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**ADMINISTRATION OF CONVERGENCE INSUFFICIENCY  
SYMPTOM SURVEY AMONG PROFESSIONAL PHOTOGRAPHERS**

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# **ABSTRACT**

**AIM:** The main purpose of this study to understand the convergence insufficiency symptoms using a convergence insufficiency symptom survey questionnaire among professional photographers.

**METHODOLOGY:** A cross-sectional questionnaire-based study was conducted on professional photographers of India from December 2021 – April 2022. This study was approved by the Institutional ethics committee. A total of 23 professional photographers participated in this study with an age range of 18-40 years. The questionnaire link was shared through the online mode along with the consent form. Subjects were instructed to respond as yes or put a tick mark in front of each option. The total score was then calculated by adding the individual scores from all questions.

**RESULT:** A total of 23 professional photographers participated in the study with a mean age of  $27.86 \pm 6.24$  years. The mean CISS score was found to  $53.65 \pm 38.22$ . According to the CISS score, 6(26.087%) photographers were found normal and 17 (73.91%) were had convergence insufficiency symptoms.

**CONCLUSION:** In this study, participants were found normal, and most participants had convergence insufficiency symptoms. The most common symptom was reported feeling sleepy while reading or doing close work.

**KEYWORDS:** Digital eye strain; Binocular vision anomalies; binocular vision dysfunction; Accommodative anomalies; computer vision syndrome; convergence insufficiency; vergence adaptation; Fusional vergence; Asthenopia; binocular vision; dry eye; eye strain; smartphones; reading.