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Radioactivity

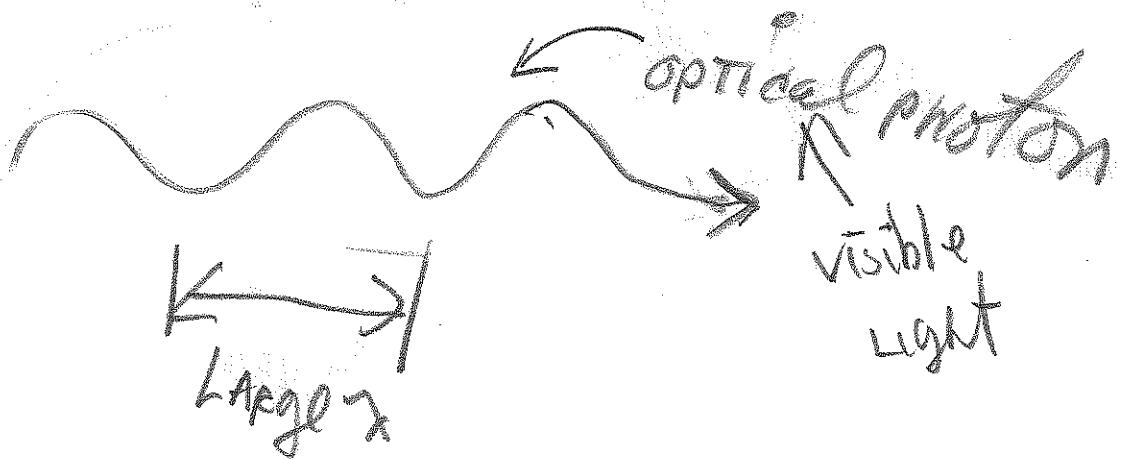
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PM

X-rays \rightarrow see quiz 8, 9.

X-rays have higher frequency than light.

\rightarrow small λ (wavelength)
more ν X-ray photon

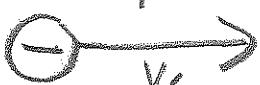


common

XRAY source: electrons slow down

and Radiate X-RAYS.

$$KE_i = \frac{1}{2}mv_i^2$$



$v = \text{speed}$

$$KE_f = \frac{1}{2}mv_f^2$$



RADIATION

Electrons
LOSE KE and
cause RADIATION
ENERGY.

