

Important Devices with Optical Components Formulas PDF



Formulas Examples with Units

List of 14 Important Devices with Optical Components Formulas

1) Angle of Rotation of Plane of Polarization Formula

Formula

$$\theta = 1.8 \cdot B \cdot L_m$$

Example with Units

$$19.53_{\text{rad}} = 1.8 \cdot 0.35_{\text{T}} \cdot 31_{\text{m}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

2) Apex Angle Formula

Formula

$$A = \tan(\alpha)$$

Example with Units

$$8.1673^\circ = \tan(-3)$$

Evaluate Formula 

3) Brewsters Angle Formula

Formula

$$\theta_B = \arctan\left(\frac{n_1}{n_{ri}}\right)$$

Example with Units

$$56.0463^\circ = \arctan\left(\frac{1.5}{1.01}\right)$$

Evaluate Formula 

4) Current Due to Optically Generated Carrier Formula

Formula

$$i_{\text{opt}} = q \cdot A_{\text{pn}} \cdot g_{\text{op}} \cdot (W + L_{\text{dif}} + L_p)$$

Evaluate Formula 

Example with Units

$$0.6_{\text{mA}} = 0.3_{\text{C}} \cdot 4.8_{\mu\text{m}^2} \cdot 2.9_{\text{e}13} \cdot (6.79_{\mu\text{m}} + 5.477816_{\mu\text{m}} + 2.1_{\mu\text{m}})$$

5) Diffraction using Fresnel-Kirchoff Formula Formula

Formula

$$\theta_{\text{dif}} = \text{asin}\left(1.22 \cdot \frac{\lambda_{\text{vis}}}{D}\right)$$

Example with Units

$$0.0061_{\text{rad}} = \text{asin}\left(1.22 \cdot \frac{500_{\text{nm}}}{0.1_{\text{mm}}}\right)$$

Evaluate Formula 



6) Diffusion Coefficient of Electron Formula

Formula

$$D_E = \mu_e \cdot [\text{BoltZ}] \cdot \frac{T}{[\text{Charge-e}]}$$

Example with Units

$$0.0034 \text{ m}^2/\text{s} = 1000 \text{ cm}^2/\text{V}^* \text{s} \cdot 1.4\text{E-}23/\text{K} \cdot \frac{393 \text{ K}}{1.6\text{E-}19 \text{ c}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

7) Diffusion Length of Transition Region Formula

Formula

$$L_{\text{dif}} = \frac{i_{\text{opt}}}{q \cdot A_{\text{pn}} \cdot g_{\text{op}}} - (W + L_p)$$

Example with Units

$$5.4778 \mu\text{m} = \frac{0.60 \text{ mA}}{0.3 \text{ c} \cdot 4.8 \mu\text{m}^2 \cdot 2.9\text{e}13} - (6.79 \mu\text{m} + 2.1 \mu\text{m})$$

Evaluate Formula 

8) Effective Density of States in Conduction Band Formula

Formula

$$N_{\text{eff}} = 2 \cdot \left(2 \cdot \pi \cdot m_{\text{eff}} \cdot [\text{BoltZ}] \cdot \frac{T}{[\text{hP}]^2} \right)^{\frac{3}{2}}$$

Example with Units

$$3.9\text{E+}24 = 2 \cdot \left(2 \cdot 3.1416 \cdot 0.2\text{e-}30 \text{ kg} \cdot 1.4\text{E-}23/\text{K} \cdot \frac{393 \text{ K}}{6.6\text{E-}34^2} \right)^{\frac{3}{2}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

9) Electron Concentration under Unbalanced Condition Formula

Formula

$$n_e = n_i \cdot \exp\left(\frac{F_n - E_i}{[\text{BoltZ}] \cdot T}\right)$$

Example with Units

$$0.3392 \text{ electrons/m}^3 = 3.6 \text{ electrons/m}^3 \cdot \exp\left(\frac{3.7 \text{ eV} - 3.78 \text{ eV}}{1.4\text{E-}23/\text{K} \cdot 393 \text{ K}}\right)$$

