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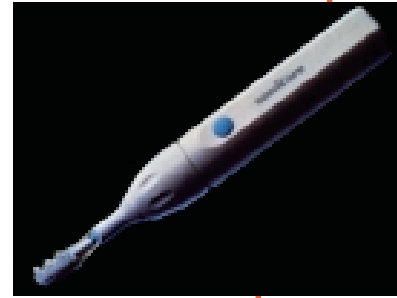
BEYOND MIRROR SHADES

Revo sunglasses use lenses originally developed for the space program. Their unprecedented clarity and outrageous metallic colors are the reasons I own four pairs. I never thought I needed a fifth... until now. The US\$195 Revo Wraps hug the face to reduce wind resistance, and the full-peripheral lenses protect the eyes without interfering with vision. When my outings involve high-speed bike rides, ski runs, or pickup basketball games, Revo Wraps are my shades of choice. (800) 367-7386, +1 (415) 962 0906.



SEARCH NO MORE

Owning every phone book in the US could be a real nightmare. I used to have a complete set for Northern California, but I couldn't walk through my office. Now, one of the best CD-ROM values on the market - SelectPhone - provides you with a nearly complete set of phone directories for the US. ProPhone gives you four CD-ROMs with more than 90 million names, addresses, and phone numbers for both residences and businesses. The information is culled from printed books, so no unlisted numbers appear. You can enter a phone number, and the program will cough up the corresponding name and address. Pretty scary. US\$299. +1 (617) 631 9200.



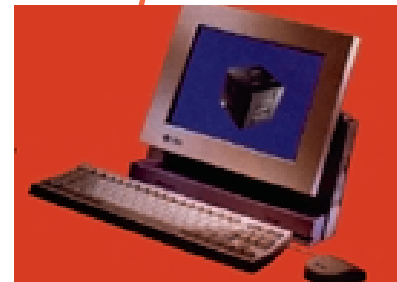
BRISTLY BUZZ

The Sonicare toothbrush buzzes at 31,000 strokes per minute - over 150 times faster than you or I can brush on our best day. Besides being the fastest toothbrush on the block, what makes the US\$149.95 Sonicare so cool is that it works beyond the bristles, emitting high-frequency sonic waves that oscillate, creating tiny air pockets that penetrate the gaps and hard-to-reach areas of your teeth to break away plaque. (800) 682 7664, +1 (206)957 0970.



DIGITAL DEEP

A case of the bends can ruin your whole day. That's why wired divers take the US\$168 Scubapro SG-12 depth gauge with them when they embark on a voyage to the bottom of the sea. Worn on the wrist, the brightly colored unit features a luminescent LCD display that not only provides a precision depth reading but also keeps track of current depth, maximum depth, and time spent under water. A special feature that logs accumulated total dive hours is useful for determining when to get your regulator serviced. (800) 467 2822, +1 (310) 639 7850.



THE SUN ALSO TRAVELS

Computer users with a fetish for power need workstation-level speed wherever they go. Sun Microsystems's 15-pound Voyager is the first fully transportable SPARC workstation. With a 60-MHz microSPARC II processor, you'd expect it to suck a lot of watts. Wrong! The US\$14,995 Voyager is EPA Energy Star certified and has power management capabilities that extend battery and system life. And it's quiet - the power supply is cool enough not to need a fan. There's even an infrared interface for integrating personal digital assistants with the system. (800) 821 4643, +1 (415) 960 1300.