Eight digital projectors beam up images galore,   and most of these units can travel without worries about performance

GCN LAB	PowerLite 713c	LP 130	LV-S1	PS-6180	SL705X	U3-810z	XD-17k	Notevision XG-C40XU
Vendor	Epson America Inc. Long Beach, Calif. tel. 800-463-7766 www.epson.com	InFocus Corp. Wilsonville, Ore. tel. 800-294-6400 www.infocus.com	Canon U.S.A. Inc. Lake Success, N.Y. tel. 800-385-2155 www.usa.canon.com	CTX International Inc. City of Industry, Calif. tel. 626-709-1000 www.ctxintl.com	Benq Inc. (formerly Acer CM) City of Industry, Calif. tel. 909-569-0700 www.benq.com	Plus Corp. of America Allendale, N.J. tel. 800-289-7587 www.plus-america.com	Boxlight Corp. Poulsbo, Wash. tel. 800-884-6464 www.boxlight.com	Sharp Electronics Corp. Mahwah, N.J. tel. 201-529-8200 www.sharp-usa.com
Lumens projected at 10 feet	700	750	550	780	500	580	600	850
Lumens lost from center of image to corners	80	150	50	20	20	50	70	90
Dimensions in inches	10.5 by 2.8 by 8.4	6.6 by 8.6 by 2	10.2 by 3 by 9	12 by 3.4 by 9.5	8.6 by 2 by 6.8	7 by 1.9 by 9	8.9 by 2 by 6.9	9 by 4.8 by 12.2
Weight in pounds	5.8	3	6.1	8.2	3.8	3.2	3.3	10.6
Pros	+ Easy-to-use controls + Crisp images	+ Excellent peak brightness + Tiny	+ Best color depth + Lots of inputs; auto-detects connections	+ Excellent brightness + Uniform image quality from center to corners	+ Capable of large images using wide-angle lens + Very quiet	+ Excellent color balance + Entry-level price for advanced DLP projector	+ Best display of text images	+ Brightest + Best controls
Cons		– Somewhat noticeable light dropoff from center to edges – No power-down cycle	– Too dim in bright rooms	– Heavy and large – Some boot-up problems after initial shutdown	– Too dim in bright rooms when maximizing image with wide-angle lens	– Menu controls difficult to navigate	– Controls difficult and unresponsive	– Too heavy for travel – Expensive
Price	$3,716	$6,499	$2,999	$3,999	$4,495	$2,595	$3,399	$6,295
Overall grade	A REVIEWER'S CHOICE	A REVIEWER'S CHOICE	A REVIEWER'S CHOICE	B+	B	B BANG FOR THE BUCK	C+	C