

Technology Update

Custom Earphones for Your Ears Only

01/26/09 - 11:56 AM EST

Diana Forbes

LOS ANGELES -- If you are thinking of upgrading to a better set of earphones, you might want to consider getting a pair from Sleek. These are custom made specifically for your ears alone. The company has a history of fitting hearing aids and a reputation for producing extremely good-quality earphones. Gadget Grrl says, listening to music with these sounds like it's right in the middle of your head.

Next, is there anyone who couldn't use some additional cell-phone coverage, especially while on the road? There are so many hotels in high rises that have dead zones that you might want to consider carrying one of these lightweight zPocket Cell Zone Extenders. With this gadget, you can enhance your cell-phone signal and extend the power of your battery.

More about zBoost's zPocket later. Now let's look at the earphones...



With this gadget, you can enhance your cell-phone signal and extend the power of your battery. It works by attaching the zPocket device to a window and then placing your cell phone into the cradle and plugging in the cradle. There is no other set-up involved.

You can then use your headset or Bluetooth device or switch over to the speakerphone.

While your cell phone is in the zPocket, it will then increase your cell-phone signal and add the length of your cell-phone battery, because when the signal is stronger, the battery does not run down as fast.

The base unit size is 4" x 5" and weighs just 10 ounces, so it's easy to carry along on road trips. This will also work with all phones and U.S. carriers except Nextel...

The screenshot shows the TheStreet.com website interface. The main article is titled "Custom Earphones for Your Ears Only" by Diana Forbes. The article text describes the Sleek Custom Earphones, highlighting their custom fit and sound quality. A sidebar on the right contains a "Free Newsletters from TheStreet" section and an advertisement for "8 Investing Mistakes You Should Avoid This Year". The top navigation bar includes links for "HEADLINES", "BUSINESS NEWS", "INVESTMENT PICKS", "VIDEO", "INVESTING 101", "LIFE & MONEY", "PORTFOLIO & TOOLS", "REAL ESTATE", and "SERVICES".