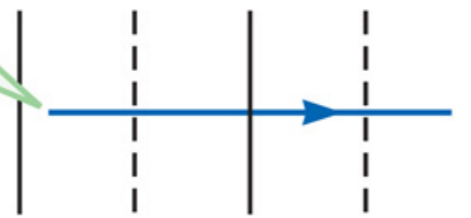


Reflection and Images Formed by Reflection

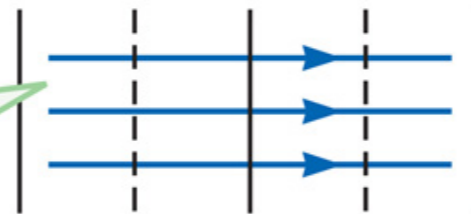


Geometric Optics and the Ray approximation

A plane wave is represented by a single ray...

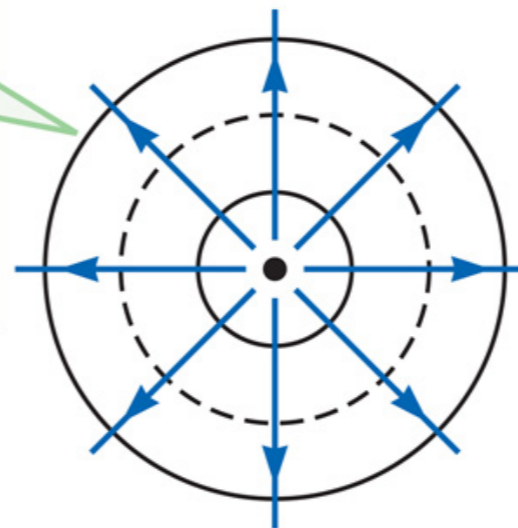


... or by a number of parallel rays.



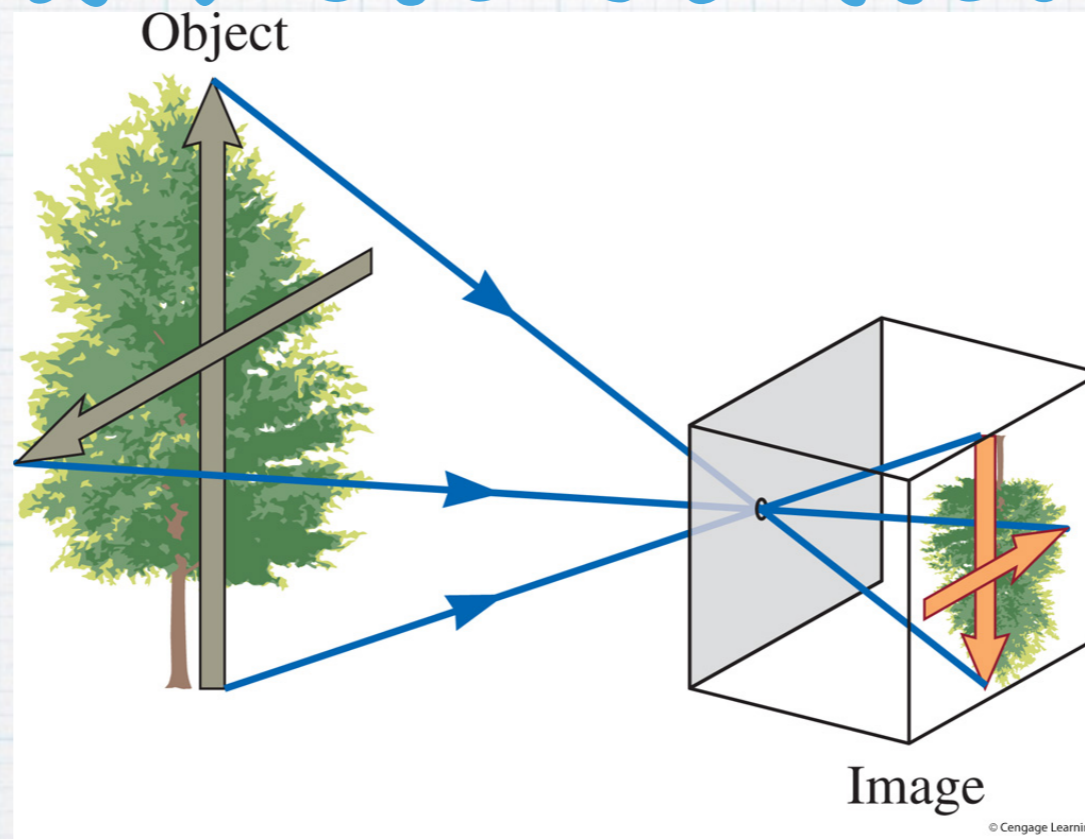
A.

A spherical wave is represented by many rays emanating from the center.

