

Concerns over electric cars

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Hello

Some serious points to consider about electric vehicles,

1. Most of our lithium used in the batteries comes from China
2. Lithium is very bad for the environment to refine to use in batteries, it is currently being curtailed in China in many areas.
3. The batteries in the cars are a fire hazard. Look at the many recent fires.
4. The power used to recharge the car batteries must be produced somewhere. This will just cause pollution in those areas.
5. Considering the distribution losses of electricity to the charging stations it is more efficient to have gasoline.
6. The charging station infrastructure will be very expensive to create. It does not exist currently.

Personal use vehicles are not the best solution. Public transport and postal services are a better option.

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