

Abstract

Provided is a polarizing plate with a retardation layer capable of realizing a liquid crystal display apparatus excellent in viewability when viewed through an optical member having a polarizing action. The polarizing plate with a retardation layer has an elongate shape and includes, in this order: a retardation layer; a polarizer; and a pressure-sensitive adhesive layer. The retardation layer has an in-plane retardation $Re(550)$ of from 100 nm to 180 nm, satisfies a relationship of $Re(450) < Re(550) < Re(650)$, has a refractive index ellipsoid showing a relationship of $n_x > n_z > n_y$, and has an N_z coefficient of from 0.2 to 0.8.

[Fig. 1]