# Trends in HDTVs & LCD TVs: Setting the Bar....



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Ever better features and quality and price points....



Bruce Berkoff, Chairman, LCD TV Association (former CMO of LPL, Las Vegas Dec'07)





# **Trends in Displays:**

- Better Image Quality& Features
- Better features:
  - Viewing angle
  - Response time
  - True Color
- •"More Green"
  - Low Power Consumption

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- •Recyclable (RoHS, etc.)
- •Thinner designs and sets...

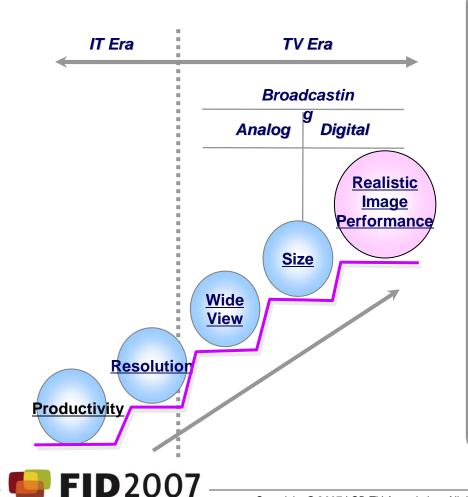






# **Image Quality Trends...**

Due to the increase of HD content and digital devices,
 the ability to produce more "realistic" images is becoming more important



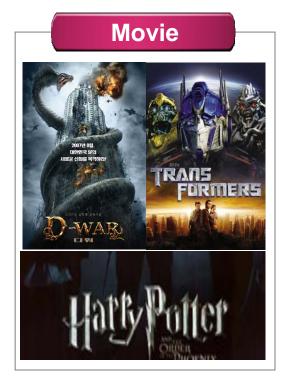




# Display Trends: Motion Picture Quality, Faster TV in every room! Response Time and Better Refresh...

Less motion blur is more critical for larger size screens and entertainment







Quick response Time '120Hz', film dejudder, ME/MC etc.





## ... Faster Response Time....One Example!

"IPS is the optimized technology for Motion Blur Reduction "- recent Japan Mag.









# Advantages of a FHD/120Hz,



## S-IPS Approaching PDP Performance...

#### **MPRT**

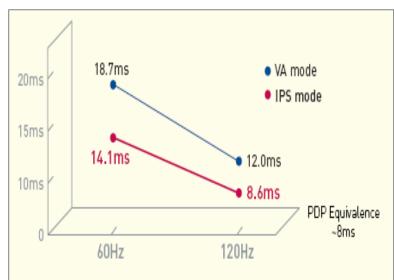
(Motion Picture Response Time)

#### LPL's Advantages for FHD/120Hz

1. Simple Pixel Structure



- 1) Fast LC for Less Charging Time
- 2) Fewer Source D-IC
- 2. Cu-bus Line
  - 1) No Charging Time Delay
  - 2) High Productivity









VA 120Hz (MPRT 12.0ms)



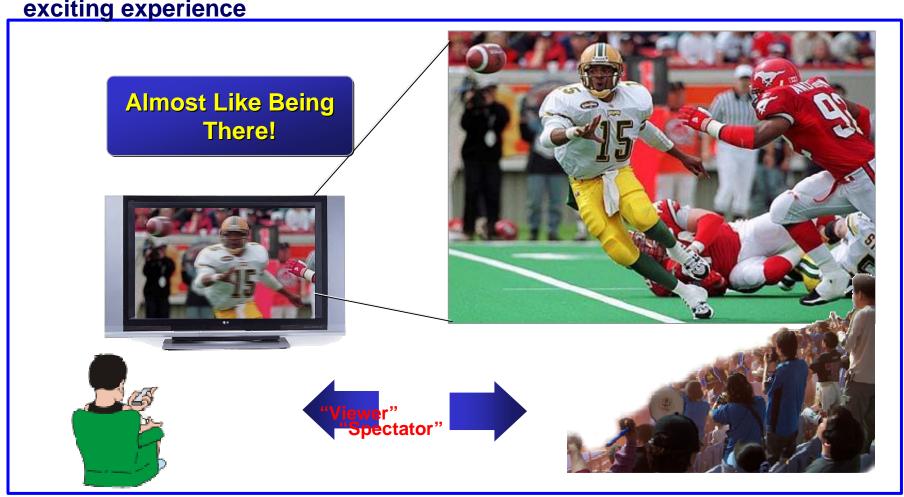
IPS 120Hz (MPRT 8.6ms)





