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Can Birds "See" the Earth's Magnetic Field?

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Birds may actually be able to "see" a magnetic field. This is the fascinating and surprising conclusion of a group of German scientists who have been studying migratory birds. Not everyone is yet convinced that garden warblers can visualize the geomagnetic field (see today's news item on *Nature.com*), but the new German paper reminds us how little about we know about how living systems interact with electromagnetic signals.

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