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Thrice As Nice

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GOPRO HERO3 BLACK EDITION

\$399

The third-generation GoPro Black Edition packs a 12MP sensor, shoots video in every flavor of hi-def from 720 to 4K Cinema, and can shoot stills at a machine-gun rate of 30 frames per second. Built-in Wi-Fi allows you to adjust settings and control the camera from your phone or tablet via the GoPro app. No phone? The Black Edition comes with a Wi-Fi remote. Plus, a selection of mounts allows you to stick this camera just about anywhere you want. All in all, it's the most technologically advanced rebuttal to the phrase "video or it didn't happen."

gopro.com



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You could be the next YouTube hit.
If it costs you a femur, so be it.

⤴ JVC GC-XA1 ADIXXION

\$299

Shoot 5MP stills or crisp 1080p HD video, which are easily reviewable via the onboard 1.5" LCD screen. The rugged JVC is waterproof to five meters, shock-proof up to a two-meter drop, dust-proof, freeze-proof, and should crisply record the action even after you lose consciousness.

jvc.com

⤴ ACTION SHOT CAMERA

\$49

The small disc-shaped cam shoots standard definition video at 30 frames per second. To record longer sessions, you can upgrade the 128MB of onboard memory via a microSD slot. At 50 bucks, if you break it by epic face-plant, you'll only have to worry about your grill, not your camera.

actionshotcam.com

⤴ CONTOUR ROAM2

\$199

Waterproof out of the box, the ROAM2's raked sides serve as threads for mounting the camera to the included T-Rail system. A built-in laser lets you nail down your sightline before you throw the on-switch, which also engages the 5MP HD cam's recording. You don't waste power in standby mode and when you are on, it's on!

store.contour.com

