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# Electric Cars

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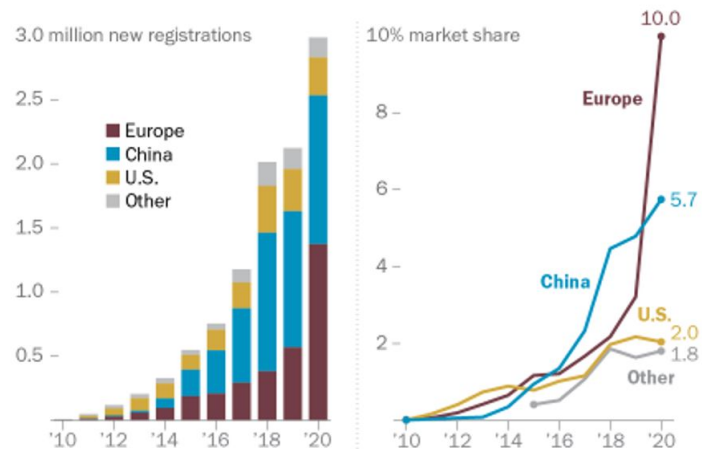
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# Overview of Industry

# Growth Numbers

## Europe leads the way in new electric vehicle sales

New global electric car registrations and automobile market share, 2010-2020



Note: Electric car totals include all-electric, plug-in hybrid and fuel cell vehicles. "Europe" includes the 27 nations in the EU, plus Iceland, Norway, Switzerland and the UK. "Other" includes Australia, Brazil, Canada, Chile, India, Indonesia, Japan, Malaysia, Mexico, New Zealand, South Africa, South Korea and Thailand. Source: International Energy Agency, "Global EV Outlook 2021."

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- 3 types
  - All-electric/battery electric
  - Plug-in hybrids
  - Fuel cell
- 2011: 16,000 battery and plug-ins sold
- 2020: 1.7m sold
- 2021: 2m + sold
- China has largest fleet, Europe fastest growing

## Electric vehicle registrations in the U.S.

Total electric vehicle registrations per 1,000 people, 2018



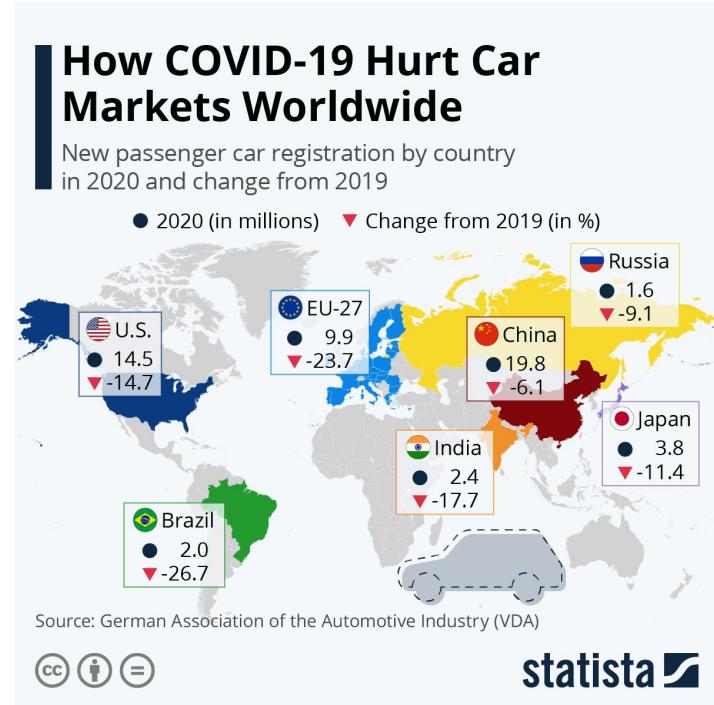
Note: Figures include all-electric vehicles and plug-in hybrid electric vehicles. Source: Office of Energy Efficiency & Renewable Energy, U.S. Energy Department.

