

# theia

## API Documentation

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# 1 Package *theia*

This is *theia*, a Python package for Gaussian ray tracing in 3D optical setups.

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## 1.1 Modules

- **helpers:** This is the helpers sub-package of *theia*.  
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  - **core:** Defines some additional spice for *theia*.  
(Section 3, p. 5)
  - **geometry:** Geometry module for *theia*.  
(Section 4, p. 6)
  - **interaction:** Module to define interaction functions for *theia*.  
(Section 5, p. 9)
  - **settings:** Module to initiate all global variables for *theia*.  
(Section 6, p. 10)
  - **tools:** Defines some generic functions for *theia*.  
(Section 7, p. 11)
  - **units:** Various units for *theia*.  
(Section 8, p. 14)
- **main:** Main module of *theia*, defines the main function.  
(Section 9, p. 15)
- **optics:** This is the optics sub-package of *theia*.  
(Section 10, p. 16)
  - **beam:** Defines the GaussianBeam class for *theia*.  
(Section 11, p. 17)
  - **beamdump:** Defines the BeamDump class for *theia*.  
(Section 12, p. 21)
  - **beamsplitter:** Defines the BeamSplitter class for *theia*.  
(Section 13, p. 24)
  - **component:** Defines the SetupComponent class for *theia*.  
(Section 14, p. 27)
  - **ghost:** Defines the Ghost class for *theia*.  
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  - **mirror:** Defines the Mirror class for *theia*.  
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  - **optic:** Defines the Optic class for *theia*.  
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  - **special:** Defines the Special class for *theia*.  
(Section 18, p. 42)
  - **thicklens:** Defines the ThickLens class for *theia*.  
(Section 19, p. 45)
  - **thinlens:** Defines the ThinLens class for *theia*.

- (Section 20, p. 48)

  - **rendering**: This is the rendering sub-package of theia.  
(Section 21, p. 51)
    - **features**: Features module of theia, to represent objects as FreeCAD Python features.  
(Section 22, p. 52)
    - **shapes**: Shapes module for theia, provides shape-calculating for 3D rendering.  
(Section 23, p. 58)
    - **writer**: Writer module for theia, to write CAD content to files.  
(Section 24, p. 59)
- **running**: This is the running sub-package of theia.  
(Section 25, p. 60)
  - **parser**: Module for the parsing on input data from .tia file.  
(Section 26, p. 61)
  - **simulation**: Defines the Simulation class for theia.  
(Section 27, p. 63)
- **tree**: This is the tree sub-package of theia.  
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  - **beamtree**: Defines the BeamTree class for theia.  
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## 2 Package *theia.helpers*

This is the helpers sub-package of *theia*.

It provides it provides all sorts of generic functions for *theia*.

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### 3 Module *theia.helpers.core*

Defines some additional spice for *theia*.

#### 3.1 Functions

|                                  |
|----------------------------------|
| <b>gbeamInit</b> ( <i>menu</i> ) |
|----------------------------------|

|                   |
|-------------------|
| Pick in the menu. |
|-------------------|

|                |
|----------------|
| <b>hang</b> () |
|----------------|

|   |
|---|
| The whole hangman game, from welcome to exit. |
|---|

|                   |
|-------------------|
| <b>magazzu</b> () |
|-------------------|

|                |
|----------------|
| <b>pong</b> () |
|----------------|

|                 |
|-----------------|
| <b>pendu</b> () |
|-----------------|

#### 3.2 Variables

| Name                     | Description                                |
|--------------------------|--|
| <code>__package__</code> | <b>Value:</b> <code>'theia.helpers'</code> |



## 4 Module *theia.helpers.geometry*

Geometry module for *theia*.

### 4.1 Functions

**refrAngle**(*theta*, *n1*, *n2*)

Returns the refraction angle at *n1/n2* interface for incoming *theta*.

May raise a `TotalReflectionError`.

**linePlaneInter**(*pos*, *dirV*, *planeC*, *normV*, *diameter*)

Computes the intersection between a line and a plane.

*pos*: position of the beginning of the line. [3D vector]

*dirV*: directing vector of the line. [3D vector]

*planeC*: position of the center of the plane. [3D vector]

*normV*: vector normal to the plane. [3D vector]

*diameter*: diameter of the plane.

Returns a dictionary with keys:

  '*isHit*': whether or not the plane is hit. [boolean]

  '*distance*': geometrical distance from line origin to intersection point.  
              [float]

  '*intersection point*': position of intersection point. [3D vector]

**lineSurfInter**(*pos, dirV, chordC, chordNorm, kurv, diameter*)

Computes the intersection between a line and a spherical surface.

The spherical surface is supposed to have a cylindrical symmetry around the vector normal to the 'chord', ie the plane which undertends the surface.

Note: the normal vector always looks to the center of the sphere and the surface is supposed to occupy less than a semi-sphere

*pos*: position of the begingin of the line. [3D vector]

*dirV*: direction of the line. [3D vector]

*chordC*: position of the center of the 'chord'. [3D vector]

*chordNorm*: normal vector the the chord in its center. [3D vector]

*kurv*: curvature (1/ROC) of the surface. [float]

*diameter*: diameter of the surface. [float]

Returns a dictionary with keys:

'is Hit': whether the surface is hit or not. [boolean]

'distance': distance to the intersection point from *pos*. [float]

'intersection point': position of intersection point. [3D vector]

**lineCylInter**(*pos, dirV, faceC, normV, thickness, diameter*)

Computes the intersection of a line and a cylinder in 3D space.

The cylinder is specified by a disk of center *faceC*, an outgoing normal *normV*, a thickness (thus behind the normal) and a diameter.

*pos*: origin of the line. [3D vector]

*dirV*: directing vector of the line. [3D vector]

*faceC*: center of the face of the cylinder where lies the normal vector.  
[3D vector]

*normV*: normal vector to this face (outgoing). [3D vector]

*thickness*: thickness of the cylinder (counted from *faceC* and behind *normV*)  
[float]

*diameter*: of the cylinder. [float]

Returns a dictionary with keys:

'isHit': whether of not. [boolean]

'distance': geometrical distance of the intersection point from *pos*.  
[float]

'intersection point': point of intersection. [3D vector]

**newDir**(*inc, nor, n1, n2*)

Computes the refl and refr directions produced by inc at interface n1/n2.

inc: director vector of incoming beam. [3D vector]

nor: normal to the interface at the intersection point. [3D vector]

n1: refractive index of the first medium. [float]

n2: idem.

Returns a dictionary with keys:

'r': normalized direction of reflected beam. [3D vector]

't': normalized direction of refracted beam. [3D vector]

'TR': was there total reflection?. [boolean]

Note: if total reflection then refr is None.

**rotMatrix**(*a, b*)

Provides the rotation matrix which maps a (unit) to b (unit).

a,b: unit 3D vectors. [3D np.arrays]

Returns an np.array such that np.dot(M,a) == b.

**basis**(*a*)

Returns two vectors u and v such that (a, u, v) is a direct ON basis.

**rectToSph**(*array*)

Returns the spherical coordinates of the unitary vector given by array.

array: 3D vector (unitary). [float]

Returns the theta and phi angles in radians with theta in [0, pi] and phi in [-pi, pi]

## 4.2 Variables

| Name                     | Description                   |
|--------------------------|-------------------------------|
| <code>__package__</code> | <b>Value:</b> 'theia.helpers' |

## 5 Module *theia.helpers.interaction*

Module to define interaction functions for *theia*.

### 5.1 Variables

| Name                     | Description   |
|--------------------------|---|
| usage                    | <b>Value:</b> 'Usage: <i>theia</i> [options]<br>FNAME\n\nArguments:\n FNAME\t\t ...                             |
| lhelp                    | <b>Value:</b> 'specify the FreeCAD library location.<br>If none is specifi...                                   |
| shelp                    | <b>Value:</b> 'Exclude beams propagating inside optics<br>from text output...                                   |
| welcome                  | <b>Value:</b> ...   |
| errorRecursion           | <b>Value:</b> '\n\nIt looks like you reached the<br>maximum recursion dept...                                   |
| errorAtSpecifiedLocation | <b>Value:</b> ' <i>theia</i> : Error: The FreeCAD library was<br>not found at the s...                          |
| errorWhereIs             | <b>Value:</b> ' <i>theia</i> : Error: Unix command \ <i>'whereis</i><br><i>freecad</i> \' <i>'</i> did not y... |
| errorWhereIsNotFound     | <b>Value:</b> ' <i>theia</i> : Error: It seems that the Unix<br>utility ' <i>whereis</i> ' <i>'</i> ...         |
| errorUnknown             | <b>Value:</b> ' <i>theia</i> : Error: %s was used as the<br>source directory for th...                          |
| __package__              | <b>Value:</b> None  |

## 6 Module *theia.helpers.settings*

Module to initiate all global variables for *theia*.

### 6.1 Functions

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| <b>init</b> ( <i>dic</i> )                               |
| Initiate globals with dictionary.                        |
| dic: dictionary holding values for globals. [dictionary] |

### 6.2 Variables

| Name                     | Description        |
|--------------------------|--------------------|
| <code>__package__</code> | <b>Value:</b> None |

## 7 Module `theia.helpers.tools`

Defines some generic functions for `theia`.

### 7.1 Functions

**timer**(*func*)

Decorator function to log execution time of other functions.

**formatter**(*stringList*)

Returns a formatted version of the text formed by the list of lines.

**shortRef**(*inStr*)

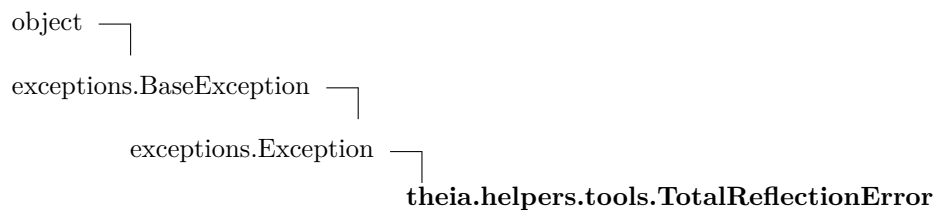
Returns the short reference corresponding to string.

Change all 't2nrt' in 'R', all 't(2n+1)rt' in 'T' and 'r' in 'R' in string. Used to write short references to beams.

