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## **LOCAL DYNAMICS:** FROM PURCHASE CRITERIA TO OMNICHANNEL IN TURKEY

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**GLOBAL DYNAMICS:** GROWING TRENDS IN AUTOMOTIVE

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### **#1 for TopLine improvement**



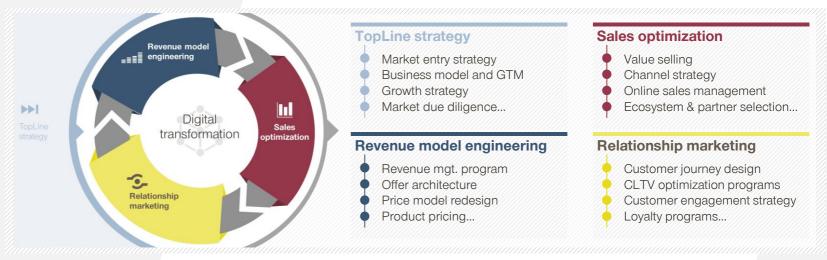
### Clients across all industries<sup>1</sup>, solid footprint in the motor-vehicle industry

Industries	Automotive OEM	Automotive OES	Energy	Industrials	Digital leaders
Automotive and machinery	BMW	Bosch	EnbW	ABB	Adobe
Consumer and retail	Daimler	Brembo	Enel	General Electric	Ebay
Financial services	Great Wall Motors	Bridgestone	Eon	Infineon	LinkedIn
Industrial goods/services	Kia	Continental	Ionity	Intel	Microsoft
Logistics, business services	Porsche	Here	Primagaz	Kone	OpenTable
Pharma and life sciences	Renault	Mahle	Techem	Kuka	PayPal
Software and media	Toyota	Michelin	SHV Energy	Palfinger	SAP
Telecommunications	Volvo	Valeo	Vattenfall	Schneider Electric	Skype
Utilities and chemicals	Volkswagen	Webasto		Siemens	Uber

### **Global footprint**



### Portfolio of TopLine consulting services<sup>1</sup>

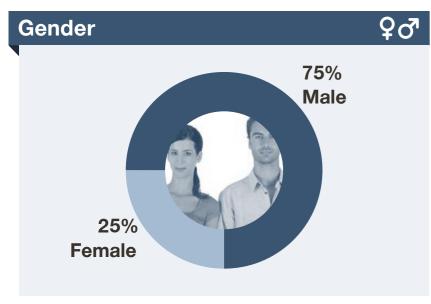


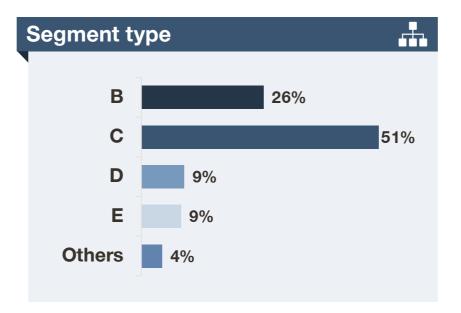
Source: Simon-Kucher & Partners; 1 Selection

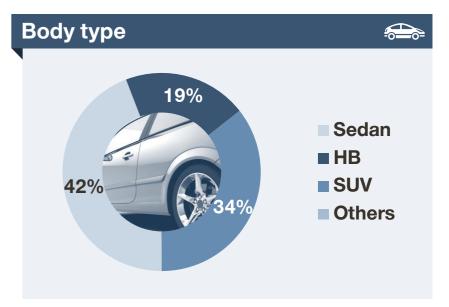
## We surveyed 1,000+ consumers in Turkey in the automotive sector about their preferences

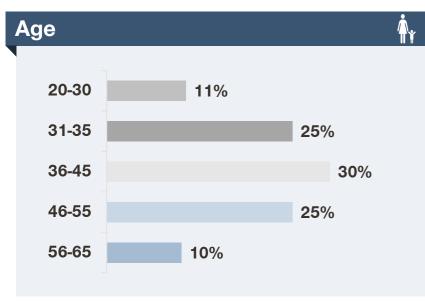


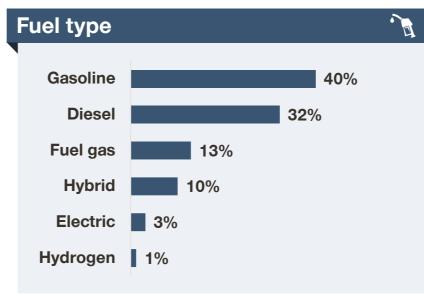
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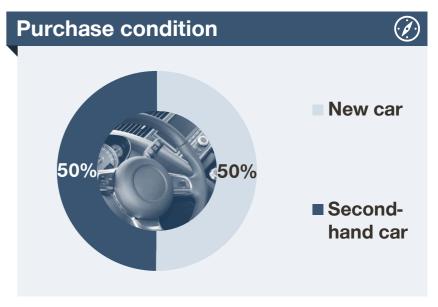








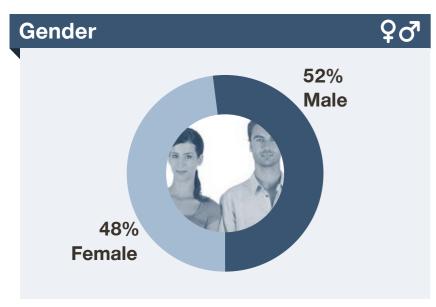


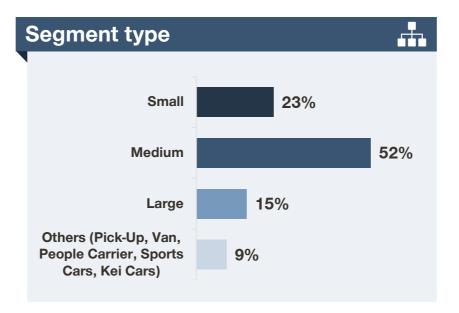


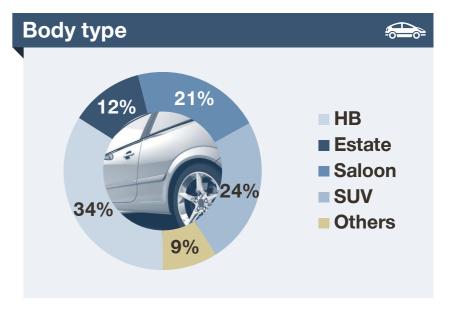
## ... and with 10,000+ consumers surveyed globally in the automotive sector

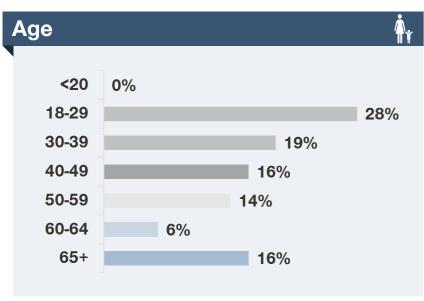


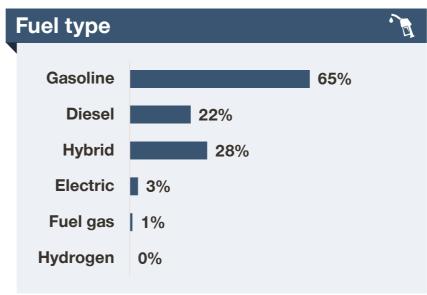
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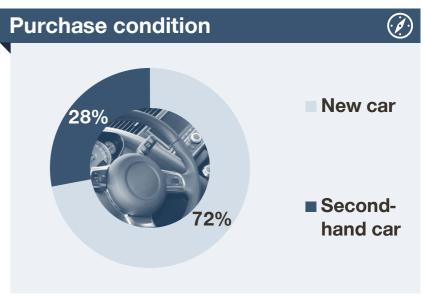












