
Subject: Re: What new car to buy (for me)
Posted by [Goztow](#) on Mon, 06 Aug 2007 18:58:35 GMT
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Crimson wrote on Mon, 06 August 2007 19:11 Say what you want about Toyotas, but BOTH of the Toyotas I have owned have been EXTREMELY reliable. About 3 years ago, I traded in my 1997 Toyota Rav4 for a 2005 Dodge Grand Caravan which was brand new with 9 miles on it. I'm not very impressed with my minivan with its random issues, but it has ALWAYS got me from A to B without a problem. I'm not thrilled about how poorly it's holding its value, though. It seems rather pathetic that I could buy my minivan now with DVD player and GPS Navigation system, leather seats, ALL the bells and whistles, for like \$15k. And it's a 2005 model in 2007.

It was fun to buy new for once but until I completely don't give a shit about money, I think I'll stick to used... certified with warranties, lease returns.
Toyota's keep their value very well here in Europe. They're one of the more reliable brands as well (and not cheap).