Evaluate Formula 



10) Excitation Energy Formula

Formula

$$E_{\text{exc}} = 1.6 \cdot 10^{-19} \cdot 13.6 \cdot \left(\frac{m_{\text{eff}}}{[\text{Mass-e}]} \right) \cdot \left(\frac{1}{[\text{Permittivity-silicon}]^2} \right)$$

Evaluate Formula 

Example with Units

$$0.0218 \text{ eV} = 1.6 \cdot 10^{-19} \cdot 13.6 \cdot \left(\frac{0.2 \text{e-30 kg}}{9.1 \text{E-31 kg}} \right) \cdot \left(\frac{1}{11.7^2} \right)$$

11) Fringe Spacing given Apex Angle Formula

Formula

$$S_{\text{fri}} = \frac{\lambda_{\text{vis}}}{2 \cdot \tan(\alpha_{\text{opto}})}$$

Example with Units

$$1.4178 \mu = \frac{500 \text{ nm}}{2 \cdot \tan(10^\circ)}$$

Evaluate Formula 

12) Maximum Acceptance Angle of Compound Lens Formula

Formula

$$\theta_{\text{acc}} = \text{asin} \left(n_1 \cdot R_{\text{lens}} \cdot \sqrt{A_{\text{con}}} \right)$$

Example with Units

$$22.0243^\circ = \text{asin} \left(1.5 \cdot 0.0025 \text{ m} \cdot \sqrt{10000} \right)$$

Evaluate Formula 

13) Peak Retardation Formula

Formula

$$\Phi_m = \frac{2 \cdot \pi}{\lambda_0} \cdot r \cdot n_{\text{ri}}^3 \cdot V_m$$

Example with Units

$$80.1349 \text{ rad} = \frac{2 \cdot 3.1416}{3.939 \text{ m}} \cdot 23 \text{ m} \cdot 1.01^3 \cdot 2.12 \text{ v}$$

Evaluate Formula 

14) PN Junction Capacitance Formula

Formula

$$C_j = \frac{A_{\text{pn}}}{2} \cdot \sqrt{\frac{2 \cdot [\text{Charge-e}] \cdot \epsilon_r \cdot [\text{Permittivity-silicon}]}{V_0 - (V)}} \cdot \left(\frac{N_A \cdot N_D}{N_A + N_D} \right)$$

Evaluate Formula 

Example with Units

$$1.9 \text{E+6 fF} = \frac{4.8 \mu \text{m}^2}{2} \cdot \sqrt{\frac{2 \cdot 1.6 \text{E-19 C} \cdot 78 \text{ F/m} \cdot 11.7}{0.6 \text{ v} - (-4 \text{ v})}} \cdot \left(\frac{1 \text{e+22 } 1/\text{m}^3 \cdot 1 \text{e+24 } 1/\text{m}^3}{1 \text{e+22 } 1/\text{m}^3 + 1 \text{e+24 } 1/\text{m}^3} \right)$$



Variables used in list of Devices with Optical Components Formulas above

- **A** Apex Angle (Degree)
- **A_{con}** Positive Constant
- **A_{pn}** PN Junction Area (Square Micrometer)
- **B** Magnetic Flux Density (Tesla)
- **C_j** Junction Capacitance (Femtofarad)
- **D** Diameter of Aperture (Millimeter)
- **D_E** Electron Diffusion Coefficient (Square Meter Per Second)
- **E_{exc}** Excitation Energy (Electron-Volt)
- **E_i** Intrinsic Energy Level of Semiconductor (Electron-Volt)
- **F_n** Quasi Fermi Level of Electrons (Electron-Volt)
- **g_{op}** Optical Generation Rate
- **i_{opt}** Optical Current (Milliampere)
- **L_{dif}** Diffusion Length of Transition Region (Micrometer)
- **L_m** Length of Medium (Meter)
- **L_p** Length of P-Side Junction (Micrometer)
- **m_{eff}** Effective Mass of Electron (Kilogram)
- **n₁** Refractive Index of Medium 1
- **N_A** Acceptor Concentration (1 per Cubic Meter)
- **N_D** Donor Concentration (1 per Cubic Meter)
- **n_e** Electron Concentration (Electrons per Cubic Meter)
- **N_{eff}** Effective Density of States
- **n_i** Intrinsic Electron Concentration (Electrons per Cubic Meter)
- **n_{ri}** Refractive Index
- **q** Charge (Coulomb)
- **r** Length of Fiber (Meter)
- **R_{lens}** Radius of Lens (Meter)
- **S_{fri}** Fringe Space (Micron)

