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PREFACE

This Standard was prepared by the Joint Standards Australia/Standards New Zealand Committee MS-024, Spectacles, to supersede AS/NZS ISO 13666:2011.

The objective of this Standard is to define basic terms relating to ophthalmic optics.

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Ophthalmic optics—Spectacle lenses—Vocabulary**1 Scope**

This International Standard defines basic terms relating to ophthalmic optics, specifically to semi-finished spectacle lens blanks, finished spectacle lenses and fitting purposes.

Terms relating to processes and material for fabrication and surface treatment (other than some specific terms relating to coatings, which are defined in Clause 16) and terms relating to defects in materials and after optical processing are given in ISO 9802.

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