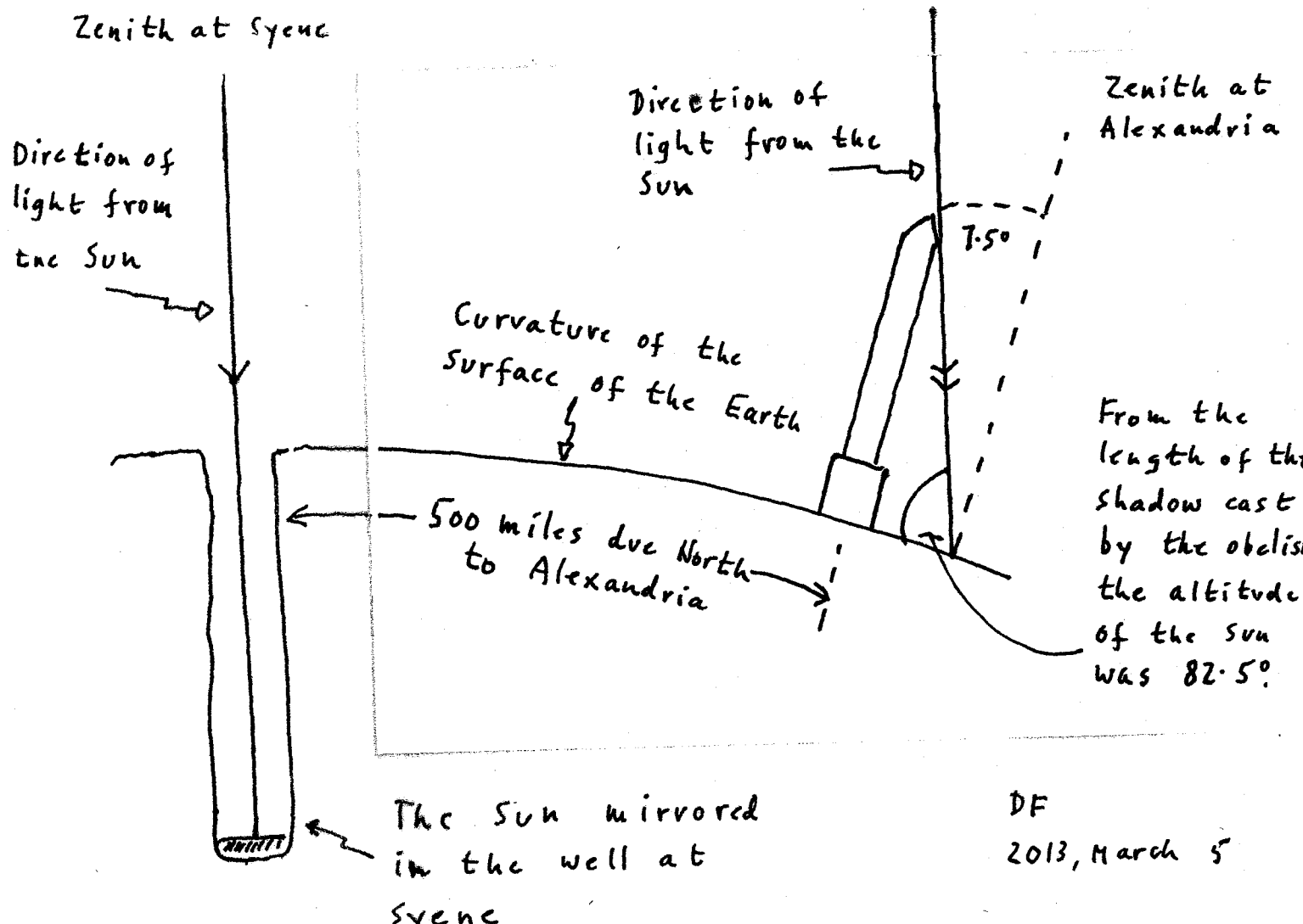
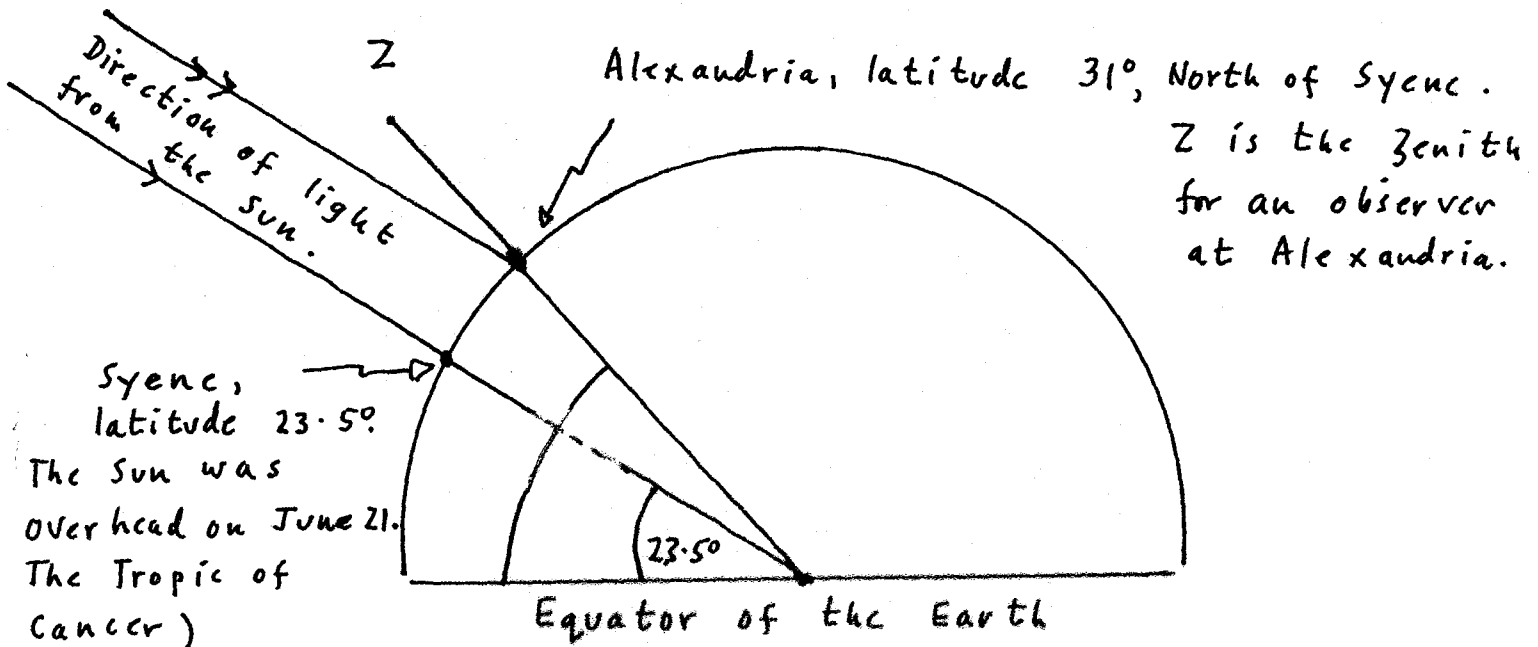


The observations of Eratosthenes and the interpretation of his measurements

Eratosthenes of Alexandria, living about 230 B.C., used solar observations, with a knowledge of geometry and geography, to calculate the circumference of the Earth.



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