

What is a car !



A Car is a <u>wheeled motor vehicle</u> used for <u>transporting passengers</u>, which also carries its own engine. Most definitions of the term specify that automobiles are designed to run primarily on roads, to have seating for one to eight people, to typically have four wheels, and to be constructed principally for the <u>transport</u> of people rather than goods.

Key People Behind The Ultimate CAR

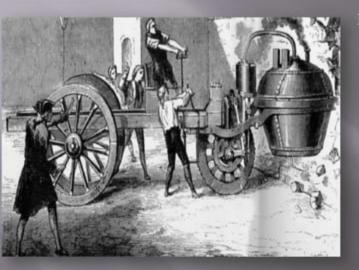






The Beginning of Transportation

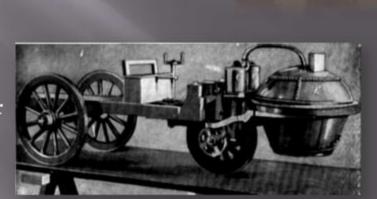
The first Idea and Practice Began in 15th Century



In the early 15th century, the Portuguese arrived in China and the interaction of the two cultures led to a variety of new technologies, including the creation of a wheel that turned under its own power. By the 1600s, small steam-powered engine models were developed, but it was another century before a full-sized engine-powered automobile was created.

1769 - The Year Of Revolution

- Nicolas Joseph Cugnot
 - From France invented first selfpropelled mechanical vehicle in 1769.
 - Built the first True Automobile
 - Tricycle
 - Steam Engine
 - 4 passengers
 - 2.25 miles per hour





Beginning of The 19th Century

- In 1800
 - Steam buses were used in Paris
 - Steam Carriages before Trains
- Disadvantage of the Steam Engine:
 - Noisy
 - Smelly
 - Dangerous
 - Because of boiler explosions





- * 1876 Nikolaus August Otto
 - Created the first gasoline powered engine
- * 1890's
 - Automobiles were considered recreational vehicles for the wealthy
- ***** 1898

50 automobile manufacturing companies in the United States



The End Of 19th century

Allowed people to

- Travel at higher speeds
- Longer distances
- Safer

The three horse power Oldsmobile

- First commercially successful vehicle
- 1901 425 sold
- 1905 5,000 sold



Henry Ford

- 1908 Invented the Model T
 - Inexpensive
 - Versatile
 - Easy to maintain
 - Enabled middle class people to own an automobile





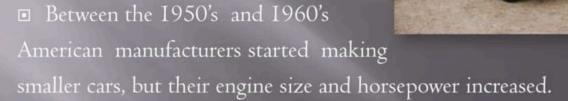
The 20th Century



In the 1930s car engines and bodies became large and luxurious.







By the 1980's Technology started to grow in America because of new Japanese innovations and imports.

The 21st Century







As the 21st century progressed and computer technology began to be utilized. Features including Auto Transmission, Anti-lock brake, skid-control system, Side airbags, Remote keyless entry, Automatic climate control vents, Cruise Control.

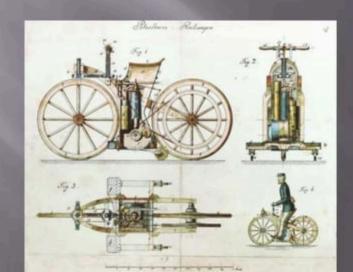
Conclusion











In the near future





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ANY QUESTIONS?