### 7.2 Variables

| Name                     | Description                                |
|--------------------------|--|
| <code>__package__</code> | <b>Value:</b> <code>'theia.helpers'</code> |

### 7.3 Class `TotalReflectionError`



`TotalReflectionError` class.

Is raised when an interaction results in total reflection.

**Attributes** Message: exception message. [string]

### 7.3.1 Methods

|   |
|---|
| <code>__init__(self, message)</code>        |
| TotalReflectionError exception initializer. |
| Overrides: <code>object.__init__</code>     |

|  |
|--|
| <code>__str__(self)</code>             |
| Printing error function.               |
| Overrides: <code>object.__str__</code> |

*Inherited from `exceptions.Exception`*

`__new__()`

*Inherited from `exceptions.BaseException`*

`__delattr__()`, `__getattr__()`, `__getitem__()`, `__getslice__()`, `__reduce__()`, `__repr__()`, `__setattr__()`, `__setstate__()`, `__unicode__()`

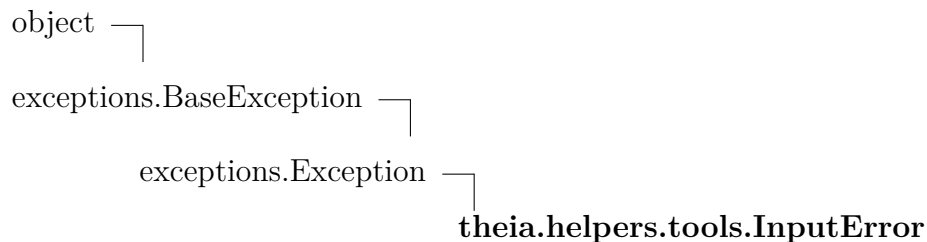
*Inherited from `object`*

`__format__()`, `__hash__()`, `__reduce_ex__()`, `__sizeof__()`, `__subclasshook__()`

### 7.3.2 Properties

| Name  | Description                              |
|---|--|
| <i>Inherited from <code>exceptions.BaseException</code></i> | <code>args</code> , <code>message</code> |
| <i>Inherited from <code>object</code></i>                   | <code>__class__</code>                   |

## 7.4 Class `InputError`



`InputError` class.

Is raised when the input `.tia` file parsing to input data failed.

\*=== Attributes ===\* Message: exception message. [string]

#### 7.4.1 Methods

|  |
|--|
| <code>__init__(self, message)</code>     |
| InputError exception initializer.        |
| Overrides: object. <code>__init__</code> |

|   |
|---|
| <code>__str__(self)</code>              |
| Printing error function                 |
| Overrides: object. <code>__str__</code> |

*Inherited from exceptions.Exception*

`__new__()`

*Inherited from exceptions.BaseException*

`__delattr__()`, `__getattr__()`, `__getitem__()`, `__getslice__()`, `__reduce__()`, `__repr__()`, `__setattr__()`, `__setstate__()`, `__unicode__()`

*Inherited from object*

`__format__()`, `__hash__()`, `__reduce_ex__()`, `__sizeof__()`, `__subclasshook__()`

#### 7.4.2 Properties

| Name   | Description |
|--|-------------|
| <i>Inherited from exceptions.BaseException</i> |             |
| <code>args</code> , <code>message</code>       |             |
| <i>Inherited from object</i>                   |             |
| <code>__class__</code>                         |             |



## 8 Module *theia.helpers.units*

Various units for *theia*.

### 8.1 Variables

| Name        | Description            |
|-------------|------------------------|
| km          | Value: 1000.0          |
| m           | Value: 1.0             |
| cm          | Value: 0.01            |
| mm          | Value: 0.001           |
| um          | Value: 1e-06           |
| nm          | Value: 1e-09           |
| kW          | Value: 1000.0          |
| W           | Value: 1.0             |
| mW          | Value: 0.001           |
| uW          | Value: 1e-06           |
| nW          | Value: 1e-09           |
| THz         | Value: 1e+12           |
| GHz         | Value: 1000000000.0    |
| MHz         | Value: 1000000.0       |
| kHz         | Value: 1000.0          |
| Hz          | Value: 1.0             |
| mHz         | Value: 0.001           |
| uHz         | Value: 1e-06           |
| ppm         | Value: 1e-06           |
| rad         | Value: 1.0             |
| deg         | Value: 0.0174532925199 |
| pi          | Value: 3.14159265359   |
| __package__ | Value: None            |

## 9 Module *theia.main*

Main module of *theia*, defines the main function.

### 9.1 Functions

|                                      |
|--------------------------------------|
| <b>main</b> ( <i>options, args</i> ) |
| Main function of <i>theia</i> .      |

### 9.2 Variables

| Name                     | Description                        |
|--------------------------|------------------------------------|
| <code>__package__</code> | <b>Value:</b> <code>'theia'</code> |

## 10 Package *theia.optics*

This is the optics sub-package of *theia*.

It provides the necessary classes and functions in order to calculate the gaussian beams of the setup.

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## 11 Module theia.optics.beam

Defines the GaussianBeam class for theia.

### 11.1 Functions

```
userGaussianBeam(Wx=0.001, Wy=0.001, WDistx=0.0, WDisty=0.0,
Wl=1.064e-06, P=1.0, X=0.0, Y=0.0, Z=0.0, Theta=1.57079632679,
Phi=0.0, Alpha=0.0, Ref=None)
```

Constructor used for user inputed beams, separated from the class initializer because the internal state of a beam is very different from the input of this user-defined beam.

Input parameters are processed to make arguments for the class constructor and then the corresponding beam is returned.

### 11.2 Variables

| Name        | Description           |
|-------------|-----------------------|
| __package__ | Value: 'theia.optics' |

### 11.3 Class GaussianBeam

```
object ┌
      │
      └─ theia.optics.beam.GaussianBeam
```

GaussianBeam class.

This class represents general astigmatic Gaussian beams in 3D space. These are the objects that are intended to interact with the optical components during the ray tracing and that are rendered in 3D thanks to FreeCAD.

**\*=== Attributes ===\***

BeamCount: class attribute, counts beams. [integer]

Name: class attribute. [string]

QTens: general astigmatic complex curvature tensor at the origin.

[np. array of complex]

**N**: Refraction index of the medium in which the beam is placed. [float]  
**Wl**: Wave-length in vacuum of the beam (frequency never changes). [float]  
**P**: Power of the beam. [float]  
**Pos**: Position in 3D space of the origin of the beam. [3D vector]  
**Dir**: Normalized direction in 3D space of the beam axis. [3D vector]  
**U**: A tuple of unitary vectors which along with **Dir** form a direct orthonormal basis in which the **Q** tensor is expressed. [tuple of 3D vectors]  
**Ref**: Reference to the beam. [string]  
**OptDist**: Optical length. [float]  
**Length**: Geometrical length of the beam. [float]  
**StrayOrder**: Number representing the *\*strayness\** of the beam. If the beams results from a transmission on a HR surface or a reflection on a AR surface, then its **StrayOrder** is the **StrayOrder** of the parent beam + 1. [integer]  
**Optic**: Ref of optic where the beam departs from ('Laser' if laser). [string]  
**Face**: Face of the optic where the beam departs from. [string]  
**TargetOptic**: Ref of the optic where the beam terminates (None if open beam). [string]  
**TargetFace**: Face of the target optic where the beam terminates. [string]  
**DWx**: Distance of waist on X. [float]  
**DWy**: Distance of waist on Y. [float]  
**Wx**: Waist on X. [float]  
**Wy**: Waist on Y. [float]  
**IWx**: Width of beam on X at origin. [float]  
**IWy**: Width of beam on Y at origin. [float]  
**TWx**: Width of beam on X at target surface (None if open beam). [float]  
**TWy**: Width of beam on Y at target surface (None if open beam).

### 11.3.1 Methods

|   |
|---|
| <p><b>__init__</b>(<i>self</i>, <i>Q</i>, <i>N</i>, <i>Wl</i>, <i>P</i>, <i>Pos</i>, <i>Dir</i>, <i>Ux</i>, <i>Uy</i>, <i>Ref</i>, <i>OptDist</i>, <i>Length</i>, <i>StrayOrder</i>, <i>Optic</i>, <i>Face</i>)</p> |
|---|

Beam initializer.

This is the initializer used internally for beam creation, for user inputed beams, see function `userGaussianBeam`.

Returns a Gaussian beam with attributes as the parameters.

Overrides: `object.__init__`

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|--|
| <b>__str__</b> ( <i>self</i> )   |
| String representation of the beam, when calling <code>print(beam)</code> .<br>Overrides: object. <code>__str__</code>  |
| <b>lines</b> ( <i>self</i> )   |
| Returns the list of lines necessary to print the object.   |
| <b>Q</b> ( <i>self</i> , <i>d=0.0</i> )  |
| Return the Q tensor at a distance <i>d</i> of origin.  |
| <b>QParam</b> ( <i>self</i> , <i>d=0.0</i> )   |
| Compute the complex parameters <i>q1</i> and <i>q2</i> and <i>theta</i> of beam.<br><br>What is implemented here is a straightforward calculation to extract the <i>q1</i> , <i>q2</i> , and <i>theta</i> of the normal form of Q.<br><br>Returns a tuple <i>q1</i> , <i>q2</i> , <i>theta</i> |
| <b>ROC</b> ( <i>self</i> , <i>dist=0.0</i> )   |
| Return the tuple of ROC of the beam.   |
| <b>waistPos</b> ( <i>self</i> )  |
| Return the tuple of positions of the waists of the beam along Dir.   |
| <b>rayleigh</b> ( <i>self</i> )  |
| Return the tuple of Rayleigh ranges of the beam.   |
| <b>width</b> ( <i>self</i> , <i>d=0.0</i> )  |
| Return the tuple of beam widths at distance <i>d</i> .   |
| <b>waistSize</b> ( <i>self</i> )   |
| Return a tuple with the waist sizes in <i>x</i> and <i>y</i> .   |
| <b>gouy</b> ( <i>self</i> , <i>d=0.0</i> )   |
| Return the tuple of Gouy phases.   |

**initGaussianData**(*self*)

Writes the relevant DW, W, IW data with Q.

Is called upon construction to write the data of waist position and size, initial widths once and for all.

**translate**(*self*, *X*=0.0, *Y*=0.0, *Z*=0.0)

Move the beam to (current position + (X, Y, Z)).

X, Y, Z: components of the translation vector.

No return value.

