

LCD Monitor Buying Guide

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COMPANY	MODEL	VIEWABLE	SPEAKERS	Native Res.	INPUT	LIGHT LIFE	CONTRAST	OTHER	Warranty	PRICE (Est.)
Apple	Cinema Display	22.0	No	1600x1024	Digital	N/A	300:1	RC, SC, USB	1	\$2499
Apple	Studio Display 15	15.0	No	1024x768	Digital	N/A	300:1	RC, SC, USB	1	\$599
Apple	Studio Display 17	17.0	No	1280x1024	Digital	N/A	350:1	RC, SC, USB	1	\$999
CTX	PV505	15.0	No	1024x768	Analog	25K hours	200:1	PL	3	\$499
CTX	PV520	15.0	No	1024x768	Analog		350:1	PL, WM	3	NEW
CTX	PV710M	17.0	Yes	1280x1024	Analog	25K hours	200:1	WM	3	\$959
CTX	PV710MDV	17.0	Yes	1280x1024	Digital/AV	25K hours	200:1	AT, AV, USB, WM	3	\$1399
CTX	PV880	18.1	No	1280x1024	Dual Analog	50K hours	300:1	AT, RC, USB, WM	3 / 1BL	\$2399
IBM	T545	15.1	No	1024x768	Analog/Digital	N/A	N/A		3	\$609
IBM	T750	17.0	No	1280x1024	N/A	N/A	N/A		3	\$1149
Iiyama	Pro Lite 38g	15.0	No	1024x768	Analog	N/A	150:1		3	\$529
Iiyama	Pro Lite 43b	17.0	No	1280x1024	N/A	N/A	250:1		3	\$859
KDS	Rad-5	15.0	No	1024x768	Analog	N/A	300:1	AT, WM	3	\$399
Nanao-Eizo	FlexScan L330	15.0	No	1024x768	N/A	N/A	350:1		3	\$569
Nanao-Eizo	Flexscan L461	16.0	No	1280x1024	Digital	N/A	300:1		N/A	\$929
NEC	LCD1525X	15.0	No	1024x768	Analog/DVI-I	N/A	350:1	USB	3	\$629
NEC	LCD1830	18.1	No	1280x1024	Analog	N/A	300:1	SRGB, WM	3	\$1079
NEC	LCD1850X	18.1	No	1280x1024	Analog/DVI-I	N/A	300:1	SRGB, WM	3	\$2249
NEC	LCD2110	21.3	No	1600x1200	Analog	N/A	300:1	PL, WM	3	\$5649
Panoram	PV230 DSK	15.0 x 3	No	3072x768	Digital	N/A	250:1		N/A	\$9995
Philips	150P	15.0	Yes	1024x768	Analog	N/A	250:1	RC, QR	3	\$569
Philips	170B	17.0	No	1280x1024		N/A	400:1	WM, QR	3	\$979
Princeton	SEnergy 750	17.4	No	1280x1024	Analog/Digital	N/A	400:1		3	\$1149
Samsung	Syncmaster 570v	15.0	No	1024x768	Analog	N/A	250:1		3	\$429
Samsung	Syncmaster 170Mb	17.0	Yes	1280x1024	Analog/AV	N/A	N/A	AV, WM	3	\$1199
ViewSonic	VE150m	15.0	Yes	1024x768	Analog	50K hours	300:1	AT, RC, QR, WM	3	\$499
ViewSonic	VE170	17.0	No	1280x1024	Analog	50K hours	300:1	RC, QR, WM	3	\$899
ViewSonic	VP201m	20.1	Yes	1600x1200	Analog/DVI-D	NEW	300:1	PL, RC, QR, WM	3	\$3295
ViewSonic	VP230m	23.1	Yes	1600x1200	Analog/DVI-D	NEW	400:1	PL, RC, QR	3	\$6235

N/A = info not available at press time

All LCD monitors shown support true 24-bit color.

NOTES FOR OTHER:

AV = NTSC/S-Video inputs.

AT = autoTune signal setting; RC = anti-reflective coating to cut glare;

WM = opt. Wall mount; QR = Quick Replace warranty period.

USB = USB Hub built-in; SC = Special Connector.

PL = Support for both portrait and landscape modes.

SRGB = support for native sRGB color matching.

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