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CHINA FOCUS: LEARNINGS FROM EV WONDERLAND

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### **Price took over brand loyalty**



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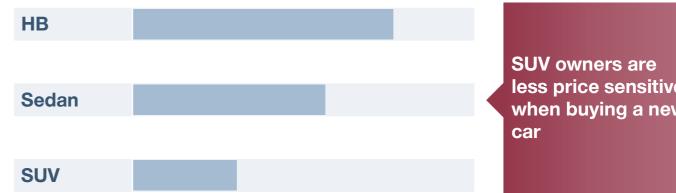
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### **Top Purchase Criteria**

### **New Car Sales...**

	2020	2021
Brand	#1	#3
Security	#2	<b>&lt; &gt;</b> #2
Price	#3	#1

### **Price Sensitivity, by Body Type**

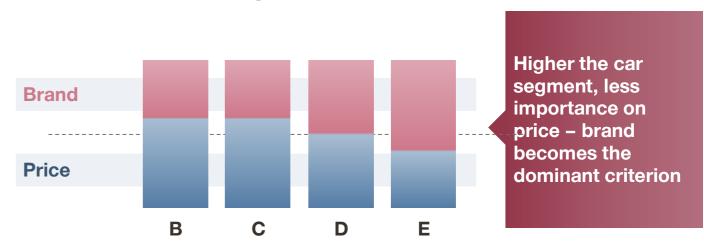


less price sensitive when buying a new

### Second-Hand Car Sales...

	2020	2021
Condition	#1	#4
Security	#2	<b>&lt;&gt;&gt;</b> #2
Brand	#3	<b>&lt; &gt;</b> #3
Price	#4	#1

### **Brand vs. Price, by Segment**



Source: Simon-Kucher & Partners Automotive Research Survey 2021&2022, Q5A: "Yeni bir araba (sıfır km) satın almayı düsündüğünüzü belirttiniz. Araba satın alırken asağıdaki kriterlerden hangileri sizin icin önemlidir? Lütfen asağıdaki kriterlere sizin icin önemline göre 100 puanı dağıtınız."

### Retail can be improved through right questions: SUV Example

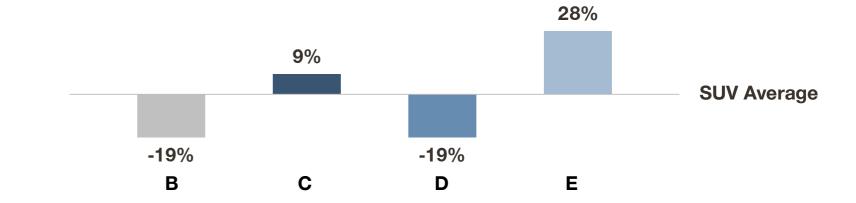


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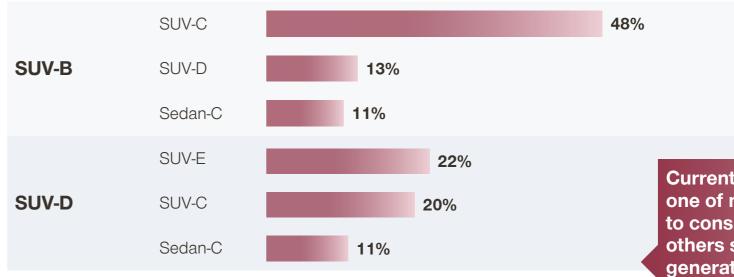
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### **SUV** Loyalty, by Segment



### Likely to change to...



Source: Simon-Kucher & Partners Automotive Research Survey 2021&2022

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Current car is just one of many points to consider with the others such as generation, occupation, security concern...

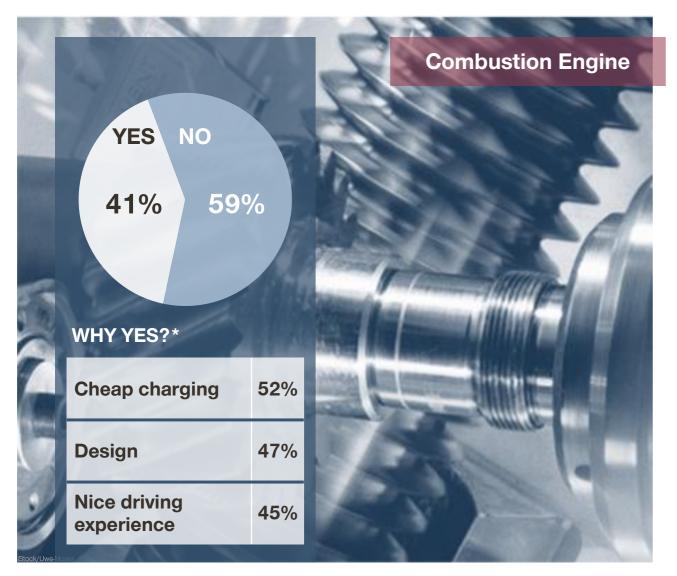
## **Electrical Vehicles: Experience Matters**

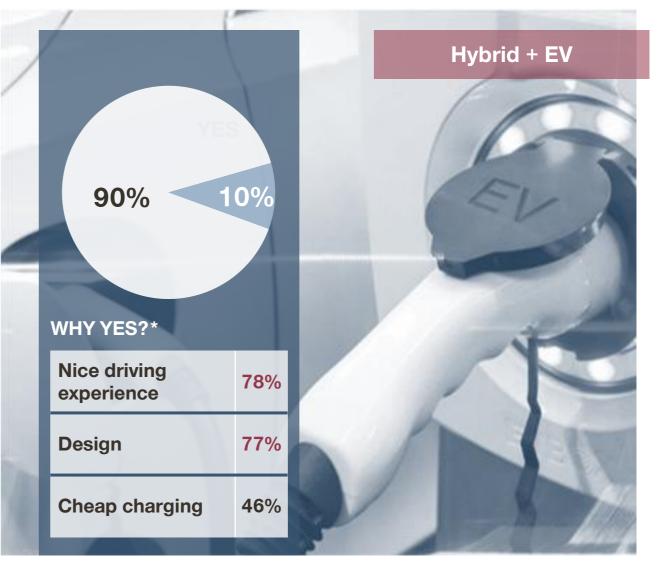


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### Would you buy an EV as your next car?



