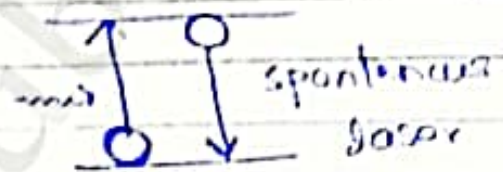


# LASER PHYSICS:-

Light Amplification by Stimulated Emission of Radiation 1900 started by Einstein (light emit in discrete nature it is from Maxwell) Light fall on material  $\rightarrow$  electron emit  $\rightarrow$  see in discrete form.

When material absorb light state.

Charles Town first gives the idea of lasers (light can be amplified in microwave region) than normal laser.

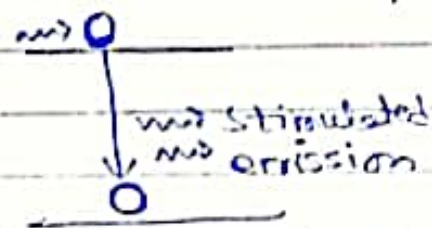


UV Laser.

Helium Neon laser  $1100-500\text{\AA}$

(light emit)

In electromagnetic region, amplifies all light. 1960, therefore mainly used Ruby by flash lamp



$\rightarrow$  excitation  $\rightarrow$  lower energy level to life-time  $\rightarrow$  then in

this life-time any of photon strike  $\rightarrow$  so laser produced  $\rightarrow$  Active medium  $\rightarrow$  optical Resonator  $\rightarrow$  pumping source.

1 cm  $\rightarrow$  Ruby Rod.

• Flash Lamp  $\rightarrow$  initial pumping source

$\rightarrow$  Every material has own energy level and excitation levels  $\rightarrow$  Some specific materials have active medium.

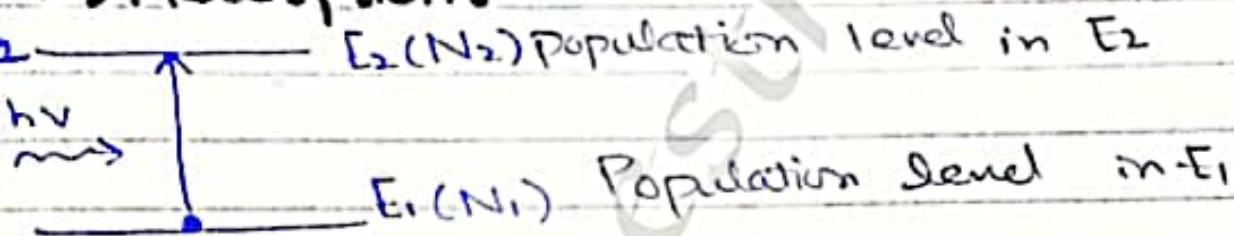
1967  $\rightarrow$  Q switching concept.

$\rightarrow$  Laser ka andar intensity  $\uparrow$  by using (shutter)  $\rightarrow$  chemical o.r.c.  
 $\rightarrow$  Specific-time +ak reflection.

Mode locking 1963 (remove the tumor)  
 $\rightarrow$  Laser used in different things are much better than other techniques.

There are main 3 processes of laser. Principle of laser Ch#1

## 1) Absorption



There is a change in population of the level  $E_1$  and also there is a change in level  $E_2$  during the absorption.

$$-\frac{dN_1}{dt} \propto N_1$$

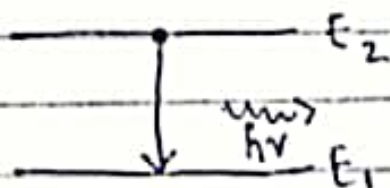
$\leftarrow$  -ve sign  $\rightarrow$   
Decrease in population of level 1

$$\boxed{-\frac{dN_1}{dt} = W_{12}}$$

change in level 1 due to absorption.

In cross-sectional area:  $W_{12} = \sigma_{12} F$

## 2) Emission: (Spontaneous Emission)



Rate of change of level 2:

$$- \frac{dN_2}{dt} \propto N_2$$

$$- \frac{dN_2}{dt} = A_{21} N_2$$

Spontaneous emission, probability

$$\frac{dN_2}{dt} = -A_{21} N_2$$

$A_{21}$  is the coefficient of spontaneous emission.

