

Methoden moderner Röntgenphysik II: Streuung und Abbildung

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Small Angle Scattering, and Soft Matter

Introduction, Form Factor, Structure Factor, Applications, ...

Anomalous Diffraction

Introduction into Anomalous Scattering, ...

Introduction into Coherence

Concept, First Order Coherence, ...



Coherent Scattering

Spatial Coherence, Second Order Coherence, ...

Applications of Coherent Scattering

Imaging and Correlation Spectroscopy, ...

The Concept of Coherence: Classical Light

First Order Coherence

Coherence and Emission Spectrum

Spatial Coherence

Second Order Coherence

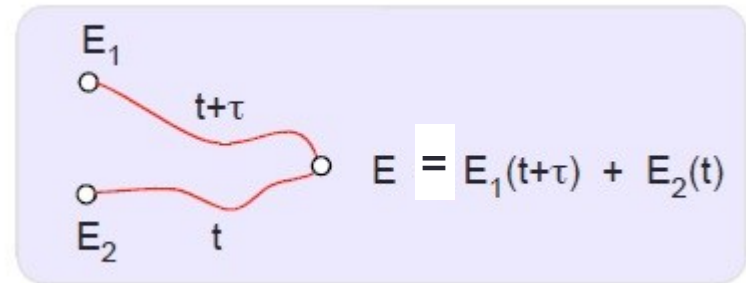
Chaotic Light

Basic concepts: **The quantum theory of light**
Rodney Loudon, Oxford University Press (1990)
Quantum optics
Marlan O. Scully, M. Suhail Zubairy,
Cambridge University Press (1997)



The Concept of Coherence

Consider harmonic fields E_1, E_2 at positions r_1, r_2 at time:



$$\langle I_n \rangle \equiv \langle E_n(t)E_n^*(t) \rangle, \quad n \in \{1, 2\}$$

$$\langle I \rangle = \langle EE^* \rangle = \langle I_1 \rangle + \langle I_2 \rangle + 2 \operatorname{Re} [\langle E_1(t+\tau)E_2^*(t) \rangle] \quad \text{with } \langle f \rangle \equiv \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \langle f \rangle_T$$

$$\langle f \rangle_T \equiv \left(\frac{1}{T} \right) \int_{-\frac{T}{2}}^{\frac{T}{2}} f(t) dt$$

Here $\lim T \rightarrow \infty$ means that T is finite but sufficiently large such that $\langle f \rangle_T$ does not depend on T

Normalized pair correlation function:
$$\gamma_{12}(\tau) \equiv \frac{\langle E_1(t+\tau)E_2^*(t) \rangle}{(\langle I_1 \rangle \langle I_2 \rangle)^{\frac{1}{2}}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \langle I \rangle = \langle I_1 \rangle + \langle I_2 \rangle + 2 (\langle I_1 \rangle \langle I_2 \rangle)^{\frac{1}{2}} \operatorname{Re}[\gamma_{12}(\tau)]$$

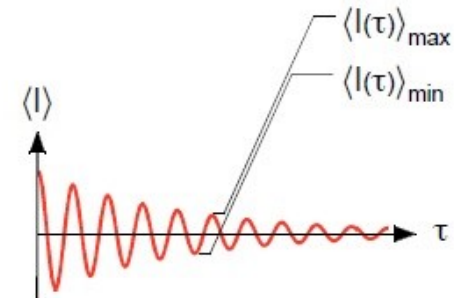
$$\gamma_{12}(\tau) = |\gamma_{12}(\tau)| \cos(\phi_{12}(\tau)) \Rightarrow I = \langle I_1 \rangle + \langle I_2 \rangle + 2(\langle I_1 \rangle \langle I_2 \rangle)^{\frac{1}{2}} |\gamma_{12}(\tau)| \cos(\phi_{12}(\tau))$$

Assume: $\phi_{12}(\tau)$ changes much faster than $|\gamma_{12}(\tau)|$ (quasi-coherent light)

$$\Rightarrow \langle I \rangle_{max/min} = \langle I_1 \rangle + \langle I_2 \rangle \pm 2(\langle I_1 \rangle \langle I_2 \rangle)^{\frac{1}{2}} |\gamma_{12}(\tau)|$$

