# Advanced Optics (NOOE139)

"advanced" =

- repeat fundamentals (Maxwell's eqs),
  - provide alternative view (geometric optics, polarization),
  - wider context (diffraction, coherence),
  - and try new stuff (Fourier optics, Gaussian beams)

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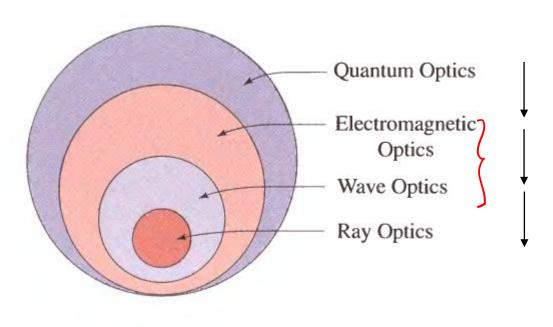
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# Approximations



no single-photon counting, no quantum effects

scalar fields, no E-B coupling, often material described by *n* 

 $\lambda \ll$  objects, infinite *c*, often paraxial approximation (small angles)

## Syllabus

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#### 1. Basic equations of electromagnetic theory.

- Electromagnetic origin of light, Maxwell equations, boundary conditions.
- Wave equation, Helmoltz equation. Phase and group velocity of light.
- Energy, intensity, radiation pressure and momentum of electromagnetic wave.

## 2. Polarization of light.

- Polarization ellipse, linear and circular polarization. Angular momentum of electromagnetic wave.
- Propagation of light in anisotropic media. Polarization devices polarizers, wave plates, polarization rotators.
- Mathematical description of polarization Jones vectors and matrices, Stokes parameters, Poincaré sphere.

### 3. Instrumental optics.

- Geometrical optics, light rays. Optical imaging by reflection and refraction on a spherical interface, mirrors, lenses. Ray transfer matrix analysis. Aberrations (monochromatic and chromatic).
- Fresnel and Fraunhofer diffraction on slit, rectangular and spherical aperture; implications for a construction of optical instruments. Optical diffraction grating.
- Optical imaging instruments (magnifier glasses, microscope, telescope). Spectral instruments - spectrometers (prism and grating) and interferometers.

### 4. Light waves in absorbing medium.

- Propagation of light in conductive medium, complex index of refraction.
- Reflection and refraction of plane waves on interfaces, Fresnel formulae.
- Kramers-Kronig dispersion relation.

### 5. Introduction to theory of optical coherence.

- Complex representation of monochromatic and polychromatic waves, Fourier transformation, complex analytical signal. Statistical optics, ergodicity principle.
- Time coherence, correlation function, power spectrum, Wiener-Chinčin theorem. Spatial coherence.
- Interference of partially coherent light, Michelson interferometer, Fourier spectrometers.
- Partial polarization, coherence matrix, degree of polarization.

### 6. Fourier optics.

- Two-dimensional Fourier transformation, spatial frequencies.
- Optical transfer function of imaging system, impulse response.
- Optical computation of Fourier transform, spatial filtration.

### 7. Gaussian beams and optical resonators.

- Paraxial Helmholtz equation. Gaussian beam complex amplitude, intensity, radius, divergence, wavefronts. Transformation of Gaussian beam by optical elements, ABCD law.
- Optical resonators resonant frequencies, longitudinal and transversal modes. Losses in resonators. Boyd-Kogelnik stability diagram.

# Basic equations of electromagnetic theory

(1) 
$$\operatorname{div} \vec{D} = \vec{p}$$
  $\operatorname{div} \vec{B} = 0$  (2)  $\int \operatorname{div} eq$   $\operatorname{div} \dots \vec{\nabla} x$   
(4)  $\operatorname{Rot} \vec{H} - \frac{\partial \vec{D}}{\partial t} = \vec{\partial}$   $\operatorname{Rot} \vec{E} + \frac{\partial \vec{E}}{\partial t} = 0$  (3)  $\int \operatorname{coupling}$   $\vec{\nabla} = \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial}{\partial y}, \frac{\partial}{\partial z}\right)$   
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 $\vec{E} : el. field [V m^{-1}]$   
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