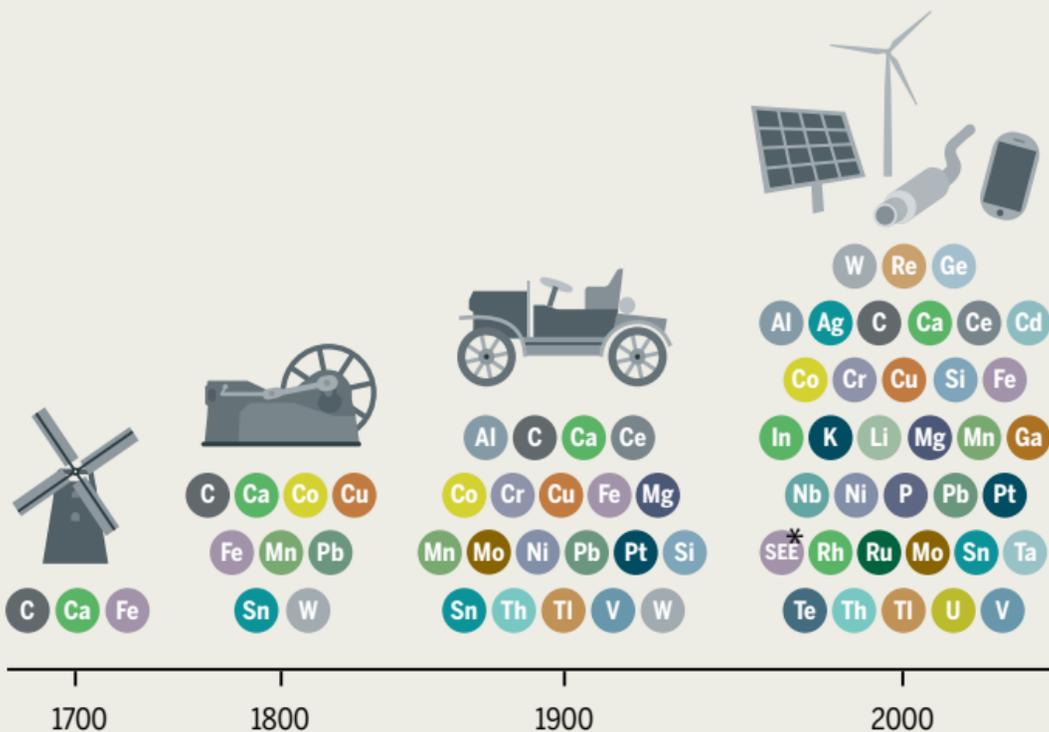


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* The rare earth elements include the elements scandium, yttrium, lanthanum, and the 14 other lanthanides.