**Inherited from object**

`__delattr__()`, `__format__()`, `__getattr__()`, `__hash__()`, `__new__()`,  
`__reduce__()`, `__reduce_ex__()`, `__repr__()`, `__setattr__()`, `__sizeof__()`,  
`__subclasshook__()`

**11.3.2 Properties**

| Name                         | Description |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| <i>Inherited from object</i> |             |
| <code>__class__</code>       |             |

**11.3.3 Class Variables**

| Name      | Description          |
|-----------|----------------------|
| BeamCount | <b>Value:</b> 0      |
| Name      | <b>Value:</b> 'Beam' |

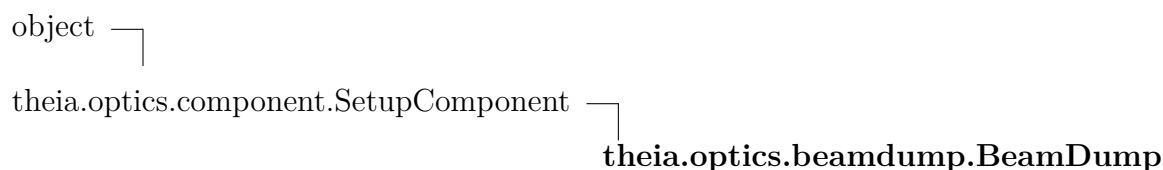
## 12 Module *theia.optics.beamdump*

Defines the *BeamDump* class for *theia*.

### 12.1 Variables

| Name                     | Description                        |
|--------------------------|------------------------------------|
| <code>__package__</code> | Value: <code>'theia.optics'</code> |

### 12.2 Class *BeamDump*



*BeamDump* class.

This class represents components on which rays stop. They have cylindrical symmetry and stop beams on all their faces. They can represent baffles for example.

**==== Attributes ====**

*SetupCount* (inherited): class attribute, counts all setup components.  
[integer]

*Name*: class attribute. [string]

*HRCenter* (inherited): center of the principal face of the *BeamDump* in space.  
[3D vector]

*ARCenter* (inherited): center of the secondary face of the *BeamDump* in space.  
[3D vector]

*HRnorm* (inherited): normal unitary vector the this principal face, supposed to point outside the media. [3D vector]

*Thick* (inherited): thickness of the dump, counted in opposite direction to *HRNorm*. [float]

*Dia* (inherited): diameter of the component. [float]

*Ref* (inherited): reference string (for keeping track with the lab). [string]



## 12.2.1 Methods

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**\_\_init\_\_**(*self*, *X*=0.0, *Y*=0.0, *Z*=0.0, *Theta*=1.57079632679, *Phi*=0.0, *Ref*=None, *Thickness*=0.02, *Diameter*=0.05)

---

BeamDump initializer.

Parameters are the attributes.

Returns a BeamDump.

Overrides: object.\_\_init\_\_

---

**lines**(*self*)

---

Return the list of lines needed to print the object.

Overrides: *theia.optics.component.SetupComponent.lines*

---

**isHit**(*self*, *beam*)

---

Determine if a beam hits the BeamDump.

This uses the `line**Inter` functions from the geometry module to find characteristics of impact of beams on beamdumps.

*beam*: incoming beam. [*GaussianBeam*]

Returns a dictionary with keys:

  '*isHit*': whether the beam hits the dump. [boolean]

  '*intersection point*': point in space where it is first hit.  
  [3D vector]

  '*face*': to indicate which face is first hit, can be 'HR', 'AR' or  
  '*side*'. [string]

  '*distance*': geometrical distance from beam origin to impact. [float]

Overrides: *theia.optics.component.SetupComponent.isHit*

|   |
|---|
| <p><b>hit</b>(<i>self</i>, <i>beam</i>, <i>order</i>, <i>threshold</i>)</p> <hr/> <p>Compute the refracted and reflected beams after interaction.</p> <p>BeamDumps always stop beams.</p> <p>beam: incident beam. [GaussianBeam]<br/> order: maximum strayness of daughter beams, which are not returned if their strayness is over this order. [integer]<br/> threshold: idem for the power of the daughter beams. [float]</p> <p>Returns a dictionary of beams with keys:<br/> 't': None<br/> 'r': None</p> <p>Overrides: theia.optics.component.SetupComponent.hit</p> |
|---|

*Inherited from theia.optics.component.SetupComponent(Section 14.2)*

\_\_str\_\_(), translate()

*Inherited from object*

\_\_delattr\_\_(), \_\_format\_\_(), \_\_getattr\_\_(), \_\_hash\_\_(), \_\_new\_\_(),  
\_\_reduce\_\_(), \_\_reduce\_ex\_\_(), \_\_repr\_\_(), \_\_setattr\_\_(), \_\_sizeof\_\_(),  
\_\_subclasshook\_\_()

### 12.2.2 Properties

| Name                         | Description |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| <i>Inherited from object</i> |             |
| __class__                    |             |

### 12.2.3 Class Variables

| Name   | Description                 |
|--|-----------------------------|
| Name   | <b>Value:</b> 'BeamDump'    |
| __abstractmethods__  | <b>Value:</b> frozenset([]) |
| <i>Inherited from theia.optics.component.SetupComponent (Section 14.2)</i> |                             |
| SetupCount   |                             |

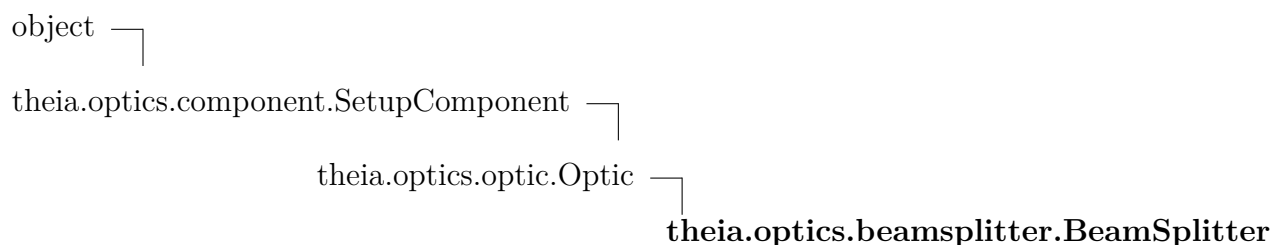
## 13 Module *theia.optics.beamsplitter*

Defines the *BeamSplitter* class for *theia*.

### 13.1 Variables

| Name                     | Description                               |
|--------------------------|---|
| <code>__package__</code> | <b>Value:</b> <code>'theia.optics'</code> |

### 13.2 Class *BeamSplitter*



*Beamsplitter* class.

This class represents beam splitters composed of two faces (HR, AR) and with a wedge angle. These are the objects with which the beams will interact during the ray tracing. Please see the documentation for details on the geometric construction of these optics.

Beam Splitters behave exactly like mirrors, except that:

- \* The default values for transmittances and reflectivities are different
- \* Beam splitters never increase the order upon interaction of beams.

Actions:

- \* T on HR: 0
- \* R on HR: 0
- \* T on AR: 0
- \* R on AR: 0

\*\*\* Additional attributes with respect to the *Optic* class \*\*\*

None

```
==== Name ====
```

```
BeamSplitter
```

```
**Note**: the curvature of any surface is positive for a concave surface
(coating inside the sphere).
Thus kurv*HRNorm/|kurv| always points to the center
of the sphere of the surface, as is the convention for the lineSurfInter of
geometry module. Same for AR.
```

```
*****      HRK > 0 and ARK > 0      *****      HRK > 0 and ARK < 0
*****      and |ARK| > |HRK|
H***A      H*****A
*****      *****
*****      *****
```

### 13.2.1 Methods

|  |
|--|
| <pre><b>__init__</b>(self, Wedge=0.0, Alpha=0.0, X=0.0, Y=0.0, Z=0.0, Theta=1.57079632679, Phi=0.0, Diameter=0.1, HRr=0.5, HRt=0.5, ARr=0.1, ARt=0.9, HRK=0.0, ARK=0, Thickness=0.02, N=1.4585, KeepI=False, Ref=None)</pre> |
| <pre>BeamSplitter initializer.  Parameters are the attributes.  Returns a beam splitter.  Overrides: object.__init__</pre>   |

|   |
|---|
| <pre><b>lines</b>(self)</pre>   |
| <pre>Returns the list of lines necessary to print the object.  Overrides: theia.optics.component.SetupComponent.lines</pre> |

**Inherited from theia.optics.optic.Optic(Section 17.2)**

```
apexes(), collision(), geoCheck(), hit(), hitAR(), hitHR(), hitSide(), isHit(), isHit-
Dics(), translate()
```

**Inherited from theia.optics.component.SetupComponent(Section 14.2)**

```
__str__()
```

**Inherited from object**

```

__delattr__(), __format__(), __getattr__(), __hash__(), __new__(),
__reduce__(), __reduce_ex__(), __repr__(), __setattr__(), __sizeof__(),
__subclasshook__()

```

### 13.2.2 Properties

| Name                         | Description |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| <i>Inherited from object</i> |             |
| <code>__class__</code>       |             |

### 13.2.3 Class Variables

| Name   | Description                  |
|--|------------------------------|
| Name   | <b>Value:</b> 'BeamSplitter' |
| <code>__abstractmethods__</code>   | <b>Value:</b> frozenset([])  |
| <i>Inherited from theia.optics.optic.Optic (Section 17.2)</i>              |                              |
| OptCount   |                              |
| <i>Inherited from theia.optics.component.SetupComponent (Section 14.2)</i> |                              |
| SetupCount   |                              |

## 14 Module theia.optics.component

Defines the SetupComponent class for theia.

### 14.1 Variables

| Name                     | Description           |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|
| <code>__package__</code> | Value: 'theia.optics' |

### 14.2 Class SetupComponent

object   
**theia.optics.component.SetupComponent**

**Known Subclasses:** theia.optics.beamdump.BeamDump, theia.optics.optic.Optic, theia.optics.ghost.Ghost

SetupComponent class.

This is an Abstract Base Class for all the components (optical or not) of the setup. Its methods may be implemented in daughter classes.

