

# Owning a Tesla Going Electric

January 28<sup>th</sup>, 2019

Rochester, MN



# Outline

- Who am I
- Tesla Models
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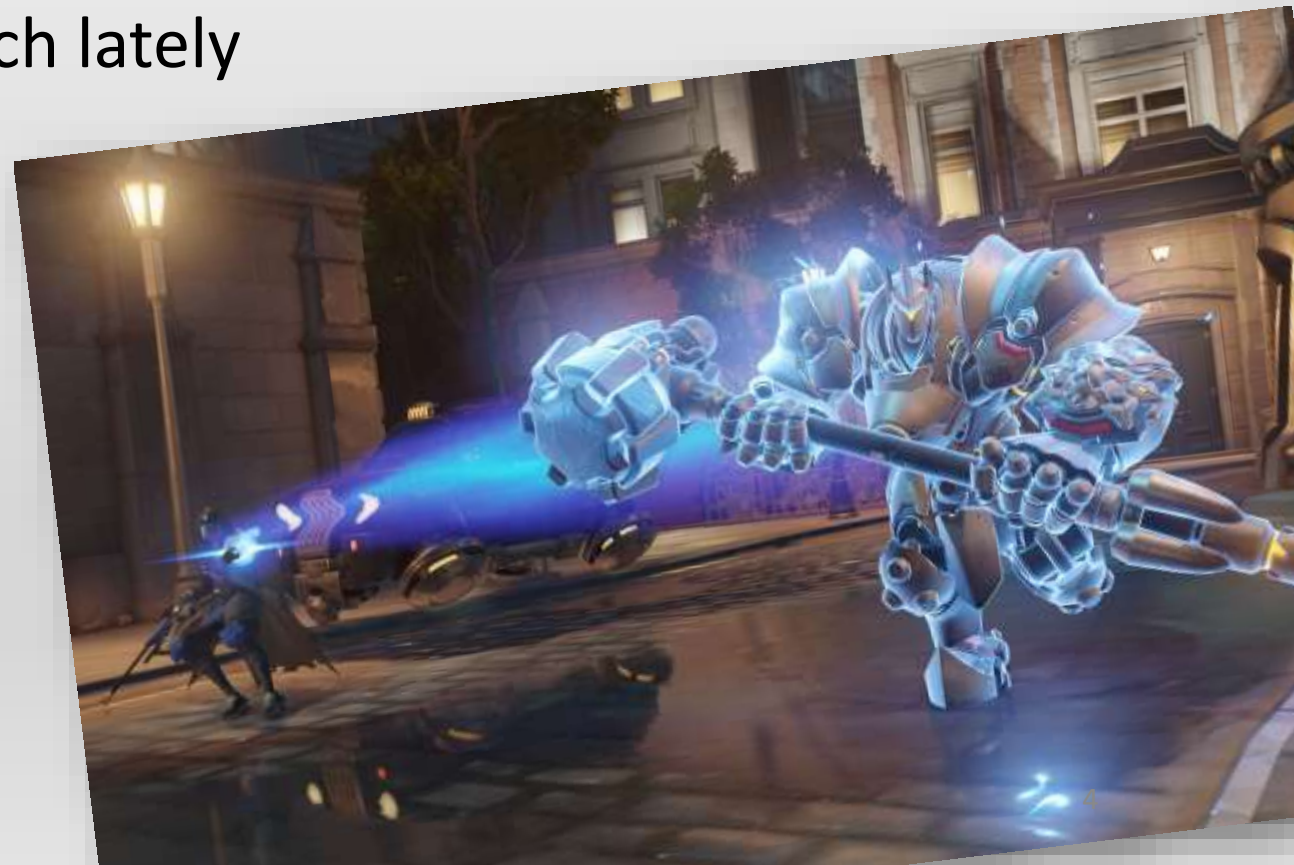
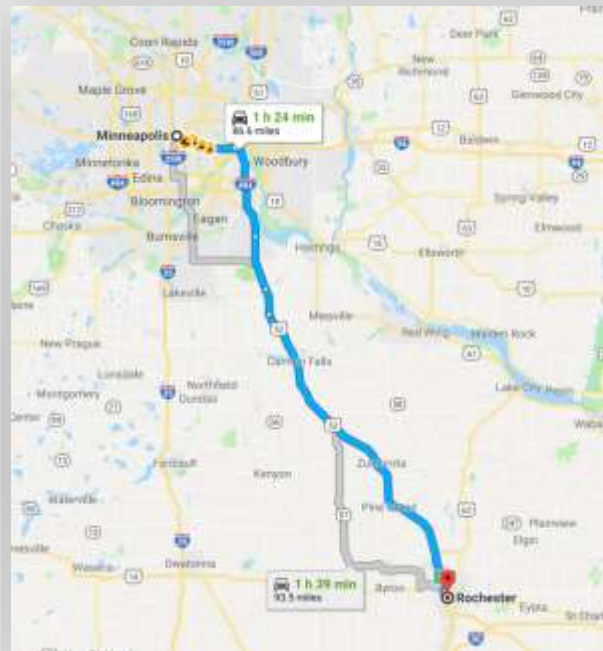
# Intro for Eldon

- B.S. and M.S. at the UMN Twin Cities in Electrical Engineering
- Licensed Professional Engineer P.E. – Minnesota #47894
- Current Chair of IEEE Twin Cities Section 2019
- Verification Application Engineer at Synopsys
- Blog  
<https://tenthousandfailures.com>
- 6 Published Papers in Verification



# Intro for Eldon

- Commutes about 200 miles round trip 3 times a week from Rochester to the Twin Cities / elsewhere
- Playing a lot of Blizzard's Overwatch lately



# Plug for IEEE Twin Cities Banquet

Feb 23<sup>rd</sup>  
At St. Thomas


**DATE AND TIME** | **LOCATION** | **CONTACT** | **REGISTRATION**

Date: 23 Feb 2019  
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**SPEAKERS**



Phil Magney of VSI Labs  
Topic: Autonomous Vehicles  
Biography:  
Founder & Principal Advisor  
I am passionate about the technologies for automated driving. Outside the office I race Porsches and hold a Central Division title in SCCA VSI Lab.  
Established in 2014 by Phil Magney, VSI Labs provides industry with deep insight and analysis on the enabling technologies used for active safety and automated driving. Today, VSI is considered one of the industry's top advisors by supporting R&D and planning departments within major automotive companies and suppliers worldwide.



MnDOT  
Topic: "MN's Smart" Streets Plan  
To Be Announced. A speaker from MnDot.

<https://tc-ieee.org>



# My New Car History



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*mpge is dumb*

Tesla Model 3  
\$35k to \$64k





Tesla Model X  
~~\$75k~~ \$97k to \$128k



Tesla Model S  
~~\$69k~~ \$85k to \$123k





**Table 1: New Vehicle Sales BMW of North America, LLC, December 2018**

	Dec-18	Dec-17	%	Total 2018	Total 2017	%
i3	356	672	-47%	6,117	6,276	-2.5%
i8	97	80	21%	772	488	58.2%
2 Series	718	1,188	-39.6%	9,208	11,737	-21.5%
3 Series	3,184	5,556	-42.7%	44,578	59,449	-25.0%
4 Series	1,916	3,411	-43.8%	31,379	39,634	-20.8%
5 Series	4,756	4,743	0.3%	43,937	40,658	8.1%
6 Series	330	369	-10.6%	3,762	3,355	12.1%
7 Series	983	1,107	-11.2%	8,271	9,276	-10.8%
8 Series	223	0	0.0%	223	0	0.0%
Z4	0	0	0.0%	4	502	-99.2%
X1	3,411	4,454	-23.4%	29,060	30,826	-5.7%
X2	1,454	0	0.0%	16,154	0	0.0%
<b>BMW passenger cars</b>	<b>17,428</b>	<b>21,580</b>	<b>-19.20%</b>	<b>193,465</b>	<b>202,201</b>	<b>-4.3%</b>

BMW X2 below (X3 through X6 are classified as light trucks per BMW)





# Tesla Model 3 versus BMW North America

EV Model	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	2018 TOTAL
BMW i3	382	623	992	503	424	580	464	1,013	461	424	490	356	6,712
Chevy Bolt (est.)	1,177	1,424	1,774	1,275	1,125	1,083	1,100	1,400	1,449	1,775	2,071	2,366	18,019
Ford Focus Electric	73	70	137	83	88	50	46	7	4		1		559
Honda Clarity EV	203	104	48	7	37	126	112	29	59	68	69	86	948
Jaguar I-PACE										5	165	223	393
Nissan LEAF	150	895	1,500	1,171	1,576	1,367	1,149	1,315	1,563	1,234	1,128	1,667	14,715
Tesla Model 3 (est.)	2,400	3,030	2,750	4,777	7,600	4,063	13,500	17,000	24,040	17,000	18,000	25,570	139,730
Tesla Model S (est.)	2,300	2,000	2,430	2,200	2,500	2,530	2,100	2,500	3,400	2,100	2,500	3,100	29,660
Tesla Model X (est.)	2,200	1,930	2,040	2,200	2,300	2,570	2,300	2,400	2,300	2,200	2,550	3,300	28,290
Volkswagen e-Golf	178	198	164	128	76	32	18	32	14	62	230	222	1,354
<b>100% Electric Total</b>	<b>9,063</b>	<b>10,274</b>	<b>11,835</b>	<b>12,344</b>	<b>15,726</b>	<b>12,401</b>	<b>20,789</b>	<b>25,696</b>	<b>33,290</b>	<b>24,868</b>	<b>27,204</b>	<b>36,890</b>	<b>240,380</b>