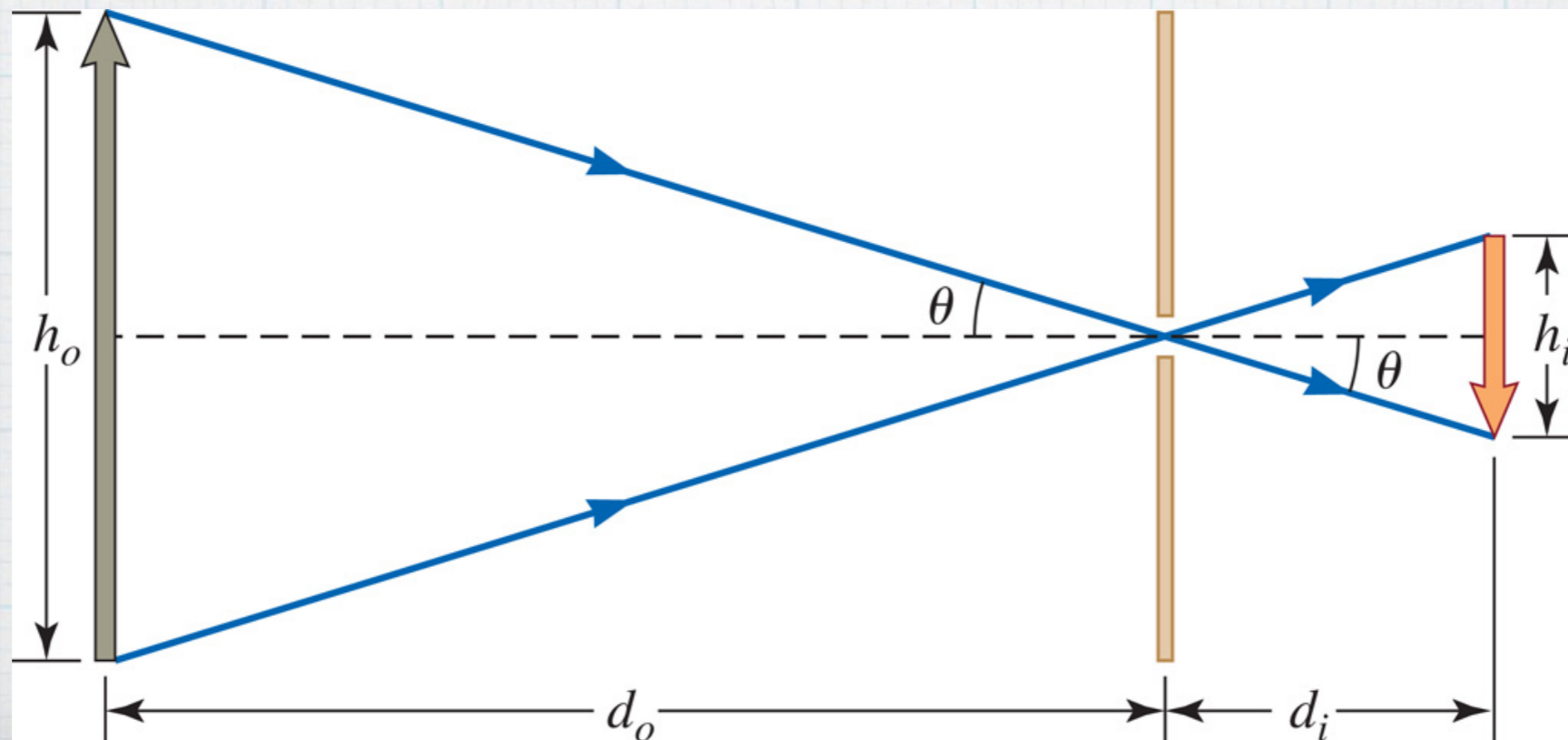


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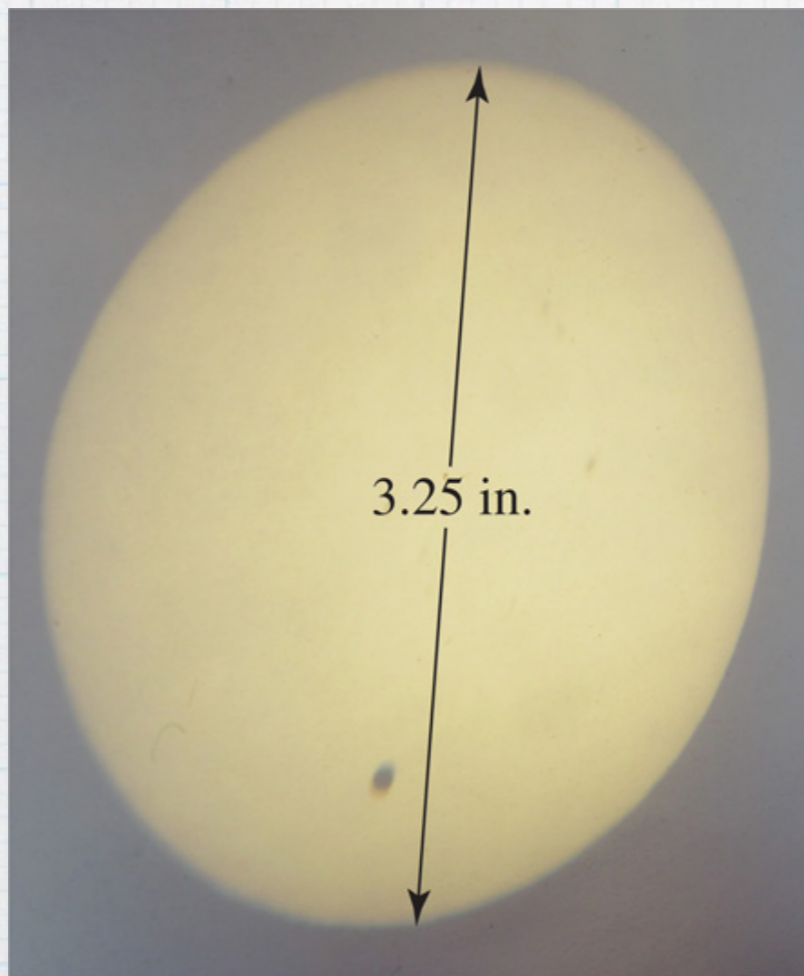
Pinhole Camera



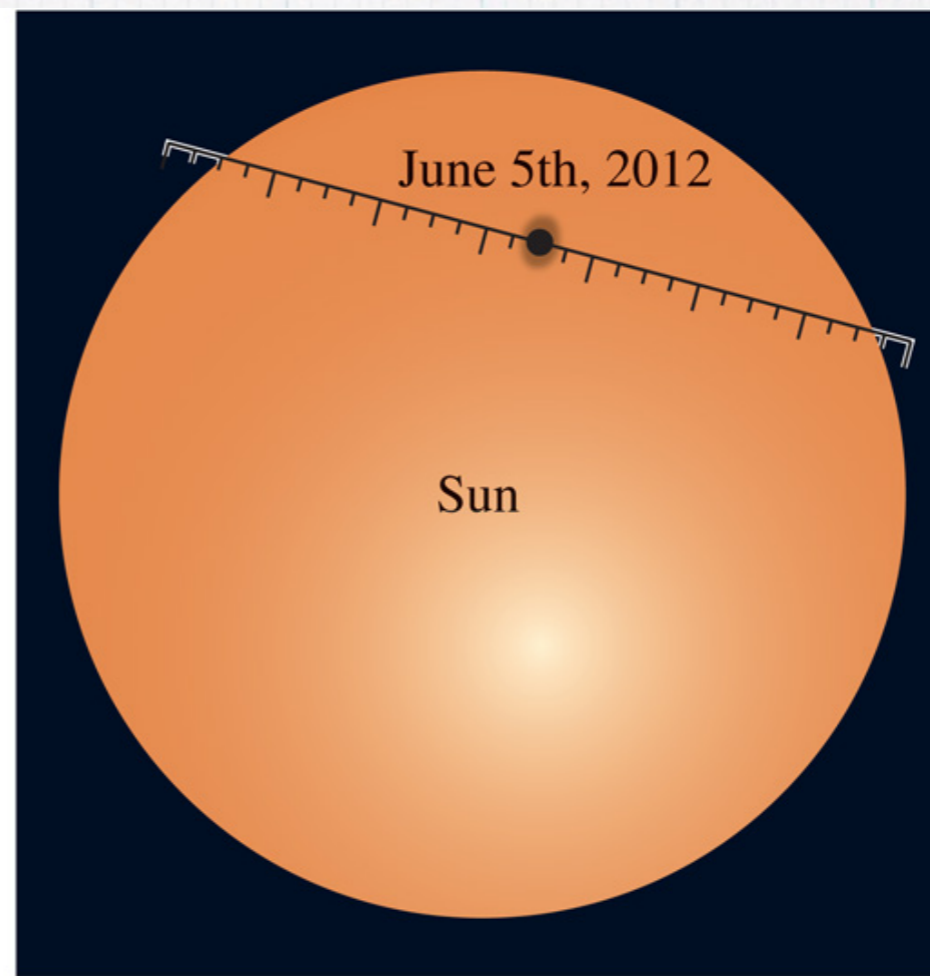
$$M = \frac{h_i}{h_o} = -\frac{d_i}{d_o}$$



