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Worksheet { Light }

Q1. What are the two conditions required for total internal reflection?

Ans. The two conditions required for total internal reflection are

- i. Angle of incidence should be greater than the critical angle.
- ii. Ray should travel from denser medium to rarer medium.

Q2. A fish in the pond of water appears at a depth of 6 cm. What is the actual depth of fish if the refractive index of air w.r.t. water is $\frac{3}{4}$?

Ans.

$$\frac{\text{Actual depth}}{\text{Apparent depth}} = \text{Refractive index}$$

Let the actual depth be x .

$$\frac{x}{6} = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x = 18$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{18}{4} = 4.5 \text{ cm}$$

\therefore the actual depth is 4.5 cm

Q3. A rectangular glass slab of thickness 8cm is placed on a figure. The eye is kept exactly above this slab. If the refractive index of glass is 1.6, then by what distance the figure will appear to be raised?

Ans:
$$\text{Apparent depth} = \frac{\text{Actual depth}}{\text{Refractive index}}$$

$$\text{Apparent depth} = \frac{8}{1.6}$$

$$= \frac{80}{16} = 5 \text{ cm.}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Normal shift} &= \text{Actual depth} - \text{Apparent depth} \\ &= 8 - 5 \\ &= 3 \text{ cm.} \end{aligned}$$