- Tesla Model 3 alone was selling every month as much or more as all of BMW passenger (3/5/7 more) cars in North America since August 2018



# All Battery Electric Vehicles for 2018

EV Model	Q4 2018	Q4 2017	% Change	YTD 2018	YTD 2017	% Change
BMW i3	1,270	1,641	-22.6%	6,712	6,458	3.9%
Chevy Bolt	6,212	8,995	-30.9%	18,019	23,971	-24.8%
Ford Focus Electric	1	349	-99.7%	559	1,796	-68.9%
Honda Clarity EV	223			948		
Jaguar I-PACE	393			393		
Nissan LEAF	4,029	490	722.2%	14,715	10,289	43.0%
Tesla Model 3	60,570	1,550	3807.7%	139,730	1,872	7364.2%
Tesla Model S	7,700	7,600	1.3%	29,660	31,942	-7.1%
Tesla Model X	8,050	7,200	11.8%	28,290	24,576	15.1%
Volkswagen e-Golf	514	835	-38.4%	1,354	3,420	-60.4%
<b>100% Electric Total</b>	<b>88,962</b>	<b>28,660</b>	<b>210.4%</b>	<b>240,380</b>	<b>104,324</b>	<b>130.4%</b>

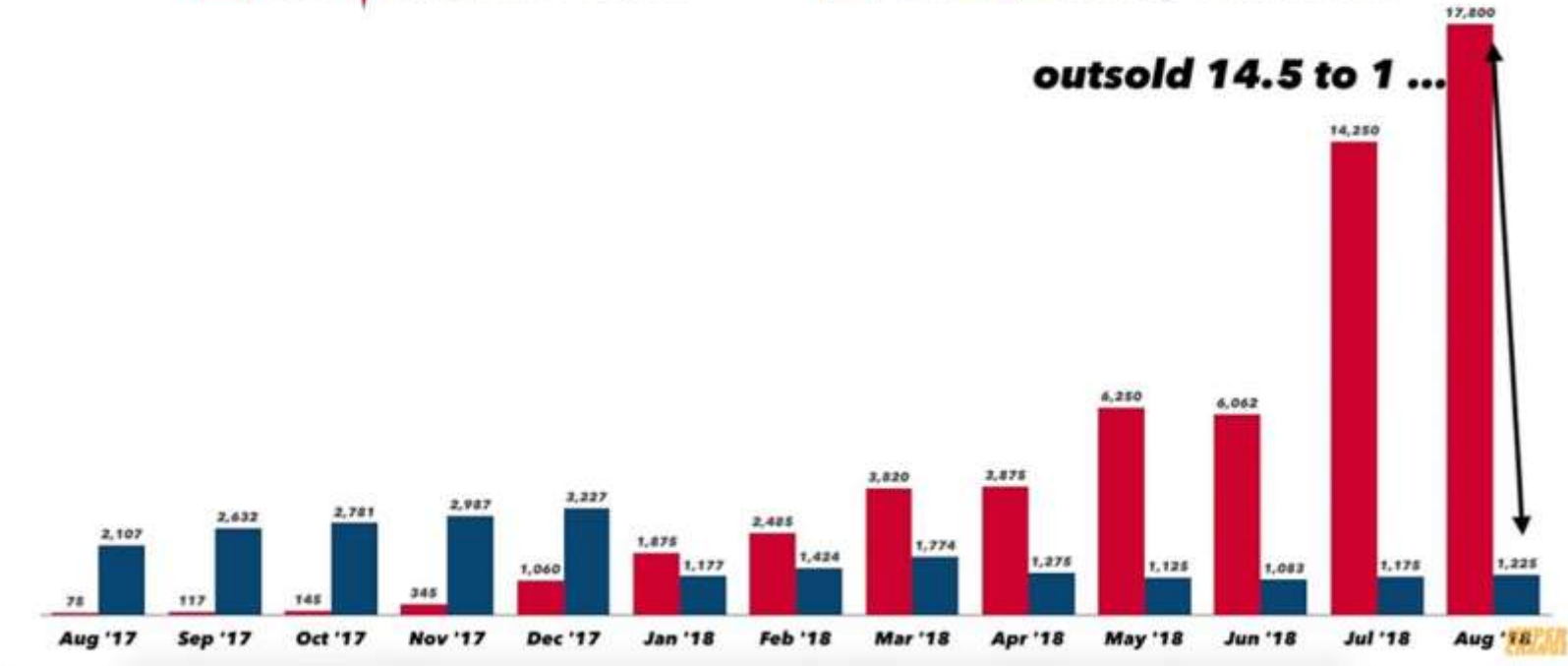
# Chevy Volt Discontinued Mar 2019

## Chevy Bolt lives on

### **Model 3 vs Chevy Bolt**

■ US  Model 3 sales

■ US  Chevy Bolt sales



# Energy Refresher

Newton :  $N$

Joule :  $N \cdot m$

Watt :  $\frac{N \cdot m}{s}$

KWatt Hour :  $1000 \cdot \frac{N \cdot m}{s} \cdot 3600$  (3600 seconds in hour)  
or 3.6 MJ (Mega Joule)

Lifting a 2-liter of pop (2 kg) 1 m is 20 Joules

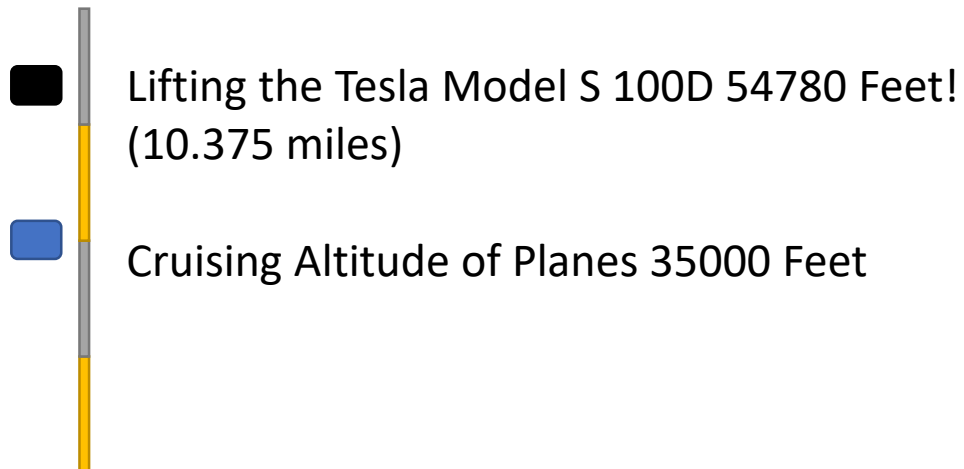
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 computational intelligence.

energy to lift 2200 kg 16697 meters

gravitational acceleration: 1 g

Input information:

gravitational potential energy	
mass	2200 kg (kilograms)
height	16697 meters
gravitational acceleration	1 g (standard acceleration due to gravity on the surface of the earth)

Open code

Result:

gravitational potential energy	360.2 MJ (megajoules) = 100.1 kWh (kilowatt hours) = 0.1001 MWh (megawatt hours)
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[More units](#) [Step-by-step solution](#)

