

Lecture at Xidian University
On frontiers of modern optics

Scattering of shaped beam by particles and its applications

IV. Ray theory of wave and its applications

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波束散射理论和应用

第四讲：波的射线理论及其应用

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Plan of lecture

I. Fundamentals of geometrical optics

II. Geometrical optics for light scattering

III. VCRM - Vectorial complex ray Model

Fundamentals of geometrical optics

What is it used for ?

➤ Imaging in daily life:

- Image by reflection: mirror, water surface, summer route ...
- Image by refraction: fish, stick in water, mirage in the nature ...

➤ Optical instruments:

- Camera, telescope, microscope, ..
- Industrial measurement systems,
- Optical fiber for telecommunication

Advantages:

- Simple
- Object of arbitrary shape

➤ Scientific research:

- Fluid mechanics: PIV, holography, LDV, PDA,
- Measurement of temperature, size distribution, ...
- Biological imaging, ...

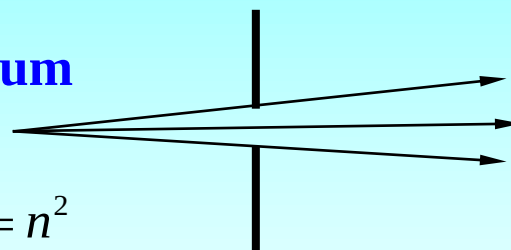
Fundamentals of geometrical optics

Condition of application

$$\lambda \ll l$$

Wavelength λ much smaller the dimension of the object l .

1. Straight line in homogeneous medium



2. Eikonal eq. (程函方程): $(\nabla S)^2 = n^2$

3. Eq. of ray: $\nabla n = \frac{d}{ds} \left(n \frac{d\vec{r}}{ds} \right)$

The rays are perpendicular to the wave front.

Fundamentals of geometrical optics

Reflection and refraction laws

Reflection and refraction on a surface between two media

Law of Snell-Descartes

Reflection:

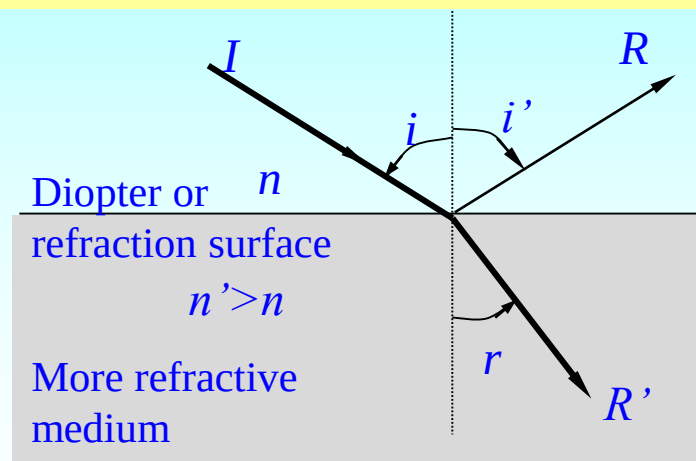
$$i = i'$$

Refraction:

$$n \sin i = n' \sin r$$

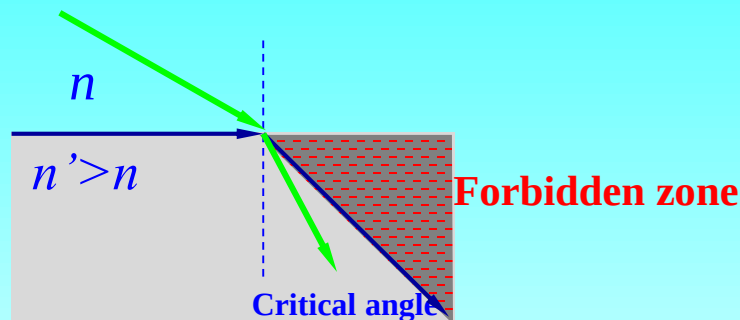
The velocity of light v depends on the refractive index n of the medium:

$$n = \frac{c}{v}$$



Fundamentals of geometrical optics

Total reflection

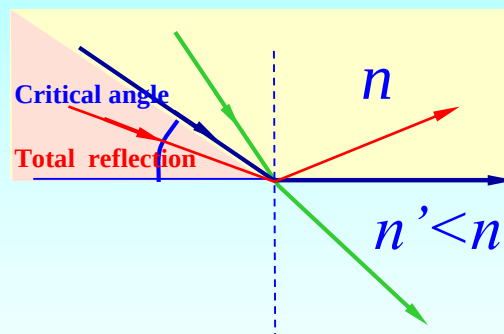


Critical angle:

$$i_l = \arcsin\left(\frac{n'}{n}\right)$$

Total reflection :

$$i \geq i_l$$



Examples :

$$n_2 / n_1 = 1 / 1.333 \quad i_l = 48.6^\circ$$

$$n_2 / n_1 = 1 / 1.500 \quad i_l = 41.8^\circ$$

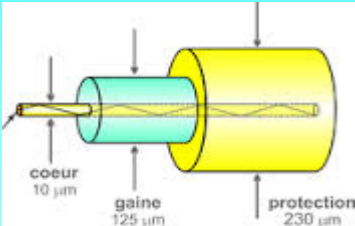
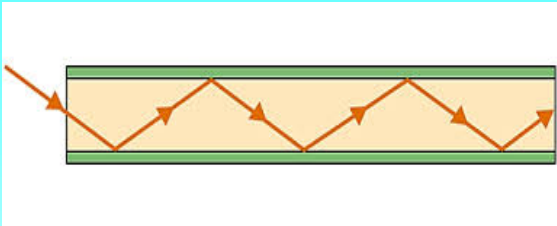
Applications

- Optical fiber
 - Telecommunication
 - Transport de laser beam
- Critical angle for measuring bubbles
- Optical gauge
- Natural mirage

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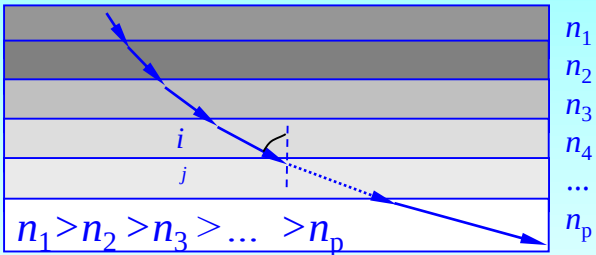
Total reflection - applications

Application 1:
Optical fiber



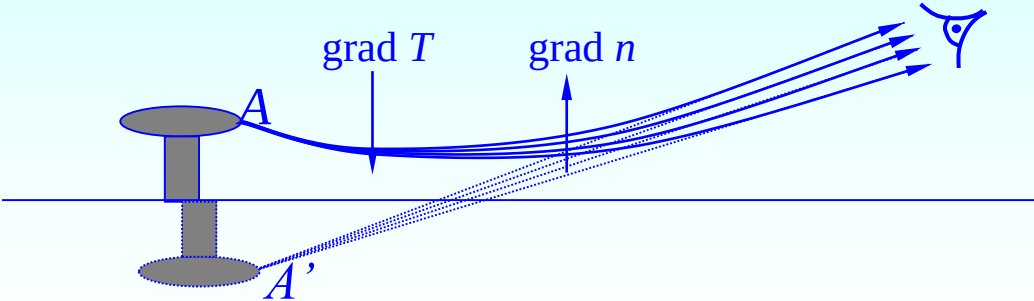
Application 2:
Effect of mirage

Propagation of a light beam
in a parallel stratified
environment:



$$n_j \sin i_j = C$$

$n_i \downarrow$ until $i_j = 90^\circ$,
i.e. total reflection.



Fundamentals of geometrical optics

Relation of amplitudes and intensities

Fresnel formulas — relation between the amplitudes of the reflected/refracted and incident waves

$$r_X = \frac{E_X^r}{E_X^i}, \quad t_X = \frac{E_X^t}{E_X^i}$$

$X = \perp$ ou $\parallel$ polarisation state

E_X^i : amplitude of incidente wave

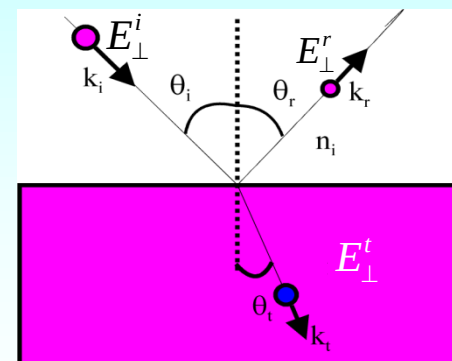
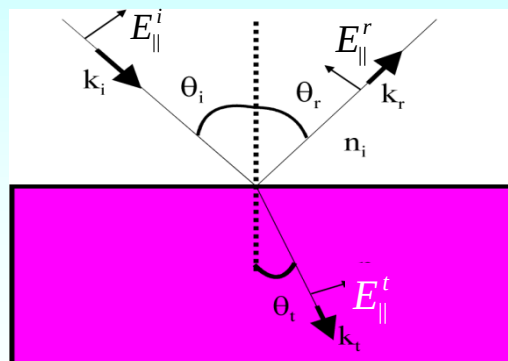
E_X^r, E_X^t amplitudes of reflected/refracted waves

$$r_{\parallel} \equiv \frac{n_t \cos \theta_i - n_i \cos \theta_t}{n_i \cos \theta_i + n_t \cos \theta_t} = \frac{\tan(\theta_i - \theta_t)}{\tan(\theta_i + \theta_t)}$$

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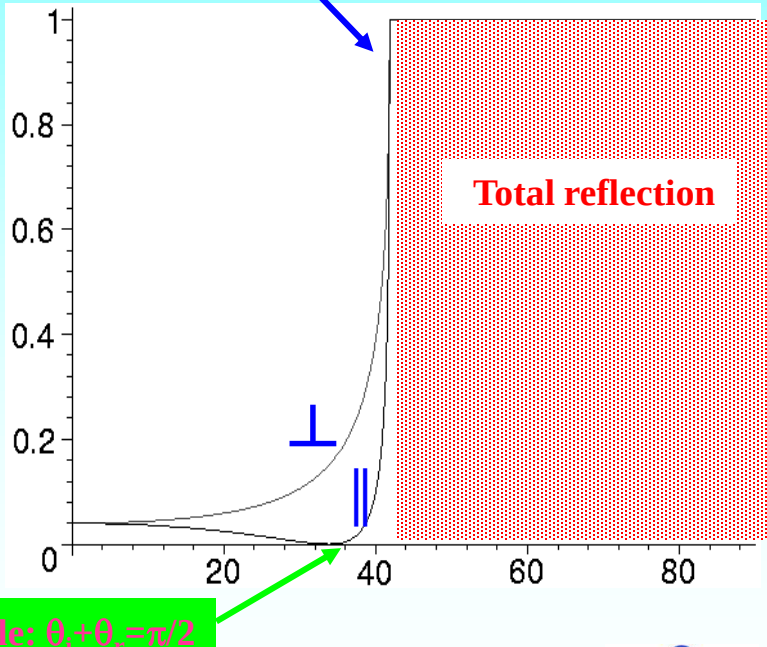
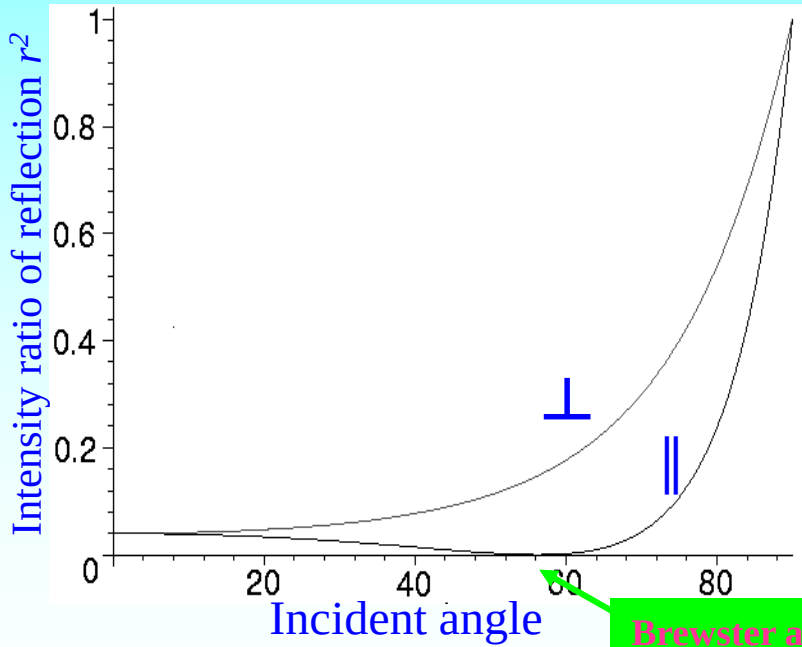
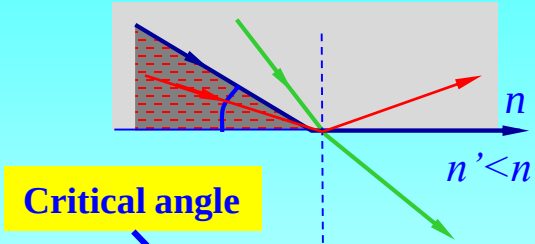
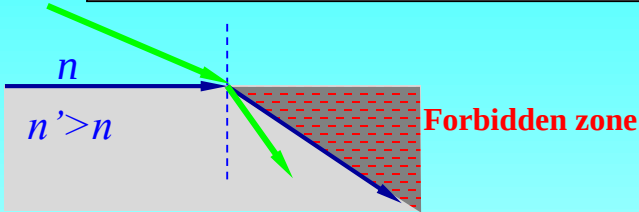
$$t_{\parallel} \equiv \frac{2n_i \cos \theta_i}{n_i \cos \theta_i + n_t \cos \theta_t} = \frac{2 \sin \theta_t \cos \theta_i}{\sin(\theta_i + \theta_t) \cos(\theta_i - \theta_t)}$$

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Fundamentals of geometrical optics

Relation of amplitudes and intensities



Brewster angle: $\theta_i + \theta_r = \pi/2$

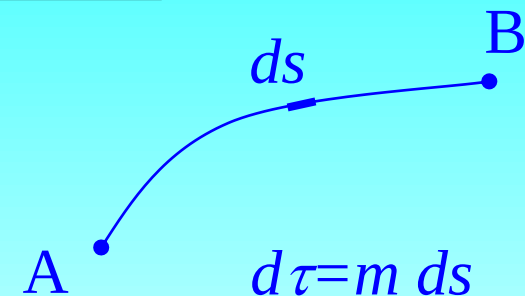
Fundamentals of geometrical optics

optical path, phase and intensity

Propagation of light in a medium:

Optical path:

$$\tau(AB) = \int_A^B m(s) ds$$



Complex refractive index:

$$\tilde{m} = m_r - im_i$$

- **Phase difference :** $\Delta\phi(AB) = k\tau_r = km_r\Delta S$
- **Absorption:** $I(B) = I(A)\exp(-2k\tau_i) = I(A)\exp(-2km_i\Delta S)$
- **If m is constant:** $\Delta\phi = km_r\Delta S$

$$I = I_0 \exp(-2km_i\Delta S)$$

Geometrical optics for light scattering

Can GO be applied to light scattering ?

