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A new addition to this group is [Superfund365](#), a website that is profiling (you guessed it) 365 Superfund sites over the course of a year. The Superfund program, managed by the US Environmental Protection Agency to clean up a huge variety of really nasty environmental problems that range from Manhattan to Hawaii, is brought to life in slick, Flash animation-based fun. Art is always best when it can inform, and learning about the real, nasty threats posed by Superfund sites is much more palatable in this artful form.

The project was conceived by New York City-based digital media artist Brooke Singer; check out [the site](#) for more details. [::Superfund365](#) via [::Cool Hunting](#)

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