**\*=== Attributes ===\***

SetupCount: class attribute, counts setup components. [integer]

HRCenter: center of the principal face of the component in space.  
 [3D vector]

ARCenter: center of the secondary face of the component in space.  
 [3D vector]

HRNorm: normal unitary vector the this principal face, supposed to point outside the media. [3D vector]

Thick: thickness of the component, counted in opposite direction to HRNorm. [float]

Dia: diameter of the component. [float]

Name: name of the component. [string]

InBeams: list of all beams incident on the component. [list of GaussianBeam]

OutBeams: list of all beams out

Ref: reference string (for keeping track with the lab). [string]

## 14.2.1 Methods

**\_\_init\_\_**(*self, HRCenter, HRNorm, Ref, Thickness, Diameter, ARCenter*)

---

SetupComponent initializer.

Parameters are the attributes of the object to construct.

Returns a setupComponent.

Overrides: object.\_\_init\_\_

**\_\_str\_\_**(*self*)

---

String representation of the component, when calling print(object).

Overrides: object.\_\_str\_\_

**hit**(*self, beam, order, threshold*)

---

Compute the refracted and reflected beams after interaction.

Abstract (pure virtual) method.

**isHit**(*self, beam*)

---

Method to determine if component is hit by a beam.

Abstract (pure virtual) method.

**lines**(*self*)

---

Method to return the list of strings to \_\_str\_\_.

Abstract (pure virtual) method.

**translate**(*self, X=0.0, Y=0.0, Z=0.0*)

---

Move the component to (current position + (X, Y, Z)).

This version only takes care of the HRCenter, version of sub classes take care of ARCenter if relevant.

X, Y, Z: components of the translation vector.

No return value.

***Inherited from object***

**\_\_delattr\_\_**(), **\_\_format\_\_**(), **\_\_getattr\_\_**(), **\_\_hash\_\_**(), **\_\_new\_\_**(),

`__reduce__()`, `__reduce_ex__()`, `__repr__()`, `__setattr__()`, `__sizeof__()`,  
`__subclasshook__()`

### 14.2.2 Properties

| Name   | Description |
|--|-------------|
| <i>Inherited from object</i><br><code>__class__</code> |             |

### 14.2.3 Class Variables

| Name                             | Description  |
|----------------------------------|--|
| Name                             | <b>Value:</b> 'SetupComponent'                     |
| SetupCount                       | <b>Value:</b> 0                                    |
| <code>__abstractmethods__</code> | <b>Value:</b> frozenset(['hit', 'isHit', 'lines']) |



## 15 Module theia.optics.ghost

Defines the Ghost class for theia.

### 15.1 Variables

| Name                     | Description           |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|
| <code>__package__</code> | Value: 'theia.optics' |

### 15.2 Class Ghost



Ghost class.

This class represents surfaces which don't interact with the beams. They just transmit the same beam, and may be useful to monitor the beams on their way, without having to calculate the Q yourself if you're looking for the Q at another place than the origin of the beam.

Ghost surfaces basically have a null thickness and transmit the beams.

**\*=== Attributes ===\***

SetupCount (inherited): class attribute, counts all setup components.  
[integer]

Name: class attribute. [string]

HRCenter (inherited): center of the principal face of the Ghost in space.  
[3D vector]

ARCenter (inherited): center of the secondary face of the Ghost in space.  
[3D vector]

HRnorm (inherited): normal unitary vector the this principal face,  
supposed to point outside the media. [3D vector]

Thick (inherited): thickness of the dump, counted in opposite direction to  
HRNorm. [float]

Dia (inherited): diameter of the component. [float]

Ref (inherited): reference string (for keeping track with the lab). [string]

## 15.2.1 Methods

---

**\_\_init\_\_**(*self*, *X*=0.0, *Y*=0.0, *Z*=0.0, *Theta*=1.57079632679, *Phi*=0.0, *Ref*=None, *Diameter*=0.5)

---

Ghost initializer.

Parameters are the attributes.

Returns a Ghost.

Overrides: object.\_\_init\_\_

---

**lines**(*self*)

---

Return the list of lines needed to print the object.

Overrides: theia.optics.component.SetupComponent.lines

---

**isHit**(*self*, *beam*)

---

Determine if a beam hits the Ghost surface.

This uses the linePlaneInter function from the geometry module to find characteristics of impact of beams on ghost surfaces.

beam: incoming beam. [GaussianBeam]

Returns a dictionary with keys:

  'isHit': whether the beam hits the dump. [boolean]

  'intersection point': point in space where it is first hit.  
  [3D vector]

  'face': to indicate which face is first hit, can be 'HR', 'AR' or  
  'side'. [string]

  'distance': geometrical distance from beam origin to impact. [float]

Overrides: theia.optics.component.SetupComponent.isHit

|  |
|--|
| <b>hit</b> ( <i>self</i> , <i>beam</i> , <i>order</i> , <i>threshold</i> )   |
| Return the beam simply transmitted by the ghost surface.   |
| <i>beam</i> : incident beam. [GaussianBeam]<br><i>order</i> : maximum strayness of daughter beams, which are not returned if their strayness is over this order. [integer]<br><i>threshold</i> : idem for the power of the daughter beams. [float] |
| Returns a dictionary of beams with keys:<br>'t': Gaussian beam which is the continuity of the incident beam.   |
| Overrides: <i>theia.optics.component.SetupComponent.hit</i>  |

*Inherited from theia.optics.component.SetupComponent(Section 14.2)*

`__str__()`, `translate()`

*Inherited from object*

`__delattr__()`, `__format__()`, `__getattr__()`, `__hash__()`, `__new__()`,  
`__reduce__()`, `__reduce_ex__()`, `__repr__()`, `__setattr__()`, `__sizeof__()`,  
`__subclasshook__()`

### 15.2.2 Properties

| Name                         | Description |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| <i>Inherited from object</i> |             |
| <code>__class__</code>       |             |

### 15.2.3 Class Variables

| Name   | Description                 |
|--|-----------------------------|
| Name   | <b>Value:</b> 'Ghost'       |
| <code>__abstractmethods__</code>   | <b>Value:</b> frozenset([]) |
| <i>Inherited from theia.optics.component.SetupComponent (Section 14.2)</i> |                             |
| SetupCount   |                             |

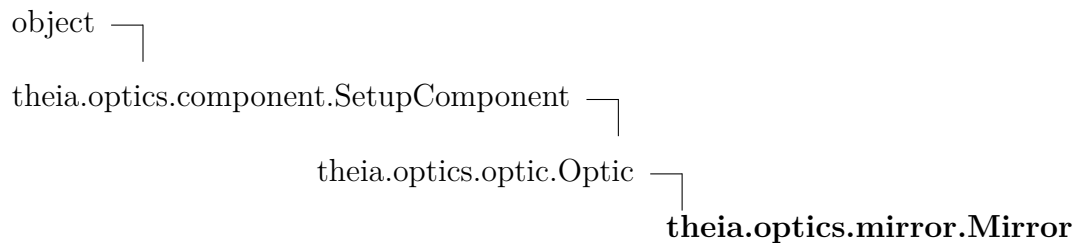
## 16 Module *theia.optics.mirror*

Defines the Mirror class for *theia*.

### 16.1 Variables

| Name                     | Description                        |
|--------------------------|------------------------------------|
| <code>__package__</code> | Value: <code>'theia.optics'</code> |

### 16.2 Class Mirror



Mirror class.

This class represents semi reflective mirrors composed of two faces (HR, AR) and with a wedge angle. These are the objects with which the beams will interact during the ray tracing. Please see the documentation for details on the geometric construction of these mirrors.

Actions:

- \* T on HR: + 1
- \* R on HR: 0
- \* T on AR: 0
- \* R on AR: + 1

\*=== Additional attributes with respect to the Optic class ===\*

None

\*=== Name ===\*

Mirror

**\*\*Note\*\***: the curvature of any surface is positive for a concave surface (coating inside the sphere).  
Thus `kurv*HRNorm/|kurv|` always points to the center of the sphere of the surface, as is the convention for the `lineSurfInter` of geometry module. Same for AR.

```

*****      HRK > 0 and ARK > 0      *****      HRK > 0 and ARK < 0
*****      *****                      *****      and |ARK| > |HRK|
H***A      H*****A
*****      *****
*****      *****

```

### 16.2.1 Methods

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|--|
| <pre> __init__(self, Wedge=0.0, Alpha=0.0, X=0.0, Y=0.0, Z=0.0, Theta=1.57079632679, Phi=0.0, Diameter=0.1, HRr=0.99, HRt=0.01, ARr=0.1, ARt=0.9, HRK=0.01, ARK=0, Thickness=0.02, N=1.4585, KeepI=False, Ref=None) </pre> |
| <p>Mirror initializer.</p> <p>Parameters are the attributes.</p> <p>Returns a mirror.</p> <p>Overrides: object.__init__</p>  |

|   |
|---|
| <pre> lines(self) </pre>  |
| <p>Returns the list of lines necessary to print the object.</p> <p>Overrides: theia.optics.component.SetupComponent.lines</p> |

#### *Inherited from theia.optics.optic.Optic(Section 17.2)*

apexes(), collision(), geoCheck(), hit(), hitAR(), hitHR(), hitSide(), isHit(), isHit-Dics(), translate()

#### *Inherited from theia.optics.component.SetupComponent(Section 14.2)*

\_\_str\_\_()

#### *Inherited from object*

\_\_delattr\_\_(), \_\_format\_\_(), \_\_getattr\_\_(), \_\_hash\_\_(), \_\_new\_\_(),  
\_\_reduce\_\_(), \_\_reduce\_ex\_\_(), \_\_repr\_\_(), \_\_setattr\_\_(), \_\_sizeof\_\_(),  
\_\_subclasshook\_\_()

**16.2.2 Properties**

| Name                                      | Description |
|---|-------------|
| <i>Inherited from object</i><br>__class__ |             |

**16.2.3 Class Variables**

| Name  | Description  |
|---|--|
| Name  | <b>Value:</b> 'Mirror'   |
| __abstractmethods__   | <b>Value:</b> frozenset([])  |
| <i>Inherited from <a href="#">theia.optics.optic.Optic</a> (Section 17.2)</i> |  |
| OptCount  | <i>Inherited from <a href="#">theia.optics.component.SetupComponent</a> (Section 14.2)</i> |
| SetupCount  |  |

## 17 Module *theia.optics.optic*

Defines the *Optic* class for *theia*.

