

# Re: GM Getting Flogged -- What's Wrong With America?

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On 16 Mar 2005 11:17:17 -0800, "cliff84373@yahoo.co.uk"  
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>So, *what's wrong with GM?*

America's big advantage has traditionally be research and technology.

Think about how little cars have changed in 50 years. Yes, they have computer controlled ignition, but they still work with piston combustion engines.

Think about how computers have changed in that same 50 years.

To win, Detroit needs to come up with ultra light weight commuter cars, in various sizes.

To win, Detroit needs to come up with cars that drive them selves on commuter runs while you sit back in comfort and read or work on the Internet.

To win, Detroit needs to come up with ultra high mileage cars, and ones can be easily adapted to other fuels such as methanol, natural gas, electricity, hydrogen.

To win, Detroit needs to start thinking about selling transportation rather than cars. That way computer guided vehicles could act as taxis, that arrive within moments after you phone in or set up on schedule on the Internet.

"Never in human history have such genocide and cruelty been witnessed. Such a genocide was never seen in the time of the pharaohs nor of Hitler nor of Mussolini."

~ Mehmet Elkatmi, head of Turkish parliament's human rights commission on Bush's genocide in the Iraq war. 2004-11-28

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