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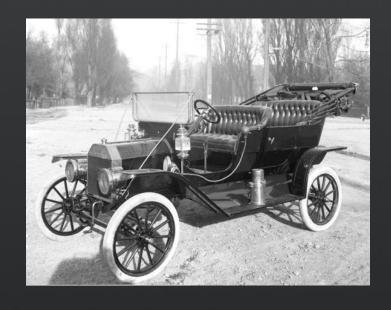
Detroit: 1910

The Detroit Auto Show started in 1899, and by 1910 it had become a major event, although many members of the public remained skeptical of the long-term viability of the automobile.

 Despite these consumer doubts, there was an explosion of technical creativity - by 1910, there were well over one hundred US car manufacturers...



Which powertrain technology would win?







GASOLINE

1910 Ford Model T

STEAM

1910 White steam car

ELECTRIC

Columbia Mark 68 electric car

Technical push, social pull factors: the US in 1910

Metallurgy

Technology Innovation

US farmers

Migration to cities



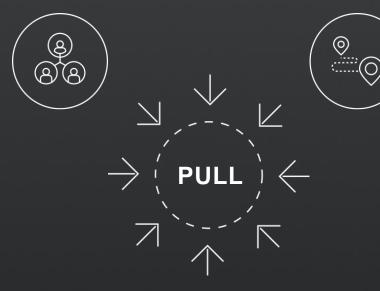








Production line



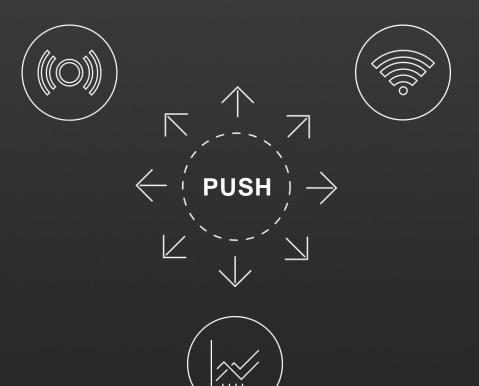


Disposable income

Technical push, social pull factors: China in 2019

Sensor technology

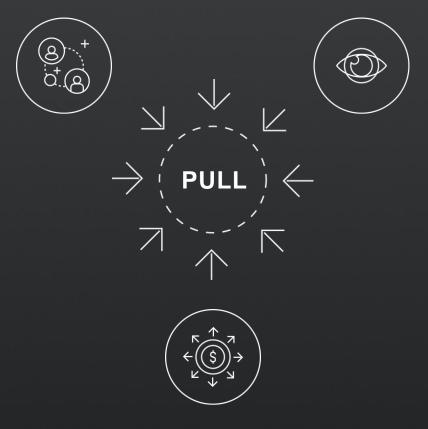
Increased connectivity



Increase in affordable compute power (Moore's Law)

New middle class

Openness to innovation



Government support

The biggest revolution in the automobile industry since 1910?

FACTS

A large number of NEV players have sprung up, including brand new EV startups and traditional OEMs actively entering the NEV field

The NEV market share is still low (2.1% in 2017), leaving broad space for development

The intelligent and connected car has become a global trend

TARGETS

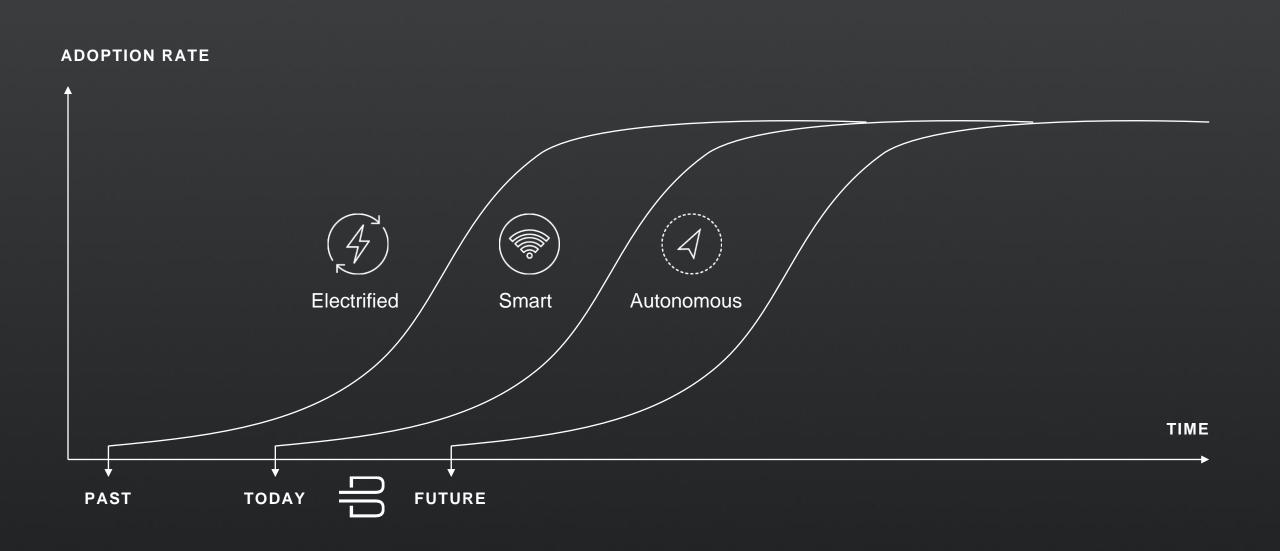
By 2020, NEV production and sales are expected to ramp up to 2 million, with a market share of 10%

