

5) A point source S is located on the axis and 30 cm from a plano-convex thin lens. Suppose that the glass lens is immersed in air ($n_l = 1.5$) and that it has a radius of 5 cm. Determine the location of the image (a) when the flat surface is toward S and (b) when the curved surface is toward S.

$$a) \frac{1}{30} + \frac{1}{s_i} = (1.5-1) \left(\frac{1}{\infty} - \frac{1}{-5} \right) \quad \text{so } s_i = 15 \text{ cm}$$

$$b) \frac{1}{30} + \frac{1}{s_i} = (1.5-1) \left(\frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{\infty} \right) \quad \text{so } s_i = 15 \text{ cm}$$

6) A thin bi-convex glass lens ($n = 1.5$) has radii of curvature of 30 cm and 60 cm. If it is to form a half-sized image of a ceiling lamp on a screen, what must the lens-lamp and lens-screen distances be?

$$\frac{1}{f} = (1.5-1) \left(\frac{1}{30} - \frac{1}{-60} \right) \Rightarrow f = 40 \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{since mag} = \frac{i}{o} = \frac{1}{2} \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{1}{o} + \frac{1}{i} = \frac{1}{40}$$

$$\frac{1}{2i} + \frac{1}{i} = \frac{1}{40} \quad \text{so } \frac{3}{2i} = \frac{1}{40} \quad \text{and } i = 60 \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{as a check } \frac{1}{120} + \frac{1}{60} = \frac{1}{40} \quad \checkmark$$

$$o = 120 \text{ cm}$$

7) Imagine a compound lens consisting of a thin positive lens followed at an interval of 20 cm by a thin negative lens. If these lenses have focal lengths of 40 cm and -40 cm, respectively, determine the value of f and the back focal length (b.f.l.).

$$\begin{aligned} \text{F.l. of thin lens combination: } \frac{1}{f} &= \frac{1}{f_1} + \frac{1}{f_2} - \frac{d}{f_1 f_2} \\ &= \frac{1}{40} + \frac{1}{-40} - \frac{20}{(40)(-40)} \\ &= \frac{20}{1600} \end{aligned}$$

$$f = 80 \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{B.f.l.: } \therefore \frac{1}{o} + \frac{1}{i} = \frac{1}{f} \quad \text{so for } o = \infty \quad i = f$$

$$\therefore o = d - i = -20 \text{ cm} \quad \frac{1}{-20} + \frac{1}{i} = \frac{1}{-40} \quad \text{so } i = 40 \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{B.f.l.} = 40 \text{ cm}$$