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Introduction

I would like to invite you all to enjoy the state-of-the-art material presented in these proceedings of the first European Illumination Optics Conference.

When I was asked at SPIE Europe Optical Systems Design, Jena (2005) to chair a conference at Glasgow, Scotland in 2008, I agreed and suggested that we should have an Illumination optics conference. Illumination optics, although it has been around for many centuries as an engineering skill, has recently become of much more interest to many engineers and lighting practitioners especially due to the advances in light emitting diodes as illumination sources. The fairly recent development of both CAD and illumination design software, along with hollow, flexible and solid light transmitting waveguides and solid state illumination sources, has added new and exciting interest to illumination design. This excitement is embodied in the material you will find presented in this proceedings volume. The conference and session chairpersons, have received many compliments about the quality and value of the technical content of these presentations and I hope you will find the same to be true for you.

It is my great pleasure to have brought this conference together along with my co-chair, session chairs and committee members and to have so many excellent speakers taking part. I would like to take this opportunity to thank my co-chair, Stuart David, and also the session chairs, John Koshel, Joshua Cobb, and Andreas Timinger, for their work in bringing together such a prestigious group of authors for this conference and hence for this volume.

I wish you every success in understanding, further developing, and creatively utilizing the material in these proceedings for the enhancement it may bring to our global society, your particular area of vocational endeavour, and possibly yourself.

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Optical system design reliance on technology development

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INTRODUCTION

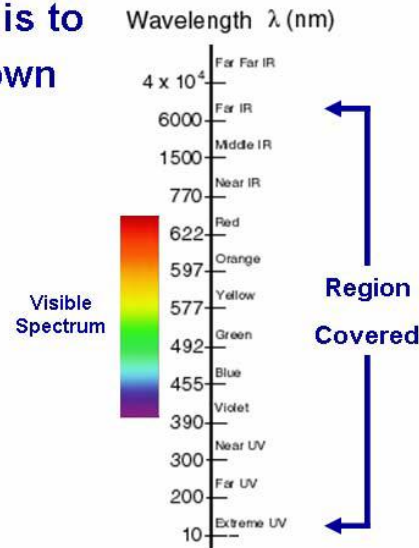
Before commencing with an outline of the presentation an explanation of the the definitions used throughout is given

DEFINITIONS

- ① Technology development is the progression over time of manufactured optical components:
 - Materials \approx optical substrates
 - Coatings \approx multi-layer thin films
 - Surfaces \approx optical surface profiles
- ② Optical design software is a tool to apply technology
- ③ Optical designer 'creates' the optics portion of the of the optical system design utilizing optical design software to apply technology
- ④ FOV is Field of View & NA is Numerical Aperture

DEFINITIONS (Cont'd)

- ⑤ Object is to the left and Image is to the right unless otherwise shown
- ⑥ Three wavebands discussed:
 - Infrared $\approx 0.7\text{-}1.5, 3\text{-}5$ & $8\text{-}13\mu\text{m}$
(700-1500, 3000-5000 & 8000-13000nm)
 - Visible $\approx 0.435\text{-}0.656\mu\text{m}$
(435-656nm)
 - Ultraviolet $\approx 0.434\text{-}0.013\mu\text{m}$
(434.4-13.4nm)



OUTLINE

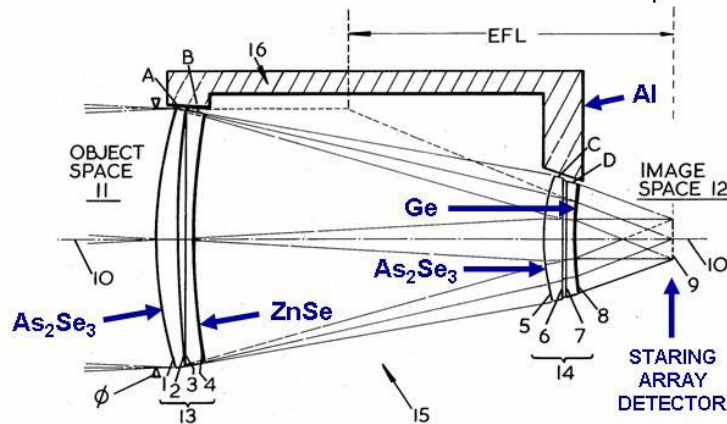
- By way of mainly the US Patent database, examples are given to illustrate the reliance of optical system design on key technology
- The examples are categorized by waveband of operation and partly chronologically
- Performance characteristics are not discussed but all examples may be considered high performance for their intended applications

WAVEBAND 1 INFRARED

EXAMPLE 1.1

PETZVAL OBJECTIVE – SECURITY

Passively Athermalized System
EFL=51mm F/1.5 FOV \varnothing =5° Waveband=8-13 μ m

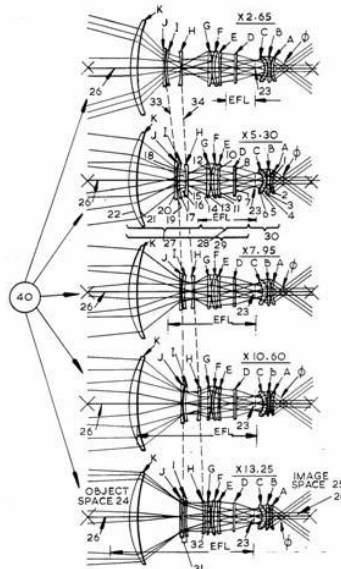


US Pat. No. 4,505,535 A1 I.A.Neil Mar. 19, 1985

| KEY TECHNOLOGY | |
|----------------|------------------|
| ✓ | MATERIAL |
| | COATING |
| | SURFACE |
| BENEFITS | |
| | SOLID STATE |
| | ROBUST |
| ISSUES | |
| | TOXIC MATERIAL |
| | MATERIAL QUALITY |

EXAMPLE 1.2a

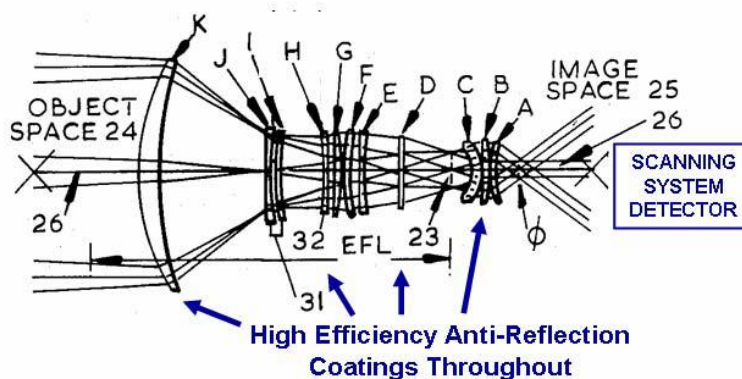
ZOOM TELESCOPE – SECURITY



EXAMPLE 1.2b

ZOOM TELESCOPE – SECURITY

Compact Mechanically Compensated Zoom System
Zoom Ratio=5x Exit Pupil \varnothing =10mm & FOV \varnothing =72° Waveband=8-13 μ m

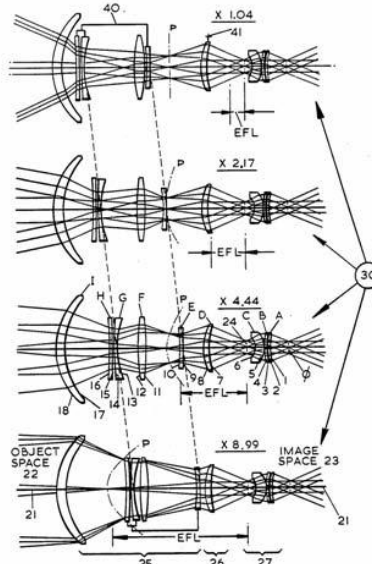


| KEY TECHNOLOGY | |
|----------------|----------|
| | MATERIAL |
| ✓ | COATING |
| | SURFACE |
| BENEFITS | |
| | COMPACT |
| ISSUES | |
| | NONE |

US Pat. No. US4,659,171 A1 I.A.Neil Apr. 21, 1987

EXAMPLE 1.3a

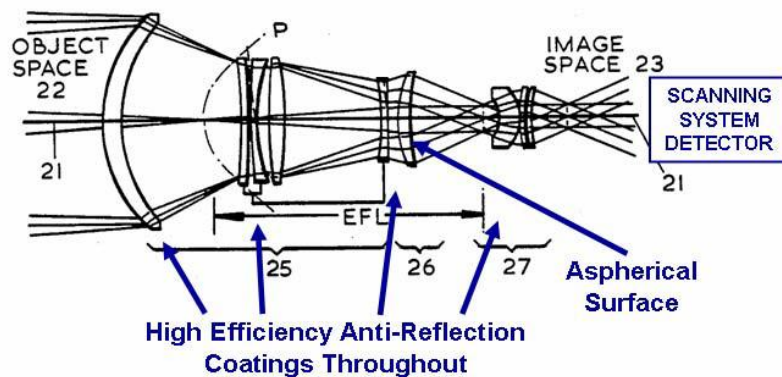
ZOOM TELESCOPE – SECURITY



EXAMPLE 1.3b

ZOOM TELESCOPE – SECURITY

Compact Optically Compensated Zoom System
Zoom Ratio=9x Exit Pupil \varnothing =14.4mm & FOV \varnothing =60° Waveband=8-13 μ m



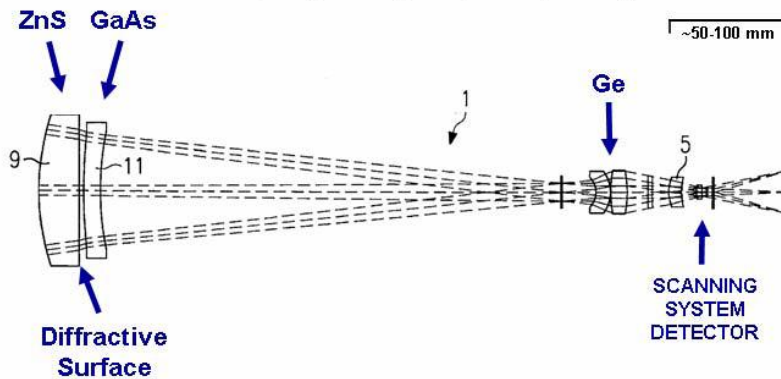
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| KEY TECHNOLOGY | |
|--------------------------|----------|
| | MATERIAL |
| ✓ | COATING |
| ✓ | SURFACE |
| BENEFITS | |
| COMPACT | |
| SIMPLE MECHANICS | |
| ISSUES | |
| FOCUS DRIFT THROUGH ZOOM | |
| ASPHERE COST | |

EXAMPLE 1.4

OBJECTIVE – SECURITY

Passively Athermalized & Color Corrected Air Spaced Doublet
with Diffractive Surface
Waveband=8-13 μ m (possibly 3-5 μ m depending on materials)

