

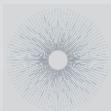
# Myopia-Management I

## Atropine, Contact lenses, Outdoor & Digital Devices

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- B. Rare or very rare
- C. I don't
- D. What is myopia management ?

# Myopia-Management

- Kontrollierte Anwendung präventiver Massnahmen zur nachhaltigen Hemmung des Längenwachstums des Auges zwecks Minimierung krankhafter Folgeschäden.



# Publications by End of February 2019

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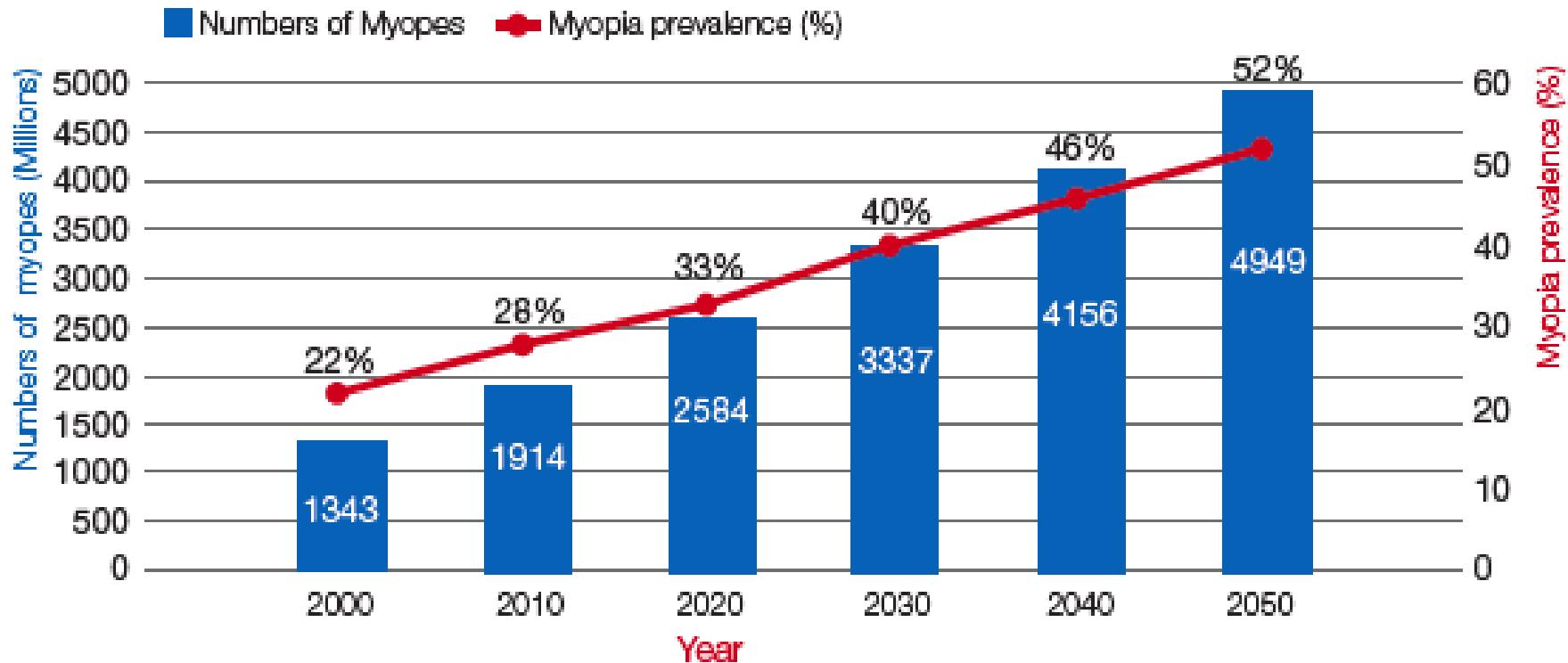
## THE IMPACT OF MYOPIA AND HIGH MYOPIA

Report of the Joint  
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Global Scientific Meeting on Myopia

University of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia  
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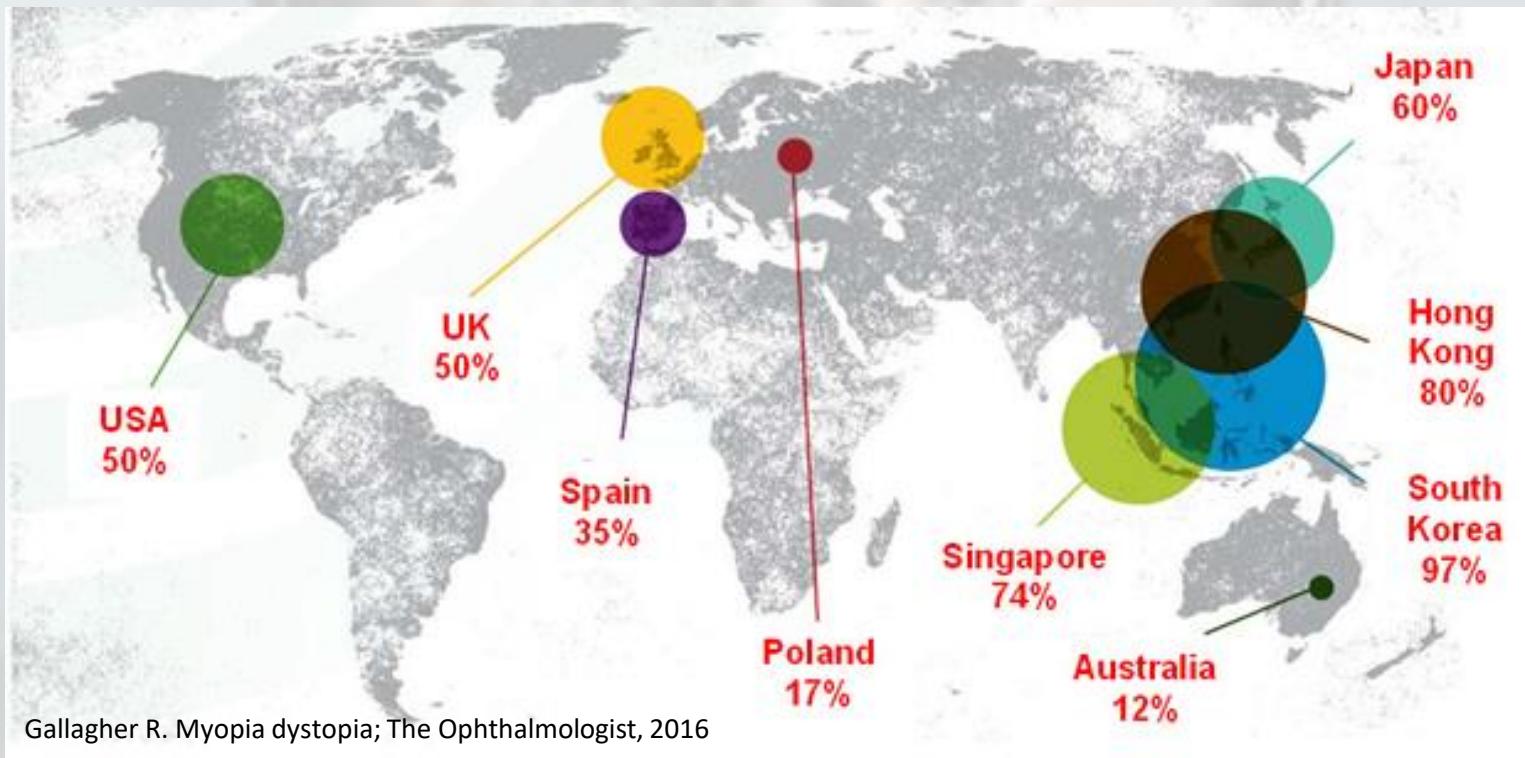
### Results: Myopia - Now and in 2050



# Epidemiology

“The actual global myopia prevalence is 28.3% of the world population (2 billion). With a strong increase tendency. In 2050 half of the world population will be myope. >4 billion people !”

Hopf und Pfeiffer: Der Ophthalmologe, 01/2017



# Clinical Evidence



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REVIEW ARTICLE

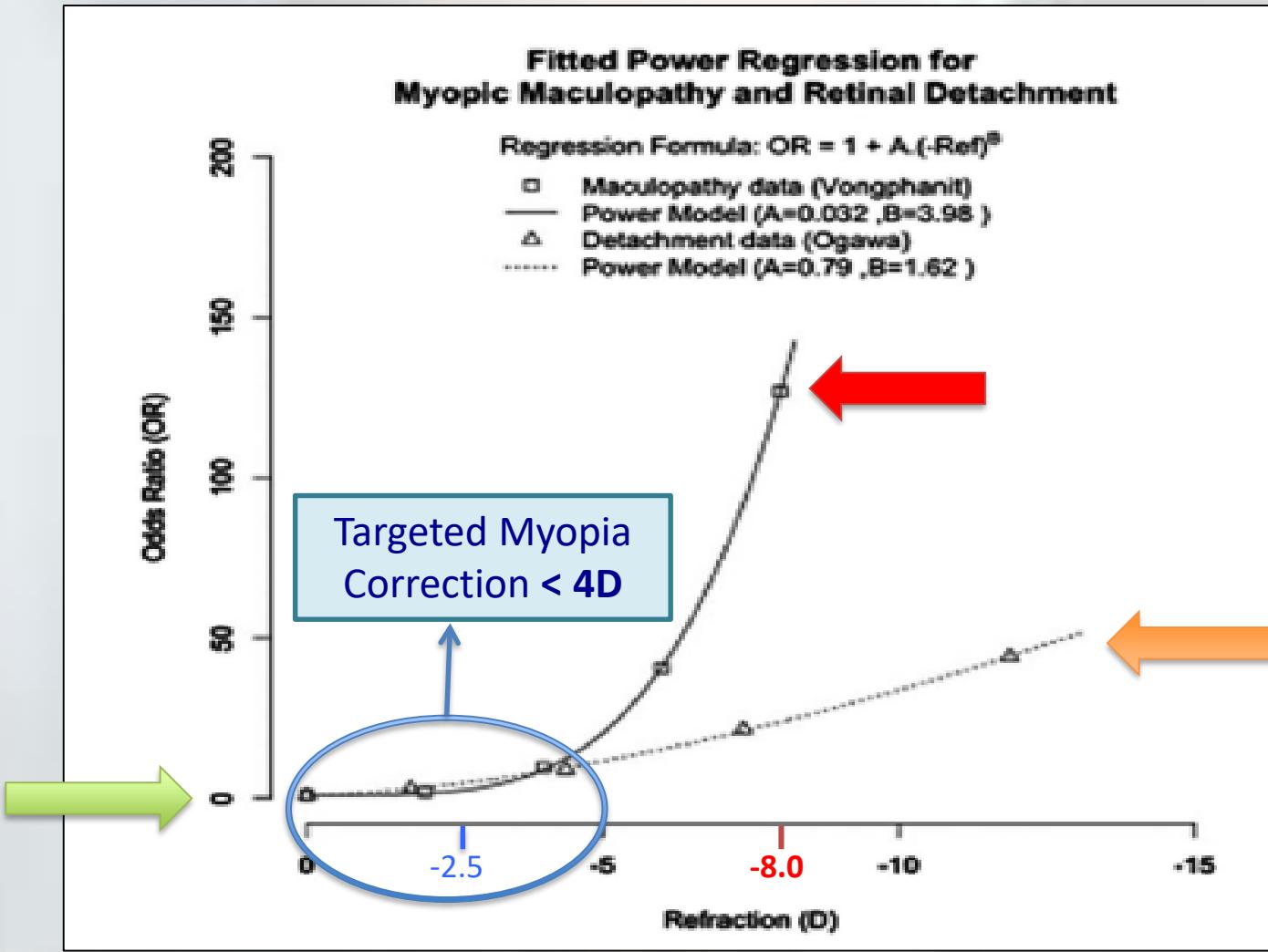
## A Review of Current Concepts of the Etiology and Treatment of Myopia

Jeffrey Cooper, M.S., O.D., F.A.A.O. and Andrei V. Tkatchenko, M.D., Ph.D.