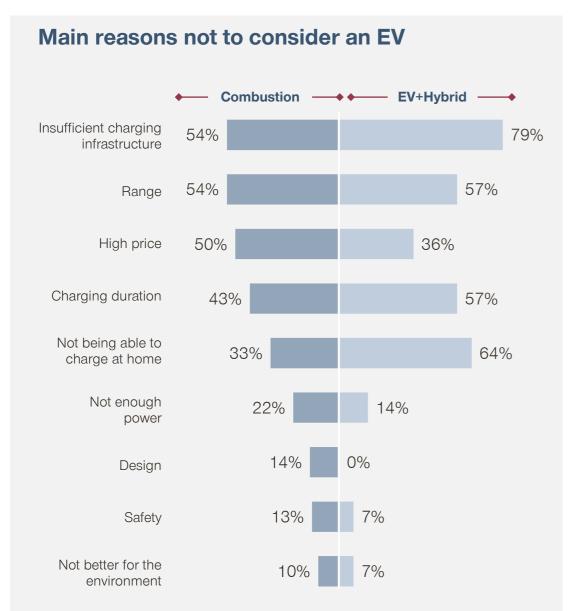


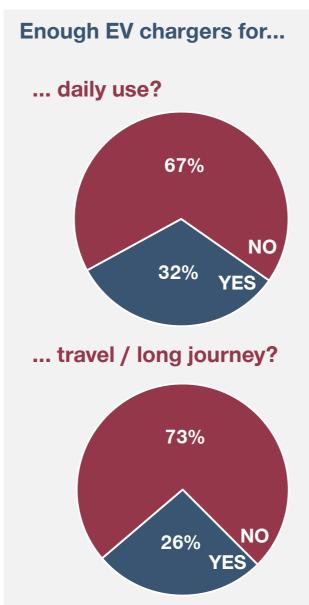
### Not enough infrastructure can slow down the trend

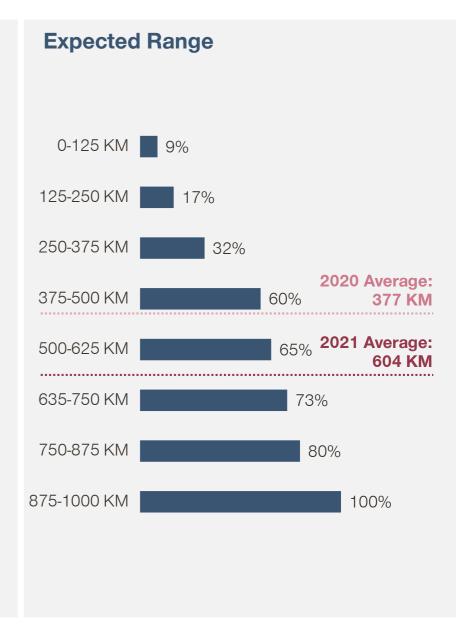




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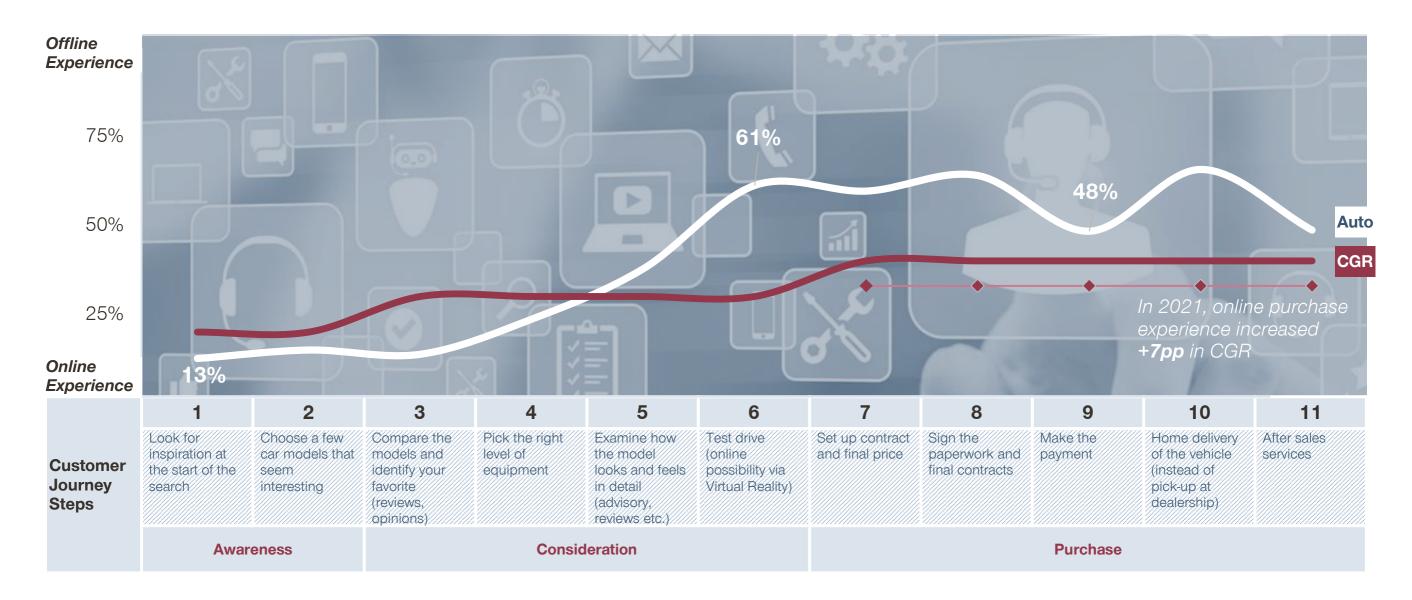


Source: Simon-Kucher & Partners Automotive Research Survey 2021&2022

## Online experience decrease from awareness to purchase steps in automotive industry, with an exception in payment and after sales steps



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## Several OEMs are focusing on improving the online car purchase experience for end-customers, across the customer journey



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### **Payment**

Many OEMs, such as **Tesla, Vovlo, Mercedes-Benz, and Stellantis brands**, enable customers to complete purchases and payments online, discover financing options (including 3rd party affiliates like **Affirm**), and customize payment terms

### **Examine the model in detail**

Polestar Spaces: Re-imagining physical stores where specialists instead of salespeople on commissions, guide customers through online purchases

Jaguar Land Rover Off-Road VR: Incorporating VR into physical stores to better demonstrate unique features of models through VR experiences

Dealers do not have to be obsolete, they can be «experience centers» with high tech knowledge experts

Compare & identify a favorite

## **After sales services**

**NIO Service:** NIO offers lifetime free car connectivity to owners, enabling purely online regular maintenance reminders, roadside rescue, and scheduling of basic repairs at home.

### **Test drive**

After sales services

**Payment** 

**Test drive** 

**Examine the** 

model in detail

Many OEMs, such as **Ford, Alfa Romeo, Volkswagen, Hyundai, Honda, and Toyota** allow customers to take «virtual test drives» accompanied by a dealer representative, at the comfort of their homes using VR headsets

## **Compare & identify a favorite**

Using mobile devices and computers, customers can easily explore models, configure, and interact with cars thanks to virtual/augmented reality (VR/AR) systems, which is a popular concept for OEMs, such as **Porsche and Bentley**, as well as independent platforms, such as **RelayCars.** Furthermore, customers looking to buy a car can schedule virtual showroom walk-arounds with dealer representatives for assitance and consultation. This is valid for several OEMs on a grand scale, such as **Škoda, Kia, and Renault.** Some OEMs, however, currently use these technologies on a region-based or dealer-based manner.

## **Key take-aways**



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### Price took over brand loyalty: Start strong in reverse market by building loyalty system NOW!

