

The world's first 3.5-inch Micro Floppy Disk

Registration No.	Number 00341		
Registration Date	September 13, 2022	Registration Category	Category 1 (multiple identical products such as mass-produced products)

Name (Model, etc.)	3.5inch Micro Floppy Disc		
Location	Minato-ku, Tokyo		
	Sony Group Corporation		
Owner (Custodian)	Sony Group Corporation		
Manufacturer (Company)	Sony Corporation		
Year Manufactured	In around 1980		
Year first appeared	1980		
Reason For Selection	It was the world's first 3.5-inch Micro Floppy Disk (MFD). An MFD (OM-D3310) with a single-sided single-density manual shutter developed as a recording medium for the company's English word processor series 35 and MFDs (OM-D3320) with an automated shutter mounted on the personal computer SMC-70 are stored. After its introduction in 1980, MFD was widely installed in personal computers such as Apple and IBM and became the de facto standard. It is an important indication of the progress of storage medium 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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Photo	 OM-D3310  OM-D3320		
Other useful information			