Example - Sun and pinhole

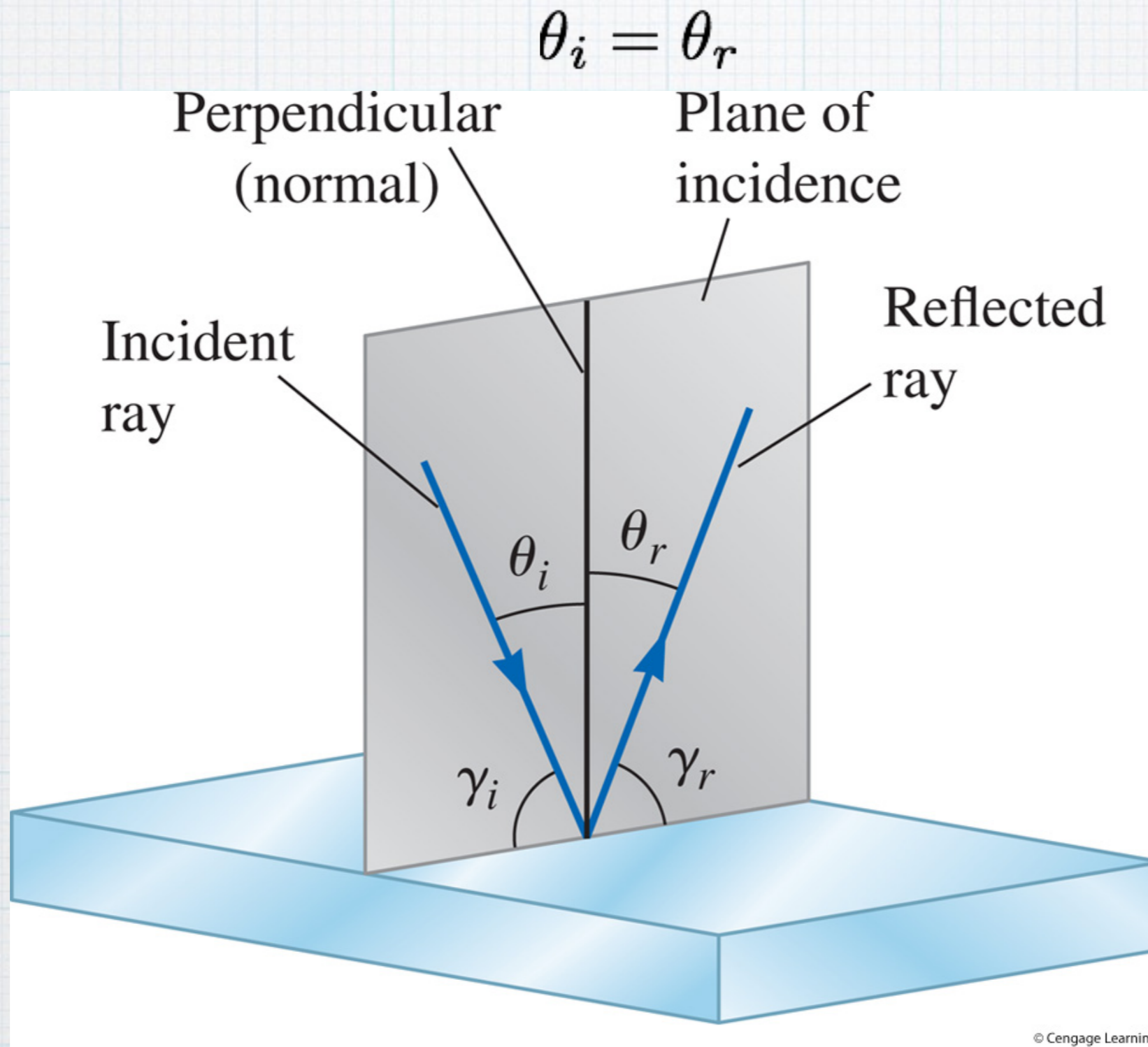


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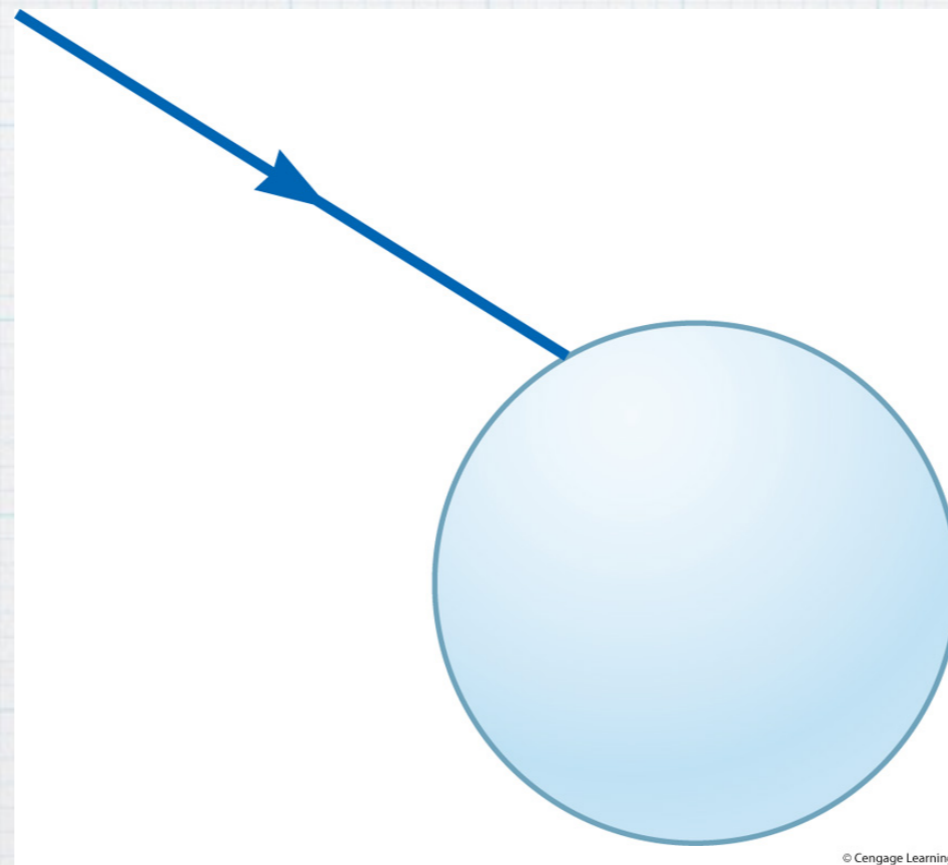
Law of Reflection