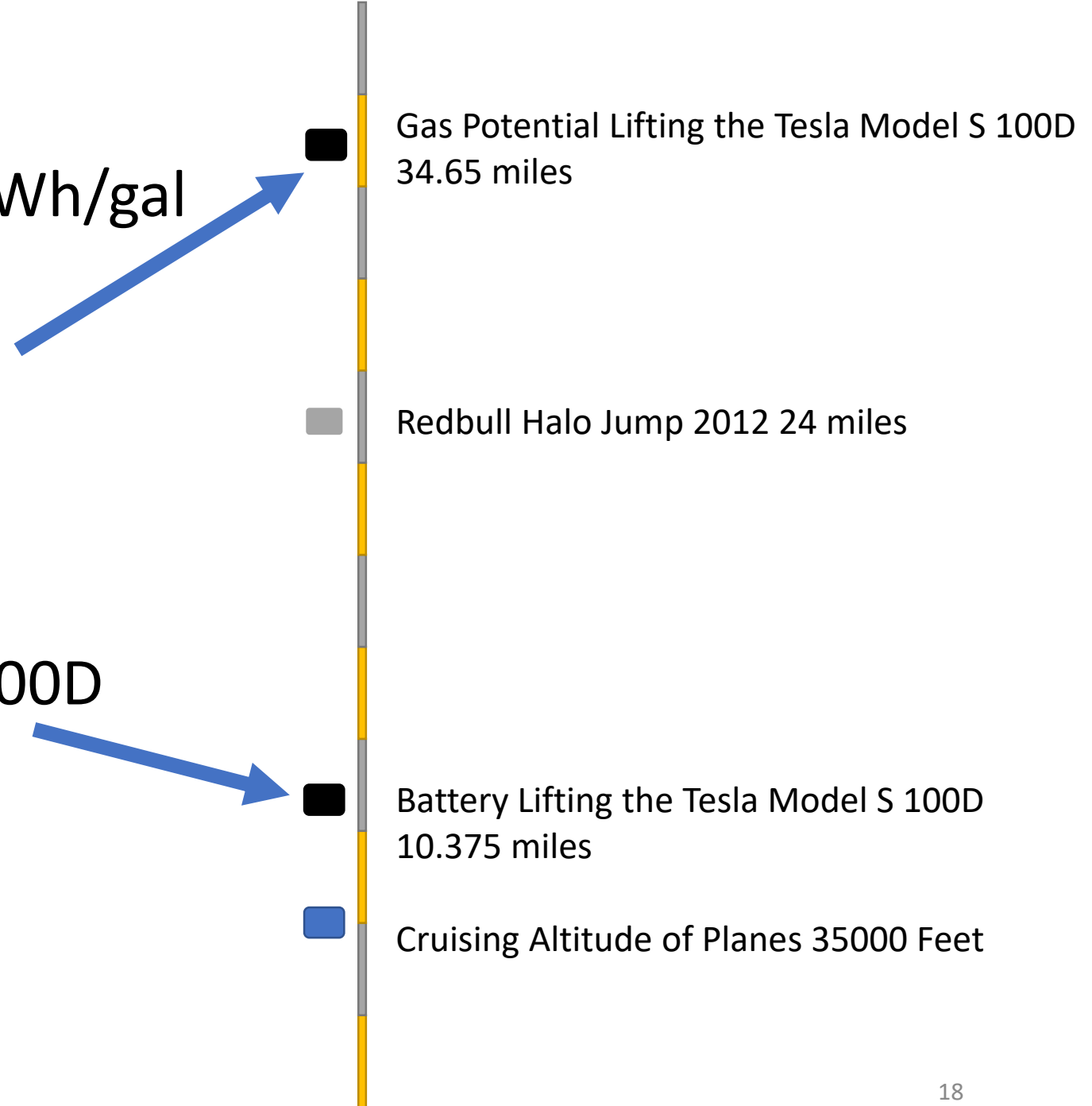
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Gallon of Gasoline has 33.4 kWh/gal

334 kWh in 10 gallons of gas

Versus

100 kWh in a Tesla Model S 100D



# What is your Home Energy Usage

- How much electricity does an American home use?
- In 2016, the average annual electricity consumption for a U.S. residential utility customer was 10,766 kilowatthours (kWh), an average of **897 kWh per month**. Louisiana had the highest annual electricity consumption at 14,881 kWh per residential customer and Hawaii had the lowest at 6,061 kWh per residential customer and

About 7 full charges of a Tesla Model S 100D a month

## All-Electric Vehicles

All-electric vehicles (EVs) run on electricity only. They are propelled by one or more electric motors powered by rechargeable battery packs. EVs have several advantages over conventional vehicles:

- **Energy efficient.** EVs convert about 59%–62% of the electrical energy from the grid to power at the wheels. Conventional gasoline vehicles only convert about 17%–21% of the energy stored in gasoline to power at the wheels.\*



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59% efficiency from grid to wheels for EV -> 79% efficiency from battery to wheels  
17% efficiency from gas to wheels for gasoline

79% versus 17% is 4.6x more efficient motor and drivetrain



334 kWh in 10 gallons of gas -> 260 miles of range in Toyota Avalon  
1280 Wh/mi (*using rated 26 MPG*)

