

# **Crossed Parabolic Cylinder Meridional Maximum Refraction**

10 Questions

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1. A parabola has a single defining external constant **BK** along its axis which equals:

- a)  $CB/2$
- b)  $CB$
- c)  $2CB$
- d)  $4CB$

2. When  $\mathbb{R} = 1.5$ , the axial refractive effects of a parabola are additive as:

a)  $1/BK$

b)  $1/BC$

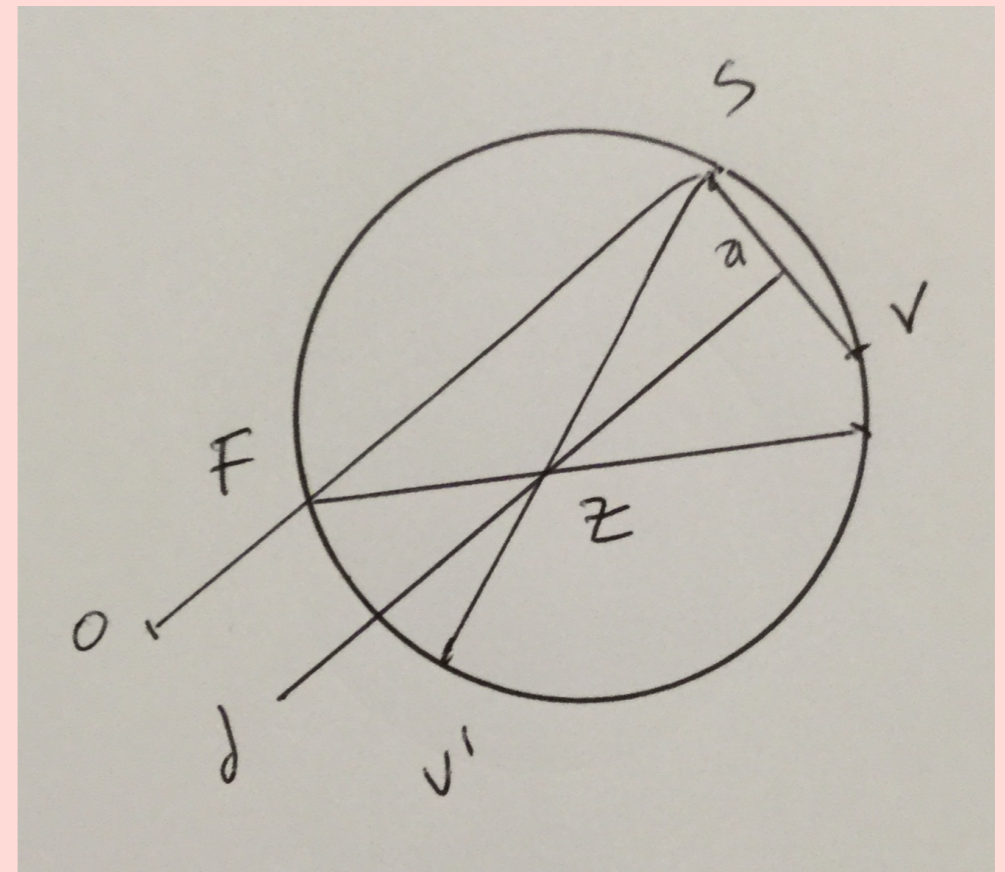
c)  $SB/SN$

d)  $SB/2(SN)^2$

3. When  $\Delta\mathbf{OSV}$  is constant, as variable diameter  $\mathbf{SV'}$  approaches  $\mathbf{SF}$ :

- a)  $\angle FV'V$  decreases
- b)  $\angle FV'V$  remains the same
- c)  $\angle FV'V$  increases
- d)  $\angle FV'V$  approaches  $\pi$

4. Given  $\triangle OSV$  and  $ad$ , the easiest way to find the circle with a variable diameter  $SV'$  and a chord  $FZV'$  is by using:



- a) a ruler
- b) a compass and a ruler
- c) a template of circles with marked diameters
- d) an App

5. A geometric solution for:

$$\text{Limit}_{\Delta\theta \Rightarrow 0} \frac{\Delta(\sin^2 \theta)}{\Delta\theta} \sim \text{LD}$$

is found using:

- a) properties of a cyclic quadrilateral
- b) the quotient rule
- c) the chain rule
- d) the law of sines

6. The methods discussed in this course for finding the crossed parabolic cylinder meridional maximum refraction assumes:

a) all oblique cross sections of parabolic cylinders are parabolas

b)  $\mathbb{R} = 1.5$

c) all oblique cross sections of parabolic cylinders are hyperbolas

d) a & b

7. When  $\angle \mathbf{FSV}$  is constant, and the equation:

$$\angle \mathbf{FSV} + (\theta + \alpha) = \pi$$

can be geometrically solved for both  $\theta$  and  $\alpha$ , (with the use of an additional geometrical representation involving  $\theta$  and  $\alpha$ ), which equation can represent another possible geometrical solution?

a)  $\angle \mathbf{FSV} + 2(\theta + \alpha) = \pi$

b)  $2\angle \mathbf{FSV} + 2(\theta + \alpha) = 2\pi$

c)  $2\angle \mathbf{FSV} + 2(\theta + \alpha) = \pi$

d)  $2\angle \mathbf{FSV} + 2\theta + \alpha = \pi$



8. In order to find a parabola's internal determining point in terms of its axial center of curvature:

- a) Lines parallel to the axis must be perpendicular to the surface.
- b) Lines perpendicular to surface points and crossing the parabola's axis need only maintain a geometrical relationship with the hypothetical internal determining point.
- c) Lines perpendicular to surface points and crossing the parabola's axis need only maintain a geometrical relationship with lines parallel to the axis.
- d) Lines perpendicular to surface points and crossing the parabola's axis must maintain a geometrical relationship with both the hypothetical internal determining point, and lines parallel to the axis.

9. The shape of a parabola changes according to its:

- a) axial center of curvature
- b) internal determining point
- c) external determining point
- d) The shape of a parabola does not change.

10. Given an index of refraction  $\mathbb{R} = 1.75$ , the refractive power of a parabola equals:

- a)  $SB/SN^2$
- b)  $1.5 (SB/SN^2)$
- c)  $1.75 (SB/SN^2)$
- d)  $2 (SB/SN^2)$

# Key

1. c
2. a
3. b
4. c
5. a
6. d
7. b
8. d
9. d
10. b