### 3) STIMULATED EMISSION:

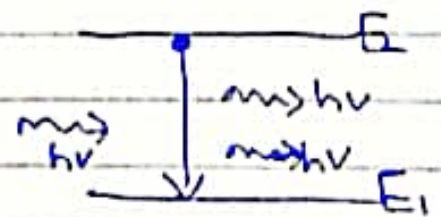
The phase of two photon will be same.

$$- \frac{dN_2}{dt} \propto N_2$$

$$- \frac{dN_2}{dt} = -W_{21} N_2$$

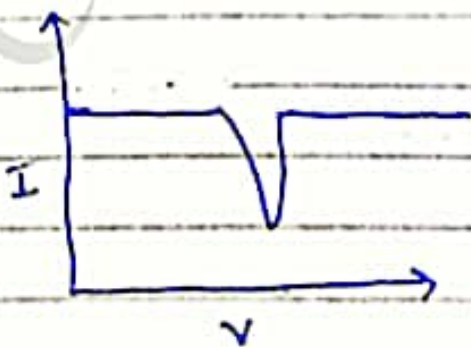
$W_{21}$  is the coefficient of stimulated emission.

$W_{21} = \sigma_{21} F$  → cross-sectional area

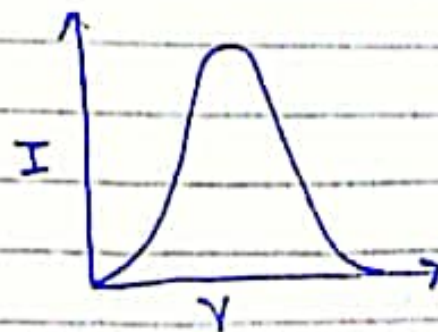


This photon hit this atom and are excited and move from upper to lower level.

Absorption Graph



Spontaneous Emission.



$$\omega_{21} F(N_2 - g_2/g_1 N_1) > 0$$

$$N_2 > \frac{g_2}{g_1} N_1$$

Active medium behave like amplifier.

Absorber:-

Population of level 2 is less than population level 1

$$\frac{dF}{dz} < 0$$

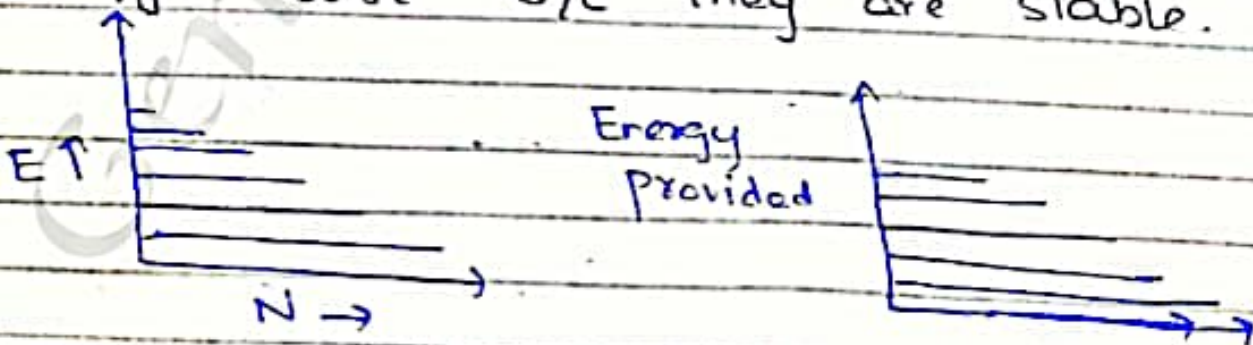
$$N_2 < \frac{g_2}{g_1} N_1$$

Active medium behave like absorber.