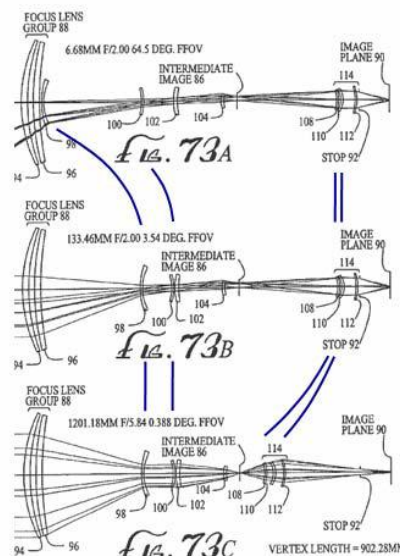


US Pat. No. 5,504,628 A1 J.F.Borchard Apr. 2, 1996

| KEY TECHNOLOGY | |
|----------------|-----------------|
| ✓ | MATERIAL |
| | COATING |
| ✓ | SURFACE |
| BENEFITS | |
| | SOLID STATE |
| | ROBUST |
| ISSUES | |
| | SECONDARY COLOR |
| | LONG LENGTH |

EXAMPLE 1.5a

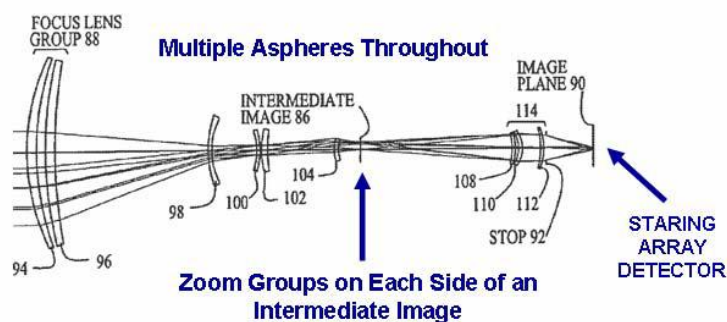
ZOOM OBJECTIVE – SECURITY



EXAMPLE 1.5b

ZOOM OBJECTIVE – SECURITY

Compound Zoom System
 Zoom Ratio=180x EFL=6.7-1201mm F/2-5.84 FOV \varnothing =64.5-0.4°
 Wavebands=3-5 μ m or 8-13 μ m



| KEY TECHNOLOGY | |
|-------------------|----------|
| | MATERIAL |
| ✓ | COATING |
| ✓ | SURFACE |
| BENEFITS | |
| HIGH ZOOM RATIO | |
| ISSUES | |
| COMPLEX MECHANICS | |
| IMAGE F/NO VARIES | |
| ASPHERE COST | |

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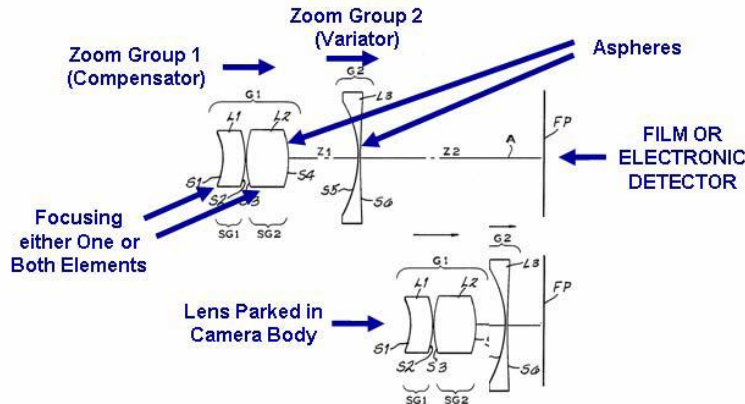
WAVEBAND 2

VISIBLE

EXAMPLE 2.1

COMPACT CAMERA ZOOM OBJECTIVE – PHOTOGRAPHIC CONSUMER

Zoom Objective System with 2x Zoom Ratio
EFL=35.7-68.5mm F/3.5-6.8 ImageØ=43.2mm Waveband=Visible



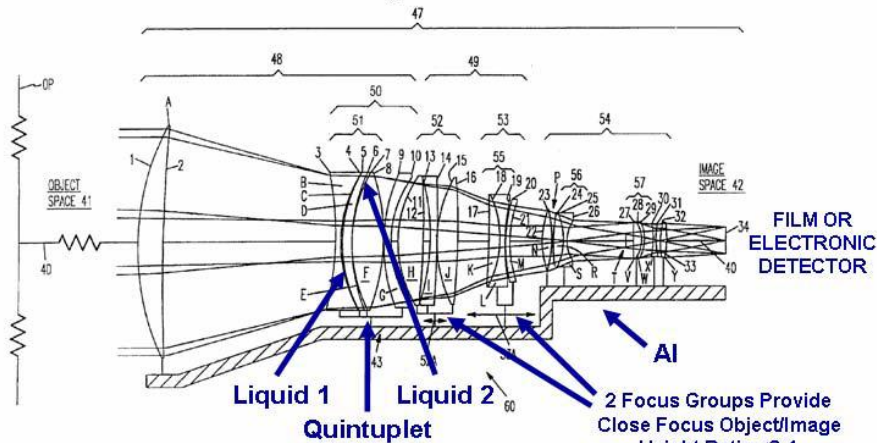
| KEY TECHNOLOGY | |
|----------------|-----------------|
| | MATERIAL |
| | COATING |
| ✓ | SURFACE |
| BENEFITS | |
| | SIMPLE |
| | COMPACT |
| | LOW COST |
| ISSUES | |
| | MOLDED ASPHERES |

US Pat. No. 4,936,661 A1 E.I.Betensky, M.H.Kreitzer & J.Moskovich Jun. 26, 1990

EXAMPLE 2.2a

TELEPHOTO OBJECTIVE – PHOTOGRAPHIC CINE

Passively Athermalized & Color Corrected System with Liquid Elements
EFL=693mm F/2.75 ImageØ=28.9mm Waveband=435-656nm

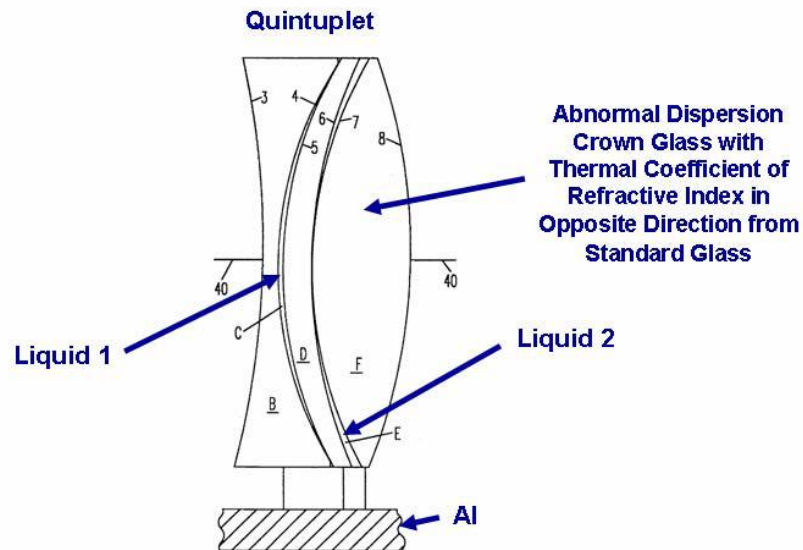


| KEY TECHNOLOGY | |
|----------------|----------------------|
| ✓ | MATERIAL |
| ✓ | COATING |
| | SURFACE |
| BENEFITS | |
| | LOW COST GLASSES |
| | COMPACT |
| ISSUES | |
| | LIQUID DISCOLORATION |
| | LOW TEMPERATURE |

US Pat. No. 5,638,215 A1 I.A.Neil Jun. 10, 1997

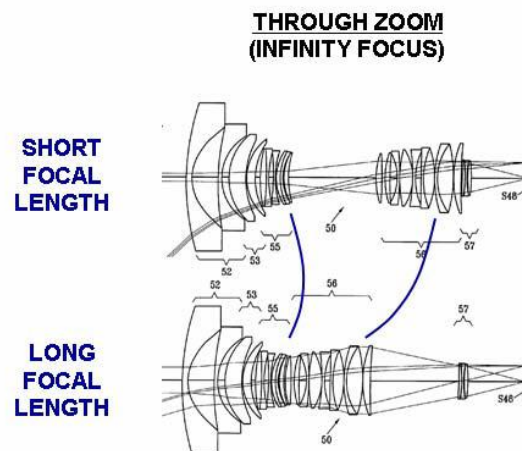
EXAMPLE 2.2b

TELEPHOTO OBJECTIVE – PHOTOGRAPHIC CINE

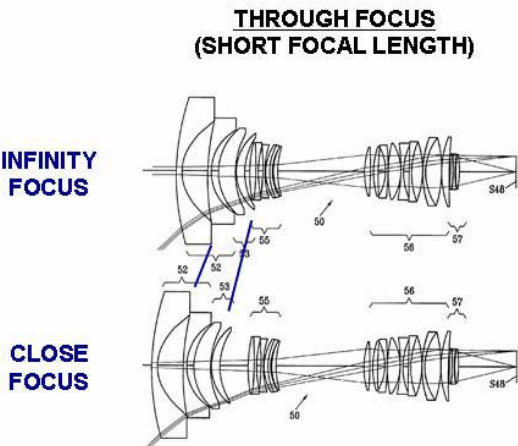


EXAMPLE 2.3a

MACRO FOCUS ZOOM OBJECTIVE – PHOTOGRAPHIC CINE



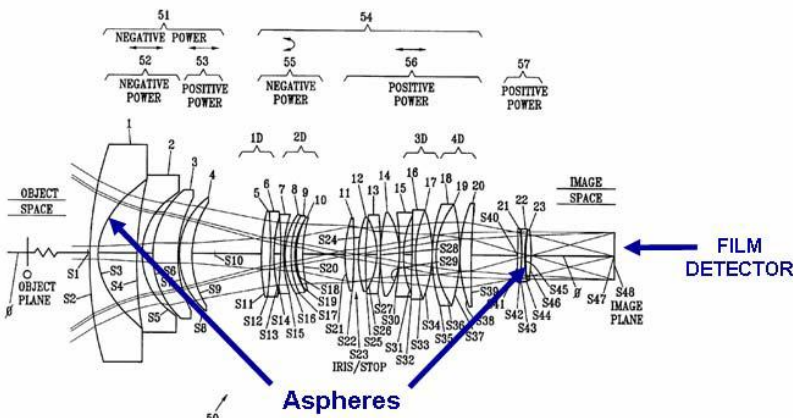
EXAMPLE 2.3b
MACRO FOCUS ZOOM OBJECTIVE
– PHOTOGRAPHIC CINE



Close Focus Object/Image Height Ratio = 2.5:1 (At Long Focal Length)

EXAMPLE 2.3c
ZOOM OBJECTIVE – PHOTOGRAPHIC CINE

Macro Focus Zoom System with 3.5x Zoom Ratio
EFL=14.5-50mm F/2.2 ImageØ=28.9mm Waveband=455-644nm

