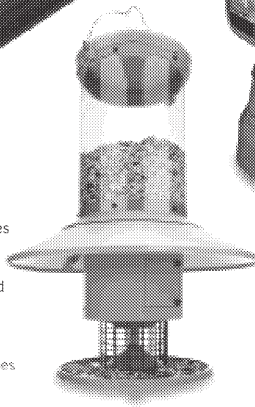




▶ **The AutoFeeder** is the first programmable bird feeder. Birders can set the 21-inch device to dispense seeds four times a day in seconds-long intervals. That way they won't miss seeing winged visitors, and the feeder won't empty as quickly as a gravity-dependent design would. Wingscapes AutoFeeder **\$130**



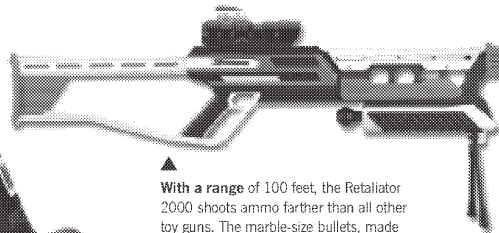
▶ **The Lychas** headset features volume knobs on both ears, so wearers can adjust each side independently. By turning down the audio in one ear, gamers can strategize with teammates in the room and still stay tuned in to the game. Genius Lychas HS-G550 Foldable Gaming Headset **\$50**



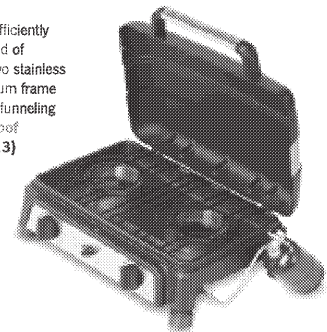
▶ **The GSL 2** is the first laser level that points out bumps in floors automatically. After a user sets a reference, two lasers scan a 60-foot circle—one on top of the other, appearing as one beam. Where the ground is uneven, they diverge, appearing as two. Bosch GSL 2 Surface Laser **\$549**



▶ **The Zippo** stove cooks food more efficiently than other windproof options. Instead of windscreens that rest on the grill, two stainless steel chimneys built into the aluminum frame protect the flames from gusts while funneling heat directly to pots. Zippo Windproof Stove **\$250 (available spring 2013)**



▶ **With a range of 100 feet**, the Retaliator 2000 shoots ammo farther than all other toy guns. The marble-size bullets, made from a gel-like polymer, whiz through the air like BBs. Getting shot won't hurt: They disintegrate upon contact. Maya Group Xpionerz K2 Retaliator 2000 **\$45**



▶ **Cooks with messy hands** can control the ShogBox speaker without touching it. A motion sensor at the top of the device registers seven gestural commands, so a user can skip to the next song with a hand wave. Philips ShogBox Portable Speaker \$87.900 **\$200**



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