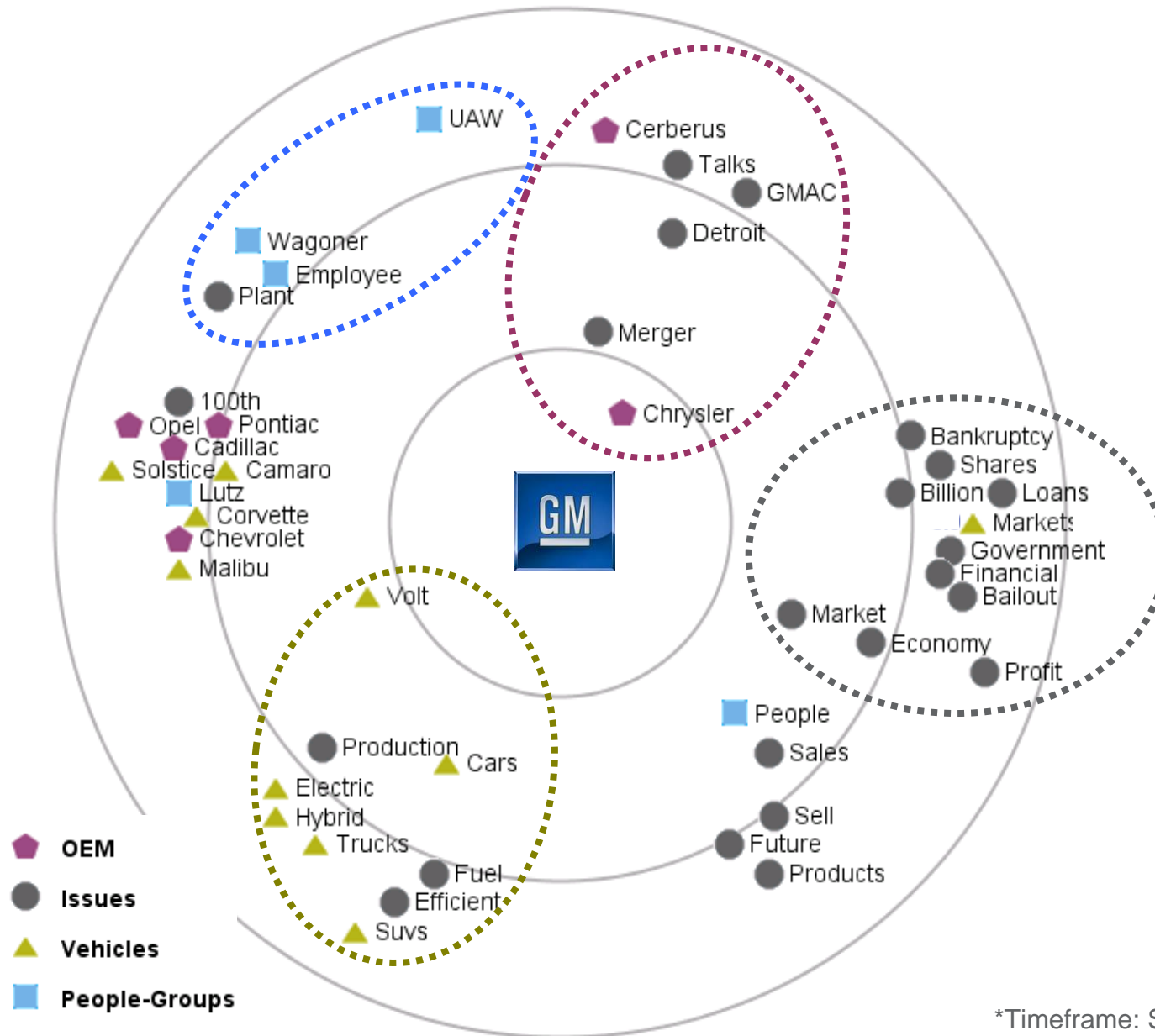


# Mergers, Loans, Closures, UAW, & the Volt Swirl Around GM Buzz



## Leading Topic Drivers

- Chrysler & GM Potential Merger
- \$25 Billion Government Loan
- Cerberus stake in GMAC
- Volt, hybrid car
- 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary
- Plant closures
- UAW

\*Timeframe: September 1 – October 24, 2008