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Could Global Warming Be Halted by Controlling the Weather?



Frustrated with the limits of public policy to tackle global warming, some scientists say the time has come to engineer a way to control the weather. The idea might seem appealing, says a science scholar, but it could have potentially harmful ramifications.

Climate engineering has become a popular topic among a group of scientists who are skeptical of the potential other environmental remedies, from carbon taxes to alternative energy, James R. Fleming, a professor of science, technology and society at Colby College, writes in the [Wilson Quarterly’s spring issue](#). But the potential fixes being discussed reflect an overconfidence in technology, Mr. Fleming says, as well as an ignorance of the history of failed efforts to control the weather.

One idea put forth by a physicist involved in climate-control discussions would involve bombarding the Arctic stratosphere with specially engineered particles to deflect the

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sun's rays, thereby lowering temperatures. Alternatively, a fleet of crop-dusting airplanes could deliver the particles by flying continuously around the Arctic Circle. An astronomer suggested placing a huge fleet of mirrors in orbit to divert solar radiation. Some of these ideas, says Mr. Fleming, are reminiscent of the optimism that framed the first attempts at climate control, which date to the 19th century. In the 1940s, scientists developed cloud-seeding to produce rainfall, a technique that was later adopted by the U.S. military during the Vietnam War to hinder enemy troops movements.

The risk that modern climate controls would be similarly used for military purposes is one of the dangers of the latest batch of ideas, says Mr. Fleming. "It is virtually impossible to imagine governments resisting the temptation to explore military uses of any potentially climate-altering technology," he says. What's more, the climate system is so complex that it would be difficult to ever predict how such controls would affect nature. And which countries, Mr. Fleming wonders, could be trusted to equitably control weather in different parts of the world. In the face of a potential climate crisis, doing nothing or too little is "clearly wrong, but so is doing too much." – *Wendy Pollack*

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One rarely cited consideration is that as we spew pollutants into the air (aerosols and particulates) the world becomes dimmer (less energy from the sun penetrates earth's atmosphere). At some point this 'dimming' effect may overcome increasing temperatures from the 'trapping' effect.

Comment by joeschmoe - April 25, 2007 at [7:04 pm](#)

Global warming claims appear the big lie.

They just as well say the sky is falling.

These scientists lie so much its hard to give them any credibility.



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What is a scientist and who are they.

If the UN is involved, as they are you got a track record of wide spread corruption.

We just had the mad scientist Mr.. Suk in the embryonic stem cell great lie or the Drug pushing scientists of the pharmaceutical industry or those scientists who said the world was flat or the ice age forecast by the same scientists but 40 years ago.

And why is Al Gore a self serving politician, now world renown, given scientist credentials.

And if you do not believe Global warming these people claim you are also a denier of the Holocaust. If they are so confident why use such vitriol?

Comment by Paul Rinderle - April 26, 2007 at [1:27 am](#)

There was a general cooling of the atmosphere between 1940-1975. This cooling did not fit into the global warming models so it was attributed to polluting “aerosols”, which has since been eliminated. Well, if all that is true, we have nothing to worry about because China is dumping so much polluting aerosols that it should surely offset global warming.

Comment by Trustin - April 26, 2007 at [6:40 am](#)

I can not get accurate weather for this afternoon, why would I believe any of these people about ten or a hundred years from now?

Comment by Raj Sojna - April 26, 2007 at [8:14 am](#)

This is crazy ! I do not approve ! lets not do anything until we see real change ! These idiots will plunge us into an Ice Age ! I would much rather live in a warm environment than an ice covered one

Comment by Commonsense - April 26, 2007 at [8:16 am](#)

just look up in the sky. the chemtrails are being sprayed by white/silver aircraft with no markings.its been happening for 10 years now.there doing it in almost every country.of



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Comment by john - April 26, 2007 at [8:18 am](#)

Repent the end is nigh!

Comment by Panzerfaust - April 26, 2007 at [8:21 am](#)

Governments around the world have been involved in weather control for decades—ever heard of Haarp?

Comment by reo - April 26, 2007 at [8:22 am](#)

What utter pompous nonsense. So what did man do to cause the last Ice Age. Perhaps these so-called climate experts can start preparing people for potential climate changes, whether for hotter, colder, drier or wetter. Man is not that significant a factor, unless we do something stupid like try to oontrol it ourselves. Then we could really screw things up.

Comment by Scott Corbin - April 26, 2007 at [8:22 am](#)

genius, those are called contrails. goggle that and put the black helicopter and anti 9/11 books down.

Comment by mike - April 26, 2007 at [8:27 am](#)

It's a dangerous trial to start acting like God. We finite humans cannot outsmart a infinite God. We will surely make a bigger mess if we try to change the delicate balance of our planet by trying to control the weather.

Comment by Glen - April 26, 2007 at [8:30 am](#)

They have already been “crop-dusting” us for years. What? Did you think all those lines in the sky were vapor trails?

Comment by Roland - April 26, 2007 at [8:34 am](#)

Yep all the wackos were right, as with everything with time the truth comes out. They have been spraying our skies to experiment, but of course they're not going to talk about it because that would induce panic. There are economic reasons not to mention it, it takes the public to figure it out.

Comment by Dave - April 26, 2007 at [8:34 am](#)

it amazes me how dumb people are. global warming is happening. why is it so hard to believe. why would leading scientists lie about something like this? every one of you pundits sound just like fox news or the drudge report or this administration. the biggest liars of them all. and as for the "repent...the end is nigh" guy, do the world a favor and put a bullet in your brain and go to your heaven quickly. the end of the world will be man made, so that crazy religious freaks can somehow justify their beliefs. they want the end of the world to come.....freaking psychos!!

Comment by mattenator - April 26, 2007 at [8:35 am](#)

- 1)Is global warming even really happening?
- 2)If it is, are we really even causing it?
- 3)If we are, can we really even stop it?

Three uncertain questions, which strongly suggest that we should spend our money on how to survive ANY climate outcome, rather than pouring tons of money into trying to solve something that may not be happening, and may not be fixable anytime soon....

Comment by Beez - April 26, 2007 at [8:35 am](#)

Climate engineering? We still can't make a reliable toaster.

I suggest we hold on to our wallets. It looks like another money grab, funded perhaps by mandatory carbon taxes.

Comment by Phil Bickel - April 26, 2007 at [8:38 am](#)

We still can't engineer a reliable toaster.

It sounds like a money grab for the proposed new carbon tax surplus.

Comment by Phil Bickel - April 26, 2007 at [8:40 am](#)

Finally somebody is doing something about the weather. I want 74 degrees year round with low humidity. If you believe they can do that you have enough faith to believe that God created the Universe in 6 days 6,000 years ago.

Comment by Doc Gay - April 26, 2007 at [8:42 am](#)

What hubris to think we can control the weather. This is a terrible idea. Lets clean-up the technologies we already and prepare our peoples and cities for climate change.

Comment by Mr. M - April 26, 2007 at [8:43 am](#)

The most cogent idea to combat global warming is to send the environmentalists around the world to plug the volcanos.

Comment by nelson - April 26, 2007 at [8:44 am](#)

The Mars polar ice cap is melting at the same rate as ours. Anyone seen any SUV's on Mars lately?

Comment by Trisha - April 26, 2007 at [8:45 am](#)

I wonder if these are the same group of scientists who recommended 6 years ago to move the earths orbit away from the sun slightly by putting every single jet engine on 1 location in Africa and then turn it on. There was also another group also suggesting moving the Earth away from the sun(every so slightly) by crashing asteroids into the planet.

Yeah, good job people. You'll kill all life on Earth to save it.

Comment by AgentJean - April 26, 2007 at [8:49 am](#)

Contrails? Not at 5000ft in the summertime. They've been spraying in Montana and most of the Western US for more than 10 years.

Comment by gw - April 26, 2007 at [8:49 am](#)

I am so sick of hearing about “global warming”. It has become another politicized subject...

Comment by David - April 26, 2007 at [8:50 am](#)

we already control the weather to a degree (thus global warming), what we really need to control is our hubris of belief that we have not contributed to the problem and therefore can do nothing about it.

Republican opposition to efforts to combat (event theoretically) global warming is akin to the flat earth view of the world where the sun revolves around the earth.

