

## Mercedes And BMW To Join Forces And Build The Next Generation A-Class?

{mosgoogle right}In a recent article published by Auto Bild, rumor has it Mercedes and arch nemesis BMW may be considering joining forces in an effort to build subcompact vehicles. According to the German publication, Mercedes may enlist the help of BMW to build its next-generation A-Class, using BMW's Mini-platform as the basis of the new model. As for why the partnership could occur, BMW is apparently seeking partners to help boost production to full capacity at its Mini plant in Oxford, England and therefore, increasing revenue. Other brands reportedly considering the partnership include Honda and existing partner PSA.

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