## Laser Physics I (PHYS/ECE 464)

Homework #1, Due Wed., Sept. 7 Fall 2022

From Verdeyen:

**1.** Problem 1.4

**2.** Problem 1.5

**3.** Problem 1.7

**4.** A laser crystal (having refractive index n) and length L is Brewster cut such that the incident beam at  $\theta_B$  emeges parallel to the crystal sides as shown in the Fig.



What is the angle  $\alpha$ ? What is the beam's lateral deviation ( $\delta a$ ) in terms of n and L?

**5.** Show that:

Photon energy  $E(eV) \sim 1.24/\lambda(\mu m)$ , Electric field  $E_0(V/cm) \sim 27[I(W/cm^2)/n]^{1/2}$ ,

where  $\lambda$  is the wavelength, I is the irradiance and n is the refractive index. *Try to memorize these useful relations*.