Comment by troy - April 26, 2007 at [8:50 am](#)

Until we realize that we must live in harmony with nature and that we cannot control it we will continue to destroy ourselves. We are arrogant and think we know far more than we really do about the balance of nature. Arrogance is not a virtue. And when did saving our environment become liberal? Republicans are breathing the same filth that Democrats are...

Comment by Cenn - April 26, 2007 at [8:51 am](#)

global warming = a polar shift. What is dry will now be cold & wet; what is wet will now be dry (desert). You can't believe anything that is sponsored by a govt entity.

Comment by gw - April 26, 2007 at [8:52 am](#)

There is nothing wrong with the planet. The only environment we want to “save” is the climate we've become accustomed to living in. If they want to screw with the weather, do it on Mars.

Comment by Gwen - April 26, 2007 at [8:53 am](#)

Could you imagine the condition we would be in today if at the start of the “Little Ice Age” in the 1300 if people then trying to control the weather? Imagine if they pumped

more greenhouse gases back then to prevent the Ice Age. We would really be cooked now.

If we try to cool the planet artificially we will definately cause a new ice age and kill billions of people.

Comment by AgentJean - April 26, 2007 at [8:53 am](#)

You people are ridiculous. Why don't you go watch Star Trek

Comment by Al Gore - April 26, 2007 at [8:54 am](#)

The modern day Earth Worshippers (environmentalists) and their Messiah (Al Gore) are simply filling the void that once was occupied by the Judeo-Christian principles that dominated this country. And the global warming zealots would love nothing more than to put a bullet in the head of every one of us blasphemers (deniers).

Comment by Sealant - April 26, 2007 at [8:54 am](#)

The GAIA folks have an answer for this - google the Georgia Guidestones.

Comment by gw - April 26, 2007 at [8:55 am](#)

Several excellent blog posts on this controversial issue may be found at:
<http://my.opera.com/Ravo/blog/>

This guy reviews the facts impartially. Check his archived posts!

Comment by Roger - April 26, 2007 at [8:55 am](#)

Those are officially the most crack-pot idea's to stop global warming I've ever heard

Comment by Rotis - April 26, 2007 at [8:55 am](#)

The global warning scientists have a financial incentive for pushing the global warming theory. I think we should reduce/minimize our pollution at all levels, but to say

mankind is destroying the earth with global warming. If I am not mistaken there was once this thing called the ice age. Now how does one come out of an ice age, with warming temperatures and before the ice age it was warm. It is called a cycle.

Comment by George S - April 26, 2007 at [8:56 am](#)

I think these carbon offsets are a great idea. We also should have Alqueda offsets, DDT offsets, Flood offsets, tornado ofsets, & hollywood offsets.

Comment by Tom - April 26, 2007 at [8:57 am](#)

Hey, troglodytes! How can anyone be so stupid. You're going to take on global warming science because you think it's wrong based on what? Your own carefully conducted studies? Morons. Lest you forget, scientific method is a very powerful way of finding out the truth. Maybe you morons should stop watching TV — after all, those so-called scientists say invisible “waves” can travel through the air! Maybe you morons should stop using your microwave ovens. Again with the invisible waves? Who are these so-called “scientists” who say that we can cure polio by injecting a mystery serum into our bodies? Who say we can make electricity out of sunlight? Just to sum it up for you morons: You don't like climate science, but you apparently have no problem with every other branch of science in the universe. Morons.

Comment by YouPeopleAreMorons - April 26, 2007 at [8:58 am](#)

We have been controlling weather since the 1980's. Hasen't anybody ever heard of Project H.A.A.R.P. Check it for yourself.

<http://www.haarp.net/haarpoverview.htm>

Comment by DS - April 26, 2007 at [8:58 am](#)

Tesla said weather control as well as mind control can be accomplished anywhere in the world. Take a look at the HAARP project in Alaska and then see where its funding comes from. The Pentagon “can't find” missing billions (the excuses read like former Enron execs) so you tell me if the funding and the equipment are 'nt already in place to control weather.

Comment by Barry - April 26, 2007 at [9:03 am](#)

Man can't control the weather! Climate change is inevitable. Global warming has been going on since the last ice age. Man did not cause it! If any other species were the dominant organism on this planet there would be just as much CO2 emissions. CO2 is not even a pollutant!

Comment by JR - April 26, 2007 at [9:04 am](#)

Do some research people, cloud seeding has been around since the 1940's. Stop the charade, the money made from generating panic is nervous and temporary

Comment by Bobby Mak 8-8008 - April 26, 2007 at [9:05 am](#)

Hum...What did then secretary of Defence William say in a 1997 speech?
"Others are engaging even in an eco- type of terrorism whereby they can alter the climate, set off earthquakes, volcanoes remotely through the use of electromagnetic waves."

<http://www.defenselink.mil/transcripts/transcript.aspx?transcriptid=674>

Comment by Rod - April 26, 2007 at [9:09 am](#)

Instead of this nonsensical back and forth on global warming, why don't all of you who believe in it so fervently Google "warming" and "Mars," "Jupiter," "Pluto," Neptune's largest moon, "Triton." Since those other planets are all experiencing global warming — this is probably ALL part of a natural cycle we haven't figured out yet.

Why haven't we figured it out yet? Because non-scientists like Gore and others are keeping us all focused on humans as the cause of global warming. The chorus of scientists who are saying the data doesn't support political claims are being drowned out.

Check the facts. The ice caps are rapidly melting on Mars. Are humans causing it? Jupiter is heating up. Are humans burning fossil fuels there? Even Pluto, the outermost planet in the solar system, is having its ice melt away.

Something else is causing warming on all the planets in the solar system. Scientists say that the solar energy output hasn't changed. If they are right, then *something else that we don't understand yet* is causing the planets to heat up.

It isn't humans, since we aren't anywhere but on the Earth. It might be nice if we focused some scientific inquiry on exactly what is really causing everything to warm up before it is too late.

Comment by Will - April 26, 2007 at [9:11 am](#)

It gives me a small ounce of hope to see that there are some people out there that see man made global warming for what it is—a lie. Unless the “brilliant” liberal funded scientists can find a way to cool off the sun, all of the carbon taxes in the world will not help.

Comment by Nat - April 26, 2007 at [9:13 am](#)

To whoever made the comment below. You are absolutely correct and more aware of your surroundings than most people. Just look up into the sky for proof...

“just look up in the sky. the chemtrails are being sprayed by white/silver aircraft with no markings.its been happening for 10 years now.there doing it in almost every country.of course its not “official”...google chemtrails for more info.”

Comment by Jet - April 26, 2007 at [9:14 am](#)

Remember back 25-30 years ago if you can... Before Global Warming there was Global Cooling. Respected scientists had predicted that we were in the midst of decade of the coming second ice age. The planet was going to slowly freeze to death and global anihalation was all warm blodded life forms was unavoidable. Well, just like now there were those scientists who wanted to play God wit the weather and there was all kinds of hair brained schemes to “rescue earth”. I remember reading several papers proposing that we start to fly round-the-clock crop dusting missions cover antartica with black carbon to help the planet absorb more sunshine!

You Global Warming fanatics ought to glad that we never did listen to those quacks...

can you imagine what that would have done... polar ice would be melting and the planets temperatures would steadily be rising even more wouldn't they? You conspiracy buffs out there will probably be starting threads on how that's exactly what we did and how the whole scheme is backfiring.

I agree with the pundit who so aptly compared the climatologists global scares to the annoying neighbors car alarm that keeps going off for no reason.

Hopefully soon we can all learn to ignore these self serving and shrill voices of of self absorbed ignorant reasoning also.

Comment by Richard Stadler - April 26, 2007 at [9:16 am](#)

They are going to control the weather. Ha Ha Ha HA!

Comment by Dano - April 26, 2007 at [9:18 am](#)

Are these the same "scientists" who predicted thirty years ago that we were headed for another ice age? Relax, people. We have nothing to worry about from them. These guys couldn't find their backsides with both hands.

Comment by patrick - April 26, 2007 at [9:21 am](#)

The global warming scam as it stands with Owl Gore, is a farce. While our temperatures might be a bit higher, as it has been in the past when we weren't experiencing global cooling, God forbid anyone look up and notice the solar flares coming off of the sun. The same sun that is heating up other planets that are much farther away than ours.