Versus

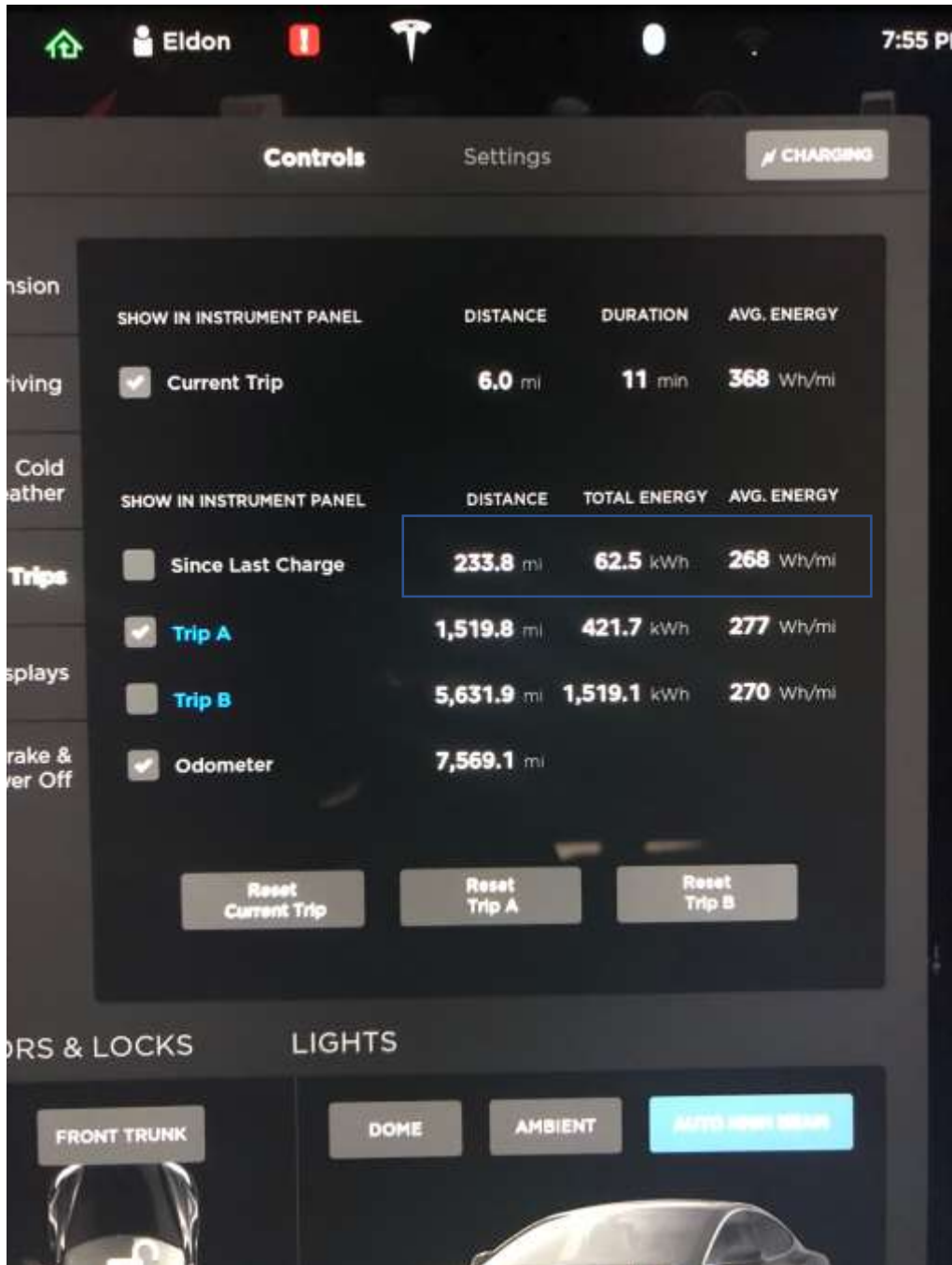


100 kWh in a Tesla Model S 100D -> 335 miles of range  
299 Wh/mi

4.3x energy efficiency difference







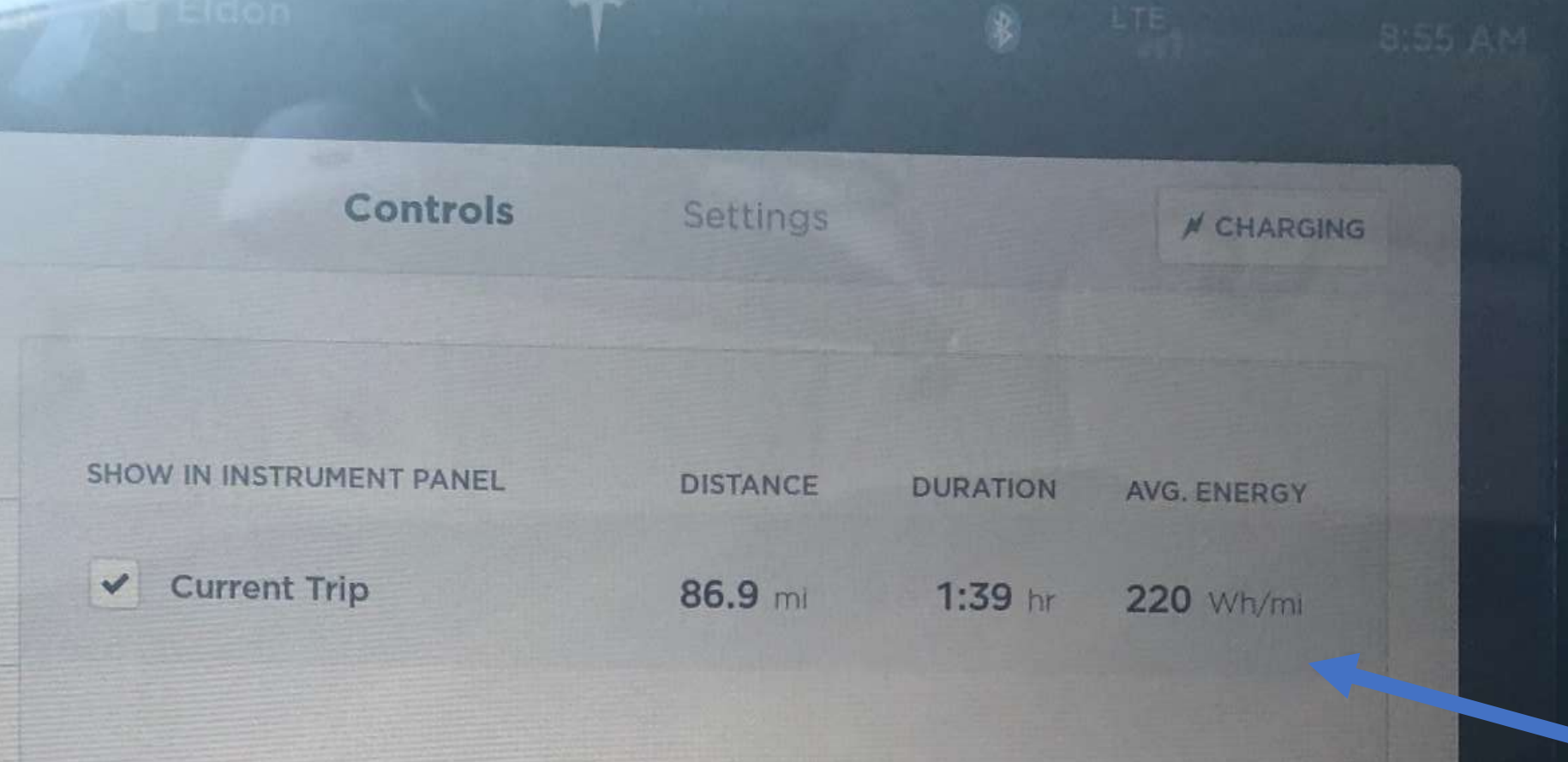
I travelled **233.8** Miles  
and used **62.5** kWh  
which results in an efficiency  
of **268** Wh/mi



I've averaged **270 Wh/mi** for over the last 5600 miles

*(equivalent to getting 370 mile range)*





It is possible to get better highway energy use by driving a bit slower (65 mph vs 73) and drafting semis – Rochester to Edina – *454 mile rang if you drove like that*

Model year	Model	EPA highway dyno score at 48.3 mph	Advertised EPA rated range	At 55 mph	At 60 mph	At 65 mph	At 70 mph	At 75 mph	At 80 mph
2018	Model S 100D 19"	455.4 mi	335 mi	396	365	336	308	284	259
2018	Model 3 LR, 18" -aero	454.7 mi	310 mi	395	365	336	307	283	259
2018	Model 3 LR, 18" +aero	474.7 mi	310 mi	413	381	350	321	296	270

Power to overcoming aerodynamic drag goes by the **cube** of speed

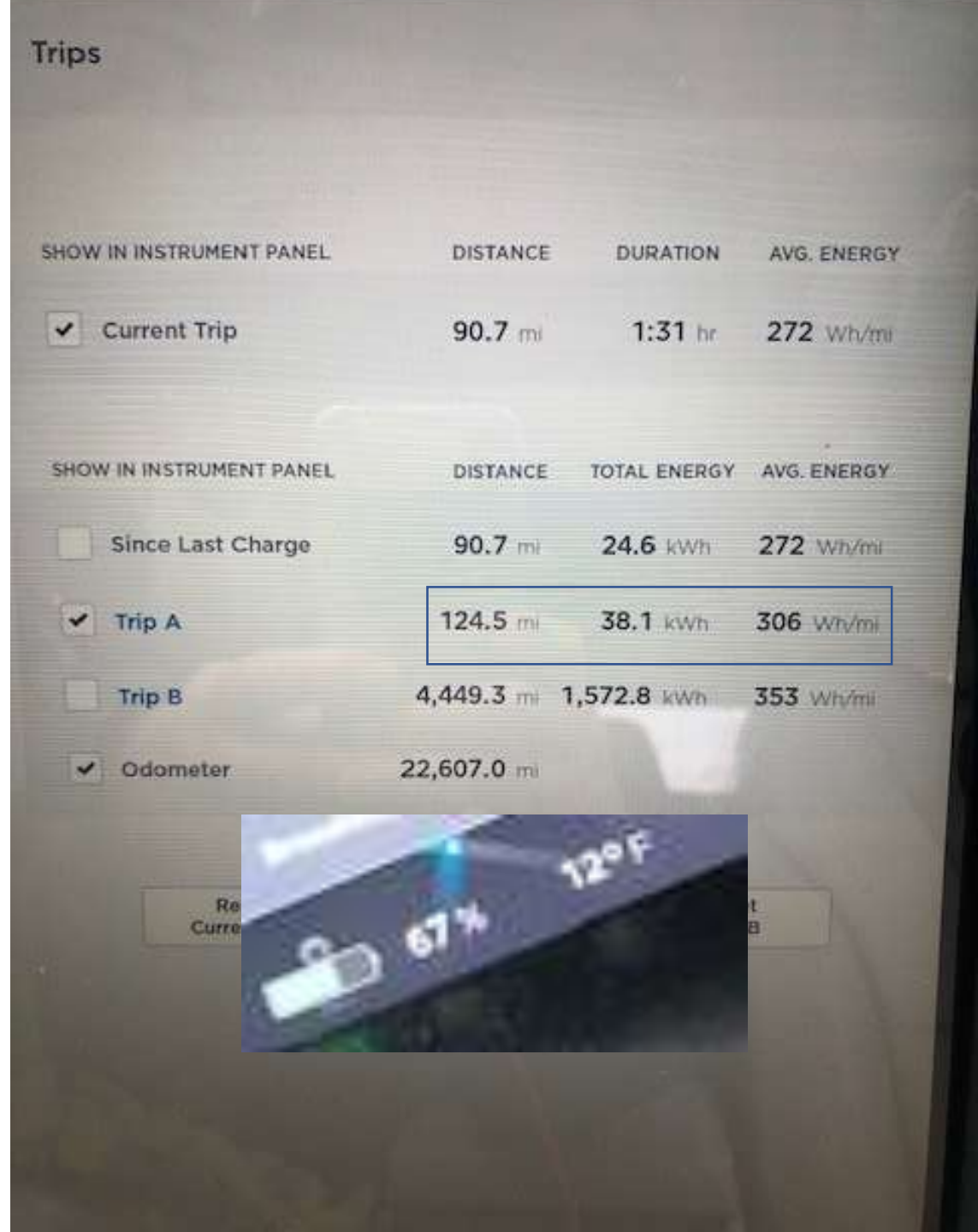
2.5x drag at 75 mph vs 55mph

40% more range at 55 mph than at 75 mph

# Cold Weather 10F

- In 10F weather over 124 mile trip
- **Almost all highway** Roch to Twin Cities
- Still able to get **306 Wh/mi**

*Car rated for EPA estimates  
at 300 Wh/mi*



# Even Colder Jan 19 (0 F)

- In 0 F for driving a **city miles** with constant heater
- All within Rochester
- 541 Wh/mi over 30 mile average
- 421 Wh/mi over 05 mile average
- Worst case, you would get **184 miles** (541 Wh/mi) on a Tesla Model S **versus 335 EPA**





# Owning an Electric Vehicle in Minnesota

- Use heated seats! Much more efficient and some other benefits
- Preheat the car in the garage – plus bonus
- Keep your charging cable in your car in case you need it or to top off at relatives house
- Want more range just go a little slower
  - *40% more range at 55 mph than at 75 mph*

