{s_2'} + \frac{1}{s_2''} = \frac{1-n}{R_2} \Rightarrow -\frac{n}{s_1'} + \frac{1}{s_2''} = \frac{1-n}{R_2} \quad (2)$$

$$s_2' = -s_1'$$

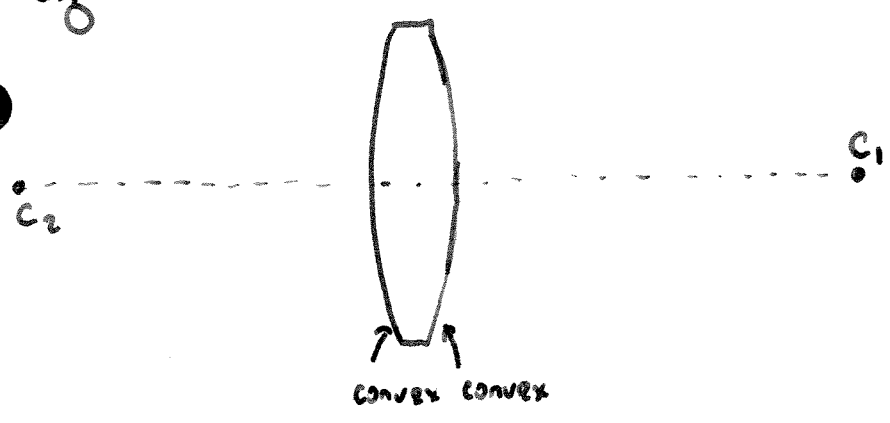
(1) & (2)

$$\boxed{\frac{1}{s_1} + \frac{1}{s_2''} = (n-1) \left(\frac{1}{R_1} - \frac{1}{R_2} \right)}$$

Lensmaker equation

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

e.g



$$|R_1| = |R_2| = 10 \text{ cm}$$

$$n = 1.52$$

What is the focal length?

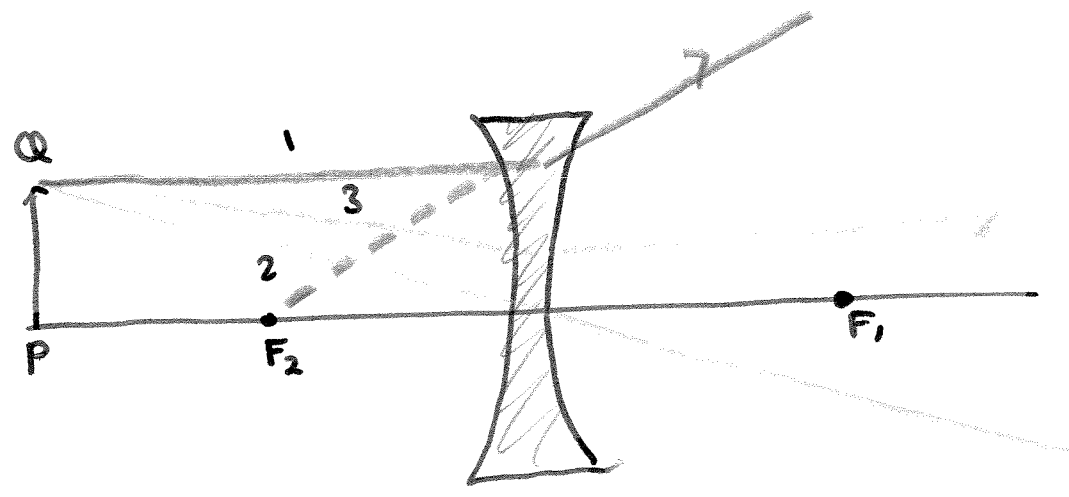
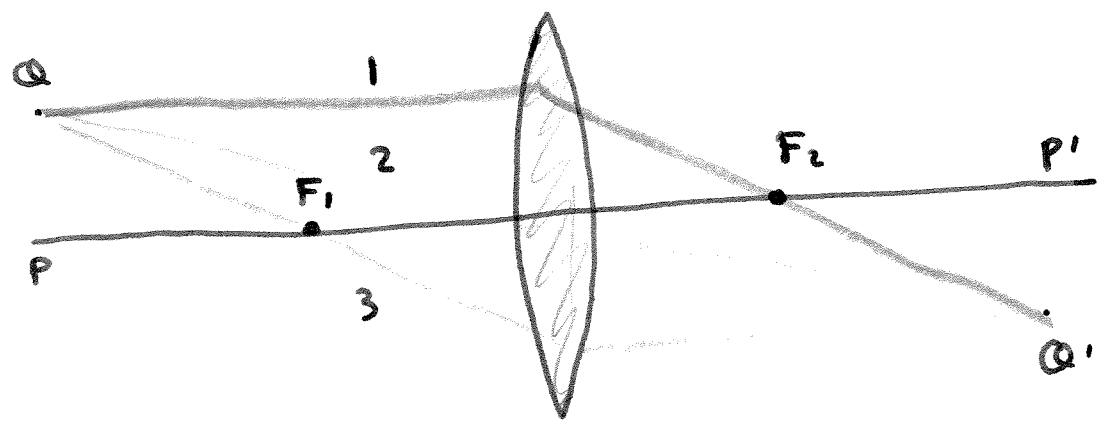
$$\begin{aligned}
 C_1 \text{ to right} &\Rightarrow R_1 > 0 & R_1 &= +10 \text{ cm} \\
 C_2 \text{ to left} &\Rightarrow R_2 < 0 & R_2 &= -|R_2| \\
 & & &= -10 \text{ cm}
 \end{aligned}$$