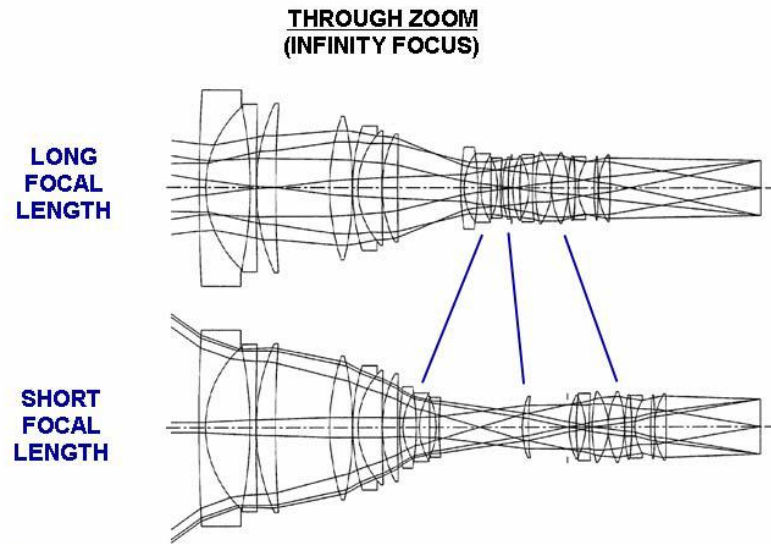


US Pat. No. 6,122,111 A1 I.A.Neil & E.I.Betensky Sep. 19, 2000

| KEY TECHNOLOGY | |
|---------------------------|----------|
| | MATERIAL |
| ✓ | COATING |
| ✓ | SURFACE |
| BENEFITS | |
| VERSATILE | |
| FIXED FOCAL LENGTH OPTION | |
| ISSUES | |
| COMPLEX MECHANICS | |
| ASPHERE COST | |

EXAMPLE 2.4a

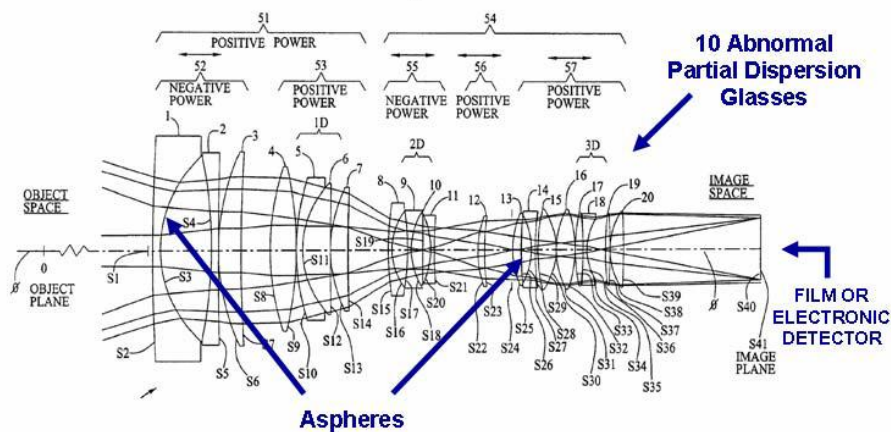
ZOOM OBJECTIVE – PHOTOGRAPHIC CINE



EXAMPLE 2.4b

ZOOM OBJECTIVE – PHOTOGRAPHIC CINE

Compact Zoom Objective System with 4.7x Zoom Ratio
EFL=19-90mm F/2.7 ImageØ=27.8mm Waveband=455-644nm



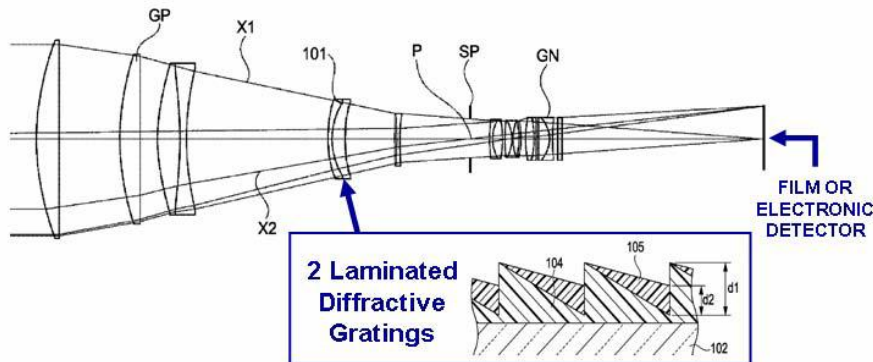
US Pat. No. 7,123,421 B1 J.Moskovich, I.A.Neil & T.Yamanashi Oct. 17, 2006

| KEY TECHNOLOGY | |
|---------------------------|----------|
| ✓ | MATERIAL |
| ✓ | COATING |
| ✓ | SURFACE |
| BENEFITS | |
| COMPACT | |
| VERSATILE | |
| FIXED FOCAL LENGTH OPTION | |
| ISSUES | |
| COMPLEX MECHANICS | |
| ASPHERE COST | |

EXAMPLE 2.5

OBJECTIVE – PHOTOGRAPHIC PROSUMER

Telephoto System with Diffractive Surface
EFL=780mm F/5.8 ImageØ=43.2mm Waveband=435-656nm



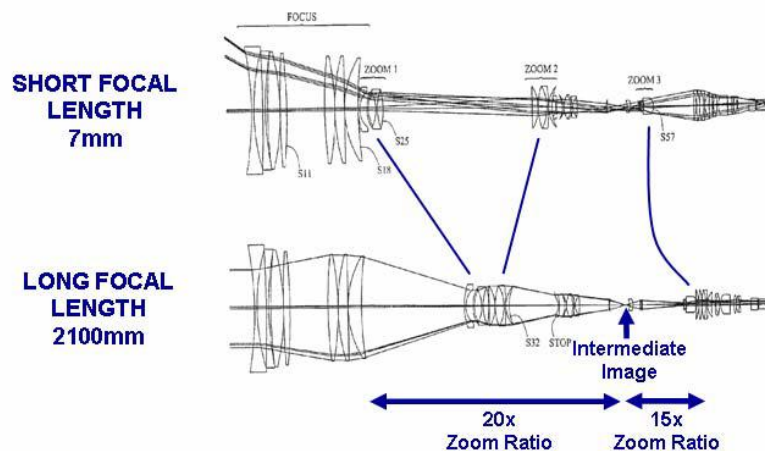
| KEY TECHNOLOGY | |
|----------------|-------------------------------|
| ✓ | MATERIAL |
| | COATING |
| ✓ | SURFACE |
| BENEFITS | |
| | COMPACT |
| | COLOR CORRECTED |
| | REDUCED NO. OF EXOTIC GLASSES |
| ISSUES | |
| | FLARE |

US Pat. Pub. No. 2008/0088950 A1 H.Endo Apr. 17, 2008

EXAMPLE 2.6a

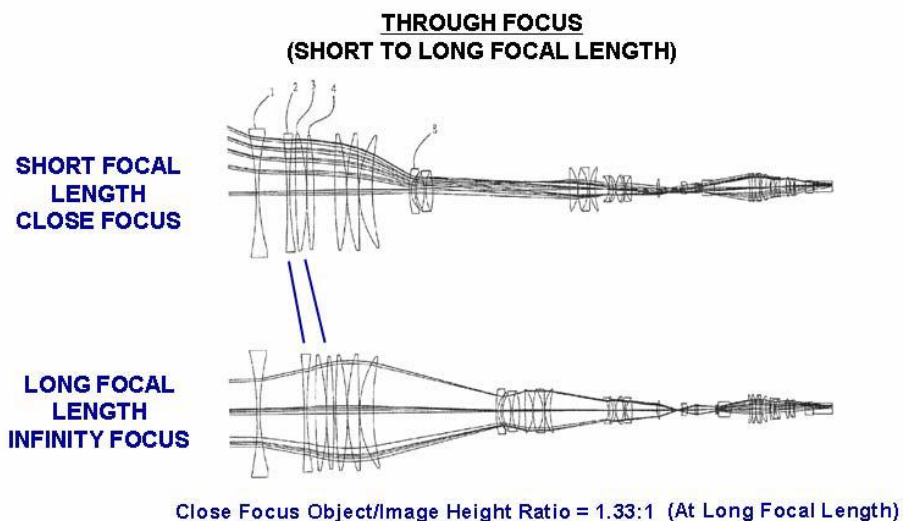
ZOOM OBJECTIVE – PHOTOGRAPHIC HDTV

**THROUGH ZOOM
(INFINITY FOCUS)**



EXAMPLE 2.6b

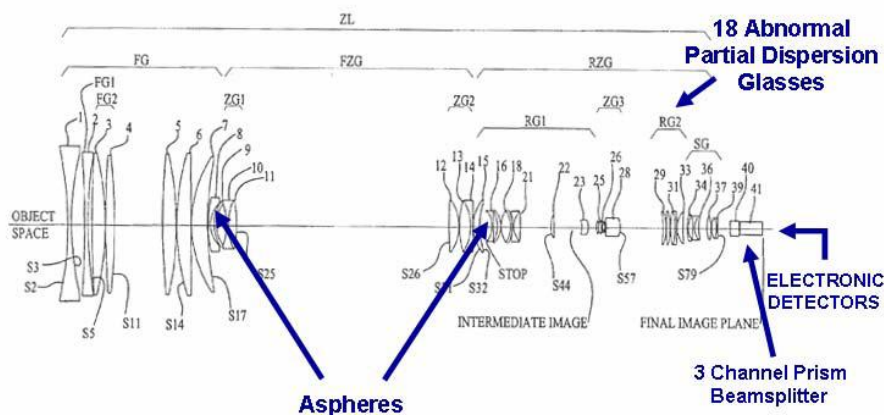
ZOOM OBJECTIVE – PHOTOGRAPHIC HDTV



EXAMPLE 2.6c

ZOOM OBJECTIVE – PHOTOGRAPHIC HDTV

Compound Zoom System with 300x Zoom Ratio
EFL=7-2100mm F/2-13 ImageØ=11mm Waveband=Visible



US Pat. No. 6,691,188 B2 E.I.Betensky, J.B.Caldwell, I.A.Neil & T.Yamanashi Nov. 1, 2005

