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# How Data, Al, & Automation to Sell More Cars

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#### **Today's Agenda**

#### **Data**

Is your sales team wasting time with bad data?

#### **Tech**

What should you expect from a software provider?

#### Al

What kinds of AI tools are right for you?



The Formula That Works

Clean Data +
Secure Tech +
Al =
Optimal Results

# 

Data integrity that drives smarter decisions

### NOW is the time to equip sales teams with clean/secure data, tech & Al



**Market conditions have shifted** 



Inventory supply is inconsistent or not a good mix



Sales associate turnover is high



They desire tools that enable them to sell more cars



Sales effectiveness is key



### What is the most impactful data for improving sales?

#### Audience Prompt

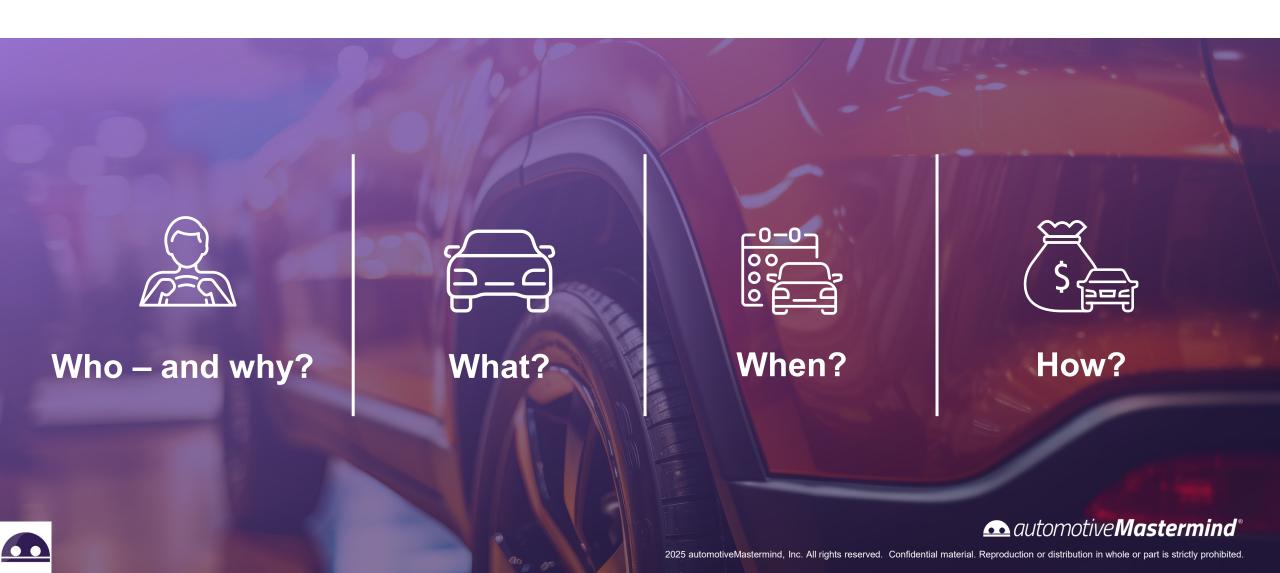


- B. Vehicle ownership data
- C. Purchase prediction and service history data
- D. Astrological signs
- E. All the above (except D)





#### Your data should be able to tell you...





**Transparency** 

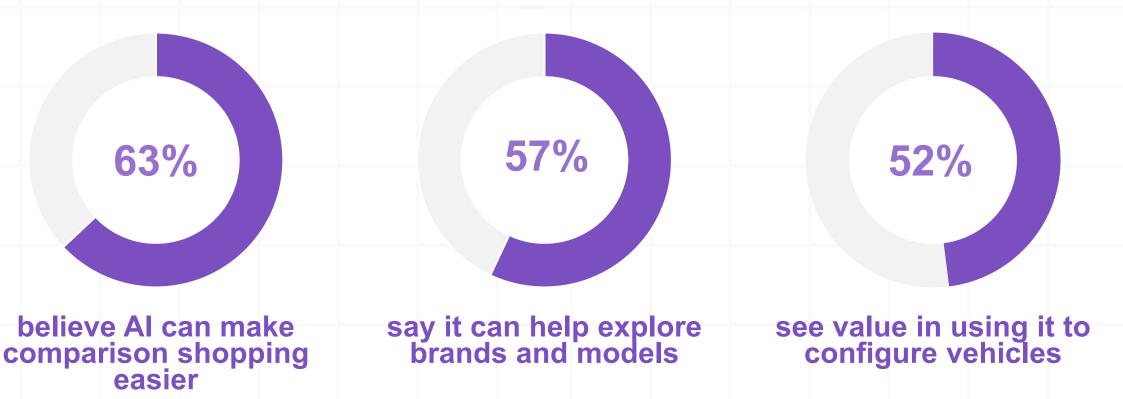
**Personalization** 

Convenience



#### Having Data Alone Isn't Enough – You Have to Use It

Today's car buyers are sending strong signals:



Source: Urban Science Online Consumer and Dealer Studies, February 2024. These surveys were conducted by The Harris Poll on behalf of Urban Science among 3,005 U.S. adults aged 18+ and 250 U.S. automotive dealers.