common Radioactive BYPRODUCTS

A) Alpha = He nucleus
particle

+⁺⁺
2 protons
+2e
charge

B) beta = electron
particle

C) Gamma = high energy (small λ)
RAY
photon: see Fig 33.2

APPLICATIONS

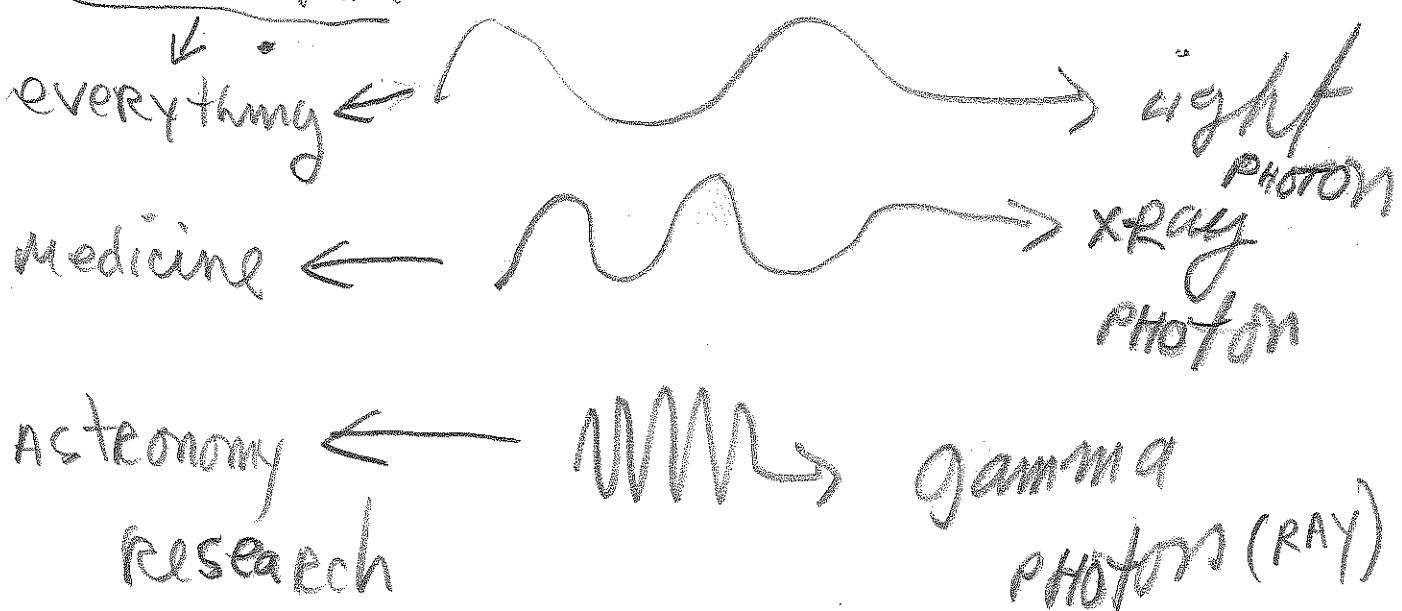


Fig 33.3 $\beta^- \rightarrow$ electron
 α (He nucleus 4^+)
 γ beta

Note: only β and γ bend in magnetic field since they are charged (CH 24)

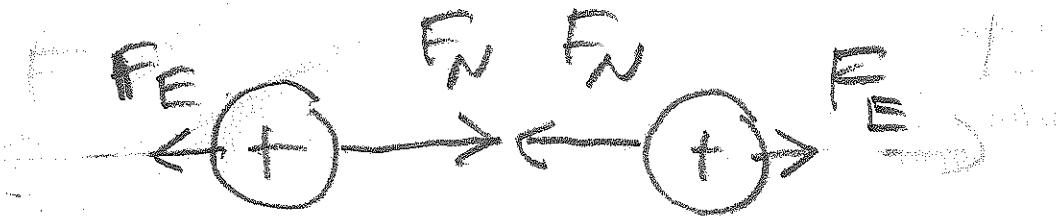
Environmental Radiation Statistics:

* 75% = "Background"
("cosmic rays, radon, etc")

* 0.003% = NUKES
which is more dangerous?

atomic nucleus and
nuclear stability: p 584

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$F_E < F_N$ when protons
↑ . ↑ are close.

electric nuclear force

force

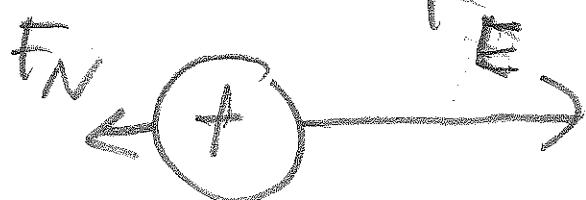


repulsive



attractive

LARGE nucleus;
(PROTONS FAR APART)