### 17.1 Variables

| Name                     | Description                               |
|--------------------------|---|
| <code>__package__</code> | <b>Value:</b> <code>'theia.optics'</code> |

### 17.2 Class *Optic*



**Known Subclasses:** *theia.optics.mirror.Mirror*, *theia.optics.thicklens.ThickLens*, *theia.optics.thinlens.ThinLens*, *theia.optics.beamsplitter.BeamSplitter*, *theia.optics.special.Special*

*Optic* class.

This class is a base class for optics which may interact with Gaussian beams and return transmitted and reflected beams (mirrors, lenses, etc.)

The way an optic interacts with a beam (if it adds to the order of a beam upon reflection or transmission on HR or AR etc) is specified by the action integers *RonHR*, *TonHR*, *RonAR*, *TonAR* of the optic. A beam which reflects on HR will have its order increased by *RonHR*, etc.

All the optics which transmit or reflect beams (beam splitters, mirrors, thin and thick lenses and special optics) inherit from this class. A particular type of optic is characterized by its action integers and by the inputs provided to the constructors by the users. Everything else of the optics follow the shape of this *Optic* class.

**==== Attributes ====**

*SetupCount* (inherited): class attribute, counts all setup components.  
[integer]

OptCount: class attribute, counts optical components. [integer]  
 Name: class attribute. [string]  
 HRCenter (inherited): center of the 'chord' of the HR surface. [3D vector]  
 ARCenter (inherited): center of the 'chord' of the AR surface. [3D vector]  
 HRNorm (inherited): unitary normal to the 'chord' of the HR (always pointing towards the outside of the component). [3D vector]  
 Thick (inherited): thickness of the optic, counted in opposite direction to HRNorm. [float]  
 Dia (inherited): diameter of the component. [float]  
 Ref (inherited): reference string (for keeping track with the lab). [string]  
 ARNorm: unitary normal to the 'chord' of the AR (always pointing towards the outside of the component). [3D vector]  
 N: refraction index of the material. [float]  
 HRK, ARK: curvature of the HR, AR surfaces. [float]  
 HRr, HRt, ARr, Art: power reflectance and transmission coefficients of the HR and AR surfaces. [float]  
 KeepI: whether of not to keep data of rays for interference calculations on the HR. [boolean]  
 Wedge: wedge angle on the optic. [float]  
 Alpha: angle of the rotation to describe the orientation of the wedge. See the documentation for details on this angle. [float]  
 TonHR, RonHR, TonAR, RonAR: amount by which the orders of the beams will be increased upon reflection or transmission on AR or HR surfaces. These are the principal parameters which distinguish mirrors and lenses and beamsplitters, etc.

**\*\*Note\*\***: the curvature of any surface is positive for a concave surface (coating inside the sphere). Thus  $\text{kurv} \cdot \text{HRNorm} / |\text{kurv}|$  always points to the center of the sphere of the surface, as is the convention for the lineSurfInter of geometry module. Same for AR.

|       |                     |         |                     |
|-------|---------------------|---------|---------------------|
| ***** | HRK > 0 and ARK > 0 | *****   | HRK > 0 and ARK < 0 |
| ***** |                     | *****   | and  ARK  >  HRK    |
| H***A |                     | H*****A |                     |
| ***** |                     | *****   |                     |
| ***** |                     | *****   |                     |



## 17.2.1 Methods

**\_\_init\_\_**(*self*, *ARCenter*, *HRCenter*, *HRNorm*, *ARNorm*, *N*, *HRK*, *ARK*, *ARr*, *ARt*, *HRr*, *HRt*, *KeepI*, *Thickness*, *Diameter*, *Wedge*, *Alpha*, *RonHR*, *TonHR*, *RonAR*, *TonAR*, *Ref*)

Optic base initializer.

Parameters are the attributes of the object to construct.

Returns an *Optic*.

Overrides: object.`__init__`

**apexes**(*self*)

Returns the positions of the apexes of HR and AR as a tuple.

**collision**(*self*)

Determine whether the HR and AR surfaces intersect.

Returns True if there is an intersection, False if not.

**geoCheck**(*self*, *word*)

Makes geometrical checks on surfaces and warns when necessary.

**hit**(*self*, *beam*, *order*, *threshold*)

Compute the refracted and reflected beams after interaction.

The beams returned are those selected after the order and threshold criterion.

beam: incident beam. [*GaussianBeam*]

order: maximum strayness of daughter beams, which are not returned if their strayness is over this order. [*integer*]

threshold: idem for the power of the daughter beams. [*float*]

Returns a dictionary of beams with keys:

  't': refracted beam. [*GaussianBeam*]

  'r': reflected beam. [*GaussianBeam*]

Overrides: *theia.optics.component.SetupComponent.hit*

**hitAR**(*self*, *beam*, *point*, *order*, *threshold*)

Compute the daughter beams after interaction on AR at point.

beam: incident beam. [GaussianBeam]  
 point: point in space of interaction. [3D vector]  
 order: maximum strayness of daughter beams, which are not returned if  
       their strayness is over this order. [integer]  
 threshold: idem for the power of the daughter beams. [float]

Returns a dictionary of beams with keys:

  't': refracted beam. [GaussianBeam]  
   'r': reflected beam. [GaussianBeam]

**hitHR**(*self*, *beam*, *point*, *order*, *threshold*)

Compute the daughter beams after interaction on HR at point.

beam: incident beam. [GaussianBeam]  
 point: point in space of interaction. [3D vector]  
 order: maximum strayness of daughter beams, which are not returned if  
       their strayness is over this order. [integer]  
 threshold: idem for the power of the daughter beams. [float]

Returns a dictionary of beams with keys:

  't': refracted beam. [GaussianBeam]  
   'r': reflected beam. [GaussianBeam]

**hitSide**(*self*, *beam*)

Compute the daughter beams after interaction on Side at point.

Generic function: all sides stop beams.

beam: incident beam. [GaussianBeam]

Returns {'t': None, 'r': None}

**isHit**(*self*, *beam*)

Determine if a beam hits the Optic.

This is a function uses the dictionaries provided by `isHitDics` to find the closest face hit by the beam.

`beam`: incoming beam. [GaussianBeam]

Returns a dictionary with keys:

  '`isHit`': whether the beam hits the optic. [boolean]

  '`intersection point`': point in space where it is first hit.  
  [3D vector]

  '`face`': to indicate which face is first hit, can be 'HR', 'AR' or  
  '`Side`'. [string]

  '`distance`': geometrical distance from beam origin to impact. [float]

Overrides: `theia.optics.component.SetupComponent.isHit`

**isHitDics**(*self*, *beam*)

Determine the dictionaries to evaluate if a beam hits the optic.

Uses the `line**Inter` functions from the geometry module to calculate the dictionaries of data on interaction with HR and AR and side of optics.

Returns a tuple of 3 dictionaries with keys:

  '`isHit`': whether the optic is hit by the beam. [bool]

  '`intersection point`': 3D point where the beam impacts.  
  [3D np-array]

  '`distance`': distance from beam origin to interaction point. [float]

**translate**(*self*, *X*=0.0, *Y*=0.0, *Z*=0.0)

Move the optic to (current position + (X, Y, Z)).

This version takes care of `HRcenter` and `ARCenter` and overwrites the `SetupComponent` version.

X, Y, Z: components of the translation vector.

No return value.

Overrides: `theia.optics.component.SetupComponent.translate`

***Inherited from theia.optics.component.SetupComponent(Section 14.2)***`__str__()`, `lines()`***Inherited from object***`__delattr__()`, `__format__()`, `__getattr__()`, `__hash__()`, `__new__()`,  
`__reduce__()`, `__reduce_ex__()`, `__repr__()`, `__setattr__()`, `__sizeof__()`,  
`__subclasshook__()`**17.2.2 Properties**

| Name                         | Description |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| <i>Inherited from object</i> |             |
| <code>__class__</code>       |             |

**17.2.3 Class Variables**

| Name   | Description                        |
|--|------------------------------------|
| Name   | <b>Value:</b> 'Optic'              |
| OptCount   | <b>Value:</b> 0                    |
| <code>__abstractmethods__</code>   | <b>Value:</b> frozenset(['lines']) |
| <i>Inherited from theia.optics.component.SetupComponent (Section 14.2)</i> |                                    |
| SetupCount   |                                    |

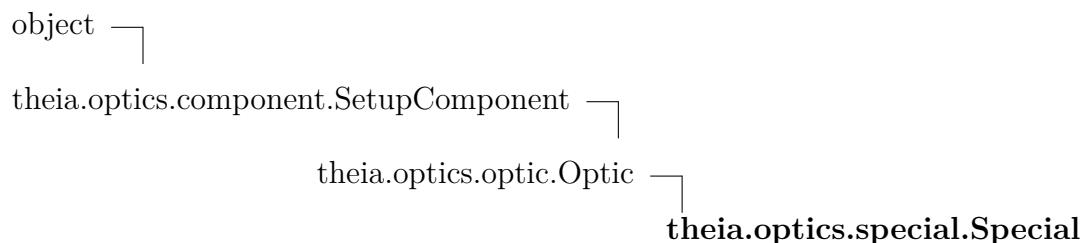
## 18 Module *theia.optics.special*

Defines the Special class for *theia*.

### 18.1 Variables

| Name                     | Description                        |
|--------------------------|------------------------------------|
| <code>__package__</code> | Value: <code>'theia.optics'</code> |

### 18.2 Class Special



Special class.

This class represents general optics, as their actions on R and T are left to the user to input. They are useful for special optics which are neither reflective nor transmissive.

Actions:

- \* T on HR: user input
- \* R on HR: user input
- \* T on AR: user input
- \* R on AR: user input

**\*\*Note\*\*:** by default the actions of these objects are those of beamsplitters (0, 0, 0, 0)

**====** Additional attributes with respect to the Optic class **====**

None

**====** Name **====**

## Special

**\*\*Note\*\***: the curvature of any surface is positive for a concave surface (coating inside the sphere).  
Thus `kurv*HRNorm/|kurv|` always points to the center of the sphere of the surface, as is the convention for the `lineSurfInter` of geometry module. Same for AR.

```

*****      HRK > 0 and ARK > 0      *****      HRK > 0 and ARK < 0
*****      *****      and |ARK| > |HRK|
H***A      H*****A
*****      *****
*****      *****

```

## 18.2.1 Methods

```

__init__(self, Wedge=0.0, Alpha=0.0, X=0.0, Y=0.0, Z=0.0,
Theta=1.57079632679, Phi=0.0, Diameter=0.1, HRr=0.99, HRt=0.01,
ARr=0.1, ARt=0.9, HRK=0.01, ARK=0, Thickness=0.02, N=1.4585,
KeepI=False, RonHR=0, TonHR=0, RonAR=0, TonAR=0, Ref=None)

```

Special optic initializer.