#### The BEST data is:



Accurate / Cleansed



Actionable / Enriched



Easy to Understand & Use



The tools that protect and grow your business



# What can you do to drive ROI with your sales team automation tools?

#### Audience Prompt

- A. Train your team to use them consistently
- B. Measure sales activity and results
- C. Provide coaching to help sales teams personalize their messaging
- D. Hire a crystal ball reader to predict buyer behavior
- E. All the above (except D)





#### **Equip Your Team, Elevate Your Sales**



Companies that invest in structured sales training—including CRM usage—

see an average ROI of 353%



Continuous training can lead to

a 50%increase in net sales

per employee



#### Audience Prompt

# What kinds of security does your software need to maintain compliance and protect your user data?

- A. Strong authentication (multi-factor authentication, role-based access)
- B. Data encryption and secure storage practices
- Independent audits and compliance with trusted security standards
- D. A vault protected by guard dogs 🚳
- E. All the above (except D)





#### **ISO/IEC 27001**





#### What it is

A report that evaluates a service provider's controls related to security, availability, processing integrity, confidentiality, and privacy.

#### Why it matters

Demonstrates a systematic approach to managing sensitive company and customer information.

#### SOC 2 Type II





#### What it is

International standard for information security management systems (ISMS).

#### Why it matters

Ensures ongoing compliance and operational effectiveness of security controls.



Technology that expands business operations

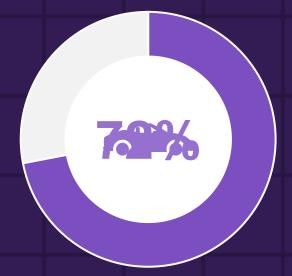






## Dealers don't need Al.

# They need outcomes.



# 72% of dealers see Al as an enhancement & not as a replacement for humans.

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### What tools in your dealership currently leverage Al?

#### Audience Prompt



- B. Digital Marketing
- C. Inventory Management
- D. Call Handling / Follow Up
- E. All the above (and then some!)



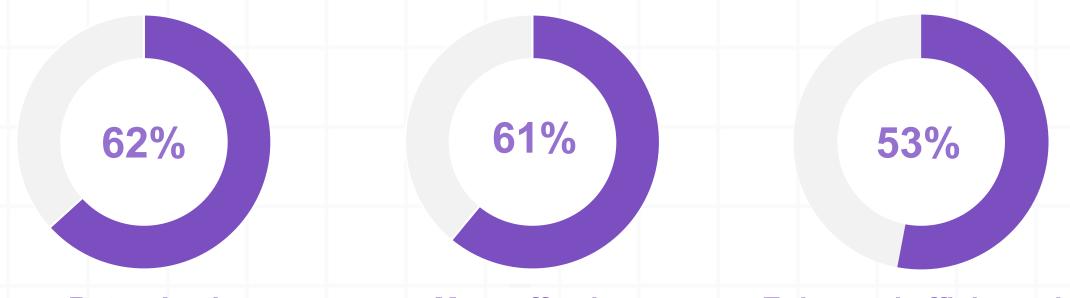


#### Al is everywhere in your dealership



## Stop Testing, Start Winning: Al Isn't the Future – It's the Advantage

64% of dealers use or have used AI for a variety of purposes including:



Better lead management and conversion rates

More effective targeting in marketing campaigns

Enhanced efficiency in sales and marketing processes

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The quality of your data governs the accuracy and performance of your Al.



### The best Al models produce

inaccurate answers in 15% of prompts.

Al Multiple Research Study: Al Hallucination: Comparison of Popular LLM s in 2025



#### **Audit Your Tech Stack + Processes**





What areas can Al help enhance your dealership's efficiency?

Do your current technology solutions meet your specific needs?



Who's in charge of the training program for your sales team?



How are you tracking performance to refine AI strategies?



#### Complete Checklist for Evaluating Your Tech Provider





# QUESTIONS ?



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