

Divergent lens: q vs p plot and the ray diagram Ch24.k5

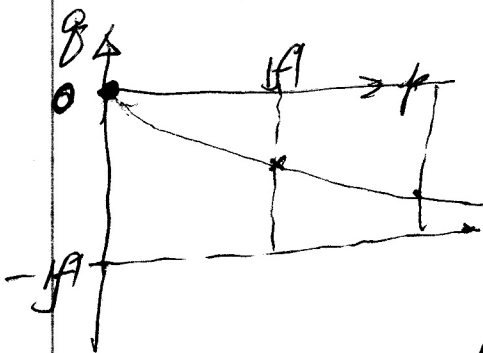
p	q
∞	$- f $
$2 f $	$-\frac{2}{3} f $
$ f $	$-\frac{1}{2} f $
0	0

For the divergent case: $f < 0$.

We write it as $f = -|f|$.

$$q = \frac{f}{1 - \frac{f}{p}} = \frac{-|f|}{1 + \frac{|f|}{p}}$$

Since the denominator doesn't have 0, the plot is simple we need to choose two points.



$$p = 2|f|, \quad q = \frac{-|f|}{1 + \frac{1}{2}} = -\frac{2}{3}|f|$$

$$p = |f|, \quad q = \frac{-|f|}{1 + 1} = -\frac{1}{2}|f|$$

$$p = 0, \quad q = 0$$

Example of a ray diagram:

For $p = 2|f|$, check $q = -\frac{2}{3}|f|$

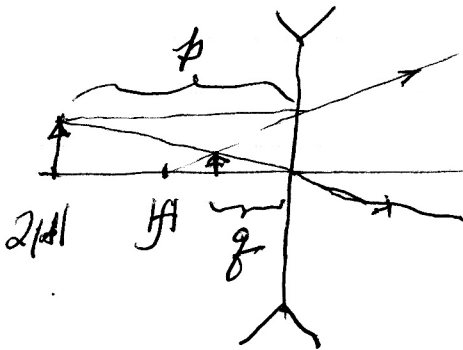


Image: Upright, reduced virtual

We observe the divergent rays.

It is a virtual image

located at $q = -\frac{2}{3}|f|$

Absorption of momentum: Ch 24. k3

As a photon with momentum p_0 hits a surface, there are two extreme cases.

1) Pure absorption. 100% of p_0 is absorbed or transferred to the surface

2) Pure reflection: $p_{\text{reflected}} = -p_0$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Conservation of mom. leads to } p_0 &= p_{\text{abs}} + p_{\text{refl}} \\ &= p_{\text{abs}} - p_0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore p_{\text{abs}} = 2p_0.$$

If we have $\frac{1}{4}$ absorption + $\frac{3}{4}$ reflection,

total mom. absorbed by the surface is

$$p_{\text{abs}} = \frac{1}{4} * p_0 + \frac{3}{4} * 2p_0 = \frac{7}{4} p_0$$