Idiots! If you want to do something positive to curb CO2, stop or slow the deforestation of the earth's rainforests and plant a freaking tree!

Or have you educated idiots forgotten that plants convert CO2 into Oxygen?

Comment by i-live-2-ride - April 26, 2007 at [9:24 am](#)

Does anyone actually read the article? Like mr. or ms. 'YouPeopleAreMorons'. The

article on which you comment quotes their expert as saying “the climate system is so complex that it would be difficult to ever predict how such controls would affect nature”. Yet the entire Global Warming debate is based on a claim that when the earth warms (or cools as in the 70s) we can predict how much of it is or is not caused by, intentional or not, man made factors. Go Figure.

Comment by JP - April 26, 2007 at [9:26 am](#)

The Earth is a living organism with Her own agenda. Why are humans so arrogant and hubristic we actually entertain the notion we are either important enough for Nature to let us in on Her plans or influential enough to change Her mind? Why. Yes, we need to pay attention and treat Her as the living being she is, but who do we think we are She will grant us the same consideration? She was here first, remember? Man against Nature? My money is on Her...

Comment by Tamara J Lawson - April 26, 2007 at [9:29 am](#)

Why are the bees disappearing ? Cellphones are to blame for the worlds problems !

Comment by Dork - April 26, 2007 at [9:30 am](#)

Hey Phil, my family has a toaster that is 50+ years old and still works. A nice one too, nicer than any of the new ones in the same price range. Stainless steel. You just drop the toast in and it automatically goes down and toasts to perfection. Then it slowly rises and beautifully presents your toast. They even have an adjustment screw to the spring that makes it work so that it's life can be extended indefinitely. Where have these toasters gone and what does it have to do with global warming? Beware when unscrupulous businessmen join up with dishonest politicians and science hacks. The good toasters are probably available to the very rich for a thousand dollars or more, which is why anyone would buy one of these cheap pieces of #*&%. What good is it to be part of a wealthy elite if it means you still use the same toaster as everyone else. So they systematically have lowered the quality of everything we use in order to raise the price sky high on the good stuff. That way the elite can really be special in every way. They can fly jets and drive hummers and buy credits and enjoy their toast more and even use as much toilet paper as they want(who's going to check?) Meanwhile we get to enjoy everything breaking down just after the warranty expires, while we watch bad TV shows made into movies or even worse, bad movies made into

law. Please everyone, get a grip.

Comment by Dean - April 26, 2007 at [9:32 am](#)

The stuff the global warming zealots have been inhaling has fried their brains. Well, if they had brains to begin with.

Comment by Earl - April 26, 2007 at [9:34 am](#)

Pfffft! Silly scientists!

With their degrees..and years of study...and quantitative observations...and calculations....and computers! Pshaw!

If they're so smart, why don't they just launch a giant ice cube into the sun to make it stop being so hot when we want it to, huh???

Comment by Brainy McSmartypants - April 26, 2007 at [9:39 am](#)

It is hard to fathom that so many people out there have absolutely no idea what is happening in our world. WAKE UP PEOPLE and educate yourself on what the US gov't is doing to us on a daily basis.

Weather modification is not new. Nikola Tesla. Read folks. HAARP. Read folks. Chemtrails.....honeybee disappearance.....increased sickness among the population. Read folks. Big Pharmacy/FDA. Read folks. 9-11 as provocation for an illegal war to promote a globalist agenda. Read folks. Immigration/US being invaded(at our expense). Read folks.

Do you actually approve of these things? Just keep sitting back folks and keep doing nothing while your rights are being taken away one by one.

Comment by Suka Madeeka - April 26, 2007 at [9:42 am](#)

I think the world governments are secretly trying to kill 5 Billion people. Because they know the earth cannot support this many people for too long. DOWN WITH GOVERNMENTS ! Join a Jihad !

Comment by Mohammed - April 26, 2007 at [9:46 am](#)

global warming - follow the money. we learned that lesson from watergate. algore is chairing a new foundation - funding will be by the concerts - how big will that carbon footprint be for all those? all this stuff is based on climate models? the ones that can't predict a thunderstorm until it's overhead?

Comment by mr obvious - April 26, 2007 at [9:47 am](#)

To Mattenaator: Why would these scientists lie? Go to Michael Crichton's website and read his congressional testimony for starters. Try this: Draw a 140mm circle and label it the sun, draw a 1.3 mm circle and label it earth. Take a good look. That's 1,000,000,000 scale model. Our earth spins and wobbles and tilts in an ever so slowly expanding and contracting orbit around the sun (100,00 years). Solar output is not a constant. We haven't been able to measure it until the last 1/3 of the prior century. Our solar system rotates, our galaxy rotates, no one can tell you if we're warming, cooling, or staying the same. In fact they can't agree on earth's composition, why we "spin", where our water came from, how we are affected by cosmic radiation, how the sun works, what kind of star it is and on and on... beware of "averages" read followups, follow the funding.

Comment by Robert Moran - April 26, 2007 at [9:51 am](#)

Google "Axel Heiberg" for info on a Arctic tropical forest during a past warm period (not caused by humans) and that was most likely quickly ended by an asteroid impact. It begs the question -Just what is the "natural" state of the earth's temperature?

Comment by Neal - April 26, 2007 at [9:53 am](#)

Is a Consensus a scientific fact ? or is it just opinions ?

Comment by Mythbuster - April 26, 2007 at [9:53 am](#)

As an astrophysicist, I'd just like to point out that Mr. Moran is mostly wrong, and that I have no idea what the hell he means by "can't agree on earth's composition."

Comment by GM - April 26, 2007 at [9:57 am](#)

I read that they have been doing

this. There was an article about people wanting to have good weather for a week of special events and how they were using these techniques. It was a huge event with many millions expected to attend.

Comment by cindy - April 26, 2007 at [10:00 am](#)

This seems to me, like a really, really, really, bad idea.

Comment by JC - April 26, 2007 at [10:03 am](#)

The globe is heating due to natural, historic cycles due to the sun's action. Science cannot be based on consensus. The earth is not flat because the UN voted that way.

Comment by Diogenes..... - April 26, 2007 at [10:04 am](#)

the sky is falling ...the sky is falling...lets fix the sky ...lets fix the sky...my 2 year old daughter has more sense :)

Comment by sean connor - April 26, 2007 at [10:04 am](#)

Follow the money

Comment by Lou - April 26, 2007 at [10:11 am](#)

it's all the fault of bush !!

Comment by WhiskeyBill - April 26, 2007 at [10:11 am](#)

The audacity of our belief in ourselves. With global warming we have decided we have all of the knowledge and all of the answers, without considering the truly infantile state of our current knowledge. I go to <http://www.clearpolitics.com/> for a continual rant on the subject.

Comment by Absurd Audacity - April 26, 2007 at [10:13 am](#)

All true and thnak you for saying so!!! Wake up SHEEPEL before we live the orwellian dream (nightmare)

Comment by fan of Suka Madeeka - April 26, 2007 at [10:15 am](#)

Let us look at this in a calm manner. This Global Warming is surely still a theory and not scientific fact. There are far too many variables to consider. But we should also be diligent in our concern for the sharp rise in CO2 and melting of the Artic cap. Theories should be discussed, debated and not discarded. Evidence of each issue should be weighted. My personal view is that it is much too early to attempt to take control of the weather. To what end? Most scientists that I speak to are quick to admit that the climate is a very complex issue and new variables are appearing that alter their computer models. There is still time to calmly discuss this and come up with a viable solution if one is needed at all.

Comment by Albert Einstein - April 26, 2007 at [10:19 am](#)

I am a retired Police Detective and have been watching the chemtrails for almost 10 years. 7:30 any morning except extreme overcast you can watch them make high arcs in the sky with the refueling jets that spray aluminum. Regular jets only fly straight vectors not curved or arched.

Asthma, pnuemonia, bronchitis, and sinusitis are way up. Stats prove it -respiratory deaths are up despite clean air actions elsewhere. Mold counts are also up since some UV needed to kill mold.Even daily brightness recorded by instruments on the ground have noted decline of light hitting earth. They even spray on the coldest Winter days which produces more carbon dioxide trying to heat one's homes. The make drought worse since they dry up regular rain clouds making drought worse in the Summer. I travel around the country and noted Fayetteville N. Carolina has most ridiculous checker board pattern I have ever seen. People with respiratory problems should be warned since they should not die to protect low lying real estate.