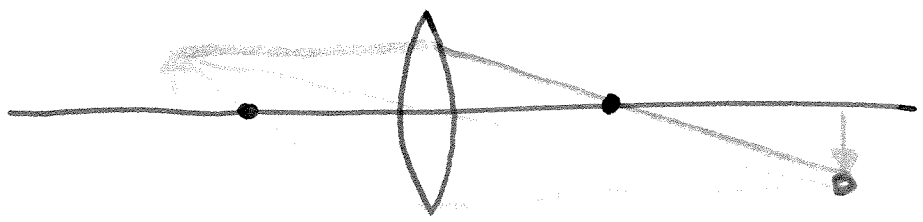
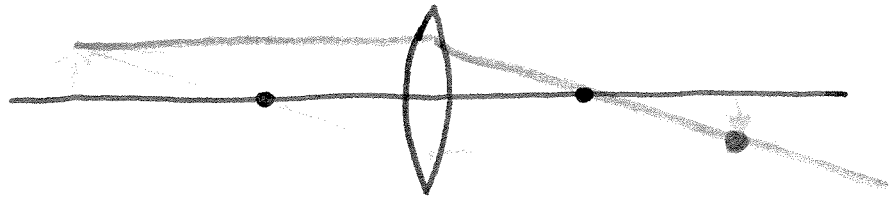
$$\frac{1}{f} = (1.52 - 1) \left(\frac{1}{10 \text{ cm}} - \frac{1}{-10 \text{ cm}} \right) = 0.52 \times \frac{2}{10 \text{ cm}} = \frac{0.52}{5 \text{ cm}}$$

$$\Rightarrow f = 9.6 \text{ cm.}$$

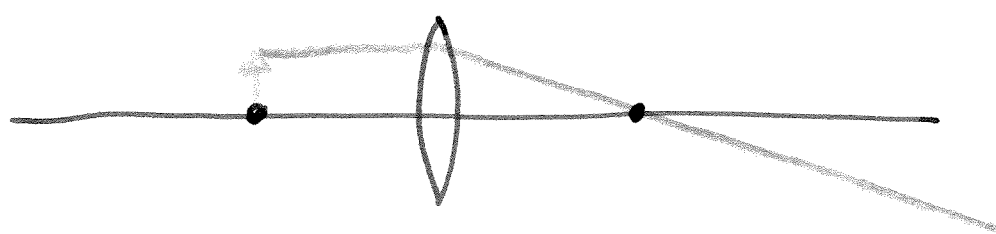
34.4. GRAPHICAL METHODS FOR LENSES.