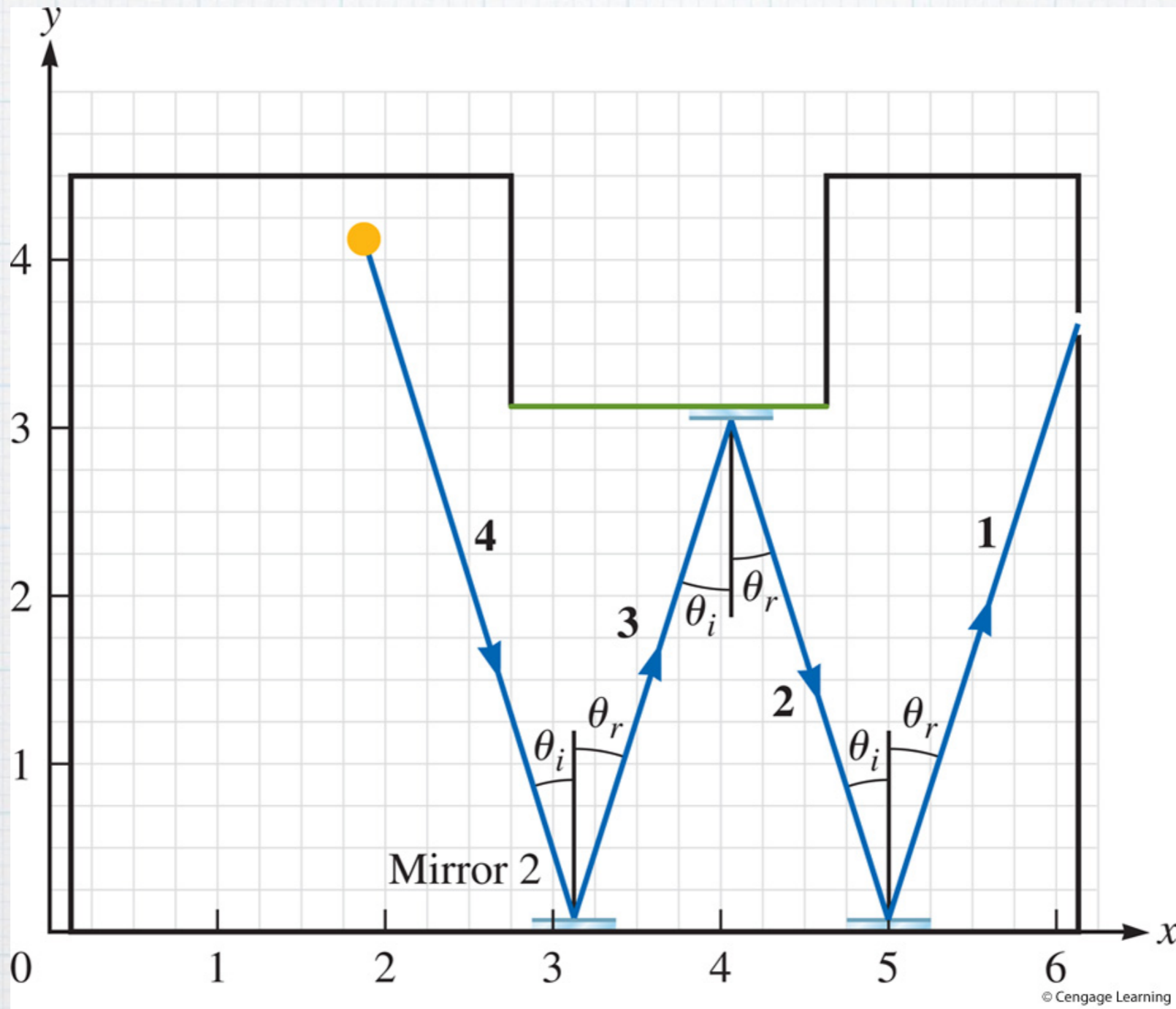
That's it

Do You Understand it?

Let's make sure we all understand the concept of
the "Normal", its NOT the Normal force



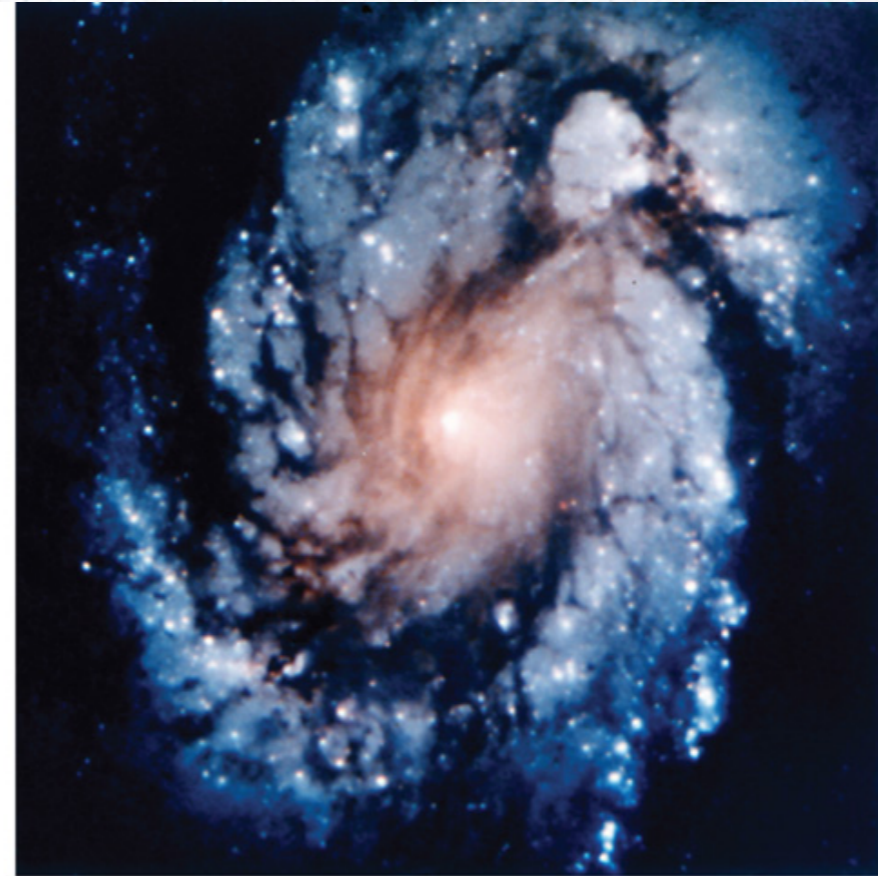
Want to see the light?



