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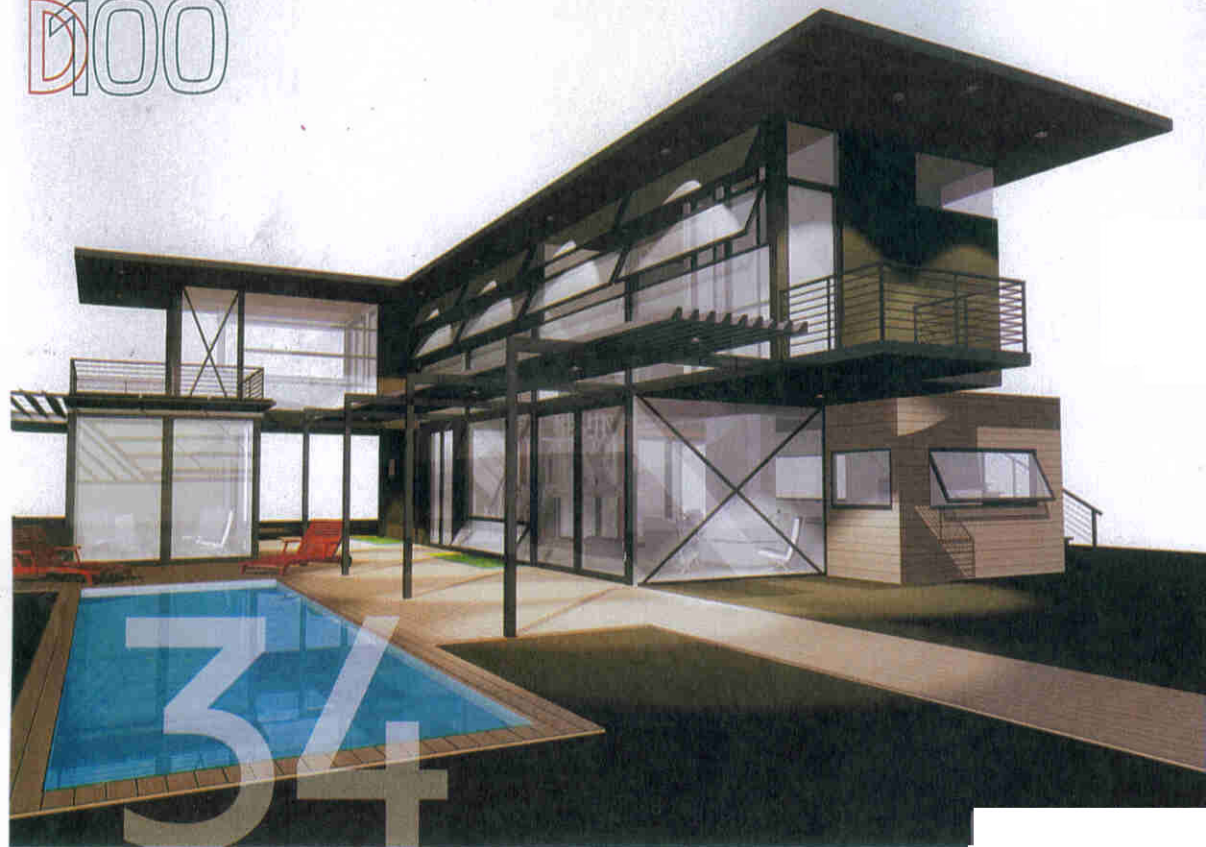
[Design100] · Once a year, the editors of *Met Home* give our entire magazine over to our mosaic portrait of the world of design. It includes great-looking objects for the home, of course, but also innovative ideas, projects with heart, groundbreaking buildings and the artful individuals who shape the way we live. This year we thought seriously about adding another level to the project, "Design 100 Goes Green." The time has certainly come to raise our expectations as well as our consciousness. (After all, this is the year that a documentary about global warming won an Academy Award.) The home-design industry is still not fully geared up for total ecological purity, but the movement is definitely on, and we have made an attempt to include as many green items as possible (each identified by a small green leaf ). And, remember, there is no hierarchy in the numbers: No. 4 isn't "better" than No. 22. Everyone is likely to have a different favorite item—and that suits us just fine! —*The Editors*



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No. 69
Aliph's Jawbone
Headset

Jawbone



[34] Marvelous Modules

LivingHomes • The latest house from Steve Glenn's pioneering California prefab company is green and reasonably priced, with solar power and smart wall panels that monitor daylight and control lighting. Designed by architect David Hertz, this LEED-certified prefab is made of aluminum modular units that are easily attached. Have a baby; add a box (priced at approx. \$215 per square foot; LivingHomes.net). —*EB*