YES to the simple shaped objects/particles:

- Homogeneous sphere,
- Homogeneous circular cylinder

Possible for objects of complex shape:

- Pure ray model, precision is very limited
- Ray model + electromagnetic integration, much better
- Ray model + wave properties → Vectorial Complex Ray Model

→ New concept, very precise and easy to use.

Geometrical optics for light scattering

Application of GO to light scattering

Light scattering by a sphere:

- Intensity :

$$\begin{aligned} \epsilon_X &= r_X^2 & p = 0 \\ \epsilon_X &= r_X^{2(p-1)} (1 - r_X^2)^2 & p \geq 1 \end{aligned}$$

where p is the scattering order,
 X represents the polarization sate
($\perp$ or $\parallel$), r_X Fresnel coefficients.

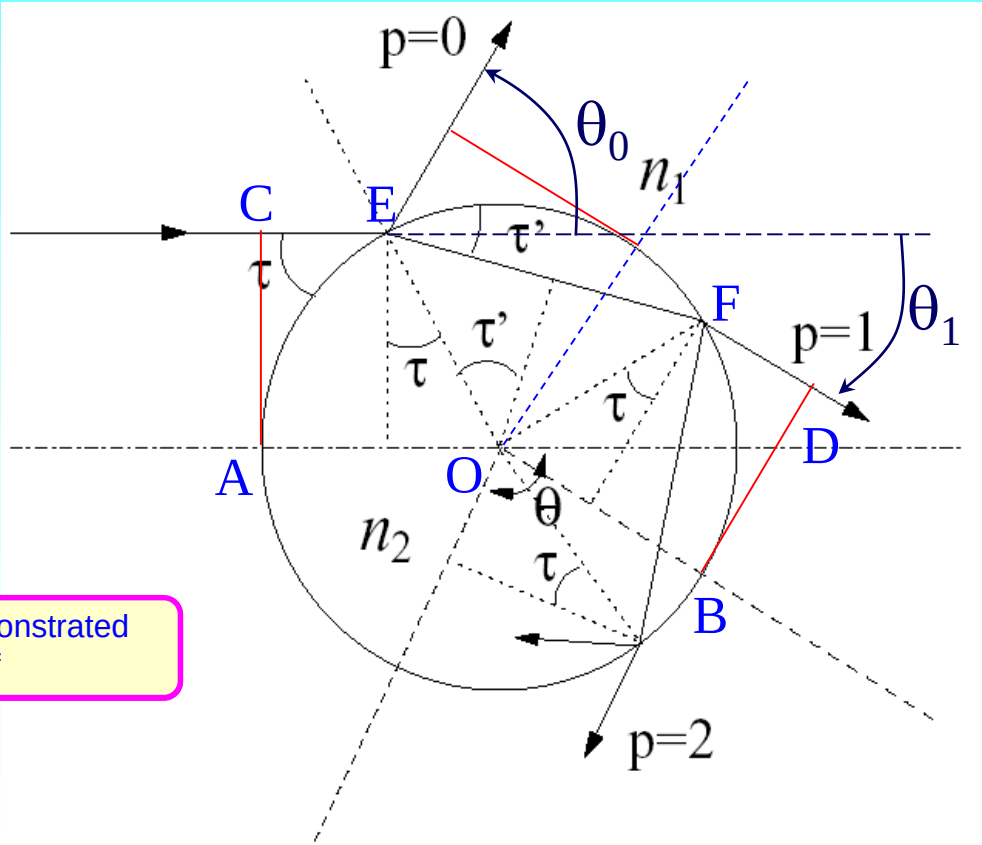
- Length of the path in the particle:

$$\Delta_p = 2 p a \sin \tau'$$

- Deviation angle de :

$$\theta_p = 2\tau - 2p\tau'$$

To be demonstrated
by yourself



Geometrical optics for light scattering

Application of GO to light scattering

➤ Phases:

- Phase difference due to the difference of the optical paths :

$$\Delta\phi = \frac{2\pi d}{\lambda} (\sin \tau - pm \sin \tau')$$

- Jump of phase due to reflection on the surface and the focal lines.

- 1) Reflection: phase of the complex number: r_x ,
- 2) Focal lines: phase jump $\pi/2$ at each focal line.

➤ Divergence factor :

$$D_p = \frac{\cos \theta_i \sin \tau}{\sin \theta_p \left| \frac{d\theta'_p}{d\tau} \right|}$$

$$I_{s,p} = \frac{I_0 \varepsilon_X dS_i}{dS_s} = \frac{I_0 \varepsilon_X a^2 \cos \tau \sin \tau d\tau d\varphi}{r^2 \sin \theta_p d\theta_p d\varphi} = \frac{a^2}{r^2} I_0 \varepsilon_X D_p$$

Summary

These equations are enough to calculate the intensity of each order and the total field.

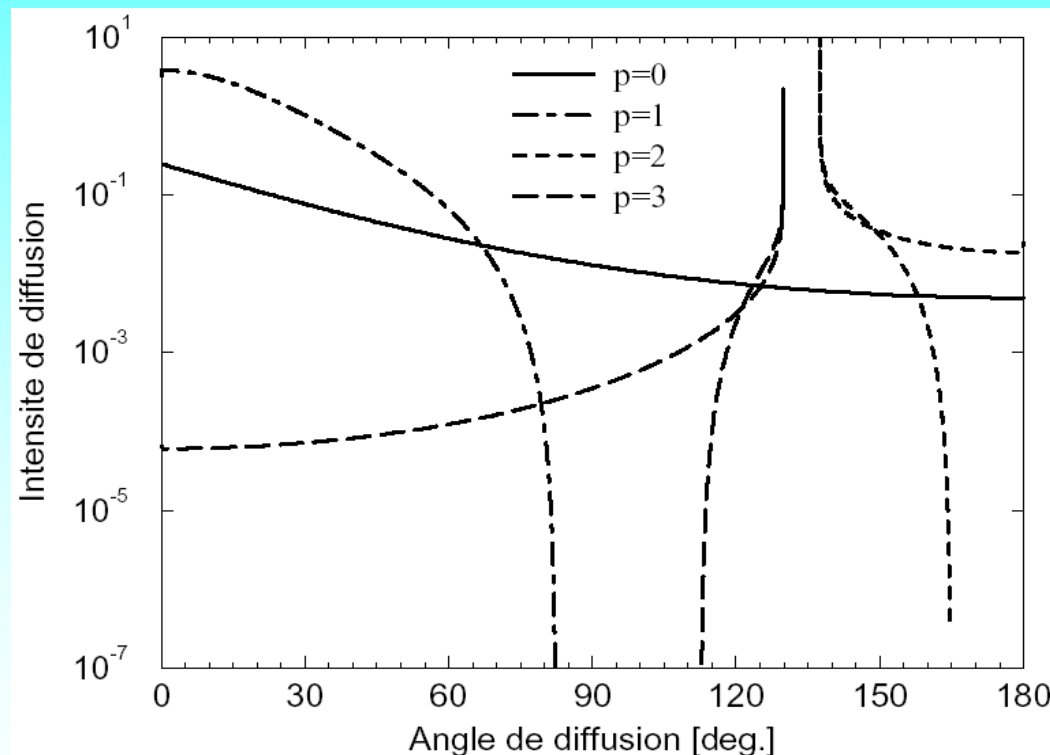
$$I_{s,t} = \sum_{p=0}^N \sqrt{I_{s,p}} e^{-ik\Delta\phi_p}$$

Geometrical optics for light scattering

Application of GO to light scattering

➤ **Scattering diagram: without** interference between different modes

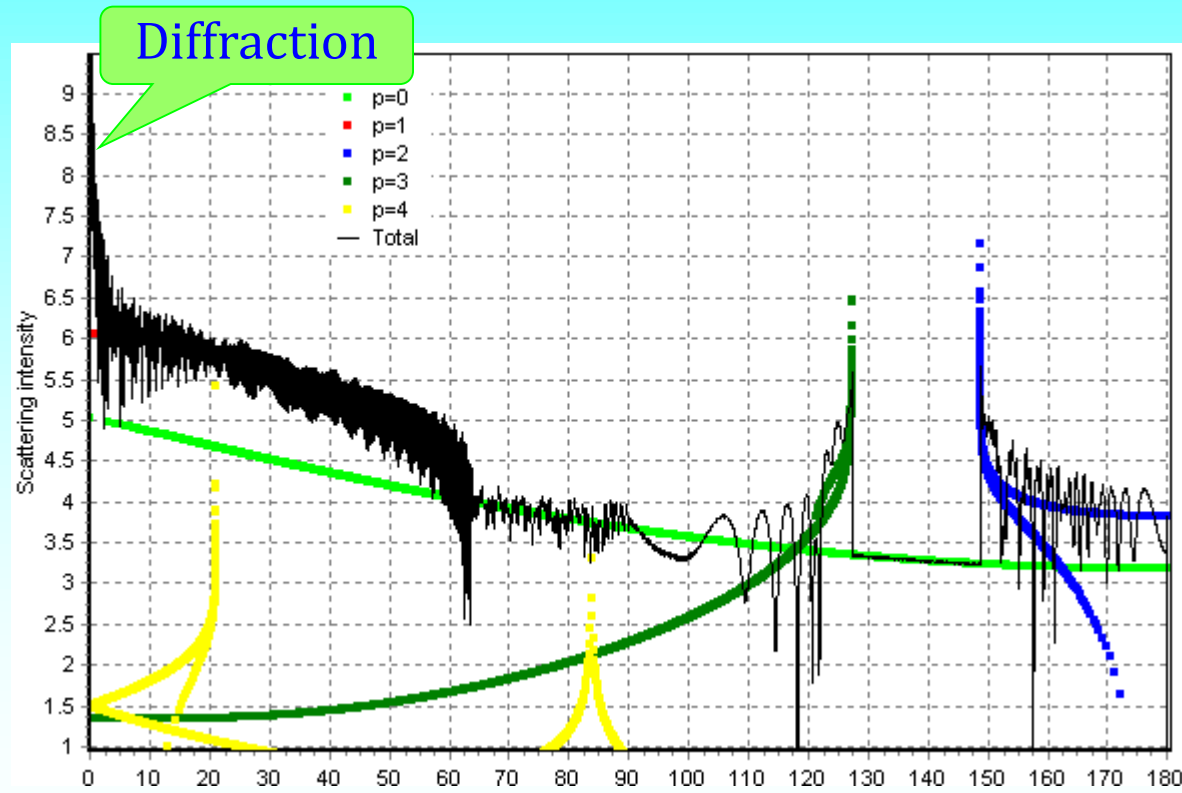
- Sphere of water
- Polarization $\perp$
- Intensity $\rightarrow \infty$
at rainbow angle



Geometrical optics for light scattering

Application of GO to light scattering

- **Scattering diagram:** **With** interference between different modes



Geometrical optics for light scattering

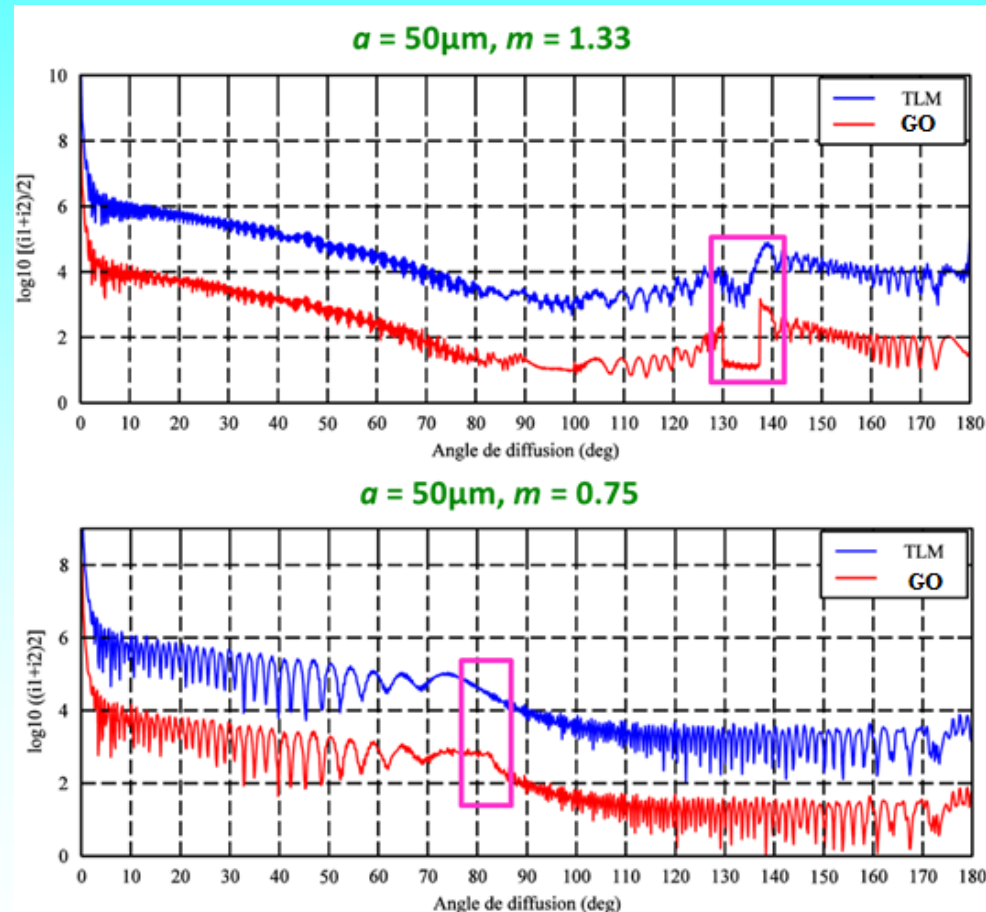
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➤ Scattering diagram:

Comparison with rigorous theory for a homogeneous sphere

Total intensity with interference:

A sphere of water or a air bubble in the water illuminated by a plane wave of wavelength of $0.6328\ \mu\text{m}$.



