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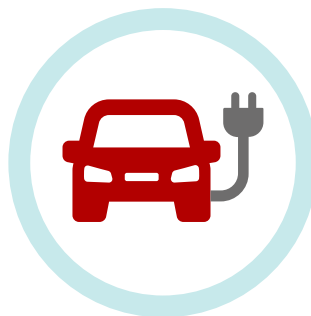


CAMERA LENSES



Lanthanum(III) oxide is used in camera lenses to reduce dispersion and improve clarity of images.

HYBRID VEHICLES



Lanthanum is found alloyed with other metals in the anodes of hybrid car batteries.

SWIMMING POOLS



Lanthanum compounds are added to pools to remove phosphates and stop algae growth.