Constants, Functions, Measurements used in list of Devices with Optical Components Formulas above

- **constant(s):** pi, 3.14159265358979323846264338327950288
Archimedes' constant
- **constant(s):** [**BoltZ**], 1.38064852E-23
Boltzmann constant
- **constant(s):** [**Charge-e**], 1.60217662E-19
Charge of electron
- **constant(s):** [**Mass-e**], 9.10938356E-31
Mass of electron
- **constant(s):** [**Permittivity-silicon**], 11.7
Permittivity of silicon
- **constant(s):** [**hP**], 6.626070040E-34
Planck constant
- **Functions:** **arctan**, arctan(Number)
Inverse trigonometric functions are usually accompanied by the prefix - arc. Mathematically, we represent arctan or the inverse tangent function as tan-1 x or arctan(x).
- **Functions:** **asin**, asin(Number)
The inverse sine function, is a trigonometric function that takes a ratio of two sides of a right triangle and outputs the angle opposite the side with the given ratio.
- **Functions:** **ctan**, ctan(Angle)
Cotangent is a trigonometric function that is defined as the ratio of the adjacent side to the opposite side in a right triangle.
- **Functions:** **exp**, exp(Number)
n an exponential function, the value of the function changes by a constant factor for every unit change in the independent variable.
- **Functions:** **sin**, sin(Angle)
Sine is a trigonometric function that describes the ratio of the length of the opposite side of a right triangle to the length of the hypotenuse.
- **Functions:** **sqrt**, sqrt(Number)
A square root function is a function that takes a non-negative number as an input and returns the square root of the given input number.
- **Functions:** **tan**, tan(Angle)
The tangent of an angle is a trigonometric ratio of

- **T** Absolute Temperature (Kelvin)
- **V** Reverse Bias Voltage (Volt)
- **V₀** Voltage Across PN Junction (Volt)
- **V_m** Modulation Voltage (Volt)
- **W** Transition Width (Micrometer)
- **α** Alpha
- **α_{opto}** Angle of Interference (Degree)
- **ε_r** Relative Permittivity (Farad per Meter)
- **θ** Angle of Rotation (Radian)
- **θ_{acc}** Acceptance Angle (Degree)
- **θ_B** Brewster's Angle (Degree)
- **θ_{dif}** Diffraction Angle (Radian)
- **λ_o** Wavelength of Light (Meter)
- **λ_{vis}** Wavelength of Visible Light (Nanometer)
- **μ_e** Mobility of Electron (Square Centimeter per Volt Second)
- **Φ_m** Peak Retardation (Radian)

the length of the side opposite an angle to the length of the side adjacent to an angle in a right triangle.

- **Measurement: Length** in Meter (m), Micrometer (μm), Nanometer (nm), Millimeter (mm), Micron (μ)
Length Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement: Weight** in Kilogram (kg)
Weight Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement: Electric Current** in Milliampere (mA)
Electric Current Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement: Temperature** in Kelvin (K)
Temperature Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement: Area** in Square Micrometer (μm²)
Area Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement: Energy** in Electron-Volt (eV)
Energy Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement: Electric Charge** in Coulomb (C)
Electric Charge Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement: Angle** in Radian (rad), Degree (°)
Angle Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement: Capacitance** in Femtofarad (fF)
Capacitance Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement: Magnetic Flux Density** in Tesla (T)
Magnetic Flux Density Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement: Electric Potential** in Volt (V)
Electric Potential Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement: Diffusivity** in Square Meter Per Second (m²/s)
Diffusivity Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement: Mobility** in Square Centimeter per Volt Second (cm²/V*s)
Mobility Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement: Carrier Concentration** in 1 per Cubic Meter (1/m³)
Carrier Concentration Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement: Permittivity** in Farad per Meter (F/m)
Permittivity Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement: Electron Density** in Electrons per Cubic Meter (electrons/m³)
Electron Density Unit Conversion 





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