Geometrical optics for light scattering

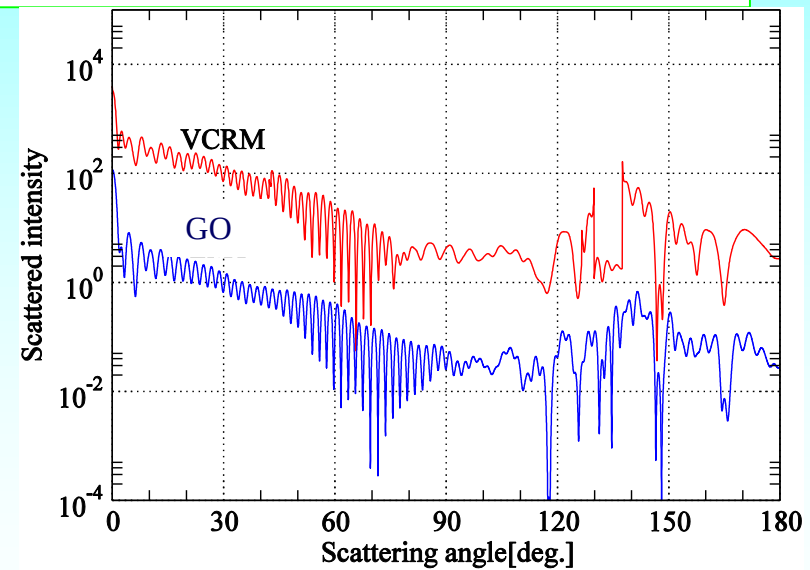
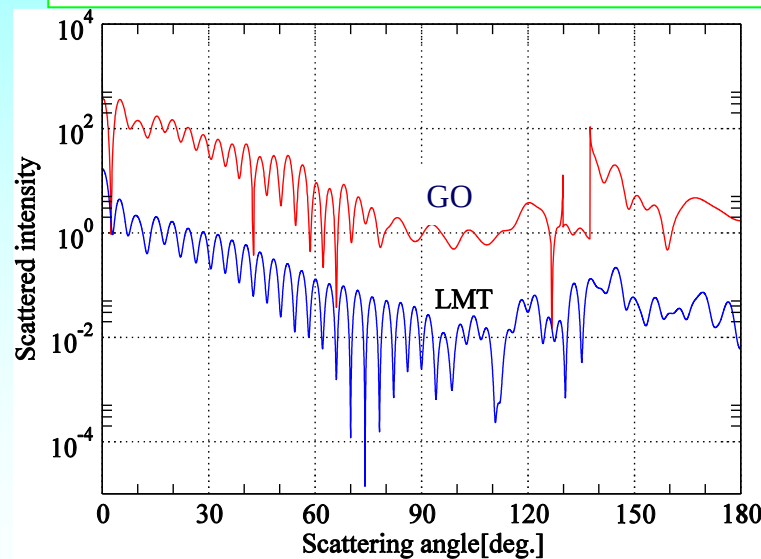
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➤ Scattering diagram: Comparison with rigorous theory for a cylinder

Total intensity with interference

A circular cylinder of water with a radius of 5 μm (left) or 10 μm (right) illuminated by a plane wave with a wavelength of 0.6328 μm .

Geometric optics still work very well for $a \sim 10\lambda$.



Geometrical optics for light scattering

Preliminary conclusions

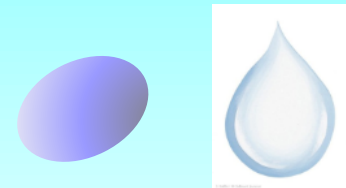
- By taking into account correctly the interferences, the Ray model can predict the scattering diagram in **ALL directions**.
- It can be applied to the scattering of **any shaped beam**.
- It works also for a circular infinite **cylinder**.

Limitations

NOT appropriate for a spheroid or an ellipsoid
NO for any irregular shaped particles.

The key problem is **the divergence factor**.

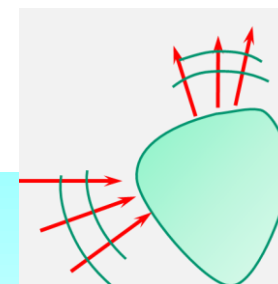
How to improve the model ?



Vectorial Complex Ray Model

Possible candidate?

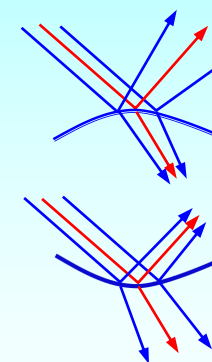
- ✗ ~~Rigorous theories~~: the particle shape must correspond to a coordinates system
- ✗ ~~Numerical methods~~: size limited, very time consuming
- ✓ Ray models: precision to be improved



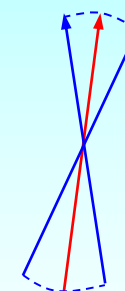
Key problem: lack of wave properties

Our strategy: Extension of ray model

- Inclusion of wave front curvature
- Interference between all the rays.
- Diffraction.



Divergence/
Convergence



Phase in
focal lines

Vectorial Complex Ray Model

Vectorial Complex Ray Model

Geometrical optics + wave form

• Vectorial Complex Ray Model – new

✓ 5 properties of a ray:

- Classical optics
1. direction,
 2. amplitude,
 3. phase,
 4. polarization

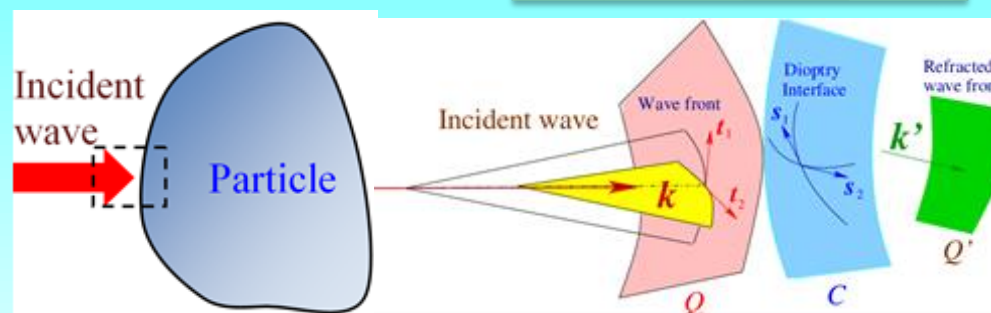
New 5. Wave front curvature

✓ Advantages:

- Objects of any shape with smooth surface,
- Incident wave of any form,
- Sufficiently precise – scattering in all directions,
- All scattering properties of the objet.

For details:

- Ren et al, *Opt. Lett.* 36(3), 2011
- <http://www.amocops.eu>



important

Vectorial Complex Ray Model

Basic laws of geometrical optics

1. Snell-Descartes law:

Reflection:

$$\mathbf{i} = \mathbf{i}'$$

Refraction:

$$n \sin i = n' \sin r$$

VCRM
The tangent component of wave vector is continuous

$$k_{\tau} = k'_{\tau}$$

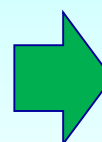
2. Fresnel's Equations :

$$r_{\parallel} \equiv \frac{n_t \cos \theta_i - n_i \cos \theta_t}{n_i \cos \theta_t + n_t \cos \theta_i} = \frac{\tan(\theta_i - \theta_t)}{\tan(\theta_i + \theta_t)}$$

$$t_{\parallel} \equiv \frac{2n_i \cos \theta_i}{n_i \cos \theta_t + n_t \cos \theta_i} = \frac{2 \sin \theta_i \cos \theta_t}{\sin(\theta_i + \theta_t) \cos(\theta_i - \theta_t)}$$

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$$r_{\perp} = \frac{k_{in} - k_{rn}}{k_{in} + k_{rn}}$$

$$t_{\perp} = \frac{2k_{in}}{k_{in} + k_{rn}}$$

$$r_{\parallel} = \frac{m^2 k_{in} - k_{rn}}{m^2 k_{in} + k_{rn}}$$

$$t_{\parallel} = \frac{2m k_{in}}{m^2 k_{in} + k_{rn}}$$

Vectorial Complex Ray Model

Summary of VCRM

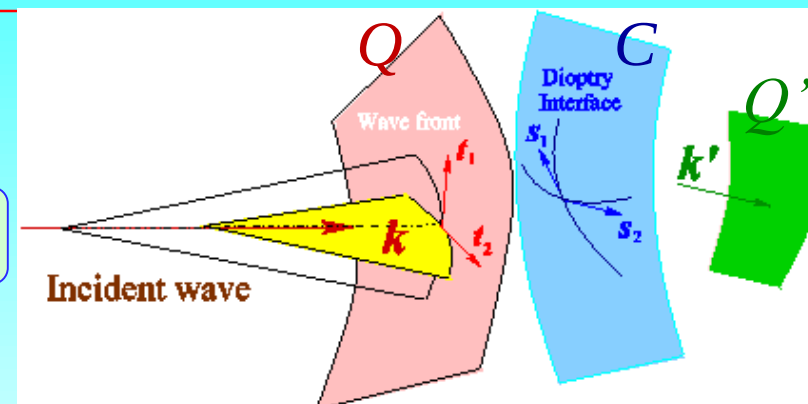
Fundamental laws

1. Wave front equation:

$$(k_n^i - k_n^t)C = k' \Theta'^T Q' \Theta' - k \Theta^T Q \Theta$$

2. Law of Snell-Descartes in vectors:

$$k_{\tau}^i = k_{\tau}^t$$



Amplitude:

$$A = \sqrt{D} \varepsilon$$

Phase:

$$\Phi = \Phi_{inc} + \Phi_{fl} + \Phi_{path} + \Phi_{\varepsilon}$$

Total field:

$$E = S_{diff} + \sum_{i=1}^N S_i$$

Divergence factor:

$$D = R'_{11} R'_{21} \frac{R'_{12} R'_{22}}{R_{12} R_{22}} \dots \frac{R'_{1q} R'_{2q}}{R_{1q} R_{2q}}$$

Fresnel coefficients: ε

$$\tilde{r}_{\perp} = \frac{k_n - \tilde{k}'_n}{k_n + \tilde{k}'_n} \quad \tilde{r}_{\parallel} = \frac{\tilde{m}^2 k_n - \tilde{k}'_n}{\tilde{m}^2 k_n + \tilde{k}'_n}$$

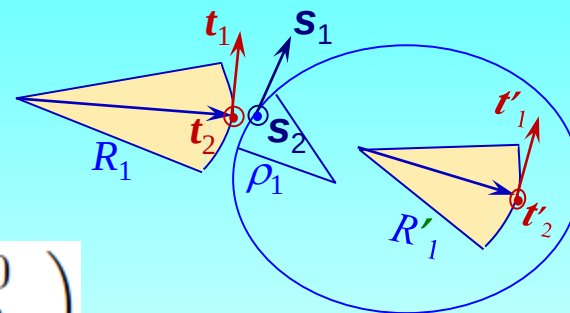
All expressed in wave vector components.

Vectorial Complex Ray Model

Special case of the wave front equation:

When the rays remain in the same plane – a main direction of the wave front and particle surface:

- Spherical particle
- Infinite cylinder at normal incidence
- Ellipsoidal particle in the symmetric plane.



➤ Curvature matrix:

$$C = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\rho_1} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{\rho_2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$Q = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{R_1} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{R_2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$Q' = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{R'_1} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{R'_2} \end{pmatrix}$$

➤ Wave front equation:

$$\frac{k_n'^2}{k' R'_1} = \frac{k_n^2}{k R_1} + \frac{k'_n - k_n}{\rho_1}$$

$$\frac{k'}{R'_2} = \frac{k}{R_2} + \frac{k'_n - k_n}{\rho_2}$$

Rewrite the wave front equations in this simple form for the special case.

Vectorial Complex Ray Model

Applications to a sphere and a cylinder

➤ Sphere

- Reflection:

$$\dot{R}_1 = -\frac{a \cos \alpha}{2} \quad \dot{R}_2 = -\frac{1}{2a \cos \alpha} \rightarrow D = \frac{1}{4}$$

- Refraction $p=1$:

After 1st refraction: $R'_{11} = -\frac{am \cos^2 \beta}{m \cos \beta - \cos \alpha} \quad R'_{12} = -\frac{am}{m \cos \beta - \cos \alpha}$

After 2nd refraction:

$$R'_{21} = \frac{m \cos \beta - 2 \cos \alpha}{2(m \cos \beta - \cos \alpha)} \cos \alpha \quad R'_{22} = \frac{2a \cos \beta (m \cos \beta - \cos \alpha) - m}{2(m \cos \beta - \cos \alpha)(\sin \alpha \sin \beta - \sin \alpha \sin \beta)}$$

Divergence factor:

$$D = \frac{m \sin(2\alpha) \cos \beta}{4 \sin[2(\beta - \alpha)](\cos \alpha - m \cos \beta)}$$

Identical to the classical one.

