## INTERNATIONAL YEAR OF LIGHT AND LIGHT-BASED TECHNOLOGIES

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The year 2015 has been declared by the General Assembly of the UNO as the International Year of Light and Light-based Technologies as these have important roles in the lives of the people in different ways and the year coincides with the anniversaries of a series of important milestones in the history of the science of light. In this article the applications of light in our daily life have been discussed. History of light has also been discussed briefly.