



75 Marantz SR6004 Receiver Marantz's new magic box not only amplifies tunes from your Bluetooth-compatible audio player, it also improves the sound with an upconverter that re-creates the high frequencies lost in compressed audio. Too bad it won't make that 12-minute track your friend composed on his iPhone sound any better. | \$1,250

Staff pick



76 The North Face Mini-bus 33 Tent Sarah Filippi, Associate Photo Editor | This tent is big enough to sleep three but folds into a compact 7.3-pound package. Ginormous windows and D-shaped doors provide a clear view of everything from the night sky to marauding grizzlies, and the color-coded, four-pole assembly process is easier than falling off a log. | \$429



77 Marc Ecko Star Wars Hoodies The Force must be with Marc Ecko. His Star Wars hoodies replicate the uniforms of Boba Fett, Darth Vader, an X-Wing Fighter Pilot, and, of course, imperial cannon fodder. Most zip to the top of the hood, so you'll stay warm when you do battle on the ice planet Hoth. That zipper is also convenient if someone you know walks by. | \$98



78 JVC LT-42WX70 TV It's about time someone made a big screen for photographers. JVC's studio-friendly 42-inch displays 100 percent of sRGB and 96 percent of Adobe RGB color space, letting you blow up that masterpiece until you see its soul. But this high-def screen isn't just for your day job. The same startling colors—in 1080p—make movies look fabulous too. | \$2,400



79 Oakley Jawbone Sunglasses These shades have more moves than a Tour de France sprint finish. The nosepiece pivots up to expose a hinge for quick lens swaps. The internal suspension system lets lenses float freely within the frame so tension won't bend them and distort your view. The wind-blocking vented frame keeps your vision tear- and fog-free. And the exceptional optics are the best thing to happen to light since Paris. | \$195

Leica X1

Picture quality isn't what made Leicas legendary: It was their dead-simple design and reliable toughness. That's what Leica recaptures with its digital X1. The controls are straightforward to the point of being a philosophical statement, and the case—rendered in metal and leather—feels like it could double as a hammer. Add in an oversized 12.2-megapixel sensor and Leica's renowned 24-mm, f/2.8 "reportage" lens, and you can almost smell the Pulitzer. | \$1,995



80 Newton Sir Isaac Running Shoe Runners who land heel-first are just paying for their surgeon's new Rolex. Striking with the ball of your foot provides much better shock absorption, but it's also hard to get used to—which is why Newton designed these sneaks. They coax you into a more healthful motion, and hopefully away from the arthroscope. | \$149



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