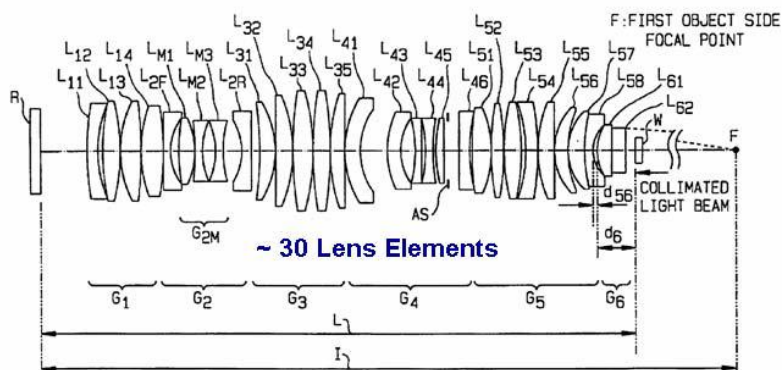
WAVEBAND 3 ULTRAVIOLET

EXAMPLE 3.1

PROJECTION RELAY LENS – MICROLITHOGRAPHIC

All Refractive Projection System

RELAY=5:1 NA=0.57 ImageØ=31.2mm Wavelengths=193, 248 & 365nm



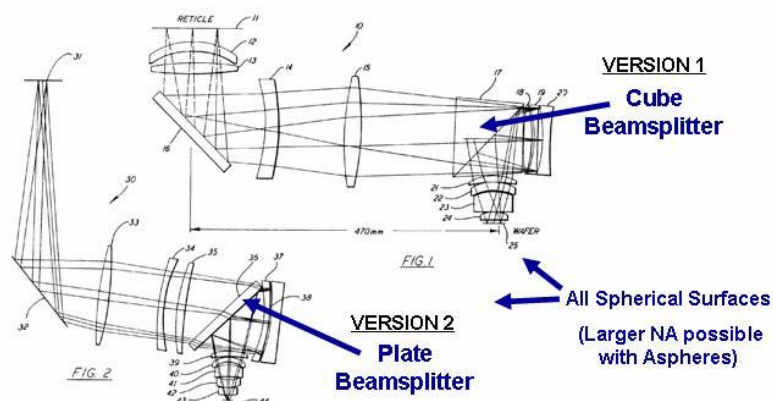
| KEY TECHNOLOGY | |
|-------------------------------|----------|
| | MATERIAL |
| ✓ | COATING |
| ✓ | SURFACE |
| BENEFITS | |
| RESOLUTION | |
| ISSUES | |
| INHOMOGENEITY & BIREFRINGENCE | |
| SURFACE QUALITY | |
| ALIGNMENT | |

US Reissued Pat. No. RE 37,846E H.Matsuzawa, M.Kobayashi, K.Endo & Y.Suenaga Sep. 17, 2002

EXAMPLE 3.2

PROJECTION RELAY LENS – MICROLITHOGRAPHIC

Refractive/Reflective Projection System
RELAY=4:1 NA=0.45 ImageØ=30mm Wavelengths=240-256nm



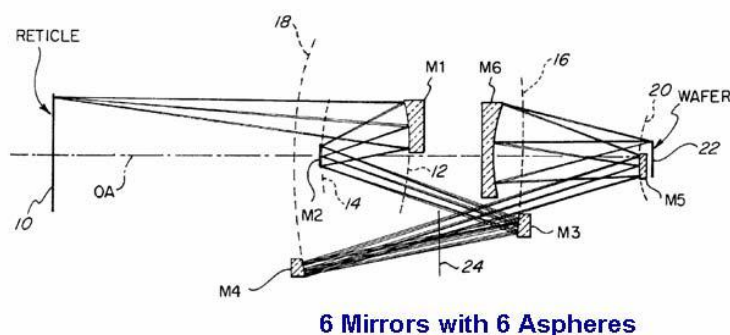
| KEY TECHNOLOGY | |
|----------------|----------|
| ✓ | MATERIAL |
| ✓ | COATING |
| | SURFACE |
| BENEFITS | |
| RESOLUTION | |
| ISSUES | |
| ALIGNMENT | |

US Pat. No. 4,953,960 A1 D.M.Williamson Sep. 4, 1990

EXAMPLE 3.3

PROJECTION RELAY OPTICS – MICROLITHOGRAPHIC

All Reflective Projection System
RELAY=4:1 NA=0.25 ImageØ=31mm Wavelengths=13.4nm & <200nm



| KEY TECHNOLOGY | |
|---|----------|
| | MATERIAL |
| ✓ | COATING |
| ✓ | SURFACE |
| BENEFITS | |
| HIGH RESOLUTION | |
| ISSUES | |
| @13.4nm <10% TRANSMISSION WITH COATINGS | |
| ASPHERE COST | |
| ALIGNMENT | |

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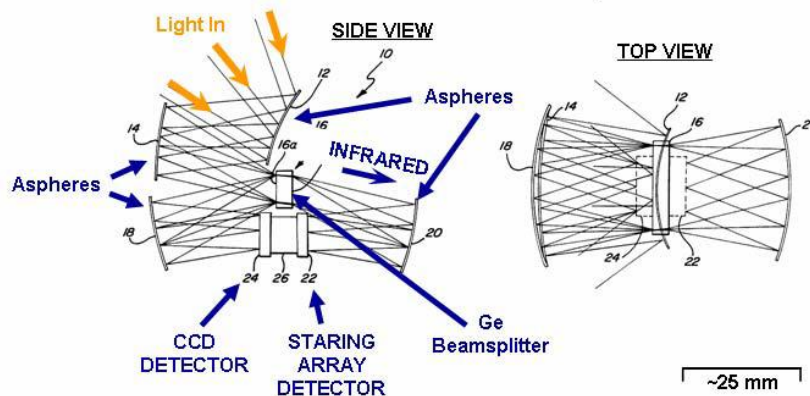
WAVEBAND 4 MULTIPLE

EXAMPLE 4.1 OBJECTIVE – SECURITY

Dual Waveband System

F/4.5(elev), F/1.5(azim) & F/2.3(average) FOV \varnothing =40°(elev.) & 53°(azim.)

Wavebands=Visible & 8-13 μ m



| KEY TECHNOLOGY | |
|----------------|--------------|
| | MATERIAL |
| ✓ | COATING |
| ✓ | SURFACE |
| BENEFITS | |
| | COMPACT |
| | SOLID STATE |
| | ROBUST |
| ISSUES | |
| | ASPHERE COST |

US Pat. No. 5,847,879 A1 L.G.Cook Dec. 8, 1998

EXAMPLE 4.2a

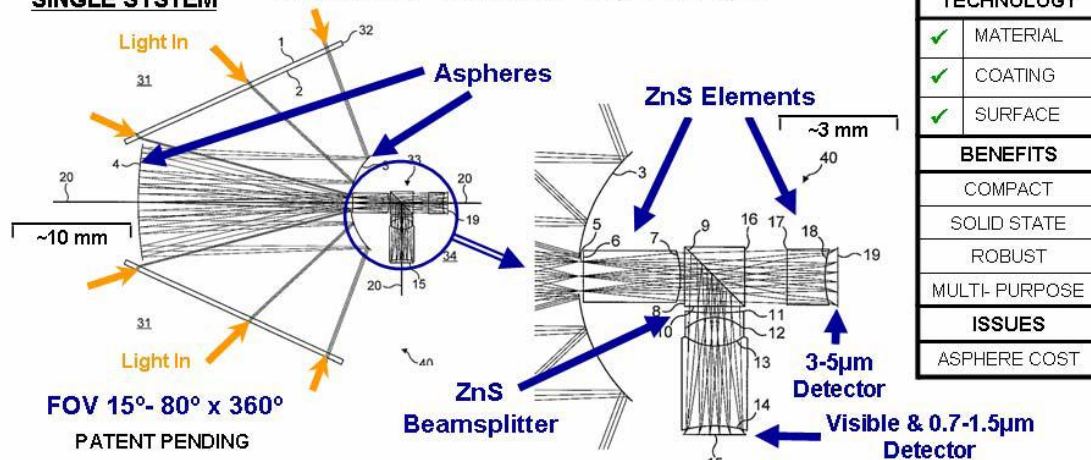
OBJECTIVE – SURVEILLANCE

Compact Multi-waveband Wide Angle Objective

FOV 15°- 80° x 360°

Wavebands=Visible, 0.7-1.5µm & 3-5µm

SINGLE SYSTEM



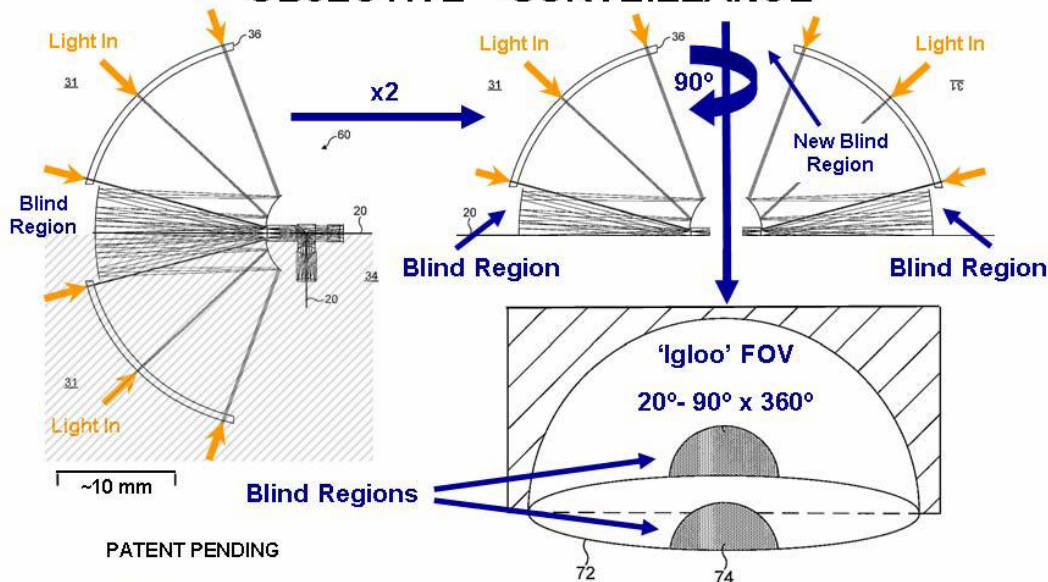
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EXAMPLE 4.2b