➤ Cylinder: $R_2 = \infty$

- Reflection :

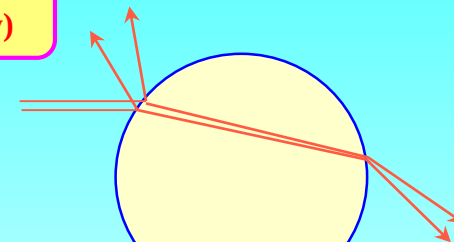
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Derive these results from the wavefront equations (see below)



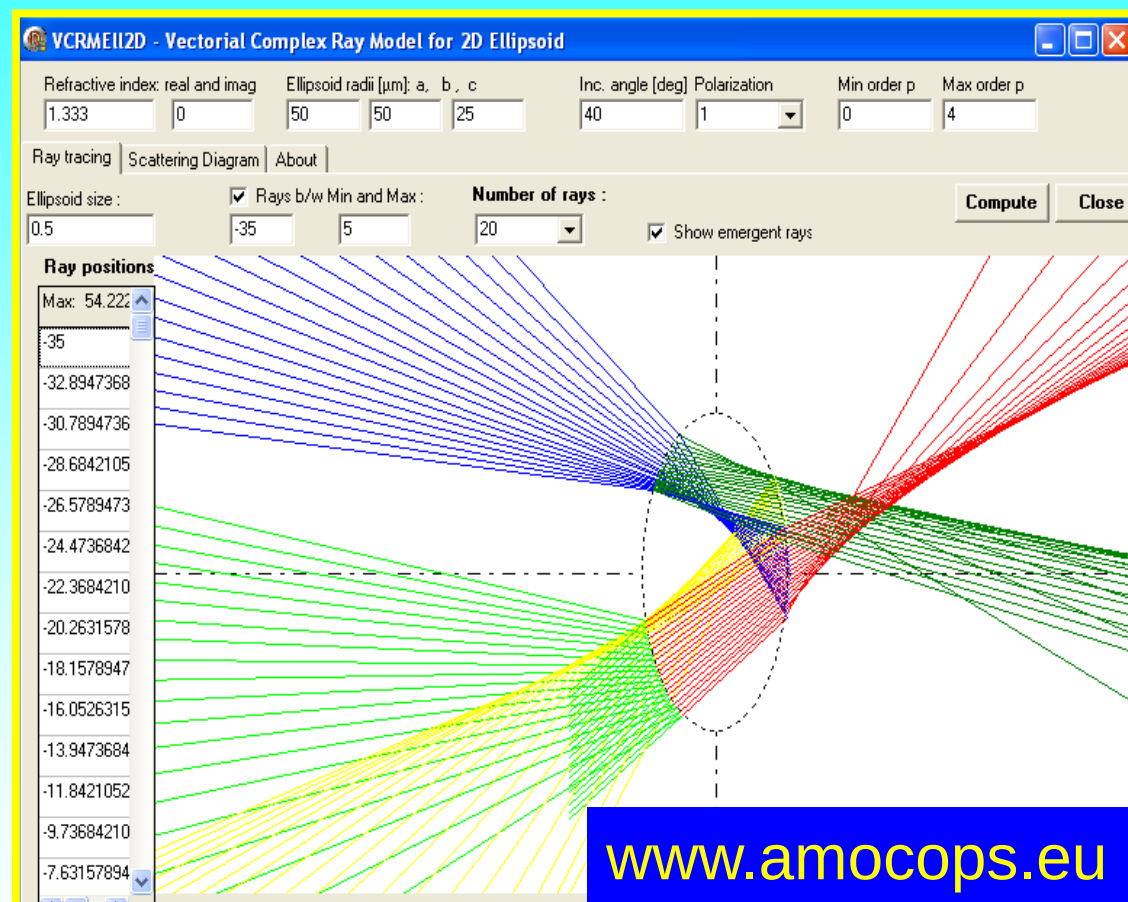
Check these by yourself.

Vectorial Complex Ray Model

Software for an ellipsoid

Ray tracing Module

- Tracing of all the rays or a part of them
- Any number of rays
- Any position of rays

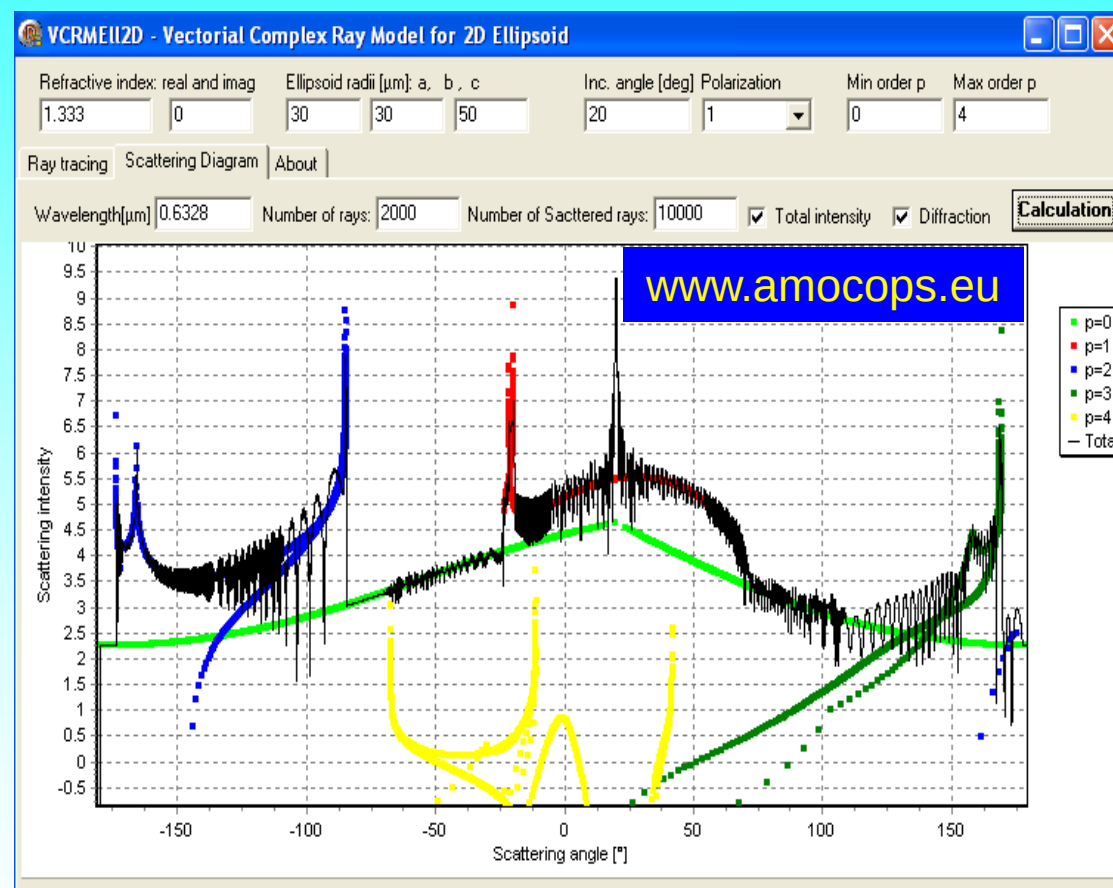


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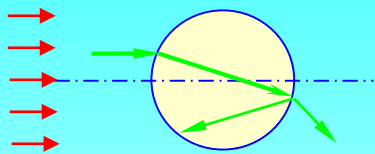
Scattering diagram module

- Intensity of each order
- total intensity of all the rays:
 - Interference
 - Diffraction

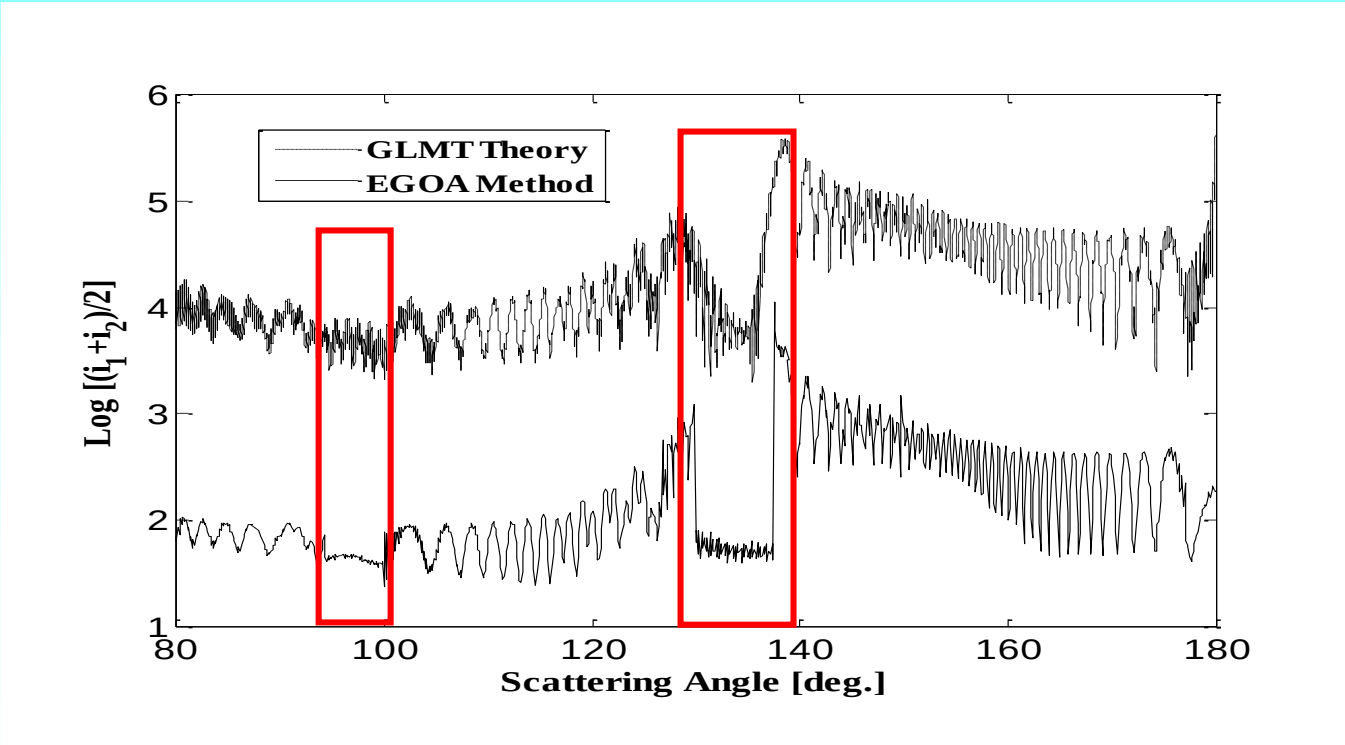


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Comparison with Lorenz-Mie Theory

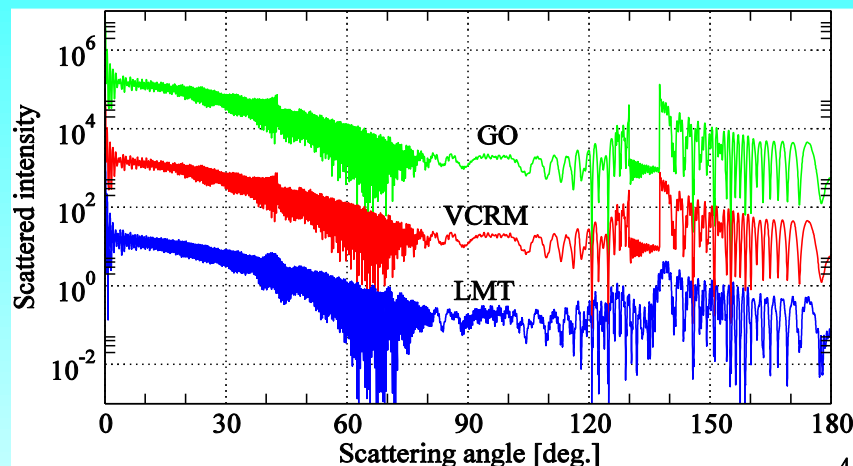


Sphere $a=100\text{ }\mu\text{m}$ plane wave
Discrepancy found near rainbow angles



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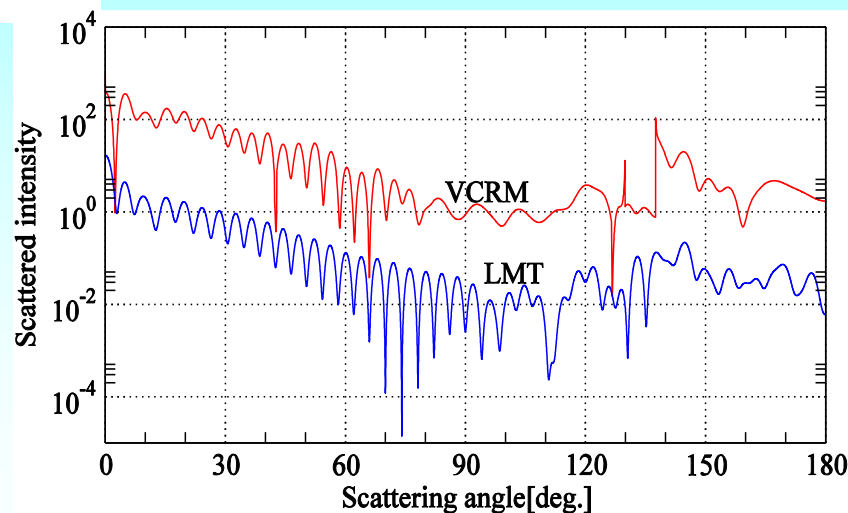


→ Scattering diagrams by LMT, GO and VCRM for an infinite circular cylinder :

- refractive index: $m = 1.33$,
- radius $a = 50 \mu\text{m}$
- wavelength $\lambda = 0.6328 \mu\text{m}$.

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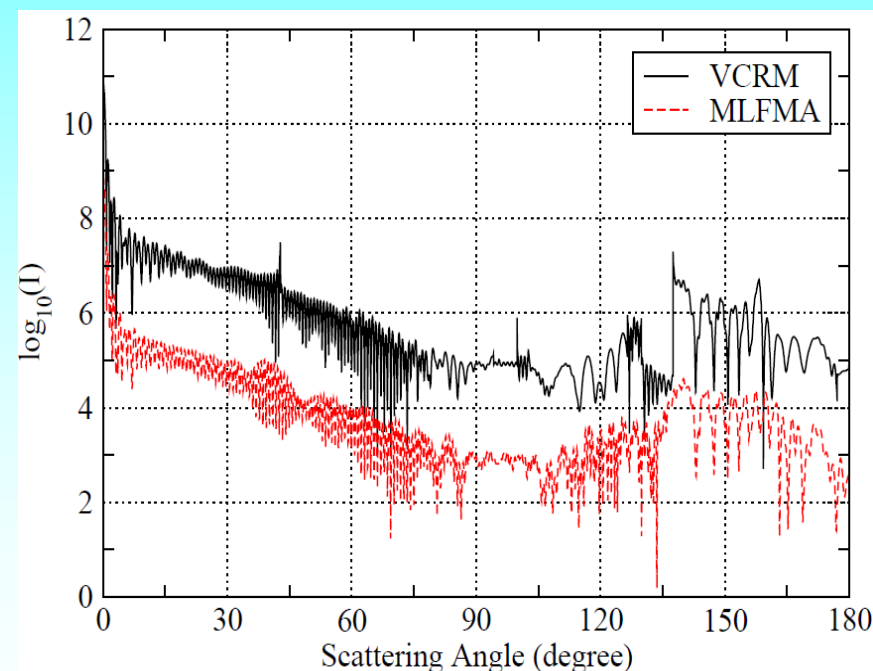
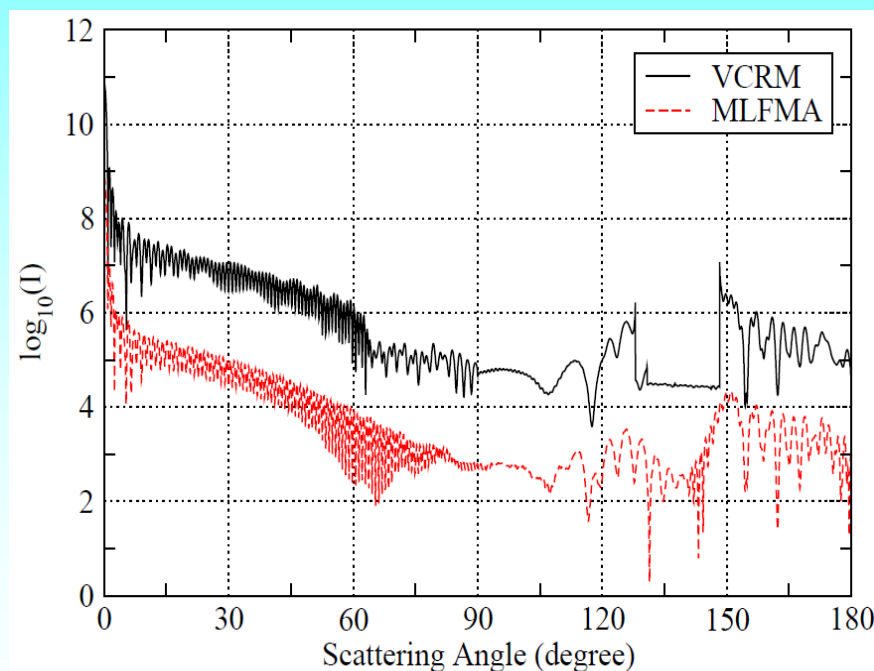
Vectorial Complex Ray Model