- Myopic Macular Degeneration
- Ablatio Retinae
- Cataract
- Glaucoma



# Risk (Odds) Ratio





## Myopia Prevention and Outdoor Light Intensity in a School-Based Cluster Randomized Trial

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„Currently, myopia maculopathy is the leading cause of blindness in Taiwan, Japan and China.“

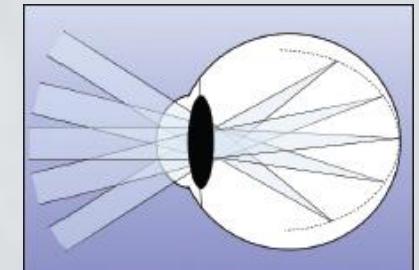
*Ophthalmology, 2018*

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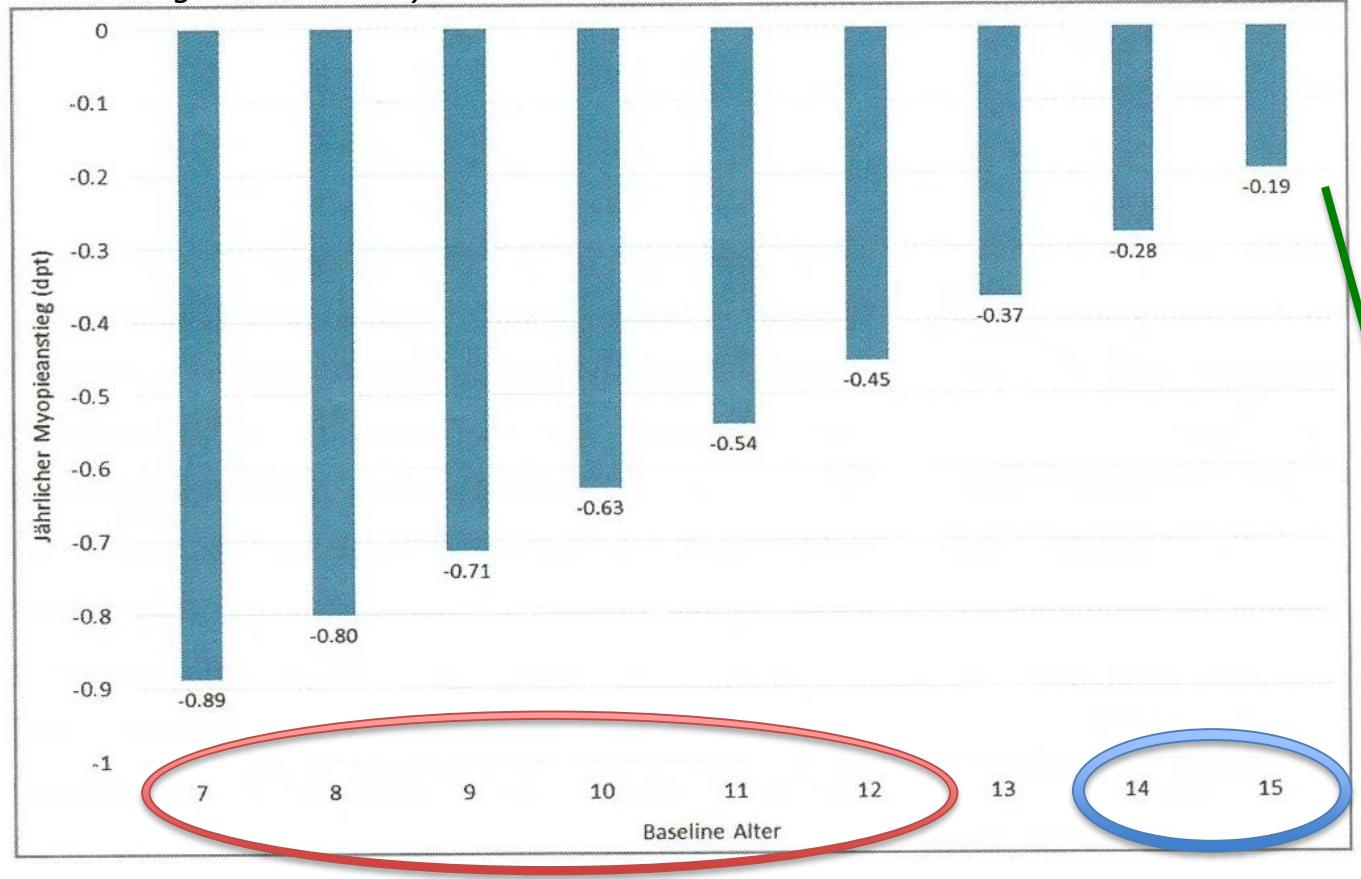
Many theories, often controversial results !

- **Genetics** (Wu und Edwards 1999, Morgan und Rose 2005, Foster und Jiang 2014)
- **Environment / Dopamin** (Feldkämper und Schäffel 2003, Jones et al 2007, Rose und Morgan 2008, Pan, Chen et al. 2015, Xiong et al 2017)
- **Emmetropization** (Xiang et al 2012, Zadnik et al 2015)
- **Close work / Digitalization** (McBrian et al 1993 (-), Lin et al 2004, Mutti und Zadnik 2009 (-), Wojciechowski 2011 (+), Mirshahi et al 2014 (+), Huang et al 2016 (-) )
- **Accomodative lag /Esophoria** (Gwiazda et al 2004 (-), Cheng et al 2014 (+), Huang et al 2016 (-) )
- **Peripheral Defocus**  
(Smith et al 2005/2013, Atchinson et al 2005, Cagnolati et al 2011)



# Myopia Progression by Age

Sankaridurg und Holden: Eye 2014

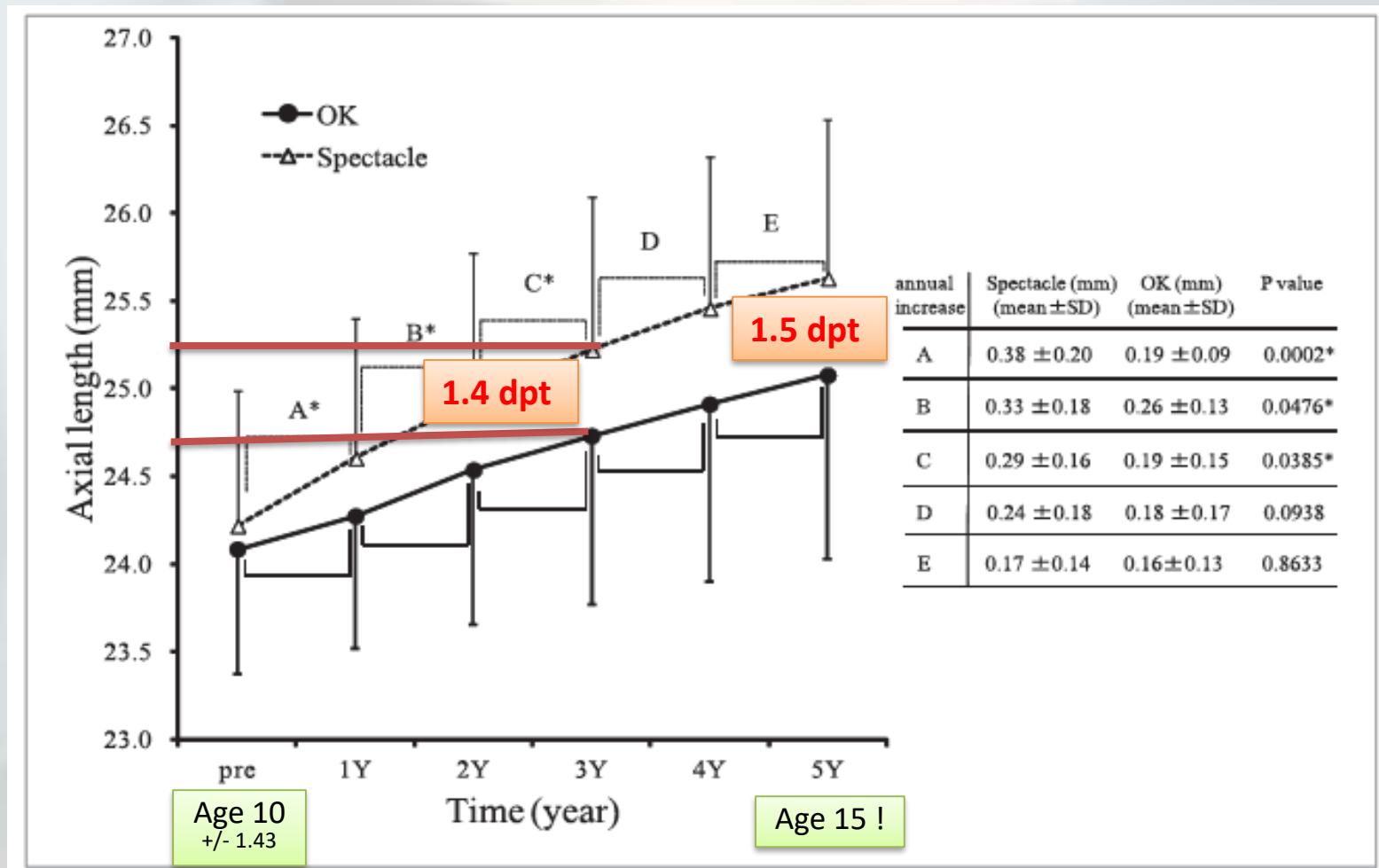


„In most of our participants, Axial Length (AL) increases rapidly at younger ages and then slowed down and stabilized.“

Hou W. et al (COMET Group). Eye & Contact Lens: July 2018; Vol. 44/4, p.248-59

# Long-Term Effect of Overnight Orthokeratology on Axial Length Elongation in Childhood Myopia: A 5-Year Follow-Up Study

Takahiro Hiraoka,<sup>1</sup> Tetsubiko Kakita,<sup>2</sup> Fumiki Okamoto,<sup>1</sup> Hideto Takahashi,<sup>3</sup> and Tetsuro Oshika<sup>1</sup>



# Myopia Management



## MYOPIE KONTROLLE



### WARUM MYOPIE-KONTROLLE?

Die Anzahl Menschen mit einer Kurzsichtigkeit (Myopie) hat in den letzten Jahren massiv zugenommen, insbesondere in Asien. Eine Myopie kann sich bereits im Schulalter bemerkbar machen und sich in der Folge stetig verstärken. Dieses Längenwachstum der Augen, stellt langfristig ein erhöhtes Gesundheitsrisiko dar. Das Risiko einer Netzhautablösung, als Beispiel, vervielfacht sich bereits bei 3 Dioptrien und liegt bei über 6 Dioptrien gar 16x höher.

#### GESUNDHEITSRISIKO NACH KORREKTUR

Feindsichtigkeit	Grauer Star (Cataract)	Grüner Star (Glaukom)	Netzhaut Ablösung
-1.0 bis -3.0	2x	4x	4x
-3.0 bis -6.0	3x	4x	10x
-6.0 oder höher	5x	4x	16x



### WIE ENTSTEHT EINE MYOPIE?

Ein Auge ist kurzsichtig, wenn es zu lang gebaut ist und dadurch die Lichtstrahlen beim Blick in die Ferne schon vor der Netzhaut zu einem Bild vereinigt. Dadurch sieht man entfernte Gegenstände verschwommen.

#### GENETIK > Familiengeschichte

Eltern nicht Myop	1 Elternteil ist Myop	Beide Eltern Myop
Tiefes Risiko	Mittleres Risiko (3x)	Hohes Risiko (6x)

#### VISUELLE EIGENSCHAFTEN > Augen Zusammenspiel, Akkommodation

Normal	Borderline	Überaktiv
Tiefes Risiko	Mittleres Risiko	Hohes Risiko

#### VISUELLE EIGENSCHAFTEN > Korrektur

Altersgerecht	< als Altersgerecht	bereits Myop
Tiefes Risiko	Mittleres Risiko	Hohes Risiko

#### GEWOHNHES > Outdoor Aktivitäten / Tag

2.7h oder mehr	1.6h bis 2.7h	weniger als 1.6h
Tiefes Risiko	Mittleres Risiko	Hohes Risiko

#### VISUELLE EIGENSCHAFTEN > Augen Zusammenspiel, Esophorie

Normal	Borderline	Überaktiv
Tiefes Risiko	Mittleres Risiko	Hohes Risiko

#### GEWOHNHES > Näharbeiten / Tag, ausserhalb der Schulzeiten

unter 2h	2h bis 3h	mehr als 3h
Tiefes Risiko	Mittleres Risiko (2x)	Hohes Risiko (2-3x)

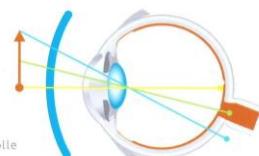
## KANN MAN EINE MYOPIE-ENTWICKLUNG STOPPEN?

Ja, man kann!!! Seit Jahren werden umfangreiche Studien im Bereich der Myopie-Kontrolle durchgeführt. Neben den oben aufgeführten Faktoren ist es bei Kurzsichtigen so, dass die Umwelt nicht über die gesamte Netzhaut gleich scharf abgebildet wird. Es entsteht um den Brennpunkt des Auges ein unscharfer Ring, welcher mitverantwortlich für das Längenwachstum des Auges ist. Diesen Ring korrigiert man mit speziellen Kontaktlinsen so, dass die gesamte Netzhaut ein scharfes Bild erhält.

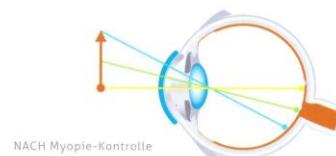
Bei frühzeitigen Gegenmassnahmen ist es also möglich, die negative Entwicklung deutlich zu verlangsamen.

Die folgende Tabelle zeigt eine Zusammenfassung der Verfahren zur Myopie-Kontrolle und deren Effektivität aus über 30 wissenschaftlichen Arbeiten:

VERFAHREN	VERLANGSAMUNG DER MYOPIE-ENTWICKLUNG IN %
Brillengläser und Standard Kontaktlinsen	0 – 5%
Multifokale / Bifokale Brillengläser	12 – 55%
Myovision (Spezial Brillengläser)	0 – 30%
Multifokale Kontaktlinsen	29 – 45%
Orthokeratologie / multifokale Orthokeratologie	32 – 100%
Atropin Augentropfen	30 – 77% (starke Nebenwirkungen)



VOR Myopiekontrolle



NACH Myopiekontrolle

## UNSER ANGEBOT

#### INBEGRIFFENE LEISTUNGEN

- Die professionelle Anpassung – Erstkonsultation (90min) inklusive Anamnese, subjektive Refraktion, digitale Mikroskopie des vorderen Augenabschnitts, Topographie der Hornhaut, Hornhautdrückmessung, Augendruckmessung, Untersuchung der zentralen Netzhaut mittels Laser – Funduskamera und Computertomographie – Verträglichkeitstests (30min) nach 1 Woche und 1 Monat oder nach Bedarf
- Co-Management Augenarzt – regelmässige Messung und Überprüfung der Augenlänge
- Komplettes Pflegemittelsystem und Zubehör
- Alle 6 Monate wird der Sitz der Kontaktlinsen und die Gesundheit der Augen genau kontrolliert.
- Regelmässiger Austausch der Kontaktlinsen

#### PREISE

Erstanpassung (einmalig):	
• Orthokeratologie	1060
• multifokale weiche Monatslinse	660
Monatliche Belastungen nach der Anpassung:	
• Myopie (Kurzsichtigkeit)	75
• Astigmatismus (Hornhautverkrümmung)	90

#### BEDINGUNGEN

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Egal welches Verfahren zum Zuge kommt, wir arbeiten eng mit Ihrem Augenarzt zusammen und lassen die Augenlänge regelmäßig nachmessen.