Comment by Concerned - April 26, 2007 at [10:21 am](#)

Politicians love to create new useless counter profuctrive Agencies. First they creat a problem, then they create an agency to deal with the problem they created. Just wait till

we get the monster Dept Of Global Warming visiting your house.

Comment by Larry - April 26, 2007 at [10:26 am](#)

Everyone who would embrace this idea has their head wrapped in tinfoil. Amazing.

My Viking ancestors farmed in Greenland for over 200 years until the Little Ice Age came. But now the Earth is too warm?

Comment by Flyoverman - April 26, 2007 at [10:27 am](#)

Yes I've noticed they fly South out of Stewar Air base 7 or 8am every morning to make cloud cover over Bergen County NJ which then drifts over NYC

Comment by Bob - April 26, 2007 at [10:28 am](#)

We call it "Mother Earth" maybe its old enough she is just having hot flashes.

Comment by Beancounter - April 26, 2007 at [10:29 am](#)

Why would the scientists make this up? In order to get more grant money that's why!

And it works both ways.

Comment by Mike - April 26, 2007 at [10:31 am](#)

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Comment by Tom Bates - April 26, 2007 at [10:32 am](#)

Stop the Global Whining!
Save the bees!

Comment by Globe L. Whiner - April 26, 2007 at [10:32 am](#)

The guys who are proposing this sound like lineal descendants of the guys who put up the Tower of Babel. The results will probably be even worse given the size of the mess we can make with our greater technology.

Comment by Dave - April 26, 2007 at [10:34 am](#)

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Global warming is just moronic left wingnut hysteria, REMEMBER THE SWINE FLU FIASCO, COMET KOHUTEC, Y2K, All these “disasters” are now relegated to the “well it could have happened” department. We don’t live in a air conditioned room. Stupid liberals and their ridiculous sheeple Give me a break and go eat your tofu

Comment by Mr Mann - April 26, 2007 at [10:40 am](#)

Check out the chemtrails all over the sky. Find out who is doing it and why before charging off doing some more experiments on us. It use to be illegal to spray us but Clinton fixed that.

Comment by garus - April 26, 2007 at [10:43 am](#)

I moved to northern California in 1970 the last frost date was March 10 it is now March 25...global warming hahahahah

Comment by Cindy - April 26, 2007 at [10:44 am](#)

Bump for anti Chem Trailing. We all know contrails are the normal trails that disappear, but the turns in the sky and eminent cloud cover come from Chem Trails. If the word gets out on Chemtrails, enough people get mad, it would stop. Try <http://www.chemtrailing.com>
Leave our clear skies alone.

Comment by Dan - April 26, 2007 at [10:46 am](#)

Right now at 1140 am they have just sprayed 6 parallel chemtrails lines over western bergen county New Jersey. They definitely came out of Stewart New York Airbase. Anybody in Bergen County or Westchester/New York City look out the window now.

Comment by An Asthmatic - April 26, 2007 at [10:46 am](#)

- 1) We are in an interglacial period and it is logical that the temperature should have increased at least from the Little Ice Age.
- 2) A sad element of human nature is our hubris and conceit about how much we know about physics, chemistry and all else. The number of times “science” has stated something as undeniable fact only to discover years or decades later that the opposite is

reality is legion.

As an example, plate tectonics was accepted as valid only in the second half of the 20th century.

3) The foundation of the Greenhouse Theory is the reliance on climate models which have yet to be validated as reliable tools to predict our current climate, let alone 50 to 100 years in the future. The margin of error for the models, as reported by scientists, is larger than the reported temperature increase as currently stated by the IPCC.

Comment by Techdir - April 26, 2007 at [10:47 am](#)

April showers bring May flowers.
I guess Man caused that too....

Comment by John - April 26, 2007 at [10:53 am](#)

“In individuals insanity is rare, but in groups, parties, nations and epochs it is the rule”

Comment by Friedrich Nietzsche - April 26, 2007 at [10:53 am](#)

Checkout the URL and see if there is an explanation for some of the things happening.

<http://www.weatherwars.info/lowclouds.htm>

Comment by pooch - April 26, 2007 at [10:54 am](#)

I have to ask, what should the average global temp be anyway???
Who is going to decide that?
We better know the target before we start changing the weather!

Comment by Adam - April 26, 2007 at [10:55 am](#)

The speculated technology is amoral in itself. Ignoring it because of possible ill effects is silly. If the inventor of the pen knew the invention would be used by leaders to sign declarations of war, is that a reason not to invent it?

Comment by Hypotheticals on top of maybes - April 26, 2007 at [10:56 am](#)

“No matter how paranoid or conspiracy-minded you are, what the government is actually doing is worse than you imagine.”

Comment by William Blum - April 26, 2007 at [10:58 am](#)

We think we can ‘control’ the weather? We just need another hurricane like Katrina or Allison to remind us THATS not true!

Comment by Bob - April 26, 2007 at [10:58 am](#)

You are right!!! There are 6 Chemtrails over Oakland NJ now.
Breathing aluminum on a daily basis must really tax the immune system.

Comment by BOB - April 26, 2007 at [10:59 am](#)

Some scientists are trying to change the weather without considering all the consequences? Somebody better send them a copy of Frankenstein (book or movie) before they let this monster out of the lab.

Comment by C.W. - April 26, 2007 at [11:01 am](#)

Wow.

Comment by JEN - April 26, 2007 at [11:03 am](#)

Fly a fleet of planes around the Arctic? How much CO2 is that going to produce? These people aren’t scientists, they are kooks. Maybe if we all just blew a handful of pixy dust into the air...?

Comment by Big D - April 26, 2007 at [11:05 am](#)

Well, this is what it has come to. 30 years of inconsistent data that purportedly show a warming trend on a billions-year old planet, and we’re supposed to rush out and take drastic measures to stop the warming? Am I the only sane human left who understands that the climate is cyclic? That there are warming trends, and cooling trends? That ideas such as this could well plunge the planet, irrevocably, into an ice age?

More and more I believe Al Gore to be the anti-Christ.

Comment by Dave C - April 26, 2007 at [11:06 am](#)

This is not new news... NBC did a report on this a year ago. Watch the video:
<http://www.nbc4.tv/news/9155725/detail.html>

Comment by David - April 26, 2007 at [11:06 am](#)

The farmers who have lost millions due to the repeated late Spring freezes in March and April should complain to Congress and the President since they have more clout than we do.

Comment by Someone who breathes the air - April 26, 2007 at [11:07 am](#)

Remember “Cold Fusion”? It was the worlds salvation until proven to be a hoax. The current theory of “Global Warming” has not been proven, Its just an untested theory. The beneficiaries will be those who apply for government grants and the lossers will be the taxpayers.

Comment by Lou - April 26, 2007 at [11:10 am](#)

www.globalwarmingisnotreal.com

Comment by Jeff - April 26, 2007 at [11:12 am](#)

I will respond to “You People Are Morons” simply by pointing out that the Global Warming Theorists do not claim “science” is behind their claim of man made global warming but “consensus” which if one looks in a dictionary they will find a vast difference between the two. Based on the vocabulary of YPAM’s it seems dictionaries would be somewhat of a ground breaking experience. But hey, I guess I am just a moron. There were many other great areas of consensus (too many to list in this comment) that were held as undeniable truths throughout history but were later proved wrong such as the cause of Puerperal Fever in 1843, the cause of Pellagra in the 1920’s and last but not least, who can forget the Flat Earth Society which put forth the consensus that the Earth was flat. So much to teach and so little time, such is the life of a Troglodyte!

Comment by hankb - April 26, 2007 at [11:14 am](#)

The real cause of the recent rise in global temperature is actually all the hot air coming from Drudge Report readers.

Comment by The Dude - April 26, 2007 at [11:17 am](#)

These scientists need to get a real job in industry and quit milking the taxpayers with all their pet projects and agendas. By promoting gloom and doom, they keep the government grants coming in so they can publish more opinions and get more recognition within their disturbed community and the media.

Comment by Mark - April 26, 2007 at [11:19 am](#)

I can remember in the mid-1970's when some of these same scientists saying we should spread carbon black (soot) on the polar ice caps to hasten their warming and melting to prevent "The Coming Ice Age." What a bunch of idiots, and we are a bunch of saps for listening to them.

