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Army Gets Lead Out

Most people think a spent bullet does no damage. But for years the Army's bullets have been made from lead – an environmental hazard that costs as much as 98 cents each to clean up. In fact, concerns about lead contamination at military training installations have caused the Department of Defense to restrict "live fire" training for soldiers. The Army also is introducing an environmentally friendly bullet: Lead is out and tungsten – a metal used in light bulbs and cutting tools – is in.