Physics Assignment 1_22nd June2020_IBDP y2_Topic 4.4

- Q1. Red light of wavelength $6.8 \times 10^{-7} m$ in air enters glass with a refractive index of 1.583, with an angle of incidence of 38°. Calculate: a) the angle of refraction
 - b) the speed of light in the glass
 - c) the wavelength of light in the glass.
- Q2. Light of frequency 6.0×10^{14} Hz is emitted from point A and is directed toward point B a distance of 3.0 m away.
 - a) Determine how long will it take light to get to **B**.
 - b) Calculate how many waves fit in the space between A and B.
- Q3. A ray of light is incident on a rectangular block of glass of refractive index 1.450 at an angle of 40° , as shown in the diagram. The thickness of the block is 4.00 cm. Calculate the amount *d* by which the ray is deviated.



Assignment No 2_IBDPy2_Physics_26th June2020

- Q1. The speed of sound in air is 340 m/s and in water it is 1500 m/s. Determine the angle at which a beam of sound waves must hit the air– water boundary so that no sound is transmitted into the water.
- Q2. Planar waves of wavelength 1.0 cm approach an aperture whose opening is also 1.0 cm. Draw the wavefronts of this wave as they emerge through the aperture.
- Q3. Repeat question **5** for waves of wavelength 1 mm approaching an aperture of size 20 cm.
- Q4. A radio station, R, emits radio waves of wavelength 1600 m which reach a house, H, directly and after reflecting from a mountain, M, behind the house (see diagram). The reception at the house is very poor. Estimate the shortest possible distance between the house and the mountain. (Pay attention to phase changes.)

Assignment 3_Phy_IBy2_29th June 20_week2

- 1. A man is swimming underwater at a depth of 2.0 m. The man looks upwards.
 - a) Explain why he can see the world outside the water only through a circle on the surface of the water.
 - b) Calculate the radius of this circle given that the refractive index of water is 1.33.
 - c) Discuss how the answer to **b** changes (if at all) if he looks up from a greater depth.
 - d) Sound waves travelling in air approach an air–water boundary. The speed of sound in air is 340 m/s and in water it is 1500 m/s. The wavefronts make an angle of 12° with the boundary.



- (i) Calculate the angle the wavefronts in the water make with the boundary.
- (ii) Draw three wavefronts in the water.
- (iii)Use your answer to **ii** to suggest why a person swimming underwater near a noisy beach does not hear much noise.

Assignment 4_IBDP y2_Phy_3rd July_Friday

- Q1. Describe what is meant by a standing wave. List the ways in which a standing wave differs from a travelling wave.
- Q2. Outline how a standing wave is formed.
- Q3. In the context of standing waves describe what is meant by: a node b antinode

c wave speed.