

Guide to the Super Rare Games Manufacturing Proofs, 2019-2021 — 123.791

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Summary Information

Repository:	Brian Sutton-Smith Library and Archives of Play at The Strong
Creator:	Super Rare Games (Firm)
Title:	Super Rare Games manufacturing proofs, 2019-2021
ID:	123.791
Date [inclusive]:	2019-2021
Physical Description:	1.5 Linear Feet (1 oversized box)
Language of the Material:	English
Graphic Materials [box]:	1
Abstract:	This collection consists of game box and trading card proofs created by Super Rare Games, a video game publishing company. The materials are dated from 2019 to 2021 and include SteelBook and trading card proof prints and handwritten notes.

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Administrative History

Super Rare Games, based in London, England, is a video game distributor and publisher founded in 2018 by George Perkins. Super Rare Games releases limited edition physical versions of games for the Nintendo Switch. The company includes special packaging (collectors editions or SteelBooks) and trading cards with the games. Super Rare Games prints each game only once and limits the number of copies produced.

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Collection Scope and Content Note

The Super Rare Games manufacturing proofs consists of box art proofs for SteelBook boxes for the *World of Goo, Monster Prom XXL, Little Inferno* and *ITTA* Nintendo Switch games.

The collection also contains trading card proofs that include the Super Rare Games logo on the reverse side for *The Sexy Brutale, Little Inferno, Cactus, Octahedron, Dog World, Metal Unit,* and *Mundaun*. There is a small amount of handwritten notes that document color corrections and changes requested.

The papers are housed in one oversized box in the original order.

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This collection is open for use by staff of The Strong and users of its library and archive. Gloves are required due to the type of materials and the finish used on the proofs.

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- Monster Prom XXL (Video game)
- World of Goo (Video game)
- Little Inferno (Video game)
- Sexy Brutale (Video game)
- ITTA (Video game)
- Cactus (Video game)
- Octahedron (Video game)
- Mundaun (Video game)
- Video game industry
- Proofs (Printing)
- Steelbook
- Dogworld (Video game)
- Metal Unit (Video game)