# Myopia Management



# Entscheidungshilfe

## (Bsp. Brien Holden Vision Institute: Myopia Calculator)



Ethnicity: Caucasian

Child's Age (Years): 6

Refractive Error (D): -1.00

Myopia Management Option: Peripheral defocus spectacles

Control Rate (%): 17

Peer Reviewed:



Myopia Management Option:

**Peripheral defocus spectacles**

Percentage reduction in progression of myopia compared to standard correction e.g. single vision spectacles.

17%

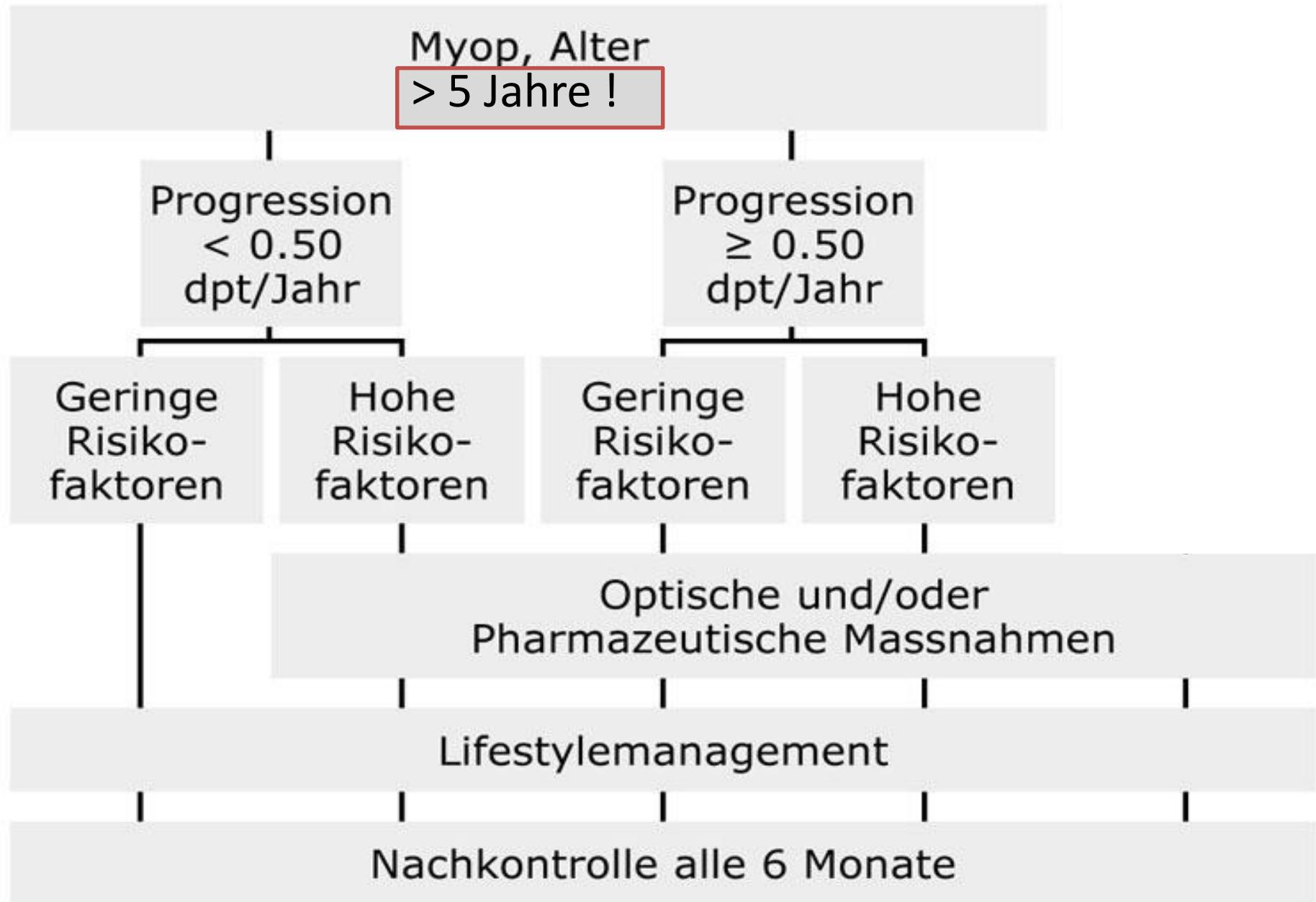
If treated with **Peripheral defocus spectacles** that provides 17% control, then the level of myopia at 17 may be:

**-4.63D**

If myopia control treatment is not commenced immediately, the final level of your child's myopia at 17 may be:

**-5.37D**

# Entscheidungsschemata (Bsp. Galifa Augenblick revid.)



# Actually most used and studied therapies

- Outdoor time

**Update 2019**

(Planned and advertised, Digital Devices)



- Eye glasses

(prismatisch, bi-/multifokal, PDF, DIMS)



- Contact lenses

(bi-/multifokal, PDF, Ortho-Keratology)



- Pharmaceuticals

(Atropine LAMP, Pirenzepin)





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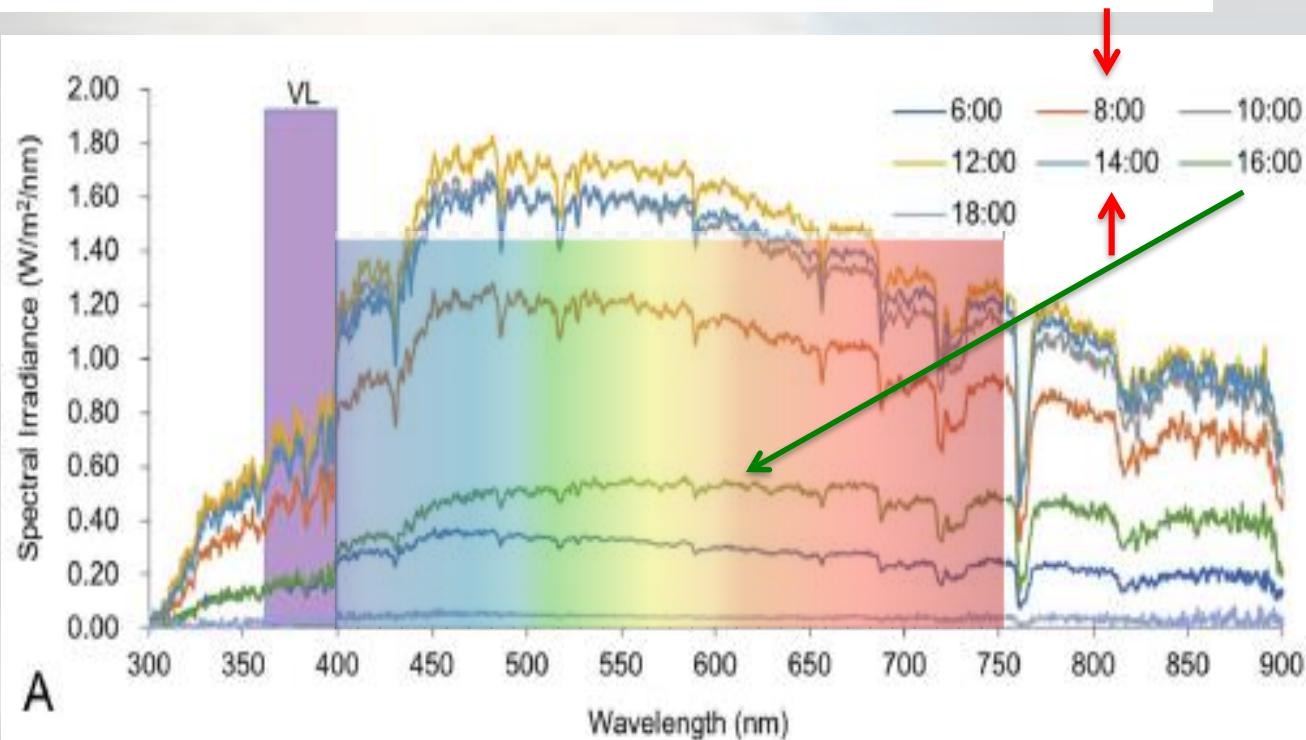
- Extensive study (!) of *only* 12 months duration
- Mean age 6.34 years (SD 0.48)
- Interesting and practicable interventions →
- “Myopic” shift 0.35D (Intervention) vs. 0.47D (control)  $p=0.002$
- Axial length grow 0.28mm (Intervention= **0.84D** ) vs. 0.33mm (control= **0.99D** )  $p=0.003$
- Overlap of interventions turns study results questionable

Table 1. Summary of Intervention Items between Recess Outside Classroom Trial 711 Program and Control Groups

Recess Outside Classroom Trial 711	Control
Intervention items	
Recess outside classroom program	Yes
Outdoor-oriented school activities	Yes
Weekend sun-time passport assignment	No
Booklet for teacher-parent communication	Yes
Outdoor learning assignments in summer vacation	No
Eye health education for teachers and students, promote outdoor activity and 30/10 rule for myopia prevention.	Yes
Sport & Health 150: an initiative to promote an additional 150 minutes of exercise per week. This initiative was started during the late period of this study.	Yes
Tien-Tien 120: an initiative that promotes outdoor activities for 120 minutes daily. Although this initiative was not compulsory, 5% of the elementary schools in Taiwan were selected by the Bureau of Education for monitoring compliance with time outdoors. None of the schools in this study were among the selected schools.	Yes
30/10 = 30 minutes of near work followed by a 10-minute break.	

## Progress and Control of Myopia by Light Environments

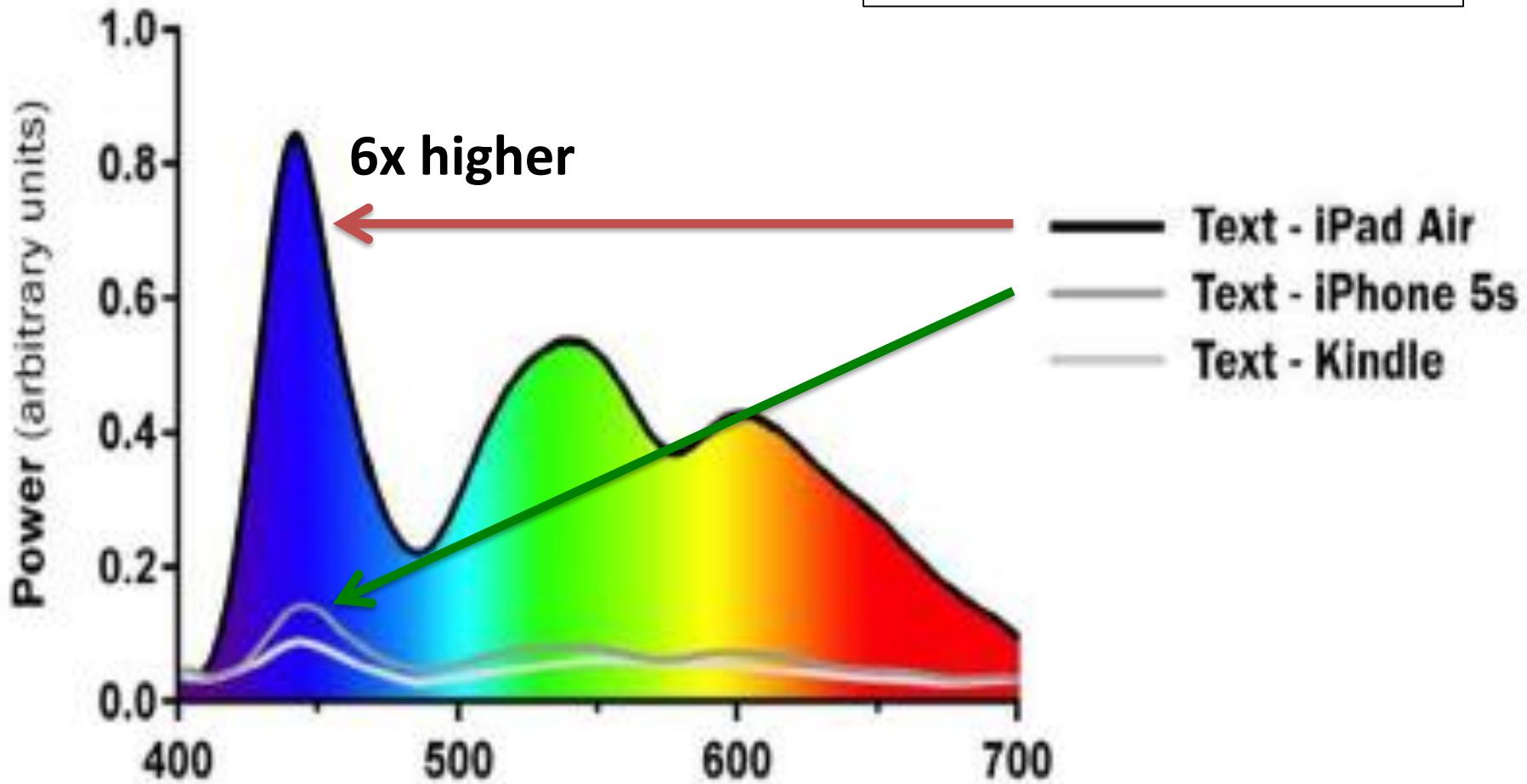
Xiaoyan Jiang, M.D., Toshihide Kurihara, M.D., Ph.D., Hidemasa Torii, M.D., Ph.D., and Kazuo Tsubota, M.D., Ph.D.





# Digital devices ?

*Tablet vs Smartphone*



# How bright are electronic devices?

TABLE 2 | Spectral distribution of human retinal photopigment-weighted measures from all light-emitting devices during different display conditions.

