

The World's Most Eco-Friendly Car: It's Made Entirely From HEMP

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The world's most Eco-friendly car, the Kestrel, was designed in Canada by Calgary-based Motive Industries INC.

The Kestrel is a three-door hatchback that runs on battery power and is made from “hemp composite as strong as the fiberglass in boats, yet incredibly lightweight,” Nathan Armstrong, the president of Motive Industries, explained to *Popular Science*. The composite is made from infusing hemp stalks with polymer resin.

Unlike most electric vehicles, the Kestrel relies entirely on electrical power. A 16 kWh lithium-ion battery will allow the Kestrel to go up to 160 km per charge, with a top speed between 90 to 130 km/hr

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