B.1. DERIVATIONS FOR THE MODULE 7 EXAM

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and therefore

$$\frac{\sin \theta_i}{v_1} = \frac{\sin \theta_r}{v_2} \tag{B.3}$$

2. Mirror equation: Derive the mirror equation

$$\frac{1}{i} + \frac{1}{p} = \frac{1}{f}$$

where i is the image distance, p is the object distance, and f is the focal length of the mirror.

Answer: See Section 3.4. Please note that all the steps must be completed explicitly, including the notes say "after some algebraic manipulation...".

3. Young's experiment: Light of wavelength λ illuminates two thin slits, separated by a distance d. On a distant screen an interference pattern is produced. Define an axis from the slits to the central maximum. Show that every other maximum lies in a direction at an angle θ_m with respect to this axis, given by

$$d \sin \theta_m = m\lambda$$

where $m = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, ...$

Answer: See section 6.1.2.