Comment by Bobbus - April 26, 2007 at [11:20 am](#)

Google Scalar Weapons

Comment by Kapu Kapu - April 26, 2007 at [11:25 am](#)

These Scientists just want Government grants ! Stop all Taxpayer funding of Scientists !

Comment by Dufus - April 26, 2007 at [11:29 am](#)

As someone who used to fly Commercial Jets I can say these faux clouds are not from us. Now a days on board computers fly the planes in straight lines only. If you fly manually to make curves you are cited by the computer for wasting thousands of pounds of fuel and your job is in jeopardy.

Comment by Former Pilot - April 26, 2007 at [11:38 am](#)

Save the Planet, Kill yourself!

Comment by Rock - April 26, 2007 at [11:39 am](#)

Has anyone considered the feasibility of trying to reclaim portions of the Sahara Desert with irrigation and vegetation? I seem to remember reading (maybe NASA) that large underground aquifers are located beneath the Sahara Desert.

This could potentially reduce the dust storms that trigger hurricanes in the Atlantic Ocean, provide jobs for 3rd world poor, and provide food and raw materials. Perhaps the expanding Sahara Desert is also contributing to global warming and this would be a way to help reverse the trend.

Comment by Larry Withrow - April 26, 2007 at [11:40 am](#)

You people are all idiots...

If you can't see that we are all harming the only thing that we have to live on by polluting and destroying our only home! I myself want my children and grandchildren to have a safe and healthy life on a safe and healthy planet.

Comment by davinamc - April 26, 2007 at [11:46 am](#)

Dean,
What kind of toaster is that? I'm looking for a good one...

Comment by Anonymous - April 26, 2007 at [11:47 am](#)

I think a lot of the posters on this board forgot to take their meds today!

Comment by billg - April 26, 2007 at [11:53 am](#)

I love how "they" were selling the fear of "Global Cooling" back in the day of the heavy steal muscle cars that had no emissions technologies and got about 15 MPG. Now our cars are highly efficient, have every emissions technology possible, are much lighter and now the earth is getting WARRRMMMER. Weird how making our cars LESS polluting has created a WARMER earth.

Comment by Chris - April 26, 2007 at [11:56 am](#)

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Comment by Chris - April 26, 2007 at [11:56 am](#)

Can we afford to wait until we have unanimous agreement from the the scientific community that global warming is manmade? We have to way the risks on inaction and denial versus being proactive.

Comment by Anonymous - April 26, 2007 at [11:56 am](#)

Save the world! Use one square! Excuse me, I’ve got to give my six tour buses to OK to start rolling.

Comment by Sheryl Crow - April 26, 2007 at [11:59 am](#)

Why do so many people post 3 or 4 times ?

Comment by Idiotsavant - April 26, 2007 at [12:03 pm](#)

Hey you so-called scientists! Get up to speed. There are real scientists, in conjunction with U.S. Air Force, already working on creating and controlling weather. They’re located in Norman, Oklahoma. The program has been active for a number of years, and it’s certainly no big secret.

Comment by Global-Warming-Is-Hooey - April 26, 2007 at [12:03 pm](#)

Blah Blah, bunch of whiners. It is fact that most of alaska was at one time a tropical area only a few thousand years ago. maybe the normal for earth is no ice at all and we are still recovering from the last ice age

Comment by scientist gone wild - April 26, 2007 at [12:05 pm](#)

Global Warming is just another reason for the liberals to tax us. We must really be full of ourselves thinking that we can control the weather and the sun. The earth has existed for billions of years and to think that what us humans have done the last 100 years is really effecting our climate. What a bunch of CRAP!

Comment by The Sun has all the power - April 26, 2007 at [12:15 pm](#)

I think you all need to research my latest experiment, the Alan Parsons Project.....
Mini Me and I are coming to get you.....

Comment by Dr. Evil - April 26, 2007 at [12:21 pm](#)

Sounds like that "Our man Flint" movie from '68 with James Coburn; a maniac scientist trying to control the world's weather, and secret agent Flint must disrupt the professor's nefarious plans.

Only, I doubt the soundtrack to this story is going to be as groovy as the movie.

Comment by MpennyMTL - April 26, 2007 at [12:23 pm](#)

Global warming is real, and it is happening. Once it's done, global cooling will be real, and it will be happening. And so on and so forth, as has been happening since there has been an atmosphere. The sun is the major factor in our weather, and is the cause of what we are experiencing right now. We are at a thousand year high in terms of solar cycle activity, so of course our weather is a bit abnormal. But then, what is normal? Well, since the atmosphere was formed, have we have more ice ages, or more hot periods? What is the average? I'd say we've been incredibly lucky to have come along during a "between" phase, and that we will indeed be seeing extremes eventually. Get used to it, it's what our planet does. Besides, I'm excited that perhaps one day the continent of Antarctica will be ice free so we can see just what archeological evidence of past civilizations there is there. Ever wonder why the sites in South America are older than the ones to the north? Yeah, this might just be a really exciting time to be living in. Heck, I live at 600 feet above sea level. I might just have ocean front property one fine day!!! Woo hoo!!!!

Comment by BLTicklemonster - April 26, 2007 at [12:32 pm](#)

If the stealth fighter is 40 year old technology, don't you think we have the technology

to do this today, of course its possible. You can guarantee more taxes are coming on this though, get ready for the United Nations Global Tax too on global warming.

Comment by Dave - April 26, 2007 at [12:32 pm](#)

No,Man can not control the weather.

Comment by thinkerman - April 26, 2007 at [12:33 pm](#)

What do you mean the time has come. the govt has been controlling the weather for years.

Comment by Happy Gazoo - April 26, 2007 at [12:35 pm](#)

If demographics are correct, and CO2 is the main cause of AGW, then we are hitting our peak. By 2030, much of the industrial west will be in a depopulation mode. China (1 child policy) and India are soon to follow. By 2100, about the industrialized west will have shrunk by almost a third. Economically, this will be a catastrophe. But the AGW people should be happy,as CO2 levels should begin to rapidly free-fall by 2050.

Comment by JPK - April 26, 2007 at [12:36 pm](#)

Hello people! Look up and see the chemtrails which are NOT contrails. Contrails disapeate in a few minutes. Chemtrails do not just fade away they get bigger and expand... please do become aware of the sky over your very head.... Look up and see the planes that are spewing poisons into your air and maybe think to ask yourself WHY? Is it for your benefit or are you one of the useless feeders that "they" want to cull? Do some research and begin to think for yourself not regurgitate the gov'ment line.Our gov'ment has been involved in weather modification for years....

Comment by fontaine - April 26, 2007 at [12:37 pm](#)

Oddly enough a well known corp had it right in a butter commercial.

'Don't f**k with Mother Nature!'

Comment by Realist - April 26, 2007 at [12:37 pm](#)

Now is the time for ALL Americans to write their Senators and Congressmen to vote against any bill to modify the weather!

The new law would sanction these flights with their aluminum and barium. It would also switch funding from the military to another budget line of a civilian agency like the National Weather Service. I do not mind giving money to the military in time of war but am very much against my tax dollars being used to raise respiratory illness in children who were are supposed to protect above all!!

Comment by Peter - April 26, 2007 at [12:42 pm](#)

This is probably one of the funniest things I've ever read. Leave it to a bunch of goofball scientists to think they can control the earth's atmosphere. This global warming hysteria is like a religion to these kooks.

Comment by Mark - April 26, 2007 at [12:42 pm](#)

I killed baby frogs to celebrate Earth Day.

Comment by Jay Slapps - April 26, 2007 at [12:47 pm](#)

Good comment Realist.

On another note ... Let the next battle begin over whether your area will see more sunshine or more rain in the Liberal "control" machine. Can your neighborhood generate enough money to buy sunshine (akin to Gore's ability to buy carbon credits)?

Comment by Dave - April 26, 2007 at [12:49 pm](#)

Weather modification has been around for decades and you can search the Library of Congress to see treaties we signed back in the '50s that we wouldn't use weather modification as warfare against other nations, but nothing in the treaties says the government won't use it commercially and domestically (against us) and I'm pretty sure that 15 years of chemtrails being sprayed by the military all over the world (<http://search.yahoo.com/search?p=chemtrails&fr=yfp-t-501&toggle=1&cop=mss&ei=UTF-8>) is why bees are dying off.