# US Mileage by Age and Gender

Average Annual Miles per Driver by Age Group

Age	Male	Female	Total
16-19	8,206	6,873	7,624
20-34	17,976	12,004	15,098
35-54	18,858	11,464	15,291
55-64	15,859	7,780	11,972
65+	10,304	4,785	7,646
Average	16,550	10,142	13,476

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# ICE Car Fuel Cost Calculation

Miles Per Year	30000	
Gas Cost Per Gallon	\$2.76	Gas Buddy Minnesota 09/08 : \$3.23 Premium
Miles Per Gallon	26	Toyota Avalon Combined mpg
Cost Per Year	\$3185	

$$\frac{\text{Miles Per Year}}{\text{Miles per Gallon}} \times \text{Cost of Gas}$$



# Electric Vehicle Fuel Cost Calculation

Miles per Year	30000	
Cost per kWh	\$0.10	Rochester Standard Rate
Charge Efficiency	80%	From Electrical Mains to Battery (1.25)
wh per mile	300	Tesla Model S
KWh Consumed	8640	8.6 Mwh!
Cost per Year	\$1125	

$$Kwh\ Consumed = \frac{(Miles\ per\ Year \times wh\ per\ Mile)}{1000 \times Cost\ per\ kWh} \times 1.25$$

$$Cost\ per\ Year = kWh\ Consumed \times Cost\ per\ kWh$$





# Fuel Cost Comparison

\$3185 ICE vs. \$1125 Electric

\$2060 a year (2.83x less)

## Savings Over 10 Years of Ownership

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What will gas prices be in 2023 or 2028?

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2018 F-150 XLT

Starting at<sup>1</sup> \$33,300 Finance at<sup>2</sup> \$373/mo Pricing for September 9, 2018 and ZIP 71201 [View all offers >](#) EPA-Est. City/Hwy

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FYI Xcel in the Twin Cities has off-peak EV charging of 5 cents versus Rochester 10 cents.

Over 10 years that is an extra **\$5625** saved beyond the below!

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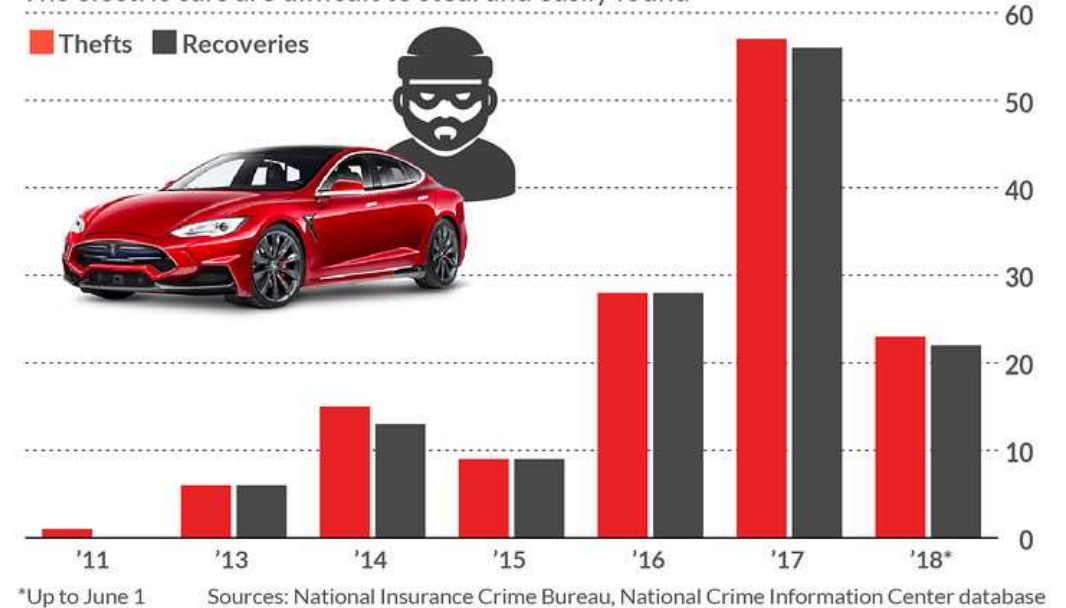


# Theft Rate of Tesla

- 2016 Recovery Rate **100% for Teslas**
- 2016 Recovery Rate **58.4% for all Vehicles**

## Good luck trying to steal a Tesla

The electric cars are difficult to steal and easily found



*“I’m wondering if the thieves’ intellect might have been overwhelmed just sitting in a Tesla, much less figuring out how to operate it for any length of time.”*

Frank Scafidi

Director of Public Affairs at the  
National Insurance Crime Bureau

# Home Charging



# How Much to Install a Tesla Wall Connector

\$50 to \$1500



# Charging Estimator

MODEL S

MODEL X

09/2018 \$2.75 a gallon



05:48  
Time

\$8.03  
Cost

\$18.16  
Gasoline Savings

Distance Driven



Price / kWh

\$ 0.12

Price / Gallon

\$ 2.75

Type of Travel

Daily

Roadtrip

Charging Option(s)

Wall Connector  
11.5 kW

Charge times are approximate. Charge cost assumes national average of \$0.12 per kilowatt hour. Gasoline savings assumes 21 mpg.

A 60 amp circuit breaker is recommended for most Wall Connector installations. Learn more about the Wall Connector on our [support page](#).



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MODEL X

01/2019 \$2.05 a gallon



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\$11.50  
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Parity at \$0.85 a gallon

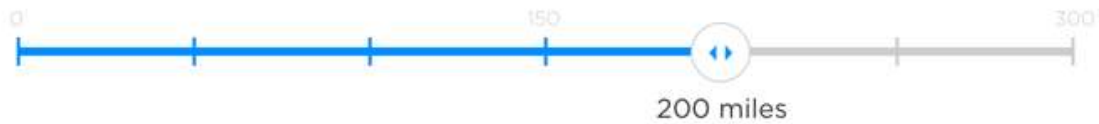


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\$8.03  
Cost

\$0.07  
Gasoline Savings

Distance Driven



Price / kWh

\$ 0.12

Price / Gallon

\$ 0.85

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# Tesla Supercharger Network







 Supercharger



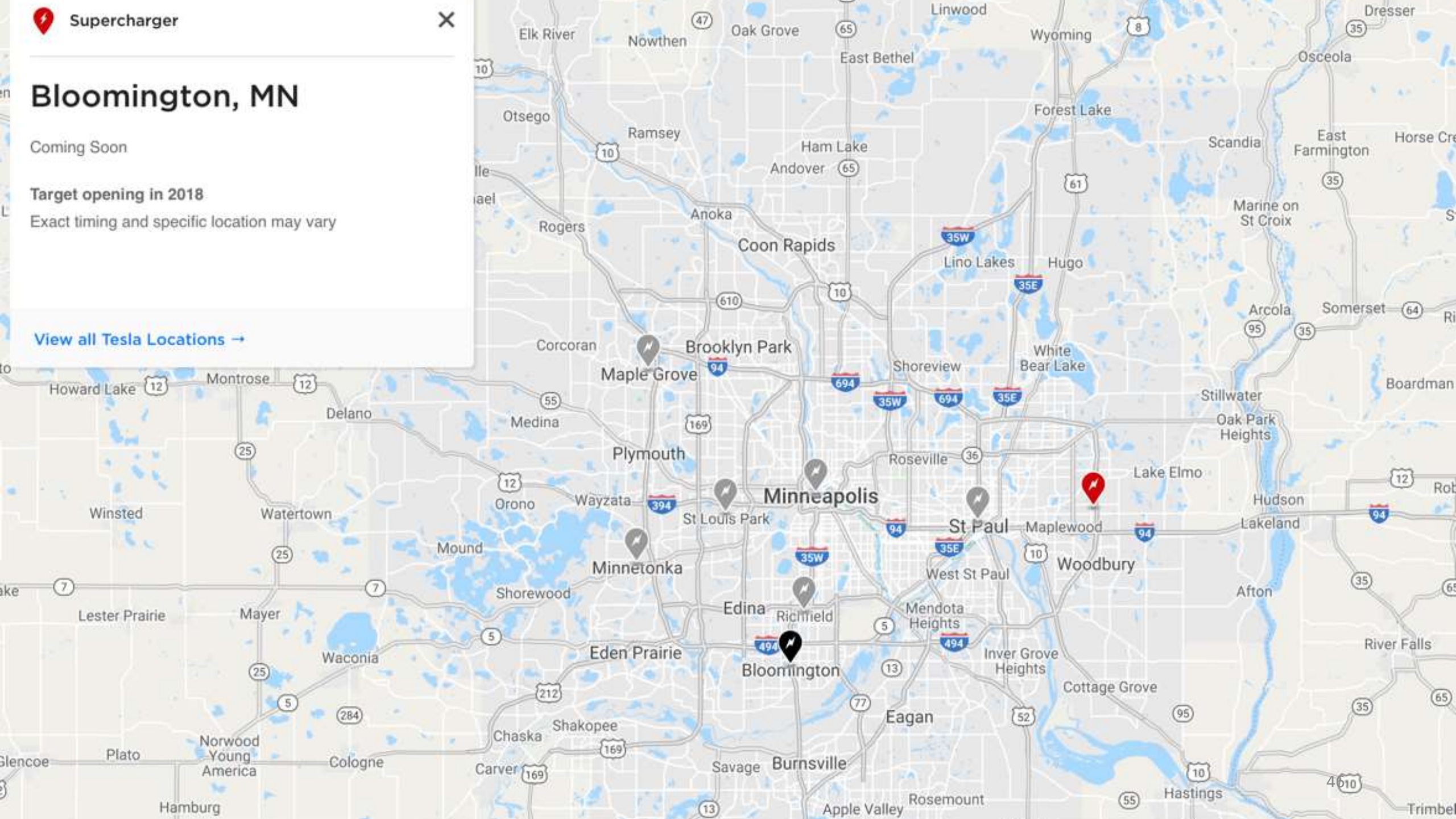
# Bloomington, MN

Coming Soon

Target opening in 2018

Exact timing and specific location may vary

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⚡ Destination Charging X

## TownePlace Suites by Marriott Rochester

2829 43rd St NW  
Rochester, Minnesota 55901

[Driving Directions](#)

