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## Best Buys in Cookware & Bakeware

### Best Buy Categories:

[P]=Premium selection;

[M]=Midrange selection;

[E]=Economy selection.

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Best Buys were selected on the basis of performance, durability and ease of cleaning. For cookware, multiple-piece sets were chosen, and because most consumers make choices based on whether cookware is nonstick or not, the categories were divided as such. Many Best Buy brands offer multiple set configurations, but we recommended the sets that appear to be the best value. For bakeware, we focused on two of the most popular pieces—the cookie pan and the 9-in. round cake pan. For cookware and bakeware made of stainless steel, 18/10 refers to the ratio of chromium to nickel and is an optimal composition for durability, a shiny finish and resistance to corrosion.

Best Price is a reflection of the lowest price available at press time and is subject to change.

### Nonstick Cookware

#### [P] Swiss Diamond Cast-Aluminum 10-Piece

List: \$692; Best Price: \$415

Thanks to the unique, minuscule, diamond crystals, metal utensils won't make a scratch, and the cookware offers stellar food release and easy clean-up. Pots and pans have a satisfying weight, and the handles have an ergonomic curve with finger and thumb indentations for a steady grip. The set includes 8- and 10-in. fry pans, 1.4- and 2.2-qt. covered sauce pans, an 8.5-qt. covered stock pot and a 9.5-in. covered sauté pan.

#### Features:

- Body: Pressure-cast aluminum
- Surface: Diamond-reinforced nonstick
- Warranty: Limited lifetime