

Dutch Biotech Firm to Make Car Tires from Hybrid Dandelions

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You see them popping up in your garden, and soon the dandelion may also be parked in [your driveway](#). Dutch biotech firm [KeyGene](#) has plans to use the latex found in dandelion roots to create a new material for [tire](#) production. With global demand for rubber set to outstrip current supply by 20 per cent in 2020, the common weed could become a renewable alternative worth nearly \$100 billion a year.

