

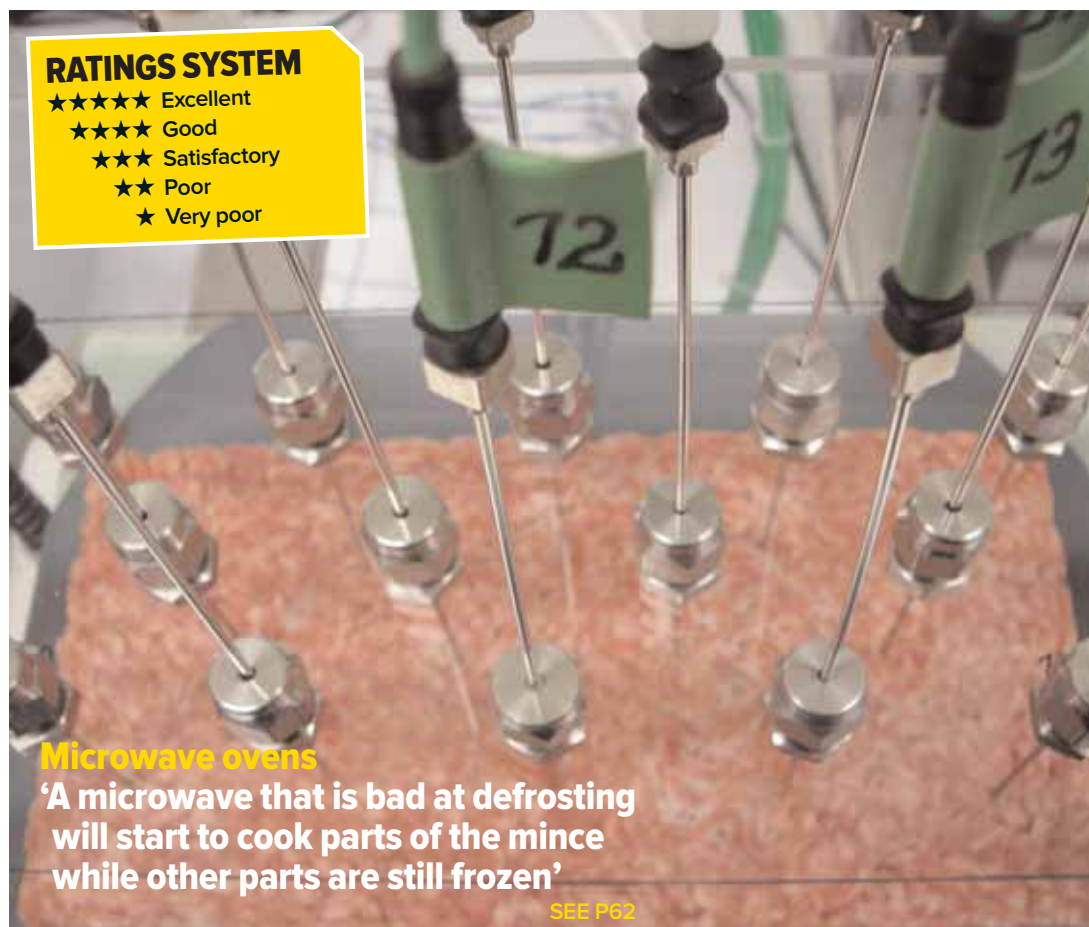


# On test

**Inside**

## RATINGS SYSTEM

- ★★★★★ Excellent
- ★★★★ Good
- ★★★ Satisfactory
- ★★ Poor
- ★ Very poor



### Microwave ovens

'A microwave that is bad at defrosting will start to cook parts of the mince while other parts are still frozen'

SEE P62



**36** Televisions



**44** Camcorders



**66** Energy-saving light bulbs

### Plus

**48** MP3 and MP4 players

**54** Digital radios

**58** Dishwashers

**70** Tumble dryers

## How to use the tables

In the reports that follow, we tell you more about how we test each product, but some features are common to all reports.

### Best Buys

Our coveted Best Buy award goes only to

products that performed consistently well in our rigorous tests and excelled in all the main areas, achieving high total test scores. They are shown in the tables in **red**.



### Don't Buys

These are products that performed extremely poorly in one or more of our key tests or that achieve very low total test scores. They are shown in the tables in **black**.



### Exceptional Value

Our special award is given on those rare occasions to products that are both of superb quality and outstandingly priced.



### Prices

For Best Buys we give the cheapest widely available high-street price as we go to press. If a model is available only online, the price is in *italics*. Prices for other models are a guide to what you should expect to pay.

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