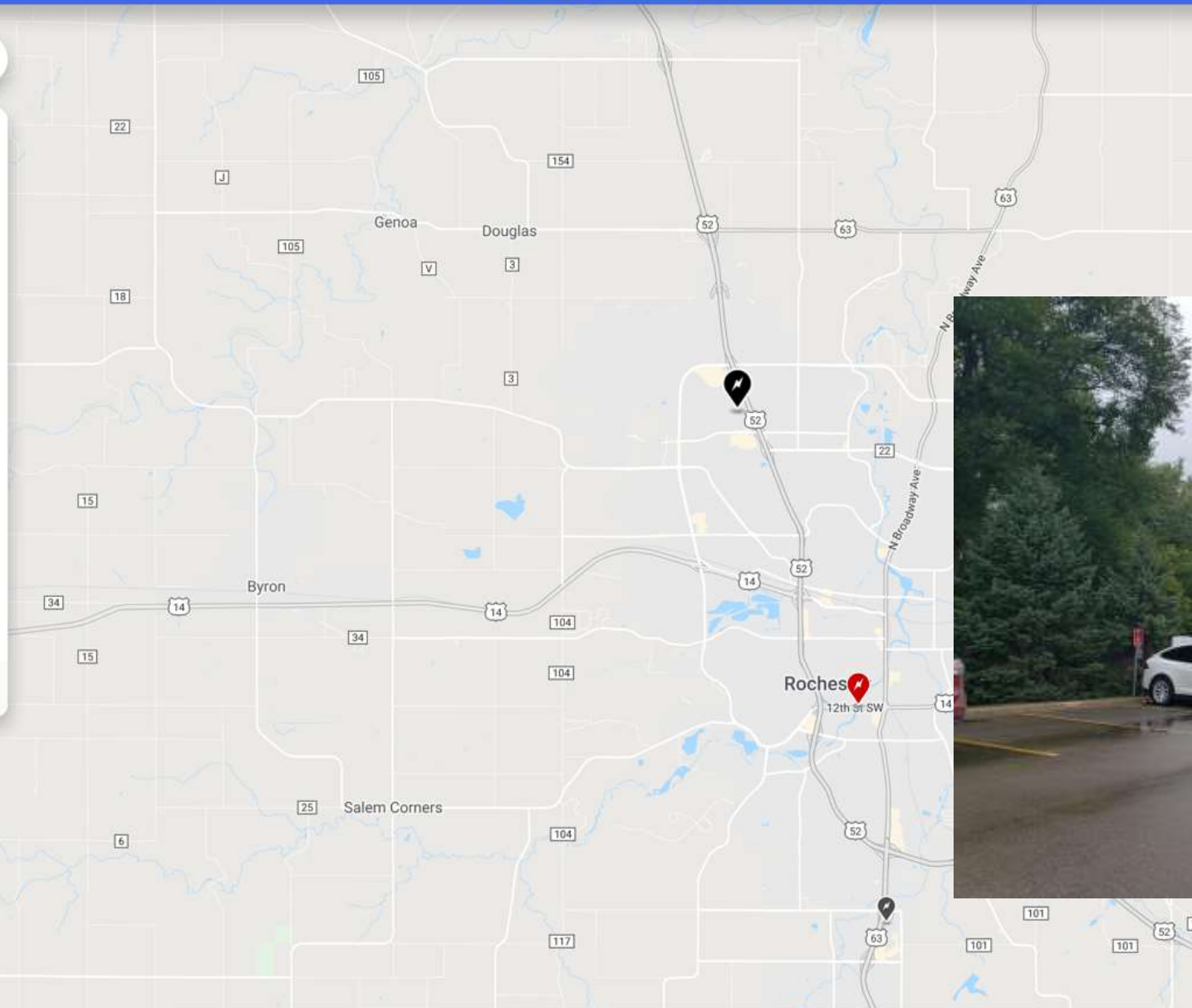
<https://www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/rstts-towneplace-suites-rochester/> →

