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Separated from your significant other?

[Connect]... remotely using these plastic eggs

Long-distance relationships used to be pretty tough, but that was before you could kiss the silicone lips of a plastic egg and have it transmit the properties of your smooch to another plastic egg which, in turn, relays the sensations to whomever is on the other end.

The devices—called Kissengers (naturally)—are being marketed toward geographically separated couples, but it's not hard to imagine other uses for the them, say celebrities selling their "kisses" to the fans. *LiveScience* points out the weird moral gray area this could create in defining adultery.

Does kissing an egg count as cheating? The development and testing of the Kissenger is chronicled in the *International Journal of Human-Computer Studies*. The future is here.