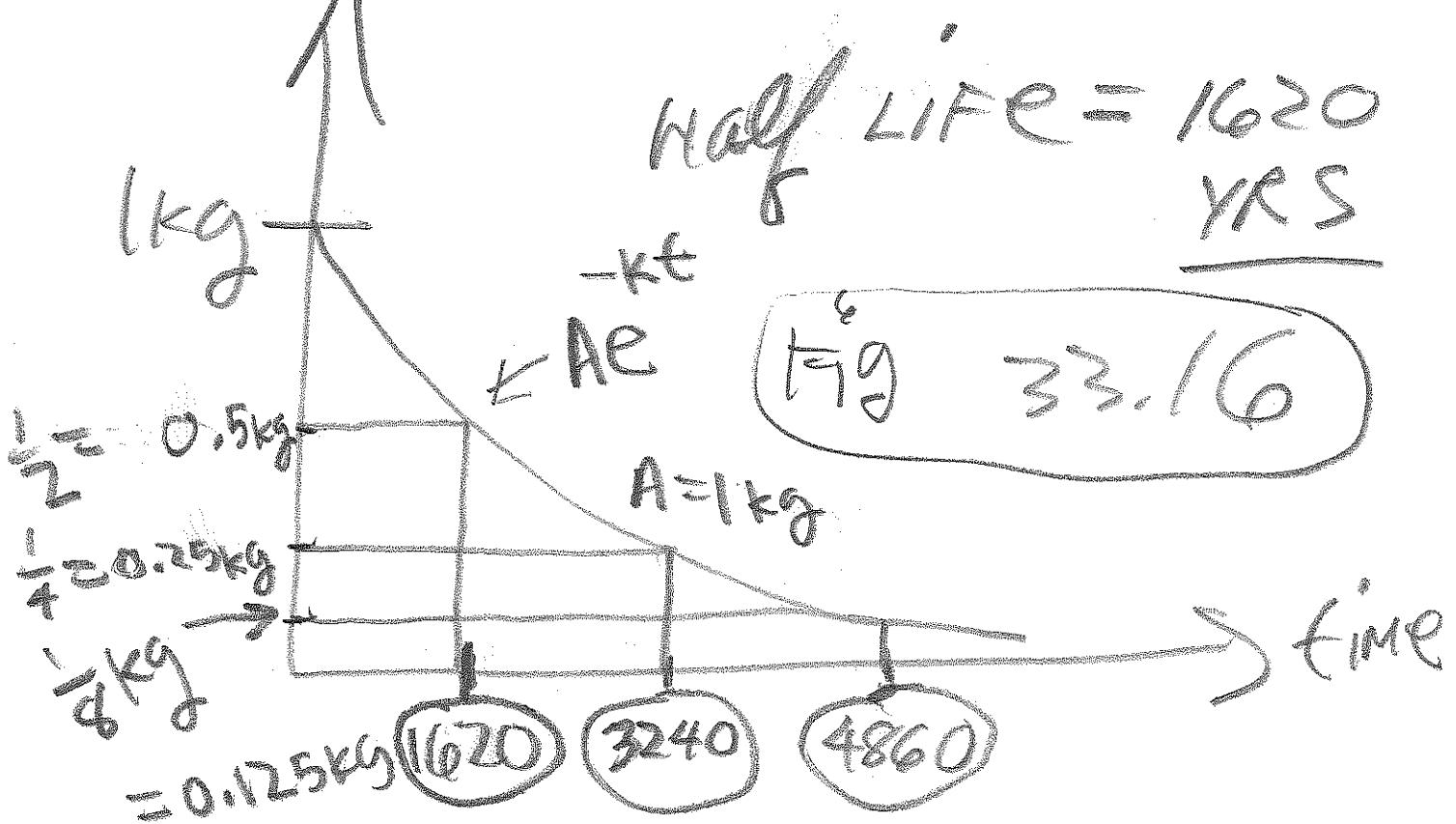
$$F_N < F_E$$

unstable!

