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OCT: A Bright Future

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This year marks the 20th anniversary of the first description of optical coherence tomography (OCT) in the journal *Science* in November 1991.¹ The initial clinical system that was deployed at the New England Eye Center and Tufts University School of Medicine imaged more than 5,000 eyes. This system was used in the first studies of OCT of macular disease² and glaucoma.³ The development of spectral-domain optical coherence tomography (SD-OCT) has dramatically increased the quantitative and analytic capabilities of clinical OCT systems. In this issue of *Ophthalmic Surgery, Lasers & Imaging*, we present a comprehensive group of articles that review contemporary use of OCT for management of anterior segment disorders, glaucoma, and retinal disease. In addition, we present several articles that look forward to important new technologies, such as photoacoustic ophthalmoscopy.

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