Parameters are the attributes.

Returns a special optic.

Overrides: object.\_\_init\_\_

```

lines(self)

```

Returns the list of lines necessary to print the object.

Overrides: `theia.optics.component.SetupComponent.lines`

***Inherited from `theia.optics.optic.Optic`(Section 17.2)***

`apexes()`, `collision()`, `geoCheck()`, `hit()`, `hitAR()`, `hitHR()`, `hitSide()`, `isHit()`, `isHitDics()`, `translate()`

***Inherited from `theia.optics.component.SetupComponent`(Section 14.2)***

`__str__()`

***Inherited from object***

`__delattr__()`, `__format__()`, `__getattr__()`, `__hash__()`, `__new__()`, `__reduce__()`, `__reduce_ex__()`, `__repr__()`, `__setattr__()`, `__sizeof__()`,

`__subclasshook__()`

### 18.2.2 Properties

| Name   | Description |
|--|-------------|
| <i>Inherited from object</i><br><code>__class__</code> |             |

### 18.2.3 Class Variables

| Name  | Description                 |
|---|-----------------------------|
| Name  | <b>Value:</b> 'Special'     |
| <code>__abstractmethods__</code>  | <b>Value:</b> frozenset([]) |
| <i>Inherited from <code>theia.optics.optic.Optic</code> (Section 17.2)</i><br>OptCount                |                             |
| <i>Inherited from <code>theia.optics.component.SetupComponent</code> (Section 14.2)</i><br>SetupCount |                             |

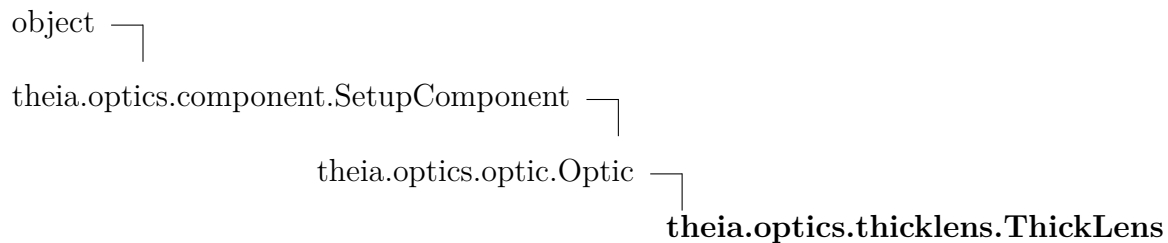
## 19 Module *theia.optics.thicklens*

Defines the *ThickLens* class for *theia*.

### 19.1 Variables

| Name                     | Description                               |
|--------------------------|---|
| <code>__package__</code> | <b>Value:</b> <code>'theia.optics'</code> |

### 19.2 Class *ThickLens*



*ThickLens* class.

This class represents thick lenses, specified by curvatures and thickness instead of focal length.

Actions:

- \* T on HR: 0
- \* R on HR: + 1
- \* T on AR: 0
- \* R on AR: + 1

**==== Additional attributes with respect to the *Optic* class ====**

None

**==== Name ====**

*ThickLens*

**\*\*Note\*\*:** the curvature of any surface is positive for a concave surface (coating inside the sphere).



Thus `kurv*HRNorm/|kurv|` always points to the center of the sphere of the surface, as is the convention for the `lineSurfInter` of geometry module. Same for AR.

```

*****      HRK > 0 and ARK > 0      *****      HRK > 0 and ARK < 0
*****      *****      and |ARK| > |HRK|
H***A      H*****A
*****      *****
*****      *****

```

**\*\*Note\*\***: in the case of thicklenses, the thickness provided to and by the initializer is the thickness *on the optical axis*, and not the thickness on the side of the component (like mirrors).

**\*\*Note\*\***: in the case of thicklenses, the center provided to the initializer is the *apex* of the principal face, and not the chord of the HR surface.

### 19.2.1 Methods

|  |
|--|
| <pre> __init__(self, K1=0.01, K2=0.01, X=0.0, Y=0.0, Z=0.0, Theta=1.57079632679, Phi=0.0, Thickness=0.02, N=1.4585, KeepI=False, Diameter=0.05, R=0.1, T=0.9, Ref=None) </pre> |
| <p>ThickLens initializer.</p>  |
| <p>Parameters are the attributes.</p>  |
| <p>Returns a ThickLens.</p>  |
| <p>Overrides: object.__init__</p>  |

|   |
|---|
| <pre> lines(self) </pre>  |
| <p>Returns the list of lines necessary to print the object.</p> |
| <p>Overrides: theia.optics.component.SetupComponent.lines</p>   |

**Inherited from *theia.optics.optic.Optic* (Section 17.2)**

`apexes()`, `collision()`, `geoCheck()`, `hit()`, `hitAR()`, `hitHR()`, `hitSide()`, `isHit()`, `isHitDics()`, `translate()`

**Inherited from *theia.optics.component.SetupComponent* (Section 14.2)**

`__str__()`

**Inherited from object**

```

__delattr__(), __format__(), __getattr__(), __hash__(), __new__(),
__reduce__(), __reduce_ex__(), __repr__(), __setattr__(), __sizeof__(),
__subclasshook__()

```

### 19.2.2 Properties

| Name                         | Description |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| <i>Inherited from object</i> |             |
| <code>__class__</code>       |             |

### 19.2.3 Class Variables

| Name   | Description                 |
|--|-----------------------------|
| Name   | <b>Value:</b> 'ThickLens'   |
| <code>__abstractmethods__</code>   | <b>Value:</b> frozenset([]) |
| <i>Inherited from theia.optics.optic.Optic (Section 17.2)</i>              |                             |
| OptCount   |                             |
| <i>Inherited from theia.optics.component.SetupComponent (Section 14.2)</i> |                             |
| SetupCount   |                             |

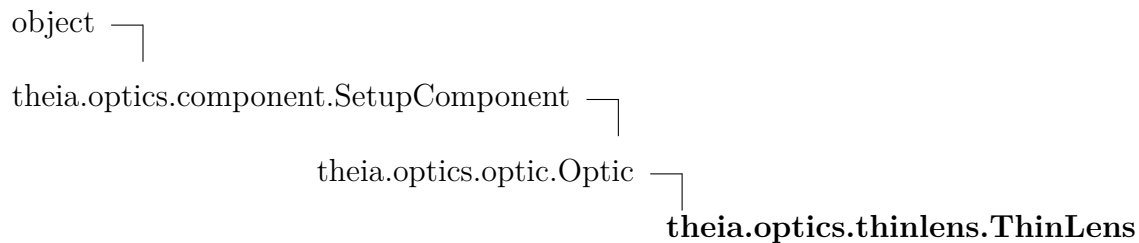
## 20 Module theia.optics.thinlens

Defines the ThinLens class for theia.

### 20.1 Variables

| Name                     | Description           |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|
| <code>__package__</code> | Value: 'theia.optics' |

### 20.2 Class ThinLens



ThinLens class.

This class represents thin lenses, which are specified only by their focal lengths, diameter, position and orientation. Only the initializer and the printing distinguishes thin lenses (in implementation) from other lenses.

Actions:

- \* T on HR: 0
- \* R on HR: + 1
- \* T on AR: 0
- \* R on AR: + 1

**\*\*\* Additional attributes with respect to the Optic class \*\*\***

Focal: focal length of the lens as given in initializer. [float]

**\*\*\* Name \*\*\***

ThinLens

**\*\*Note\*\***: the curvature of any surface is positive for a concave surface

(coating inside the sphere).  
 Thus `kurv*HRNorm/|kurv|` always points to the center  
 of the sphere of the surface, as is the convention for the `lineSurfInter` of  
 geometry module. Same for AR.

```

*****      HRK > 0 and ARK > 0      *****      HRK > 0 and ARK < 0
*****      and |ARK| > |HRK|
H****A      H*****A
*****      *****
*****      *****

```

### 20.2.1 Methods

|   |
|---|
| <pre> __init__(self, Focal=0.1, KeepI=False, Theta=1.57079632679, Phi=0.0, Diameter=0.05, R=0.1, T=0.9, X=0.0, Y=0.0, Z=0.0, Ref=None) </pre> |
| ThinLens initializer.   |
| Parameters are the attributes.  |
| Returns a ThinLens.   |
| Overrides: object.__init__  |

|  |
|--|
| <pre> lines(self) </pre>                                 |
| Returns the list of lines necessary to print the object. |
| Overrides: theia.optics.component.SetupComponent.lines   |

#### *Inherited from theia.optics.optic.Optic(Section 17.2)*

apexes(), collision(), geoCheck(), hit(), hitAR(), hitHR(), hitSide(), isHit(), isHit-  
 Dics(), translate()

#### *Inherited from theia.optics.component.SetupComponent(Section 14.2)*

\_\_str\_\_()

#### *Inherited from object*

\_\_delattr\_\_(), \_\_format\_\_(), \_\_getattr\_\_(), \_\_hash\_\_(), \_\_new\_\_(),  
 \_\_reduce\_\_(), \_\_reduce\_ex\_\_(), \_\_repr\_\_(), \_\_setattr\_\_(), \_\_sizeof\_\_(),  
 \_\_subclasshook\_\_()

### 20.2.2 Properties

| Name                                      | Description |
|---|-------------|
| <i>Inherited from object</i><br>__class__ |             |

### 20.2.3 Class Variables

| Name   | Description                 |
|--|-----------------------------|
| Name   | <b>Value:</b> 'ThinLens'    |
| __abstractmethods__  | <b>Value:</b> frozenset([]) |
| <i>Inherited from theia.optics.optic.Optic (Section 17.2)</i>              |                             |
| OptCount   |                             |
| <i>Inherited from theia.optics.component.SetupComponent (Section 14.2)</i> |                             |
| SetupCount   |                             |

## 21 Package *theia.rendering*

This is the rendering sub-package of *theia*.

It allows to write the physical objects to FreeCAD format files for 3D rendering.

