


Registration No.	Number 00058		
Registration Date	October 6, 2010	Registration Category	Category 2

Name (Model, etc.)	The prototype of 2-inchi wide video tape		
Location	Odawara City, Kanagawa Pref		
	FUJIFILM Corporation Kanagawa Plant		
Owner (Custodian)	FUJIFILM Corporation		
Manufacturer (Company)	FUJIFILM Corporation		
Year Manufactured	1959		
Reason For Selection	<p>Because quadruplex video recorder for professional video were sold at a very high price (around 200,000 yen/roll) and were a monopoly of the American company 3M (SCOTCH), there was great pressure to produce them locally. Fujifilm had no experience in manufacturing magnetic tapes, but using the coating technique that it developed for manufacturing photographic films, it became the first to succeed in test production of the 2-inchi wide video tape. Building on this momentum, the company then asked the help of NHK's Science and Technology Research Laboratories to develop this technology, which had the company establishing a position in videotape manufacturing industry. This is the actual tape on which the company succeeded in recording a video image for the first time.</p>		
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