

The 8K Monitor

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We Wrote These...

The Value Electronics TV Shoot-out Adds 8K Sets

Model	4K Black Level / Shadow Detail	4K Upscaling	4K Color	8K Native Quality (Exhibition)
LG OLED77ZXPUA	8.63	7.75	8.38	8.50
Sony XR75Z9J	6.63	8.25	7.63	N/A
Samsung QN65QN900A	6.88	7.50	7.13	7.38

After a Covid year off the Value Electronics (VE) TV Shootout returned for its 17th outing on September 12th and 13th in New York City. Robert Zohn of VE initiated the shootout 18 years ago and in recent years the event has compared four different premium 4K TV sets. This year, the program was expanded to also include three 8K TV sets. Read More

Globo Makes 8K Olympics Content Available VOD

During the 2020 Tokyo Olympics, Globo, the largest mass media group in Latin America in partnership with Intel and Bitmovin, streamed 8K content to its subscribers as an experiment. Apparently, the experiment was a success as Globo is now making this content continuously available VOD in 8K resolution. Subscribers can now see an icon in their user interface that streams the 8K content to an 8K TV. Read More



Our Comments on These...

Xiaomi 11T Pro Packs 108MP Camera, 8K Video Shooting, 120W Charger, and 120Hz Refresh Rate Display



Xiamoni is now the number 2 selling smartphone brand and the Pro version can capture 8K @ 30 fps allowing creation of a lot of user-generated 8K content - in addition to high quality images to be displayed on an 8K TV. Read More

Sony Bravia Master Series Z9J 8K TV review: Great

picture, but where's the onboard 8K?

This reviewer summarized the pros and cons of the Sony Z9J.

Pros: Great 8K picture; Fantastic sound for an LCD TV (it has bass!); Android interface and improved remote.

Cons: Doesn't play 8K UHD video files or YouTube AV1 8K streams, Pricey even for an 8K UHD TV. Read full review



Launch of YouTube channel "8K Video Album"



8K Association member Astrodesign has assembled some 8K native content on YouTube with a number of partners. It is designed to be played back in a browser on 8K TV. Most of the clips are short and feature scenic content and some additional topics. Read press release

Popular Sharp TV's Back In Stores After 6 Year Hiatus

Sharp has a long history of innovation in display technology, including 8K, and was a leading TV brand for some time. They have not sold TVs in the US or other markets for some time, so seeing them start to reengage in the Australian market is a good sign. Sharp offers their 120" 8K professional display in the U.S. and was thinking of launching 8K TVs at one time. Maybe that will happen next year? Read More



Plugable announces a new Thunderbolt 4 hub with 'pure USB-C design'



Thunderbolt 4 is the fastest interface available at 40 Gbps so important for transferring and working with high resolution files. OWC also makes a similar Thunderbolt hub and docking station and lots of other storage and connection products (see nice interview at https://vimeo.com/616608540)

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