1. Parallel ray $\rightarrow F_2$
2. Ray through center
3. Ray through $F_1 \rightarrow$ parallel





$\frac{s'}{s}$ bigger



$\frac{s'}{s} = \infty$

image at infinity

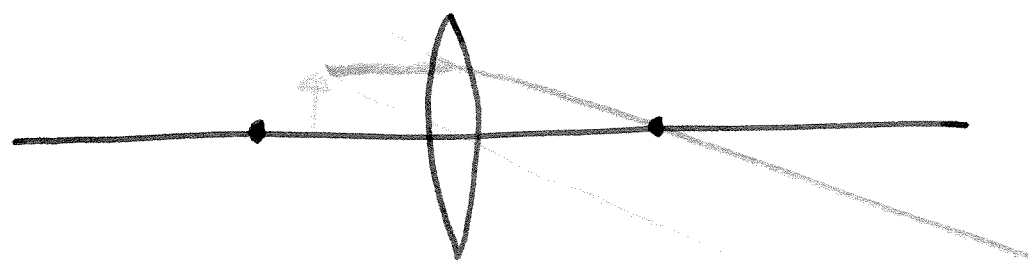
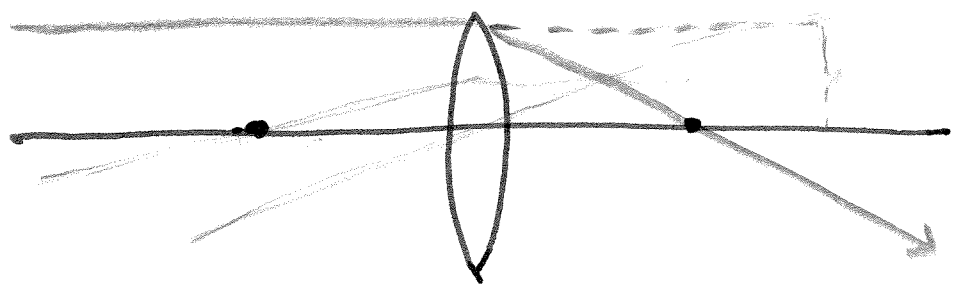


image virtual
& larger than object
(magnifying glass)



Light rays converging
on lens.

2.5

(A)

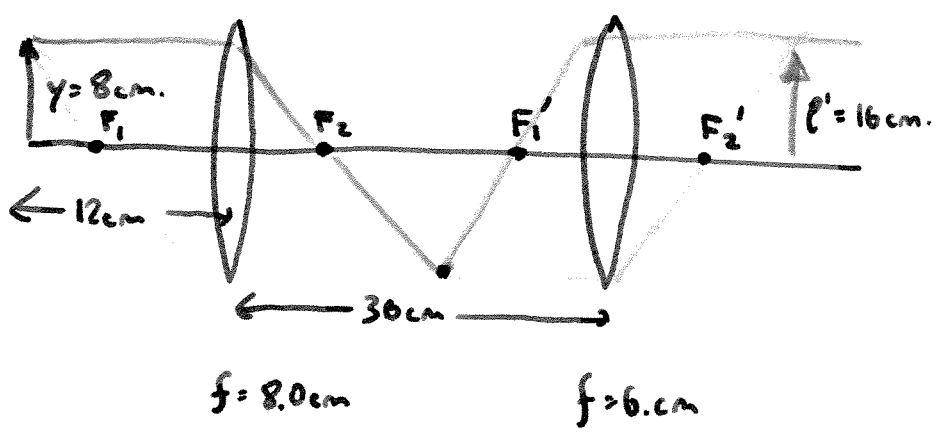
$f = 20\text{cm}$.

