Subject: Re: What new car to buy (for me)
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I'll be honest - the Prius is the only Toyota I'd get, but the thing is, it's overpriced by roughly 10,000-9,000 in Canada (price is dropped to 21K in the US this year - stays at 30K in Canada (BASE)).

The Yaris is a piece of shit that has zero comfort appointments, gets well above it's city rating in mixed driving (8.0L in real life mixed driving) - I get 8.5L-8.7L/100KM (36MPG or so - mixed driving, A/C and all) in my Aveo, and Toyota screws you over with option packages.

There was a price difference of about \$80 a month between the comparably equipped Yaris and the Aveo, and I'm including the additional warranty I put on my fully (okay, I didn't option the 6 CD changer, but apart from that, I have everything) equipped Aveo (I'm calling it an Aveo, but actually it's a Pontiac Wave, you guys don't get this in the US), it just wasn't worth it.

The only thing I liked about it was its ergono... Wait, the sedan doesn't even have the appointments the hatchback has... God that thing was awful... Oh wait, yeah, I dig the exterior looks a bit, but apart from that nada.