Interference visibility κ :

$$\kappa \equiv \left| \frac{\langle I \rangle_{max} - \langle I \rangle_{min}}{\langle I \rangle_{max} + \langle I \rangle_{min}} \right| = 2 \frac{(\langle I_1 \rangle \langle I_2 \rangle)^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\langle I_1 \rangle + \langle I_2 \rangle} |\gamma_{12}(\tau)|$$



$$\langle I_1 \rangle = \langle I_2 \rangle \Rightarrow \kappa = |\gamma_{12}(\tau)|$$

Definition:	$ \gamma_{12}(\tau) = 1$	for all τ	\Rightarrow	complete coherence
	$0 < \gamma_{12}(\tau) < 1$	for some τ	\Rightarrow	partial coherence
	$ \gamma_{12}(\tau) = 0$	for all τ	\Rightarrow	no coherence

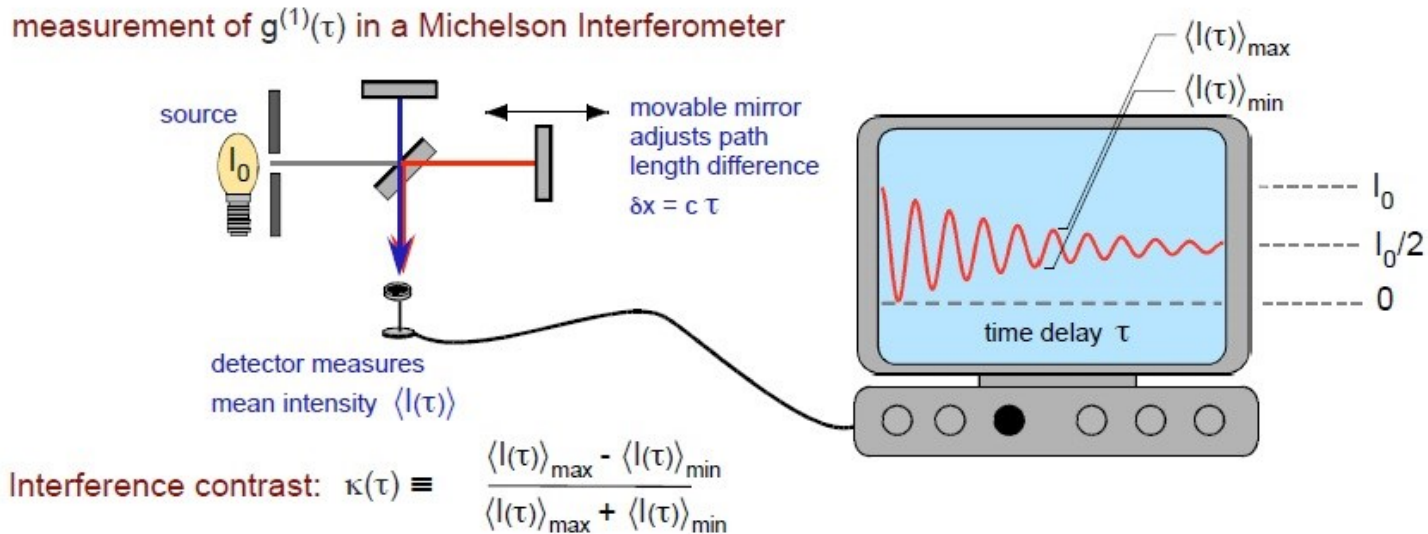
Normalized autocorrelation function:

$$g^{(1)}(\tau) \equiv \frac{\langle E(t+\tau)E^*(t) \rangle}{\langle I \rangle}$$

with $g^{(1)}(0) = 1$ and $g^{(1)}(-\tau) = g^{(1)*}(\tau)$

Measurement of $g^{(1)}(\tau)$ in a Michelson Interferometer

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Maximal coherence:

Interference contrast maximal for all τ



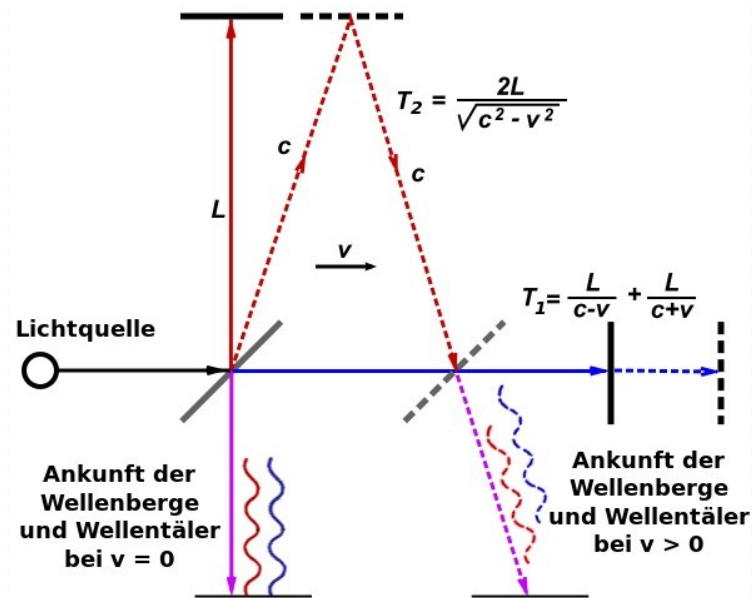
Partial coherence:

Interference contrast decreases for large τ



The Michelson-Morley Experiment

by Albert Abraham Michelson: 1881 in Potsdam



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$$g^{(1)}(\tau) \equiv \frac{\langle E(t+\tau)E^*(t) \rangle}{\langle I \rangle}$$

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Example: successive wave trains of duration τ_0 and length $c\tau_0$

$$E(t) = E_0 e^{i\omega t + i\phi(t)} \quad \text{with } \phi(t) \text{ (see figure)}$$

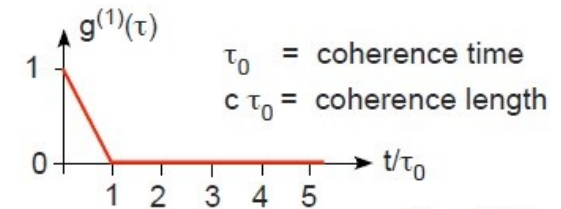
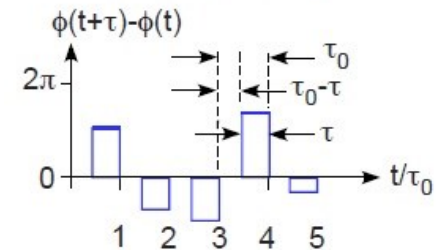
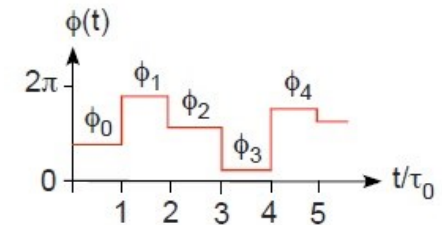
$$\Rightarrow g^{(1)}(\tau) = e^{i\omega\tau} \langle e^{i(\phi(t+\tau) - \phi(t))} \rangle$$

$0 \leq \tau \leq \tau_0$:

$$\langle e^{i(\phi(t+\tau) - \phi(t))} \rangle = \frac{1}{N\tau_0} \sum_{n=0}^{N+1} \int_{n\tau_0}^{(n+1)\tau_0} dt e^{i(\phi(t+\tau) - \phi(t))}$$

$$= \frac{1}{N\tau_0} \sum_{n=0}^{N+1} \{(\tau_0 - \tau) + \tau e^{i(\phi_{n+1} - \phi_n)}\}$$

$$\Rightarrow g^{(1)}(\tau) = e^{i\omega\tau} \begin{cases} \frac{\tau_0 - \tau}{\tau_0} & \times 0 & \text{if } \tau_0 < \tau \\ 1 & \times 1 & \text{if } 0 \leq \tau \leq \tau_0 \end{cases}$$

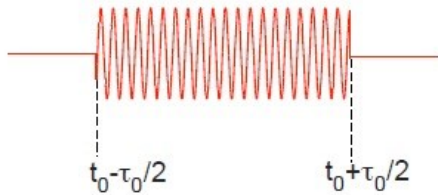


Note: τ_0 : coherence time; $\xi_l = \frac{\lambda}{2} \frac{\lambda}{\Delta\lambda} = c\tau_0$: longitudinal coherence length