Comment by Patty Nottoli - April 26, 2007 at [12:53 pm](#)

To “YouPeopleAreMorons” - you talk of the scientific method, as if that were being used. Al’s claims are uniformly bogus. The Greenland ice shelf isn’t shrinking, it’s growing. The Polar bears aren’t drowning - they can swim 60 miles at a time with no problem. If you want an unbiased look at the issue, go to <http://video.google.com/videoplay?docid=-4520665474899458831&q=global+warming+swindle> to see a BBC documentary. That’s right, the liberal BBC.

Comment by Algorithmic - April 26, 2007 at [12:56 pm](#)

I approve. BwwaaaHahahaha!

Comment by Destro - April 26, 2007 at [12:59 pm](#)

Anthropogenic climate manipulation is not possible. The sun controls everything. What warmed the earth back to stable temps during the last ice age? No oil being burned back then. This sounds like a way to bring the poor underdeveloped countries into a global pollution correction mode but in a PC kind of way. Just get the whole world to take a stand towards eliminating the out of control pollution without stopping all of the CHEAP goods being manufactured for the developed countries in the Americas and Europe. Carbon Banking on a global scene is real pollution. NOW GO BACK TO YOUR ART BELL SHOW or hold a sionce

Comment by Mike Steiner - April 26, 2007 at [1:00 pm](#)

Life on other planets is extinct because their scientists were more advanced than ours. It’s time to reign these guys in. What ever happened to the requirement for proof before undertaking draconian measures in pursuit of a theory?

Comment by Barry - April 26, 2007 at [1:00 pm](#)

Since when is rounding up scientists and taking a vote part of the scientific method? No matter how many times you post about “chemtrails”, Agent Scully will not show up at your door to question you. She’s just a TV character.

Comment by SuTorro - April 26, 2007 at [1:03 pm](#)

OWL>>>>>>>>>>GORE.....LOL!!!

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Comment by Owl Gore - April 26, 2007 at [1:10 pm](#)

In the 1970s, Newsweek suggested that large quantities of soot be dumped on the polar ice caps to help them melt. Back then the big fear was global cooling and a big ice age. It was just as much a consensus then as “global warming” is now.

Comment by Frank - April 26, 2007 at [1:13 pm](#)

Global warming? This is just the new scare tactic of the left. Anybody remember “Acid Rain” and how everything was going to die because of it? In the seventies All of my Science profs were sure that we were going to die because of global cooling–wasn’t that the reason for the first Earth Day? We haven’t been accurately been measuring the global temp. for 100 years to know if the earth’s temp. is even unusual. The environmentalists who want their to be global warming are the same ones who are making the computer simulations. Ever hear junk-in = junk out?

Comment by Lee - April 26, 2007 at [1:33 pm](#)

I love the comments about chemtrails. You people know nothing about science...that pretty much goes for everyone who has posted on this article. It is really quite sad how ignorant people are about science. The planet has warmed. The IPCC cannot say with confidence that more than 50% is due to humans...I say way less. That being said, weather modification is a failed science. You think a few gallons of chemical spray (if you seriously believe that nonsense) every day is going to affect ANYTHING when trillions of tons of CO2 have maybe warmed the planet .1F ??? Go finish jr. high school.

Comment by OMG - April 26, 2007 at [1:42 pm](#)

I’m convinced the end will come soon, not by an ice age, meteor or global warming but

by stupidity of the Left wing who has managed to find more and more coolaid drinkers that beleive anything they are told by people like ALgore. These same people are against the death penalty for murderers but support murder of new born babies and call it partial birth abortion. SICK SICK SICK

Comment by scientist gone wild - April 26, 2007 at [1:45 pm](#)

Let's see the scientists scurry up a hurricane....NO?
It is hard to admit you are wrong...BUT THERE WILL NOT BE A BIG CHANGE IF WE ALL START DRIVING GREEN CARS TOMORROW...
Hard as it is to admit--the world is not controlled by us and never will be.....

Comment by southern belle - April 26, 2007 at [1:47 pm](#)

I've tries posting here 4 times....why can't I post?

Comment by boolaboola - April 26, 2007 at [1:49 pm](#)

I disagree, these idiots will not plunge us into the Ice Age, they'll plunge us into the Stone Age!

Comment by Philip Taylor - April 26, 2007 at [1:49 pm](#)

I'd like to know how what should be a purely scientific issue became politicized and otherwise respected scientists suddenly become targets for the worst sort of insults.

My own grandma would probably be a target today for believing in frugality and not wasting resources, be they gasoline, the electric bill or the Sunday roast chicken.

Now in the Year of Our Lord, 2007, you're a fool, liar, commie or worse or worse for not wanting to sh!t where you eat...A desireable habit that even most animals can comprehend..

Comment by Frank - April 26, 2007 at [1:52 pm](#)

The experts say the sky is falling...

Comment by boolaboola - April 26, 2007 at [1:58 pm](#)

our deaths from heat will be appalling...

Comment by boolaboola - April 26, 2007 at [1:59 pm](#)

It would appear that a lot of you haven't taken their meds today.

Comment by mcr - April 26, 2007 at [1:59 pm](#)

The Chinese are going to cause it to rain in advance of the Olympics in an attempt to remove pollution from the air. Let's hope it works, otherwise hundreds of athletes will come home from Beijing with permanently damaged lungs,

Comment by Tonyrohl - April 26, 2007 at [2:12 pm](#)

So, we're going to bankrupt our national economy & start trying to change the natural global weather patterns because our average temperature has risen .6 degrees C???? Are you people nuts?

Also, consider that many of the temperatures taken for this increase come from urban areas, affected by the heat island effect, which raises temps in urban areas as much as 10 degrees compared with the surrounding countryside. This more than covers the .6 degree average increase!

Comment by Algorbasm - April 26, 2007 at [2:14 pm](#)

The phenomena known as chemtrails has been underway for over a decade now, but it doesn't appear to be mitigating the effects of global warming. What's next, giant mirrors?

Comment by POC - April 26, 2007 at [2:15 pm](#)

Why don't we all wear "tin foil hats" and the sun would be reflected back up. Get a grip, mother nature is about as controllable as a bull on a string leash.

Comment by wannabeagreenie - April 26, 2007 at [2:28 pm](#)

It's very simple: We can talk about the weather, but can do nothing about it. What will be, will be.....

Comment by Richard Serradovitch - April 26, 2007 at [2:32 pm](#)

No one in the global business market wants to loose this strong grip on record profits. There is a NEED TO MAKE STRATEGIC DEALS and to consider many bazaar collective resource in order to keep the money flowing. If we were to impose a pollution based boycott or embargo on all countries that recklessly and consistently pollute, there would be a REAL global economic and political CRISIS. Chalk one up for the SNAKE OIL VENDOR. Damage control at it's finest.

Comment by ilivedinhaitionce - April 26, 2007 at [2:33 pm](#)

Very ambitious project, controlling the weather. I'd like to put in for a high of 85, overcast in the morning, clearing in the afternoon, with .25" rain between 10P and 2A for Saturday. Oh, yes, SW winds about 5mph. Planning to go fishing and this would make it a nice day.

Comment by Bob - April 26, 2007 at [2:34 pm](#)

I'll grant that the global climate is changing, but it didn't feel at all like "warming" just a couple weeks ago in the central States with freak snow flurries even occuring in east Texas (snow in Tyler, TX is a rarity in Janurary, but in April it's a sign of the apocalypse).

Corrolation does not equal causation. Yes, there are more humans on the face of the planet than ever. Yes, the climate is changing at an alarming rate. I'll even grant that humans may have some part in acceleration the process, but not the cause or even majority.

To alarmists, the damage has already been done, so all we can do now is deal with it and ride it out (as humanity has always done). For those that believe the climate change is all natural, there's nothing we can do to stop it, again, the solution is to deal with it.

Four fox ache, we got from nomadic tribes to farming communities to modern society in the first place by adapting our local environment to meet our needs and we will

continue to do so even if Earth's surface is covered in ice or sand. In other words, instead of wasting our time and energy on an exercise in futility, why don't we work on finding ways of coping with "the inevitable global disaster" or even making it work in our favor. The real problem is we are too divided and blinded by politics to pull together and actually get something accomplished.

