



## Handbook of Optics: For Students of Ophthalmology (Paperback)

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Createspace, United States, 2015. Paperback. Condition: New. Language: English . Brand New Book \*\*\*\*\* Print on Demand \*\*\*\*\*. That a thorough knowledge of optics is the best foundation for the proud edifice of ophthalmology there can be no doubt. The usual textbooks of physical optics always contain a good many things that do not directly concern the beginner in ophthalmology, and on the other hand they frequently omit points about which he desires to obtain full information. A book, therefore, in which there is presented that part of the optics which pertains directly to ophthalmology must be welcome to the oculist. Such is the character of the book that has been written by Dr. Souter who is to be congratulated on his work. Concerning his intentions the author says in the preface: Simplicity has been sought so far as this is not incompatible with thoroughness; for whosoever would become versed in ophthalmology as a science must, in the beginning, make the mental effort necessary to acquire a clear understanding of the refraction of light through a compound optical system, such as the eye. The author has succeeded phenomenally in setting forth clearly some of the highest problems of physiologic optics, and...

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