Prefix	Sensitivity	$\alpha$ -opic lux						
		Angry Birds ipad	Angry birds phone	Kids sleep Dr	Text ipad	Text ipad glasses	Text kindle	Text phone
Cyanopic	S cone	244.44	63.03	27.68	409.18	59.23	46.95	71.52
Melanopic	Melanopsin	176.25	46.49	31.51	302.33	64.55	34.62	54.54
Rhodopic	Rod	180.07	45.04	39.65	313.43	93.68	35.64	53.92
Chloropic	M cone	174.03	41.96	71.55	314.00	154.16	37.56	52.04
Erythropic	L cone	162.66	39.72	112.96	306.52	199.93	37.68	50.49
Photopic lux	lux	170.42	40.32	104.95	318.52	201.89	38.67	51.40
Irradiance	$\mu$ W/cm <sup>2</sup>	60.20	16.40	39.10	110.80	62.30	14.30	19.80
Photon flux	1/cm <sup>2</sup> /s	1.0E+14	4.4E+13	1.18E+14	3.0E+14	1.85E+14	3.90E+13	5.55E+13
Peak spectral irradiance	nm	445	450	610	445	605	455	450

The ability of the light devices to stimulate the human photopigments in the eye was assessed and is presented in this table.

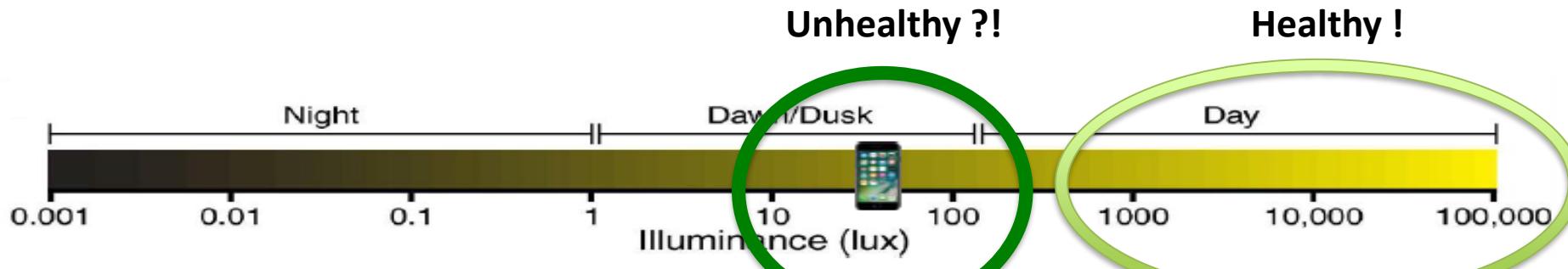
The potential ability of each light source to stimulate the S-cone (cyanopic), M-cone (chloropic), L-cone (erythropic), rods (rhodopic), and melanopsin (melanopic) photopigments, corrected for pre-receptoral filtering, was evaluated (16). The S-, M-, and L-cones make up the trichromatic visual system and melanopsin is the blue light sensitive irradiance detecting photopigment that is the primary contributor to the non-visual responses to light.

Light intensity irradiance is measured in microwatt per square centimeter. Photon flux is the number of photons that get delivered by the device per square centimeter per second.

Peak spectral irradiance is the wavelength (nanometer) of the peak where the irradiance is highest.

Gringras P, Middleton B, Skene DJ, Revell VL. Brighter, Bluer-Better? Current Light-Emitting Devices - Adverse Sleep Properties and Preventative Strategies. Front Public Health. 2015;3:233.

## Electronic devices are dim compared to outside lighting



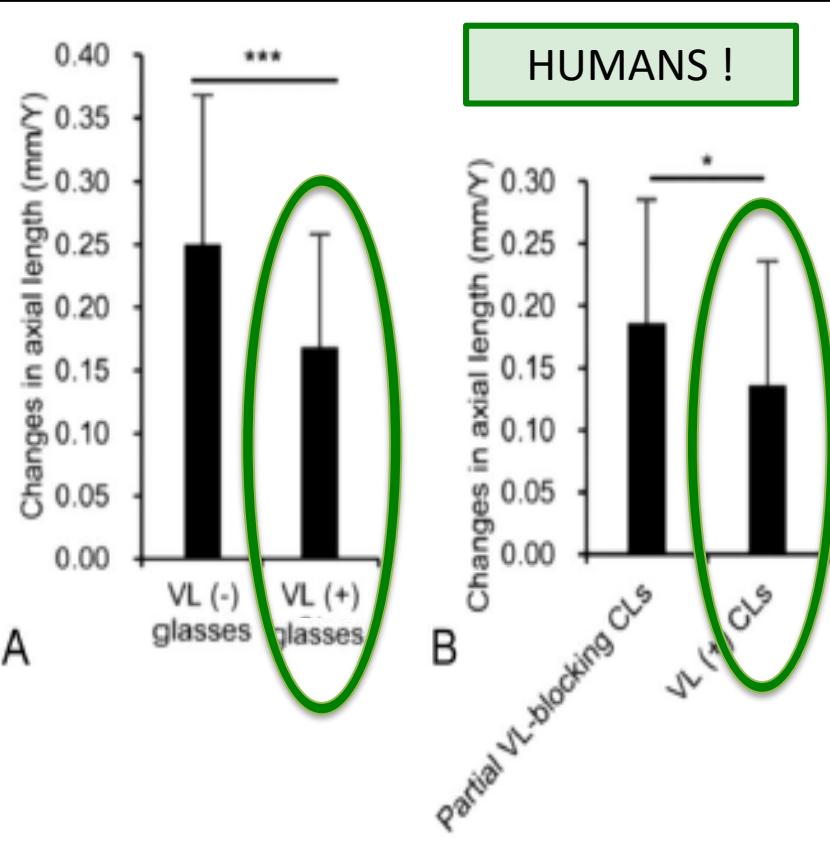


## Research Paper

# Violet Light Exposure Can Be a Preventive Strategy Against Myopia Progression



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*protein I (EGR-I)* in the chick retina, which showed that VL might prevent myopia through pathways independent to other wavelengths. The mechanism behind VL for myopia control must not be simple, and more works still need to be performed. Recently, we

# Environment and humans !

- “Increased time outdoors is effective in preventing the onset of myopia as well as in slowing down the myopic shift in refractive error. But paradoxically, outdoor time was not effective in slowing progression in eyes that were **already myopic.**”

(Xiong et al.: Meta-Analyse/Review, Acta Ophthalmologica 2017)



# Fact Check Environment

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## Review Article

### Time spent in outdoor activities in relation to myopia prevention and control: a meta-analysis and systematic review

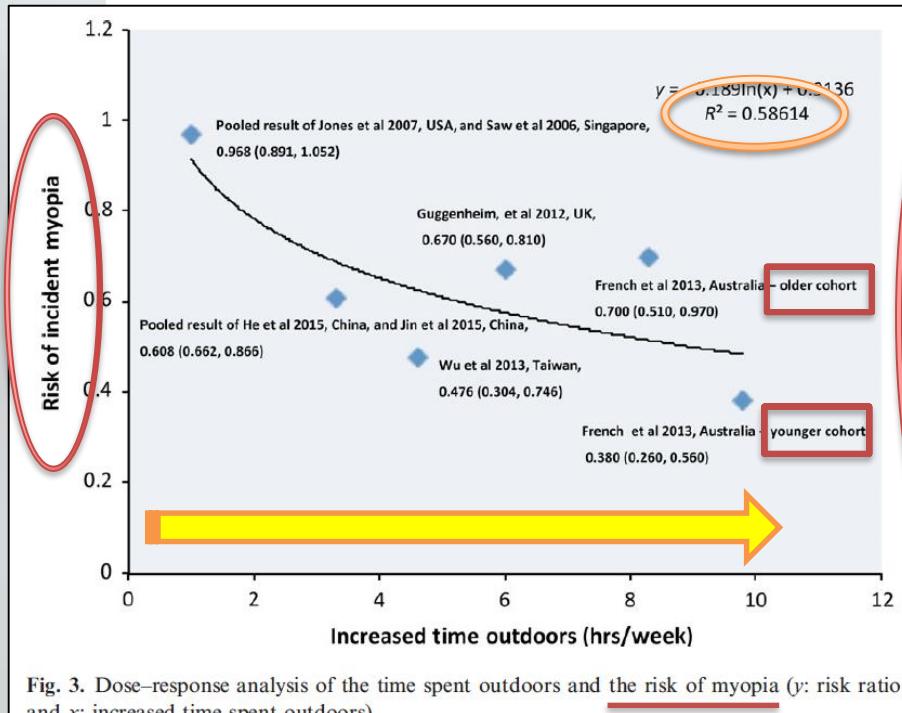


Fig. 3. Dose-response analysis of the time spent outdoors and the risk of myopia ( $y$ : risk ratio; and  $x$ : increased time spent outdoors).

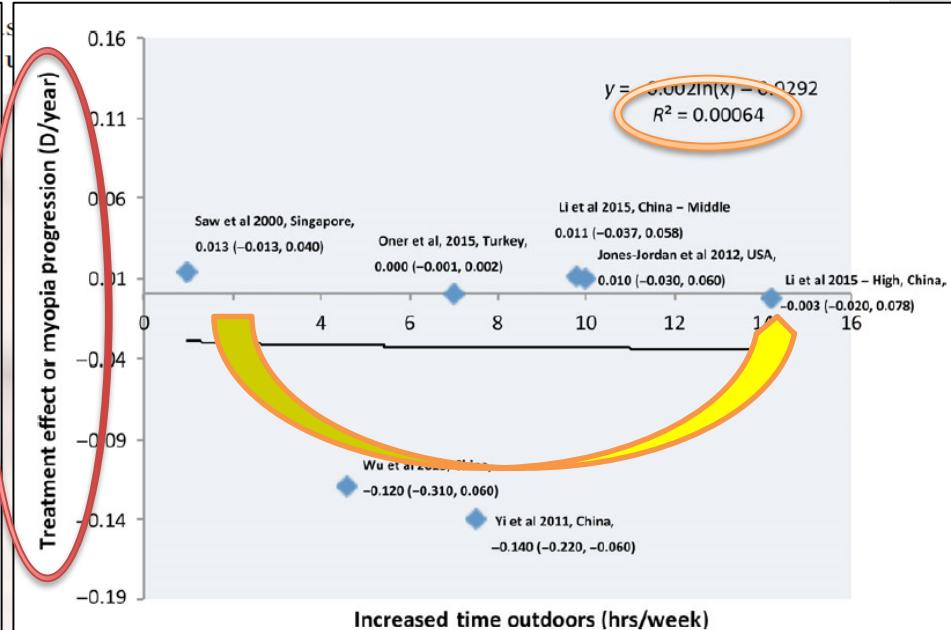


Fig. 6. Dose-response analysis of the time spent outdoors and myopic progression rate ( $y$ : treatment effect or annual myopic progression, and  $x$ : increased time spent outdoors).

## Low-Concentration Atropine for Myopia Progression (LAMP) Study

*A Randomized, Double-Blinded, Placebo-Controlled Trial of 0.05%, 0.025%, and 0.01% Atropine Eye Drops in Myopia Control*

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Age (yrs)	8.45	1.81	8.54	1.71	8.23	1.83	8.42	1.72	0.62
Spherical equivalent (D)	-3.98	1.69	-3.71	1.85	-3.77	1.85	-3.85	1.95	0.72
> 14 h / week !									
Outdoor activity (hours per day)*	2.28	0.89	2.04	0.81	2.20	0.92	2.30	1.04	0.15
> 15 h / day !									
Nearwork (dioptic hours per day)†	15.65	3.94	15.22	4.34	16.13	5.94	14.96	4.95	0.30

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## Efficacy Comparison of 16 Interventions for Myopia Control in Children

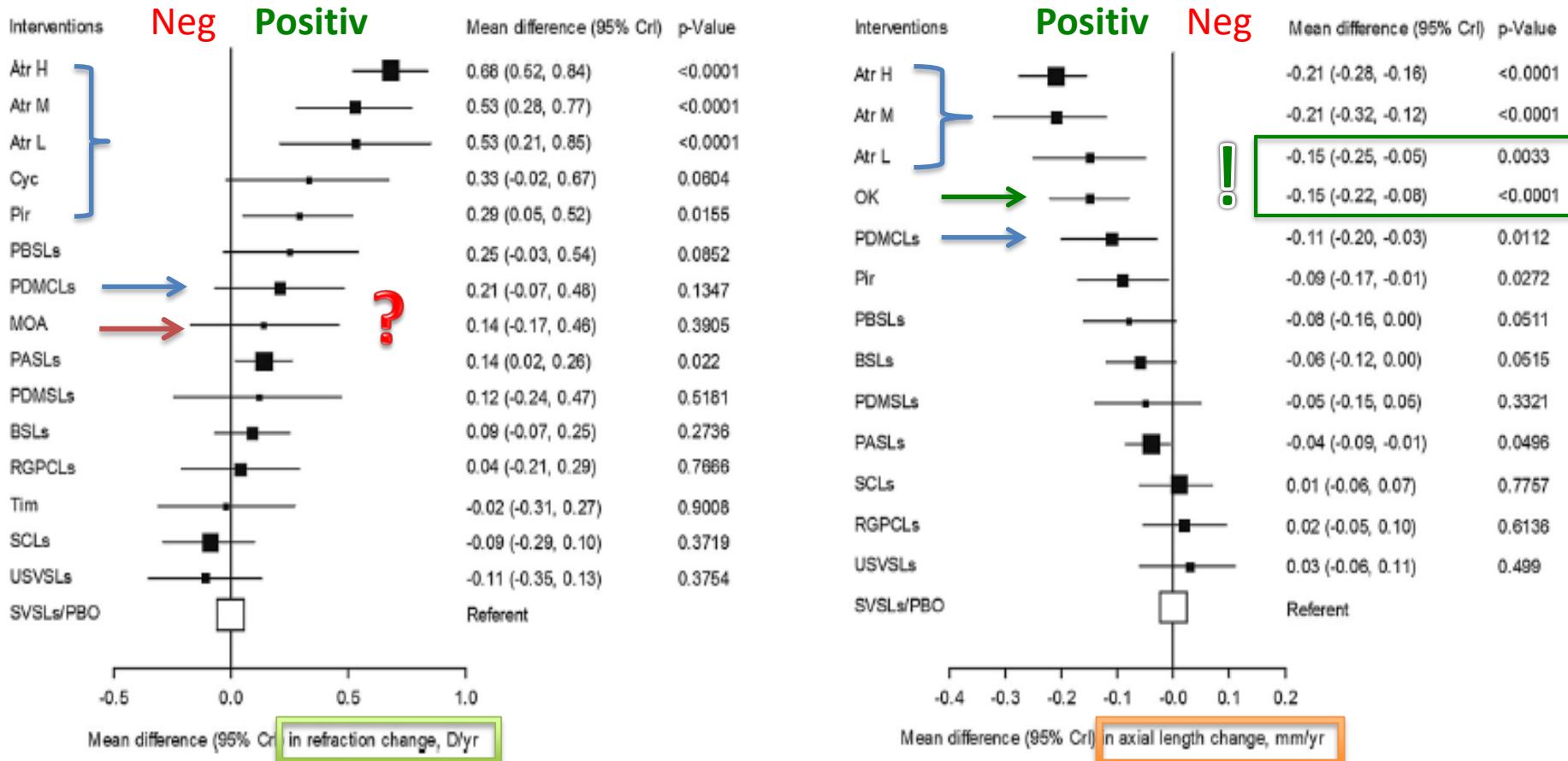
A Network Meta-analysis

change:  $-0.04$  [ $-0.09$  to  $-0.01$ ] showed slight effects.