Images Formed by Reflection

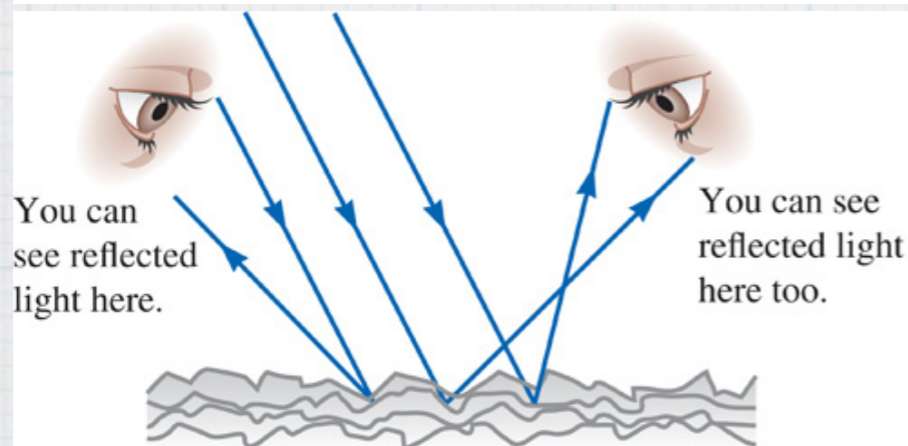


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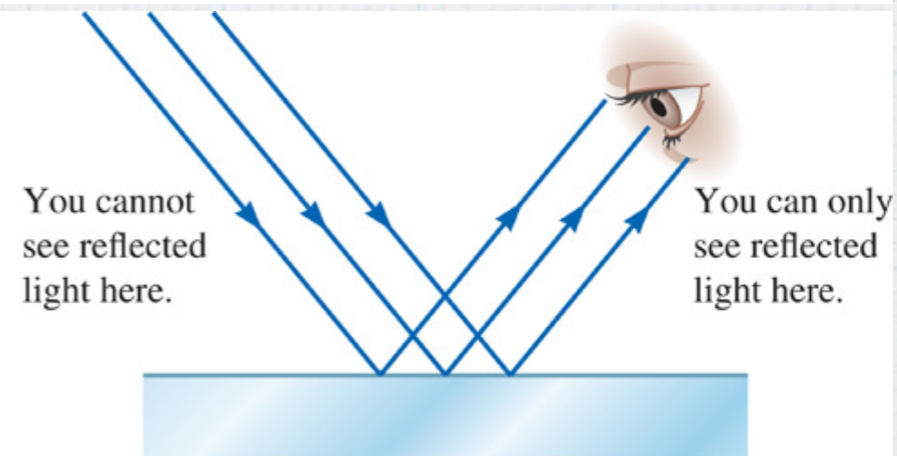


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NASA



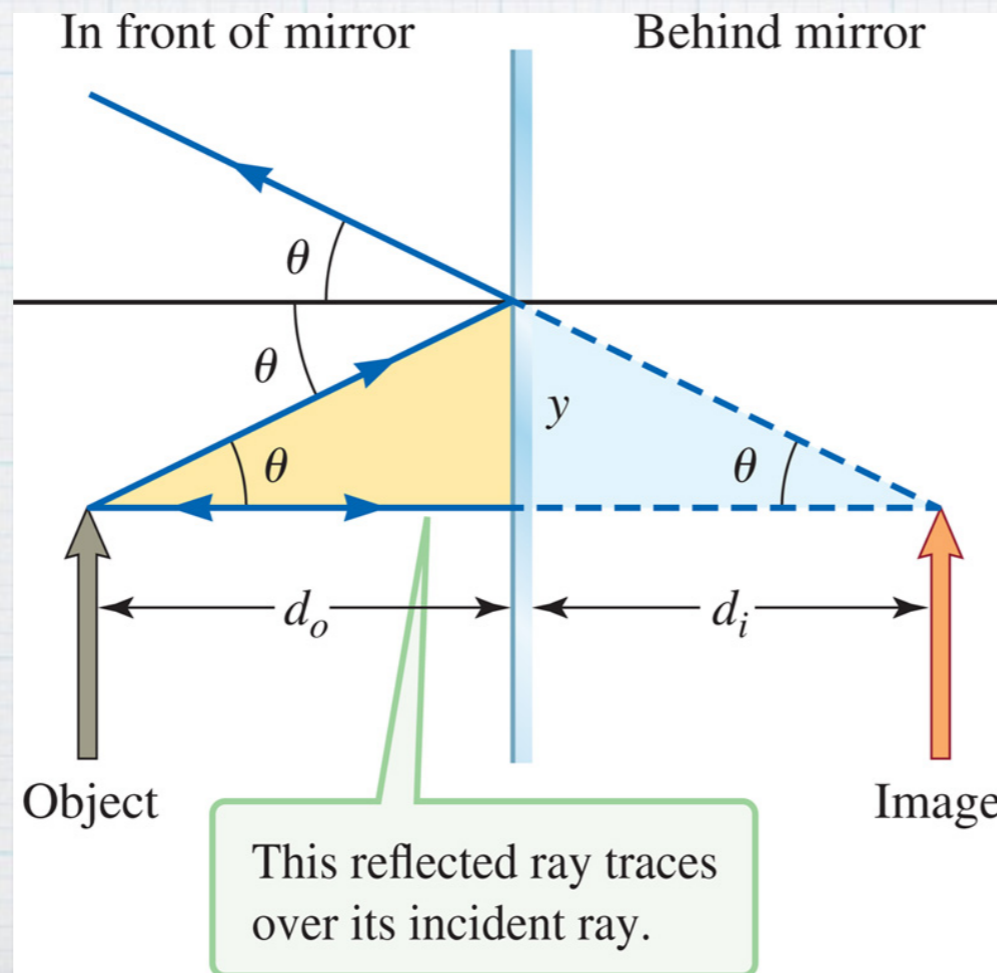
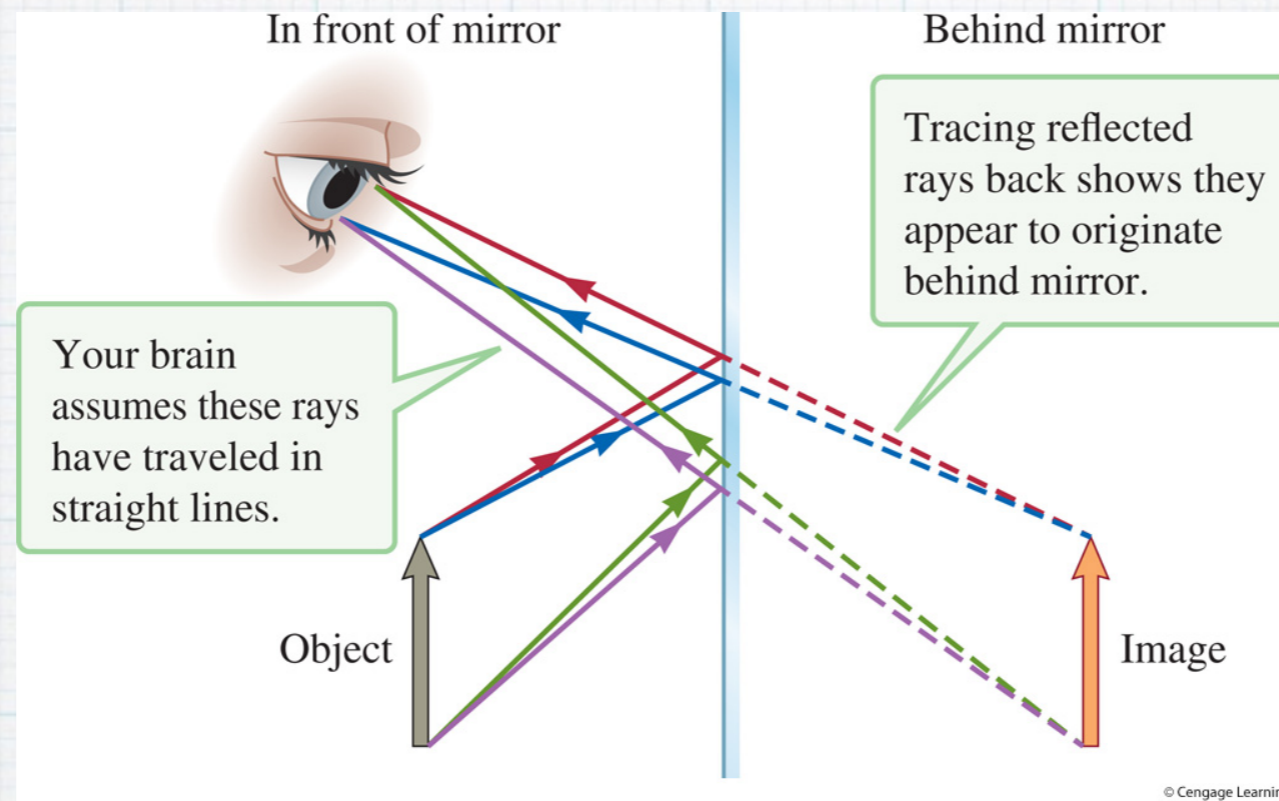
A. Diffuse reflection



B. Specular reflection

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Plane Mirrors



$$M = 1$$

$$d_i = d_o$$

Upright

No Magnification

Virtual

Reverses left and right

Virtual vs Real

Demo

How big a mirror do
you need to see your
feet?

