

HIGH-TECH TOYS

Fun from the Future

Vacation time means beach time, mountain time—downtime. But there's no need to unplug completely with a spate of high-tech gadgetry designed to enhance your vacation (as well as your life once you've returned home). Whether you want to film high-quality video on your next dive or enjoy theater-grade 3D movies, we found the best high-end technology to take luxury on the go. BY LOGAN KUGLER



LIQUID IMAGE SCUBA SERIES CAMERA DIVING MASK

Release your inner Jacques Cousteau with this wide-angle camera scuba mask.

The mask records HD 720p video at 30 frames per second, giving you a high-quality, hands-free way to film underwater denizens. The mask is depth-rated to 130 feet, which should give every stripe of recreational diver enough coverage to start making undersea movie magic. For photographers, the mask also takes five megapixel photos. Built for use with diving gloves, switching between still and video modes is as easy as throwing a few switches. A series of LED lights inside the mask tell you which mode is enabled.

Once you return to shore, the mask plugs into your computer via USB for easy transferring. **\$349 • LIQUIDIMAGECO.COM**

LOGITECH ULTIMATE EARS REFERENCE EARPHONES

You haven't heard your music until you've listened to your songs with Logitech's Ultimate Ears Reference Earphones. These custom earphones, molded to exactly fit your ears for first-class comfort, are so good that you'll think you're actually on stage. If you love listening to music, these beauties can't be beat. In fact, these are the same earphones that world-famous musicians wear when performing on stage. And because each pair is tailored for each user, these provide the best natural noise cancellation possible. Your custom pair of Ultimate Ears Reference Earphones will arrive in a sleek, black aluminum hard case with your name engraved on the top. **\$999 • LOGITECH.COM**



SONY HMZT1 PERSONAL 3D VIEWER

Just because you're away from home doesn't mean you need to leave your home theater behind. The Sony HMZT1 Personal 3D Viewer lets you watch HD movies in 3D with fully simulated surround sound. The headset wraps across your eyes, immersing you in the film. When you turn the Personal 3D Viewer off, the image reverts to your connected TV. But with the equivalent of a 150-inch movie screen that fits in your carry-on bag, why would you ever want to? **\$799 • SONY.COM**



ORIGAUDIO ROCK-IT PORTABLE VIBRATION SPEAKER

Who says luxury has to be all about price? The OrigAudio Rock-It 2.0 Portable Vibration Speaker costs just \$50 and delivers clever functionality. The speaker's node attaches to any object around and turns that object into a speaker capable of bumping out summer jams from your iPod, computer or any device with an audio jack. Turn a lampshade, a cereal bowl, even a cardboard box into a messenger for your favorite band. Perfect when space is limited, the travel-friendly unit works anywhere with power provided by two AAA batteries or a USB power cord. **\$50 • ORIGAUDIO.COM**



PARROT AR.DRONE COPTER

If you thought drones were just for the battlefield, think again. Commercial drones, or "quadcopters," are used for everything from surveillance to summer fun. Buzz the beach using your smartphone as the controls, tilting it to stabilize the drone, and give flight instructions with on-screen controls. Additional apps available for download allow users to play augmented reality games. Add to the mix two cameras and the drone's built-in Wi-Fi for an outdoor spectacle sure to keep everyone entertained. The brand new AR.Drone 2.0 will be released this June. **\$299 • ARDRONE.PARROT.COM**



IGO PICO POCKET PROJECTOR

If you're mixing business with pleasure on your summer travels, the iGo Pico Pocket Projector couldn't be a better colleague. The pocket-size unit produces surprisingly good projection power for quality presentations on the go, piped in from your laptop or mobile device. The best part? The projector doubles as a portable home theater. Point it at a hotel wall and treat the family to big-screen movies up to 70" diagonal. **\$349 • IGO.COM**