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HAND FRIENDLY

A new grip for your tool handles

Got a slippery handle on your hammer or rake? Wish your wheelbarrow handles were a bit more comfy? The Re-Grip (re-grip.com) makes it easy to add or replace rubber handle covers on all kinds of tools. No gluing or heating necessary—you just insert the handle of the tool and pull on a plastic tab to unwind the plastic coil from inside the rubber cover, which then shrinks to fit around the handle. Re-Grip comes in three sizes, which cost \$9 to \$17 online.



ALL WHEEL DRIVE

GREAT MOWER FOR HILLY YARDS

Last summer I moved into a new house with a steeply sloped front yard, so I figured it was time to buy a self-propelled lawn mower. After reading a few reviews online, I bought a 22-in. Toro Recycler with all-wheel drive (model 20353; toro.com). This thing is awesome! It climbs hills with ease and mulches grass into fine particles that feed my lawn. And the specially designed engine never needs oil changes—you just check and add oil as needed. This model costs about \$400 at The Home Depot.

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HOT TICKET

THIS SMALL GARAGE HEATER PACKS A PUNCH

I bought this little NewAir heater (model G56) a couple of years ago for my garage workshop. I live in Minnesota, the land of subzero temps, where it does a fantastic job of getting my mostly insulated two-car attached garage from 40 to 60 degrees F in about 30 minutes. That's plenty warm for my needs. You'll need to have an electrician install a dedicated 30-amp, 240-volt circuit to power it. NewAir model 56 costs about \$170 online. You can learn more and order at newair.com/products/g56.

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