will come apart (decay)
due to electric
repulsion

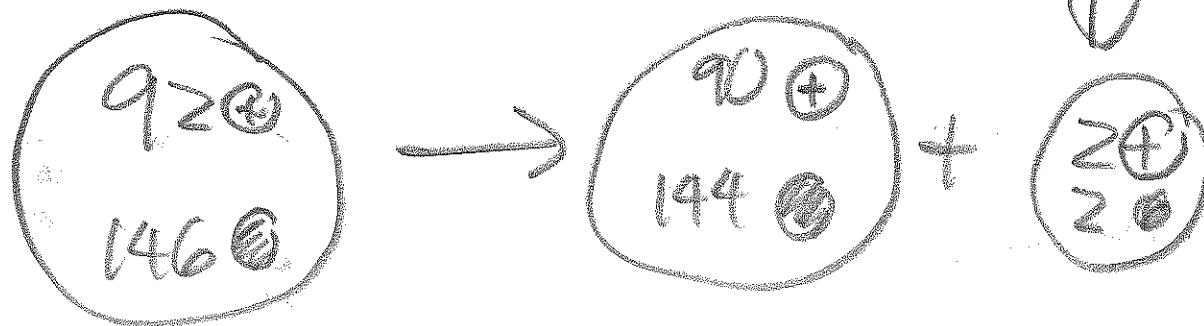
Half life for decay

quantity (kg)



Transmutation:

α -PARTICLE



$^{92}_{238}$
protons $@ +$

$$\text{Note: } q_2 = q_0 + 2$$

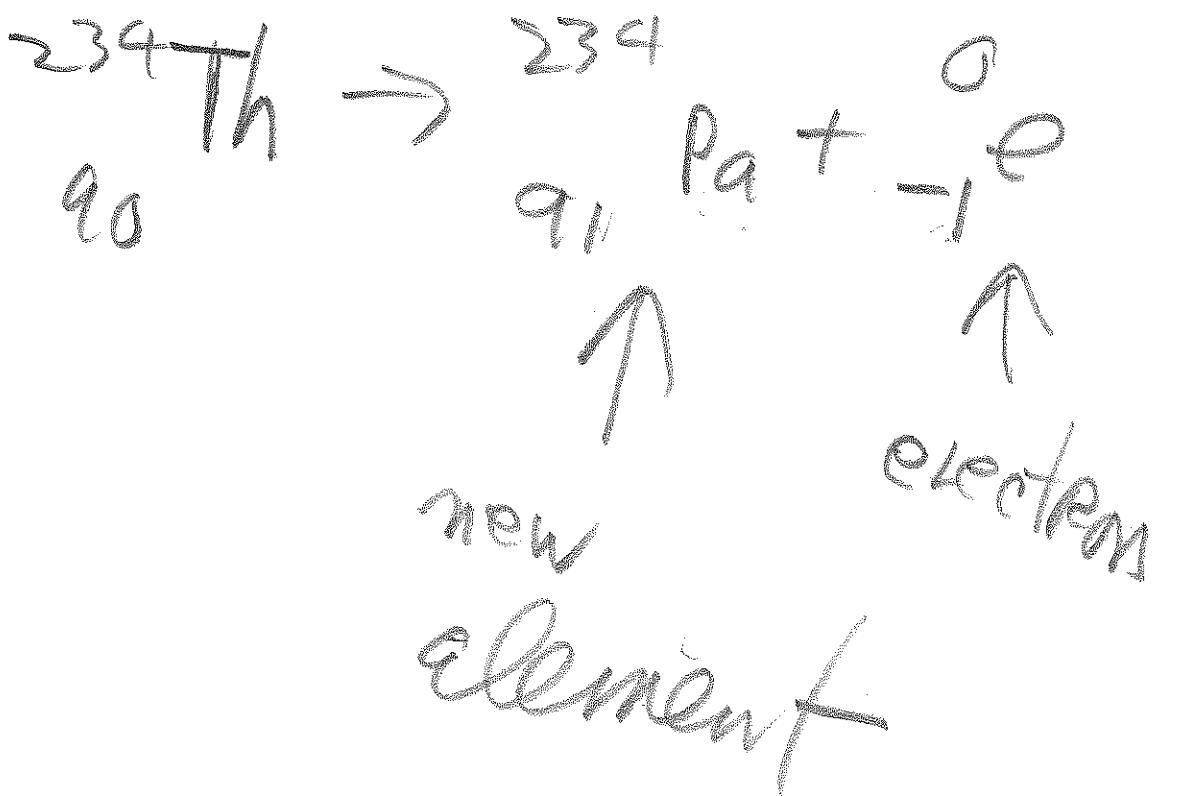
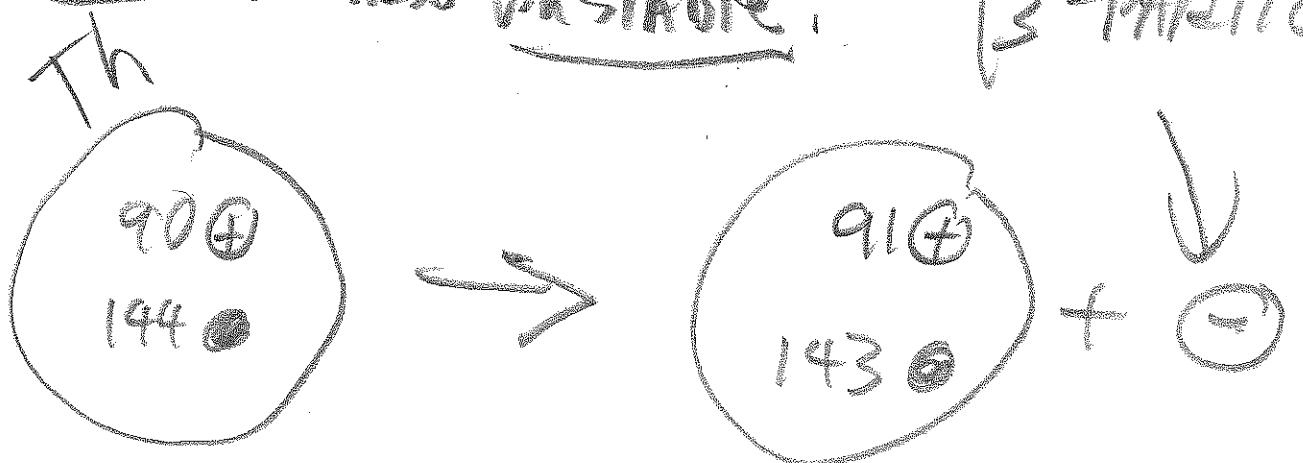
$$238 - 92$$