Practical laser  $\rightarrow$  flash lamp  $\rightarrow$  time  $\rightarrow$  (upper level jankar liya time chhota hoga)  $\rightarrow$   
 This condition is satisfied by Boltzmann distribution.

$$N_i = N_0 \exp\left(-\frac{E_i}{k_B T}\right)$$

Initial atoms are in ground state and this obeys dist b/c they are stable.



$$N_1^0 = N_0 g_1 \exp\left(\frac{-E_1}{k_B T}\right)$$

$$N_2^0 = N_0 g_2 \exp\left(\frac{-E_2}{k_B T}\right)$$

Non Degenerate energy levels  
b/c we have the value of  $g$

$$\frac{N_2^0}{N_1^0} = \frac{g_2}{g_1} \exp\left(\frac{-(E_2 - E_1)}{k_B T}\right)$$

When it is a good absorber, you must have

1<sup>st</sup> Condition  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{N_2^0}{N_1^0} = \frac{g_2}{g_1} \\ N_2^0 < \frac{g_2}{g_1} N_1^0 \end{array} \right.$

(Amplification): -

2<sup>nd</sup> condition  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} N_2^0 > \frac{g_2}{g_1} N_1^0 \end{array} \right.$

These are all ideal cases.

## Oscillator for an Amplifier:-

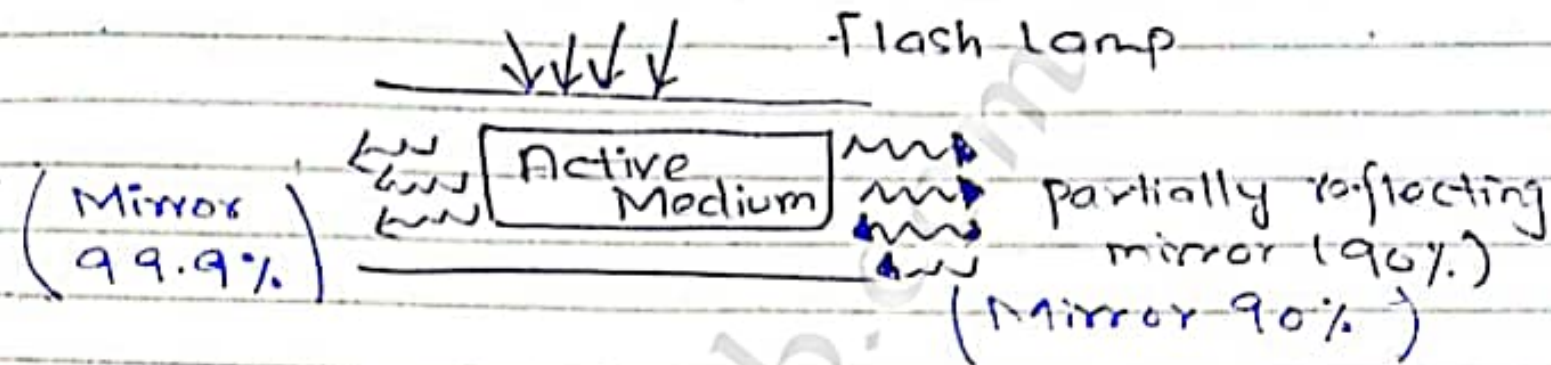
How to make a oscillators?

▣ Oscillators allow to and form in action.

▣ Laser is itself a process but in a device in which laser is used so it is called laser device.

▣ Oscillatore is a cavity in which

Photons oscillate within the cavity



Mirrors are highly reflective mirrors.

Spontaneous emit photon - then strike within an atom. - then two photons with the partially reflective mirror. Then the photon will reflect stimulated emission for photons. will strike the reflecting 99.9% mirrors.

Oscillator is designed due to amplification

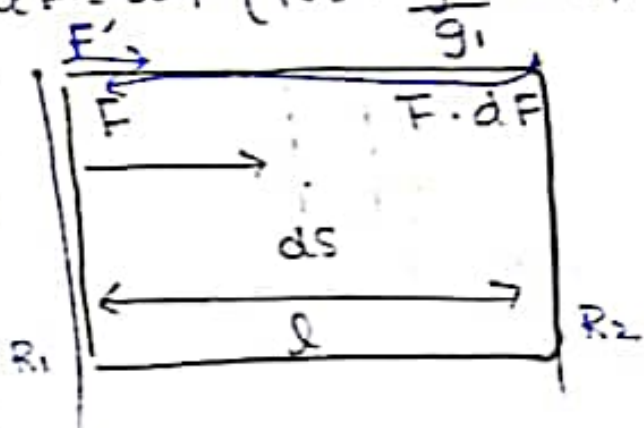
Flash lamp strike so they (photons) have different directions and this is a loss.

