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1. Define diffraction. (10 pts)
  
2. Define interference. (10 pts)
  
3. What does the symbol  $D$  in Eq. 21.1 represent? (10 pts)
  
4. What does the symbol  $d$  in Eq. 21.3 represent? (10 pts)
  
5. Use substitution to solve the single-slit equations (Eq. 21.1 and Eq. 21.2) for  $\lambda$ , in terms of the quantities that we will determine in lab:  $W$ ,  $L$ ,  $D$ . (20 pts)
  
6. Use substitution to solve the double-slit equations (Eq. 21.5 and Eq. 21.3) for  $\lambda$ , in terms of the quantities that we will determine in lab:  $m$ ,  $L$ ,  $d$ ,  $y$ . (20 pts)
  
7. Given  $D_1 = .02$  mm and  $\delta D = .005$  mm, calculate  $\delta\%D_1$ . Given  $D_2 = .16$  mm, calculate  $\delta\%D_2$ . Why will it be important to begin with the widest slit? (20 pts)