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# COVID-19 Impact

- The first part of 2020 saw new car registrations drop about one-third from the preceding year
- Electric car market was very resilient!
- Policy support schemes
- As overall car registrations fell, global electric car sales share rose 70% to a record 4.6% in 2020
- Lack of government push to encourage transition to electric cars

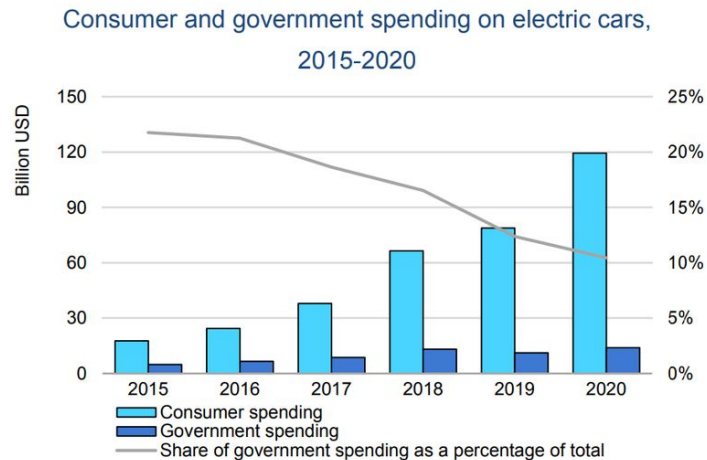


# Government Incentives

- Governments and cities incentivize people to make the switch
- More sustainable public transport
- The European Union “Fit for 55” program
- The Biden administration introduced a 50 percent electric vehicle target for 2030



Figure: Global statistics (IEA)



**ELECTRIFICATION IS PROFITABLE**

# Similarities?

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GROUP



TESLA

**NIO**  蔚来



# Electrification

VOLKSWAGEN  
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# Ford's Electric Revolution

Ford commits \$30 billion to electrification through 2025



*(11 billion of their total investment allocated to build electric vehicle plants and battery factories)*

Commercial  
Vehicles

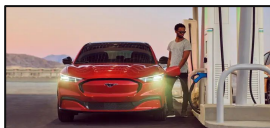


**FULL RANGE**  
Zero emission capable  
by 2024



**2/3 OF SALES**  
expected to be all-electric or  
plug-in hybrid  
by 2030

Passenger  
Vehicles



**FULL RANGE**  
All-electric or plug-in hybrid  
by mid-2026



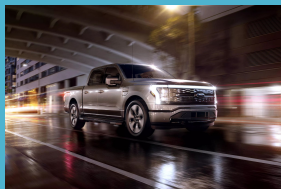
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# Ford's Comeback

About the Company

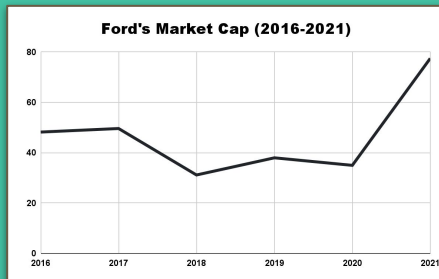
## Brief About Ford's Recent Performance



### 2022 F-150 Lightning

Reports of having over 160,000 reservations for the Ford F-150 Lightning despite not releasing until Spring 2022

- 75% of buyers are switching from other brands



SUV retail sales expanded 56.0 percent over October, while retail share increased an estimated 3.9 points to 10.1 percent



Ford was the best-selling automaker in America for the past two months, which was last accomplished 23 years ago.

November 2021 EV sales **153.6%** increased by **3x** faster than the EV sector's overall growth rate



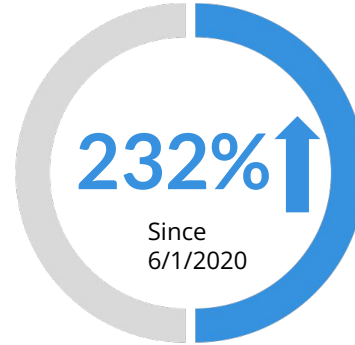
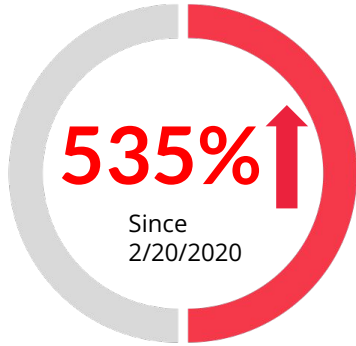
### 2021 Mach-E



