A Perfect Fusion of CRT and VFD Technology, Creating Screen Large Enough to Display a Whale

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Name (Model, etc.)	Trini-Lite for JumboTron (JTS-1)	
Location	Mobara-shi, Chiba	
	FUTABA CORPORATION	
Owner (Custodian)	FUTABA CORPORATION	
Manufacturer (Company)	Sony Corporation, FUTABA CORPORATION	
Year Manufactured	1984	
Year first appeared	1983	
Reason For Selection	This item is a high luminescence light-emitting element for large size image display devices. Combining the advantages of cathode-ray tube (CRT) and Vacuum Fluorescent Display (VFD) technology, it has achieved compact sizes with a high luminescence of 5,000 cd/m². The JumboTron (40 m × 25 m), which was equipped with 208,000 of these elements, garnered attention as a large screen that was able to display a whale at full size at the International Exposition (1985, Tsukuba). Documentation from the development period, original sales catalogues, high-definition elements JTS-2 (1985) and JTS-8 (1987), etc. also still preserved today. This is important as a product that depicts the advancement of development in large image display device technology.	
Registration Standard	1-A (Show an important aspect or stage of the development of science and technology.) 2-A (Played a notable role in improving people's way of life and creating new ways of living.)	

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