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# Master Plan 3

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Sustainable Energy For All of Earth

# Our Energy Economy Is Dirty & Wasteful

Current State

SUSTAINABLE

FOSSIL FUELS

Primary Energy  
Consumption  
165 PWh/yr

Over 80% of Global Energy Comes From Fossil Fuels

Only 1/3 of Global Energy Delivers Useful Work or Heat



But there's a better way

# A Sustainable Energy Economy Is Within Reach & We Should Accelerate It

Current State

SUSTAINABLE

FOSSIL FUELS

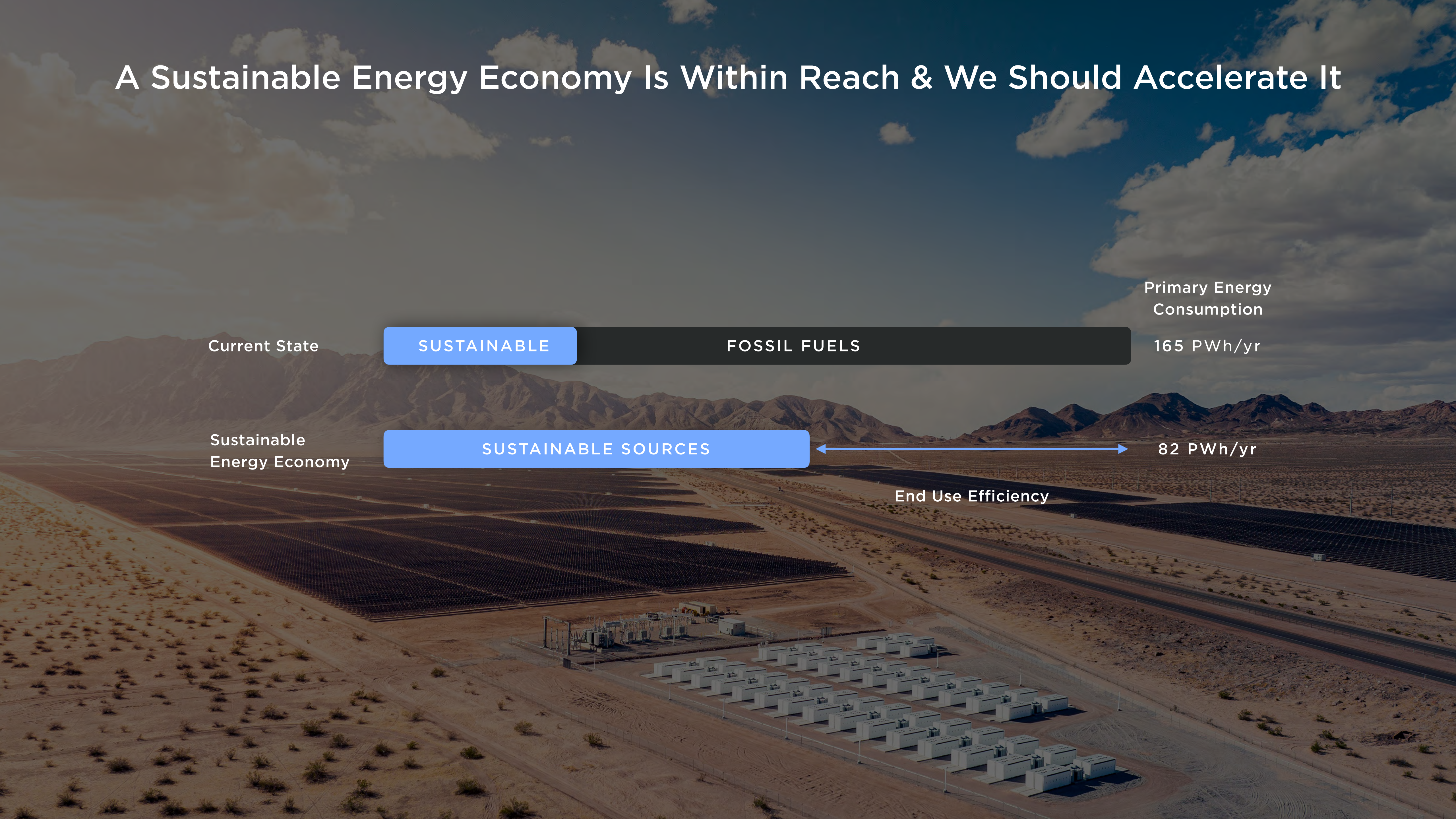
Primary Energy Consumption  
165 PWh/yr

Sustainable Energy Economy

SUSTAINABLE SOURCES

82 PWh/yr

End Use Efficiency





# A Sustainable Energy Economy Is Within Reach & We Should Accelerate It

HOW THE MASTER PLAN WORKS

240TWh

Storage

30TW

Renewable  
Power

\$10T

Manufacturing  
Investment

1/2

The Energy  
Required

<0.2%

Land Area  
Required

10%

2022  
World GDP

ZERO

Insurmountable  
Resource Challenges



# The Plan To Eliminate Fossil Fuels

Reduction In  
Fossil Fuel Use

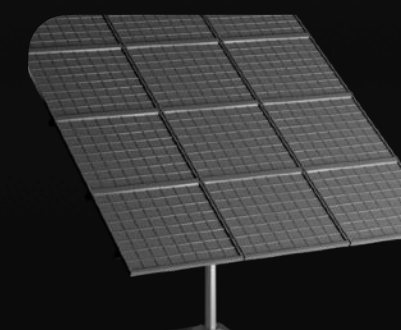
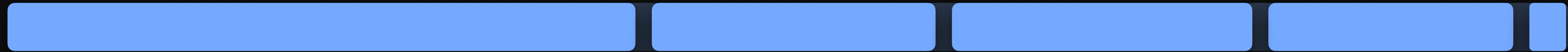
**35%**