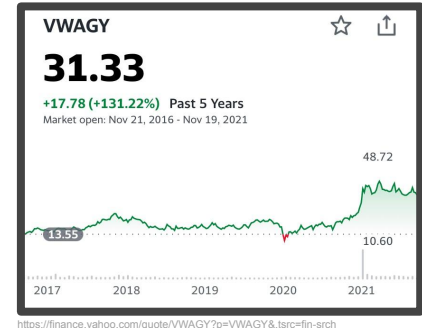
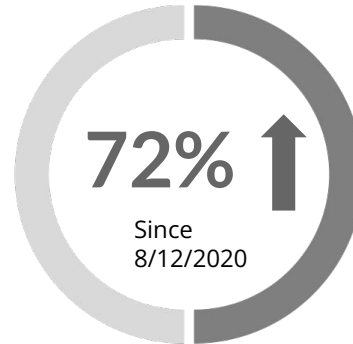
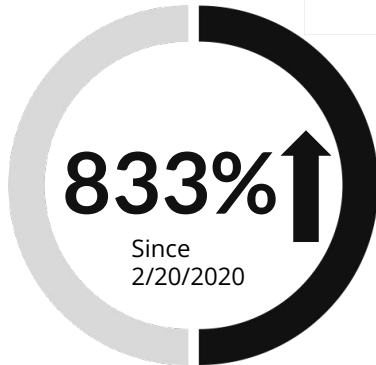
200% increase in Ford's EV market share 12 months after its release



2021 North American SUV of the Year Award



# Coincidence?



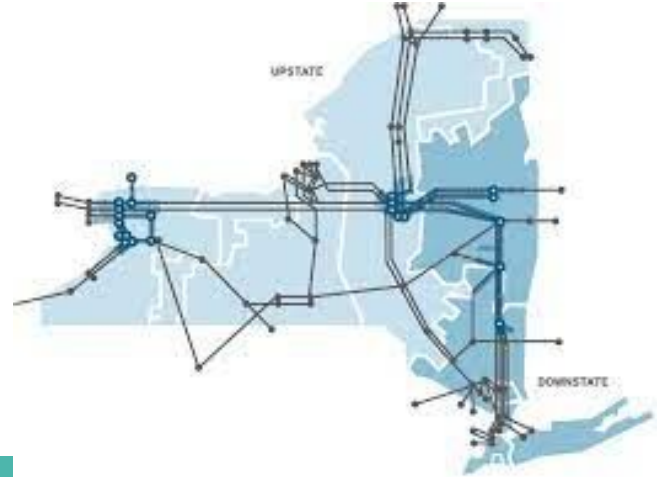
# Limitations of EVs

# Power Grid

How much energy do electric cars consume?

Infrastructure problems

Where the power comes from

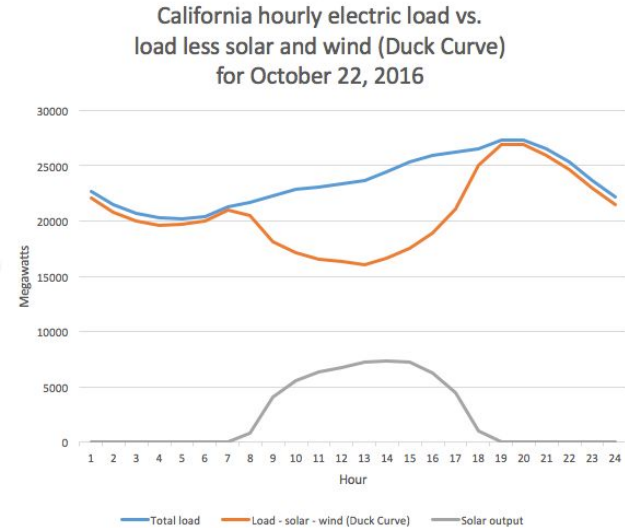
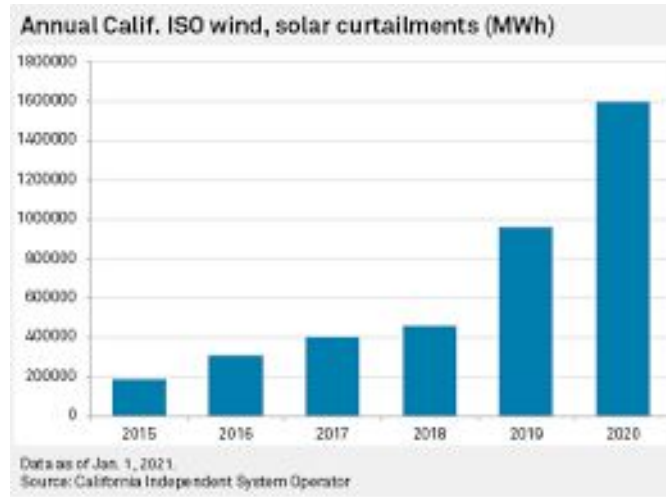