OBJECTIVE – SURVEILLANCE



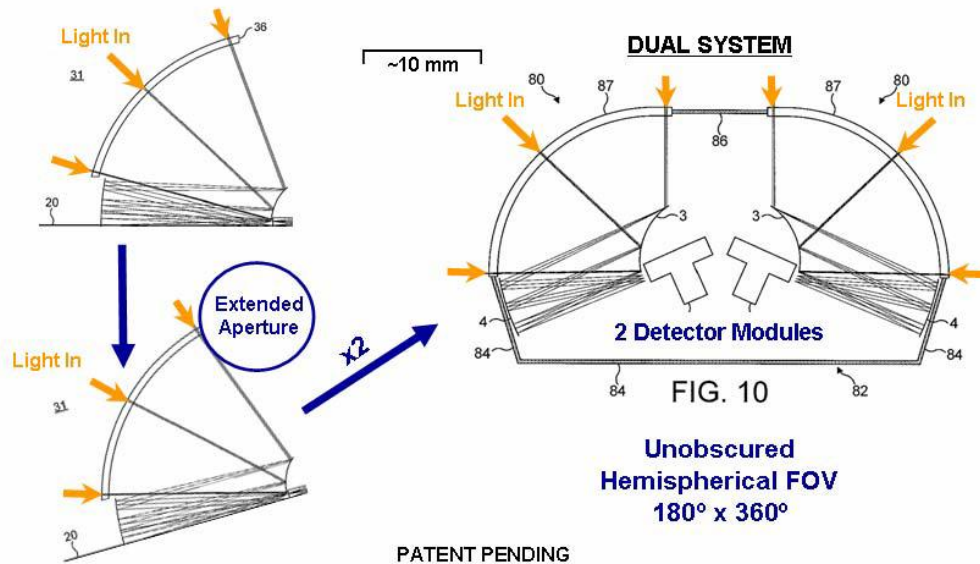
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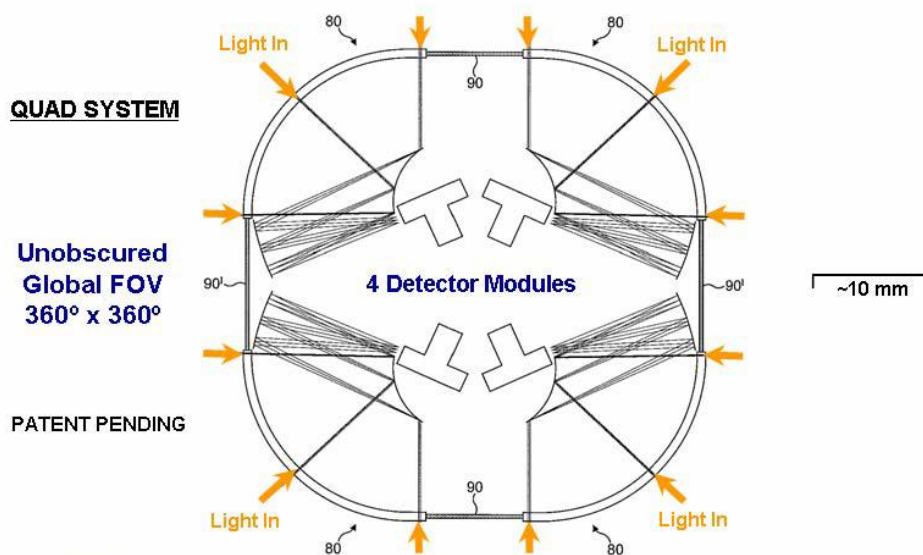
EXAMPLE 4.2c

OBJECTIVE – SURVEILLANCE



EXAMPLE 4.2d

OBJECTIVE – SURVEILLANCE



KEY TECHNOLOGY SUMMARY

| | WAVE BAND | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------|-----------|------|------|------|------|---------|------|------|------|------|------|-------------|------|------|-------|------|
| | INFRARED | | | | | VISIBLE | | | | | | ULTRAVIOLET | | | MULTI | |
| EXAMPLE | 1.1 | 1.2 | 1.3 | 1.4 | 1.5 | 2.1 | 2.2 | 2.3 | 2.4 | 2.5 | 2.6 | 3.1 | 3.2 | 3.3 | 4.1 | 4.2 |
| CIRCA | 80's | 80's | 80's | 90's | 00's | 90's | 90's | 00's | 00's | 00's | 00's | 90's | 90's | 90's | 90's | 00's |
| MATERIAL | ✓ | | | ✓ | | | ✓ | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | | ✓ | | | ✓ |
| COATING | | ✓ | ✓ | | ✓ | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| SURFACE | | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |

CONCLUSION

- Usually technology provides 'improvements' but occasionally it is 'disruptive' in that it dramatically changes the optical system design such as enabling a new form of design
- In the specific case of disruptive technology this usually appears to happen separately in either materials, coatings or surfaces
- No apparent trend in technology development except:

"Necessity is the mother of invention"

Plato c. 400 BC

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A Perspective on the Design of Head-Worn Displays

Jannick Rolland with

Ozan Cakmakci, Florian Fournier, and Sophie Vo

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the University of Central Florida

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Highlights

Introduction

Applications

Prior Work

Early work at ODALab

Current Technologies under Development

Head-mounted Projection Displays (HMPD)

Eyeglass Head-Worn Displays (HWD)

Why Head-Worn Displays?

Assuming HWDs can be designed aesthetically (which is not a given) to meet with social acceptance:

- **Mobility**

- **Privacy**



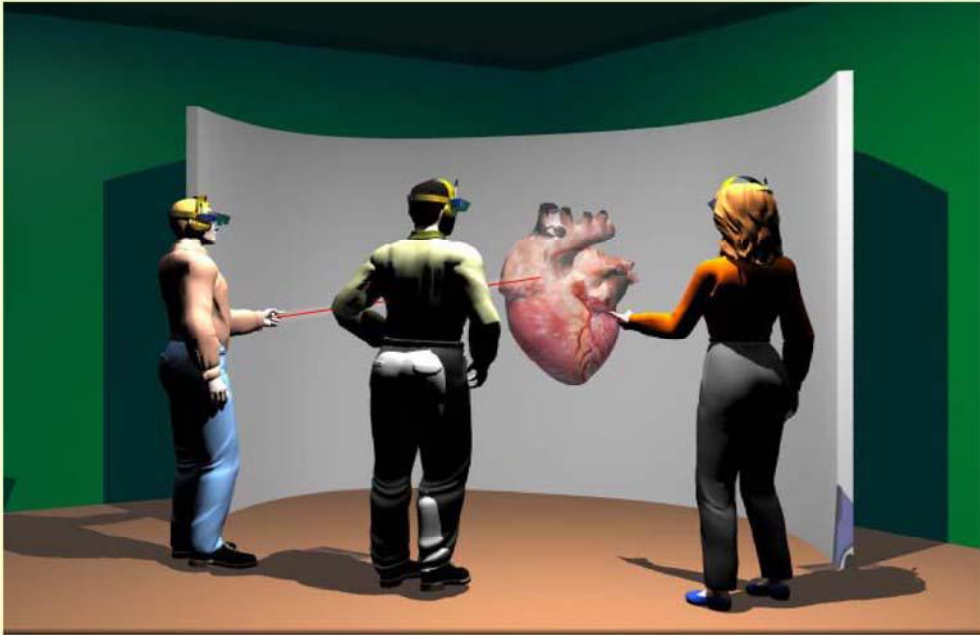
- **Constancy:** Provides the basis for novel user interfaces that are available constantly (on a demand basis) to the user

Science Fiction Sets Expectations of Where we Aim to Be Going!



* Goldman, A. (1998). Lost in Space. New Line Cinema

Medical Rooms of the Future



Telemedicine: Face to Face Teleportal



Fig 1. Vision of "see-thru-my-eyes" capability. (1) Doctor in local control room guides (2) remote treatment via stereoscopic see-thru headset worn by emergency technician.



Fig.2. Vision of mobile "Face-to-Face" interaction (1) remote team member wearing 3D face recording system talk in to (2) team leader in control center.

Courtesy of Frank Biocca, MSU



Wearable Displays: **A Range of Possibilities**

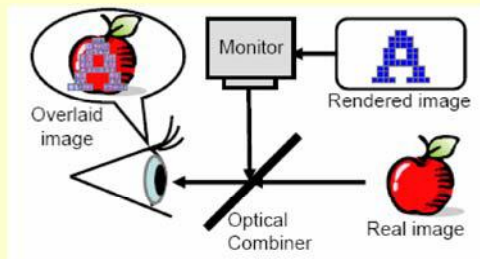
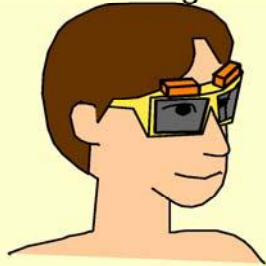
Their future lies in large part in their “seamless” integration with tangible interfaces around us

**Augmented Reality
/ Mixed Reality
Vs. Virtual Reality (full immersion)**

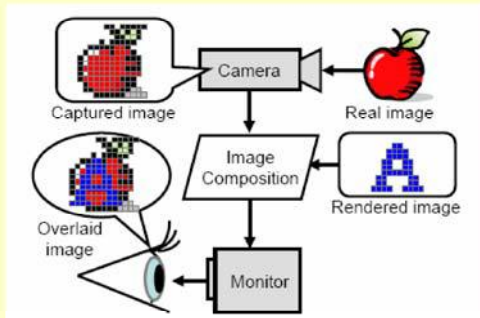
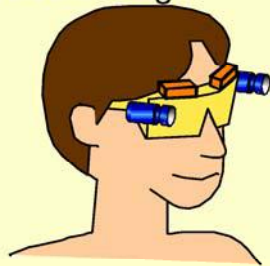


Augmented/Mixed Reality

Optical See-through

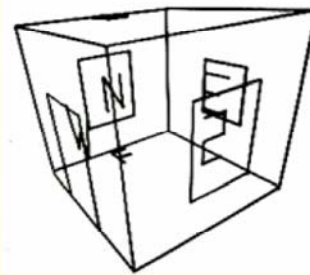
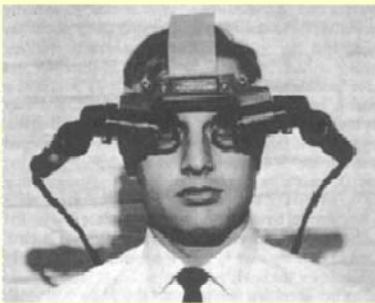


Video See-through



Historical Notes

First graphics-driven HWD was developed by Ivan Sutherland in the 1960s.



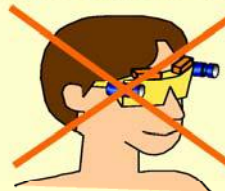
Augmented Reality Displays

Early (first?) stereoscopic VST-HMD

- HMD-mounted stereo cameras with custom-designed lenses compensate for display distortion (Biocca & Rolland, Presence 1998)



Some applications call for
optical see-through
capability



Highlights from Past Development

- U.S. Army first to fly a helmet-mounted sighting system on the Cobra helicopter.
- IHADSS (Integrated Helmet and Display Sighting System) was then deployed by the U.S. Army for the AH-64 Apache Helicopter.

IHADSS, while monocular, greatly contributed to the proliferation of all types of HMDs.

The success of HWD design is most likely to occur when developed

- In the context of the users and
- Targeted at specific applications

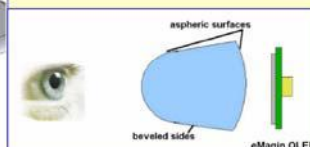
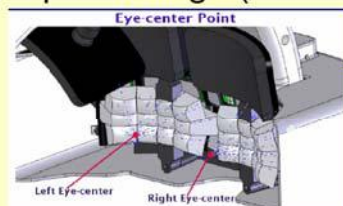
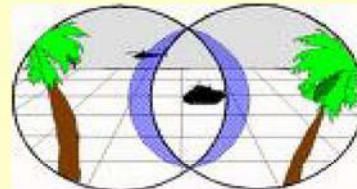
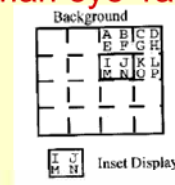
A Main Design Trade-off

FOV vs. Resolution - Currently limited by microdisplays

Angle subtended by a pixel = $\frac{FOV}{\# \text{ of pixels}}$ **Human eye 1 arcmin**

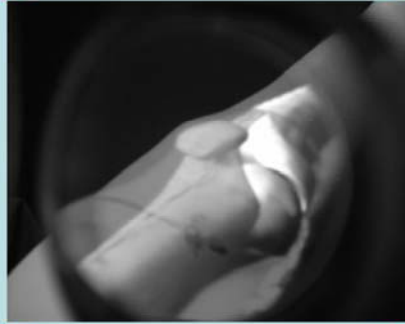
Approaches:

- 1) High-resolution area of interest or inset
- 2) Partial binocular overlap ("Luning")
- 3) Optical tiling (Kaiser, Sensics)



Recent developments by Sensics.