# **Display Trends, More Natural Color,** "Deep & Wide"

•HDTV requires natural color quality to provide customers with the most exciting experience



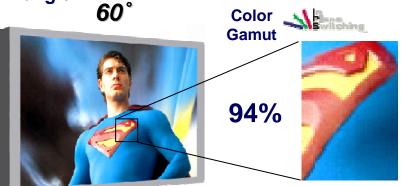


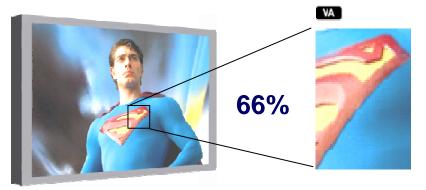


# **Display Trends, Better Color, Even Off Angle and Better Blacks...**

#### **Best Wide Viewing Angle Performance**

LPL's IPS technology provides wider color gamut at the viewing angle





#### **High Black Performance in Real Life Contents**

IPS mode provides more detailed image in dark scene with smoother gray gradation







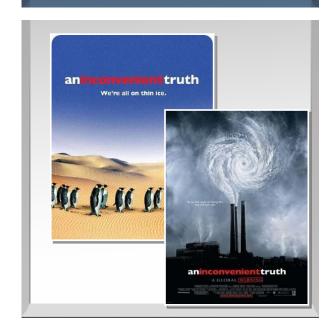
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# **Display Trends: Better for the "Environment"**

Demand for eco-friendly displays is rising



#### An Inconvenient Truth.



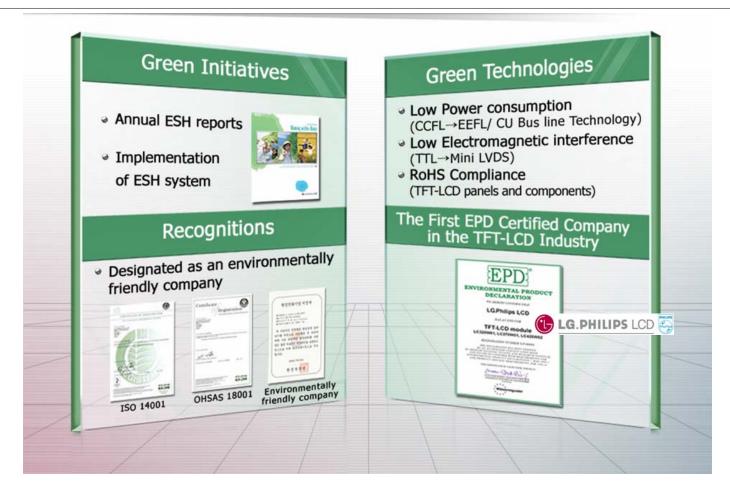


- More recyclable,
  - cleaner "glass" CORNING
  - safer liquid crystals
- RoHS Certification
- TCO Certification
- Low Power Consumption
  - Higher aperture panels
  - •Better IC's and drive elec.
  - Better BLU's (backlight & controls)





# **Display Trends: Example of** "Environmental Focus"



ESH: Environmental, Safely, Health **EEFL: External Electrode Florescent Lamp** 

LVDS: Low Voltage Differential Signaling

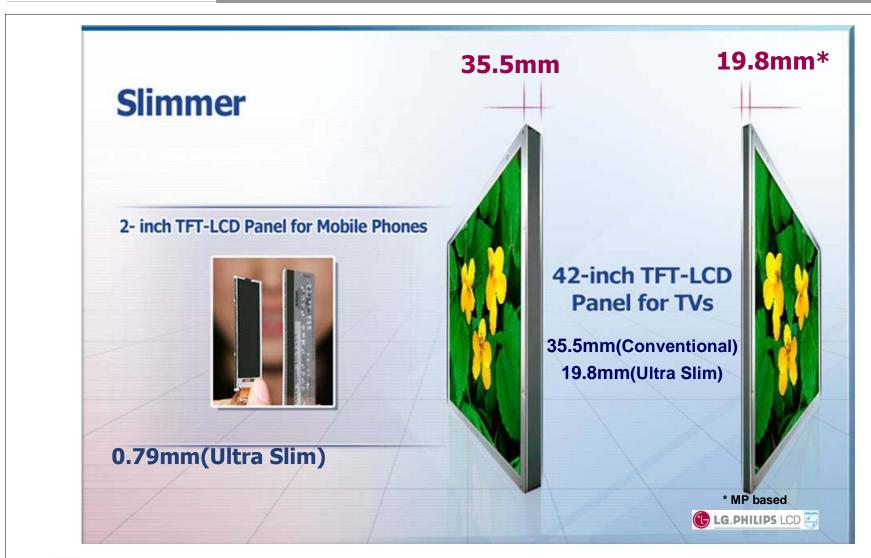
**CCFL: Cold Cathode Florescent Light TTL: Transistor to Transistor Logic** 