# Power Grid

Stability in power demand

Save money in power

Use green power



# Electric vehicles are expensive

- Electric vehicles cost more on average than gasoline vehicles
  - EV Average Cost : **\$55,000**
  - GV Average Cost: **\$30,000**
  - Cheapest EV: **\$19,000**
- Prices will fall in the future
  - Highly anticipated rise in supply





# Currently EV Range is limited

- Consumers cite range anxiety
  - Maximum Range ~ **400 miles**
  - Average Range ~ **200 miles**
- Battery optimization is a growing research field amidst energy transition
- Range on EVs increases each year

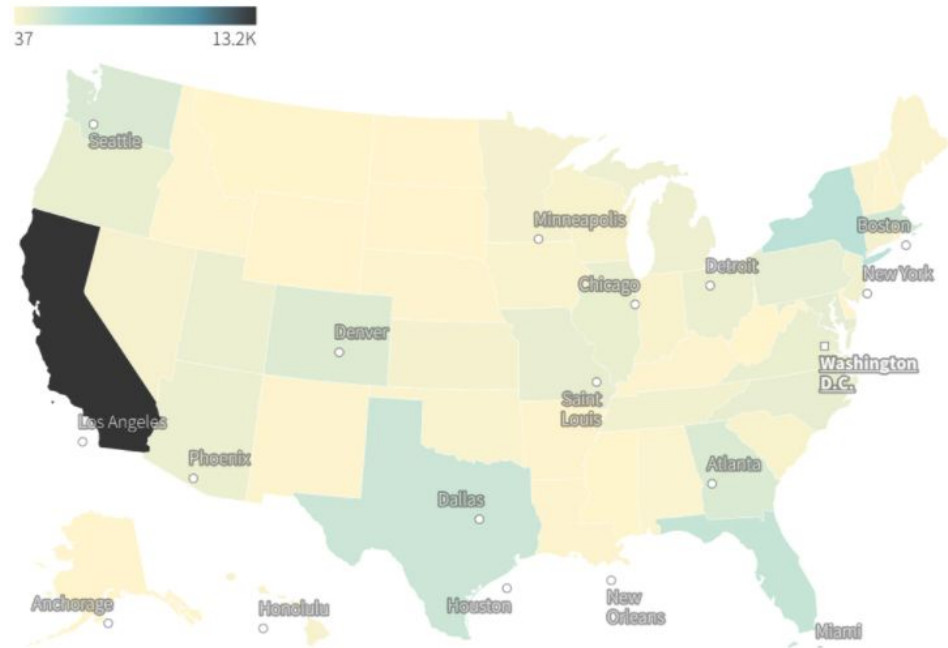


# Current infrastructure for EVs is limited

- Limited Infrastructure
  - **43,000** EV Charging stations in US
- Recently passed infrastructure bill allocates ~ \$7.5 billion to EV infrastructure expansion

## Unequal distribution of U.S. EV charging stations

Total number of public electric vehicle charging stations shows sharp discrepancies between states



Note: Includes all public EV charging stations of any level regardless of operator  
Source: U.S. Department of Energy, Alternative Fuels Data Center (Aug 2021)

# Environmental Costs

# A Great Alternative (Almost)

Electric cars are a great alternative to modern petrol cars, but they still carry environmental costs associated with production of the car, such as battery production as well as the source of energy that charges it.

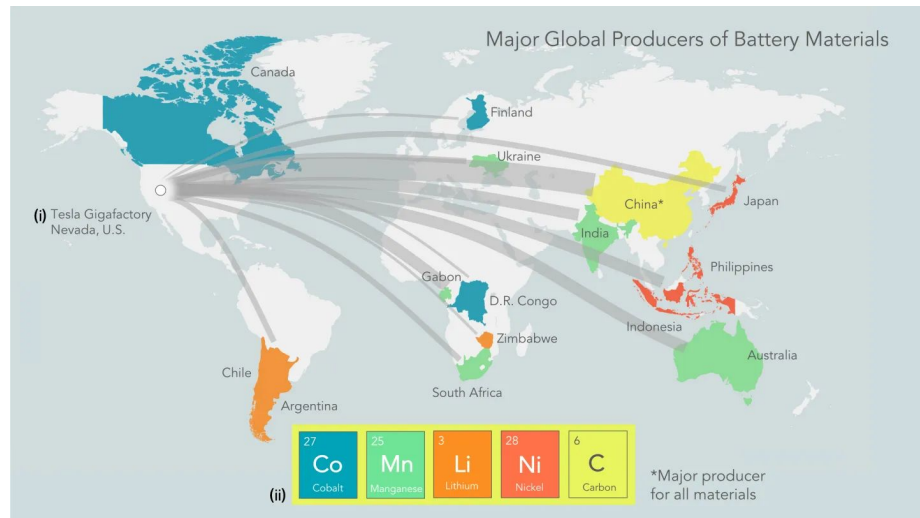
Regardless of what is advertised, they are not 'zero-emission' vehicles.