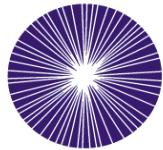
**Conclusions:** This network analysis indicates that a range of interventions can significantly reduce myopia progression when compared with single vision spectacle lenses or placebo. In terms of refraction, atropine, pirenzepine, and progressive addition spectacle lenses were effective. In terms of axial length, atropine, orthokeratology, peripheral defocus modifying contact lenses, pirenzepine, and progressive addition spectacle lenses were effective. The most effective interventions were pharmacologic, that is, muscarinic antagonists such as atropine and pirenzepine. Certain specially designed contact lenses, including orthokeratology and peripheral defocus modifying contact lenses, had moderate effects, whereas specially designed spectacle lenses showed minimal effect. *Ophthalmology* 2016;123:697-708 © 2016 by the American Academy of Ophthalmology. This is an open access article under the CC BY-NC-ND license (<http://creativecommons.org/licenses/by-nc-nd/4.0/>).

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Atr . atropine; Atr H . high-dose atropine (1% or 0.5%); Atr L . low-dose atropine (0.01%); Atr M . moderate-dose atropine (0.1%); BSLs . bifocal spectacle lenses; CrI . credible interval; Cyc . cyclopentolate; MOA . more outdoor activities (14e15 hrs/wk) OK . orthokeratology; PASLs . progressive addition spectacle lenses; PBO . Placebo; PBSLs . prismatic bifocal spectacle lenses; PDMCLs . peripheral defocus modifying contact lenses; PDMSLs . peripheral defocus modifying spectacle lenses; Pir . pirenzepine; RGPCLs . rigid gas-permeable contact lenses; SCLs . soft contact lenses; SVSLs . single vision spectacle lenses; Tim . Timolol; USVSLs . undercorrected single vision spectacle lenses.



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## A Review of Current Concepts of the Etiology and Treatment of Myopia

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ATOM 2 Study

- “Over 5 years, atropine 0.01% eye drops were more effective in slowing myopia progression with less visual side effects compared with higher doses of atropine.” Chia, Lu, Tan: Ophthalmology 2016



# What means “Less side effects” ?

Table 4. Changes in Pupil Size, Accommodation, and Visual Acuity in Children within Different Atropine Groups (0.01%, 0.1%, and 0.5%) Who Were Re-treated and Who Did Not Require Re-treatment

Re-t Atropine 0.01% (N = 17)	Untreated Children					
	Atropine 0.5% (N = 93)	P Value	Atropine 0.01% (N = 53)	Atropine 0.1% (N = 57)	Atropine 0.5% (N = 43)	P Value
Photopic pupil size, mm, mean (SD)						
Screening	3.93 (0.56)		3.89 (0.58)	3.86 (0.67)	4.02 (0.60)	0.363
24 mos	5.18 (1.02)	<0.001	5.02 (0.92)	6.46 (1.07)	7.28 (1.46)	<0.001
36 mos	3.78 (0.58)	0.993	3.73 (0.58)	3.59 (0.49)	3.74 (0.47)	0.193
48 mos	4.89 (0.99)	0.775	3.63 (0.52)	3.59 (0.51)	3.68 (0.40)	0.633
60 mos	5.13 (0.89)	0.275	3.58 (0.59)	3.48 (0.49)	3.58 (0.46)	0.448
Final visit	5.01 (0.59)	0.264	3.58 (0.59)	3.48 (0.49)	3.58 (0.46)	0.448
Accommodation, D, mean (SD)						
Screening	17.29 (3.24)		0.059	0.03 (0.06)	0.02 (0.07)	0.440
24 mos	10.88 (4.01)	<0.001	0.01 (0.07)	0.07 (0.12)	0.27 (0.22)	<0.001
36 mos	12.55 (2.49)	0.434	-0.02 (0.05)	-0.02 (0.06)	-0.02 (0.06)	0.676
48 mos	11.37 (3.21)	0.728	-0.01 (0.05)	-0.02 (0.06)	-0.03 (0.06)	0.049
60 mos	11.01 (3.20)	0.535	-0.02 (0.05)	-0.02 (0.06)	-0.04 (0.05)	0.191
Final visit	15.44 (2.48)	0.451	-0.02 (0.05)	-0.02 (0.06)	-0.04 (0.05)	0.191

(Table 4). On restarting atropine 0.01%, there was a mean increase in photopic pupil size of approximately 1 mm and a loss of accommodation of 2.00 to 3.00 D, which were similar to the change noted in eyes treated with atropine 0.01% during phase 1 (Table 4). These mild side effects were deemed clinically insignificant, because there was no change or loss in distance or near visual acuity. Children were offered progressive addition

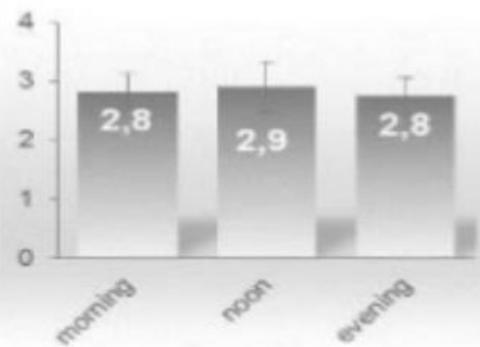
D = diopters; logMAR = logarithm of the minimum angle of resolution; SD = standard deviation.

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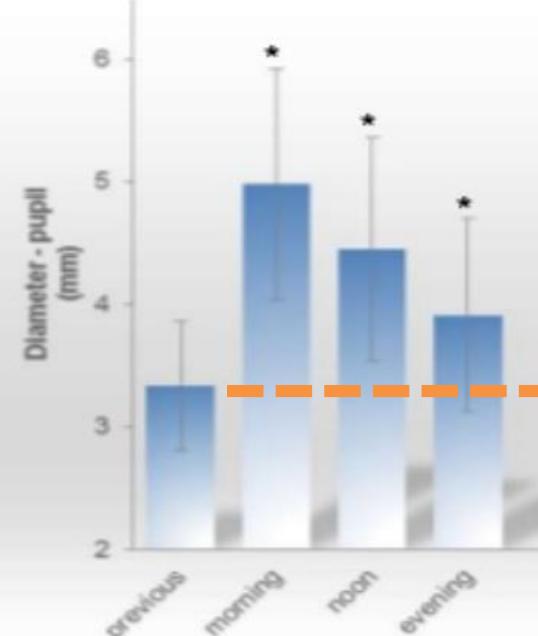
## Atropin – kurzfristige Veränderungen (1) Pupillenweite

photopic

Control



0,01%



**3.2mm → 4.5mm = 40% grösser**

**10.24mm<sup>2</sup> → 20.25mm<sup>2</sup> = 98% grösser**

# The Synergistic Effects of Orthokeratology and Atropine in Slowing the Progression of Myopia

**Table 2.** The effect of 0.125% and 0.025% atropine on orthokeratology (OK)-treated patients with spherical equivalent  $\geq 6$  D.

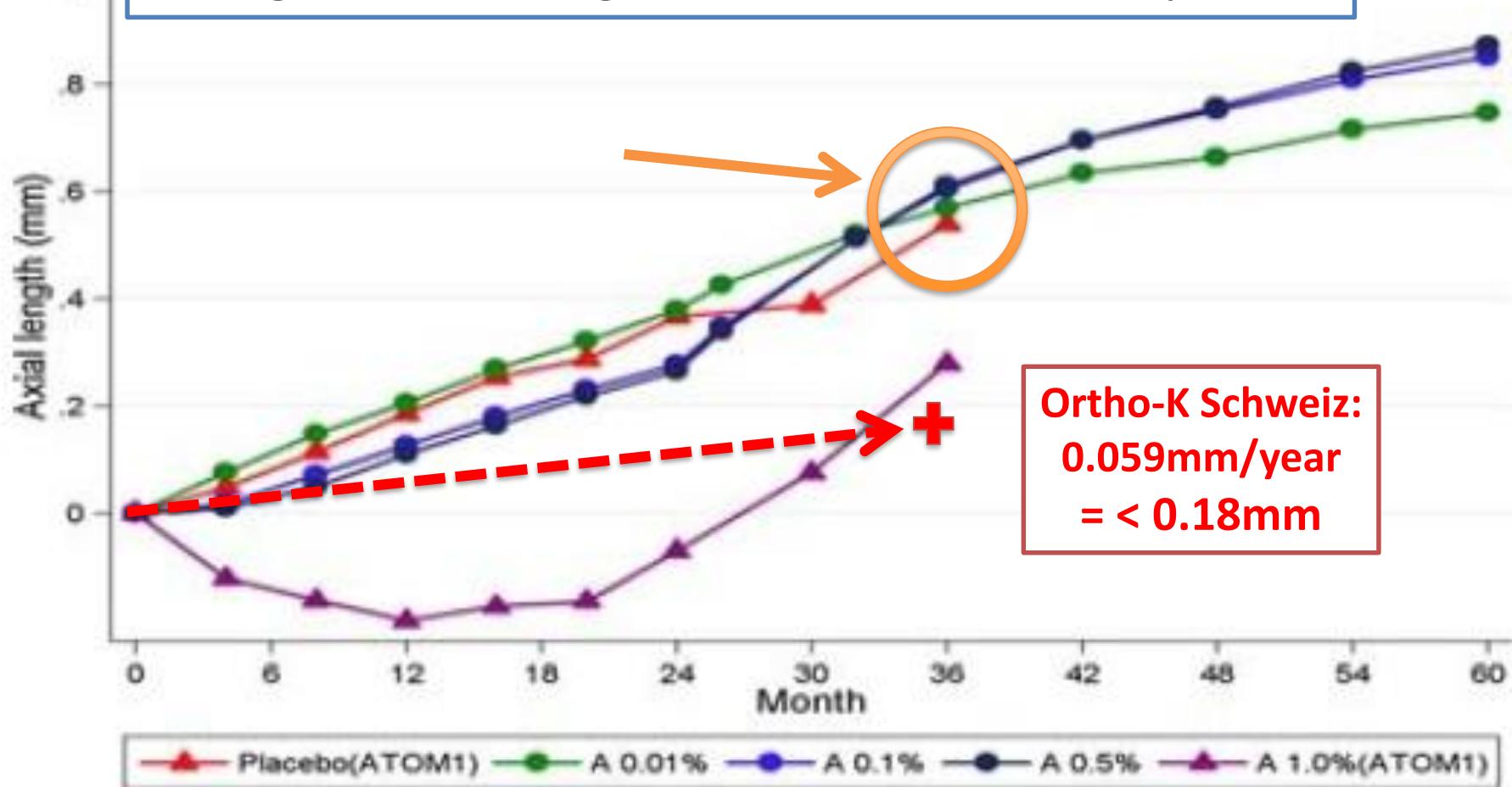
	Atropine (0.125%)		<i>p</i> -Value	Atropine (0.025%)		<i>p</i> -Value
	Yes (OA3) (N = 24)	No (OK3) (N = 29)		Yes (OA4) (N = 20)	No (OK4) (N = 20)	
<b>Age</b>	11.0 $\pm$ 1.8	10.8 $\pm$ 1.8	>0.05	10.8 $\pm$ 1.2	10.9 $\pm$ 1.3	>0.05
<b>Female: male #</b>	1:1	1.07:1		1:1	1:1	
<b>Axial length (mm)</b>						
Baseline	25.21 $\pm$ 1.35	25.29 $\pm$ 1.78	>0.05	25.28 $\pm$ 1.53	25.65 $\pm$ 1.67	>0.05
2 years	25.78 $\pm$ 1.46	25.93 $\pm$ 1.94	0.021	25.86 $\pm$ 1.21	26.05 $\pm$ 1.57	0.011
Difference in axial length	0.57 $\pm$ 0.17	0.64 $\pm$ 0.14	0.015	0.58 $\pm$ 0.08	0.4 $\pm$ 0.15	0.023
<b>Spherical equivalent (D)</b>						
Baseline	6.75 $\pm$ 1.5	6.75 $\pm$ 1.5	>0.05	6.63 $\pm$ 1.56	6.67 $\pm$ 1.73	>0.05
2 years	7.0 $\pm$ 0.5	7.2 $\pm$ 0.75	0.028	7.12 $\pm$ 1.83	7.32 $\pm$ 1.87	0.027
<b>Photopic pupil diameter</b>						
Baseline	3.9 $\pm$ 0.5	3.8 $\pm$ 0.7	>0.05	3.8 $\pm$ 0.57	3.6 $\pm$ 0.63	>0.05
2 years	6.6 $\pm$ 0.4	3.5 $\pm$ 0.6	<0.001	6.0 $\pm$ 0.7	3.7 $\pm$ 0.5	<0.001
<b>Mesopic pupil diameter</b>						
Baseline	4.8 $\pm$ 0.6	4.5 $\pm$ 0.7	>0.05	4.8 $\pm$ 0.5	4.7 $\pm$ 0.6	>0.05
2 years	6.9 $\pm$ 0.6	4.5 $\pm$ 0.8	<0.001	6.8 $\pm$ 0.6	4.8 $\pm$ 0.5	<0.001

