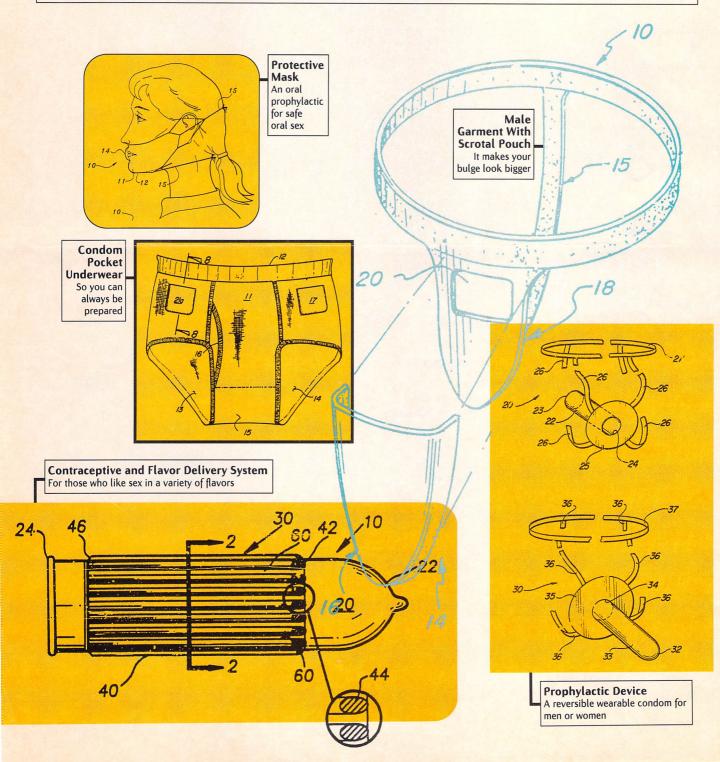
Device Squad

Inventing better sex

Unbeknownst to most Americans as they quietly go about the business of their daily lives, thousands of people across the country are feverishly working to improve the nation's sex life. Inventors, the unknown foot soldiers of the sexual revolution, are hard at work in garages, basements, and workshops. They're creating new and improved vibrators, interactive orgasminducing underpants, musical condoms, and much more. Thanks to America's ever-growing variety of sexual tastes, there is an endless supply of erotic needs to be satisfied—and no carnal specifications are too obscure to fill. The inventions shown here are just a selection of the many inspired products recently patented in the United States.



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