By 2020, China aims to have several NEV companies crack the world top 10

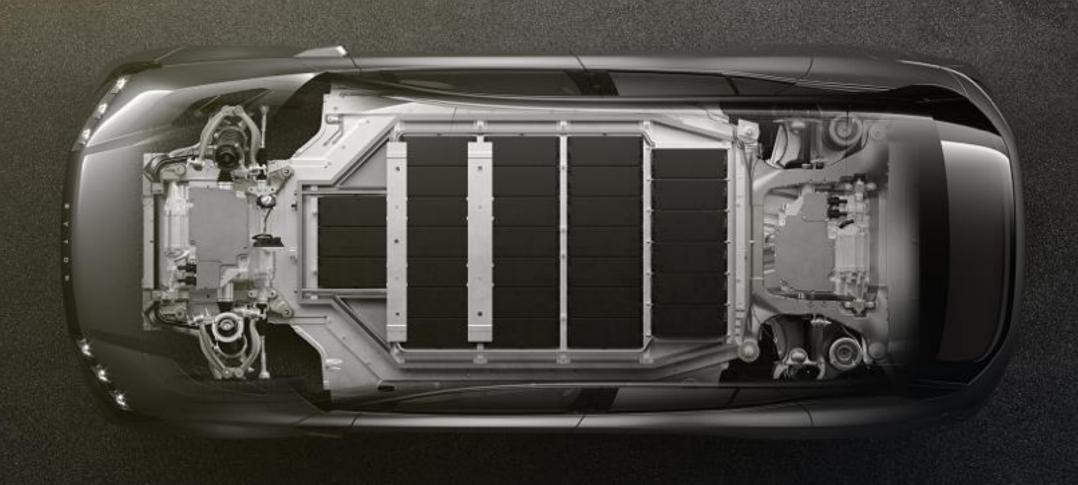
By 2025, intelligent and connected vehicles are expected to have dominating market share

