shaping the future: the rise of chinese electric cars on the global market ??

## description

revolutionary changes are here! a recent ft article highlighted that the <u>automotive industry</u> is embracing an era of greener and more efficient technologies. leading this wave are chinese electric vehicle (ev) makers like byd and avatr, demonstrating what's achievable in e-mobility – exactly what our european politicians have long been advocating.

the uniqueness of the chinese ev market is compelling. byd's foray into e-mobility has outpaced many western manufacturers, aided by their access to critical battery materials – a domain where europe, despite its resources, faces environmental reservations.

it's no longer just about competition; it's about leading a global movement towards more sustainable transportation. the challenges chinese evs face entering western markets mirror past industry shifts.

## europe stands at a critical juncture.

should chinese taxpayers subsidise european ev buyers? this hot topic in the <u>eu</u> sparks debate. rather than threatening tariffs, perhaps europe should extend a "thank you" to beijing.

europe's subsidy strategies are scrutinised when others are more generous. regulations that provide short-term domestic benefits might be detrimental in the long run. ironically, the parties pushing for a <u>greener europe</u> often sanction innovations like chinese solar panels.

these transformations in the <u>automotive industry</u> are indicators of changes across various heavily regulated sectors. traditional <u>models</u> are being challenged, making way for <u>innovative</u> players and concepts. similarly, the finance sector is evolving, with strict regulations on traditional private banks paving the way for <u>independent wealth managers</u> to lead and innovate.

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