



RATINGS SYSTEM

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

Exercise machines

'Sports scientists and volunteers spent hundreds of hours pedalling, running and striding to check out the equipment' SEE P70

Inside



48 Washing machines



60 Portable DVD players

Plus

- 56 Grills and steamers
- 64 Speaker docks
- 66 All-in-one printers
- 68 Free software

Our testing explained

PRODUCT SELECTION

To decide on product types for testing, we talk to manufacturers, retailers and industry experts, and look at market reports, to find out about bestsellers and forthcoming launches. The models that we

test include, where possible, the most recently launched bestsellers from the most popular brands, models with innovative features and affordable less well-known brands.

We're independent and everything we test is paid for in full.

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Which? Best Buy

This coveted award goes to products that perform consistently well in rigorous tests and excel in all main measures, achieving high total test scores.

Which? Don't Buy This marks products that

perform extremely poorly in one or more key test, achieving very low total test scores.

Exceptional Value This award goes to Best Buys that are outstandingly well priced as



well as being of superb quality in our testing. **Prices** For Best Buys, we give the lowest widely available high-street or online price as we go to press. Prices for other models are a guide to what you should expect to pay. Go to www.whichcompare.co.uk for the latest prices.

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