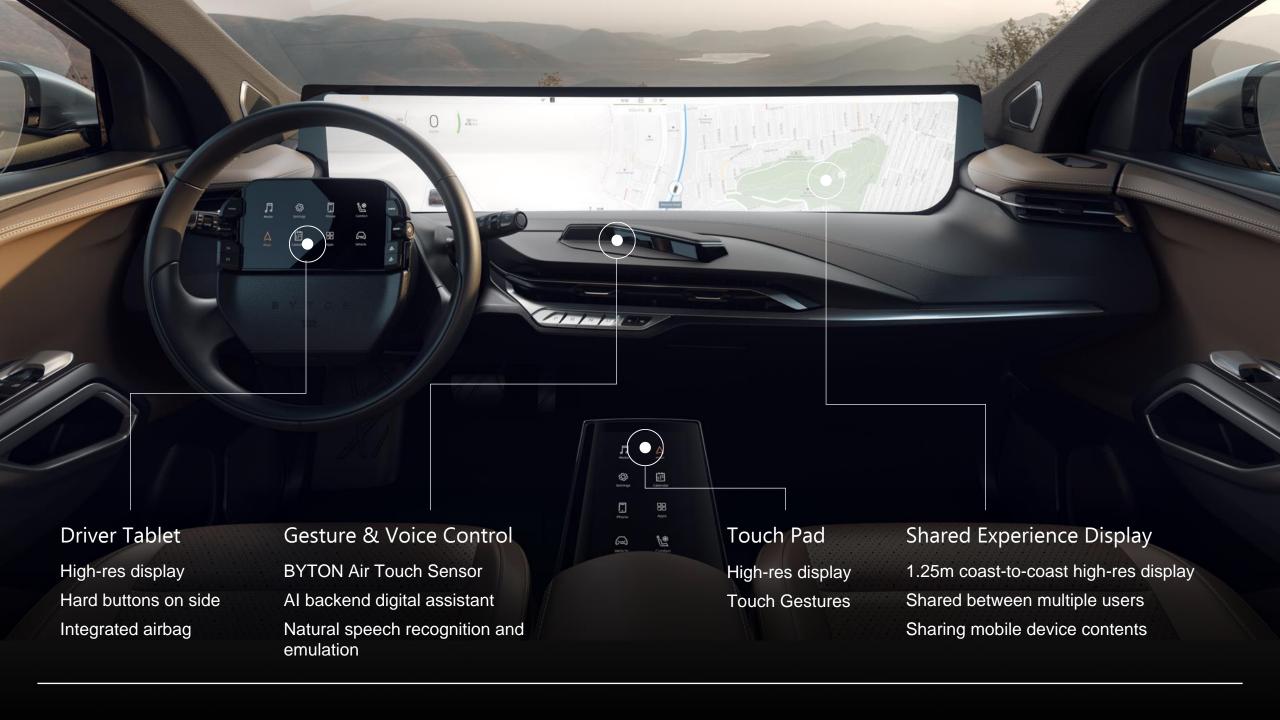


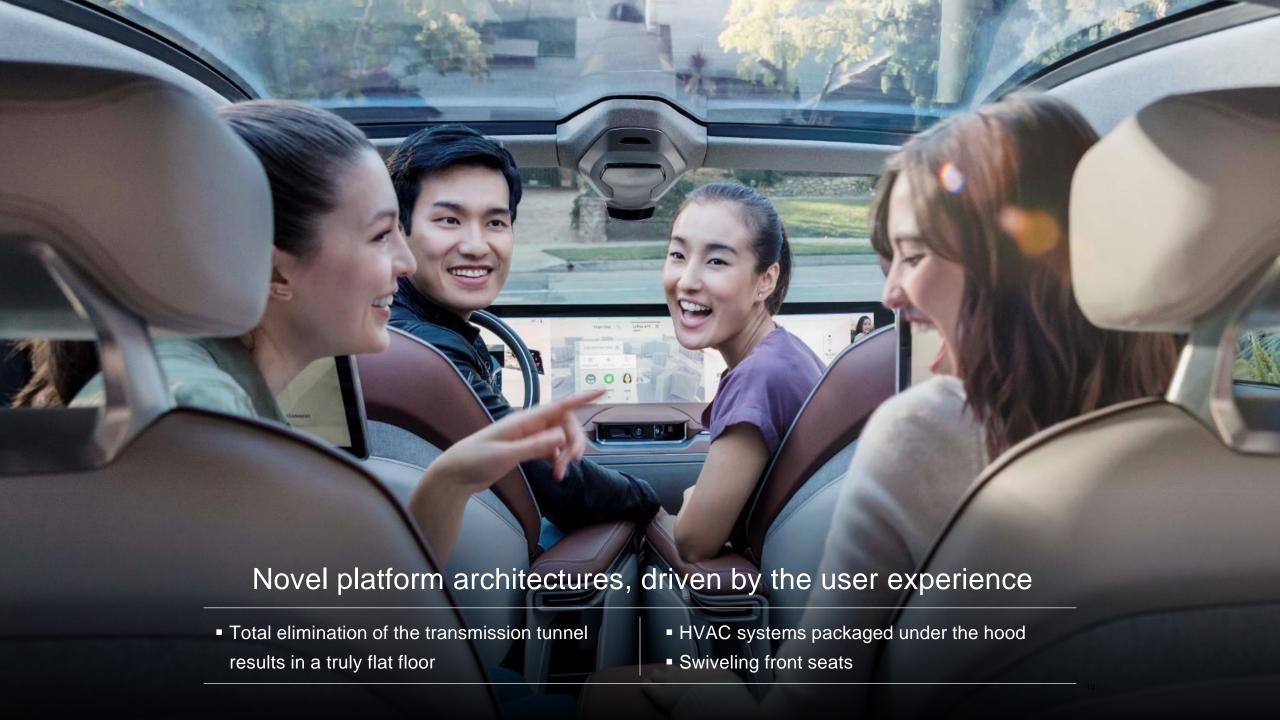
Three key phases



What does "going smart" mean for automotive engineers? BYTON's vision:







From Driver-focused to User-focused

TODAY



Passenger

TOMORROW





BYTON operates globally, leveraging talent from around the world

1500+ employees from 15+ countries on 3 continents

CONCEPT and DESIGN GERMANY

HQ, R&D and PRODUCTION CHINA

INTERFACE, SOFTWARE, FUTURE INNOVATION UNITED STATES

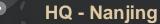
Munich

Vehicle Concept and Design Studio



Beijing

Government and Public Relations



Global HQ and corporate functions, R&D, Engineering and Manufacturing

Shanghai

Global Sales & Marketing, Design Studio

Hong Kong

Gateway to global capital market



Silicon Valley

R&D center for user interface, autonomous driving, powertrain and vehicle engineering

Los Angeles

Future Lab for new technologies, state-of-the-art design & user experiences

Nanjing plant







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