Key points: Do not make cheap or free offers, create switching costs, from extending warranty to gamification that can be marketing item

### Enhance retail points: Do not stick to personas, instead prepare set of questions to guide

Key points: Personas rarely leads to actions, set of questions leading to decision trees usually works better

### EV experience matters: Help people experience the usage not only through pictures

Key points: Maximize testing through test drives or sparing certain volume on car rentals

### Charging: Future of the EV will depend on how strong the infrastructure is. Do not play alone!

Key points: Network optimization is vital especially for intercity travels, set up a sharing model with suppliers

### Online channel: Get ready for online sales to get closer to current consumer goods

Key points: Online sales is less costly, online sales is traceable, data can be reused

### Retail experience: Convert dealership into experience center

Key points: Drive your retail from sales person to consultant, build up experience center for EV or digital items

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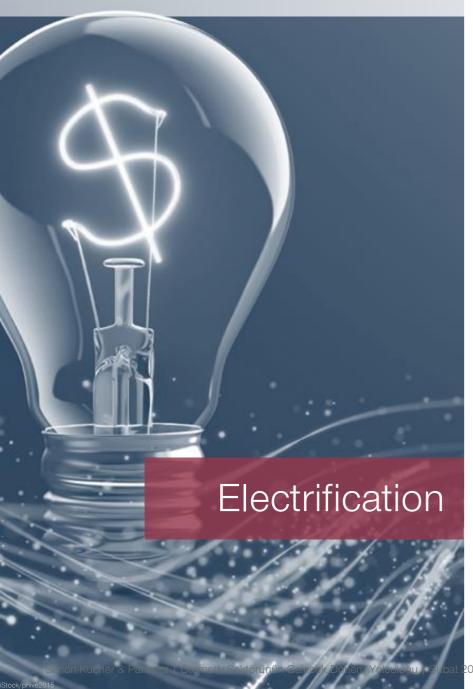


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## Global perspective: Three key trends in Automotive



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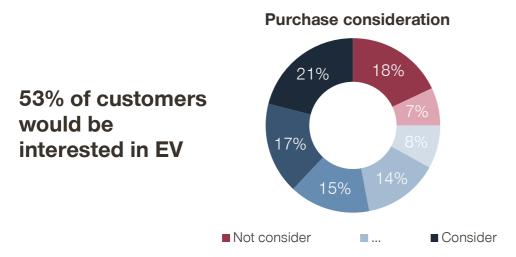
## Electrification goes main stream and customers are open to try out new EV brands



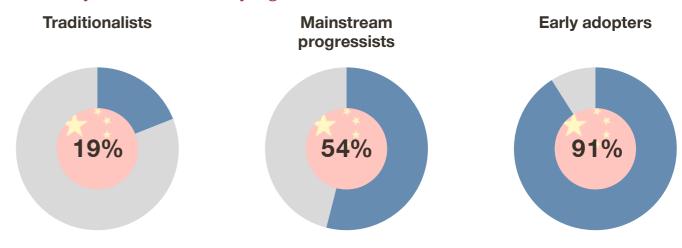
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### Global interest in electric vehicles

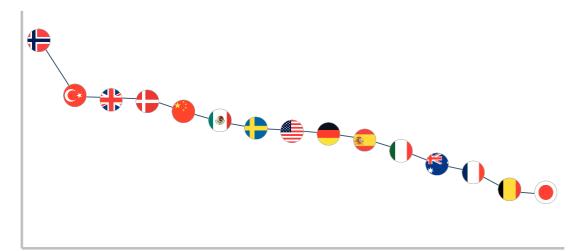


### Would you consider buying a Chinese EV?

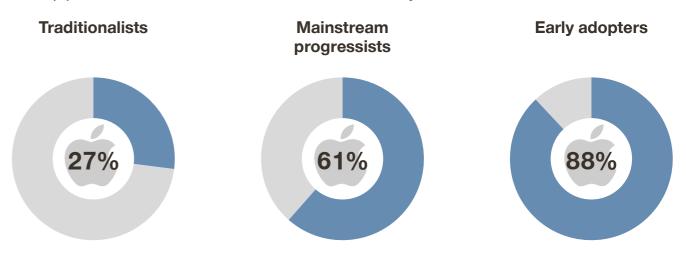


### Country perspective on electric vehicles

Share of consumers that consider EV most



### If Apple made an electric "iCar" - would you be interested?



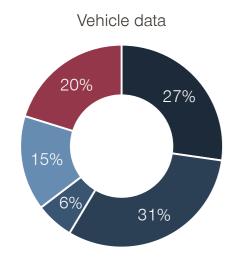
## Customers are open to in-car advertising and sharing vehicle or even personal data is becoming widely accepted



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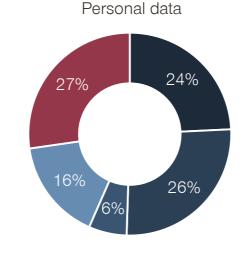
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### Are you willing to share connected car data?





- Yes, with restrictions and without payment
- Yes, without restrictions and with payment
- Yes, with restrictions and with payment
- No, I would not be willing to share any of that data

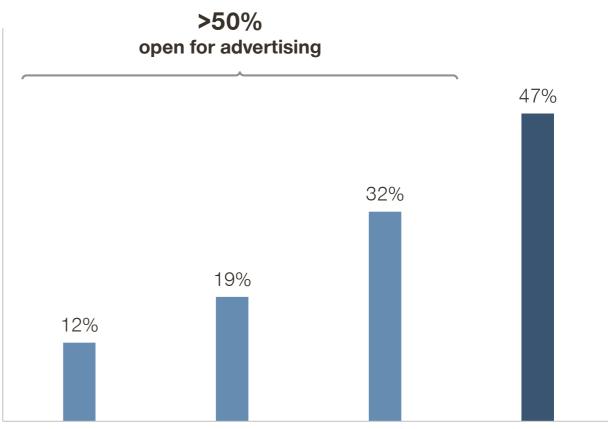


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### Country perspective

- Top-3 countries willing to share data without restrictions or payment:
   Spain, China, Mexico
- Top-3 countries not willing to share data: United States, Australia, Germany
- Highest (lowest) monthly incentive to share data: China (Japan)

### Would you accept advertising in your car?



I am open to advertising I am open to advertising I am open to advertising I do not want this form when it comes in handy that is vehicle-related in exchange for some of advertising in my car discount or voucher

## Enabling a completely new array of revenue sources (data monetization, ad platform business, ecosystem development...)



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series

(based on topic interest in

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🜥 Weather and outside temperature data

Road hazards

A Road conditions

Battery level for electric vehicles

Technical conditions

Fuel/electricity consumption and behavior

...

### **Personal data**

Starting and end point of itinerary

Current location

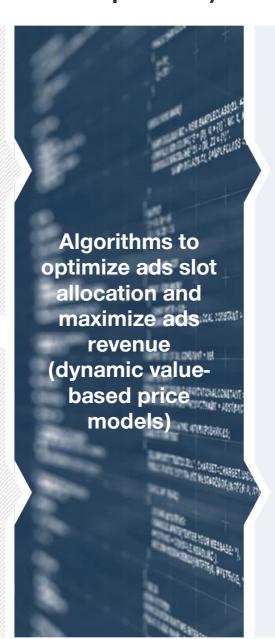
Picture and video material from outside the car

Acceleration patterns

Driving behavior

Prefered entertainment channels

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20% off on the menu for a battery charge in our parking (based on battery level and navigation data)

Winter complete tires of brand A at a 15% discount (based on tire sensors)

Drive-in coffee to go on your way to work.