Coherence and Emission Spectrum

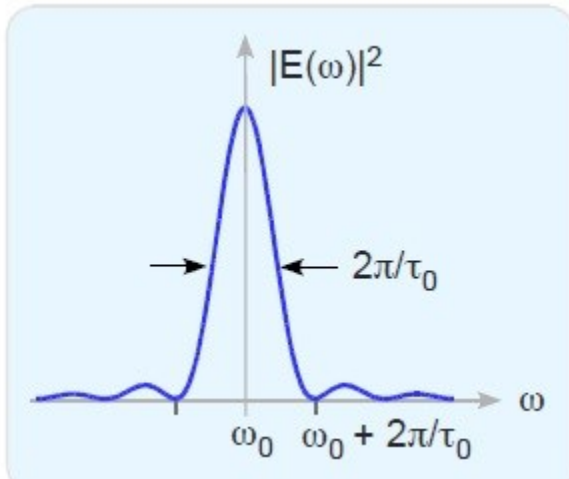
Consider single wave train of duration τ_0 , phase ϕ_0 , frequency ω_0 :



$$E(t) = e^{[-i\omega_0 t - i\phi_0]} \times 1 \quad \left(\text{if } \frac{\tau_0}{2} \leq t \leq \frac{\tau_0}{2}\right) \\
 \times 0 \quad \text{otherwise}$$

$$E(\omega) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dt E(t) e^{i\omega t} = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \frac{\sin\left(\frac{(\omega - \omega_0)\tau_0}{2}\right)}{(\omega - \omega_0)} \cdot e^{-i\phi_0}$$

N wave trains with the same frequency ω_0 but arbitrary phases ϕ_n :



$$|E(\omega)|^2 = \sum_{n=1}^N |E_n(\omega)|^2 = \frac{2}{\pi} \sum_{n=1}^N \frac{\sin^2\left(\frac{(\omega - \omega_0)\tau_n}{2}\right)}{(\omega - \omega_0)^2}$$

Emission bandwidth $\Delta\nu \cong \frac{1}{\tau}$ with $\tau \equiv \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N \tau_n$

Example: Collision Broadened Light Source

Molecules of a gas radiate light $E(t) = E_0 e^{-i(\omega_0 t - \phi(t))}$ at frequency ω_0 . Collisions yield random phase jumps, i.e., phase $\phi(t) \in [0, 2\pi]$ fluctuates.

Probability for a free flight of duration $t \in [\tau, \tau + d\tau]$: $P(\tau) = \frac{1}{\tau_0} \exp(-\tau/\tau_0)$
 kinetic gas theory (τ_0 means duration of free flight)

Coherence function: $g^{(1)}(\tau) = e^{i\omega_0 \tau} \langle e^{i(\phi(t+\tau) - \phi(t))} \rangle$

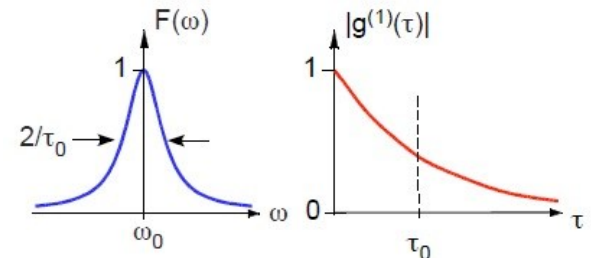
$$\begin{aligned}
 e^{i(\phi(t+\tau) - \phi(t))} &= 1 && \text{for free flights with duration } > \tau \\
 &= e^{i\chi} && \text{with } \chi \in [0, 2\pi] \text{ random for free flights with} \\
 &&& \text{duration } < \tau
 \end{aligned}$$

i.e., only flights of duration $t > \tau$ yield contribution to $\langle e^{i(\phi(t+\tau) - \phi(t))} \rangle$:

$$\Rightarrow g^{(1)}(\tau) = e^{i\omega_0 \tau} \int_{\tau}^{\infty} P(s) ds = e^{i\omega_0 \tau} \exp(-\tau/\tau_0)$$

$$\Rightarrow |g^{(1)}(\tau)| = \exp(-\tau/\tau_0)$$

$$\Rightarrow F(\omega) = \frac{1}{1 + (\omega - \omega_0)^2 \tau_0^2} \quad \text{Wiener-Khinchin Theorem}$$



