LCD "BLU trends" Oct'09



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What makes a GREAT LCD TV??

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LED lighting "systems" for your LCD TV can help in ALL of these METRICS!!

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- → LEDs can make better BLACKS, as well as broader color gamut and with regional dimming, lower power, improve MPRT and raise dynamic contrast as well !!!
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- → LEDs can make sets thinner and lighter and enable narrow bezels, etc.!
- 3) "Green" factors, such as low energy usage, less packaging, less heavy metals and waste, and more recyclability, etc.
- → LEDs have no mercury (unlike CCFLs) and can lower power usage, etc.

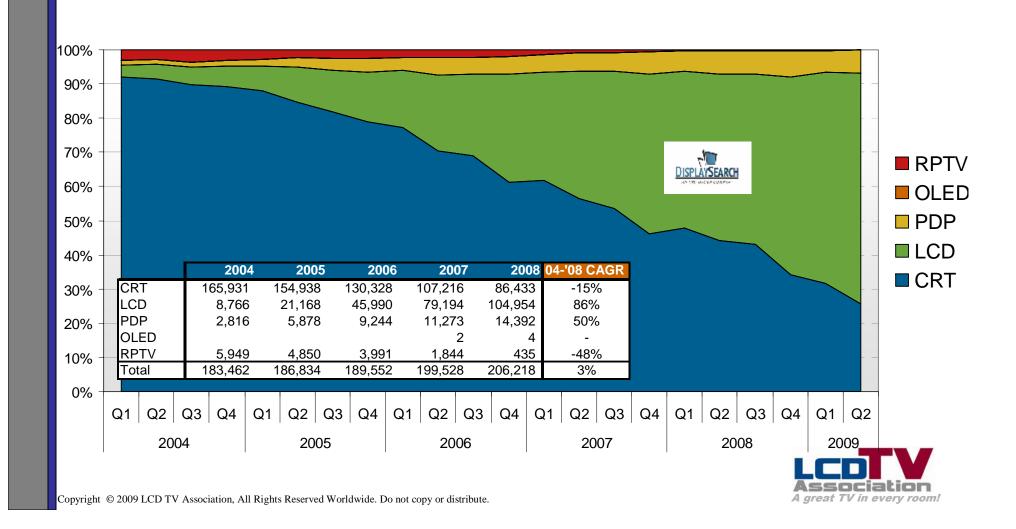




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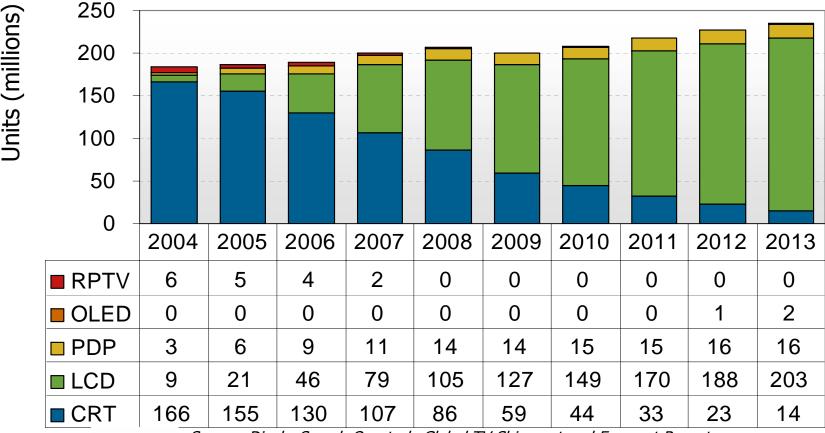


LCDs Overtook CRTs as Top Global TV Technology in 2008, and will continue their marketshare growth (and absolute growth too) for some time!



Overall TV Market Demonstrates Steady Unit Growth

- average rate of growth from 2004 to 2012, and especially beyond to 2015 is underestimated by ALL forecasters....
- In BRIC and VISTA countries, ROI higher than for indoor plumbing!!