Driven by Medical Visualization: VRDA Tool “Virtual Reality Dynamic Anatomy”

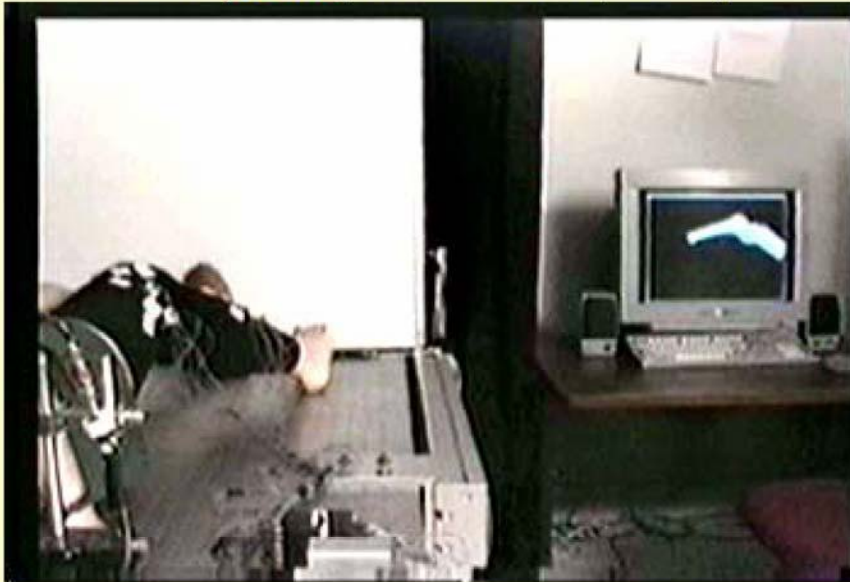


NIH - First Award 1997-2002

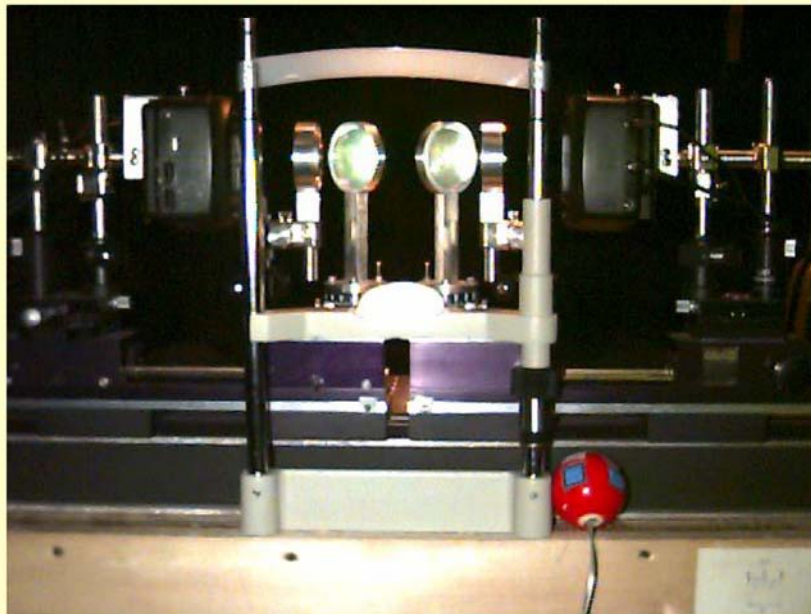
Methods Optics, Computer Vision, and Graphics



Development of a Kinematic Model of Joint Motion ([Baillot](#), Rolland et al., 2000)



Early Feasibility Experiments



First results in dynamic optical superimposition on an optical bench system

Featured in *Scientific American*, April 2002

Baillet et al., *Presence* 2000; Argotti et al., *Computers & Graphics* 2002



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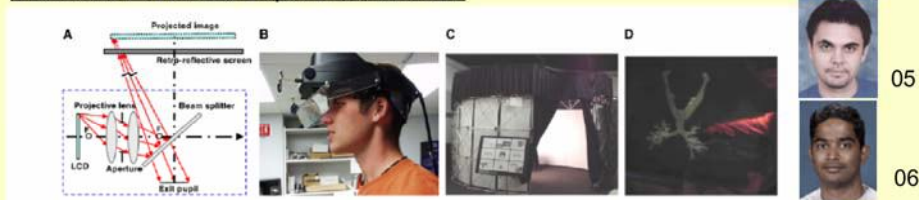


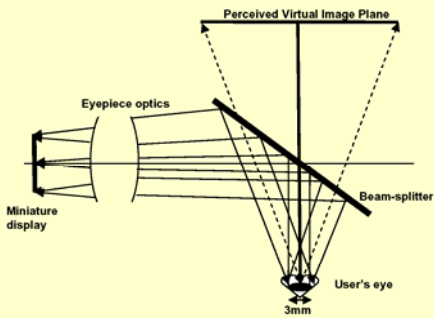


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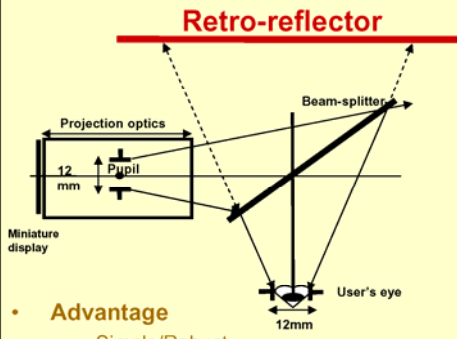
Eyepiece versus Projection HMDs

Eyepiece Optics (HWD)



- Advantage**
 - Simple/Robust
 - Color
- Challenge**
 - Optical weight scales with FOV
 - Distortion (electronic comp)
 - Illumination limited (miniature display)

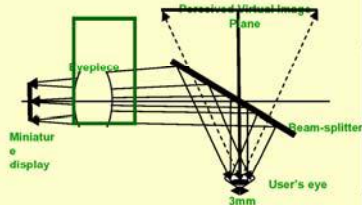
Head Mounted Projection Display



- Advantage**
 - Simple/Robust
 - Color
 - Optics size does not scale with FOV
 - Lightweight
 - Distortion free
 - Lower aberrations than eyepiece design
- Challenge**
 - Illumination limited by microdisplays
 - Screen type and location

Review of “Large FOV” Eyepiece Optics Design

Rolland and Hua, 2005
Encyclopedia of Optical
Engineering (Marcel Dekker)

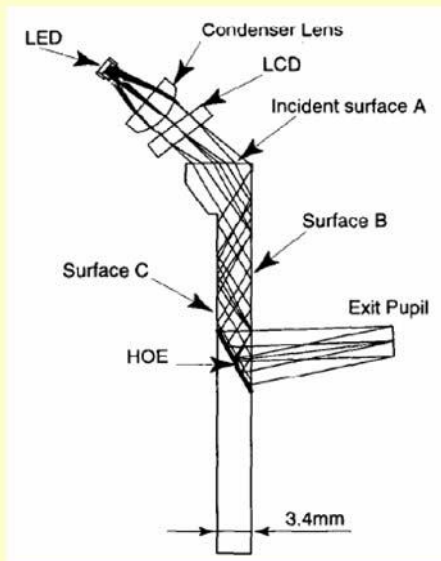


| Picture | Specification | Lens Form | Specification |
|---------|--|-----------|---|
| | FOV 70 EFL 100 H. Erfle 1478704 | | FOV 70 EFL 100 Michael D. Missig 5446588 |
| | FOV 33 EFL 34 J. D. Robinson C. M. Schor P. H. Muller W. A. Yankee eyepiece 5696521 | | B. S. Fritz HMD using Mangin Mirror combiner 5638490 |
| | FOV 40-60 EFL 100 Takayoshi Togino Eyepiece with DOE 6181475 5959780 | | FOV 40 15.2x12.3 MicroDisplay F#1.7 J. G. Droessler Honeywell Inc. Morristown, NJ 6147807 |
| | FOV 50x60 J. G. Droessler D. J. Rotier Tilted Cat Ocular 1989 | | FOV 120 C. Anier Jean-Blaise Migonzi Holographic Binocular Helmet Visor 5124821 |
| | FOV 50-60 color Helmet visor display B. Chen Off-axis Design 5526183 | | FOV 60 color 1.3" diagonal CRT J. P. Rolland Off-axis Design 100C94, OE 2000 |

Direct View

See-through

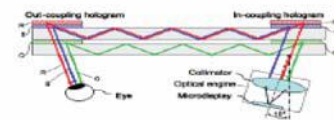
Related Work



Kasai. Int. Symp. Wearable Computers '00.



Resolution ~2 arcmins
FOV ~30 degrees
10 mm pupil [Lumus]



H. Mukawa et al. In Proc.
Society of Information
Display, 2008.

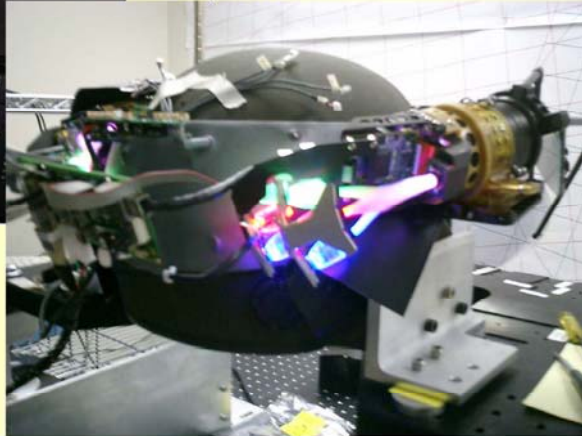
SONY

AHMD (Advanced HMD) Ultrawide FOV, off-axis design



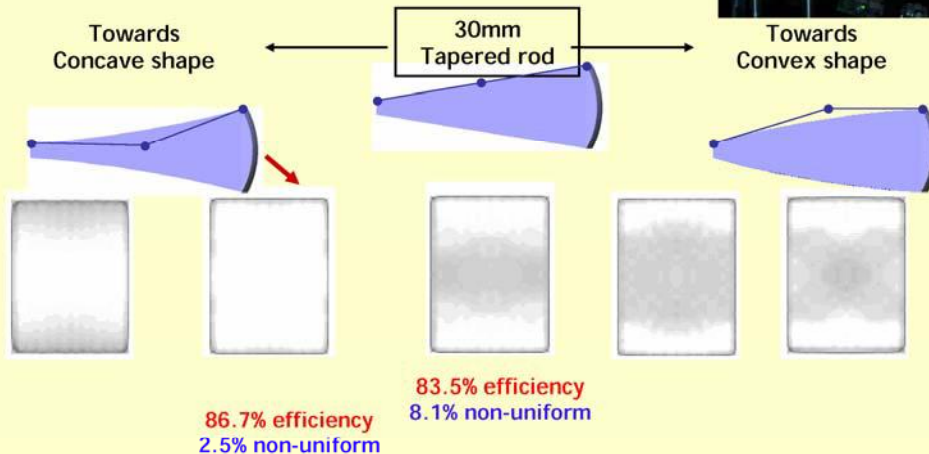
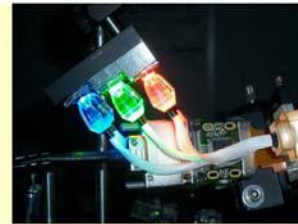
Courtesy of LINK/ZYGO and
Optical Research Associates
Early 2000

| AHMD Specifications | |
|----------------------|-------------------------------|
| Helmet compatibility | HGU-56P, HGU-55P all sizes |
| Center of gravity | Balanced |
| Eye relief | > 50 mm |
| Exit pupil | 15 mm |
| Transmissivity | > 60% |
| Field-of-view | 100° H x 50° V |
| Binocular overlap | 30° |
| Resolution | 1280 x 1024 per eye |



