

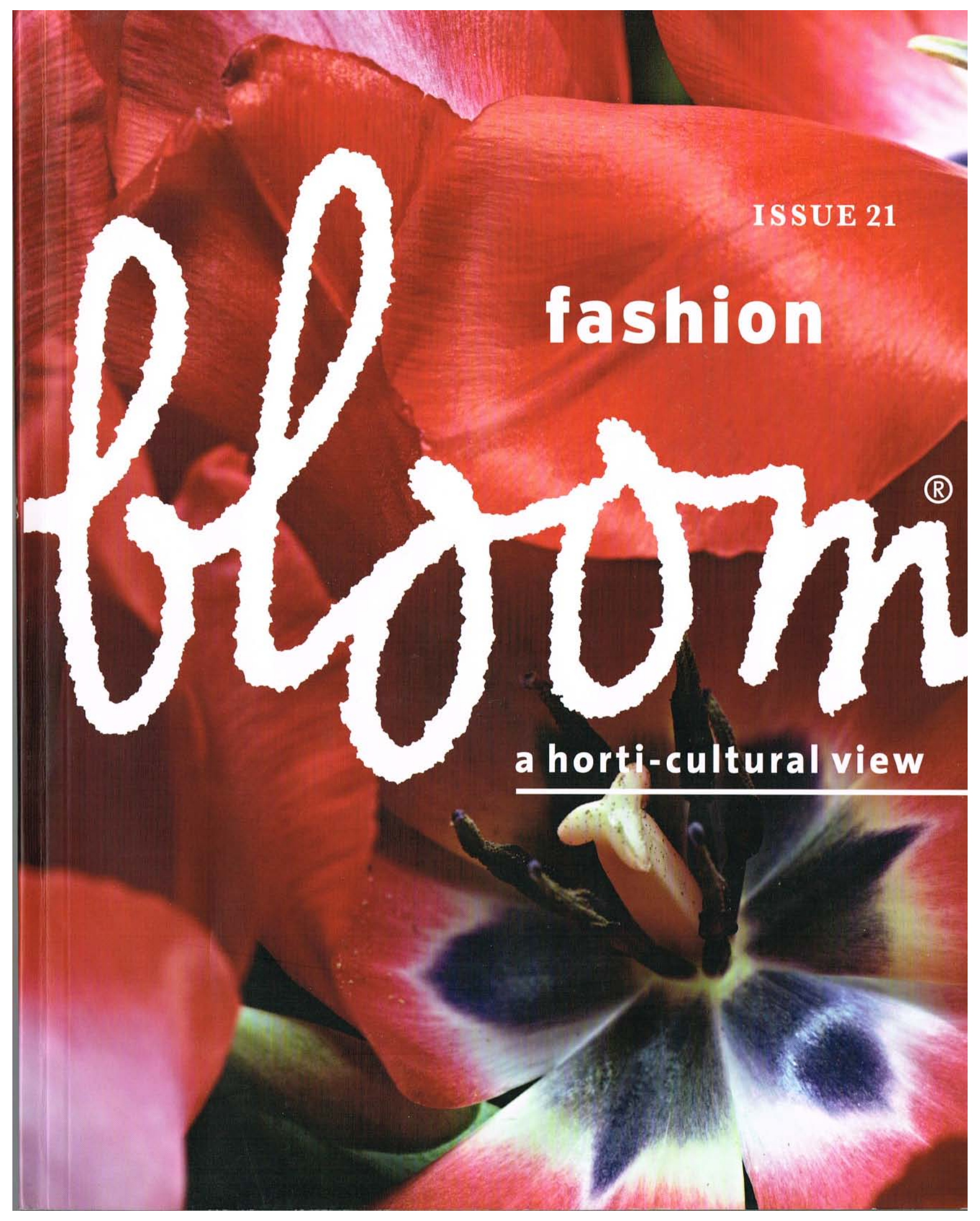
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# 19 inside garden



Bring the garden into the house with a seat that is also an indoor plant bed. You can dig and weed in the comfort of your living room, and afterwards you can sit there and relax in the midst of leafy splendour, with muddy fingernails.

Young German designer Miriam Aust proposes a *rapprochement* of inside and outside, with her Wohnbeet plant bed seat and integral passiflora-draped lamp, its armature constructed from modest everyday materials. The plant bed is only the

starting point: the real design work is carried out by the gardener and the plant. In a future which may require closed-environment habitats, whether on earth or in space, here is a way to incorporate life's support system, plants.