Source: DisplaySearch Quarterly Global TV Shipment and Forecast Report



LCD TVs styles are evolving and changing, beyond WAF...UI, color, touch, e nergy











A look BACK in TIME, to CES 2008.... LCD TV – Product Specs & Differentiation for Image Quality +?

- For National & Regional Channels
- FHD w/ HDTV Built In
- ATi 245 Video Processor
- SRS TruSurround XT Audio Processor
- 120Hz ME/MC Optional
- 1 ATSC/NTSC Tuner, 3 HDMI (Video & PC Compatible), 1 Component, 1 S-Video/Composite (Shared Audio), 1 VGA (Video & FC Compatible)
- Picture in Picture/Split Screen
- Universal Learning Remote Included
- Boots to home mode native color temp with emphasized red's ar d blues w/6500 & all video modes available
- Quick Start Guide / Hard Copy User Manual
- 1 Year Parts & Labor w/ 1 Year On-Site





















CES '08, World's largest LCD touch screen... NBC, Google Earth, new interfaces, UI, etc... (is 3D next... well, not my house...)



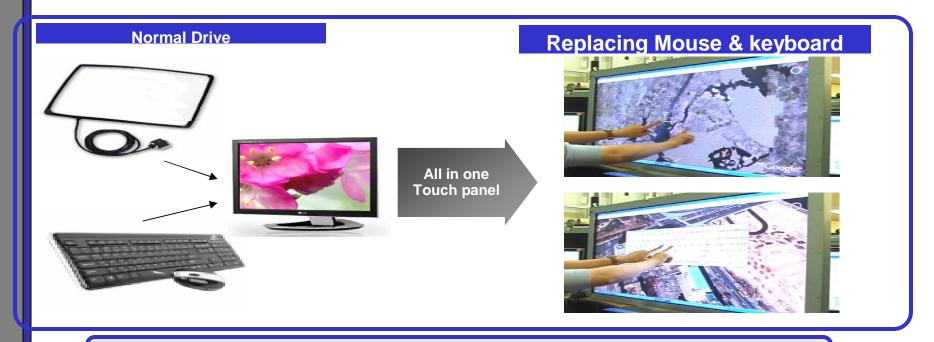




Multi Touch System, concept ...

(CES08 again..., but PD market takes time!)

- 52-inch multi touch screen LCD
- Integrated multi touch function with LCD



- Touch function Integrated in LCD.
- Dual touch, area, gesture recognition.
- All PC applications can be used.



Interactive & Public Display... CES08... big WALL of Touch PD panels...

Iona life lighting??

42 inch 2-by-2-tiled LCD Module with Multi Touch Recognition (CES'08)

42" 2x2 (84") Multi-vision Multi-touch System

Outline Dimension : 1954.7 (W) X 1179.1 (H) X 73.1 (D) mm

• Resolution : 1920 X RGB X 1080 (>2 Megapixels)

Number of Colors : 16.7M (RGB 8 bit)

• Brightness : 500 cd/m²

• Viewing Angle : 180°, 180° (U/D, R/L)

• Bezel Width* : 15.0mm

Multi-vision Resolution : 3840 X RGB X 2160

• Touch Points : 1~2

• Touch Response Time : 60Hz

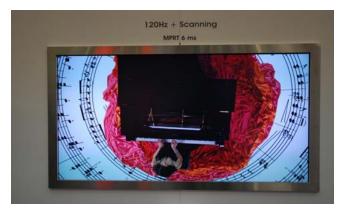
Note: * Bezel width refers to of central area



Scanning Backlight Technology (CES'08)

STROBING LIGHTS reduce PERCEIVED MPRT!!!