50% off! Now 1,49€

Pay directly with your car wallet

30-min massage discovery for 9€ (based on vehicle sensors and erratic driving

behaviors)

Unbeatable insurance offer

(based on vehicle sensors and safe driving behaviors)

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## Buying behaviors in constant evolution – a lot is shifting towards subscription



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DVD rental

BLOCKBUSTER

Subscription for video streaming



CD purchase



Subscription for music streaming



Indivividual magazine purchase



Subscription for newspapers & magazines



Individual purchases of sanitary products



Subscription for shaving products



Grocery shopping



Subscription for meal kits



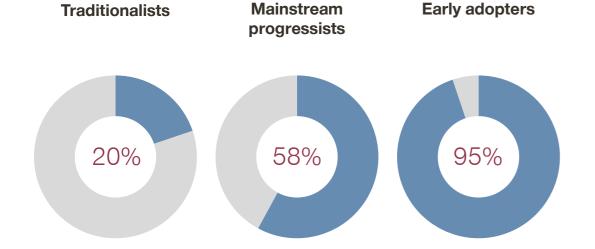
## Car subscriptions are gaining more and more traction in key markets, but monetization can be challenging



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### Would you be interested in a subscription?





## Subscription characteristics with highest customer value

- All costs included payments
- Lower capital expenditure
- Mobility guarantee

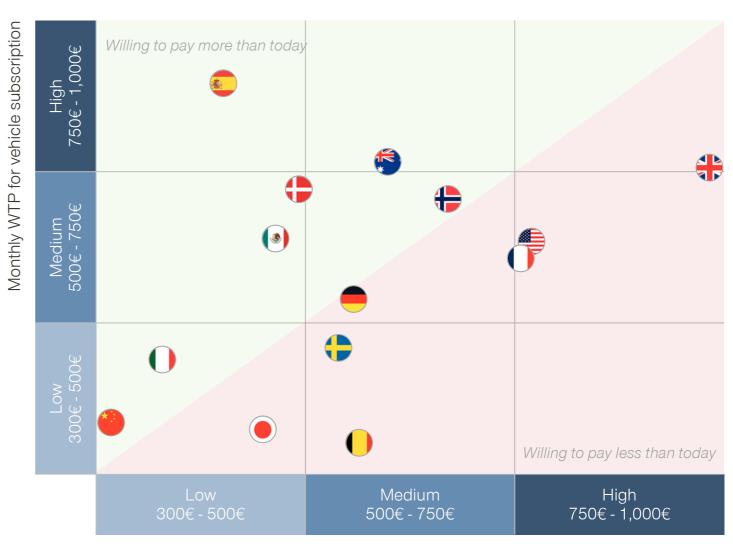


## Subscription characteristics with lowest customer value

- Short cancellation period
- Vehicle swaps
- Time saving & convenience

How much does your current car cost per month?

And how much would you be willing to spend on a subscription?



Estimated monthly vehicle cost today

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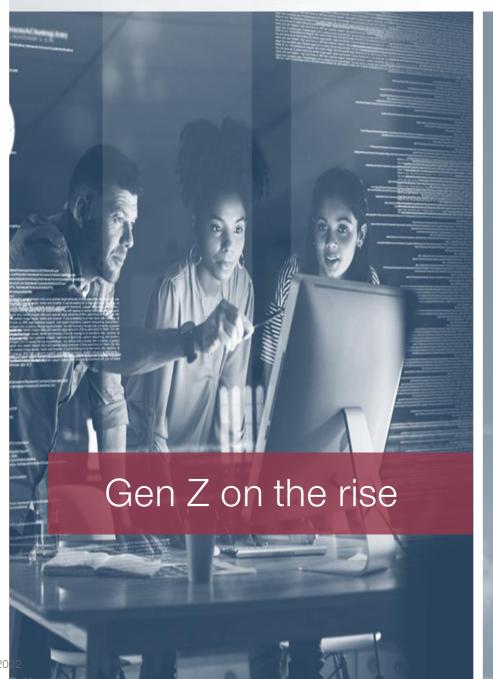


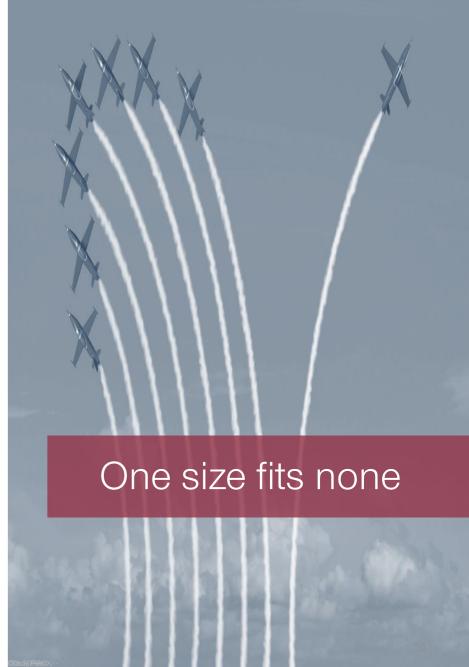
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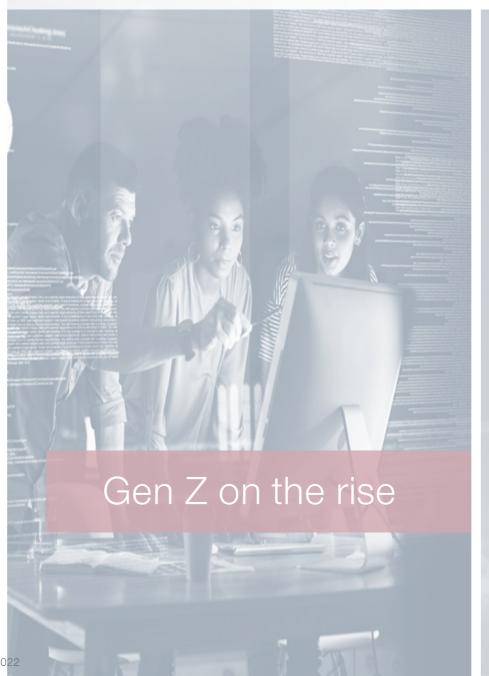


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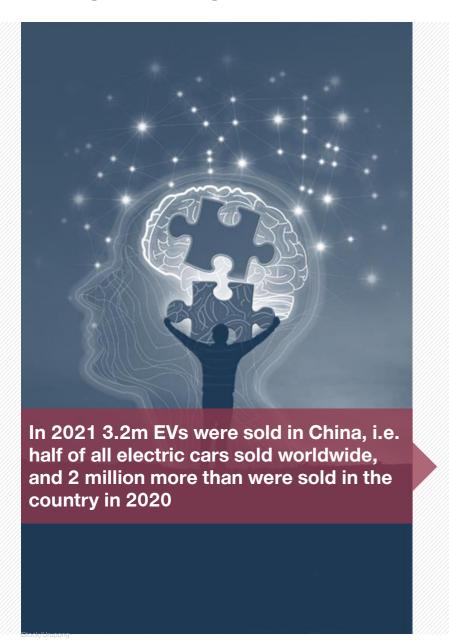