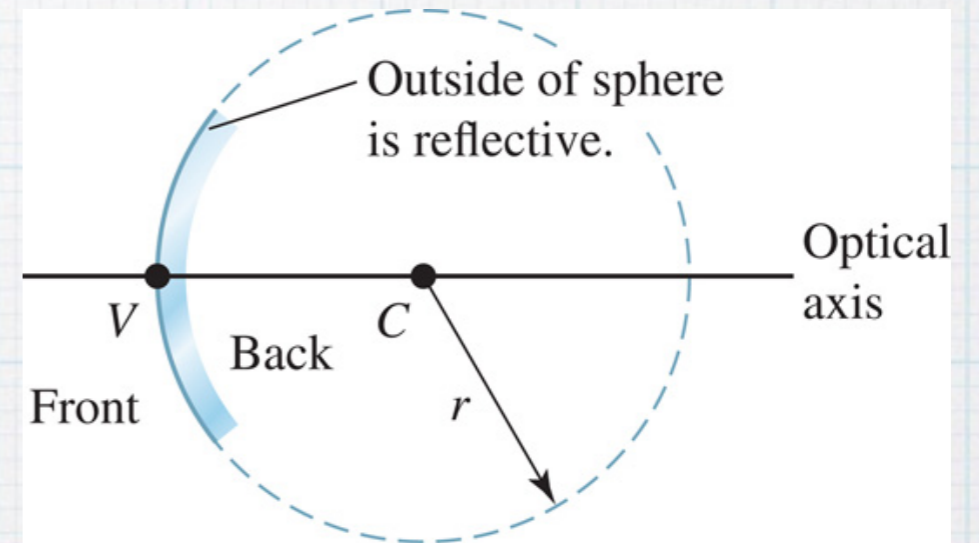
Spherical Mirrors



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Definitions

V = Principle axis
 r = radius of curvature
 C = center of curvature



A. Convex mirror

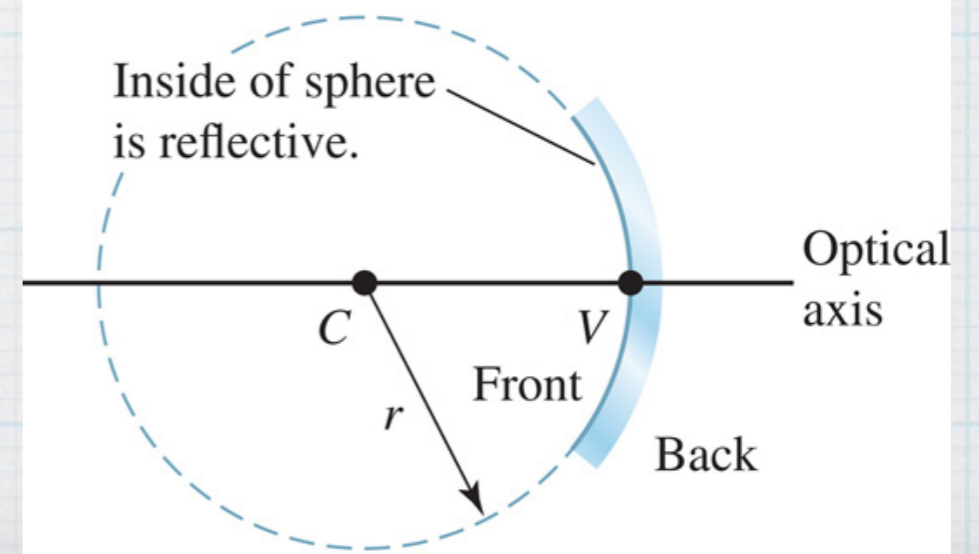
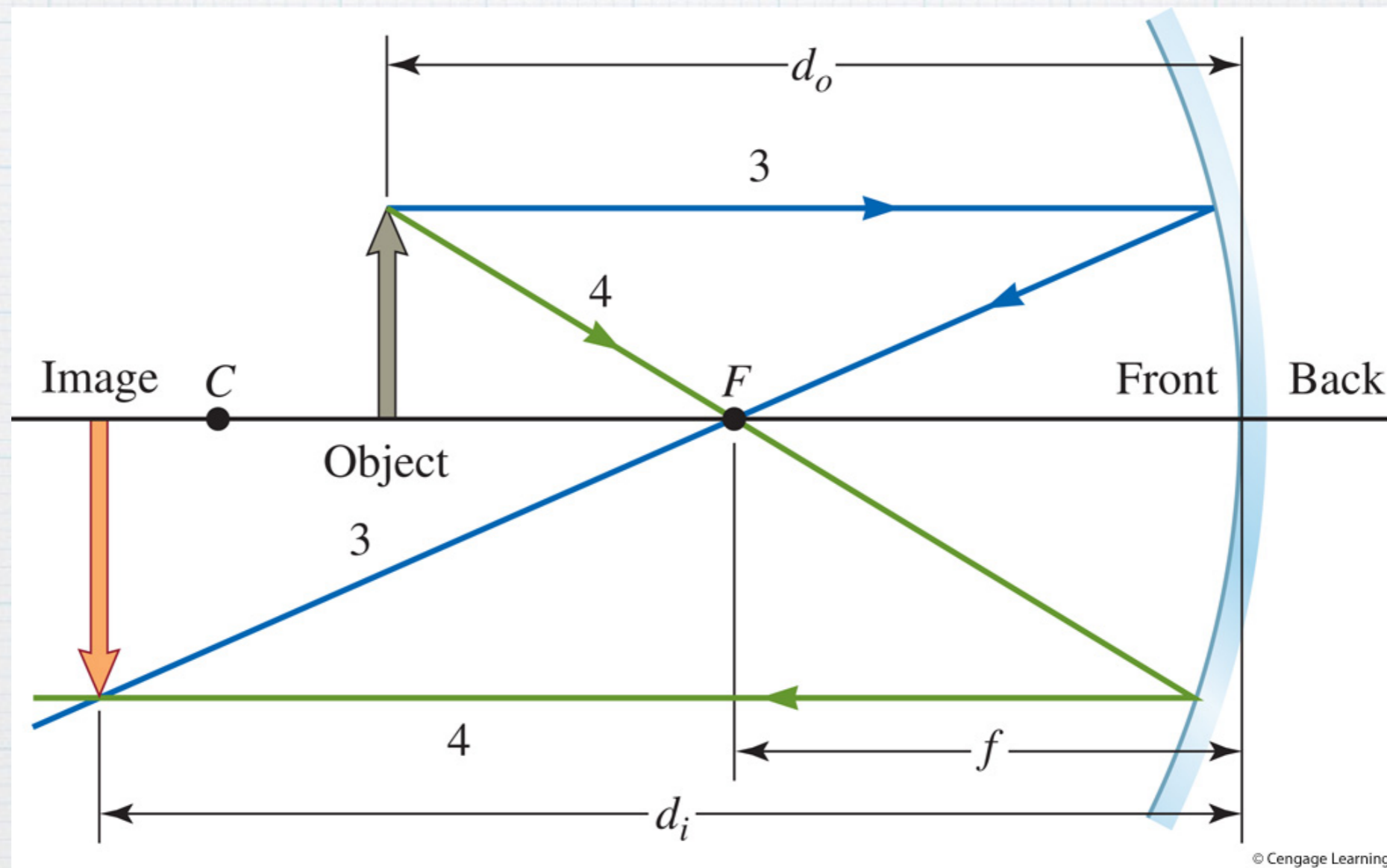