47 inch F-HD Scanning Backlight LCD



• Outline Dimension: 1096 (W) X 640 (H) X 55 (D) mm

• Resolution : 1920 X RGB X 1080

• Number of Colors : 1.07B (RGB 10 bit)

• Color Gamut : 92%

• Color Temperature : 10,000K

• Brightness : 500 cd/m²

Contrast Ratio : 6000 : 1(Dynamic)

Display Mode : S-IPS

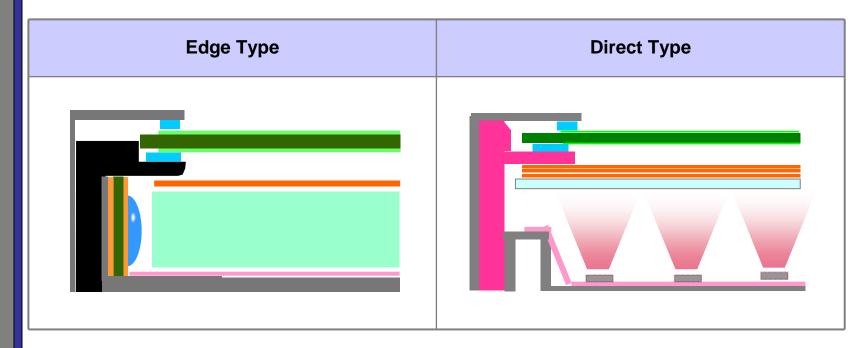
Viewing Angle : 178°, 178° (U/D, R/L)

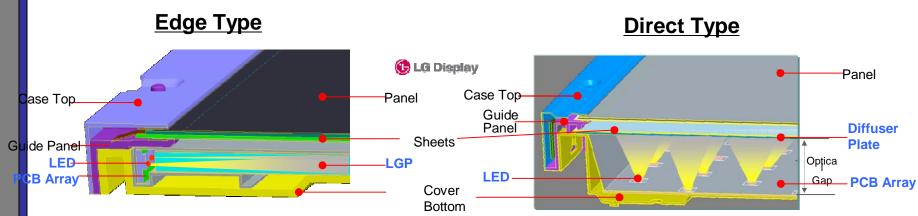
• MPRT* : 6 ms





LEDs, some various common BLU "Types": "edge" and "direct"





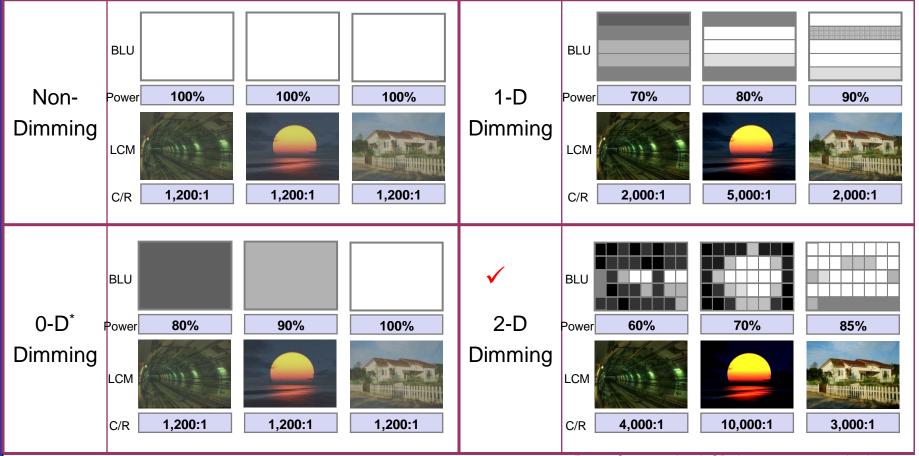


Effect of Local or "Regional" Dimming

Less power consumption and Improvement of picture quality by "Local Dimming"