Comparison with exact numerical method MLFMA

A spheroidal water droplet ($m=1.33$) $a = 30\text{ }\mu\text{m}$ and a plane wave of wavelength $\lambda=0.785\text{ }\mu\text{m}$.

prolate: $a=b$, $c=1.1a$

oblate: $a=0.9b$, $c=a$



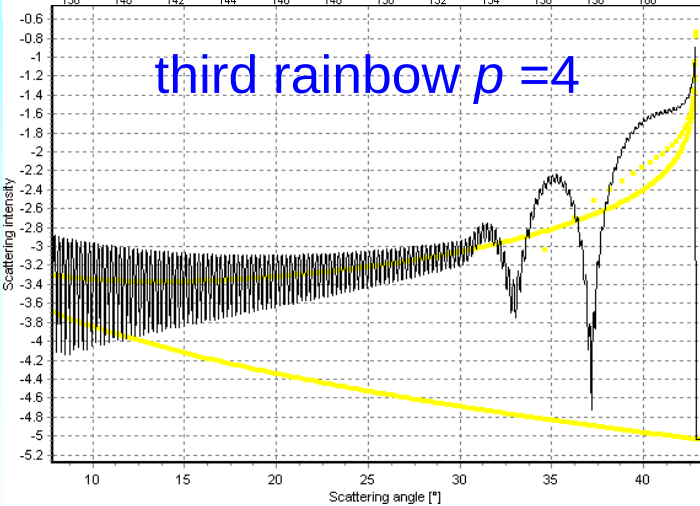
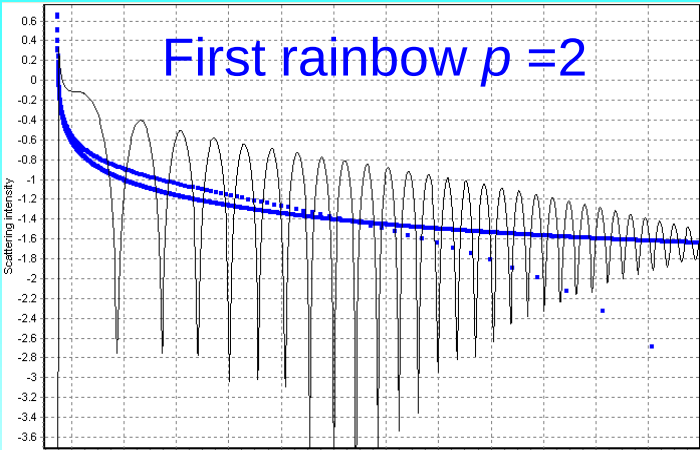
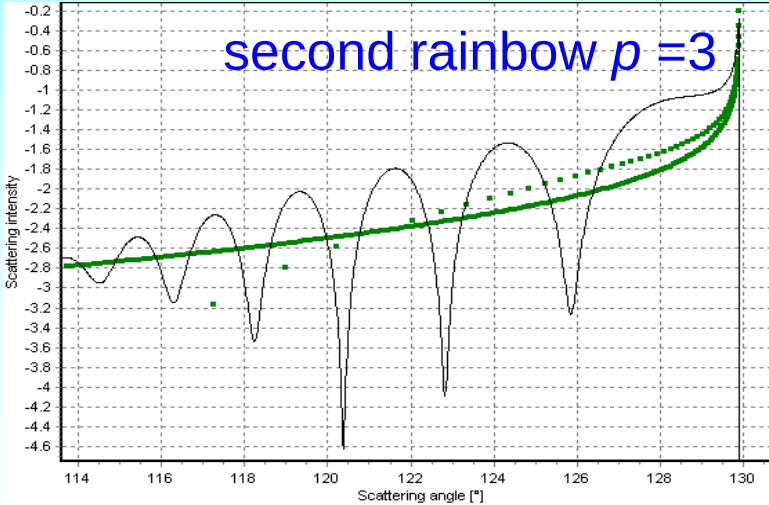
Vectorial Complex Ray Model

Interference near rainbow angles

Plane wave incident on a sphere:

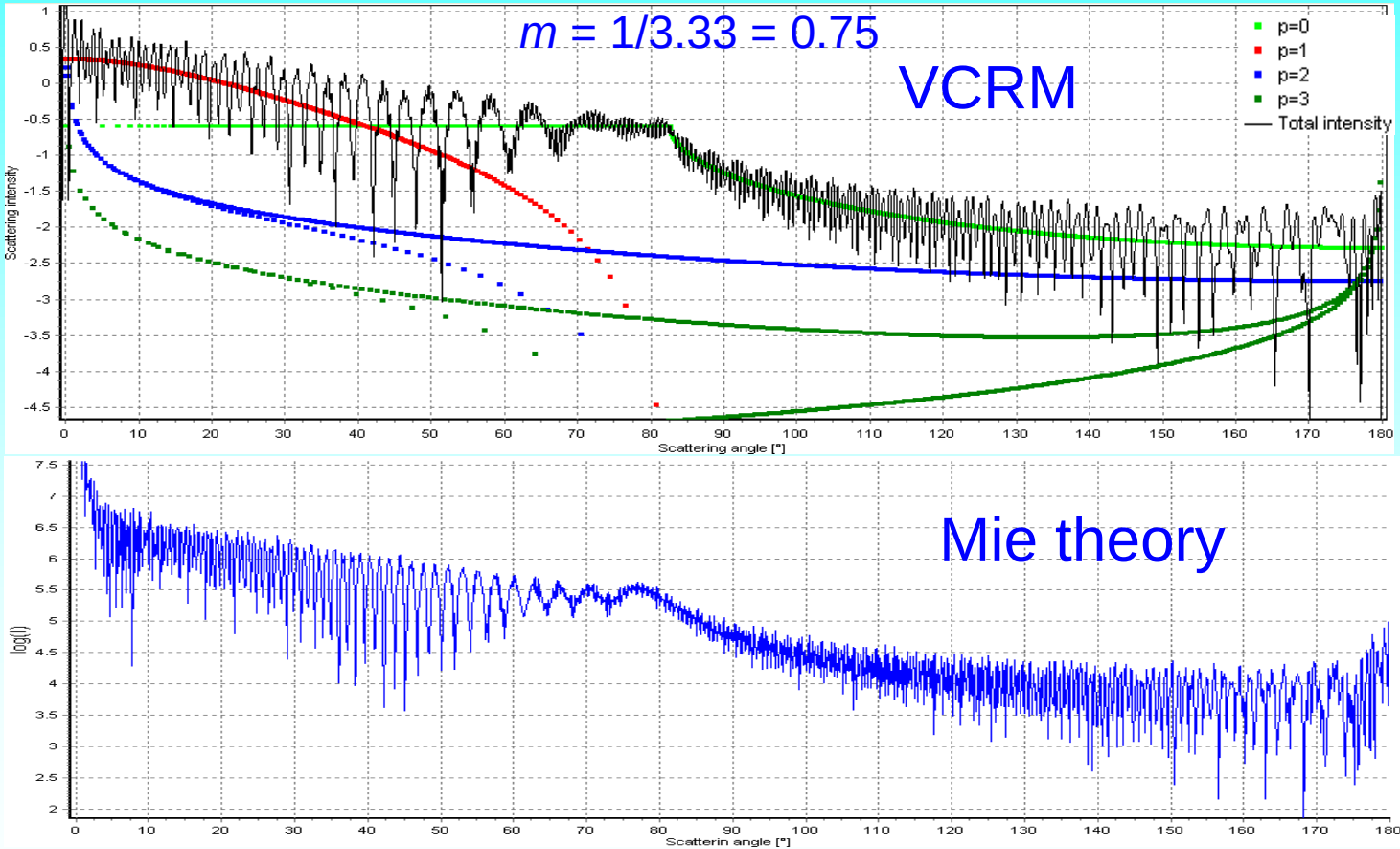
$\lambda=0.6328\text{ }\mu\text{m},$

$a = 100\text{ }\mu\text{m},\quad m = 1.33$



Vectorial Complex Ray Model

Comparison with Mie theory for a bubble



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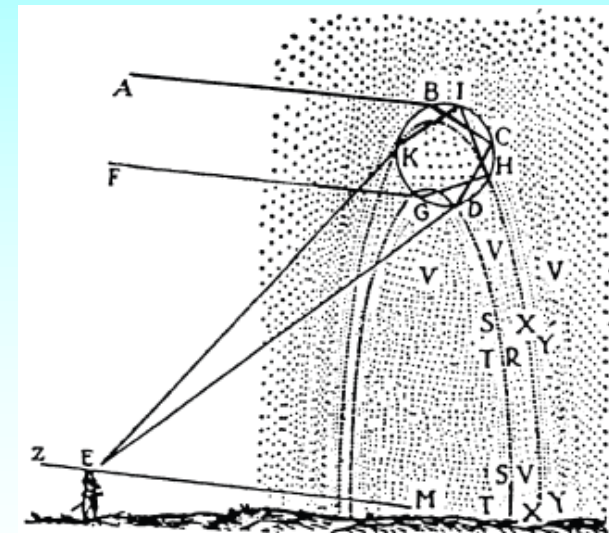
The rainbow is a marvel of nature.

L'arc-en-ciel est une merveille de la Nature si remarquable, et sa cause a été de tout temps si curieusement recherchée par les bons esprits, et si peu connue, que je ne saurais choisir de matière plus propre à faire voir comment, par la méthode dont je me sers, on peut venir à des connaissances que ceux dont nous avons les écrits n'ont point eues.

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自古引圣贤索其源



The Colors of bows are due to the refractive index.
But the intensity tends to infinity !!



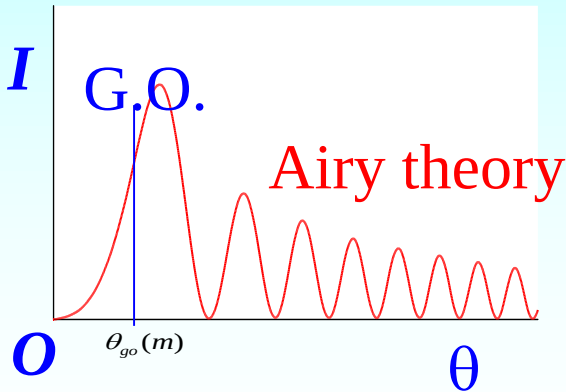
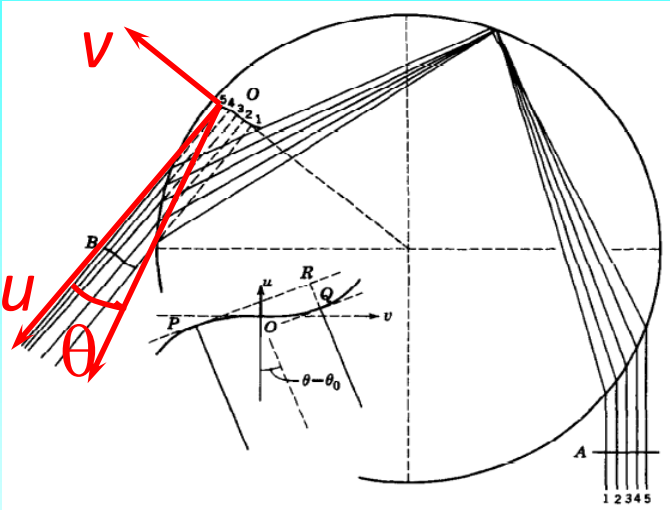
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Airy theory (1838)



- Phase difference is:
$$\Delta\Psi = khv^3/3a^2$$
- Amplitude is constant for all emergent rays
- Amplitude of scattered field in θ direction:

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-ikv(\theta-\theta_0)+ikhv^3/3a^2} dv$$



Airy theory predict a good profile,

Questions :

- The phase function found in $v \rightarrow 0$ but integration to infinity ?
- The amplitude is not constant near rainbow angles!
- It is only valid for a sphere.