Inside Cavity  $\rightarrow$  Heat produced due to losses liquid flow from one place to another.

Heat is absorbed through cold fluid.

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$$dF = \omega F \left( N_2 - \frac{g_2}{g_1} N_1 \right) dz$$



→ Ground state can't be zero  
 After some time maximum reached at excited state after that this can't be happen again as temperature (photon flux) greater than R photon  
 condition  
 $F = F'$

$$\frac{dF}{F} = \omega \left( N_2 - \frac{g_2}{g_1} N_1 \right) dz$$

$$\ln(F) = \omega \left( N_2 - \frac{g_2}{g_1} N_1 \right) L$$

$$F = \exp \left\{ \omega \left( N_2 - \frac{g_2}{g_1} N_1 \right) L \right\}$$

F = Active medium

$$F' = F \left[ \exp \left( \omega \left( N_2 - \frac{g_2}{g_1} N_1 \right) L \right) \times R_2 \times (1-L_i) \right] \times \exp \left( \omega \left( N_2 - \frac{g_2}{g_1} N_1 \right) L \right) \times (1-L_i) \times R_1$$

$$F' = F$$

$$F' = F \exp \left( 2\omega \left( N_2 - \frac{g_2}{g_1} N_1 \right) L \right) \times R_1 R_2 \times (1-L_i)^2$$

$$F' = F$$

$$\exp \left( 2\omega \left( N_2 - \frac{g_2}{g_1} N_1 \right) L \right) \times R_1 R_2 \times (1-L_i)^2 = 1$$

$$2\omega \left( N_2 - \frac{g_2}{g_1} N_1 \right) L + \ln R_1 + \ln R_2 + 2 \ln(1-L_i) = 0$$

we know that

$$T + R = 1$$

$$R = 1 - T$$

$$T = 1 - R$$

- 3 process
- absorption
  - Transmission
  - Reflection

Lec:-

## → Spontaneous Emission:-

→ When light absorbs, it move to upper level transition from  $E_2$  to  $E_1$ .



$$\psi_1(x,t) = U_1(x) \exp(-iE_1t/\hbar) \rightarrow a_1(x)$$

$$\psi_2(x,t) = U_2(x) \exp(-iE_2t/\hbar) \rightarrow a_2(x)$$

$$\psi = a_1 \psi_1 + a_2 \psi_2 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$|a_1|^2 + |a_2|^2 = 1$$

$$N = \int e^{-r} |\psi|^2 r^2 dr \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

$$\psi = a_1(t) U_1(x) \exp\left(\frac{-iE_1 t}{\hbar}\right) + a_2(t) U_2(x) \exp\left(\frac{-iE_2 t}{\hbar}\right) \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

$$N = \int \rho dV$$

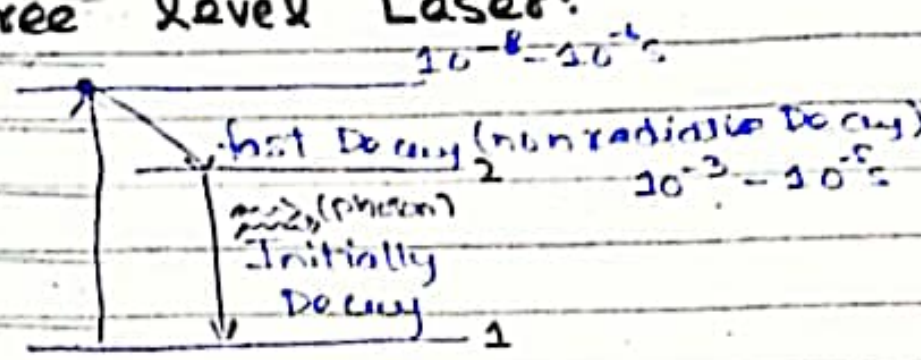
$$N = \int e^{-r} |a_1(t) U_1(x) + a_2(t) U_2(x)|^2 dV \quad \text{--- (5)}$$

Probability of one, Probability of two, Transition b/w two levels.

