SWOT Analysis for NIO Power Swap

Identify strengths, weaknesses, opportunities, and threats to develop a plan

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Brainstorm strengths, weaknesses, opportunities and threats to your project here

Ideally, work in an S-shaped flow. Start with strengths, then move to weaknesses, then opportunities, and finally threats.

Have your team add one idea per sticky note.

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STRENGTHS

1. Start here. Strengths are things internal to your organization, process, or project that are within your control.

- Faster than charging (swap battery in <5 minutes)
- Recurring income from BaaS
- Lower cost car (customer doesn't own battery)
- Cheap swapping fee for customers
- Exclusive battery swapping stations

WEAKNESSES

2. Weaknesses are also internal factors within your control. These might be obstacles, blockers, etc. that obstruct your ability to meet your goals.

- Not proven economically viable on a mass scale
- There is a reason Tesla abandoned it
- Resource Intensive
- Bad for environment (large waste)
- Increased car complexity
- Large recurring costs (battery loss/ replacement, personnel needed for swap)
- Larger infrastructure than charging stations
- Proprietary

OPPORTUNITIES

3. Opportunities should be treated as external factors that the organization, process, or project should (or could) develop. Ideally, these already exist in some fashion.

- Unique leadership in BaaS as there is no competition
- Growing EV demand in markets requiring fast charging solutions for sustainable use

THREATS

4. Threats are external factors to your organization, process, or project. These are beyond your control, but are good to be aware of because of the potential risk.

- Rapid charging technology
- Supply chain distruption for battery production
- Large charging networks
- World needs to reduce carbon footprint
- Needs more capital to be sustenable
- Could become obsolete with faster charging and new battery technology