**RoHS: Restriction of Hazardous Substances** 





# Display Trends, Slimmer Panels and Sets....Higher WAF!!!







# Trends in the TFT LCD Panel Supplier Side...

- Better, Bigger, More technology...
- Better Viewing angles
- Better Brightness
- Better Color
- Better Resolutions
- Better Response time (&MBR)
- Better BackLights (BLU)
  - Higher contrast
  - Regional dimming
  - •LED vs CCFL vs EEFL
- Better Blacks
- More integrated electronics...







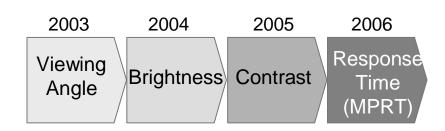


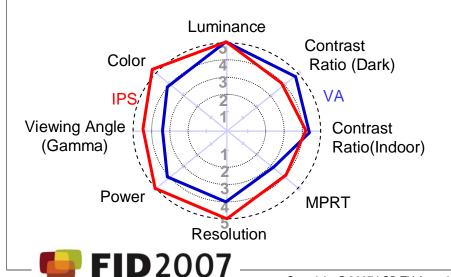


# Panel Trend: Raising the Perf. Bar Every Year

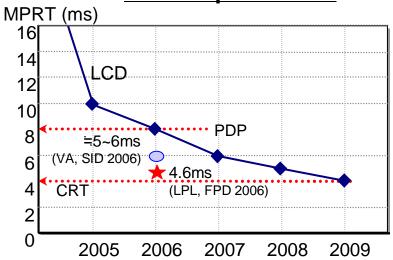
To improve competitiveness in performance, LCD makers will strengthen technology continuously, to reduce "MPRT" & make better features and specs year over year, and cost reduce as well!

#### **Technology Focus**





#### **MPRT Spec. Trend**







# **More Panel Trends: Better Image Quality & Backlights**

Technology advances in dynamic backlight control and new panel design will significantly improve the contrast ratio to the maximum level that human eyes can detect

**Enhanced IPS** 



1500:1(7500:1)

- New TFT, Color Filter
- Optical Sheet
- Process Technology
- Active B/L Control