(1) LG Display



※ Power Consumption & CR data are conceptual values

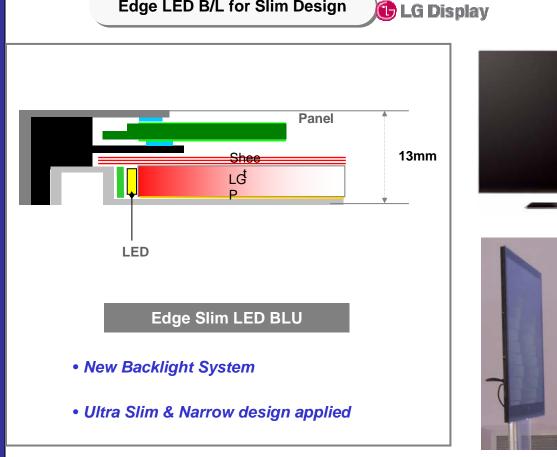


※ D: Dimension

Example... CES'09, 47" Super Slim & Narrow LCD Module

- Ultra Slim & Narrow White LED Backlight
 - → Body thickness: 11.9mm, Bezel width: 18mm

Edge LED B/L for Slim Design





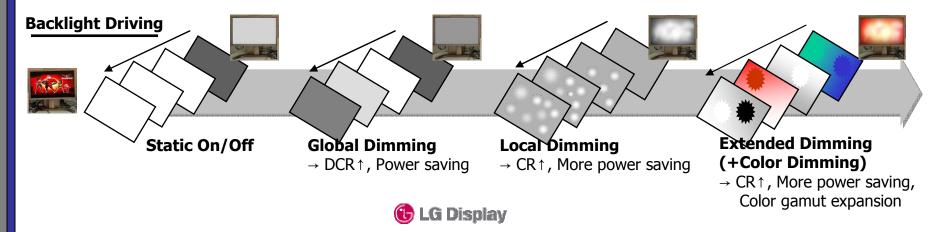
Borderless & Narrow

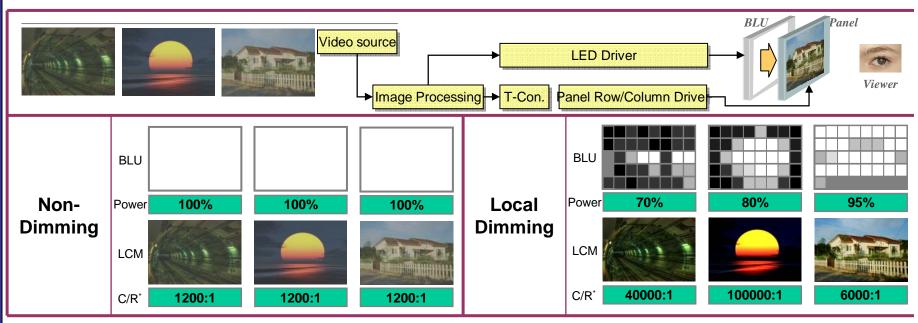
Bezel

LGE Set Design

Effects of Local Dimming (1), and extended dimming too...

♦ Contrast Ratio/Power consumption



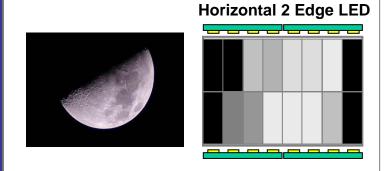




1D-Local Dimming (V5)

Operate LED Array separately by data to realize Local Dimming

Concept



- 2 Edge LED Local Dimmable Backlight System
 • Expended 1D Dimming

Feature



		55" Edge Normal	55" Edge L/D (16blocks)
IEC 62087 Standard (Based on Full white 400nit)		Ref.	35%↓
	Luminance	90.18 / 0.27	62.86 / 0.07
	C/R	334:1	898:1
	Power	Ref.	64%↓
	Luminance	357.2 / 0.30	340.5 / 0.01
	C/R	1190:1	34050:1
	Power	Ref.	60%↓

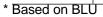


Power Consumption Comparison,

LESS is More! (and good)

