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Subject: Re: What new car to buy (for me)  
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You pay for the car's "depreciation", which is in not an indication of how it would fare on the used car market.

As I mentioned: domestic brands \*TRADITIONALLY\* (there are some exceptions to this rule and things should change within a couple of years, now that non-domestics are covering a much greater part of fleet sales and all) depreciate faster than their import cousins, this reality pretty much... Uh, goes away when you sign your papers - you'll be paying the expected devaluation of the car (which seriously isn't realistic at all... At least in my case) by the manufacturer, sometimes it can be realistic, sometimes not, depending on the interest rate and the buyout price... Yeah.

Just don't lease a truck (guess why :V).

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