LED B/L



20,000:1 LG.PHILIPS LCD

LED B/L Areal Control

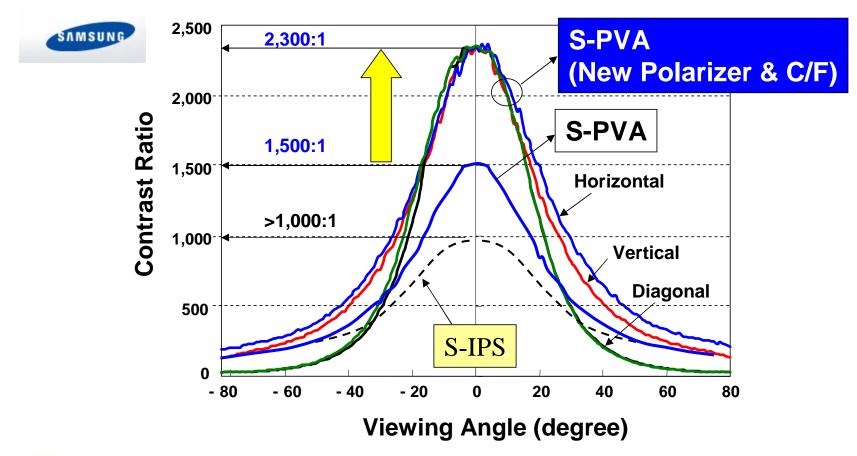
S-IPS Performance Advantage- High CR





# More Panel Trends: S-PVA & Contrast Ratio Improvements...

# New technologies result in 0.2 cd/m<sup>2</sup> black luminance & "static" contrast ratio of >2,300:1

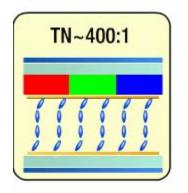


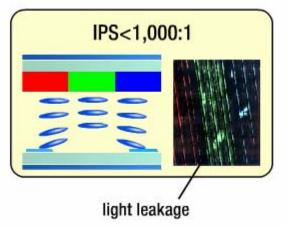


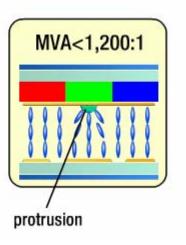


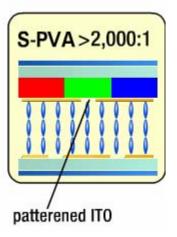
# **More Panel Trends... Great Images Need Great "Blacks"?**

# Q: Which technology can produce the darkest black?













#### **Trends in the HDTV Market:**

- More, Better, Bigger.... Less \$
- More sets and sizes.
- Better prices and channels
- Bigger average size
- Higher Resolutions (FHD)
- "More Green" Sets wanted
  - Low Power Consumption
  - Recyclable (RoHS, etc.)
- •Wireless Audio 1<sup>st</sup>, video next •Cheaper 7.1 Surround sound home theater systems!!

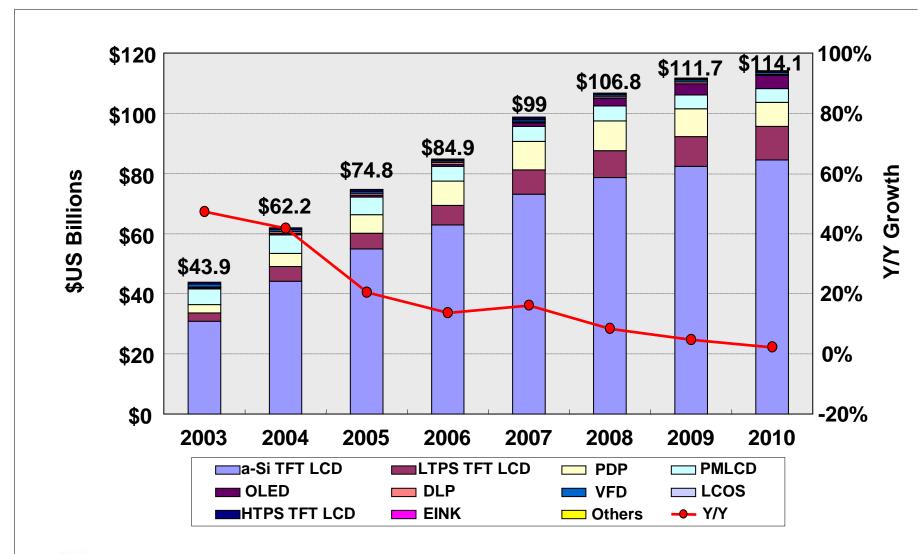








# Global FPD Market is Already Close ~ 100 Billion USD in 2007... Mostly TFT



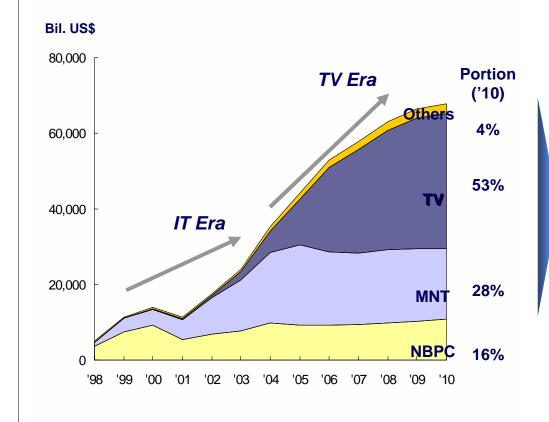




# **Market Trends, Growth and Seasonality:**

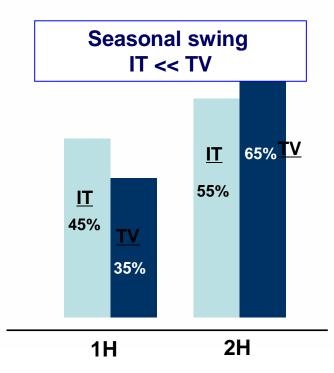
- TV becomes very important for panel vendors, and
- Seasonal swing is larger in TVs than IT