Calculate m & s'

- a) $s = 50\text{cm}$ $\frac{1}{50} + \frac{1}{s'} = \frac{1}{20} \Rightarrow s' = 33.3\text{cm}$ $m = -\frac{33.3}{50} = -\frac{2}{3}$
- b) $s = 20\text{cm}$ $\frac{1}{20} + \frac{1}{s'} = \frac{1}{20} \Rightarrow s' = \pm\infty$ $m = \pm\infty$
- c) $s = 15\text{cm}$ $\frac{1}{15} + \frac{1}{s'} = \frac{1}{20} \Rightarrow s' = -60$ $m = \frac{60}{15} = 4$
- d) $s = -40\text{cm}$ $\frac{1}{-40} + \frac{1}{s'} = \frac{1}{20} \Rightarrow s' = 13.3\text{cm}$ $m = -\frac{(13.3)}{-40.0} = \frac{1}{3}$.

(B)

Image of an image.



Find position, size & orientation of image produced.

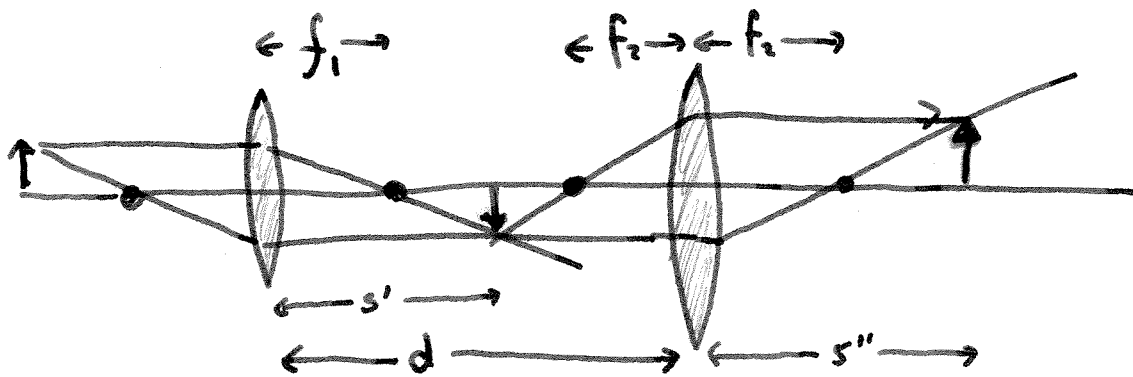
$$\frac{1}{12} + \frac{1}{s_1'} = \frac{1}{8.0} \Rightarrow s_1' = +24\text{cm} \Rightarrow s_2 = 12\text{cm} \quad m_1 = -\frac{24}{12} = -2$$

$$\frac{1}{12} + \frac{1}{s_2'} = \frac{1}{6\text{cm}} \Rightarrow s_2' = +12\text{cm} \quad m_2 = -\frac{12}{12} = -1$$

$$m_{TOT} = m_1 m_2 = +2$$

$$\frac{1}{s} + \frac{1}{s'} = \frac{1}{f}$$

Two lenses: image of second is object of first.



e.g. $s = 20\text{cm}$ $f_1 = 10\text{cm}$ $f_2 = 5\text{cm}$
 $d = 40\text{cm}$

$$\frac{1}{s} + \frac{1}{s'} = \frac{1}{f}$$

$$\frac{1}{20} + \frac{1}{s'} = \frac{1}{10} \quad \frac{1}{s'} = \frac{1}{10} - \frac{1}{20} = \frac{1}{20} \Rightarrow s' = 20\text{cm}$$

$m_1 = -1$

$$s_2 = d - s' = 40 - 20 = 20\text{cm}.$$

$$\frac{1}{20} + \frac{1}{s''} = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\frac{1}{s''} = \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{20} = \frac{4-1}{20} = \frac{3}{20}$$

$$\Rightarrow s'' = \frac{20}{3} = 6.\bar{6}\text{cm}$$

$$m_2 = -\frac{1}{3} \quad m_1 m_2 = +\frac{1}{3}$$