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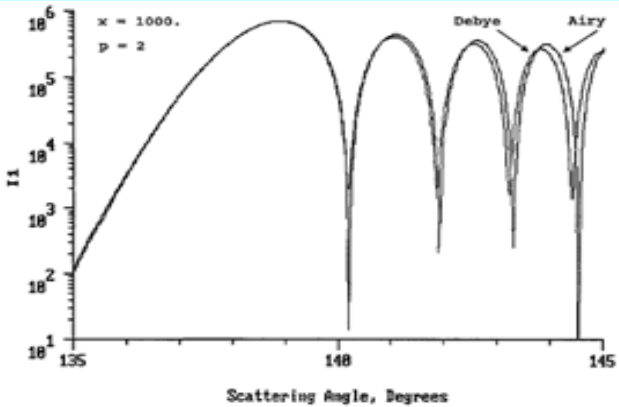
Airy theory in 1990s'

R. Wang and van de Hulst
Appl. Opt. 30(1):106, 1991

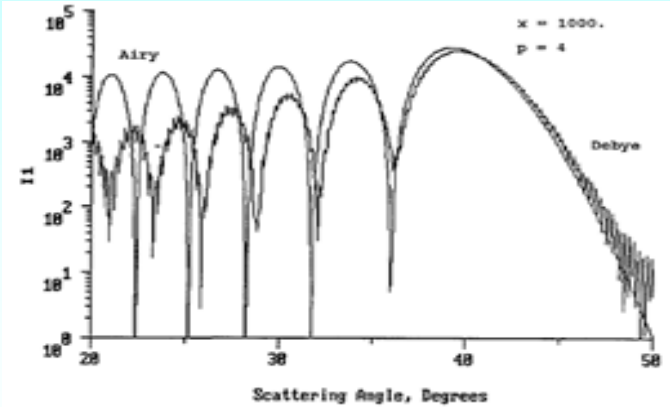
Can anything new be said about the rainbow? Yes. The insight that this phenomenon arises from the play of light in a single spherical drop is 7 centuries old, the full geometrical optics theory of Descartes 3-1/2 centuries, and its modification by Airy to take account of diffraction just 1-1/2 centuries. Exactly a century ago

➤ Wang, van de Hulst et Lock: same principle but with amplitude correction:

$$E_{Airy}^p(\theta) = x \left(\frac{2\pi \sin \theta_i^R}{\sin \theta^R} \right)^{1/2} \frac{x^{1/6}}{h^{1/3}} T^{21}(\theta_i^R) \times [R^{11}(\theta_i^R)]^{p-1} T^{12}(\theta_i^R) \times$$
$$Ai\left(\frac{-x^{2/3}\Delta}{h^{1/3}}\right) \exp(2\pi i L^R/\lambda) \exp\left[(ix\Delta) \left(\frac{p^2-n^2}{p^2-1}\right)^{1/2}\right]$$



Airy theory
compared to
Debye theory
(rigorous)



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Airy theory in 1990s'

- Revisit of Airy theory to:
 1. understand the method,
 2. Extend to **non-spherical particle**.
- Theoretical demonstration for a sphere

- We know for each emergent ray:

phase:

$$\Phi = 2ka(\sin \tau - pm \sin \tau')$$

deviation angle:

$$\theta = 2\tau - 2p\tau'$$

- The derivatives: ($v \sim 0$):

$$\left. \frac{du}{dv} \right|_{\tau_0} = 0 \quad \left. \frac{d^2u}{dv^2} \right|_{\tau_0} = 0 \quad \frac{d^3\Delta\Phi}{d\tau^3} = -2kah \sin^3 \tau_0 = -\frac{2ka(p^2 - 1)}{p^2} \cos \tau_0$$

so

$$h = \frac{p^2 - 1}{p^2 \sin^2 \tau_0 \tan \tau_0} = \frac{(p^2 - 1)^2 \sqrt{p^2 - m^2}}{p^2 (m^2 - 1)^{3/2}}$$

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Airy theory in 21st century

➤ **Phase:** $\Delta\Phi = \Phi(\mathbf{k}) - \Phi(\mathbf{k}_r) - k\overline{PR}$

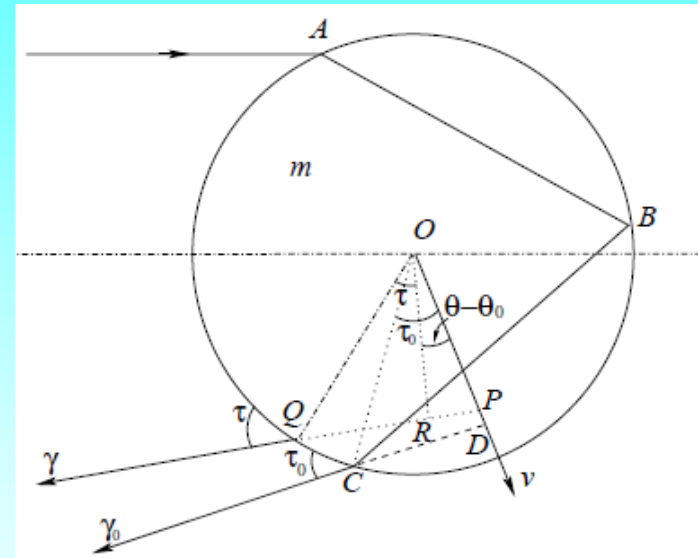
with

$$\begin{aligned}\overline{OD} &= r_0 \cdot \hat{\mathbf{k}}_{r\perp} \\ \overline{OR} &= r \cdot \hat{\mathbf{k}}_{\perp} \\ \overline{OP} &= \frac{\overline{OR}}{\hat{\mathbf{k}}_r \cdot \hat{\mathbf{k}}} = \frac{\overline{OR}}{\hat{\mathbf{k}}_{r\perp} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{k}}_{\perp}} \\ \overline{PR} &= \overline{OP}(\hat{\mathbf{k}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{k}}_{r\perp}) \\ v &= \overline{OP} - \overline{OD}\end{aligned}$$

➤ **Amplitude**

The amplitude of each ray is naturally calculated in VCRM.

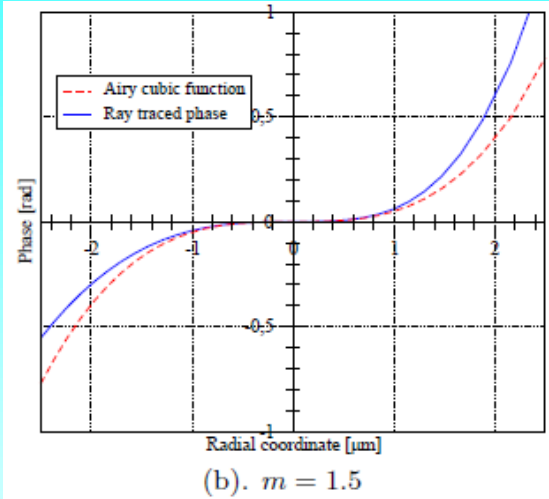
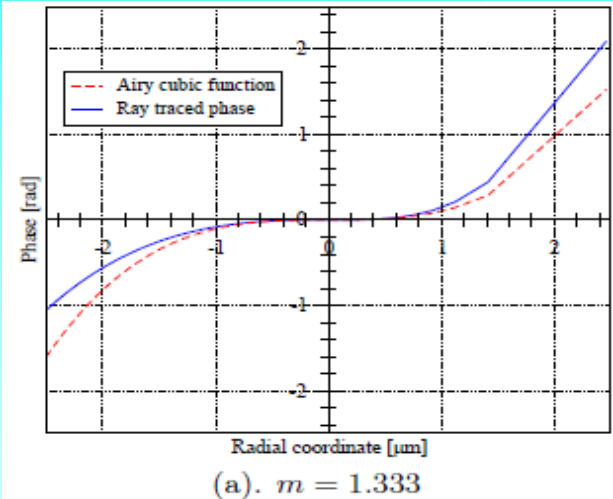
- All values are calculated **numerically**,
- **Without any hypothesis/condition.**
- The model is directly applicable to **any shaped particle.**



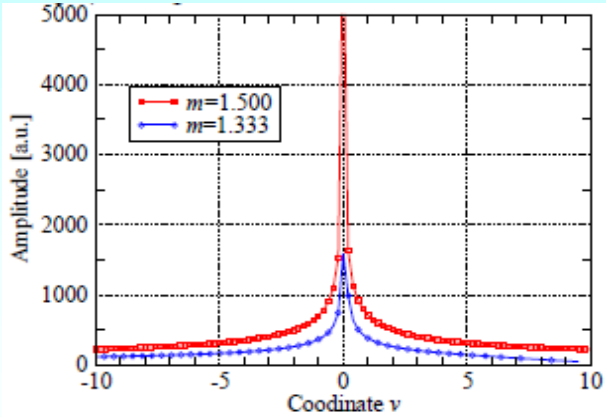
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Airy theory in 21st century

Phases
calculated
by Airy and
VCRM



Amplitudes
calculated
by Airy and
VCRM



Ray Theory of Wave

Toward the *Ray theory of wave*

VCRM can predict much better Airy structure than the Airy theory and can be applied directly to non-spherical particle.

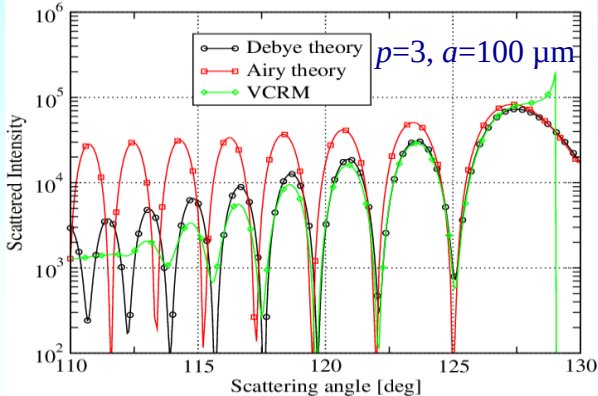
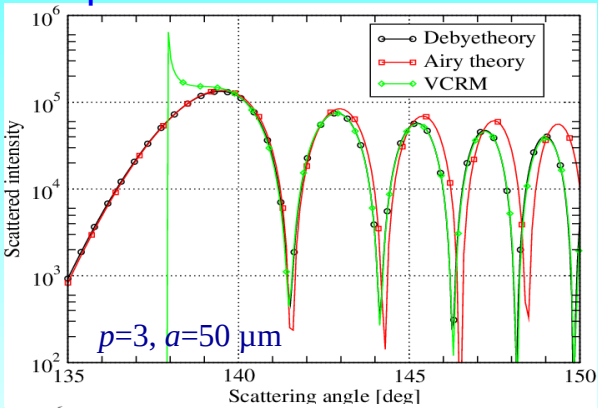
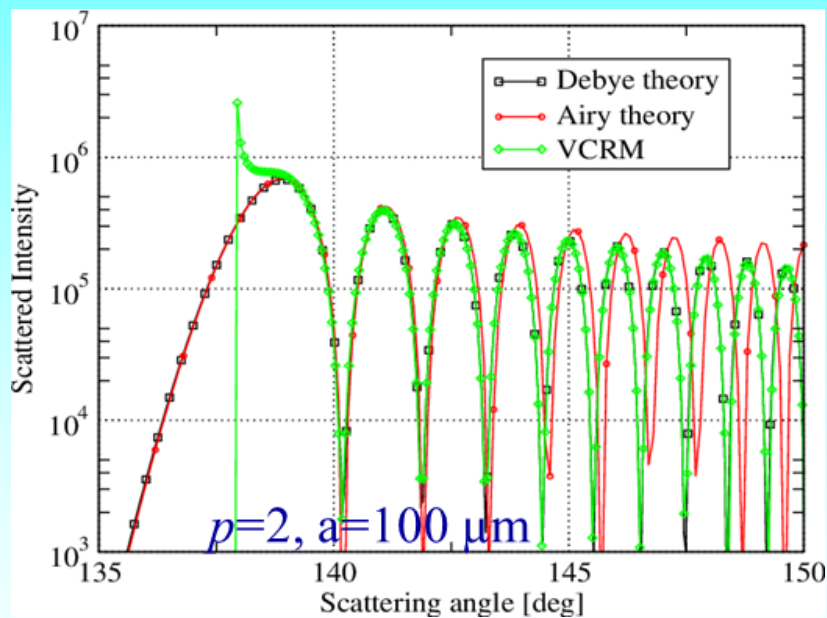
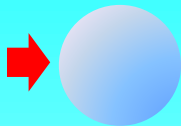
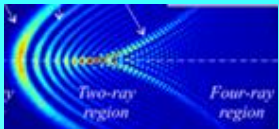
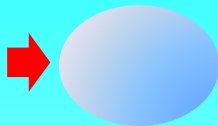


Fig. 3 Comparison of Airy structure calculated with the three methods.

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Motivations *An example*

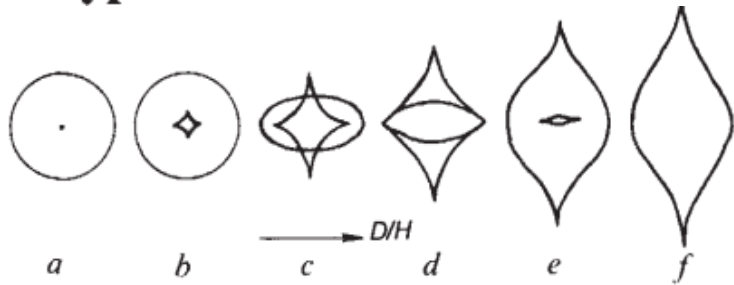


➤ Understanding of the natural phenomena:

- Fine structure of rainbow
- Optical caustics, cusp and catastrophes

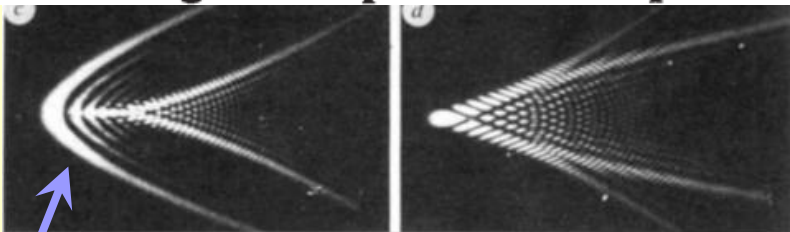
J. F. Nye, *Nature* (London) 312, 531 (1984)

Rainbow scattering from spheroidal drops—an explanation of the hyperbolic umbilic foci

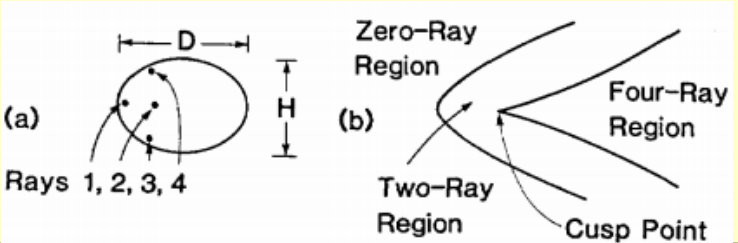


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Hyperbolic umbilic diffraction catastrophe and rainbow scattering from spheroidal drops

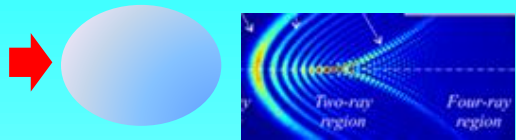


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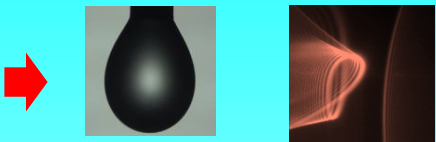


Can we predict the fine structure ?