$$= \int e^{-r} [|a_1|^2 |U_1|^2] dV + \int^* e^{-r} [|a_2|^2 |U_2|^2] dV$$

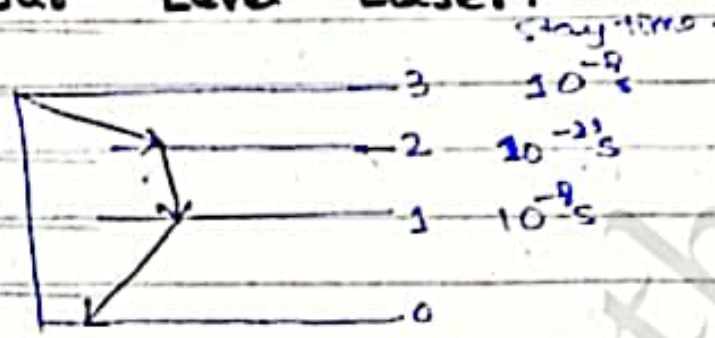


## ③ Three Level Laser:



→ fast Decay than stimulated emission photon seen equal to how many atoms strike as 2 state  
 → Spontaneous emission hogs -11 Stimulated hogs

## ④ Four Level Laser:



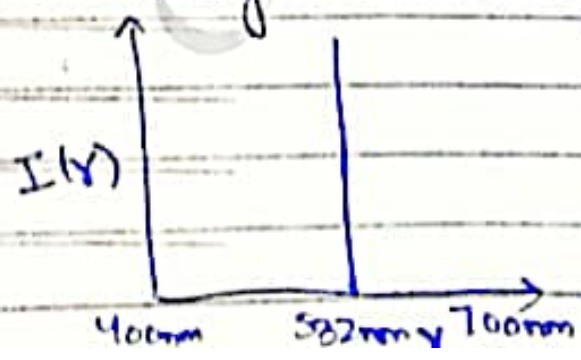
Four level is much better than three level laser b/c of time

→ absorb → Excite → Stimulation → Initially population Inversion → finally laser achieved

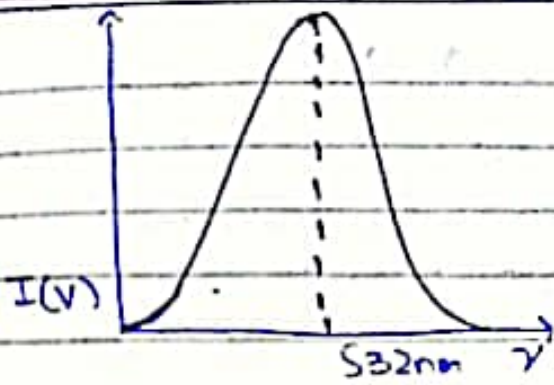
## PROPERTIES OF LASER:

### ① Monochromaticity: -

↓  
Single wavelength



There is a single wavelength but actually this is not this way.



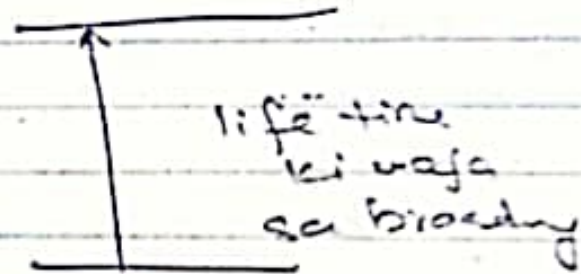
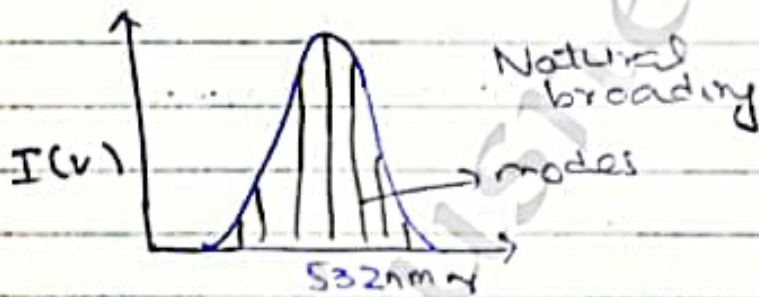
Laser light is not absolute monochromatic - there is some broadening due to different mechanism so there is a dopler broadening and collisional broadening and we can minimize these

broadening mechanism but one broadening which is not minimize is a natural broadening.

