

NINTENDO NEWS

VIRTUAL DISASTER?

Reports are indicating that sales of the Virtual Boy are nothing like what was expected. In Japan the figures have been only 40% of that predicted, while in the USA Nintendo have been very cagey about releasing any figures. They recently put out a press release which neglected to run any figures, something very uncharacteristic of Nintendo. Rumours are that retailers in the States are only keeping a few in stock and

they are even beginning to discount them.

It's hard at this point to say what the reason for the disappointment is, possibly people are waiting for Christmas before they purchase, or perhaps expectation for the Ultra 64 is so great, that people have been saving for that. Maybe people just don't like it. Nah...



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