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**Author:** Raphaël Duque

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### 21.1 Modules

- **features:** Features module of *theia*, to represent objects as FreeCAD Python features.  
(*Section 22, p. 52*)
- **shapes:** Shapes module for *theia*, provides shape-calculating for 3D rendering.  
(*Section 23, p. 58*)
- **writer:** Writer module for *theia*, to write CAD content to files.  
(*Section 24, p. 59*)

## 22 Module theia.rendering.features

Features module or theia, to represent objects as FreeCAD Python features.

### 22.1 Class FCObject



Mother class for all FreeCAD objects.

fact: Factor to compensate for unit difference with FreeCAD. [float]

#### 22.1.1 Methods

|                                  |
|----------------------------------|
| <code>__init__(self, obj)</code> |
| Custom properties of the object. |
| Overrides: object.__init__       |

#### *Inherited from object*

`__delattr__()`, `__format__()`, `__getattr__()`, `__hash__()`, `__new__()`,  
`__reduce__()`, `__reduce_ex__()`, `__repr__()`, `__setattr__()`, `__sizeof__()`,  
`__str__()`, `__subclasshook__()`

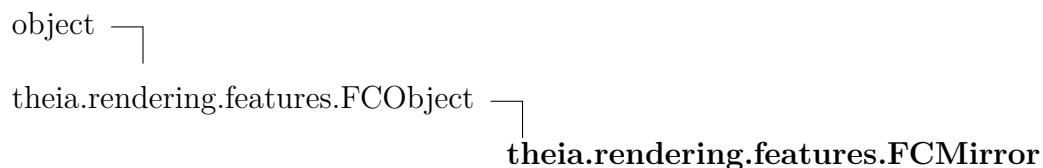
#### 22.1.2 Properties

| Name                         | Description |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| <i>Inherited from object</i> |             |
| <code>__class__</code>       |             |

#### 22.1.3 Class Variables

| Name | Description              |
|------|--------------------------|
| fact | Value: settings.FCFactor |

## 22.2 Class FCMirror



### 22.2.1 Methods

|   |
|---|
| <b>__init__</b> ( <i>self, obj, mirror</i> )<br>Custom properties of the object.<br>Overrides: object.__init__ extit(inherited documentation) |
|---|

#### *Inherited from object*

\_\_delattr\_\_(), \_\_format\_\_(), \_\_getattr\_\_(), \_\_hash\_\_(), \_\_new\_\_(),  
 \_\_reduce\_\_(), \_\_reduce\_ex\_\_(), \_\_repr\_\_(), \_\_setattr\_\_(), \_\_sizeof\_\_(),  
 \_\_str\_\_(), \_\_subclasshook\_\_()

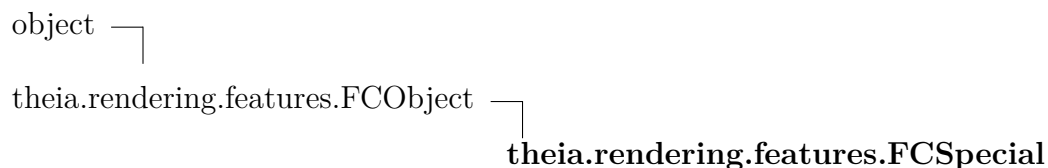
### 22.2.2 Properties

| Name                         | Description |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| <i>Inherited from object</i> |             |
| __class__                    |             |

### 22.2.3 Class Variables

| Name   | Description |
|--|-------------|
| <i>Inherited from theia.rendering.features.FCObject (Section 22.1)</i> |             |
| fact   |             |

## 22.3 Class FCSpecial





### 22.3.1 Methods

|                                       |
|---------------------------------------|
| <code>__init__(self, obj, opt)</code> |
|---------------------------------------|

Custom properties of the object.

Overrides: object.\_\_init\_\_ extit(inherited documentation)

#### *Inherited from object*

`__delattr__()`, `__format__()`, `__getattr__()`, `__hash__()`, `__new__()`,  
`__reduce__()`, `__reduce_ex__()`, `__repr__()`, `__setattr__()`, `__sizeof__()`,  
`__str__()`, `__subclasshook__()`

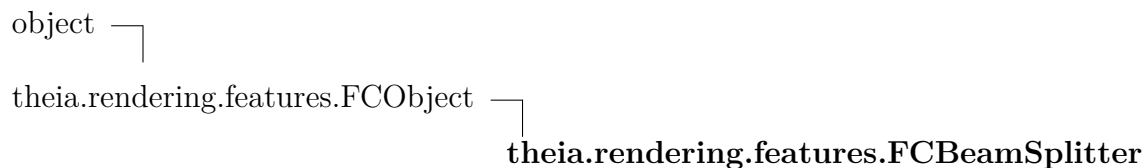
### 22.3.2 Properties

| Name                         | Description |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| <i>Inherited from object</i> |             |
| <code>__class__</code>       |             |

### 22.3.3 Class Variables

| Name   | Description |
|--|-------------|
| <i>Inherited from theia.rendering.features.FCObject (Section 22.1)</i> |             |
| fact   |             |

## 22.4 Class FCBeamSplitter



### 22.4.1 Methods

|  |
|--|
| <code>__init__(self, obj, beamSplitter)</code> |
|--|

Custom properties of the object.

Overrides: object.\_\_init\_\_ extit(inherited documentation)

#### *Inherited from object*

```

__delattr__(), __format__(), __getattr__(), __hash__(), __new__(),
__reduce__(), __reduce_ex__(), __repr__(), __setattr__(), __sizeof__(),
__str__(), __subclasshook__()

```

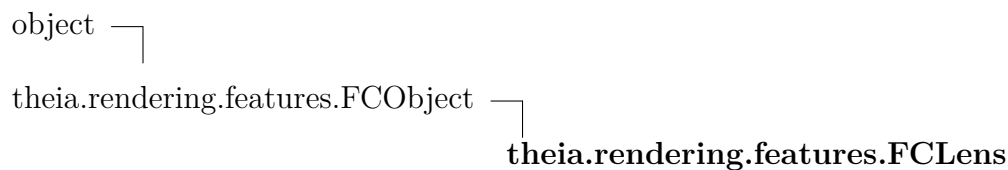
### 22.4.2 Properties

| Name                         | Description |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| <i>Inherited from object</i> |             |
| <code>__class__</code>       |             |

### 22.4.3 Class Variables

| Name  | Description |
|---|-------------|
| <i>Inherited from <code>theia.rendering.features.FCObject</code> (Section 22.1)</i> |             |
| <code>fact</code>   |             |

## 22.5 Class FCLens



### 22.5.1 Methods

|   |
|---|
| <code>__init__(self, obj, lens)</code>  |
| Custom properties of the object.  |
| Overrides: <code>object.__init__</code> <code>exitit</code> (inherited documentation) |

#### *Inherited from object*

```

__delattr__(), __format__(), __getattr__(), __hash__(), __new__(),
__reduce__(), __reduce_ex__(), __repr__(), __setattr__(), __sizeof__(),
__str__(), __subclasshook__()

```

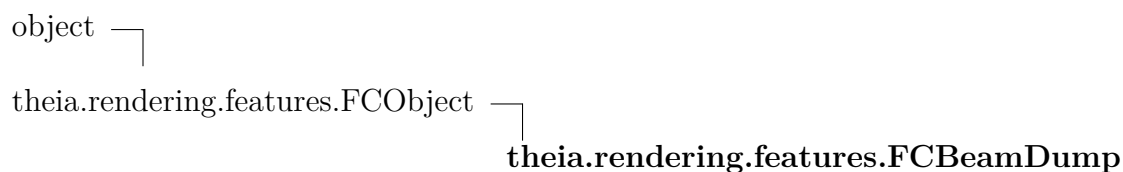
### 22.5.2 Properties

| Name                         | Description |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| <i>Inherited from object</i> |             |
| __class__                    |             |

### 22.5.3 Class Variables

| Name   | Description |
|--|-------------|
| <i>Inherited from theia.rendering.features.FCObject (Section 22.1)</i> |             |
| fact   |             |

## 22.6 Class FCBeamDump



### 22.6.1 Methods

|  |
|--|
| __init__(self, obj, beamDump)                              |
| Custom properties of the object.                           |
| Overrides: object.__init__ exitit(inherited documentation) |

#### *Inherited from object*

\_\_delattr\_\_(), \_\_format\_\_(), \_\_getattr\_\_(), \_\_hash\_\_(), \_\_new\_\_(),  
 \_\_reduce\_\_(), \_\_reduce\_ex\_\_(), \_\_repr\_\_(), \_\_setattr\_\_(), \_\_sizeof\_\_(),  
 \_\_str\_\_(), \_\_subclasshook\_\_()

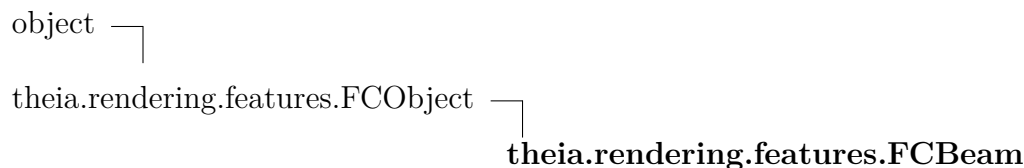
### 22.6.2 Properties

| Name                         | Description |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| <i>Inherited from object</i> |             |
| __class__                    |             |

### 22.6.3 Class Variables

| Name | Description   |
|------|---|
|      | <i>Inherited from <code>theia.rendering.features.FCObject</code> (Section 22.1)</i> |
| fact |   |

## 22.7 Class FCBeam



### 22.7.1 Methods

|   |
|---|
| <code>__init__(self, obj, beam)</code>  |
| Custom properties of the object.  |
| Overrides: <code>object.__init__</code> <code>exit</code> (inherited documentation) |

#### *Inherited from object*

`__delattr__()`, `__format__()`, `__getattr__()`, `__hash__()`, `__new__()`,  
`__reduce__()`, `__reduce_ex__()`, `__repr__()`, `__setattr__()`, `__sizeof__()`,  
`__str__()`, `__subclasshook__()`

### 22.7.2 Properties

| Name                   | Description                  |
|------------------------|------------------------------|
|                        | <i>Inherited from object</i> |
| <code>__class__</code> |                              |

### 22.7.3 Class Variables

| Name | Description   |
|------|---|
|      | <i>Inherited from <code>theia.rendering.features.FCObject</code> (Section 22.1)</i> |
| fact |   |

## 23 Module *theia.rendering.shapes*

Shapes module for *theia*, provides shape-calculating for 3D rendering.