Phone (507) 281-1200  
Roadside Assistance (877) 798-3752

### Charging

4 Tesla Connectors, up to 16kW.  
Available for customers. Self park.

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Destination Charging

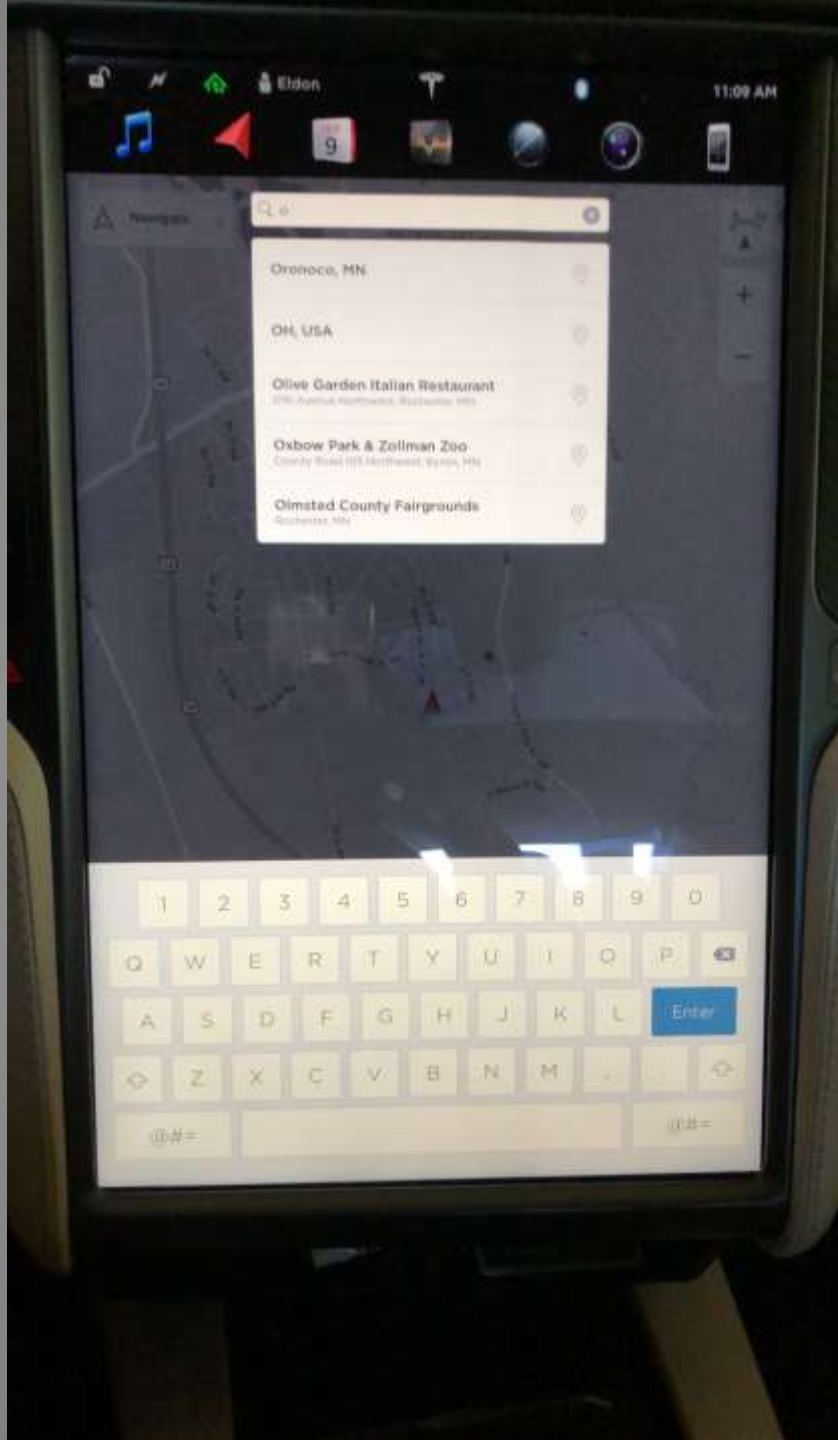


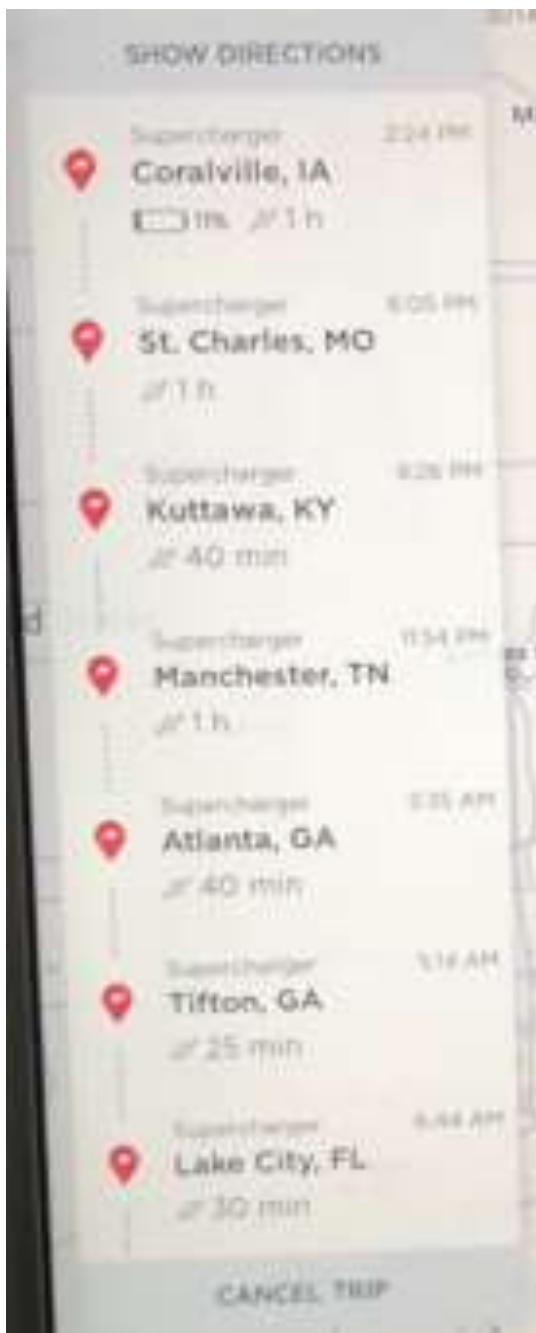


1342 Stations  
11013 Superchargers









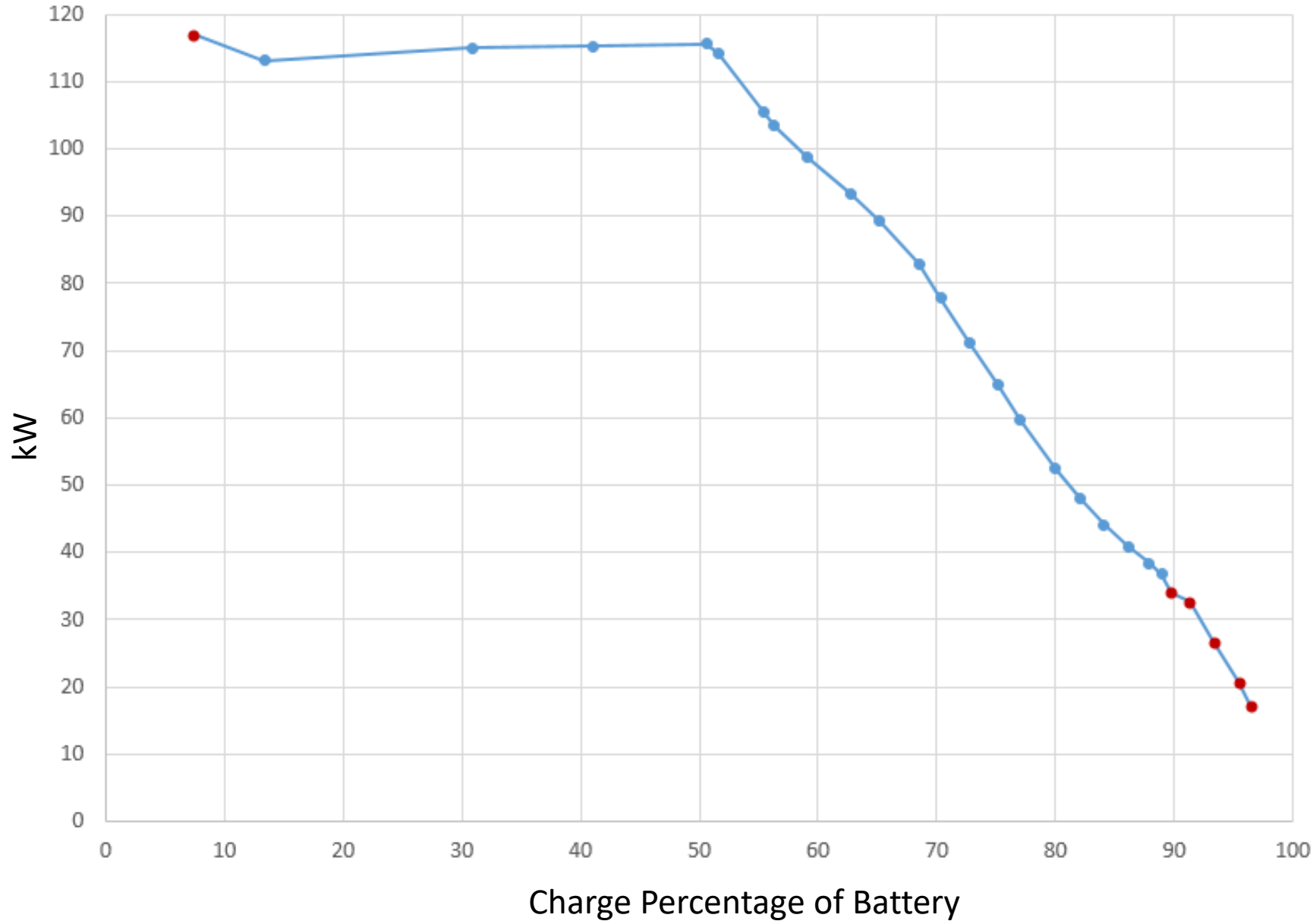
City	Drive to Time	Charge Time
Coralville, IA	3h 15m	60 min
St. Charles, MO	2h 41m	60 min
Kuttawa, KY	2h 21m	40 min
Manchester, TN	1h 48m	60 min
Atlanta, GA	2h 10m	40 min
Trifton, GA	2h 9m	25 min
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>15h 24m</b>	<b>4h 45m</b>

3.25x time spent traveling vs charging

*maybe 1h drive time lost in the CST to EST time, but too lazy to figure that out*



X 100D kW Charge power as a function of SoC(%)

