

What the Press is saying about The ProScope

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Closest Zoom -- I'm one of those people who's never been able to use a microscope comfortably, thanks to a fairly thin face and glasses. If only Bodelin's ProScope had been available back when I was dissecting worms and counting protozoa! It's a handheld USB digital microscope that can display 640 by 480 images on a computer screen at up to 200 times magnification. It can even show live video, record movies, or do time-lapse photography at those magnifications. The \$200 package includes a 50x lens, the necessary software, backlighting, and standard tripod mount (also for use with The ProScope's optional \$125 stand). Also available are an \$85 1x lens that turns The ProScope into a standard digital camera and \$100 100x and \$129 200x lenses for increased magnification. Plus, a \$20 C-Ring lens adapter enables the use of any standard C-mount lens. The ProScope sounds ideal for schools, since a teacher could display magnified images or live video for the entire class to see. [ACE]