### 23.1 Functions

**mirrorShape**(*mirror*)

Computes the 3D representation of the mirror, a shape for a CAD file obj.

beam: beam to represent. [GaussianBeam]

Returns a shape for a CAD file object.

**beamSplitterShape**(*bs*)

Computes the 3D representation of the beamsplitter, for a CAD file obj.

beam: beam to represent. [GaussianBeam]

Returns a shape for a CAD file object.

**lensShape**(*lens*)

Computes the 3D representation of the lens, a shape for a CAD file obj.

lens: lens to represent. [GaussianBeam]

Returns a shape for a CAD file object.

**beamDumpShape**(*beam.Dump*)

Computes the 3D representation of the beamdump, for a CAD file obj.

beam: beam to represent. [GaussianBeam]

Returns a shape for a CAD file object.

**beamShape**(*beam*)

Computes the 3D representation of the beam, a shape for a CAD file obj.

beam: beam to represent. [GaussianBeam]

Returns a shape for a CAD file object.

## 24 Module *theia.rendering.writer*

Writer module for *theia*, to write CAD content to files.

### 24.1 Functions

**writeToCAD**(*component*, *doc*)

Write the relevant FreeCAD objects of components in CAD file.

This function is for everything except for beams.

To the *doc* *.fcstd* file are added one object per optic and beam, they are of type `Part::FeaturePython` to allow for shapes and features.

The important functions are the `PythonFeatures` constructors found in features, and the shape functions found in shapes.

*component*: component to represent. [Mirror, Lens, BeamDump, Ghost, Beam]

*doc*: CAD file to write to. [CAD file]

No return value.

**writeTree**(*tree*, *doc*)

Recursively write the shape and feature content of the beams of a tree.

If the tree's root is not `None`, write the shape and feature for `tree.Root` and start over for the daughter trees.

*tree*: beamtree to write the info. [BeamTree]

*doc*: CAD file to write to. [CAD file]

No return value.

## 25 Package *theia.running*

This is the running sub-package of *theia*.

It provides the necessary classes and functions to allow the input, output and encapsulation of simulation data.

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### 25.1 Modules

- **parser:** Module for the parsing on input data from *.tia* file.  
(*Section 26, p. 61*)
- **simulation:** Defines the *Simulation* class for *theia*.  
(*Section 27, p. 63*)

## 26 Module *theia.running.parser*

Module for the parsing on input data from *.tia* file.

### 26.1 Functions

**dicOf**(*st, line, fileName, lineNumber*)

Extract the initializer dictionary from a line.

*st*: object tag, 'bm', 'th', ... [string]  
*line*: line of data in *.tia* format (supposed no spaces nor tabs nor comments) and without the object tag. [string]  
*fileName*: name of file (used to write errors). [string]  
*lineNumber*: number of this line in the file (used to write errors). [int]

May raise an `InputError`

Returns a dictionary ready for construction.

**readIn**(*name*)

Finds the input data in a file.

Returns a list of tuples where `tuple[0]` identifies the object of which data has been found and `tuple[1]` the data itself. `tuple[1]` may be a simple value or a dictionary for constructors, etc.

Example return value: [ ('bd', {'X': 0., 'Y': 0., 'Z': 1.}), #constructor  
('LName', 'foo')] #string data.

*name*: file to read. [string]

May raise an `InputError`.

Returns a list of tuples.

### 26.2 Variables

| Name | Description                |
|------|----------------------------|
| GHz  | <b>Value:</b> 1000000000.0 |
| Hz   | <b>Value:</b> 1.0          |

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| Name        | Description             |
|-------------|-------------------------|
| MHz         | Value: 1000000.0        |
| THz         | Value: 1e+12            |
| W           | Value: 1.0              |
| __package__ | Value: 'theia.running'  |
| arccos      | Value: <ufunc 'arccos'> |
| arcsin      | Value: <ufunc 'arcsin'> |
| arctan      | Value: <ufunc 'arctan'> |
| cm          | Value: 0.01             |
| cos         | Value: <ufunc 'cos'>    |
| deg         | Value: 0.0174532925199  |
| exp         | Value: <ufunc 'exp'>    |
| kHz         | Value: 1000.0           |
| kW          | Value: 1000.0           |
| km          | Value: 1000.0           |
| m           | Value: 1.0              |
| mHz         | Value: 0.001            |
| mW          | Value: 0.001            |
| mm          | Value: 0.001            |
| nW          | Value: 1e-09            |
| nm          | Value: 1e-09            |
| pi          | Value: 3.14159265359    |
| ppm         | Value: 1e-06            |
| rad         | Value: 1.0              |
| sin         | Value: <ufunc 'sin'>    |
| sqrt        | Value: <ufunc 'sqrt'>   |
| tan         | Value: <ufunc 'tan'>    |
| uHz         | Value: 1e-06            |
| uW          | Value: 1e-06            |
| um          | Value: 1e-06            |

## 27 Module *theia.running.simulation*

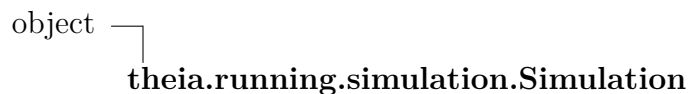
Defines the Simulation class for *theia*.

**Version:** 0.1.3

### 27.1 Variables

| Name                     | Description                                |
|--------------------------|--|
| <code>__package__</code> | <b>Value:</b> <code>'theia.running'</code> |

### 27.2 Class Simulation



Simulation class.

This class is a wrapper for all the metadata (names of setup and of files, etc.) as well as for the high level functions of a simulation.

**\*=== Attributes ===\***

LName: name of the simulation [string]

FName: name of the file for outputs (without extension) [string]

OptList: list of optical components of the setup [list of optics]

InBeams: list of input beams [list of beams]

BeamTreeList: list of binary trees of beams [list of BeamTree]

Order: order of the simulation, beams transmitted by HRs or reflected by ARs have their orders augmented by 1, and simulation calculates only until this Order attribute. [int]

Threshold: Power under which beams are no longer traced. [float]

Date: string of the date-time when the simulation was created (not run). [string]

## 27.2.1 Methods

**\_\_init\_\_**(*self*, *FName*=`'simulationinput'`)

Simulation initializer.

*FName*: output files name without extension. [string]

Overrides: object.\_\_init\_\_

**\_\_str\_\_**(*self*)

String representation of the simulation, for print(simulation).

Overrides: object.\_\_str\_\_

**numberOfOptics**(*self*)

Calculate the number of optics of OptList.

Returns the number of optics (not components, optics).

**load**(*self*)

Initialize simulation attributes by input from .tia file.

See documantation for the format of the input file.

No return value.

**run**(*self*)

Run simulation with input as read by load.

*threshold*: power of beam below which the simulation stops tracing child beams. [float]

*order*: maximum order to keep daughter beams. [integer]

No return value.

**writeOut**(*self*)

Write the results from the simulation in the .out file.

**writeCAD**(*self*)

Write the CAD .fstcd file by calling rendering functions.

*Inherited from object*

`__delattr__()`, `__format__()`, `__getattr__()`, `__hash__()`, `__new__()`,  
`__reduce__()`, `__reduce_ex__()`, `__repr__()`, `__setattr__()`, `__sizeof__()`,  
`__subclasshook__()`

### 27.2.2 Properties

| Name   | Description |
|--|-------------|
| <i>Inherited from object</i><br><code>__class__</code> |             |

## 28 Package `theia.tree`

This is the `tree` sub-package of `theia`.

It provides the necessary classes and functions to allow the reverse ray tracing and stray light hunting features of `theia`.

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### 28.1 Modules

- **beamtree:** Defines the `BeamTree` class for `theia`.  
(*Section 29, p. 67*)

## 29 Module theia.tree.beamtree

Defines the BeamTree class for theia.

### 29.1 Functions

**treeOfBeam**(*srcBeam*, *optList*, *order*, *threshold*)

Function to calculate the tree of daughter beams of srcBeam.

srcBeam: Input beam. [GaussianBeam] optList: List of optical components of the setup. [list of OpticalComponent] order: order of simulation. [integer] threshold: power threshold for daughter beams. [float]

Returns a BeamTree.

### 29.2 Variables

| Name        | Description         |
|-------------|---------------------|
| __package__ | Value: 'theia.tree' |

### 29.3 Class BeamTree

object —  
**theia.tree.beamtree.BeamTree**

BeamTree class.

A BeamTree is a binary tree which allows to keep track of the beams as they are traced throughout the optical setup. The Root of the tree is a Gaussian beam and the other attributes are the daughter trees and all the data of the interaction producing these with the Root beam

\*=== Attributes ===\* Name: class attribute, name of object. [string] Root: beam of this node of the tree. [GaussianBeam] T: beam resulting from the transmission of the Root beam. [BeamTree] R: beam resulting from the reflection of the Root beam. [BeamTree]

## 29.3.1 Methods

|  |
|--|
| <b>__init__</b> ( <i>self</i> , Root=None, T=None, R=None) |
| BeamTree initializer.                                      |
| Overrides: object.__init__                                 |

|   |
|---|
| <b>__str__</b> ( <i>self</i> )                        |
| String representation of a BeamTree, for print(tree). |
| Overrides: object.__str__                             |

|  |
|--|
| <b>lines</b> ( <i>self</i> )                             |
| Returns the list of lines necessary to print the object. |

|  |
|--|
| <b>beamList</b> ( <i>self</i> )                      |
| Returns the string representation the tree of beams. |

|   |
|---|
| <b>beamLines</b> ( <i>self</i> )                                |
| Returns the list of lines necessary to print the list of beams. |

|                                      |
|--------------------------------------|
| <b>numberOfBeams</b> ( <i>self</i> ) |
| Return the total number of beams.    |

|   |
|---|
| <b>outputLines</b> ( <i>self</i> )                          |
| Return the list of lines to write the output of simulation. |

*Inherited from object*

`__delattr__()`, `__format__()`, `__getattr__()`, `__hash__()`, `__new__()`,  
`__reduce__()`, `__reduce_ex__()`, `__repr__()`, `__setattr__()`, `__sizeof__()`,  
`__subclasshook__()`

## 29.3.2 Properties

| Name                         | Description |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| <i>Inherited from object</i> |             |
| <code>__class__</code>       |             |

## 29.3.3 Class Variables

| Name | Description       |
|------|-------------------|
| Name | Value: 'BeamTree' |



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