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# The Metropolis as a Giant Hall of Mirrors and the Car as Its Social Medium

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## Video

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## Biographical Notes

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