Wiener Khinchin Theorem

$$E(\omega) \equiv \mathcal{F}[E(t)] \equiv \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dt E(t) e^{i\omega t}$$

$$F(\omega) \equiv \frac{|E(\omega)|^2}{\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dt |E(\omega)|^2}$$

normalized spectral density

$$\Rightarrow F(\omega) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \mathcal{F}[g^{(1)}],$$

$\mathcal{F} \equiv$ Fourier-Transform

Wiener Khinchin Theorem

The spectral power density $F(\omega)$ is the Fourier transform of the normalized autocorrelation function $g^{(1)}(\tau)$

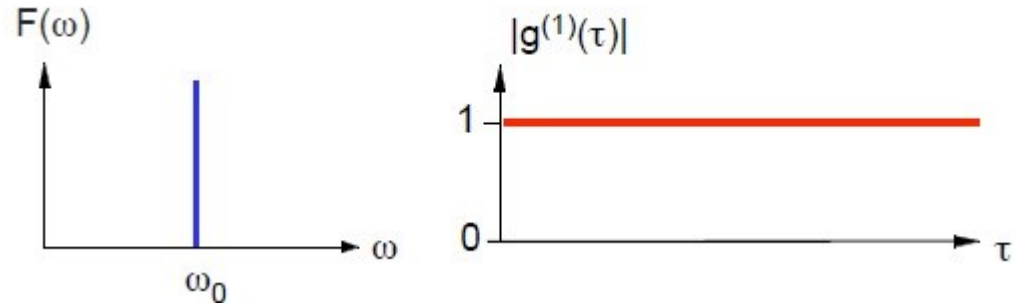


Example: Monochromatic Light

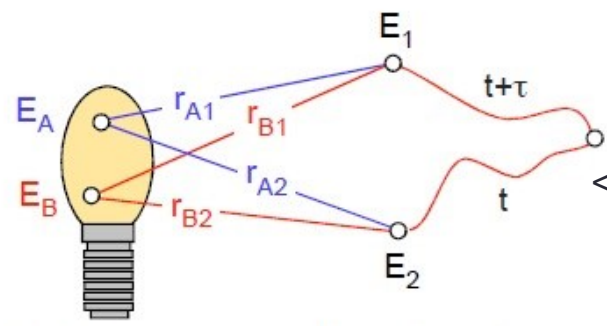
$$E(t) = e^{-i(\omega_0 t - \phi)}$$

$$g^{(1)}(\tau) = e^{i\omega_0 \tau}$$

$$|g^{(1)}(\tau)| = 1$$



Spatial Coherence



Light Source: mutually incoherent point sources $g^{(1)}(\tau) = \exp(i\omega\tau - \tau/\tau_0)$

$$E_1 = E_{A1} + E_{B1} \quad E_{An} = E_A e^{\frac{ir_{An}\omega}{c}}$$

$$E_2 = E_{A2} + E_{B2} \quad E_{Bn} = E_B e^{\frac{ir_{Bn}\omega}{c}}$$

$$\langle E_1(t + \tau)E_2^*(t) \rangle = \langle E_{A1}(t + \tau)E_{A2}^*(t) \rangle + \langle E_{B1}(t + \tau)E_{B2}^*(t) \rangle + \langle E_{A1}(t + \tau)E_{B2}^*(t) \rangle + \langle E_{B1}(t + \tau)E_{A2}^*(t) \rangle$$

$$\langle I_n \rangle = \langle E_n(t)E_n^*(t) \rangle = \langle E_{An}(t)E_{An}^*(t) \rangle + \langle E_{Bn}(t)E_{Bn}^*(t) \rangle + \langle E_{An}(t)E_{Bn}^*(t) \rangle + \langle E_{Bn}(t)E_{An}^*(t) \rangle$$

