

Data Provision Disclosure

Empowering you with Data

Tesla products and related services are designed to give you greater access, control, and visibility into the data they generate. Tesla's [Privacy Notice](#) describes the types of data generated by the use of our products and related services. The sections below include additional relevant information to empower you with data. Whether you are the product owner or an authorized data recipient, we want to ensure you understand the nature of the data made available to you.

Data structure, generation, and volume

Tesla products and related services generate, process, and store data to deliver key functions, including diagnostics, connectivity, safety features, and continuous improvements.

Data is generally structured and machine-readable (e.g., CSV, JSON, XML, log files). Volume varies by feature usage and configuration. Telemetry, diagnostics logs, and Autopilot data may be generated continuously while using the product or related service. Infotainment and mobile app data are typically session-based (KBs to MBs). Safety Event or Fleet Learning video clips may be several MBs and are collected only in limited scenarios.

Tesla products and related services are capable of generating data, while in operation (e.g., driving metrics, system status), in real time, to support features such as navigation, Autopilot, and mobile app commands, and upon event triggers, such as a collision, software failure, or service request. Certain advanced data collection (e.g., Fleet Learning or Cabin Camera Analytics) is opt-in and can be controlled via Controls > Software > Data Sharing.

Data storage location and retention

Data generated by your Tesla products and related services may be stored locally on the device itself, transmitted to Tesla's servers, or both, depending on various factors, including but not limited to, the feature, occurrence of a safety critical event, power consumption, and purpose.

Tesla retains data only for as long as necessary to fulfill the relevant purpose, such as providing requested services, improving safety, complying with legal obligations, or supporting warranty and service operations. Retention periods vary depending on the data type and applicable laws, but Tesla applies data minimization principles and regularly reviews its retention schedules to limit unnecessary storage.

Note: The data recorded by the vehicle and sent to Tesla's servers has limitations, including which data fields are recorded, the length of the recording, the data sampling interval, the data range, and resolution. Additionally, data may be limited due to battery power, vehicle connectivity, or other system constraints. Tesla product and related services data may not capture an entire event or may not fully represent all aspects of a given product event.

Right to access and share with an authorized recipient

Where applicable, you have the right to access and share data generated through the use of our products and services. You may obtain data by submitting a [data access request](#). Where technically feasible, Tesla provides this data in a structured, commonly used, machine-readable format, and in real-time or near-real time. Tesla may take reasonable steps to authenticate your identity before fulfilling a request, and to ensure that requested data does not infringe upon the rights of other users or violate applicable law. Where data involves Tesla trade secret information, we may require additional steps to be taken including, but not limited to, access controls, confidentiality agreements, or other restrictions from you and recipients you authorize.

You may also choose to share data with another recipient of your choice via a [data access request](#) using the 'Transfer to Authorized Recipient' feature. The data you choose to share may include personal data.

Authorized Recipient Responsibilities

By accessing and using Tesla products and related services data, Authorized Recipients may:

- Only use data for the specific, agreed purpose with the User and erase data when no longer needed.
- Not use data to develop or improve products or services that compete with Tesla's offerings, or to benchmark or reverse engineer proprietary features.
- Not use data for unrelated analytics, profiling, or product development.
- Not share, transfer, or make available data to anyone else (including affiliates, subcontractors, or service providers) unless agreed with the User.
- Not use the data in a way that negatively impacts the security of the connected product or service.
- Not combine data with other datasets to profile individuals or process special category data unless expressly authorized and compliant with law.
- Not process personal data for profiling unless essential for the requested service
- Not bypass or disable any technical or organizational measures protecting the data.
- Not misrepresent the nature, source, or permitted use of the data.
- Not attempt to re-identify individuals from anonymized or aggregated data.
- Not use data to infringe intellectual property rights or to disclose Tesla or User trade secrets.
- Not create derivative datasets, models, or insights from the data outside the agreed scope. Any approved derivatives must not enable re-identification or disclosure of confidential information.

Tesla reserves the right to withhold, suspend, or refuse access to data if we detect misuse, unauthorized access, or deviation from fulfilling these responsibilities.