
Subject: This is Pretty Cool
Posted by [The Party](#) on Sat, 04 Jul 2009 03:41:32 GMT
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I like this it is pretty cool. <http://www.boingboing.net/2009/06/26/maglev-toy-train.html>

Dicuss.

Subject: Re: This is Pretty Cool
Posted by [_SSnipe_](#) on Sat, 04 Jul 2009 04:13:00 GMT
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That is awesome

Subject: Re: This is Pretty Cool
Posted by [anant](#) on Sat, 04 Jul 2009 07:11:17 GMT
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I have one

Subject: Re: This is Pretty Cool
Posted by [Majiin Vegeta](#) on Sat, 04 Jul 2009 08:34:42 GMT
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very cool!

Subject: Re: This is Pretty Cool
Posted by [ErroR](#) on Sat, 04 Jul 2009 09:24:07 GMT
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liquid nitrogen? this is one serious toy

Subject: Re: This is Pretty Cool
Posted by [jnz](#) on Sat, 04 Jul 2009 09:55:36 GMT
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Subject: Re: This is Pretty Cool

Posted by [mr£ÄŞÄ-z](#) on Sat, 04 Jul 2009 10:13:46 GMT

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I still prefer this.

To bad its just a fake lol

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Posted by [EvilWhiteDragon](#) on Sat, 04 Jul 2009 11:46:47 GMT

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Posted by [jnz](#) on Sat, 04 Jul 2009 12:14:57 GMT

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Posted by [luv2pb](#) on Sat, 04 Jul 2009 17:28:07 GMT
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The science is kinda cool but to apply it to the real word would be problematic.

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Posted by [jnz](#) on Sat, 04 Jul 2009 20:06:03 GMT
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I know, I've never said it's impossible. It's just very difficult for someone to make as an amateur. To make something levitate in the fashion that, that toy train is without superconductors is difficult.

Subject: Re: This is Pretty Cool
Posted by [The Party](#) on Sun, 05 Jul 2009 03:51:32 GMT
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How would someone get there hands on liquid nitrogen?

Subject: Re: This is Pretty Cool
Posted by [EvilWhiteDragon](#) on Sun, 05 Jul 2009 03:56:47 GMT
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You can purchase it at various companies as consumer here in the Netherlands. So I guess that wouldnt be the hardest part.