To get to a net-zero vehicle off the production line, the industry still has a ways to go to develop a clean way to manufacture EVs. Some of these factors include battery production and power station generation, known as **embodied emissions**.

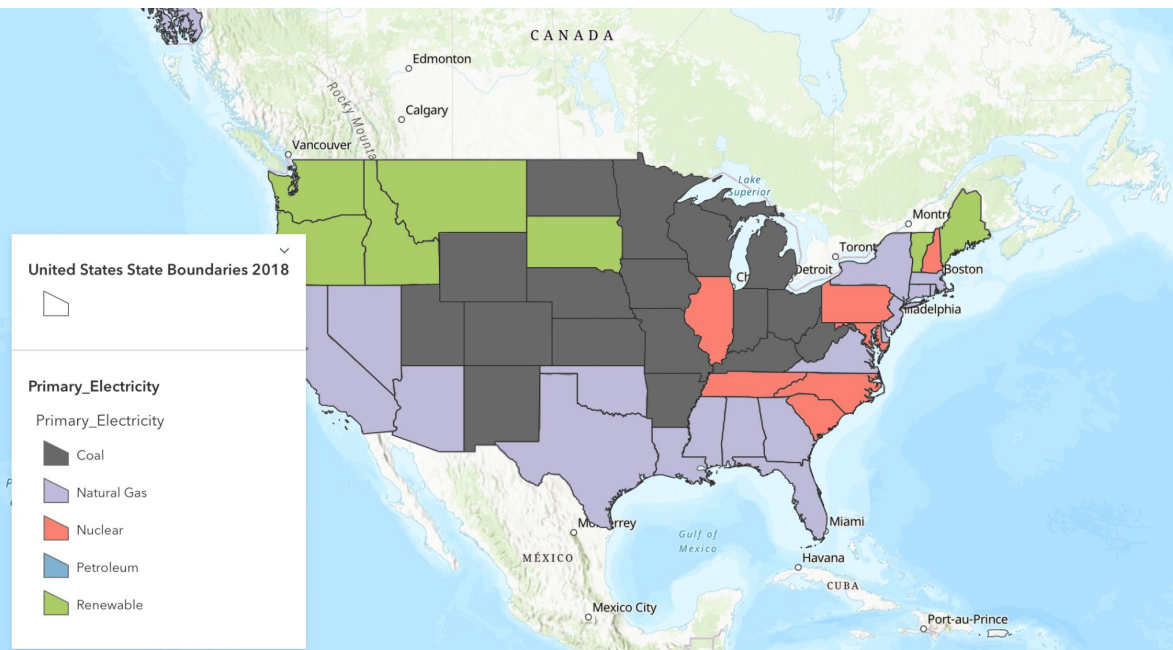


# Battery Production

- The biggest environmental impact an EV makes is the production of the battery.
- Rare metal and chemical extraction costs
- For a Tesla Model 3, 4,500 kg of CO<sub>2</sub> are emitted when the 75-kWh battery is made - the equivalent of a gas-powered car being driven 18,000 miles.