#### TFT-LCD Demand Forecast by Revenue



# Seasonality (IT vs TV)

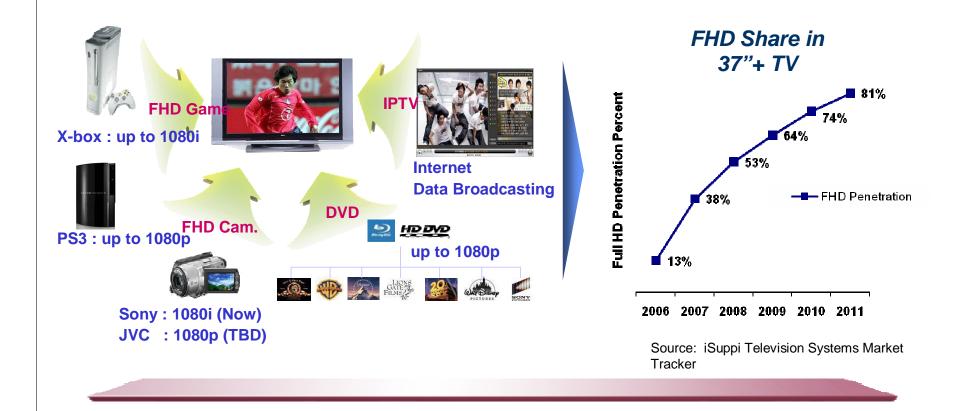
(Set Based)





# **Market Moves Toward More** "Full HD", 1920x1080, 2 Megapixels

#### **Full HD Panel Share in TFT-LCD**







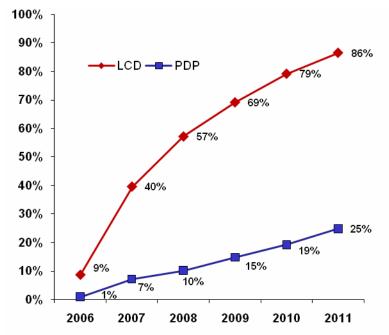
# Market for all FLAT TVs Grows, Total TV TAM From 200m > 400M! But LCD Maintains Advantage Over PDP for "FHD"...

LCD has cost advantages over PDP in Full HD... (PDP FHD yield issues, etc.)

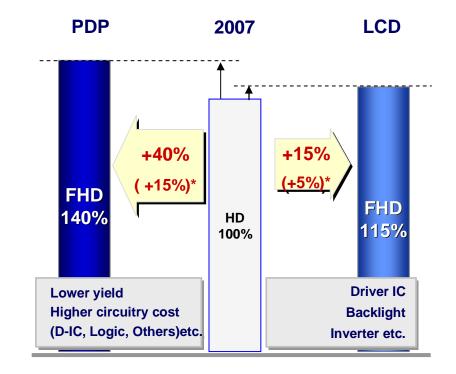
#### **Full HD Market Forecast**

Full HD Cost Up (50")

#### Full HD adoption rate in ≥ 40W



Source: iSuppli Television Systems Market Tracker







#### **More OVERALL Market Trends:**

Some Good Trends are Shaping Up & Will Happen....

"Green" electronics.... LCDs USE less energy to build, use, and dispose of... (and recyclable like Corning's Eagle XG glass and Merck's LCs)... - this is a 1,3, AND 10 year trend!

Wireless has HUGE "WAF", great acceptance of no cables! Audio easier, and from TV "out", Video or both via HDMI to TV from "Box" next.... 1-5 years...

LEDs and OLEDs will enable better backlights, and edgelights, for better displays.... And thus better products!! Major spurts, over next 1-15 years!