## Average annual growth of China: +68%



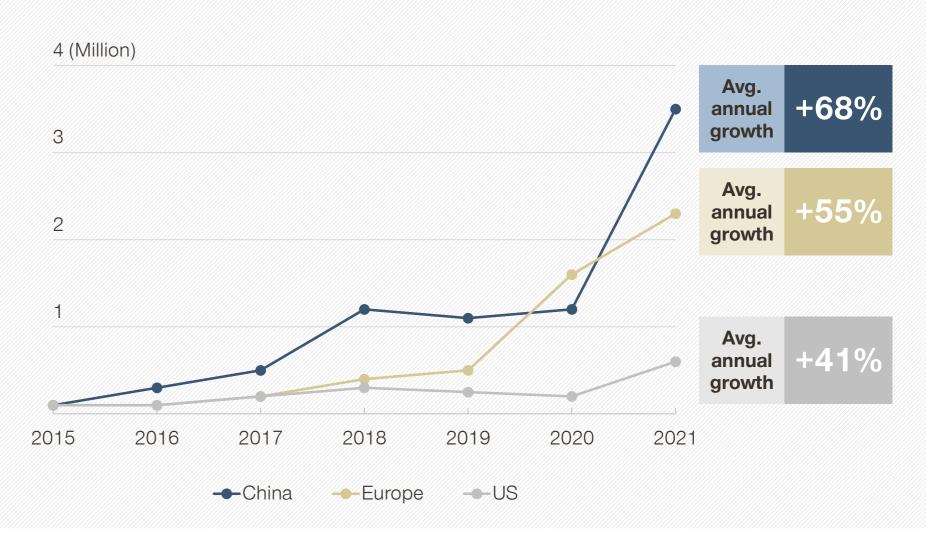
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## China, Europe leading global EV growth

Annual EV growth 2015 to 2021



### The Chinese car makers are riding the waves of electrification



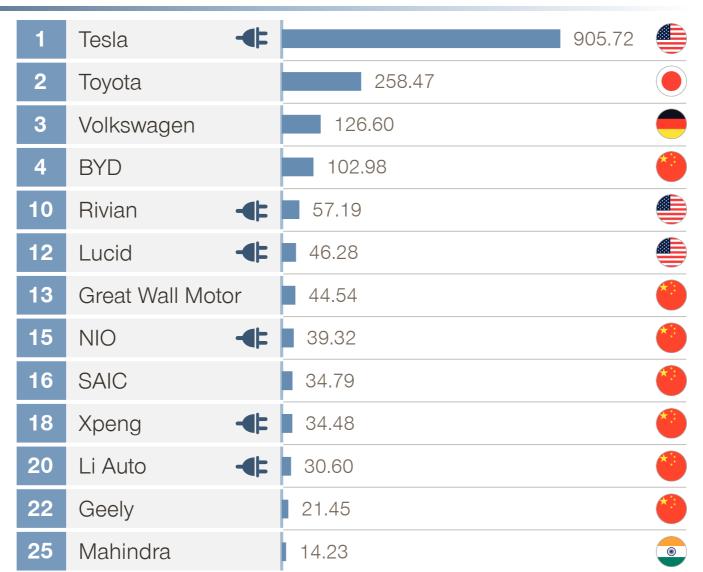
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## 2021 - Top 25 car makers by market cap, \$Bn (truncated)







## Among Top 25...

- 7 are Chinese carmakers, out of which
- 3 are pure EV players
- Pure EV players command nearly 50% of market cap of Top 25

### Chinese brands own the domestic EV market in China

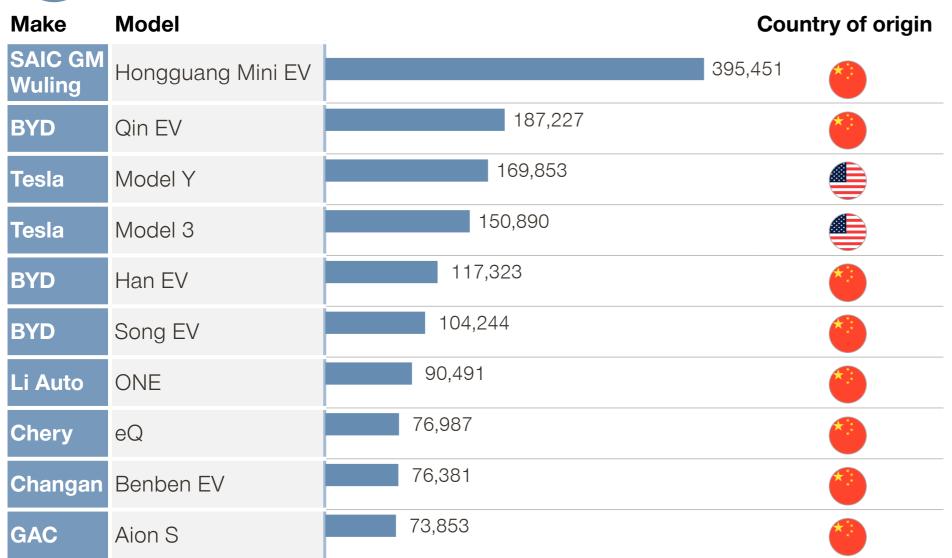


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## Top 10 EV models by sales volume in China 2021 full year



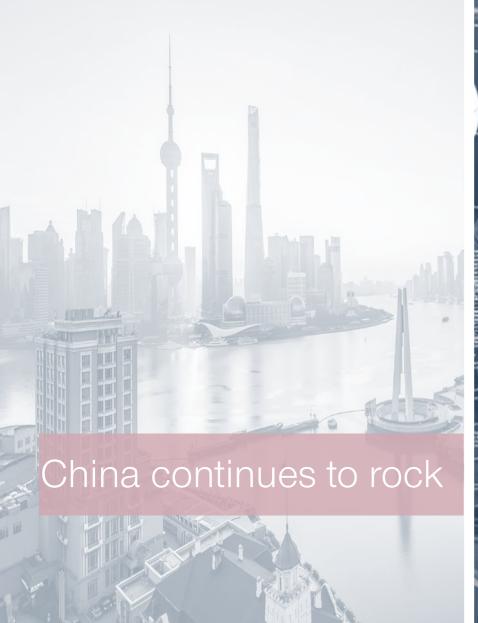
- Only one foreign brand, Tesla, made it into the Top 10
- A wake-up call for German carmakers, which have been selling over 1/3 of their cars in China
- Last but not least, Chinese EV players are on their way to Europe!