Comment by Zoomie Junior - April 26, 2007 at [2:34 pm](#)

Remember Hurricane Katrina? One year later it was going to be twice as bad - or so the lunatic scientists predicted. Problem is, it wasn't. I can't get a weather forecast that's accurate 4 hours in advance - how do the lunatic scientists figure they can get global warming (or is it cooling today) correct? They can't!

Comment by Eric Nicolaus - April 26, 2007 at [2:39 pm](#)

I looked at that chemtrailes site and it says the reason we have to use chemtrails is "That the Sun is being stimulated by an outside civilization and we are trying to slow those climate altering effects on the Earth with this spraying." sounds like good science to me.

Comment by Leave my sun alone! - April 26, 2007 at [2:43 pm](#)

Man is no more responsible for the Left's latest boutique obsession called "Global Warming" than Senator Harry Reid is clinically responsible for every bumbled, mis-conceived thought he communicates to the public.

Comment by Scott Picker - April 26, 2007 at [2:46 pm](#)

Start watching the sky wherever you live. Monitor the planes and the "cloud" formations. Tell your friends, call the media, and write your politicians. Question what you see.

Comment by LOOKUP - April 26, 2007 at [2:47 pm](#)

Global warming is not science - it's a religion. Al Gore wants to be one of the high priests.

Real science allows dissent and discussion. With the global warming nutcases, any dissent is to be treated like the church used to treat heretics - with burning at the stake, or, for scientists, loss of funding.

The only reason so many government and university scientists have signed on to the global warming bandwagon is because they like to keep on eating. Reports and experiments that undermine holy scripture tend to get funding cut off, and even can get you fired.

As far as chemtrails go - I've got a lot of stock in the black ops company that patented the idea - want to buy some?

Comment by ck - April 26, 2007 at [2:49 pm](#)

When they play with the weather in the north, it causes stronger hurricanes in the Atlantic. There was a special on the discovery channel not too long ago called "owning the weather" and there is a link between the Hurricanes and their projects throwing ions in the atmosphere. Its best not to mess with that

Comment by Katiria - April 26, 2007 at [2:54 pm](#)

-Explore www.iceagenow.com
for facts CONVENIENTLY left
out/ignored.

Better yet,read his book-
"Not By Fire But By Ice"

We may be aggravating this 'natural cycle' but
certainly not causing it nor
can we stop it.

"IGNORANCE IS A VOLUNTARY
MISFORTUNE"

(and it serves 'masters of deception' well)

Comment by wjacey - April 26, 2007 at [2:55 pm](#)

Global warming is this: A good way to measure the intelligence of the general population. Having said that, the few should be worried about the many, who are so

inconcievably ignorant to the subject that they will let some half-wit politician tell them what to think. For shame, Mankind. Now go to your room.

Comment by rob sheets - April 26, 2007 at [2:55 pm](#)

The weather is not to be “controlled”...Thats like sayin gay is something to be tryed..or microwaving an icecube to have “hot ice”, or even better driving your car in reverse will lower the miles...you see these are things that shouldn't be done because one it's common sense...two it'd be stupid to try and would you be thinking

Comment by everyone who hates this - April 26, 2007 at [3:00 pm](#)

I beheld, and heard an angel flying through the midst of heaven, saying with a loud voice,
Woe, woe, woe, to the inhabiters of the earth by reason of the other voices of the trumpet of the three angels, which are yet to sound!

Comment by John - April 26, 2007 at [3:04 pm](#)

Check out the carbon credits scam, of which al gore has business interests, which allow him to feed off others while he pretends he is doing outward good. Meantime, whenever he uses his energy credits he also makes money off of others. Whatta guy! Someone should publicize all that's going on so the sheltered public can be forewarned.

Comment by lifeoriley - April 26, 2007 at [3:11 pm](#)

Liberal scientist and Hollywood...same folks who denied Communism was in this country...strange how Joseph McCarthy was accused of ruining lives, when it turns out most the people on his list WERE communist...

The GLOBAL WARMING folks are modern day Communist. They want to take our money, and food, and re-distribute it to Africa...that's what this is all about. If you can't see this...then you are as naive as you are blind

Comment by Robert - April 26, 2007 at [3:16 pm](#)

Please. What a deceptive article as I watch Chemtrail planes fly by turning blue skies to

white murky nanoparticles (scary) in a terrible and foolish attempt to control the weather. Google Chemtrails, Aerosols - or watch videos on YouTube. Wake up people!

Comment by Debra - April 26, 2007 at [3:17 pm](#)

Notice the hypocrisy???

“What’s more, the climate system is so complex that it would be difficult to ever predict how such controls would affect nature.”

If we can’t predict what our “controls” would do how can we predict what it is naturally doing??

Comment by Al Gore Is A Moron! - April 26, 2007 at [3:20 pm](#)

Hey, maybe Algore is right. After all this “brilliant” man did invent the internet, didn’t he?!

Comment by chickenlittle - April 26, 2007 at [3:27 pm](#)

Look up - wake up. See Alex Jones, Jeff Rense and Google chemtrail sites. Amazing how many Sheeple there are out there. Chemtrails are real. People from all over the globe are aware of this terrible experiment being played out. Imagine anyone “monkeying” w/ the mere 10,000 feet of atmosphere. We truly are Spaceship Earth.

Comment by Jess - April 26, 2007 at [3:33 pm](#)

Article is a total Disinformation piece in responce to the global outcry about chemtrails/experimentation of the atmosphere. Google Clifford Carnicom - chemtrail expert. To be awake and aware is a blessing in this world gone mad - yet a curse. LOL Wake up.

Comment by Jack - April 26, 2007 at [3:37 pm](#)

I just went outside and looked up at the sky and what did I see.....BLUE! No clouds, no “chemtrails”! What kind of weather modification does the color blue cause? Man that sun is sure HOT!!

Comment by chickenlittle - April 26, 2007 at [3:40 pm](#)

...it sure is BRIGHT too!

Comment by chickenlittle - April 26, 2007 at [3:44 pm](#)

Guys, global warming is the world's worst problem. 100% of scientists agree. Those of you who believe otherwise need to go back and finish high school.

Comment by Factchecker - April 26, 2007 at [3:44 pm](#)

Hey Chickenlittle - D'uh. It's not continuous. Usually in the morning, then all the "contrails" comingle and become one grey sick looking afternoon sky. It's global. Surely, you're just kidding here.

Comment by Deb - April 26, 2007 at [3:50 pm](#)

Hey Chickenlittle. Google Nanotechnology (horrifying unregulated and a "new" science) God help us all. Already nano "particles" are in our food, cosmetics, coating for athletic equipment. Look out you fitness freaks. Nano particles penetrate into cells and if you do some "research" this stuff makes Global Warming look like a Picnic in the Park. Sorry to burst anyones' bubbles here. Nanotechnology is far more dangerous than nuclear.

Comment by Debra - April 26, 2007 at [3:53 pm](#)

What if elevated CO2 were the result from Global Warming? Would we get a refund of our carbon tax?

Comment by Mr. Carbon Laxative - April 26, 2007 at [3:55 pm](#)

It is suspected that nanoparticles are in the Chemtral Stew that we are all being sprayed with. Perhaps it has something to do with where all the bees are dying and increases in asthma, lung cancer, etc. Do your homework. Knowledge is power. Ciao.

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Comment by Debra - April 26, 2007 at [3:56 pm](#)

Deb, DUH!!! I SAID BLUE NOT GRAY! And it was the same way this morning, and at 10 am and at noon and even now at 2 pm. Quit listening to coast to coast so much and get some sleep at night.

Comment by chickenlittle - April 26, 2007 at [3:56 pm](#)

Chickenlittle, Ignorance is Bliss - and you, Mr. Sheeple - are in a state of ignorant bliss obviously.

Comment by Debra - April 26, 2007 at [3:58 pm](#)

It's always fascinating to watch as the Bush & other countries' administrations claim there isn't any problem - until there is a potentile military or other profit motive involved.

Bush figures he'll be dead by the time any of this climate stuff becomes truly science fiction movie -, (?'Blade Runner'?), -like;

Another case of mr. Bush as an athiest? (...''Publically, I believe in ALL the Gods; Privately, none of them...'') -C. Laughton, playing a roman senator, in 'Sparticus').