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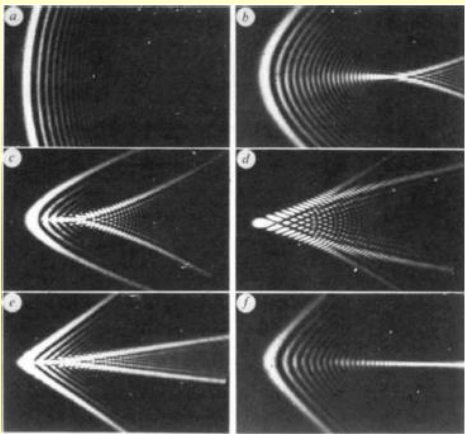


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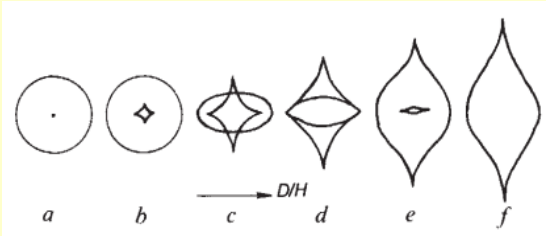


➤ Application to multiphase flow:

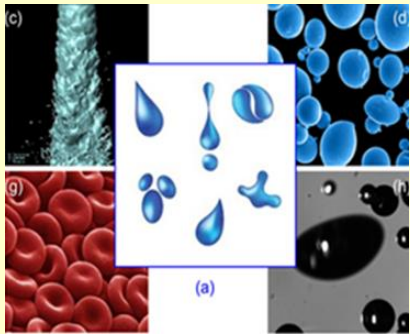
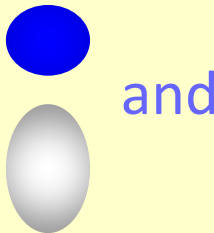
- Fine structure of rainbow
- Optical caustics, cusp and catastrophes



35 years ago
← Marston → Nye



Today
1. Prediction of fine structure
←
2. Inversion
→

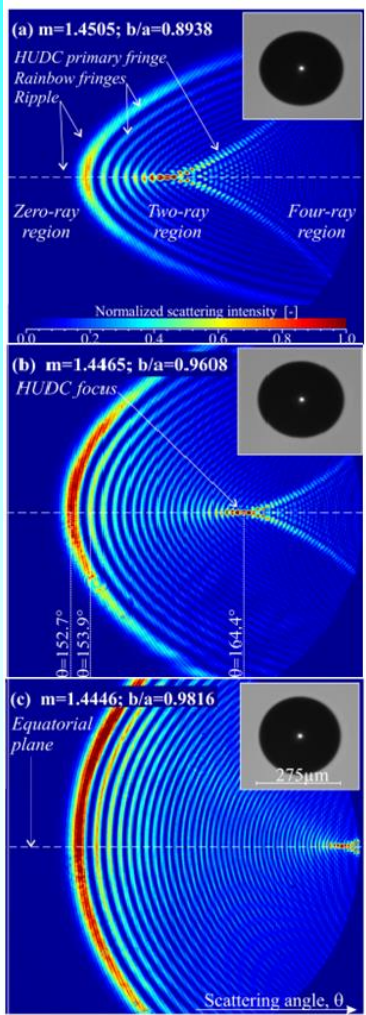
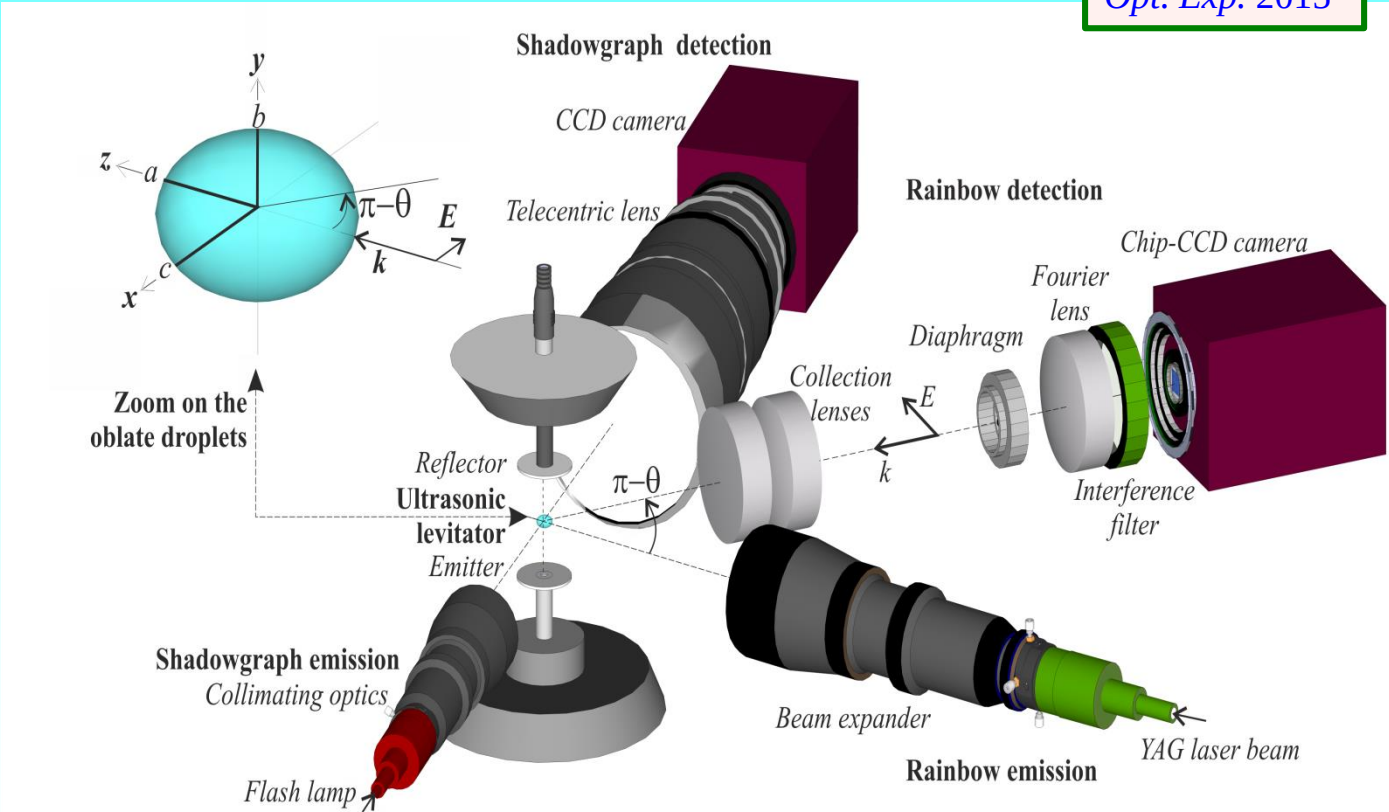


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Experimental validation

➤ Experimental set-up

Figure 3 in
Onofri et al,
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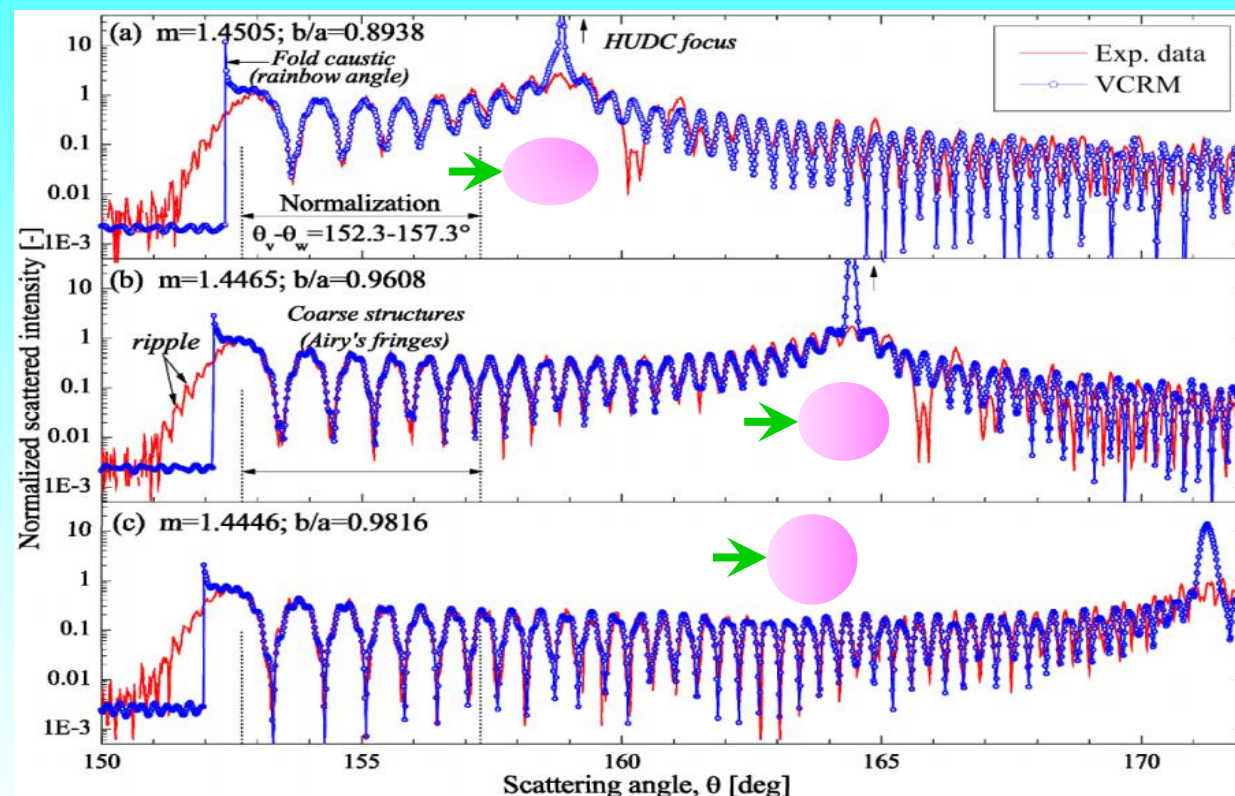
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- Comparison of the results

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DEHS:
Di-Ethyl-Hexyl-
Sebacat

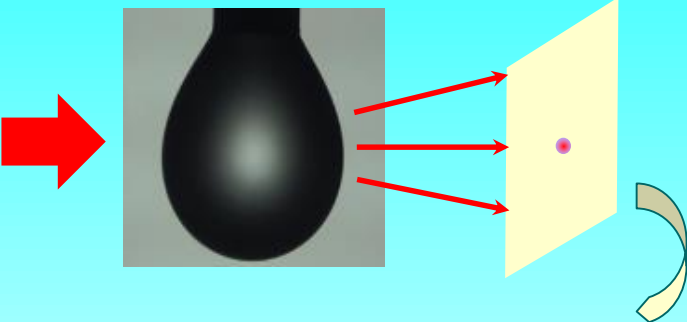
HUDC:
Hyperbolic
Umbilic
Diffraction
Catastrophe



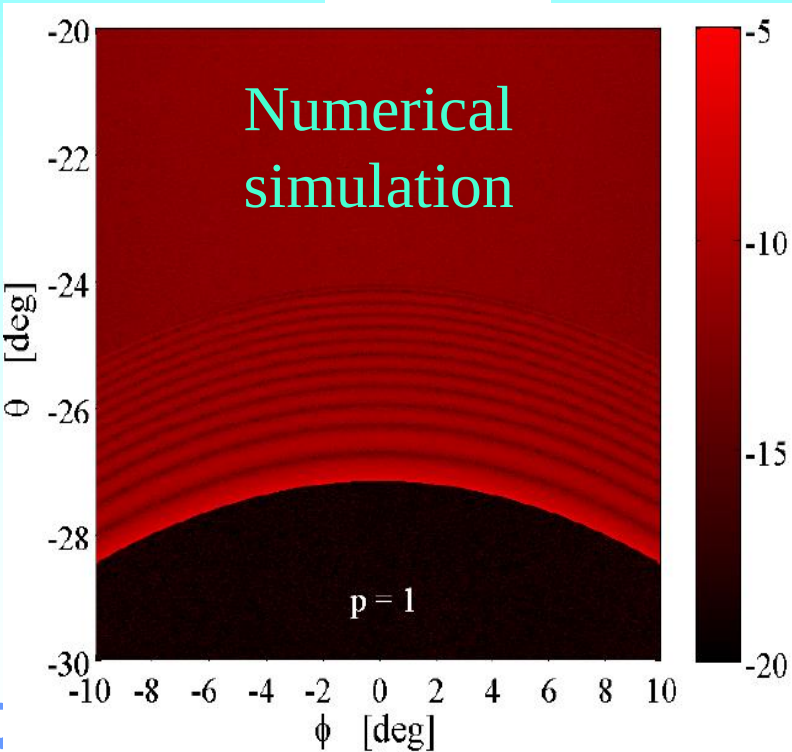
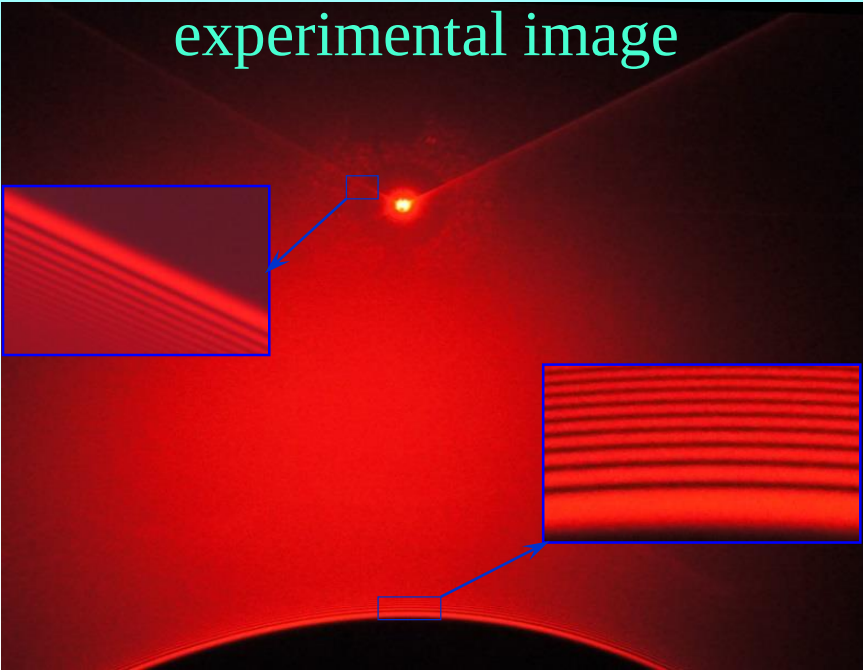
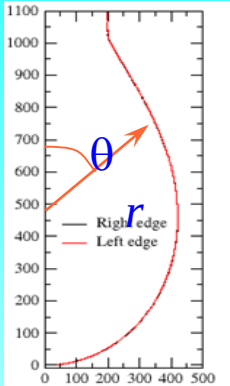
Comparison of VCRM and experimental normalized equatorial scattering diagrams for the droplets of 3 different aspect ratios. From (a) to (c), the droplet's aspect ratio b/a increases and refractive index decreases when the amplitude of the acoustic field is reduced.

