



# Scathing insider and customer reports expose Model 3's horrific production issues



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**Tesla has issued a huge pack of media hype and smoke-screen PR following reports the company is still experiencing major and potentially dangerous production issues with its Model 3 sedan.**

On Thursday, [CNBC](#) sources asserted Elon Musk's firm is "not close" to mass-producing the batteries required for its most affordable electric car yet.

The report quoted current and former Tesla employees who said the 400,000+ Model 3 pre-order customers (who each plonked down a deposit of \$1,000) can expect further delays as they await delivery.

Current engineers said the batteries are still being built by hand, while claiming Tesla is borrowing employees from other companies to help relieve the production bottlenecks holding up the \$35,000 car.

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