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Crowding for Optometrists

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Abstract

Crowding is ubiquitous in human vision. For optometrists it is the familiar reduction in visual acuity in the presence of neighbouring contours or flanking letters and is most obvious when visual acuity is measured using full visual acuity charts. In this talk I will review some of the literature on the crowding effect in relation to visual acuity and describe recent research in our laboratory investigating crowding and visual acuity in both adults and children.

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