Source: CPCA, Simon-Kucher & Partners

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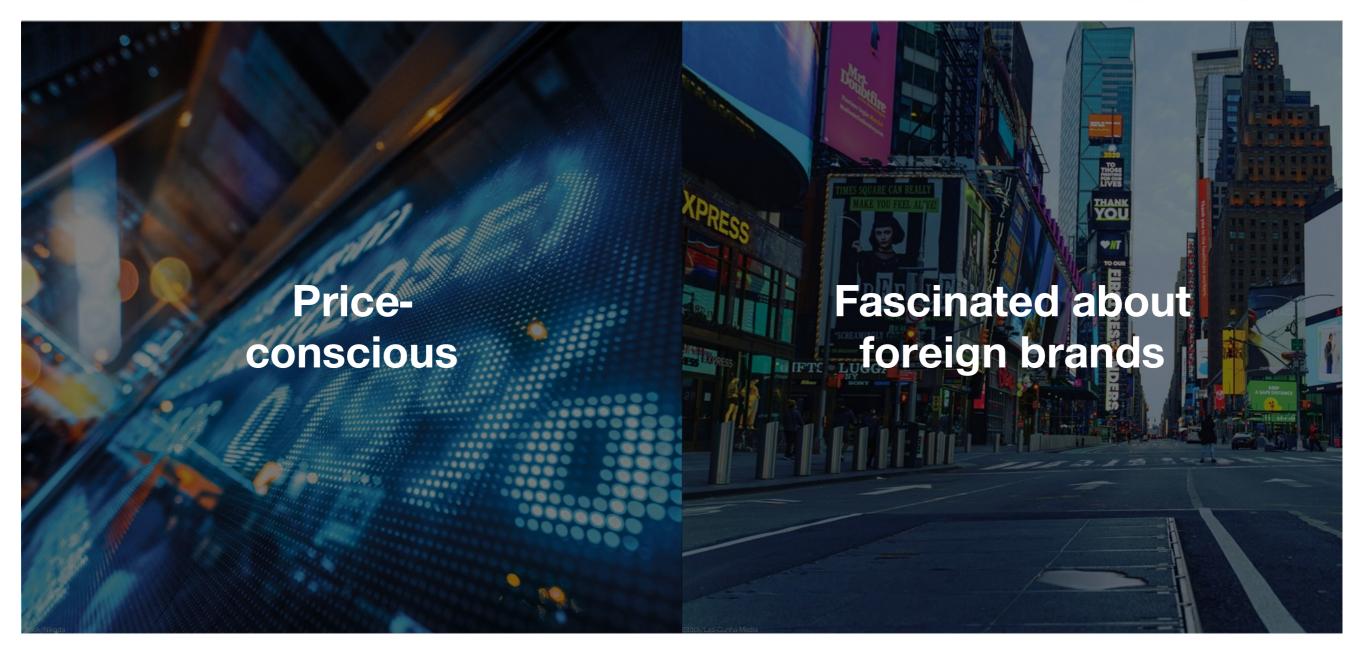


## What comes to your mind when you think about a typical Chinese consumer?



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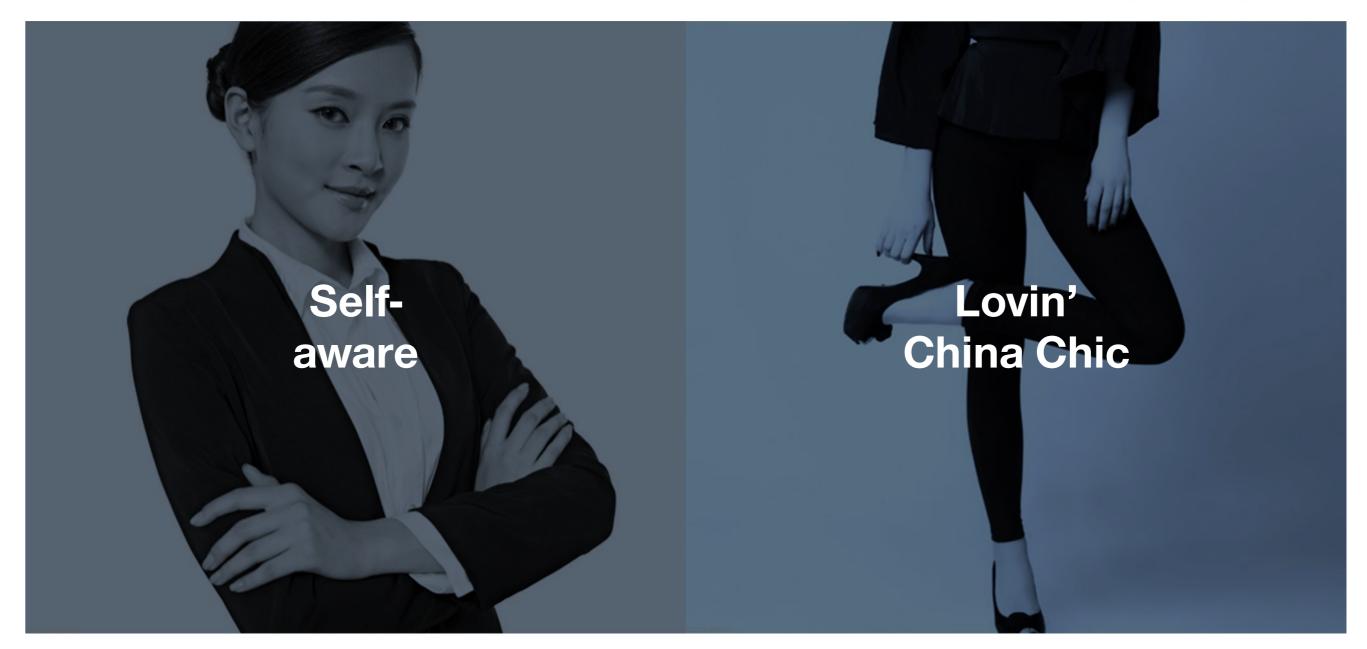
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### **Meet the New Chinese Consumer**



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### How to win over the New Chinese Consumer - also true for car buyers



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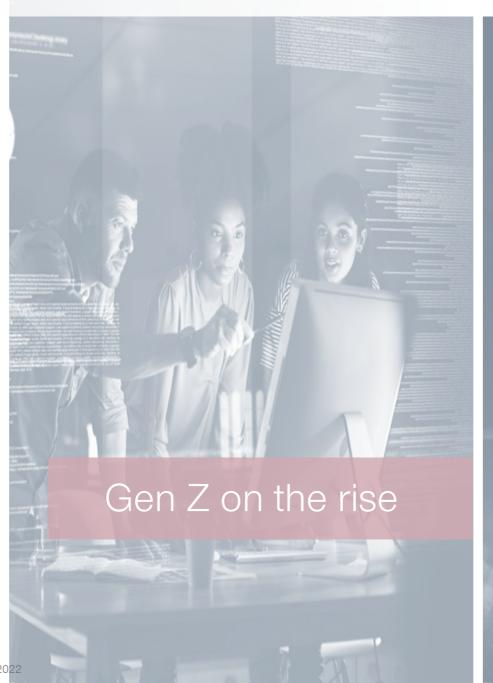
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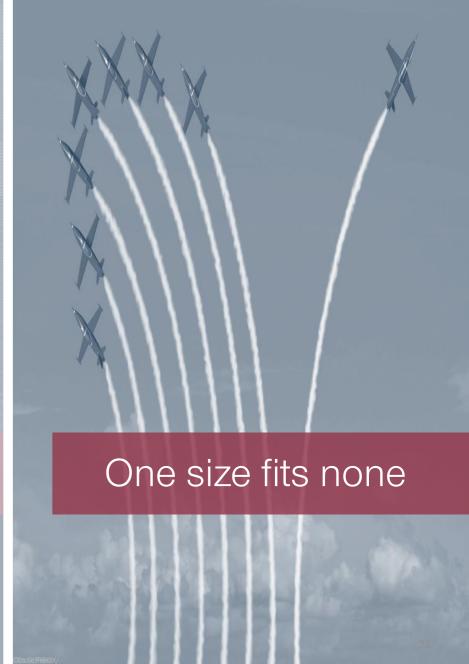
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## There are at least four distinct customer segments in the Chinese auto market

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Four customer personas for Chinese EV drivers

Category 1: EV drivers with focus on Plug-in-Hybrid vehicles

23%

- Price sensitive
- Paying attention to cost-performance ratio



Category 2: EV drivers with focus on small pure electric models

31%

- Price sensitive
- Paying attention to minimum range requirement and basic service requirement



Category 3: Mainstream drivers of pure electric models

35%

- Best charging and range option within the affordable price range
- Willing to pay for efficiency and advanced feature