- Significant increase of pupil size with Atropine: 206% to 286%

# Atropine (1% vs 0.5% vs 0.1% vs 0.01%)

ATOM 2 Study

Change of axial length over the 60 months period

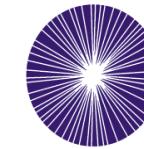


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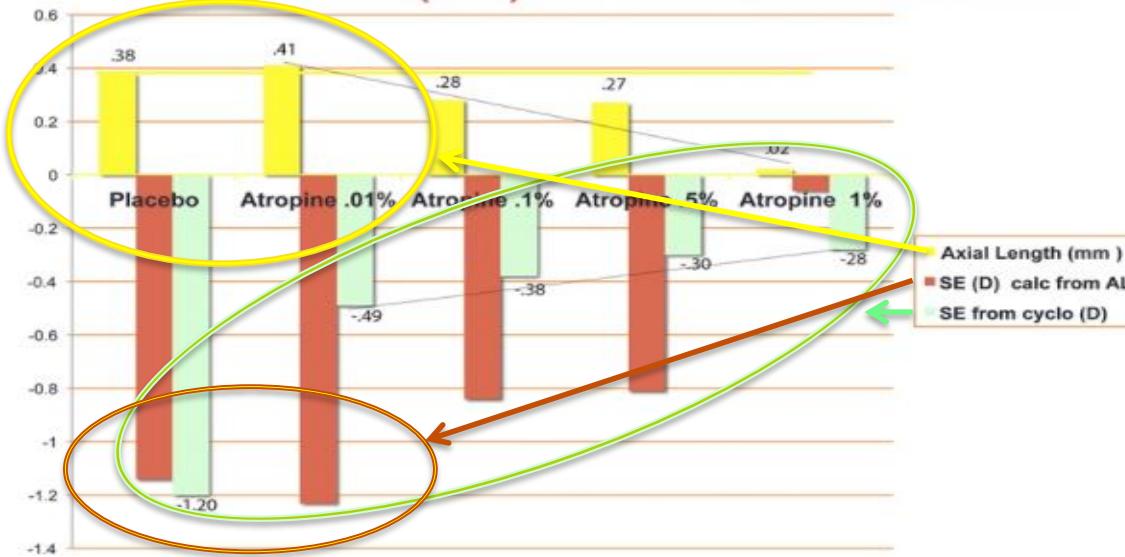
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FIG. 10.

### Changes in Axial Length and Spherical Equivalent (SE) Over 2 Years of Time



Changes in AL and SPH EQ after 2 years of treatment. Figure 10 depicts the changes in axial length in millimeters (yellow bars going up); spherical equivalent in diopters calculated from the derived from the ATOM 1 study for atropine 1% and placebo and ATOM 2 for atropine 0.01%, 0.1%, and 0.5%, respectively. It is readily apparent that there is no real difference between axial length measurements after 24 months between placebo and atropine 0.01%; moderate changes with atropine 0.1% and 0.5%; and dramatic changes with atropine 1% (yellow bars). However, the effect of atropine 0.01% and atropine 1% is not nearly as great as the concentration differences.

# What do we learn ?

**Dosis, Dosis, Dosis !**

Reduction of myopia progression (SE)



Reduction of axial lenght grow (AL)

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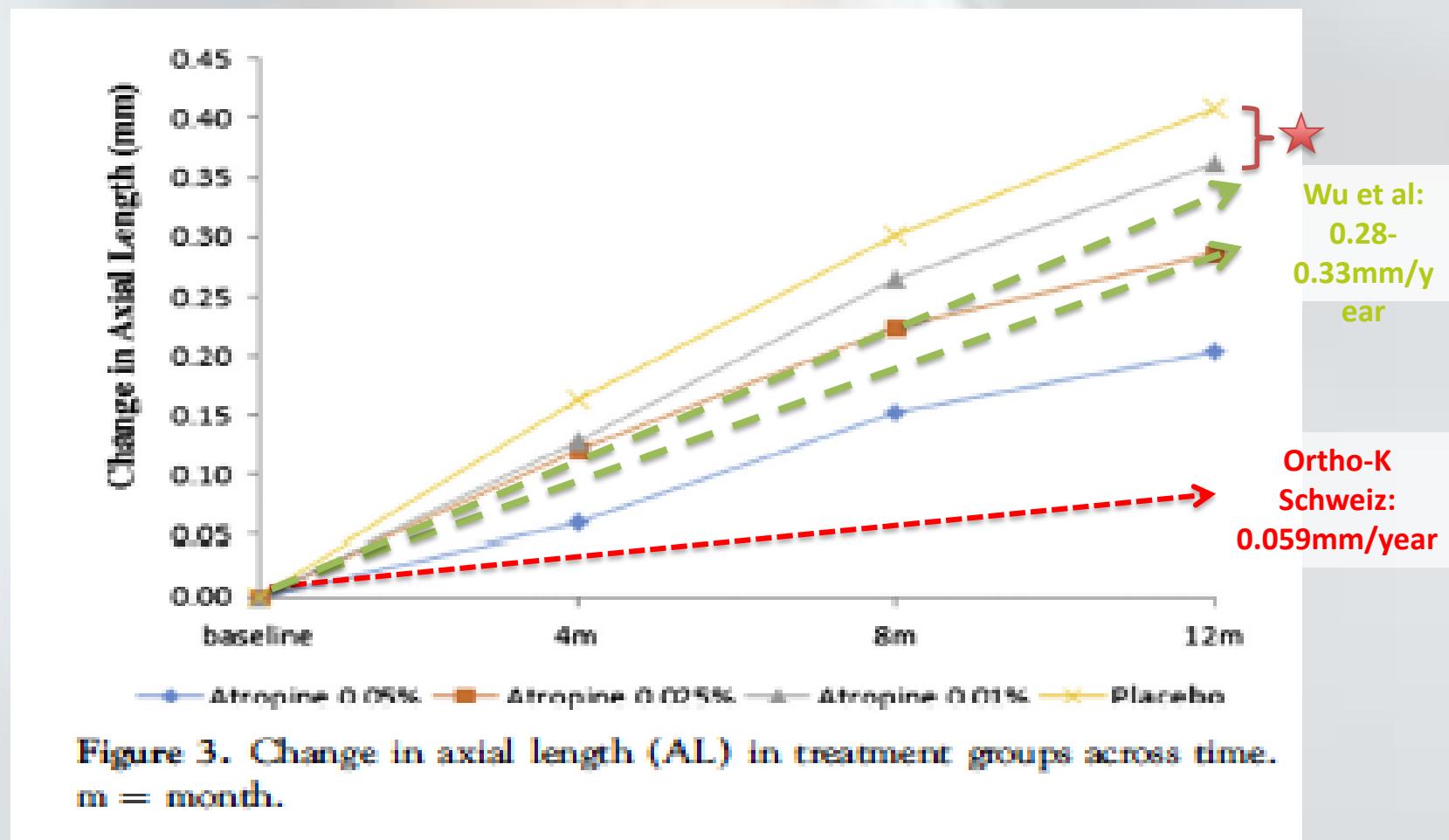
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It should be noted that the difference of AL changes between the 0.01% atropine and placebo groups in our study also was not significant, which was consistent with the AL results of ATOM 2. The efficacy of 0.01%

# Ortho-Keratology and Safety

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## Myopia Control in Children through Refractive Therapy Gas Permeable Contact Lenses: Is it for Real?

Bruce H. Koffler , James J. Sears

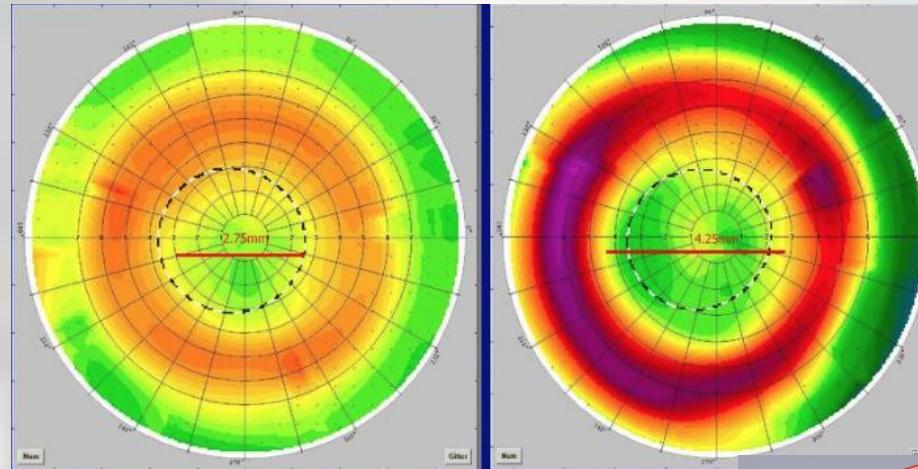
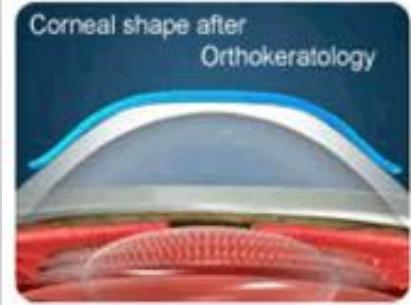
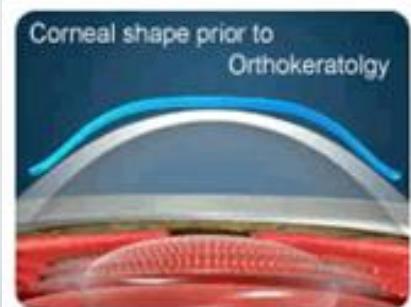
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### Conclusions

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# Ortho-Keratology

Controlled corneal topographical reformation to correct ammetropia temporarily



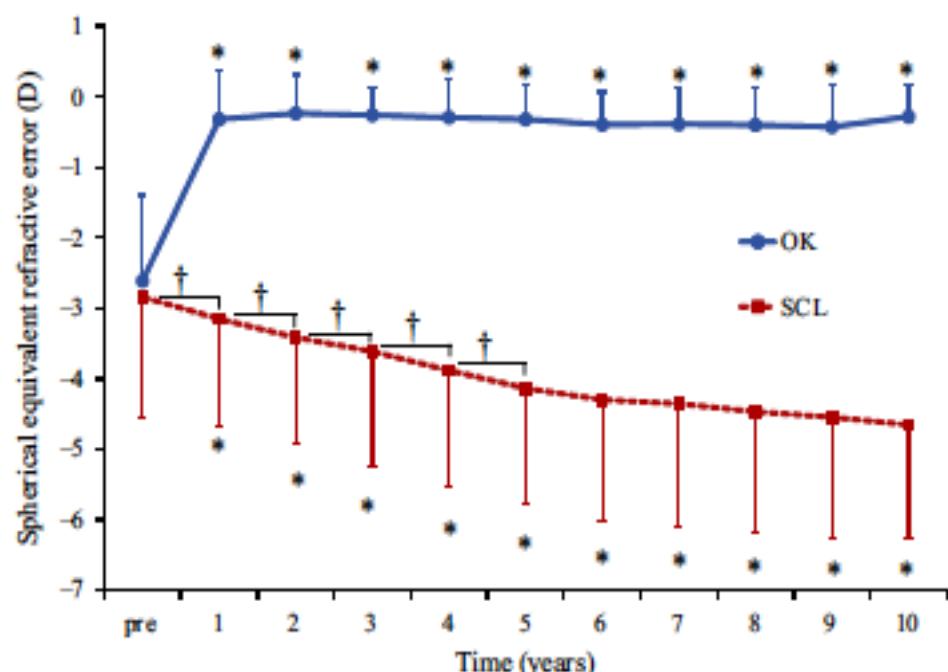


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## Empfehlungen bei progredienter Myopie im Kindes- und Jugendalter

Stellungnahme von DOG und BVA. Stand Dezember 2018

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Vergleichbare progressionsmindernde Effekte von bis zu 50 % werden der Orthokeratologie nachgesagt [28–30].