Spatial Uniformity Behavior with Freeform Bezier Shapes

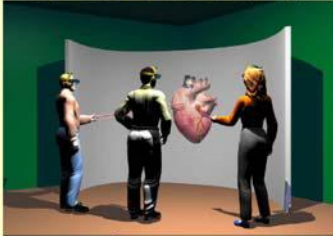
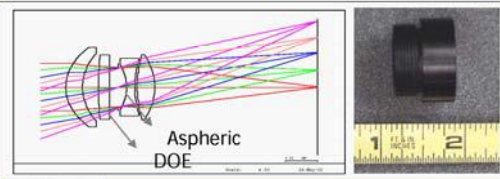
Fournier et al., Appl. Opt. 47 (2008) & OL 33(11) (2008)



Changing the concavity of the shape can improve uniformity
without sacrificing efficiency

Deployable Technology 1st Generation HMPD

with VGA LCD microdisplays
Hua, Ha, and Rolland, Appl. Opt. 42 2003



Fisher, 96 Patent

Miniaturization of
the Optics

Deployable Rooms



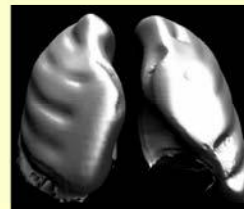
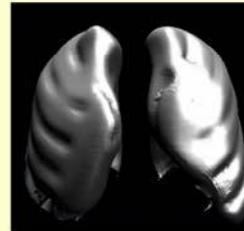
3D Visualization of the Upper Airway for Training Medics in Emergency Intubation Procedures

Augmented Reality Visualization

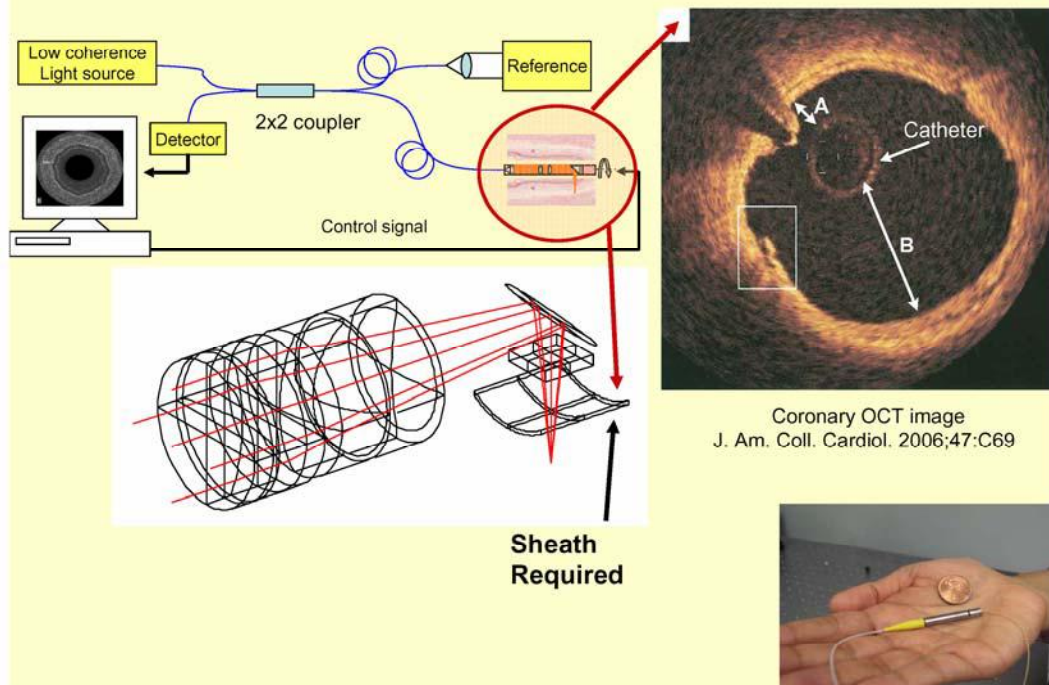


Lung Dynamics

Anand Santhanam, PhD 06



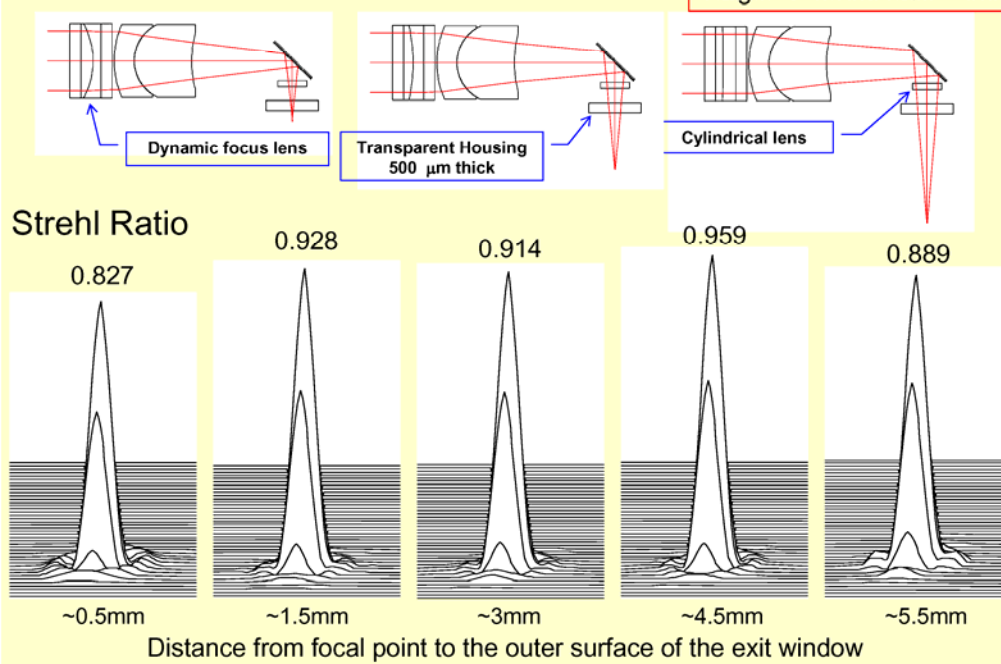
Imaging: Extended Depth of Focus Needed in Catheters



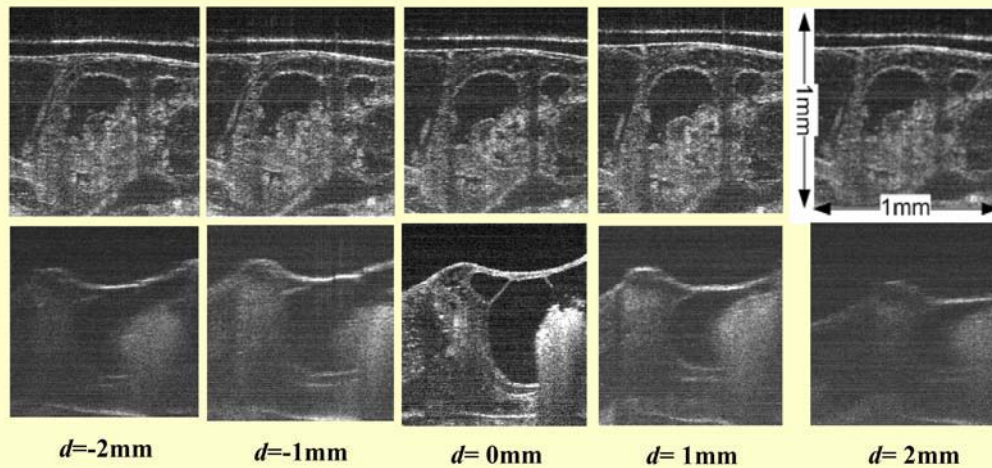
PSF through Working Range

Meemon et al., AO 2008

Target → Strehl ratio > 0.8



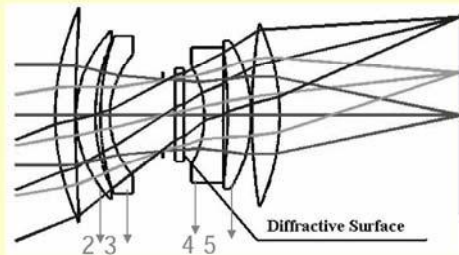
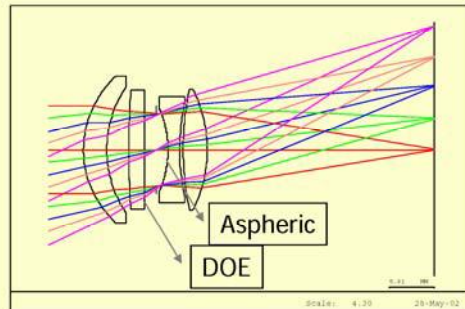
Bessel Beam vs. Conventional



First Images of biological tissue acquired with a microlens axicon in a double pass OCT : Images of African frog (*Xenopus Laevis*) tadpole located at relative axial distances d from each medial position of its depth of focus.

