

best upright videos

MODEL/MANUFACTURER	RATING	DIST.
▶ 1 REVOLUTION X (Midway) (4)	8.79	27%
2 MORTAL KOMBAT II+ (Midway) (10)	8.65	94%
3 VIRTUA FIGHTER★ (Sega) (9)	8.34	44%
▶ 4 SOLITAIRE CHALLENGE (Dynamo) (3)	7.65	16%
▶ 5 LETHAL II: GUN FIGHTERS (Konami) (6)	7.58	24%
6 LETHAL ENFORCERS+ (Konami) (24)	7.48	74%
▶ 7 NBA JAM: TOURN. ED.+ (Midway) (6)	7.47	68%
▶ 8 ALIENS 3 (Sega) (6)	7.40	9%
9 RUN & GUN (Konami) (10)	7.24	31%
▶ 10 UNDER FIRE (Taito) (4)	7.13	7%

+ indicates game was produced in both dedicated & software forms
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best deluxe videos

(sitdowns, cockpits, arcade attractions)

▶ 1 DAYTONA USA (Sega) (5)	9.86	23%
2 RIDGE RACERS (Namco) (9)	9.33	13%
▶ 3 PRIMAL RAGE (Atari) (1)	9.00	24%
4 OUTRUNNERS (Sega) (22)	8.93	16%
▶ 5 T-MEK (Atari) (2)	8.71	7%
6 AIR COMBAT (Namco) (7)	8.43	7%
7 SUZUKA II 8 HOURS (Namco) (7)	8.42	20%
8 SUZUKA 8 HOURS (Namco) (24)	8.41	18%
9 STADIUM CROSS (Sega) (18)	8.40	5%
▶ 10 VIRTUA RACING★ (Sega) (24)	7.98	43%

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best new games

RAIDEN DLX [software] (Fabtek)

FAST DRAW SHOWDOWN [deluxe] (ALG)

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▶ 1 DARKSTALKERS [H] (Capcom) (1)	9.19	25%
▶ 2 GAL'S PANIC 2 [V] (Kaneko) (10)	8.60	5%
▶ 3 KING OF FIGHTERS '94 [S] (SNK) (1)	8.16	18%
▶ 4 ALIEN VS. PREDATOR [H] (Capcom) (3)	7.98	39%
▶ 5 DUNGEONS & DRAGONS [H] (Cap.) (6)	7.49	39%
▶ 6 RAIDEN II [V] (Fabtek) (9)	7.45	44%
▶ 7 TWIN EAGLE II [V] (Seta) (4)	7.31	12%
▶ 8 SUPER SIDEKICKS 2 [S] (SNK) (5)	7.28	24%
▶ 9 AERO FIGHTERS 2 [S] (SNK) (2)	7.26	33%
10 WORLD RALLY [H] (Atari) (14)	6.87	29%
11 SAMURAI SHODOWN [S] (SNK) (15)	6.80	67%
▶ 12 SAMURAI SHODOWN II [S] (SNK) (1)	6.78	17%
▶ 13 BLOOD STORM [H] (Strata) (5)	6.73	10%
14 ST. FTR II: C.E. TURBO [R] (Capcom) (20)	6.60	68%
▶ 15 WORLD HEROES 2 JET [S] (SNK) (5)	6.58	29%
16 SUPER ST. FIGHTER II [H] (Capcom) (12)	6.47	69%
▶ 17 METAMORPHIC FORCE [H] (Konami) (4)	6.38	8%
▶ 18 AGGRESSORS OF DARK KOMBAT [S] (SNK) (1)	6.22	8%
19 RAIDEN [V] (Fabtek) (50)	6.21	31%
▶ 20 WINDJAMMERS [S] (D.E./Neo•Geo) (7)	6.00	21%

[H] horizontal [V] vertical [S] system [R] retrofit

top pinball

▶ 1 FLINTSTONES (Williams) (1)	8.62	16%
▶ 2 WORLD CUP SOCCER (Midway) (4)	8.52	30%
3 STAR TREK (Williams) (8)	8.35	56%
▶ 4 GUNS N' ROSES (Data East) (2)	8.30	24%
5 ADDAMS FAMILY (Midway) (31)	8.19	78%
6 DEMOLITION MAN (Williams) (6)	7.66	35%
7 INDIANA JONES (Williams) (13)	7.65	45%
8 RESCUE 911 (Gottlieb/Premier) (6)	7.47	23%
9 TALES FROM THE CRYPT (Data East) (7)	7.40	24%
10 CREAT./BLACK LAGOON (Midway) (19)	7.37	37%

▶ available brand new at certain distributors; number following brand shows months on chart including this one.

RATING: Operators were mailed "ballot sheets" listing games in active operation in U.S. locations and game centers and asked to "rate" the earning performance of each on the "1 to 10" measure: 10 for "power-house earnings," 9 for "excellent," 8 for "very good game," 7 for "good game," 6 for "decent game," 5 for "just average," 4 for "below average," etc. The written votes were tallied up and divided by the actual number of times the specific game was rated. Hence, the decimal points.

DIST.: The percentage of the surveyed arcade and street location operators who have the item on location.