

WARMER: BIZARRE GREEN INVENTIONS

Look at some bizarre green inventions. How do you think they help save the planet?
How do you think they work?

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Moss Carpet



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Invention	How it works
Blood Lamp	This single-use lamp requires a drop of blood to be activated — a personal sacrifice that will really make you think twice before turning on the lights. The lamp’s secret ingredient is luminol, the chemical forensic scientists use to check for blood, which glows blue when it reacts with the iron in red blood cells
Lab Meat	Dr. Vladimir Mironov has been working to grow meat in a lab for the past decade because he believes that manufactured meat could help solve global food crises. He says this “cultured meat” will one day be sold in grocery stores
Moss Carpet	La Chanh Nguyen’s moss carpet brings a little green into your bathroom in an unconventionally natural way. This living bathmat features three types of green mosses — forest moss, island moss and ball moss — that grow in plastazote, a decay-free, recycled latex foam. This mat will certainly liven up your shower space
Poor Little Fishbowl Sink	This invention by Yan Lu helps us to think about our use of water by taking water directly from a fishbowl. Lu says his innovative sink is “an emotional way to persuade people to think about saving water”.

What do you think about these bizarre inventions? Which one is your favourite? Why?

Do you think any of them could be inventions that people could use everyday?