# Where Does the Power Come From?

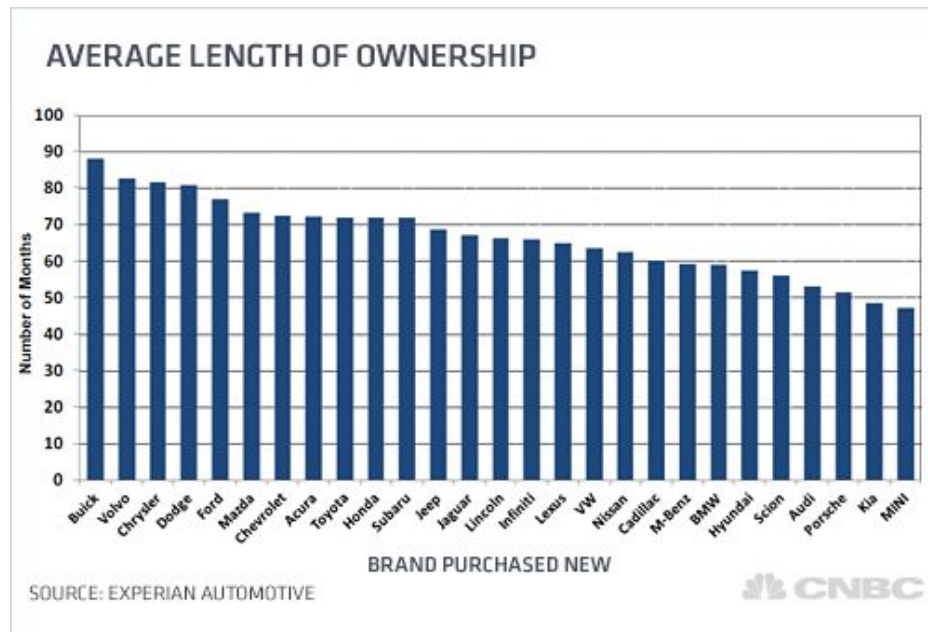


Right now, fossil fuels are powering our EV charging stations.

The charging process is not very environmentally friendly. Making the source for power renewable is one of the first steps to creating a net-zero EV.

# The Last Step: Ownership Longevity

- **How long are the cars owned for?**
- Crucial to the justification of emissions from EV production
- EVs can be green *if* they are owned past a certain point.
- Passing the mileage 'checkpoint' for battery production and charging emissions can justify the CO2 output they produce.



# What Gives?



- Here's what can be done to lower these embodied emissions:
  - Requires government support for friendly mineral extraction
  - Sourcing and producing locally: defeating emissions from container ships can lower shipping emissions to produce these EVs closer to where they will be assembled.
  - Car ownership longevity; National car ownership is 7 years as of May 2021; we are beating the car ownership point by a great margin.

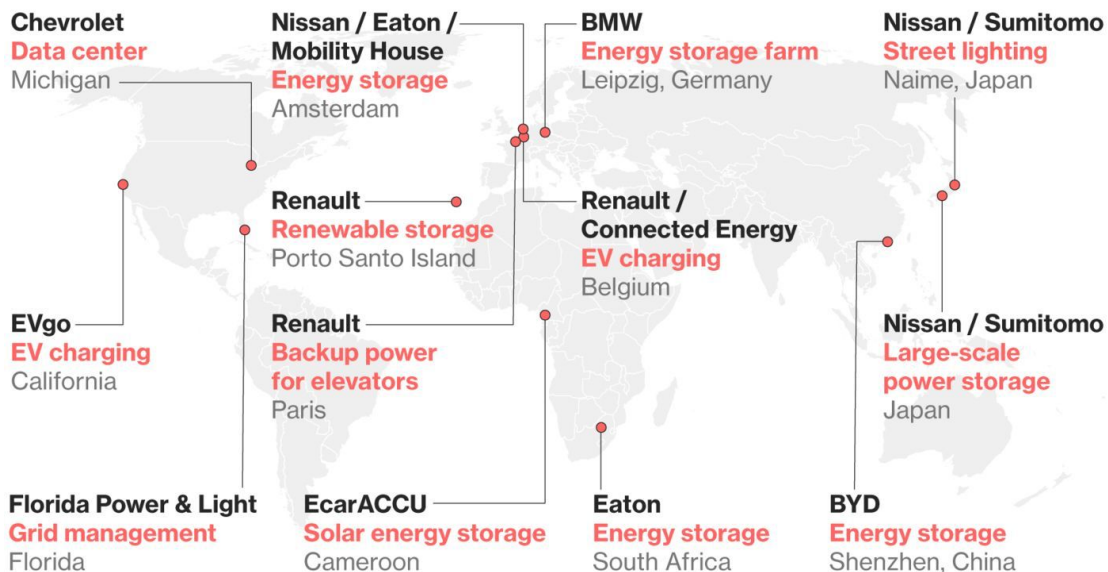


# What Happens After?

- The first group of EV batteries are beginning to reach the end of their life, now what do we do with the old batteries?
- New roles are assigned such as energy storage and powering car-charging stations
- Rules are being made to keep these used batteries out of landfills

## A New Lease on Life

Where electric-vehicle batteries are being used and tested for new roles



Source: Company filings

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**Thank you!**

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