$$= 146 neutrons @$$

$$146 = 144 + 2$$

conservation of charge:
 $q_2 = q_0 + 2$

NOTE: Th is less unstable: β^- -particle



after break-fission

Atomic Bombs, reactors

cat : Thin lens (converging)

Ch 28 concepts

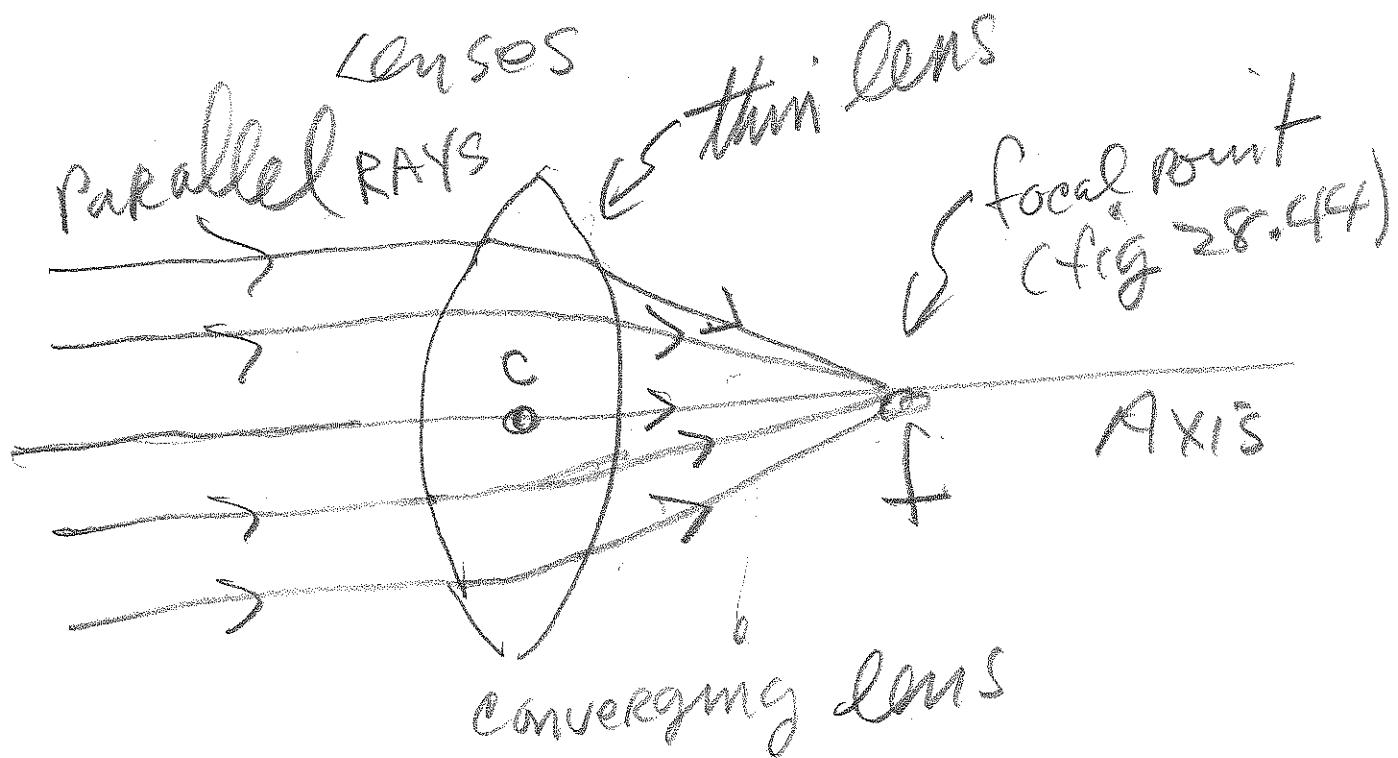
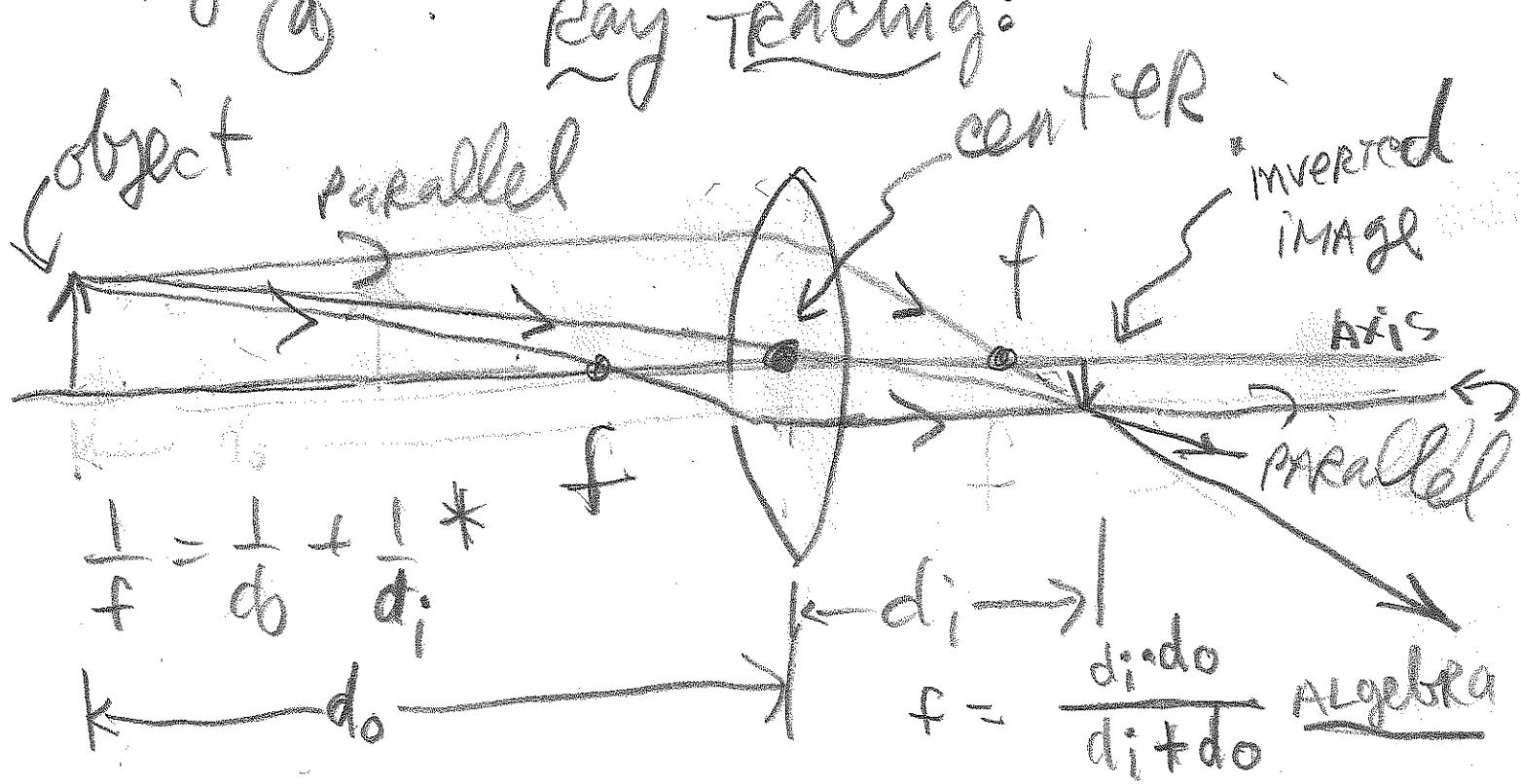