Comment by Anonymous - April 26, 2007 at [4:06 pm](#)

Reading through this article, these comments and the total lack of respect for science or nature leaves me with no doubt as to why American jobs are going to Asia.

Comment by Michael Frakes - April 26, 2007 at [4:19 pm](#)

Factchecker - perhaps you should do what your name says - CHECK YOUR FACTS!!! 100% of scientists whose work is funded by either the global warming movement or the UN might say this - oh, wait, that's not true either. Many of the scientists that worked from the UN don't agree either. I guess my graduate degree was good enough after all. Watch this - it's a good FACT CHECK! <http://video.google.com/videoplay?docid=->

[4520665474899458831&q=global+warming+swindle](#)

Comment by Anonymous - April 26, 2007 at [4:29 pm](#)

Deb - you should be careful. I'm pretty certain that the CIA is monitoring this web site to see who is on to their scheme.

Comment by Algoron - April 26, 2007 at [4:33 pm](#)

Use nukes. Even the French do. Otherwise, put scrubbers on coal plants. Otherwise, go back to the Stone Age.

Comment by Jim - April 26, 2007 at [4:45 pm](#)

The idea is to be compatible with nature, not try to control it or dominate it. This has been the downfall of man in his egocentric shell since the dawn of time when he went out clubbing dinosaurs to protect his cave. Humans are a pimple on the nose of the cosmos, not the center of the universe. When will we finally get that?!!!

Comment by Klaron Grigsby - April 26, 2007 at [4:46 pm](#)

Read his book, "State of Fear". He debunks the whole man-made global warming myth in an entertaining book. Lots of junk science in this field.

Comment by Michael C. Was Right - April 26, 2007 at [4:47 pm](#)

Chricton, while writing in novel form, had copious footnotes and citations to back up the points he made in his book.

Comment by Algorectomy - April 26, 2007 at [4:52 pm](#)

Go interview the US Air Force on their weather modification projects. We've been modifying and experimenting with the elements since the 50's. Now think about Hurricane Katrina and the plans to have other countries come in and rebuild. Think folks. Don't just go along with the flow because it'll keep you out of the "know" and you'll die unfulfilled, leaving no legacy for your children.

Comment by Your Conscience - April 26, 2007 at [5:01 pm](#)

See www.weatherwars.info-

Chemtrail spraying, for nearly a decade, harms every living thing and is now linked to horrible Morgellon's Disease.

(possibly causing the demise of our precious bees?) Why isn't Gore hysterical over this!?

Comment by wjacey - April 26, 2007 at [5:39 pm](#)

Bebra, true to the liberal manifesto you must resort to name calling. Who is the ignorant one here? CO2 is not a pollutant it, it is a byproduct of respiration and necessary for all plants to create their food. In turn the plants release O2 into the atmosphere as a process of photosynthesis. Let's get rid of all the CO2 and see EVERYTHING on this planet wither and die.

Klaron, sorry to inform you of this, but dinosaurs were long gone before man ever stepped foot on this earth. But why let a "little" fact get in the way. Other than that, point well taken!

The only "sheeple" I know vote democrat.

Comment by chickenlittle - April 26, 2007 at [5:44 pm](#)

Better yet, if we all quit breathing, for an hour a day that would be a lot of CO2 that isn't released. Lets solve the problem that way. Even if just the "global warming" zealots were to quit blowing hot air....?

Comment by chickenlittle - April 26, 2007 at [6:05 pm](#)

chemtrails ? find out about chemtrails and global warming here....www.supercell.org

Comment by theseeker - April 26, 2007 at [8:43 pm](#)

we've heard every angle on this with every kind of emotion attached.... there's enough facts and fictions to support everybody's viewpoint so I suggest everybody just smoke a joint and chill, geez.....

Comment by agadinmar - April 26, 2007 at [9:12 pm](#)

WOW! That joint you suggested sure worked wonders...thanks agadinmar, at least someone has some sense here. Thanks for making us ALL mellow out, man!

Comment by chickenlittle - April 27, 2007 at [12:02 am](#)

For those of how have not read the Wilson Quarterly, mentioned above, do so, it is very eye opening!!

http://www.wilsoncenter.org/index.cfm?fuseaction=wq.essay&essay_id=231274

Comment by chickenlittle - April 27, 2007 at [12:07 am](#)

so chemtrails are killing bees now ?!?!?! my word say it isnt so !!!!!!! not the bees !!!
for the love of God TPTB have gone too far now !

<http://com1.runboard.com/b13thcentury.f6>

Comment by theseeker - April 27, 2007 at [12:28 am](#)

I say let global warming cut loose. The best thing that could happen for the human species 20 generations from now is for about 90% of us here now to shuffle off this mortal coil.

Comment by GiveItARest - April 27, 2007 at [9:27 am](#)

Chemtrails. Find one chemtrail aircraft on the ground and show the chemtrail equipment. Find one manufacturing plant for the 'chem', whatever it is. Find one chemtrail aircraft pilot and prove that he really is. Prove that the trails are not water vapor, not by saying "water vapor couldn't do so-and-so", but by proving it. When you hear hooves, think horses not zebras.

Comment by GiveItARest - April 27, 2007 at [10:18 am](#)

<http://www.globalwarmingisnotreal.com>

Comment by Jeff - April 27, 2007 at [11:02 am](#)

This is just whacky nonsense. Has anyone been to the North Pole lately? It is doing just fine after a long and cold winter this year. If those who believe in solar variability are right, then we should see a cooling trend starting circa 2010.

Comment by Doug F - April 27, 2007 at [11:37 am](#)

(quote)"Hey, maybe Al Gore is right. After all this "brilliant" man did invent the internet, didn't he?"

Even a blind squirrel finds a nut every now and then.
Think about it.

Comment by Fred - April 27, 2007 at [11:39 am](#)

<http://newfaux.blogspot.com>

Comment by fauxrumors - April 27, 2007 at [1:37 pm](#)

- 1) Computer models are wild guesses given the imprimatur of scientific certainty (how's weather prediction going?).
- 2) Hello? Confounding variables, anyone. Correlation doesn't equal causation.
- 3) Adults do cost-benefit analysis.
- 4) The scientific establishment is losing credibility by pushing suggestion as certain disaster.
- 5) Scientists want friends and have to eat, too. Peer pressure and funding for seers of disaster explain the lockstep.
- 6) For more, read The Skeptical Environmentalist by Bjorn Lomborg.

Comment by dude - April 27, 2007 at [2:04 pm](#)

Fred,
That's all well and good, but can a nut find a blind squirrel???

Comment by chickenlittle - April 27, 2007 at [2:37 pm](#)

Finally a MSM article alluding to chemtrails. Let's start the discussion. We all need to be aware. I think this is disinformation to get people accustomed to chemtrails and think maybe they are good because they deter global warming. It's BS. There's something else going on.

We got hit hard two days ago in Southern California. I want it to stop. My friend's 2 year old kid noticed the chemtrails the other day. Not kidding. There was a big one across the sky and he said, "daddy, what's that?" even he knew it is not normal. His dad thought it was a contrail and explained it to him, but I opened the discussion and explained the difference between chemtrails and contrails. I'm not sure if he believed me, but it's very clear. it's the kind of thing that anyone can SEE almost every day if you point it out. People are slowly waking up. Spread the word. We must reclaim the earth.

Also on weather modification - once you start weather modification YOU CAN NOT STOP. Think about that. What the hell are we doing to this place?

Comment by the ratt - April 27, 2007 at [7:45 pm](#)

ratt,

PROVE IT!!!

Comment by chickenlittle - April 27, 2007 at [10:10 pm](#)

ratt,

PROVE IT!!! Basically "SHOW ME THE MONEY"!!!

Comment by chickenlittle - April 27, 2007 at [10:11 pm](#)

it's the sun getting hotter not humans making the place more dirty

Comment by It's the sun. - April 28, 2007 at [10:12 pm](#)

dont be dissin W Shatner he's the man!!

Comment by Darth tater - April 28, 2007 at [10:37 pm](#)

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www.weatherwars.info/chemtrails_2.htm

Comment by old roy - April 28, 2007 at [11:03 pm](#)

It's called a Chemtrail.. Wiki it....

Comment by I would say - April 28, 2007 at [11:43 pm](#)

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