K. Lee and J. Rolland Optics Letters 33 (2008)

52 deg. Lens / 8g per eye



Teleportal Display UCF/MSU

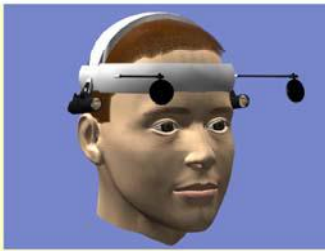


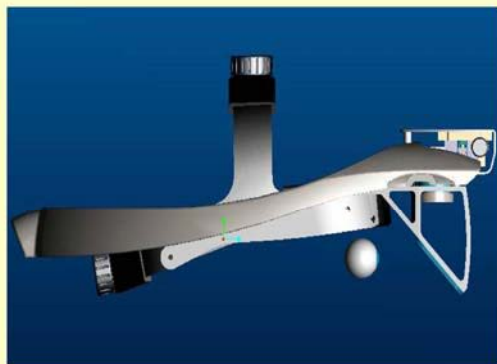
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Reddy et al., CVPR'04

42° FOV HMPD

Lightweight 595 grams - 2nd Generation HMPD using 800x600 OLED

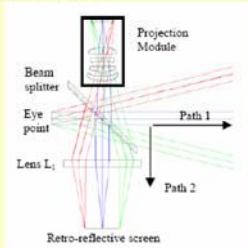


Optical Design done in the ODALab and
HMPD Optomechanical design done by Nvis Corporation
under SBIR program 2004-2005 with the US ARMY

M-HMPD - Fabric-free, Mobile

Martins, Optics Express 15(22), 2007

See-through, Outdoor
42° FOV



A recent experiment with the MD
Anderson Cancer Center Orlando
to appear in JDT, Dec08



Comparison of the ARC system with the 2D display system

To appear in Special Issue of JDT, Dec 08

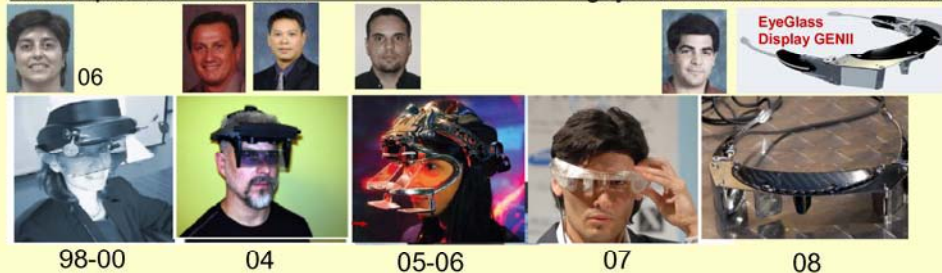
| Subject | Average time (sec) Experiment 1 | | Average time (sec) Experiment 2 | | Average time (sec) Experiment 3 | |
|----------|------------------------------------|------------|------------------------------------|------------|------------------------------------|------------|
| | ARC | 2D monitor | ARC | 2D monitor | ARC | 2D monitor |
| Expert 1 | 0 | 2.55 | 0.75 | 11.05 | 1.05 | 13.05 |
| Expert 2 | 0 | 0.95 | 1.05 | 8.95 | 0.95 | 11.0 |
| Expert 3 | 0.45 | 4.05 | 0.95 | 12.05 | 1.55 | 15.05 |
| Expert 4 | 0 | 3.95 | 0.55 | 14.95 | 1.05 | 14.05 |
| Expert 5 | 0.55 | 2.55 | 1.45 | 8.0 | 0.9 | 16.0 |
| Expert 6 | 0 | 3.45 | 1.40 | 9.0 | 1.55 | 13.0 |
| Average | 0.2 | 2.9 | 1.0 | 10.7 | 1.2 | 13.7 |

The individual dose beams are delivered to a patient in 30-40 seconds, Thus, a 10 second delay in decision making is highly significant

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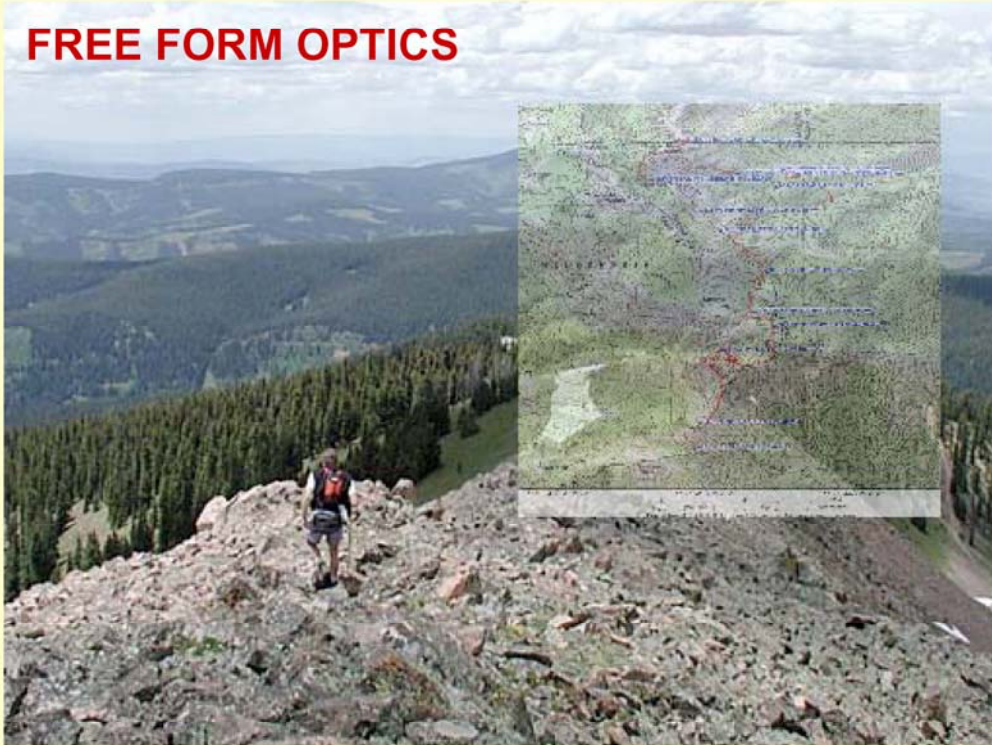


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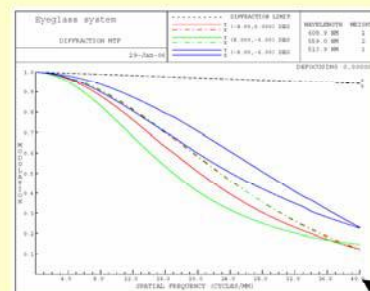
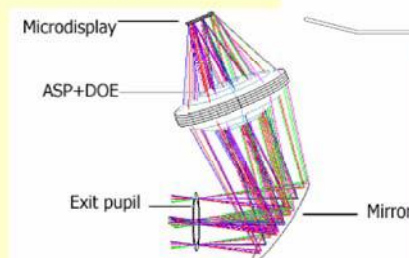
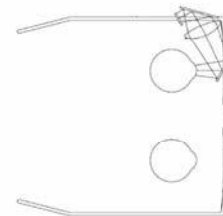
FREE FORM OPTICS



Eyeglass Display

Ozan Cakmakci, Kidger Scholarship 05

Cakmakci & Rolland, *Journal of Display Technology*, (2006).

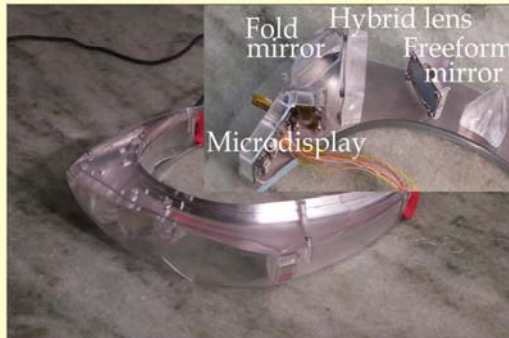


40 cycles/mm

Dual-element Solution



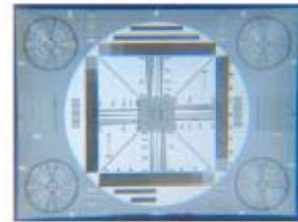
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Field of view: up to 25 FOV diagonal
 Resolution: ~1.5 arcminutes
 Exit pupil size: up to 12mm
 Eye clearance: >15 mm
 Distortion: <4%
 Wavelengths: 450-650nm



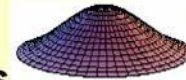
(a)



(b)

Fig. 2. (Color online) Photograph through the fabricated dual-element system of (a) a color target and (b) a black and white target.

We Propose to Design Freeform Optical Surfaces whose Representations use **Local Basis Functions** (as Opposed to Global Polynomials)

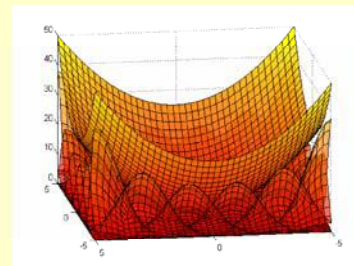


- An optical surface can be represented as a sum of basis functions

$$z(x, y) = \sum \phi_i(x, y)w_i$$

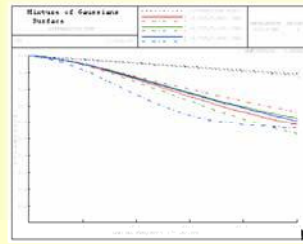
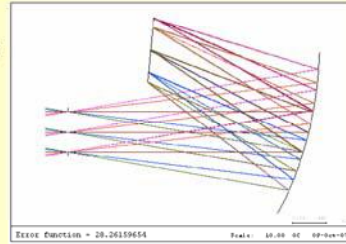
- In matrix form

$$z = \Phi w$$



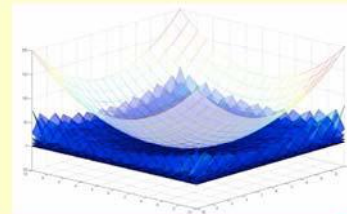
- To be invertible, Φ must be positive definite. equivalent to having positive eigenvalues.

Results



| Surface type | Average MTF | Max. Distortion |
|--------------------------------|--------------|-----------------|
| Anamorphic asphere | 26.5% | 3.8% |
| X-Y polynomial | 43.6% | 2.65% |
| Zernike polynomial | 42% | 3.74% |
| Lin. Comb. of Gaussians | 60.5% | 3.6% |

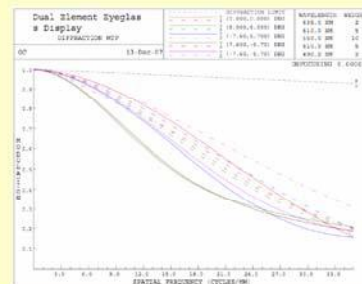
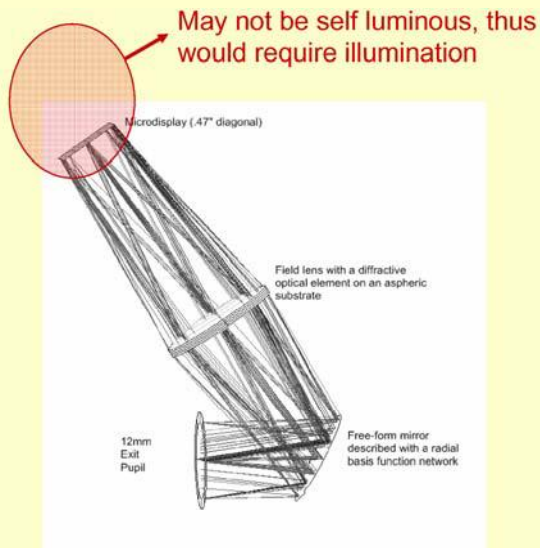
40 cycles/mm



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Using a 16x16 set of basis functions.



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