#### **More OVERALL Market Trends:**

# New Fabs Enable New and Better LCDs & **Better TFT-LCDs Enables New TV Concepts and Realities...**

#### (S/W sells H/W!!)

PIP to POP: Picture "out of" picture too



A "mirror" TV

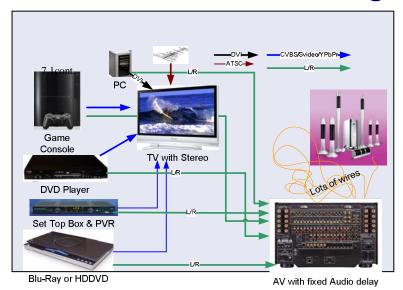






# TVs Before Wireless Audio (WA)... Ugh!, Complex, Ugly and Costly!

#### After, High WAF and Less \$\$



Consumers spend less, get more, and TV makers make more too!

TAM growth of Audio components

Ease of set up and use!

Better "Home Theater" experience for all

	Current 47" Sys.	WA System
DTV	\$2500	\$2500
DTV incremental	n/a	\$25
A/V receiver	\$500	n/a
7.1 speakers	\$800	\$800
Speaker incremental	n/a	<b>\$75</b>
Wiring	\$400	n/a
Total	\$4200	\$3400





# **Many Digital Devices Depend on** TFT-LCDs for Design (WAF!)

# **Overall Emerging Trends:** Things to Consider...











Displays have already become a large part of our daily lives, a trend that will continue to grow





# Confusion for End Users is Endless... Not Good for TAM/ \$\$\$

Some terms end users encounter:

480i, 480p, 720i, 720p, 1080i, 1080p

MPEG-2, MPEG-4, H.264

HD Compatible, HD Ready, HD Monitor, Digital Cable Ready, HD Confused Satellite, DVR, HD DVD, Blue Ray

Component, Composite, S-video, DVI, HDMI, etc.



Many Cables Also Means Confusion and LOW "WAF" (flat is high WAF, but...)

Confusion cable "craziness"



**♣DT** Alphabet Soup??

Our parents will









Confusion w/Next Gen DVD "Standards"

"The nice thing about standards is that there are so many to choose from."

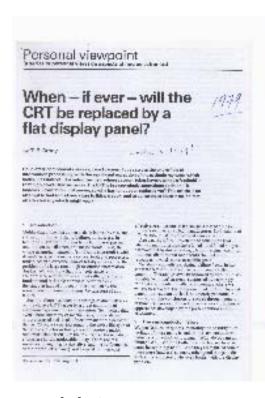
> - Andrew S. Tannenbaum Prof. Computer Science, Wrije University, Amsterdam



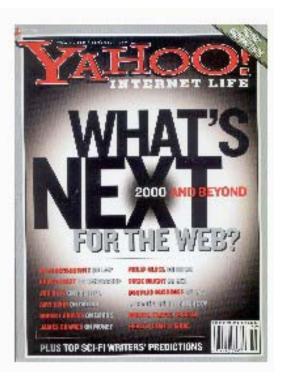


#### Some Predictions Lead to Eventual Trends...

Some predictions lead to eventual trends (a), or negative results (b), and some to unexpected "flame outs" (c).







(a) 1979

(a) 1999

(a) 2000

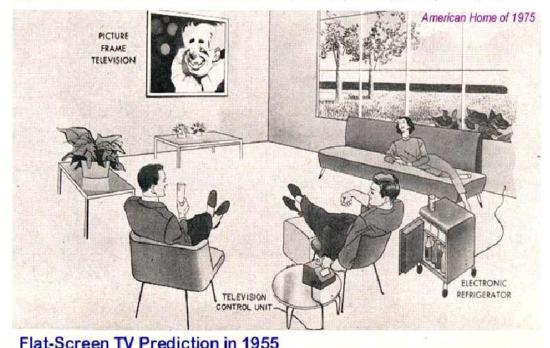




#### Yet, Some Do Come True...

# 50-yr old dream of a "hanging" TV enabled by LCDs today... but do you notice 2 things "wrong"?...

Picture frame TV, electronic refrigeration and remote electronic controls illustrated in this RCA sketch of the American living room of 1975 are just a few of the amazing devices which will provide conveniences for the consumer, and servicing opportunities for qualified technicians. During the coming years, and even effective in many areas today, the rapidly growing use of communications and electronic control equipment in industry will offer many attractions.



Wide...why?.... Berkoff's rules\_ money and goals overlapped at the movies!!....