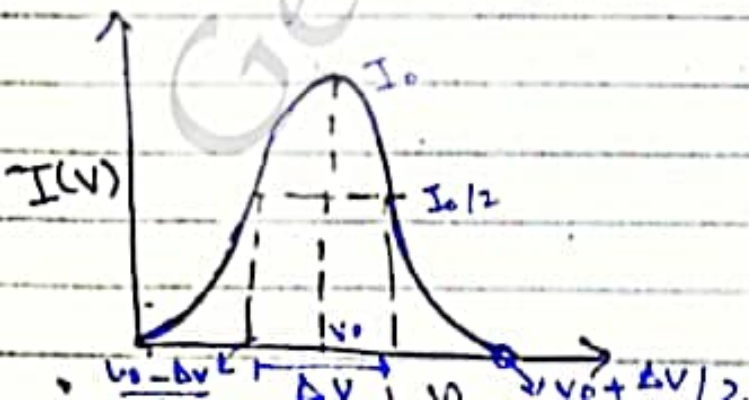
Whenever there is natural broadening so there is uncertainty principle  $\rightarrow$  energy and position can never find at same time.

From uncertainty principle.

$$\Delta x \Delta p_x \geq \frac{1}{2} \hbar$$



Natural broadening principle lies on uncertainty principle



Now we can find full width half maximum of curve.

- When intensity  $I_0$  becomes half  $I_0/2$  in this width so this is called full width half maximum.

This tells the degree of monochromaticity.

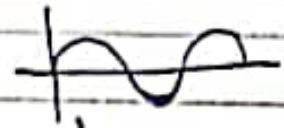
$$\text{Degree of monochromaticity} = \frac{\Delta \nu}{\nu_0}$$

if  $\Delta \nu = 0$  (highly monochromatic light).

It means it is absolute monochromatic light which is impossible. There will exist some spread. Band width of ordinary light  $\times 10^{10}$  Hz. Band width of laser light  $\times 500$

## ② Coherence:-

(same phase)



Related with monochromatic beam, directionally beam divergence.



There are two types of coherence  
(i) Temporal coherence (related with time)  
↓  
coherence in time, represented as  $T_c$ .

→ The time at which light is coherent

than... it is coherent in Time  $\tau_c$  ( $\tau_c$ )

$$\tau_c = \frac{1}{\Delta \nu}$$

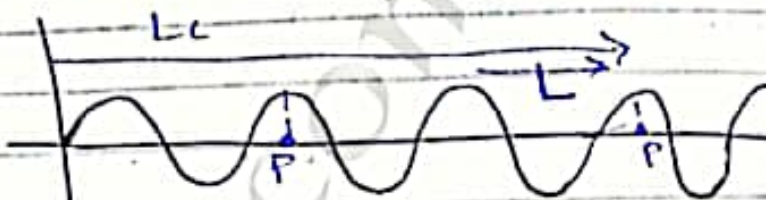
(ii) Special coherence:

We can fix the time and find  $\tau_c$  and  $L_c$

$$L_c = c \tau_c$$

$$L_c = \frac{c}{\Delta \nu}$$

This is the coherence length ( $L_c$ )



Ordinary Light:-

Coherence Light  $10^{-10}$

ordinary source = coherence length  $\approx 3 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m} = 0.03 \text{ m}$

Laser Light:-  $\tau \approx 10^{-3} \text{ s}$

Laser light =  $1 \text{ c} \approx 300 \text{ km}$  (in phase)

③ Directionality / Beam width:-

Directionality  $\rightarrow$  Uni direction (they are in one direction)



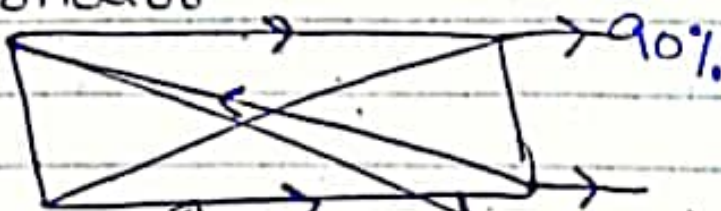
it means. Diver

imp property of laser light that can stay in one line for long time

The length for which there is no divergence is called Raleigh Length.