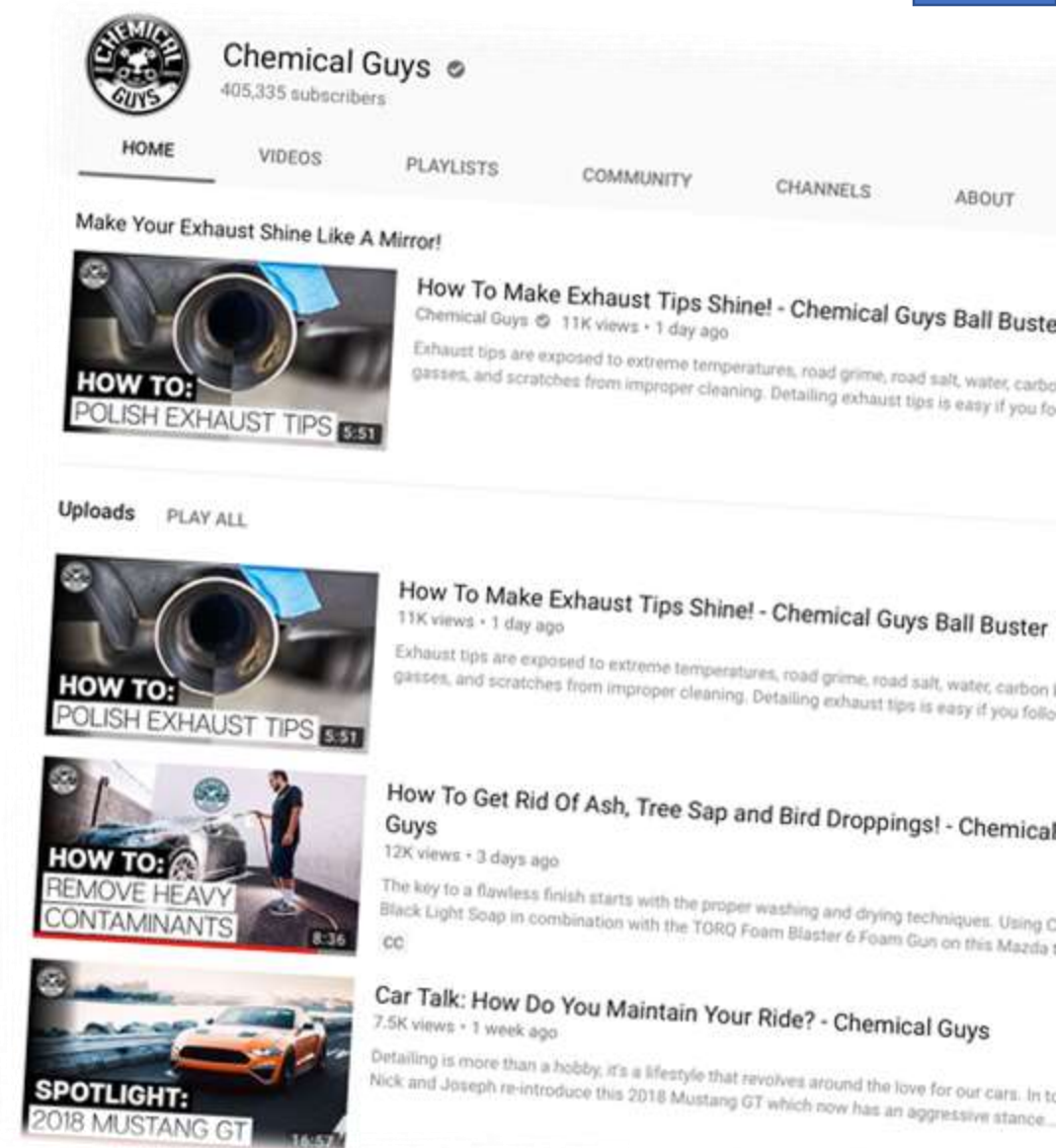


Just like your phone, it charges quickly at low battery and slower at high battery



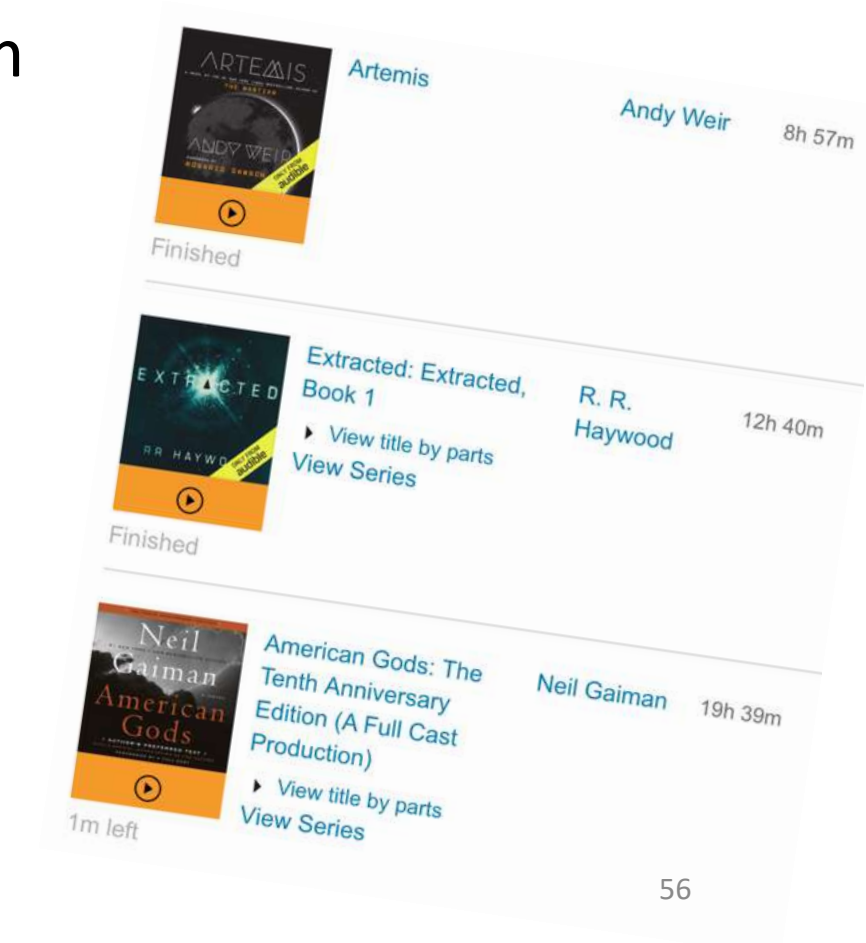
# Side Effects 1 of 2

- Appreciation for Car Detailing
- Car Vibration and Car Noise of even the Prius Annoys Me Now
- Don't Notice or Care About Gas Prices



# Side Effects 2 of 2

- Tesla Autopilot Does Reduce Mental Drain of Highway Driving
- Subscription to Audio Book Service Audible.com



# Maintenance

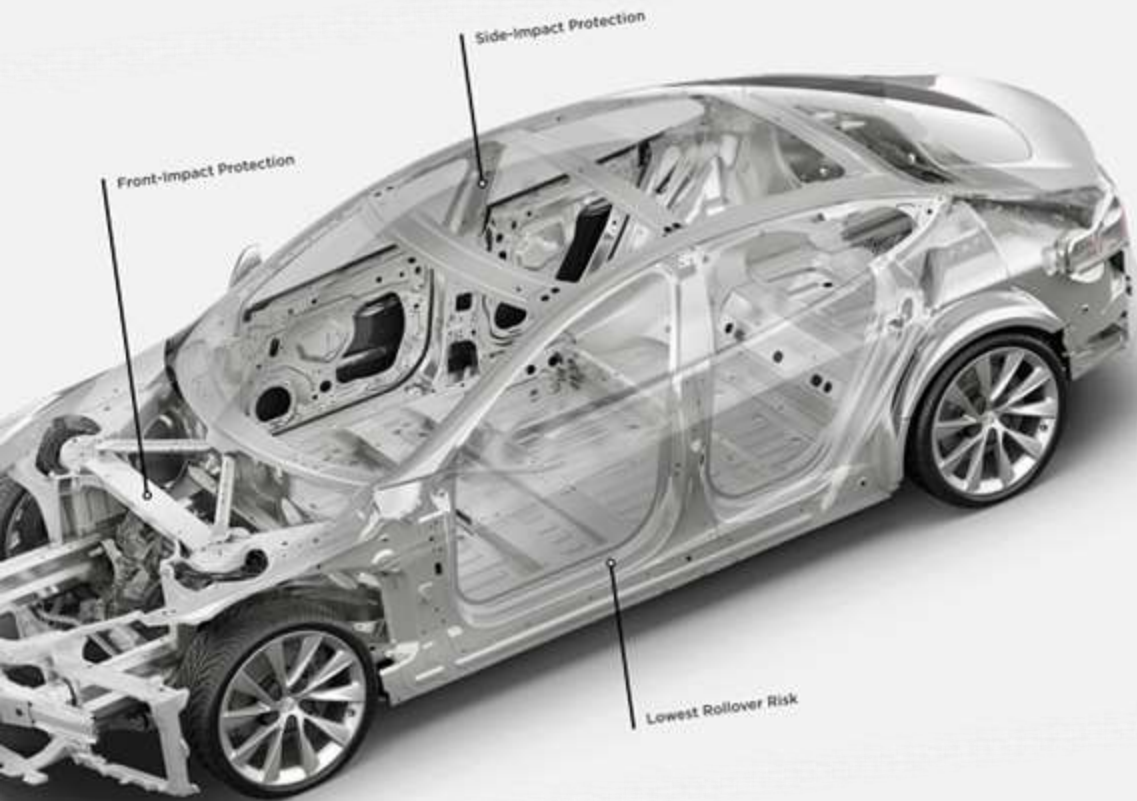
	Year 1 12,500 miles	Year 2 25,000 miles	Year 3 37,500 miles	Year 4 50,000 miles
A/C desiccant bag replacement		X		X
Brake fluid replacement		X		X
Cabin air filter replacement		X		X
Key fob battery replacement (set)	X	X	X	X
Multi-point inspection	X	X	X	X
Tire rotation (if needed)	X	X	X	X
Wheel alignment check (and adjustment, if needed)	X	X	X	X
Wiper blade set replacement	X	X	X	X
Battery coolant replacement	Every 8 years or 100,000 miles (160,000 km), whichever comes first			

# Maintenance (Simplified)

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# Battery Maintenance

- Keep charge between 90% and 10% for daily use
- Ideally between 80% and 20%
- But, it probably doesn't matter much
- Charge to 100% sparingly for trips
- Don't Supercharge Excessively





Thank You and Questions

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