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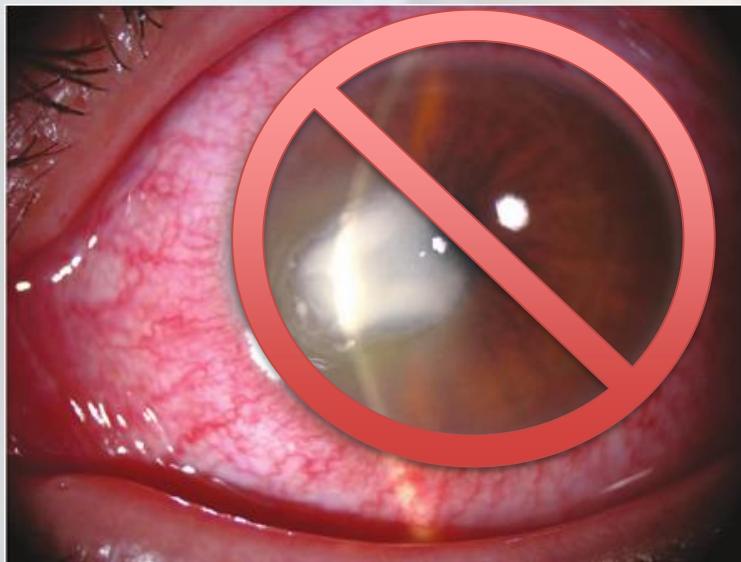
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### Infectious keratitis and orthokeratology lens use: a systematic review.

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173 cases\* (>85% by <2010)

Case reports and series 2002 – 2010/16

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## Level of Compliance in Orthokeratology

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**Conclusions:** The level of compliance with ortho-k lens wear in Mainland China is not high, necessitating ECPs to stress to patients the details of wear and care behaviors, especially avoiding exposing lenses to nonsterile solution. Improving monitoring of follow-up visits, particularly within the first 9 months of wearing ortho-k lenses, is needed.

# Does Ortho-K fitting quality matters ?

China, July 2018

OK fitting rally, 5 clinics in 3 weeks

150-300 patients per day !



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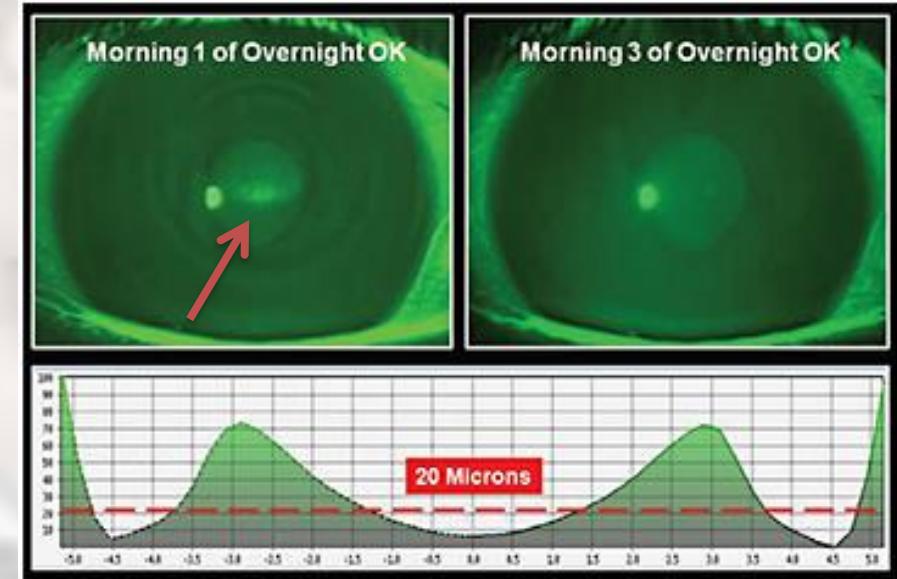
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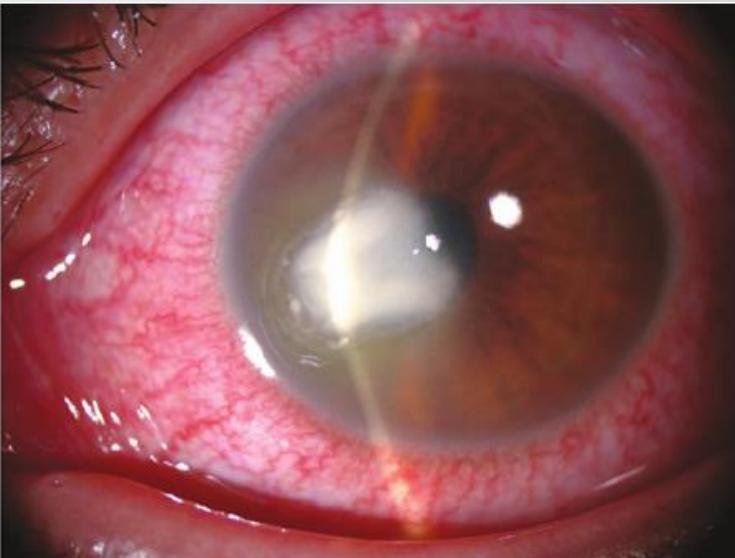
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Orthokeratologie darf nur von Fachleuten durchgeführt werden. Bisher wird sie erst von wenigen Optometristen angewendet und ist kostenintensiv was ihre Anwendung begrenzt. Darüber hinaus besteht bei dieser Behandlungsform ein Infektionsrisiko. In orientalischen Ländern kam es häufig zu Infektionen, jedoch nur, weil dort die Hygieneregeln nicht korrekt befolgt wurden, und die Methode von Nichtfachleuten unsachgemäß angewendet wurde.

Bei uns hingegen werden die Hygienevorschriften im Allgemeinen beachtet und Anweisungen der Fachleute besser eingehalten. Überdies sind Optometristen, die diese Behandlungsmethode anbieten, seriöse Fachpersonen. Zudem verfügen die heutigen Kontaktlinsen über eine hohe Sauerstoffpermeabilität, wodurch die Hornhaut ausreichend mit Sauerstoff versorgt wird.



**Figure 1** Acute-onset postoperative endophthalmitis (note the sutured corneal wound and hypopyon).

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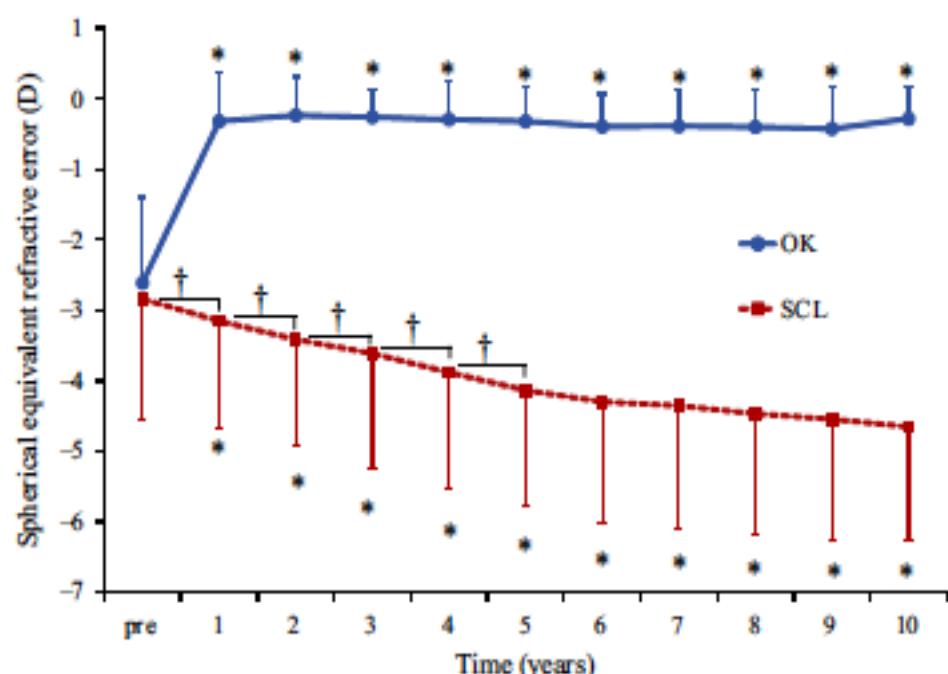


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## Effect of Orthokeratology on Axial Length Elongation in Anisomyopic Children.

Zhang Y<sup>1</sup>, Chen Y.

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	More myopic eyes (n = 49)	Less myopic eyes (n = 49)	P
Baseline axial length (mm)	25.33 ± 0.87	24.61 ± 0.86	<.0001
1-y axial length (mm)	25.36 ± 0.86	24.73 ± 0.84	<.0001
2-y axial length (mm)	25.42 ± 0.92	24.86 ± 0.89	<.0001
1-y axial elongation (mm)*	0.03	0.10	<.0001
2-y axial elongation (mm)*	0.08	0.20	.001

\*Axial elongation data are presented as median values.

**TABLE 4.** Axial length and axial length elongation in the anisomyopic spectacle group (mean/ $\bar{x} \pm SD$ )

	More myopic eyes (n = 49)	Less myopic eyes (n = 49)	P
Baseline axial length (mm)	25.32 ± 0.75	24.59 ± 0.87	<.0001
1-y axial length (mm)	25.57 ± 0.83	24.83 ± 0.82	<.0001
2-y axial length (mm)	25.79 ± 0.90	25.01 ± 0.78	<.0001
1-y axial elongation (mm)*	0.24	0.22	.26
2-y axial elongation (mm)*	0.46	0.43	.32

\*Axial elongation data are presented as median values.

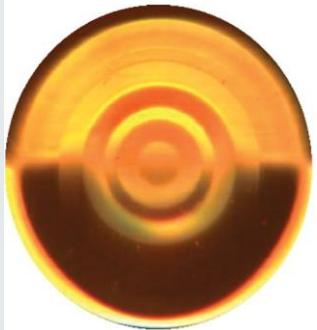
# Ortho-Keratology

fifth ( $P = 0.8633$ ) years. There were no severe complications throughout the study period.

**CONCLUSIONS.** The current 5-year follow-up study indicated that OK can suppress axial length elongation in childhood myopia.  
*(Invest Ophthalmol Vis Sci. 2012;53:3913-3919)* DOI:  
10.1167/iovs.11-8453

- Safe and efficient (Hiraoka et al.: IOVS 2012)
- No CL or glasses during daytime
- No pupil size, pupil dynamics or accommodation change
- Maximum effect of all CL therapies on axial length growth inhibition
- Children are well suitable for Ortho-K

# Soft daily disposable contact lens



**MiSight** (COOPER Vision) "Dual-Focus Lens"



Lloyd's Register  
LRQA

## **EC CERTIFICATE – FULL QUALITY ASSURANCE SYSTEM**

In accordance with the requirements of the Medical Devices Directive 93/42/EEC and the Medical Devices Regulations 2002, UK Statutory Instrument 2002 No. 618

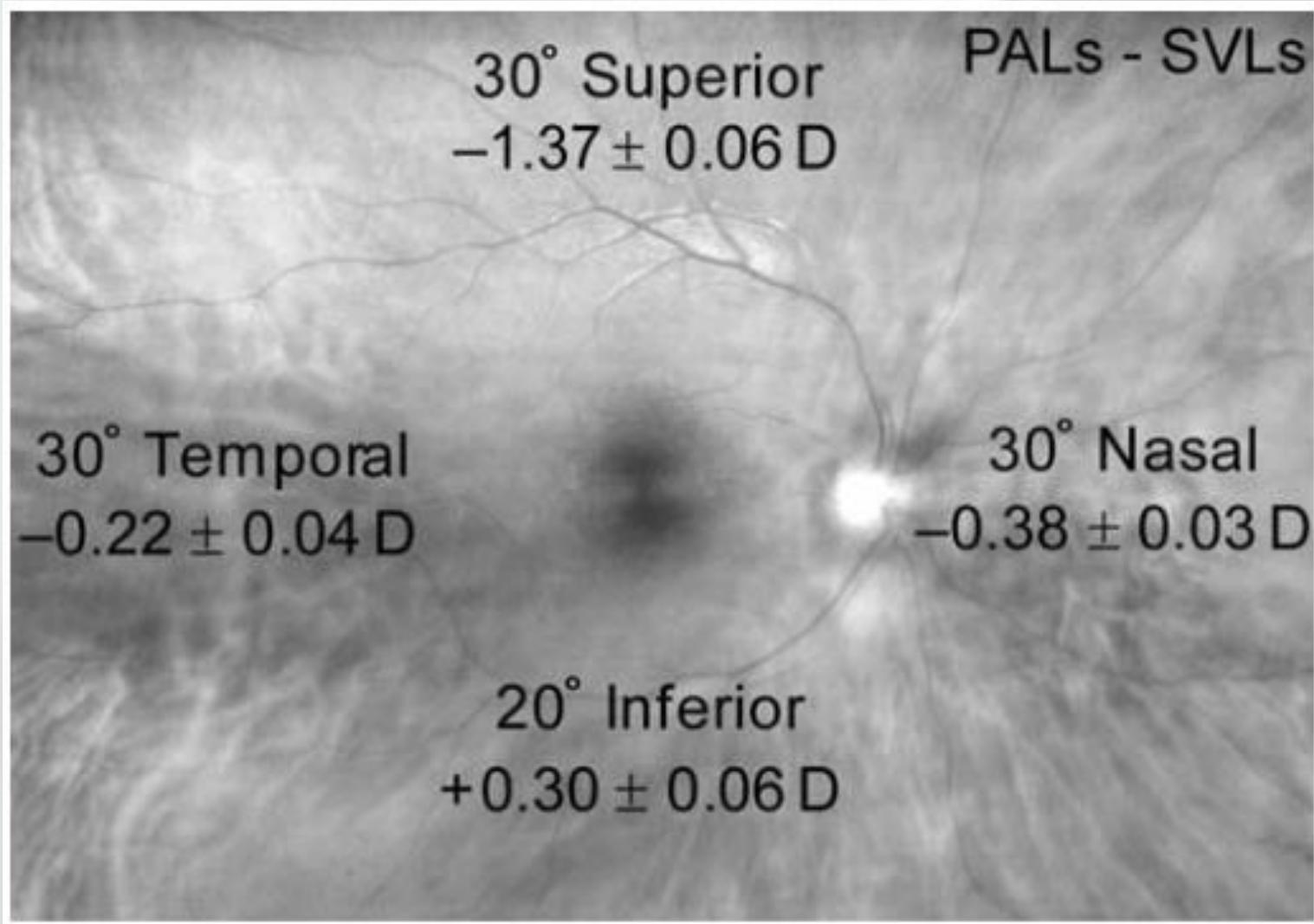
## **Soft (hydrophilic) contact lens products for the control of myopia:**