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➤ Light scattering by a pendant water drop

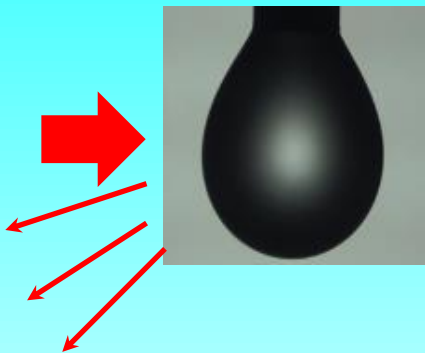


$$r(\theta) = a_0 + \sum_{i=2}^{10} a_i \theta^i$$

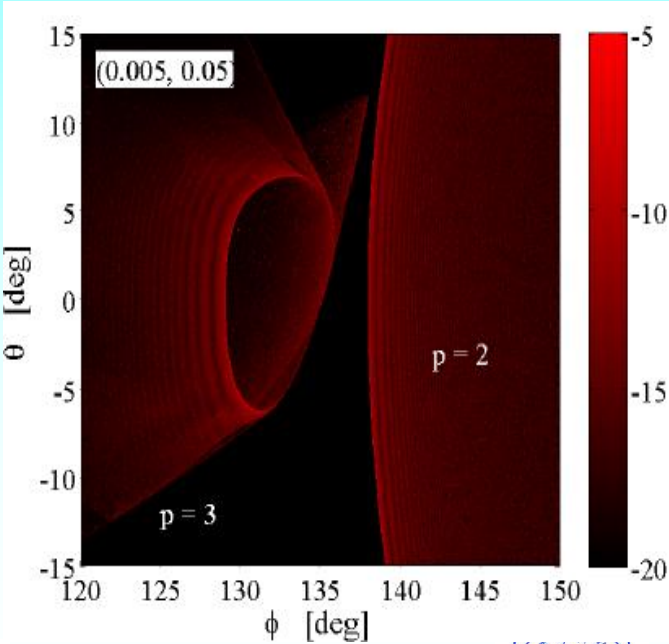
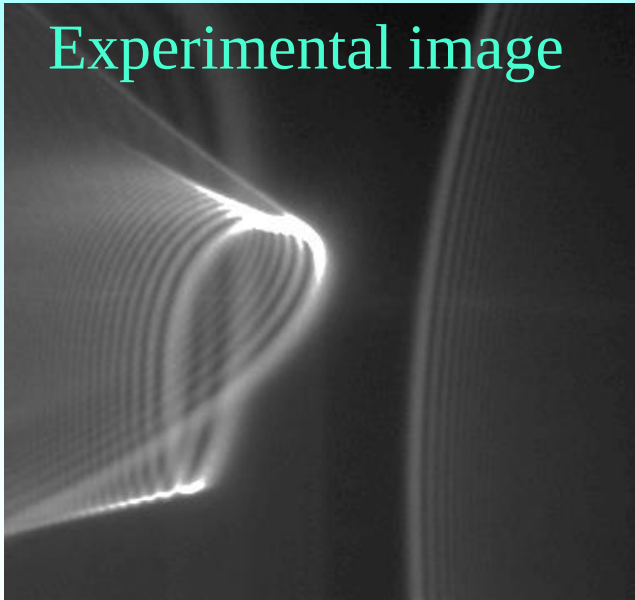
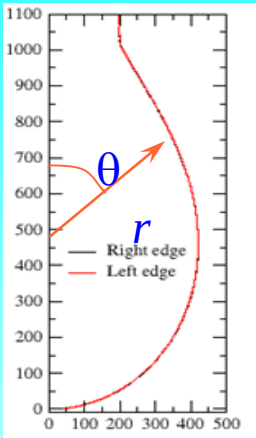


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➤ Shaped beams in VCRM

- Electric field of a wave:

$$\tilde{E}(x, y, z) = E(x, y, z)e^{i\varphi(x, y, z)}$$

Where $E(x, y, z)$ is the amplitude and $\varphi(x, y, z)$ the phase.

- Propagation direction

$$\hat{k} = \frac{\nabla\varphi(x, y, z)}{\|\nabla\varphi(x, y, z)\|}$$

- Curvature matrix of the wave front surface:

The wave front surface being $\varphi(x, y, z) = \text{Const.}$ the principal directions and the principal curvatures are determined by the *generalized eigenvalues problem*:

$$\begin{vmatrix} L - \kappa E & M - \kappa F \\ M - \kappa F & N - \kappa G \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

E, F, G and L, M, N are respectively parameters of the first and the second fundamental forms of $\varphi = C$.

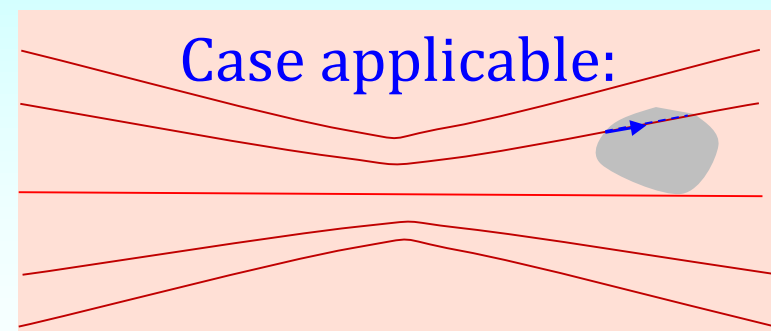
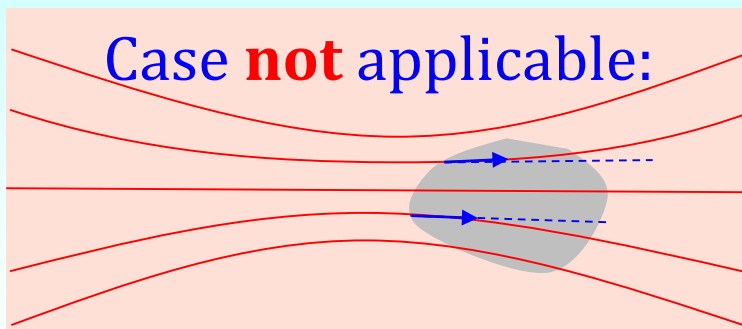
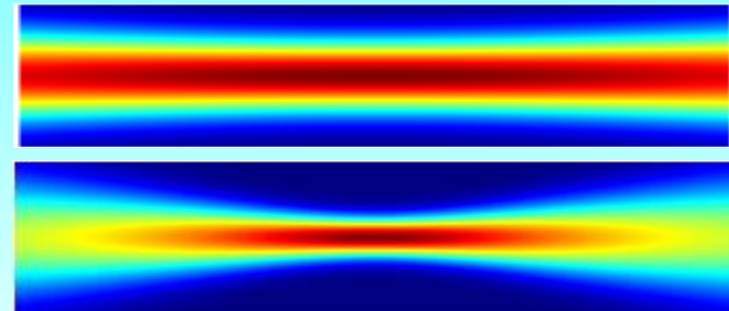
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➤ Shaped beams in VCRM

Light beam in VCRM

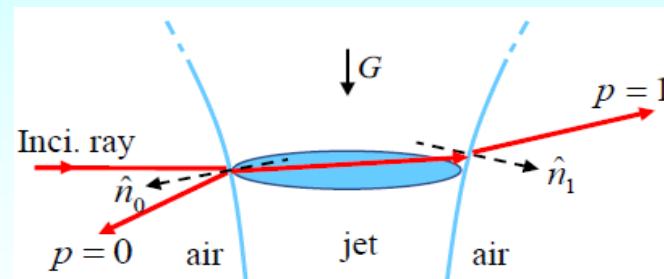
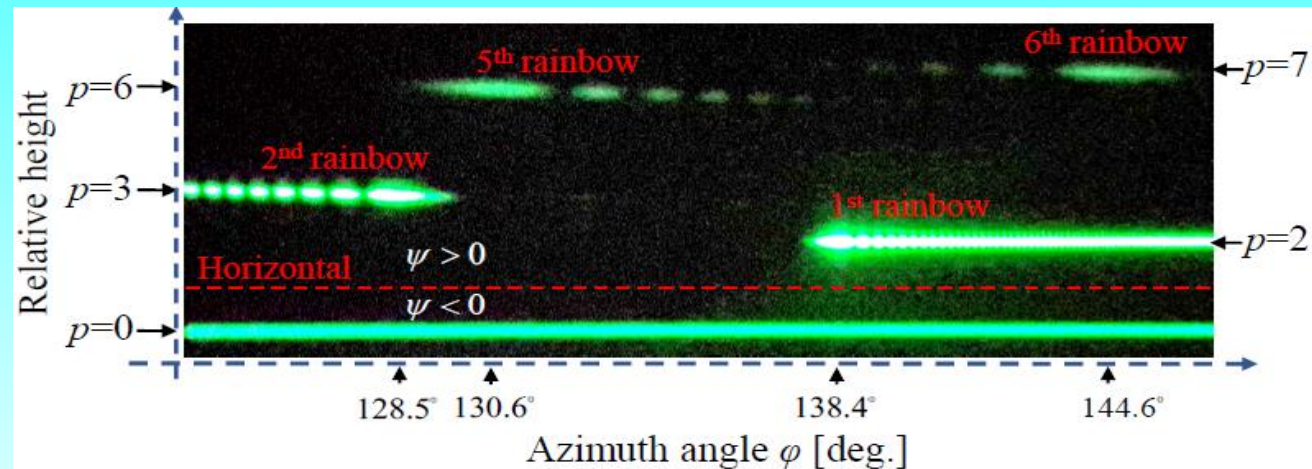
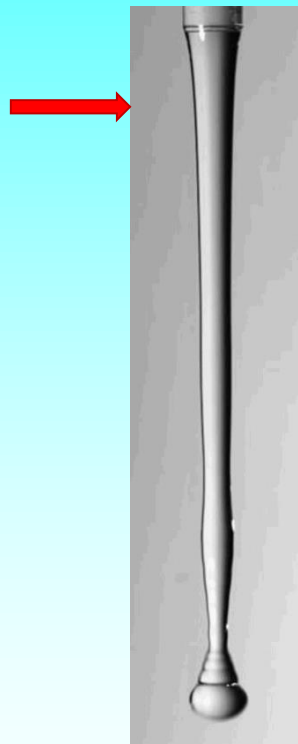
1. The object is large compared to the wavelength.
2. The rays propagate **rectilinearly** / **straightly** in a homogeneous medium, at least approximately in the scale of the object.

- No problem for collimated beams
- For focused beam,
The object should be small and far from the beam waist.



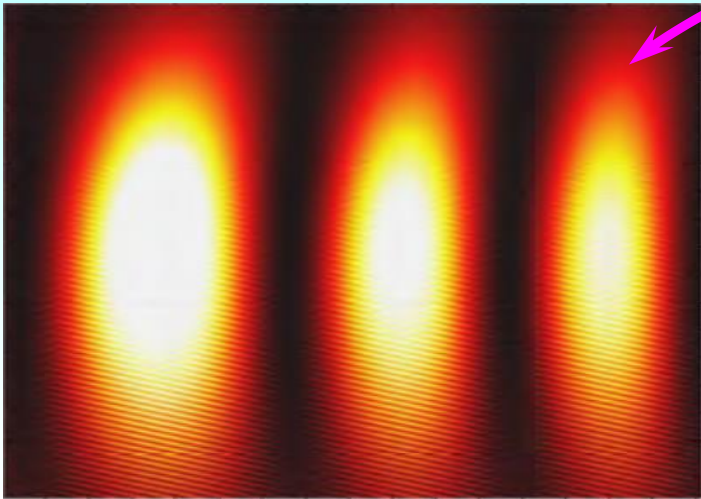
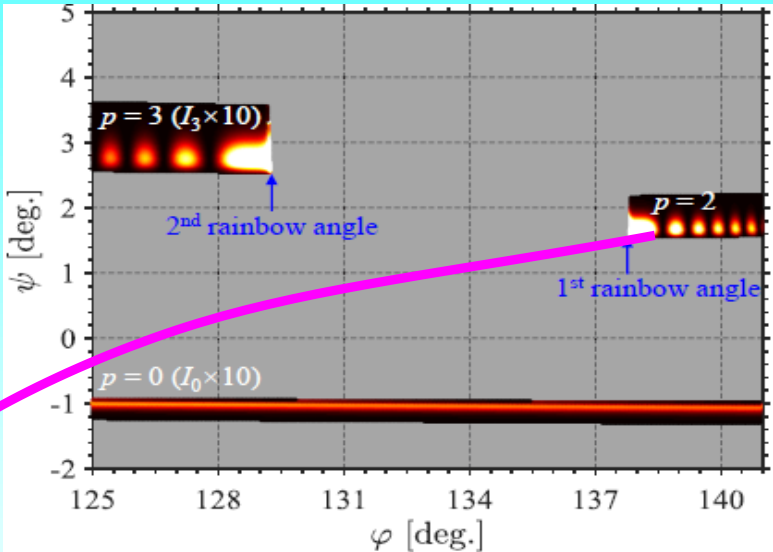
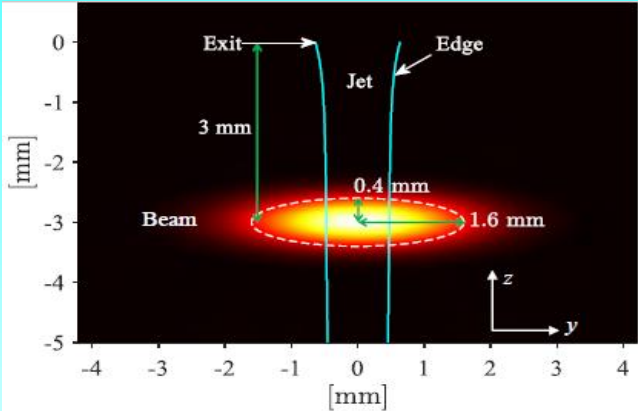
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- Scattering of an elliptical Gaussian beam by a real liquid jet
- Experimental scattering pattern



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- Scattering of an elliptical Gaussian beam by a real liquid jet
Simulation with VCRM



Conclusions

- **Conclusions**

- The Vectorial Complex Ray model (VCRM) is established.
- VCRM has been validated :
 - theoretically for the spherical and cylindrical particle.
 - numerically for the scattering of a ellipsoid.
 - experimentally for the scattering of an oblate droplet, a real liquid jet and a pendant drop.
- A software for 2D ellipsoid is realized.
- VCRM can be applied to any shaped beams,
- First step to the Ray Theory of Wave achieved.

- **Application fields:**

- Metrology of non-spherical particles in multiphase flow,
- Prediction of radiation force, torque, and stress,
- Application to freeform optical systems,
- Diagnostics for micro-fluidics.

Thank you for your attention