In Resonator

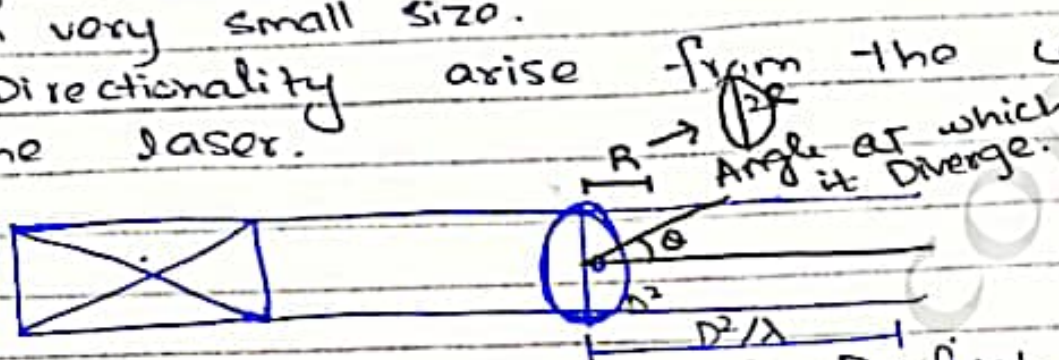
99.9%



cavity (provides a specific path..)

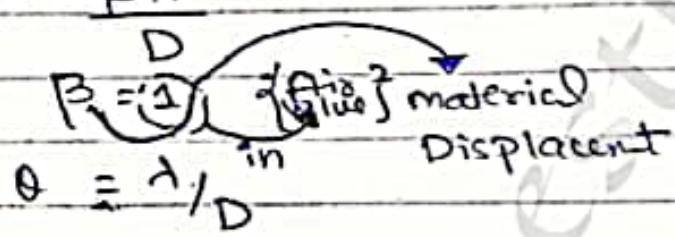
→ This cavity provide a path to light to go out from aperture (in mm) which is in very small size.

→ Directionality arise from the cavity of the laser.



Rayleigh length.  
 • aperture by using wavelength  
 aperture of diameter

$$\theta = \beta \lambda \text{ (mm)}$$



$$\frac{(\text{mm})^2 = 10^{-6} \text{ m}}{532 \text{ nm} \quad 10^{-9} \text{ m}}$$

$$I = \frac{I_0}{e^2} \quad \text{Intensity reduced}$$

" = 13.5%

Initially radius R increase in radius 2R make intensity decrease at a very large distance.

Intensity also known as Irradiance

$$I = \frac{\text{Energy}}{\text{Area} \times \text{Time}} = \frac{\text{Power}}{\text{Area}} = \left( \frac{\text{Unit}}{\text{W}} \right) \frac{1}{\text{m}^2}$$

Which is more greater?

→ 1W Laser      Area ↑ Intensity ↓  
 → 100W Bulb      " ↓      " ↑

## Intensity:-

1W laser light - thousand times greater than 100 W bulb because of less divergence.

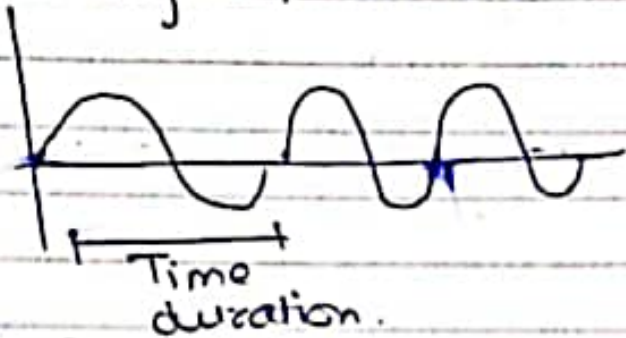
$$1 \text{ mW} = 1 \times 10^{-3} \text{ W. Laser.}$$

$$I = P/A$$

if we know spot in size we can find intensity?

## ④ Pulse Duration:

Every pulse has its own time duration.



Time Duration are in nanosecond.

When we have a short pulse so we have better time duration. (results)

