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PART 1: Review Comments

	Reviewer's comment	Author's comment <i>(if agreed with reviewer, correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)</i>
Compulsory REVISION comments	<p>Introduction: Line 40-42: you state that “drugs” and “ diabetes” with the other factors influence pupil size, however, there is no appropriate reference for “drugs” and “diabetes”.</p> <p>Materials and Methods: Excluding criteria: Did you include/exclude subjects who have retinal or optic pathologies and other ocular pathologies such as glaucoma, ocular surgeries and neuro-psychiatric diseases in XFS or control groups? Please clarify. Were the subjects allowed for 3 minutes to adapt to the lighting condition for the first measurement or all inter measurements?</p> <p>Discussion: Line 111: The reference of 13 is not appropriate. You can use “Altan C, Kaya V, Basarir B, Celik U, Azman E, Akar S, Demirok A, Yilmaz OF. Comparison of 3 pupillometers for determining scotopic pupil diameter. Eur J Ophthalmol. 2012 Apr 23;22(6):904-910” and “Brown SM¹, Bradley JC. Comparison of 2 monocular pupillometers and an autorefractor for measurement of the dark-adapted pupil diameter. J Cataract Refract Surg. 2011 Apr;37(4):660-4.” instead of 12. and 13.</p>	<p>-Because it contains “drugs” and “diabetes” in introduction part in all literatures. (reference: 5-8).</p> <p>-Thank you for your attention. We made corrections. Retinal or optic pathologies and other ocular pathologies such as glaucoma, ocular surgeries and neuro-psychiatric diseases in XFS or control groups were excluded in our study.</p> <p>-It was defined in line 63.</p> <p>-Because these names' articles are original for this issue, we have prefered to refer them. Altan and Brown have refered to the references 12 and 13.</p> <p>- Rosen ES (reference 12) mentioned that comparison of other devices in discussion part. Because of this reason, we used this reference.</p>



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	<p>references. Line 117: the reference of 12 is not appropriate. Line 137: the reference of 21 is not appropriate.</p> <p>Line 147,148:”We did not find studies investigating pupil measurements using IR pupillometer.”??? Did you mean that you did not find studies investigating pupil measurements using IR pupillometer in pseudoexfoliative patients?</p> <p>The manuscript should be reviewed again in respect to grammatical errors.</p>	<p>-It was cited in A. Taskiran Comez’s article (page: 1230, 7th sentence).</p> <p>-I made literature research. There is no study about this issue.</p> <p>-We made corrections.</p>
<u>Minor</u> REVISION comments	<p>Line 161: The first sentence may begin with “To our knowledge, this is the first study...” line 273, Table 1, it should be “groups” instead of “group”</p> <p>Table 2: The table shows mean pupil size, therefore the sentence should begin with “Mean pupil size...” and use “mean” in the abstract and the results.</p> <p>While expressing “p” value, the number of digits after comma should be equal.</p>	<p>-According to your comment, we made corrections. In addition to this, this sentence was moved to the first paragraph of discussion part. -Correction is done.</p> <p>-We made corrections.</p> <p>-Correction is done.</p>
<u>Optional/General</u> comments		<p>In the revised article, it was occurred some line changes due to the addition.</p>