BLU Power Comparison

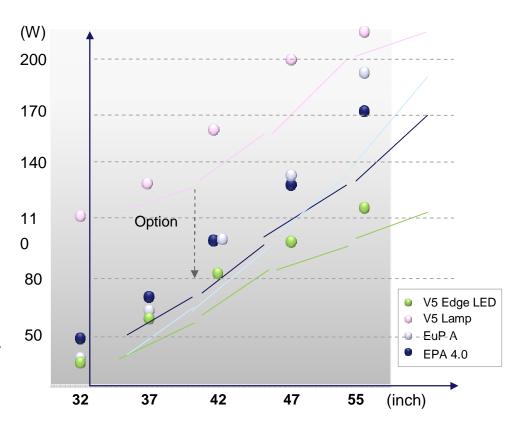
Size	EuP Clas		EP/ ENERGYSTAR	
	LED	Lamp	LED	Lamp
55	A1	С	4.0	3.0
47	Α	С	4.0	3.0
42	Α	С	4.0	3.0
37	Α	D	4.0	3.0
32	Α	D	4.0	3.0



Power



^{*} EPA 3.0: Current, EPA 4.0: Effective '10 May



- > LED Models meet EPA 4.0 & EuP Class A
- > Lamp Models are cost driven (Provide Low power as an option with price premium)

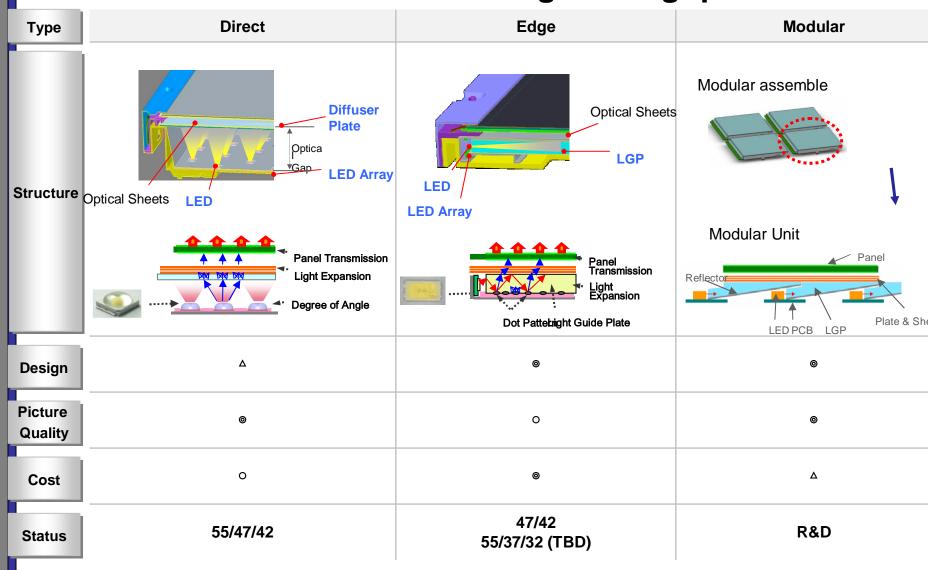
A recent "new" LED lit LCD TV (note, these should NOT really be called LED TVs), Very "Thin" but "direct" with regional dimming....







LED BLU Type – Direct /Edge/ Modular Trade off abound... lots of fun engineering questions...



⊗Best ○Better △Good



47" World's Slimmest Modular LED Backlight (demo CES'09)



Slimmest local dimming-enabled LED Backlight: Thickness 12.8mm

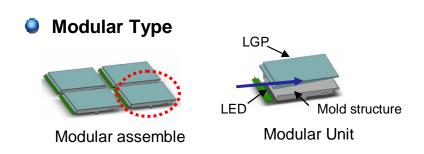
Modular LED
B/L

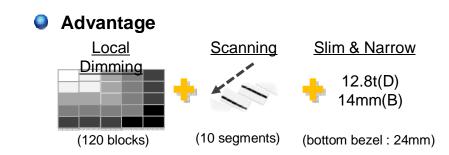
Slim & Local dimmable

• New "hybrid" Backlight System

• Slimmest & Local Dimming

Concept







Wow, thin and narrow edge "sleek" TV (LGE's in Korea)







"GREEN is good"! (for planet, for waste stream, for economy, politics, & bottom line...)