fig 28.42

Ray Tracing:



Data Sheet THIN LENS: DETERMINATION OF f (converging lens.)

do	$d_{obest} = \text{AVERAGE of } 4*$ $\Delta d_{o\text{inst}} = 0.05\text{cm}$ $(d_{o\text{max}} - d_{o\text{min}})/4$ Δd_o (larger of previous two.)	{ f values }
di	$d_{ibest} = \text{AVERAGE of } 4**$ $\Delta d_{i\text{inst}} = 0.05$ $(d_{i\text{max}} - d_{i\text{min}})/4$ Δd_i (larger of previous two.)	{ f values }
f_{best}	$d_{obest} * d_{ibest} / (d_{obest} + d_{ibest}) = f$ NOTE: $d_o = \frac{d_{obest} + d_{ibest}}{2}$ $d_o = \text{AVERAGE} **$	*

Do NOT MOVE lens!

Compare f_{best} and f_{acc} with the overall error, which gives the range, as discussed in class. Does the accepted value of f fall within the range centered at the best value? Hint: Check if $f_{\text{min}} < f_{\text{acc}} < f_{\text{max}}$, where f_{min} is the minimum possible using the values of the uncertainty and plugging into the formula by subtracting the uncertainty in the numerator and adding the uncertainty in the denominator; similar reverse logic should be used to get f_{max} : add in the numerator and subtract in the denominator.

Percent error for f

$$\frac{f_{\text{exp}} - f_{\text{acc}}}{f_{\text{acc}}} \times 100\%$$

$f_{\text{acc}} = 20\text{cm}$
or
 10cm

$f_{\text{exp}} = \text{your value}$

$d_i = \text{AVERAGE} = d_{\text{best}}$

Theoretical magnification $m =$

ACTUAL MAGNIFICATION $m =$

Percent error for magnification m

$$= \left| \frac{d_i/d_o - h_i/h_o}{d_i/d_o} \right| \times 100\%$$

→ ACTUAL MAGNIFICATION = RATIO OF ARROW HEIGHTS

$$m = \frac{h_i}{h_o}$$

$h_i \leftarrow \text{ARROW on screen}$

$h_o \leftarrow \text{ARROW on LIGHT}$