Remote, 1 year later! (and inventor, of "clicker", Zenith Space Command, Bob Adler, recently died at 93, Feb '07.)

<sup>\*</sup> Source: iSuppli/Standford Resources, courtesy of Paul Semenza



TECHNICIAN . October, 1955



## Many Digital Devices Depend on TFT-LCD Displays

But flat TVs, which look great OFF, and increasingly ON, are the hottest "area" of area growth...So some trends will lead to big growth, how do we "handicap" the future???

















# **Trends in Display Technology:**

# "Berkoff's LAW" for Technology,

The Display Industry is tough..., easy to make a small fortune, but most start with a large one and work their way down...

Often companies forget "Berkoff's rule", where "science always loses to engineering,



engineering always loses to economics, & economics always loses to politics"

..... e.g. "face issues", ( we don't have to like it but, let's not forget it.... ex: Plasma and Projection)



LCD Flat panels are here to stay, and have great "WAF", "wife acceptance factor" (SID'98=me), but better and less costly solutions are **needed**... & maybe coming!.....





# **More Trends in Display Technology:**

- New uses, peripherals, and new tech?
  - Touch screens
  - Windows and Public Displays
    - Multiple views
    - •Store Ad "net works"
  - New Technology...
    - •OLED
    - •3D
    - Interactive electronics
    - •Flexible displays



















# LCD Usage and Peripherals Might Help Enable New Market Opportunities....

# **Especially with Large and Interactive Signage..**

• Multi-Touch Sensing



Window Display



## PUBLIC Display and Signage Market is GROWING!

• Multi-Vision



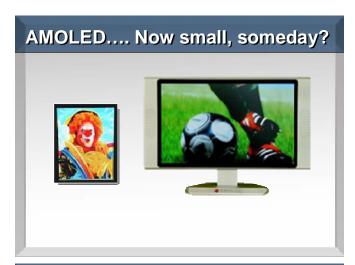
LG.PHILIPS LCD



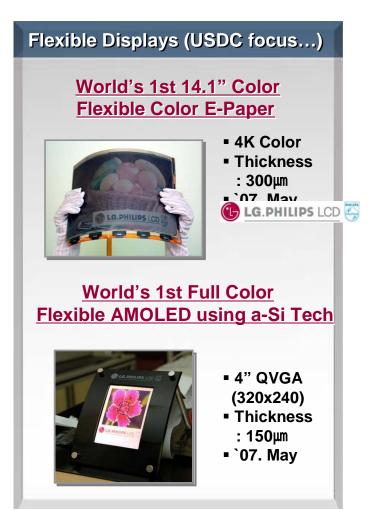




# New Technology Trends Will Enable New Products, and Perhaps New Markets...













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A global not-for-profit trade association....

## Whose goal is to *Inform, Promote, Improve, and Connect.*

We will **Inform** the public on the many benefits of LCD technology vs. CRT, Plasma or PDP, and the various types of rear-projection TVs, or RPTV. The LCD TV Association will **Promote** the industry and technology via 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.







# **Current Sustaining Members:**

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## A Great Problem (trend?) to Shoot for..... A Wall TV, a Window TV, Spray it On?, or...



"It's not high-definition anything. It's a window."

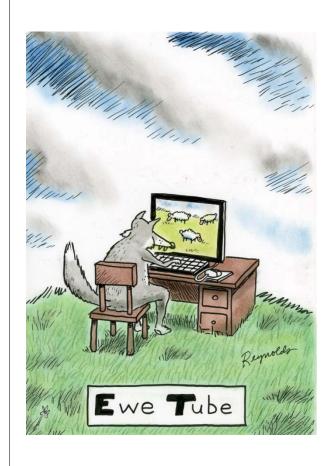
And, of course one more goal: "A great flat TV in every room!!!"





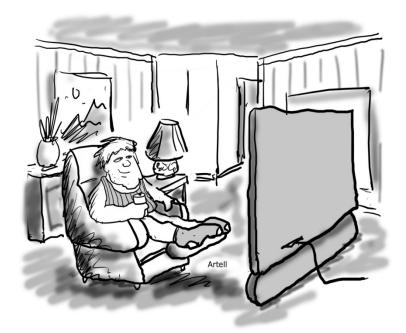
#### Some MORE HDTV Trends to be Aware of.....

## What's next???









American, idle.



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