Omafilcon A soft contact lens products for daily disposable wear

Somofilcon A soft contact lens products for daily disposable wear



# Retinaler Defocus mit PAL (Gleitsichtglas)



Berntsen, Barr, Mutti, Zadnik: IOVS 2013

# Atropine AND Contact Lenses

	Wirkungsweise	Effekt nachgewiesen	Einfachheit der Anwendung	Kosten	Medikamentöse Nebenwirkungen	Optische Nebenwirkungen	Rebound Effekt nach Absetzen	Zulassung (zur chron. Anwendung)	Risiko	Eltern
Atropin 0.01% - 1%	Muscarin-antagonist	+ bis +/- Atropin 0.01% bis 0.05% ++ Atropin 0.5% bis 1%	++	++	+ ohne KS +/- mit KS (BAC !)	+/- Atropin 0.01% bis 0.05% - bis -- Atropin 0.5% bis 1%	+ Atropin 0.01% - bis -- Atropin 0.5% bis 1%	- (++) FDA evt. 2020	++ ohne KS	Chronische Medikamentengabe Unverträglichkeit
Kontaktlinsen	Korrektur des zentralen und peripheren Defokus	+ Ortho-K (+/-) MiSight +/- PDMCL	+ Ortho-K ++ MiSight + PDMCL	+/- Ortho-K + MiSight + PDMCL	+ Ortho-K (Peroxid) ++ MiSight + PDMCL (Peroxid)	+ Ortho-K + MiSight + PDMCL	- (< 14 jährig) + > 16 jährig	+ Ortho-K ++ MiSight - +/- PDMCL	+ Ortho-K ++ MiSight + PDMCL	Handhabung Kontaktlinse Sicherheit Kosten

# Synergy: Atropin **AND** Contact Lens



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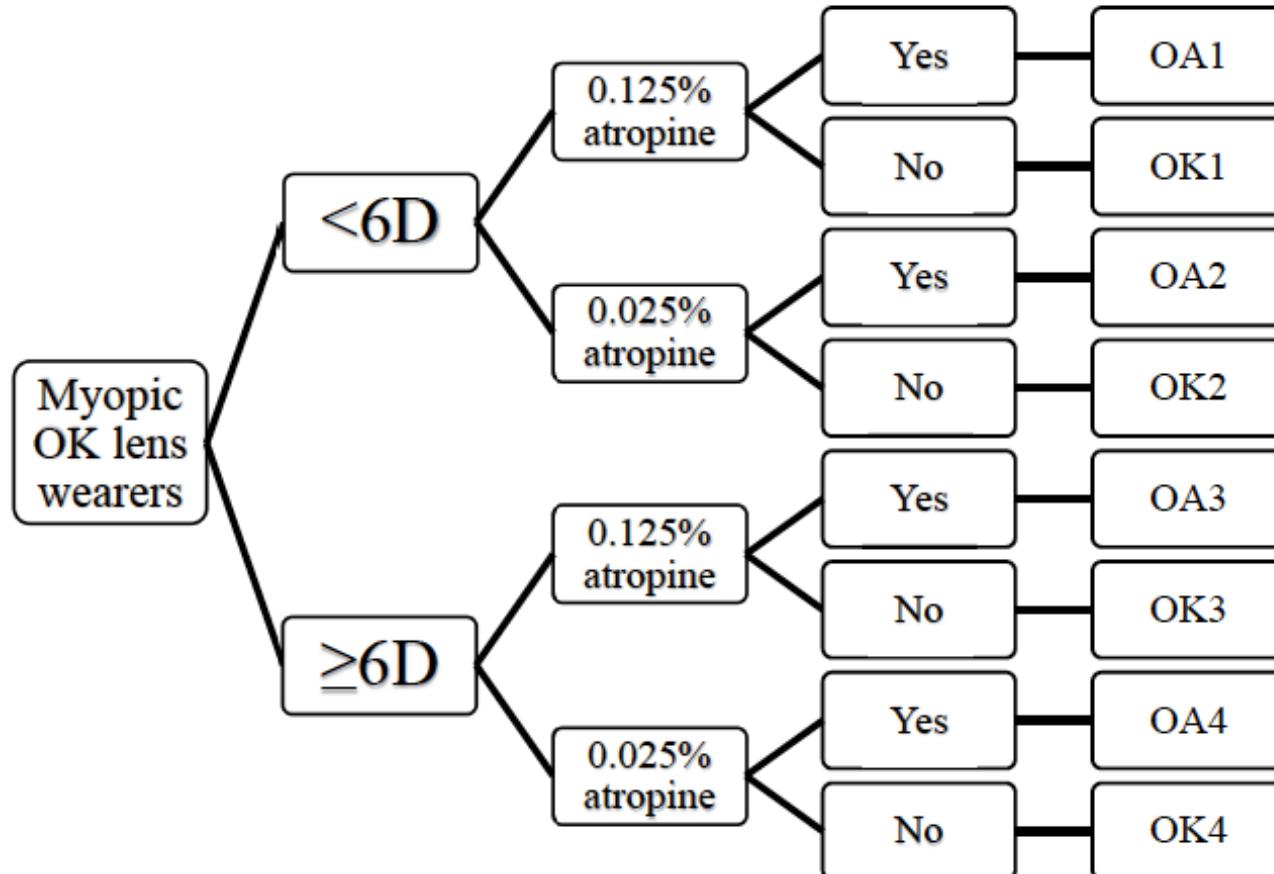


Figure 1. Treatments and groupings of subjects (OK—orthokeratology; OA—orthokeratology + atropine).

# Synergy: Atropin **AND** Contact Lens

**Table 1.** The effect of 0.125% and 0.025% atropine on orthokeratology (OK)-treated patients with spherical equivalent <6 D.

	Atropine (0.125%)		<i>p</i> -Value	Atropine (0.025%)		<i>p</i> -Value
	Yes (OA1) (N = 20)	No (OK1) (N = 26)		Yes (OA2) (N = 20)	No (OK2) (N = 20)	
Age	10.6 ± 1.2	10.2 ± 1.7	>0.05	10.4 ± 1.3	10.3 ± 1.4	>0.05
Female: male #	1:1	1:1		1:1	1:1	
Axial length (mm)						
Baseline	24.12 ± 1.28	24.32 ± 1.53	>0.05	24.08 ± 1.31	24.19 ± 1.24	>0.05
 2 years	24.67 ± 1.55	24.9 ± 1.98	0.042	24.72 ± 1.53	25.01 ± 1.26	0.031
Difference in axial length	0.55 ± 0.12	0.58 ± 0.09	0.022	0.65 ± 0.18	0.83 ± 0.16	0.029
Spherical equivalent (D)						
Baseline	4.25 ± 1.75	4.25 ± 1.25	>0.05	4.53 ± 1.23	4.63 ± 1.35	>0.05
2 years	4.75 ± 0.75	4.8 ± 0.5	0.041	4.83 ± 1.12	5.13 ± 1.56	0.039
Accommodation						
Baseline	16.2 ± 3.1	16.7 ± 3.4	>0.05	16.3 ± 3.2	16.5 ± 3.4	>0.05
2 years	4.2 ± 2.7	16.3 ± 3.2	<0.001	4.6 ± 1.56	16.4 ± 3.2	<0.001

- Additional positive effect in 3 of 4 groups

# Synergy: Atropin **AND** Contact Lens

Table 2. The effect of 0.125% and 0.025% atropine on orthokeratology (OK)-treated patients with spherical equivalent  $\geq 6$  D.

	Atropine (0.125%)		<i>p</i> -Value	Atropine (0.025%)		<i>p</i> -Value
	Yes (OA3) (N = 24)	No (OK3) (N = 29)		Yes (OA4) (N = 20)	No (OK4) (N = 20)	
Age	11.0 $\pm$ 1.8	10.8 $\pm$ 1.8	>0.05	10.8 $\pm$ 1.2	10.9 $\pm$ 1.3	>0.05
Female: male #	1:1	1.07:1		1:1	1:1	
Axial length (mm)						
Baseline	25.21 $\pm$ 1.35	25.29 $\pm$ 1.78	>0.05	25.28 $\pm$ 1.53	25.65 $\pm$ 1.67	>0.05
2 years	25.78 $\pm$ 1.40	25.93 $\pm$ 1.94	0.021	25.86 $\pm$ 1.21	26.05 $\pm$ 1.57	0.011
Difference in axial length	0.57 $\pm$ 0.17	0.64 $\pm$ 0.14	0.015	0.58 $\pm$ 0.08	0.4 $\pm$ 0.15	0.023
Spherical equivalent (D)						
Baseline	6.75 $\pm$ 1.5	6.75 $\pm$ 1.5	>0.05	6.63 $\pm$ 1.56	6.67 $\pm$ 1.73	>0.05
2 years	7.0 $\pm$ 0.5	7.2 $\pm$ 0.75	0.028	7.12 $\pm$ 1.83	7.32 $\pm$ 1.87	0.027
Accommodation						
Baseline	16.6 $\pm$ 2.7	16.6 $\pm$ 2.2	>0.05	16.6 $\pm$ 2.6	16.6 $\pm$ 2.1	>0.05
2 years	3.8 $\pm$ 2.9	15.9 $\pm$ 3.8	<0.001	3.9 $\pm$ 2.01	16.6 $\pm$ 2.9	<0.001

- Additional positive effect in 3 of 4 groups
- Significant reduction of accommodation from 16D to 4D

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	Yes (OA3) (N = 24)	No (OK3) (N = 29)		Yes (OA4) (N = 20)	No (OK4) (N = 20)	
<b>Age</b>	11.0 $\pm$ 1.8	10.8 $\pm$ 1.8	>0.05	10.8 $\pm$ 1.2	10.9 $\pm$ 1.3	>0.05
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Baseline	25.21 $\pm$ 1.35	25.29 $\pm$ 1.78	>0.05	25.28 $\pm$ 1.53	25.65 $\pm$ 1.67	>0.05
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2 years	7.0 $\pm$ 0.5	7.2 $\pm$ 0.75	0.028	7.12 $\pm$ 1.83	7.32 $\pm$ 1.87	0.027
<b>Photopic pupil diameter</b>						
Baseline	3.9 $\pm$ 0.5	3.8 $\pm$ 0.7	>0.05	3.8 $\pm$ 0.57	3.6 $\pm$ 0.63	>0.05
2 years	6.6 $\pm$ 0.4	3.5 $\pm$ 0.6	<0.001	6.0 $\pm$ 0.7	3.7 $\pm$ 0.5	<0.001
<b>Mesopic pupil diameter</b>						
Baseline	4.8 $\pm$ 0.6	4.5 $\pm$ 0.7	>0.05	4.8 $\pm$ 0.5	4.7 $\pm$ 0.6	>0.05
2 years	6.9 $\pm$ 0.6	4.5 $\pm$ 0.8	<0.001	6.8 $\pm$ 0.6	4.8 $\pm$ 0.5	<0.001

- Significant increase of pupil area with Atropine: + 135% to 256%

# The Shelter-Principle in Myopia Management

Consequent aftercare and co-operation

Update  
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Atropine  
0.01-0.05%

**AGE** e.g. 5 – 9+ yo

Outdoor  
Sunlight

0 – >16 yo

Contact  
Lenses

e.g. 8 – >16 yo

## Der Ophthalmologe

Leitlinien, Stellungnahmen und Empfehlungen



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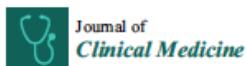
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REVIEW ARTICLE

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## Refraktion und Kontaktlinsen

Dr. med. Albert Franceschetti

Präsident der Kontaktlinsenkommission der Schweizerischen Ophthalmologischen Gesellschaft, Meyrin



Myopie ist weltweit ein ernsthaftes Problem. Zwei Behandlungsmethoden gelten als wirksam. Bei weichen Kontaktlinsen gibt es drei Fehler, die es zu vermeiden gilt.

2 Übersicht



## Myopie-Progression: Aktueller Stand der Forschung

Michael Bartschi, Bern

### Epidemiologie

Weltweit liegt die Prävalenz der Myopie bei 10–30 % in Ozeanien, Afrika und Südamerika, bei 30–40 % in Europa,

verbrachte Zeit<sup>14,18</sup> oder Exposition bestimmter Wellenlängen<sup>16,19</sup>, der refraktive Fehler (peripherer Defokus<sup>20,21</sup> und Accommodation/Konvergenz<sup>22</sup>) und der Ausbildungsgrad.<sup>2,8</sup>

In der Entwicklung/Erprobung befindliche refraktive oder visual-therapeutische Verfahren:  
– Brillengläser (MyoSmart und MyoVision)

# Single dose Atropine in CH ?

- **Bichsel Laboratorium Interlaken**

oder

- **TopPharm Apotheke Meyer Sursee**

# What we learned so far

Myopia progression is :

- Multifactorial and strongly related to age
- Potentially pathological for growing eyeballs
- Evidence based and clinically proven efficient strategies/therapies exist
- Sunlight works mainly during emmetropization phase, very weak correlation for inhibition in already myopic eyes
- Optimal sunlight/outdoors hours from 8 to 14
- Smart phones are less a risk
- **Combination of low dose Atropine and CL works the best**



# Conclusion / Take Home

- Act EARLY / young and consequent !
- Inform child and parents neutral and evidence based
- Choose the right therapy depending the age, the actual myopia, the progression rate and the attitude of the parents and the child.
- **Adjust and combine strategies over time !**
- Co-operation of Ophthalmologist and Optometrist is evident



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# Voting:

Will you practicing myopia management  
in the future ?

- A. Yes, more than before
- B. Yes, but less than before
- C. No
- D. Uncertain