Category 4: High-end EV drivers

11%

- Time sensitive
- Willing to pay a premium for valueadded services

Course: Simon Kucher & Partners avaluation

## It is not about the price, but productizing the price



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## Nio

## Wuling Hongguang





### **Zooming onto Hongguang Mini EV**



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Hongguang Mini EV's success story continued in 2021, up over 250% year on year, an undisputed EV bestseller

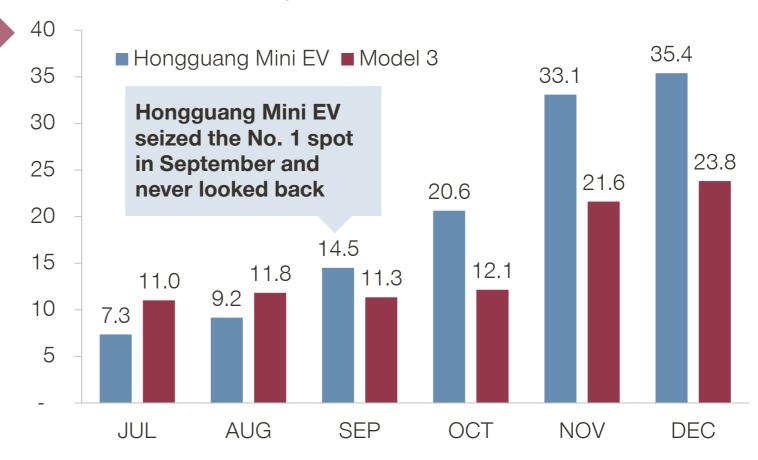


The Hongguang Mini EV is coming to Europe. Nonetheless, given European environmental regulations, the price is estimated to be higher than in China...



## Sales development of Hongguang Mini EV vs. Model 3 – 2020H2

Units sold in k on a monthly basis



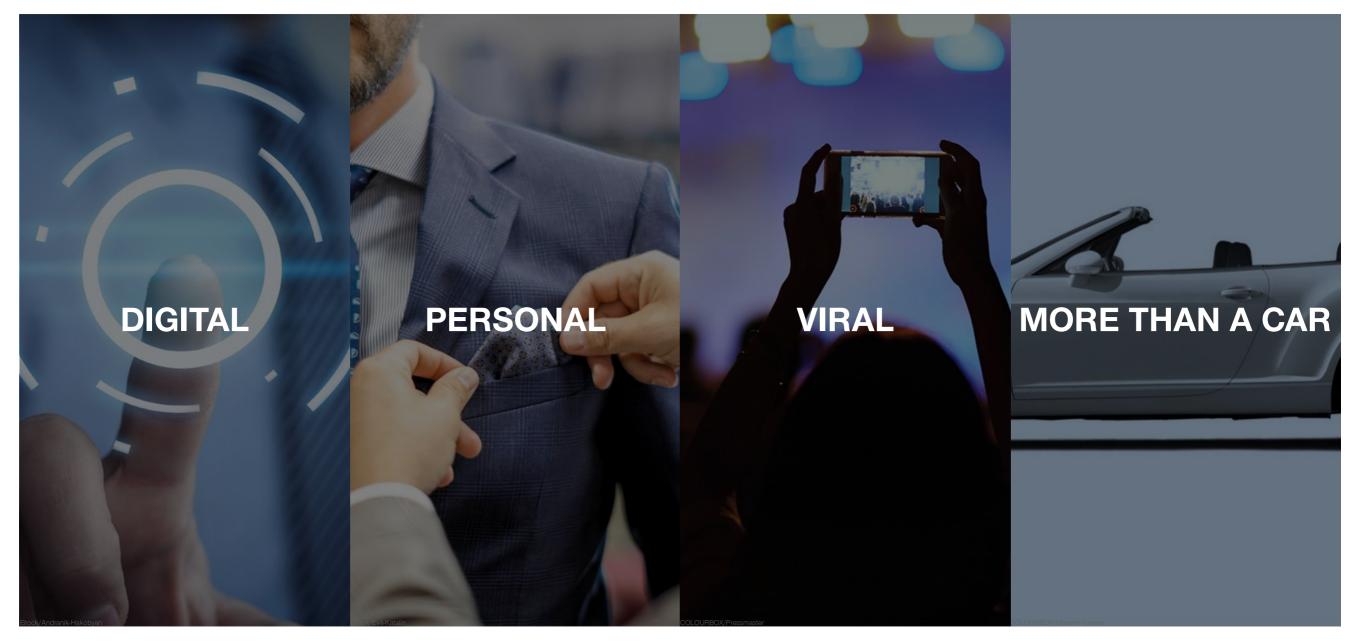
Full-electric, length 2.9m, no-frills, battery 13.9kWh, warranty 8 years, free 24x7 roadside assistance

## What do Chinese EV makers do differently in marketing and sales?



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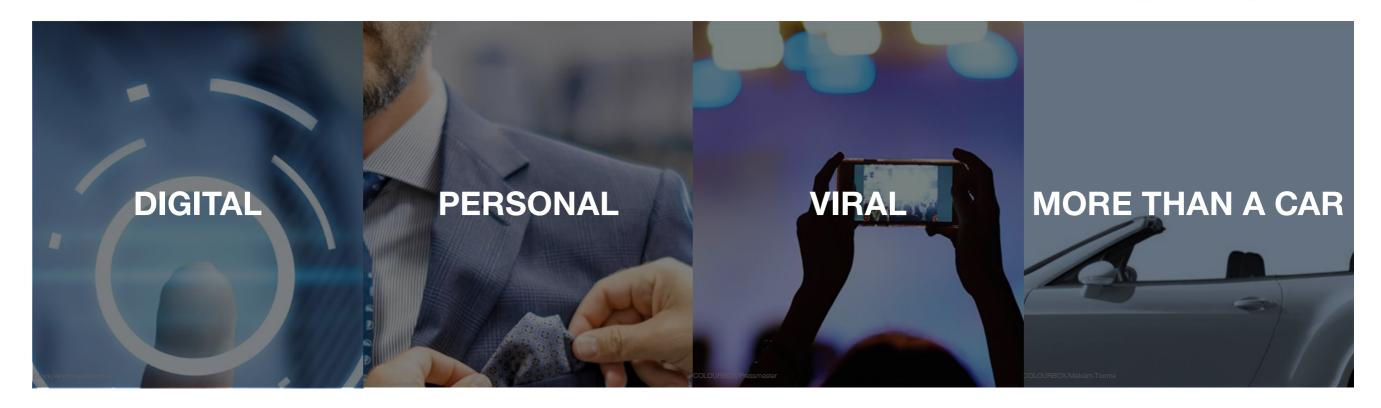
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### **Key take-aways from Chinese EV players**



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- Everything that can be digitalized is digitalized
- Seamless multi-platform integration
- Location-based service offerings

- Dedicated CONSULTANT instead of SALES REP
- Highly personal approach without being perceived too pushy
- with user generated content and

## CONSTRUCTIVE CRITISM

70%! sales through wordof-mouth

- "Accessories" redefined
- Co-branding appealing to Generation Z without alienating the older
- Expected greater CLTV (Customer Lifetime Value)

### Simon – Kucher & Partners' extensive resources for further research



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### Global Automotive Study 2022: Extended & Customized Results

Extended results of Global Automotive Study 2022 can be made available and customized according to your needs<sup>1</sup>. We can deliver further analyses and insights on the Automotive sector, such as:

- Purchase criteria, channel preferences, brand specific customers' price perception, ...
   based on ...
- Customer demographics, brand, body type, segment, fuel type, ...

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