$$\Rightarrow \langle I_1 \rangle = \langle I_2 \rangle$$

$$\langle E_{A1}(t + \tau)E_{A2}^*(t) \rangle = \langle E_A(t + \tau)E_A^*(t) \rangle e^{\left[\frac{i(r_{A1} - r_{A2})\omega}{c} \right]} = \langle E_A(t + \tau_A)E_A^*(t) \rangle \text{ with } \tau_A \equiv \tau + \frac{(r_{A1} - r_{A2})}{c}$$

$$\langle E_{B1}(t + \tau)E_{B2}^*(t) \rangle = \langle E_B(t + \tau)E_B^*(t) \rangle e^{\left[\frac{i(r_{B1} - r_{B2})\omega}{c} \right]} = \langle E_B(t + \tau_B)E_B^*(t) \rangle \text{ with } \tau_B \equiv \tau + \frac{(r_{B1} - r_{B2})}{c}$$

$$\Rightarrow \langle E_1(t + \tau)E_2^*(t) \rangle = \langle E_A(t + \tau_A)E_A^*(t) \rangle + \langle E_B(t + \tau_B)E_B^*(t) \rangle$$

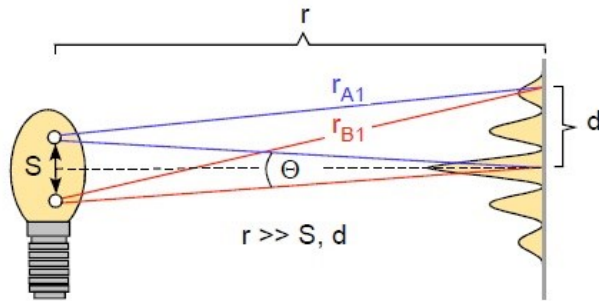
$$\gamma_{12}(\tau) \equiv \frac{\langle E_1(t + \tau)E_2^*(t) \rangle}{(\langle I_1 \rangle \langle I_2 \rangle)^{\frac{1}{2}}} = \frac{1}{2} [g^{(1)}(\tau_A) + g^{(1)}(\tau_B)] = \frac{1}{2} \left[e^{i\omega\tau_A - \frac{\tau_A}{\tau_0}} + e^{i\omega\tau_B - \frac{\tau_B}{\tau_0}} \right]$$

$$4|\gamma_{12}(\tau)|^2 \equiv |g^{(1)}(\tau_A)|^2 + |g^{(1)}(\tau_B)|^2 + 2|g^{(1)}(\tau_A)||g^{(1)}(\tau_B)|\cos(\omega(\tau_A - \tau_B)) \text{ interference term}$$



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Interference term depends on $\tau_A - \tau_B = \frac{r_{A1} - r_{A2}}{c} - \frac{r_{B1} - r_{B2}}{c}$



Light Source: mutually incoherent point sources $g^{(1)}(\tau) = \exp(i\omega\tau - \tau/\tau_0)$

symmetric: $r_{A2} - r_{B2} = 0 \Rightarrow \tau_A - \tau_B = \frac{r_{A1} - r_{B1}}{c}$

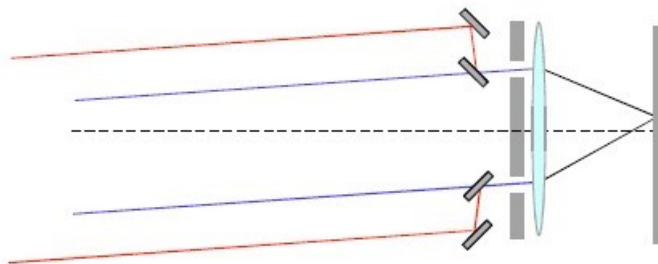
$$r_{A1} \cong r + \frac{(d-S)^2}{2r}, \quad r_{B1} \cong r + \frac{(d+S)^2}{2r}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tau_A - \tau_B \cong -\frac{Sd}{2rc}$$

First minimum of $|\gamma_{12}(\tau)|^2$:

$$\omega(\tau_A - \tau_B) = \pi; \quad S \cong r\theta \quad \Rightarrow \quad d \cong \frac{\lambda}{\theta}$$

transverse coherence length



Michelson stellar interferometer: adjustable slits, extension of slit separation by mirrors

Measurement of angular diameter of stars, angular separation of double stars, etc.