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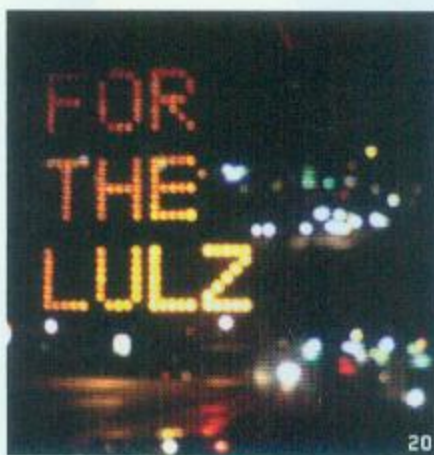
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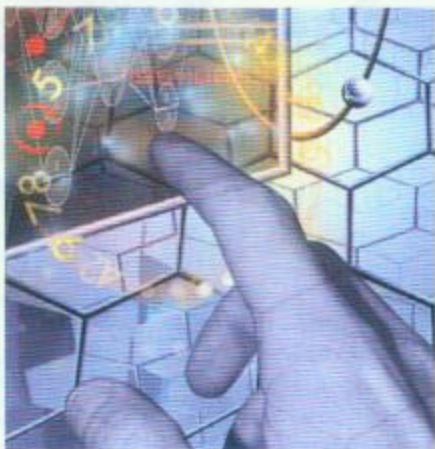


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Nanotechnology enables the creation of devices the size of a human cell, prompting the need for new protocols. This month's cover story traces the state of nanonetworks as the new frontier in communications. Brooklyn-based artist Giacomo Marchesi (who also goes by the name James Gray) worked closely with the authors

of the article to capture the essence of the nanomachines and nano-particles in 3D. For more on Marchesi's work, see <http://www.giacomomarchesi.com>.



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