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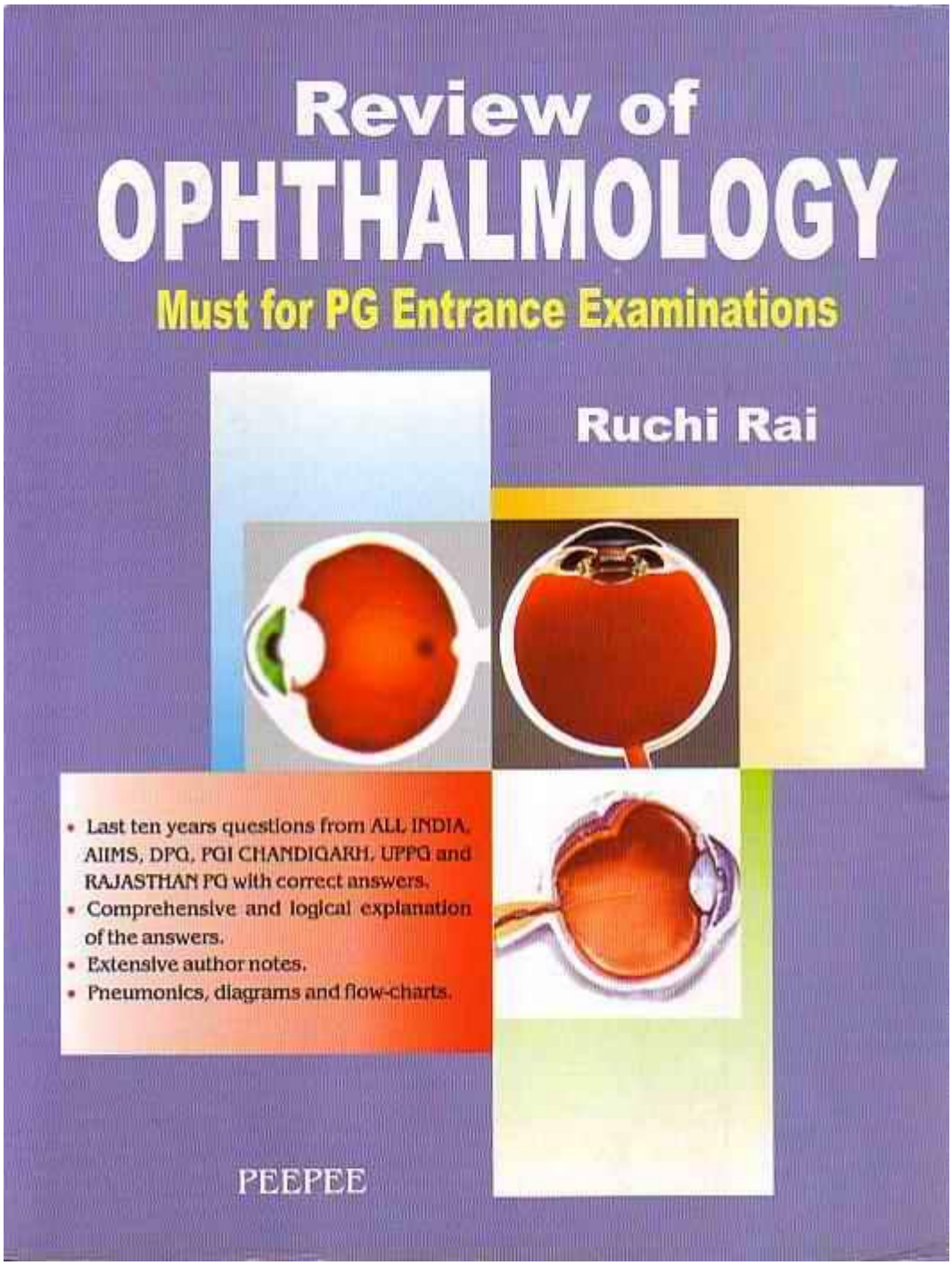

The first thought that comes to one's mind on looking at the book is that why another Ophthalmology book for the PG entrance exams? But as you go through it the only thought that comes to your mind is why any other book?

This is what I felt after going through the book. Although mainly focusing on Post-graduate examinations it also helps a lot during the Ophthalmology university examinations as MCQ's constitute 1/4th of the total marks of the theory exams and also helps in clearing a lot of basic concepts about the subject which are a must. The author Dr.Ruchi Rai has put in a lot of hard work and it seems that incorporated her vast teaching experience into a perfect blend in the form of this book.

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The collection of MCQs is exhaustive and covers all aspects of Ophthalmology. They are arranged according to the year and the PG exam which gives us a brief idea about the patter of questions that come in a particular exam.

The book offers you the opportunity to evaluate yourself before you take the final leap and suggest some very important facts that give you an edge over the others, and this is what matters in the entrance exams.

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But what's lacking in the book in an Index, and it becomes a bit of a time-consuming affair to search for a particular topic. Also the author could have provided a few blank pages for the reader to be able to write down his/her own notes, if required. But barring these two, the book seems to be complete in every sense.

To summarize in one line, "The book is a must have for any PG entrance exam as well as for the Ophthalmology university exams".

-Abhishek Bansal

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