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Green: World's Lowest Power (White+)- not just behind the TFT...

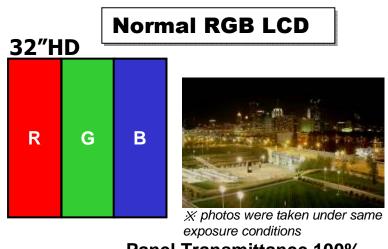
Features

- W+ Panel : Change pixel structure from RGB to RGBW
 - Maximize panel transmittance
- Backlight system: Optimum optical sheet structure
 - Lamp spectrum tuning
- Dynamic power control : W+ encoding algorithm
 - Optimum backlight power control

LG Display

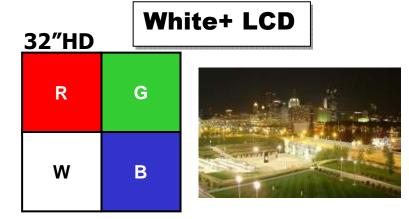
Concepts (shown CES '09 as well)

• Addition of white sub-pixel increases white luminance by 70%, reducing power consumption by Max. 56%



Panel Transmittance 100%

Power: 88 W



Panel Transmittance 170% Power : 38.5 W (56%↓)

X IEC standard



Many Digital Devices Depend on TFT-LCDs for Styling







But LEDs enable sleek new PHONE, NOTEBOOK, MONITOR, and now even HDTV designs... of ALL SIZES!!!



LCD TVs of all sizes just get BETTER with LED lighting systems!

This is the "world premier" of a photo of Vizio's new 19" wide "RAZOR LED HDTV", a new, sleek, small, LED lit LCD TV!

Many more cool things to come, from all over the world. I am sure....







What's "NEXT" big thing in LCD TVs, perhaps, the "connected TV"... i.e. new Industry-Standard User Interface, from RallyPoint TV, cool "overlay"...



Rallypoint provides a "widget browser" for the TV, which enables a Web 2.0 community connection while watching TV and IPTV that combines the best of full-screen broadcast television, IPTV and the interactive and community aspects of the Internet.



BUT NOTE: WHAT should VENDORS remember????

Focus on the user, and their needs! (and U!!.. S/W sells H/W!! PEOPLE will be PEOPLE...and my mom has MANY pictures of her EAR, on her phone, to prove it !!!)



"Can you hang on a sec? I think I just took another picture of my ear."



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The goal is to Inform, Promote, Improve, and Connect.

We will **Inform** the public on the many benefits of LCD technology v CRT, Plasma or PDP, and the various types of rear-projection TVs, c RPTV. The LCD TV Association will **Promote** the industry and techn speeches, debates, interviews, PR, white papers and research (on various technological specifications) which help to achieve these goals.



We will help **Improve** the product features and functions, by inventing and promoting new specifications and features. For example, we have created a "Green TV" logo for those TVs which can monitor external ambient light and save energy and prevent eyestrain in a dark room by lowering backlight power

(this example is. A major goal is to add perceived value for little or no cost,



and to help promote them via press reviews and branding. This can only help decrease the relentless downward pressure on margins while making better products available for consumers.

The LCD TV Association serves to **Connect** the industry supply chain, via our web site, publications and research, as well as face-to face meetings, speeches, white papers, quarterly newsletters, etc. In addition, our "limited" Sustaining Member Advisory Board, has quarterly meetings to set priorities and address issues, as well as to facilitate win/win relationships among our industry partners. We will help many of the latest start-ups with great technology related to LCD TVs (from better backlight controls to wireless audio, etc.), speed their time to market with better features and functions, as this could also help create more value for the TV vendors while even lowering prices for consumers.





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A great TV in every room!!!