Image Formation by Principle Rays

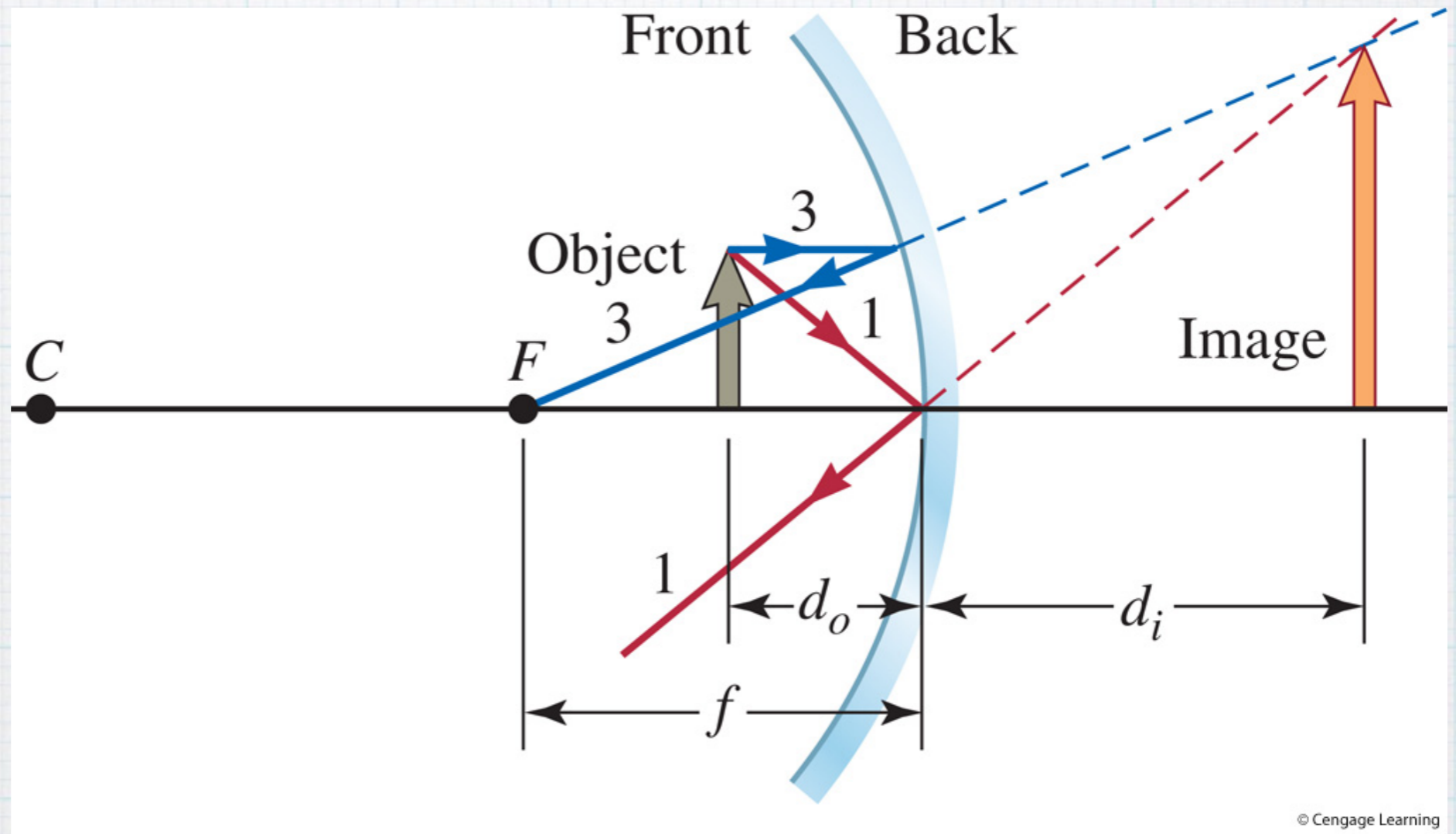
I'll define the focal point later, for now, $f=r/2$

