

7.8 (a)

$$\frac{d}{ds} (n \frac{dx}{ds}) = \nabla n$$



$$\Rightarrow \left. \begin{aligned} \frac{d}{ds} (n \frac{dr}{ds}) &= \frac{\partial n}{\partial r} \\ \frac{d}{ds} (n \frac{dz}{ds}) &= 0 \end{aligned} \right\}$$

$$\Rightarrow n \cos \theta = \text{const} \Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{\cos \theta_0}{\sqrt{1 - \alpha^2 r^2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dz}{dr} = \cot \theta = \frac{\cos \theta_0}{\sqrt{\sin^2 \theta_0 - \alpha^2 r^2}}$$

integrating \rightarrow

$$r = \frac{\sin \theta_0}{\alpha} \left| \sin \left(\frac{\alpha z}{\cos \theta_0} \right) \right|$$

$$(b) \quad dt = \frac{ds}{v} = \frac{ds}{c} n = \frac{dz}{c} \frac{n}{\cos \theta}$$

$$= \frac{dz}{c} \frac{n_0 \left[1 - \frac{\sin^2 \theta_0}{2} \left(1 - \cos \frac{2\alpha z}{\cos \theta_0} \right) \right]}{\cos \theta_0}$$

$$\Rightarrow T = \int dt \approx \int_0^L \frac{n_0}{c} dz \frac{1 - \theta_0^2/2}{1 - \theta_0^2/2 + O(\theta_0^4)}$$

$$= \frac{n_0 L}{c} (1 + O(\theta_0^4))$$

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7.11 (a) Let $A \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & d \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ free propagation over distance d

$B \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -\frac{2}{R} & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ Spherical mirror

Note $ABABABA - 2bABA - I = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ -\frac{2}{R} & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ with $b = 1 - \frac{4d}{R} + \frac{2d^2}{R^2}$

So $\vec{X}_{k+2} - 2b\vec{X}_{k+1} + \vec{X}_k = (ABABABA - 2bABA - I) \vec{X}_k = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -\frac{2}{R} X_k \end{pmatrix}$

$\Rightarrow X_{k+2} - 2bX_{k+1} + X_k = 0$

(b) $X_{k+2} - 2bX_{k+1} + X_k = 0$ can be solved by assuming $X_k \sim C e^{ik\alpha} + D e^{-ik\alpha}$ and it's easy to verify

$\alpha = \cos^{-1} b$

(c) $d = R, 2R$ and $b = 1 - 8R + 8R^2$

for $R=1$, $b=1$ and $X_k = A$

$R < 1$ or $R > 0$, $b < 1$, all rays oscillate about the optic axis

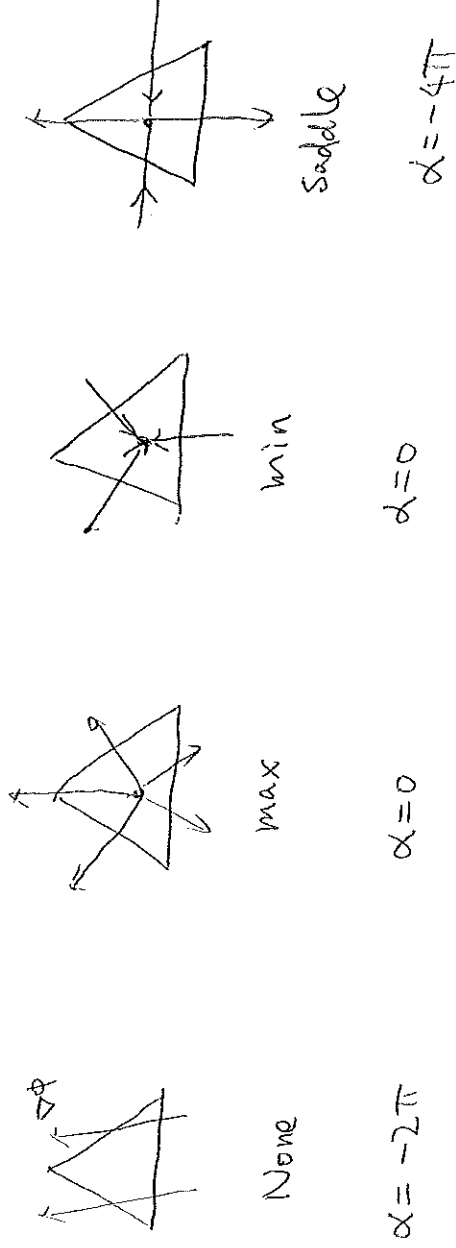
$R > 1$, $b > 1$, α is imaginary and the system is unstable

(d) $\cos \theta = b = 1 - \frac{4d}{R} + \frac{2d^2}{R^2} \Rightarrow \frac{d}{R} = 1 \pm \cos \frac{\theta}{2}$

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4. (a) Since $N_{\text{saddle}} = N_-$ and $N_{\text{max}} + N_{\text{min}} - |N_+ - N_-| = N_+$
 $\Rightarrow N_+ - N_- = 1 \Leftrightarrow N_{\text{max}} + N_{\text{min}} - N_{\text{saddle}} = 2$

(b) Now the triangles are like



$\Rightarrow \alpha = -2\pi (N_{\text{max}} - N_{\text{saddle}} + N_{\text{min}} - F)$

(c)(d) It's obvious that edge contributions vanish, so we only need to consider the vortex. For each vortex, j edges contribute $-j\pi$

$\Rightarrow \alpha = -\sum_{j=1}^V E_j \pi - 2\pi = 2\pi(V - E)$

(e) $\alpha = 2\pi(V - E) = -2\pi (N_{\text{max}} - N_{\text{saddle}} + N_{\text{min}} - F)$

$\Rightarrow N_{\text{max}} + N_{\text{min}} - N_{\text{saddle}} = F - E + V = 2$ (for 2-D sphere)