Lens Design in Optical Modules

AI Overview

Lens design in optical modules involves optimizing lens geometry, materials, and assembly to achieve high-quality imaging or light transmission within compact, integrated systems.Overview of Optical Module Lens DesignOptical modules combine lenses, sensors, and sometimes light sources into a compact unit. The lens design process focuses on meeting performance requirements such as image quality, field of view, and light efficiency while adhering to size, weight, and manufacturing constraints . Key parameters include lens surface profiles (spherical, aspheric, diffractive), radius of curvature, spacing between elements, material selection, and alignment tolerances .Design ConsiderationsAberration Control: Lenses must minimize optical aberrations, including spherical, chromatic, and axial errors. Advanced ray tracing and simulation tools, such as CODE V, are used to model these effects and optimize lens modules .Compact Form Factor: Mobile and fiber-optic modules require lenses that fit within tight spaces. For example, smartphone lenses often have a total track length under 5 mm and use aspheric surfaces to maintain image quality in a small volume .Material Selection: Optical glass or molded plastics are chosen based on refractive index, dispersion, and cost. Availability and homogeneity of glass blanks can significantly affect manufacturing feasibility and cost .Performance Metrics: Modulation Transfer Function (MTF), numerical aperture (NA), and field of view (FOV) are critical for evaluating lens performance. For camera modules, MTF > 0.2 at the Nyquist frequency is a typical minimum for acceptable image quality .Types of Lens ModulesCamera Lens Modules: Standardized sizes like M5, M7, and M12 support various sensor sizes and pixel resolutions, offering wide-angle, macro, or low-distortion designs .Laser Collimating Modules: Aspheric lenses are used to collimate laser diodes, providing precise beam shaping and minimal divergence .Fiber-Optic Modules: Lenses in SFP, XFP, or CFP modules focus light int...

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