object
behind
of the
focal
point



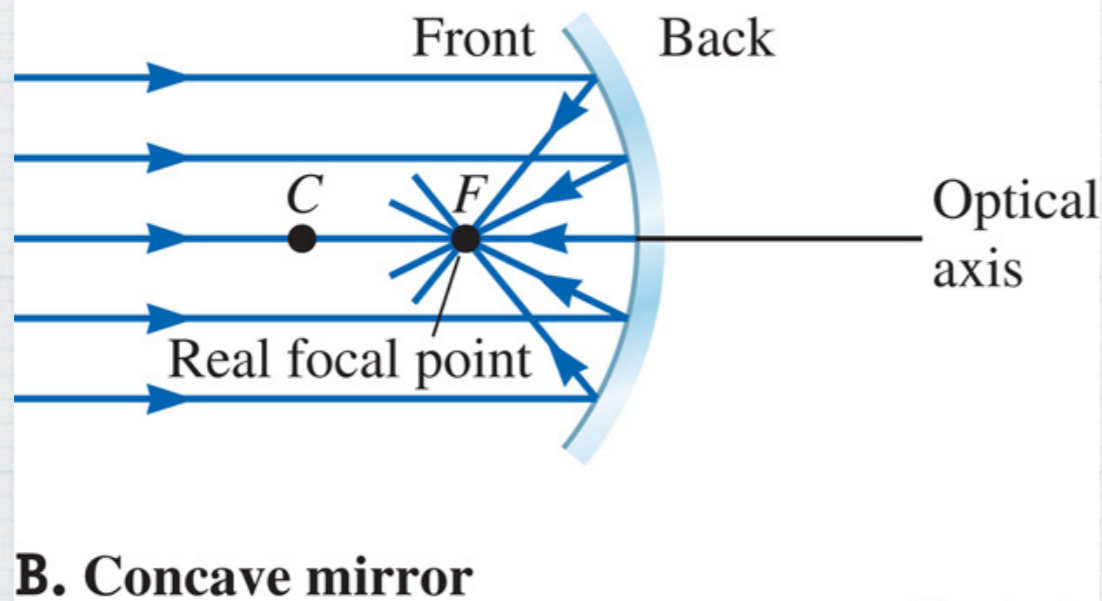
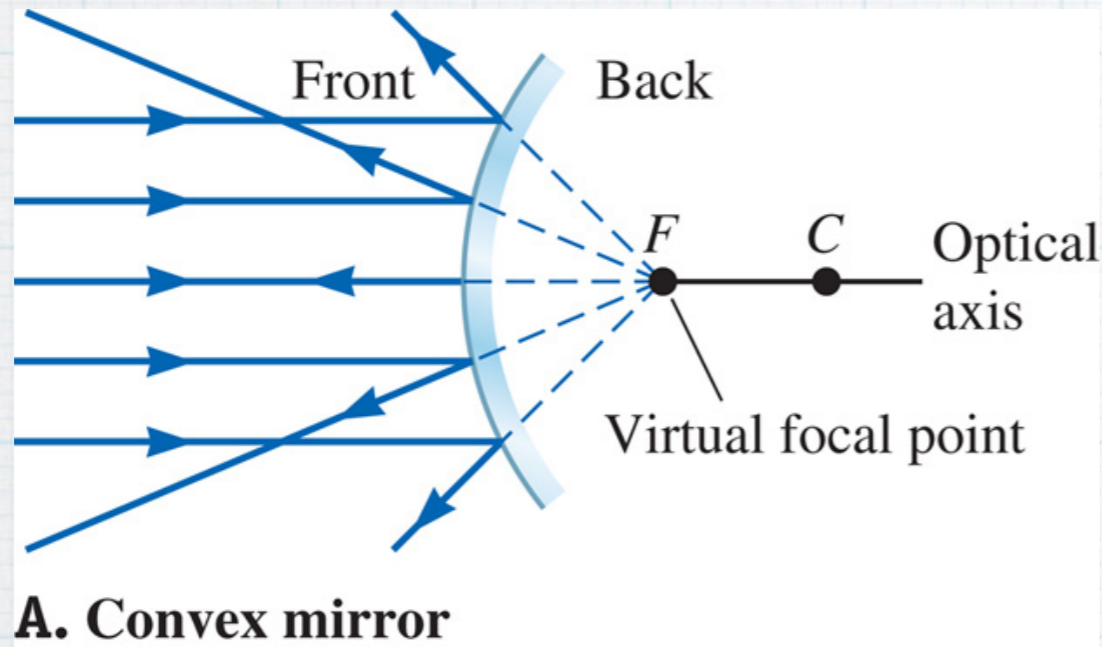
Concave

object in front of the focal point



Concave

Focal Point

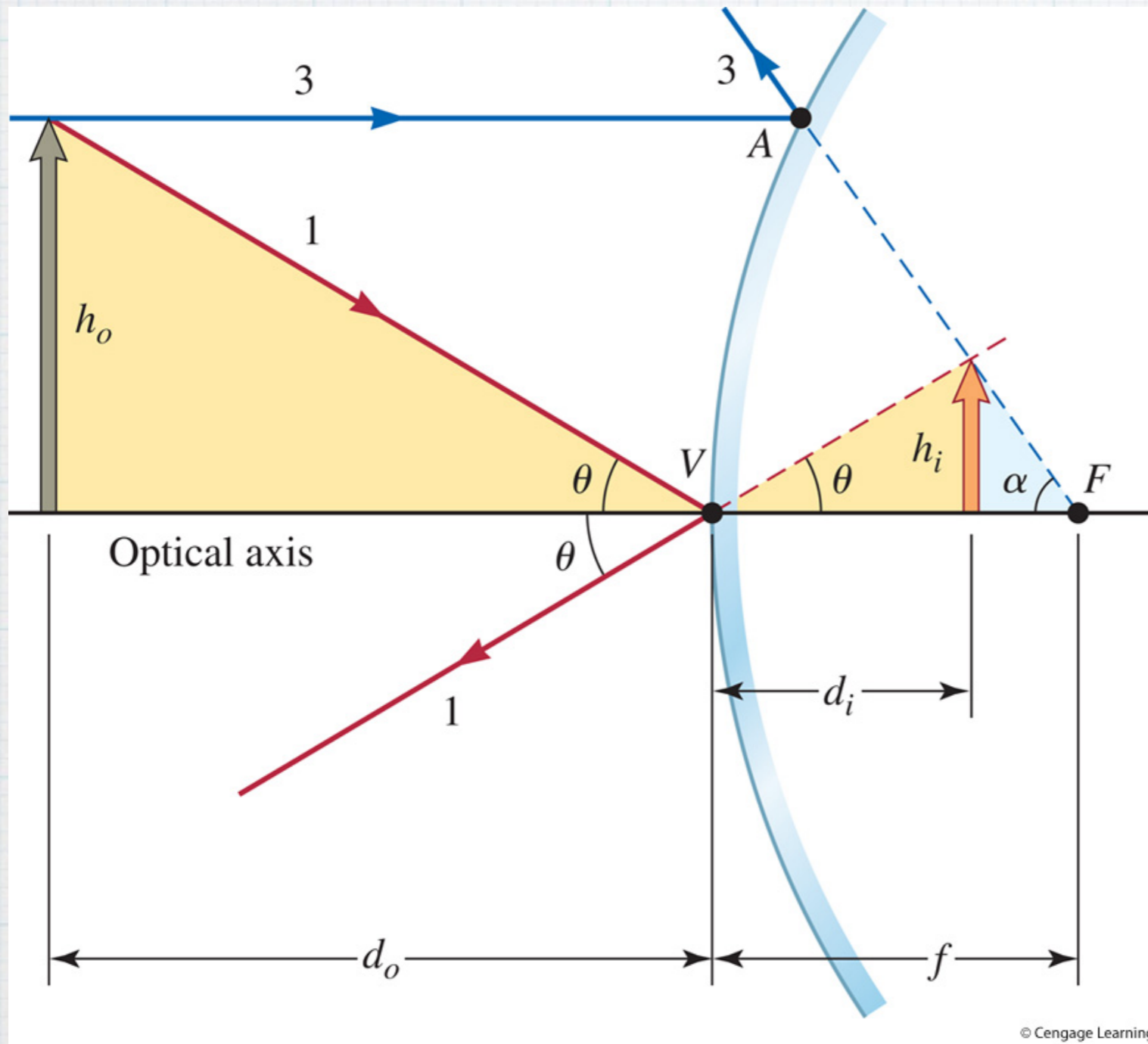


rays from infinity



$$f=r/2$$

How to get Numbers



$$M = \frac{h_i}{h_o} = -\frac{d_i}{d_o}$$

$$\frac{1}{d_o} + \frac{1}{d_i} = \frac{1}{f}$$

works for both
concave and
convex

Convex

Example's

Also, what does sign of image distance mean?
It's positive if a real image is formed there

