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Controlling the gray scale of plasma display devices

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Commande d'échelle de gris pour des dispositifs d'affichage à plasma

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Abstract (en)

A method of controlling the gray scale of a plasma display device, comprising the steps of: forming a frame for an image by a plurality of subframes each having a specific weight value; and displaying an image on the plasma display device by optionally combining gray levels of the subframes. A ratio of brightnesses of each gray level is calculated so as to substantially correspond with a ratio of the specific weight values of each gray level, a ratio of numbers of sustain emissions of each gray level being not coincident with the ratio of the specific weight values of each gray level. Therefore, an enhancement of the display quality of the plasma display device can be realized. <IMAGE> <IMAGE>

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