**21%**

**22%**

**17%**

**5%**



**Renewably Power  
The Existing Grid**

Displaced  
Fossil Fuels

46 PWh/yr



**Switch to  
Electric Vehicles**

28 PWh/yr



**Switch to  
Heat Pumps**

29 PWh/yr



**High Temp Heat  
Delivery & Hydrogen**

22 PWh/yr



**Sustainably Fuel  
Planes & Boats**

7 PWh/yr

# 1. Repower the Existing Grid With Renewables

**35%**

Reduction In  
Fossil Fuel Use



Full  
Sustainability



**24TWh**

Stationary  
Storage

**10TW**

Solar + Wind

**\$0.8T**

Manufacturing  
Investment

# 2. Switch to Electric Vehicles

21%

Reduction In Fossil Fuel Use

Full Sustainability



115TWh

Vehicle Batteries & Stationary Storage

4TW

Solar + Wind

\$7.0T

Manufacturing Investment Needs

## 2. Switch to Electric Vehicles

21%

Reduction In  
Fossil Fuel Use



Full  
Sustainability

### Global Electric Fleet

40M

380M

20M

300M

700M



115TWh

Vehicle Batteries  
& Stationary Storage

4TW

Solar + Wind

\$7.0T

Manufacturing  
Investment

# EVs Use Energy Far More Efficiently

21%

Reduction In  
Fossil Fuel Use

⚡ Full  
Sustainability



Tesla Model 3

4x

More Efficient  
Oil Well to Wheel



Toyota Corolla

# 3. Switch To Heat Pumps in Homes, Businesses & Industry

22%

Reduction In Fossil Fuel Use



Full Sustainability



6TWh

Stationary Storage

5TW

Solar + Wind

\$0.3T

Manufacturing Investment

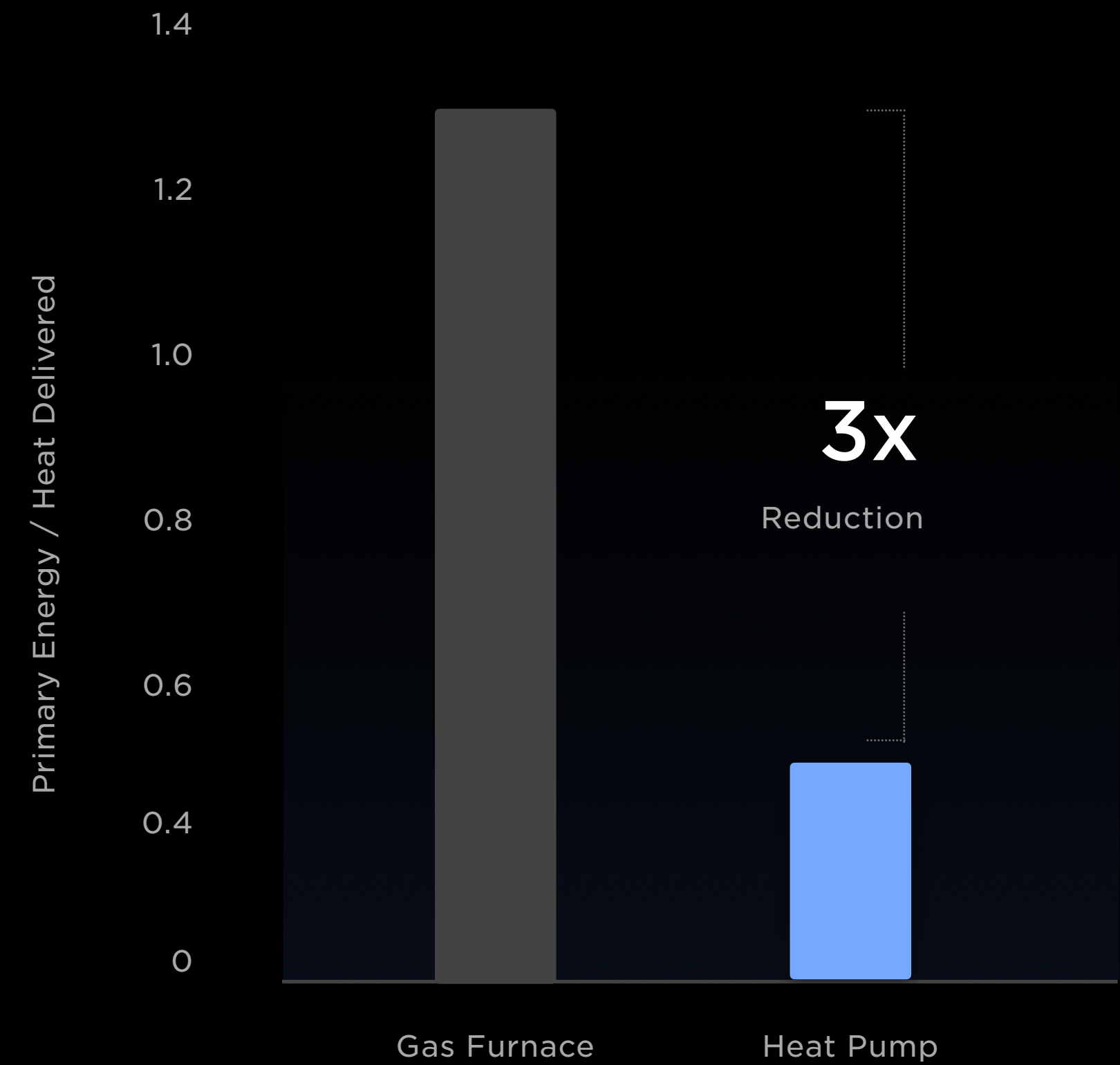
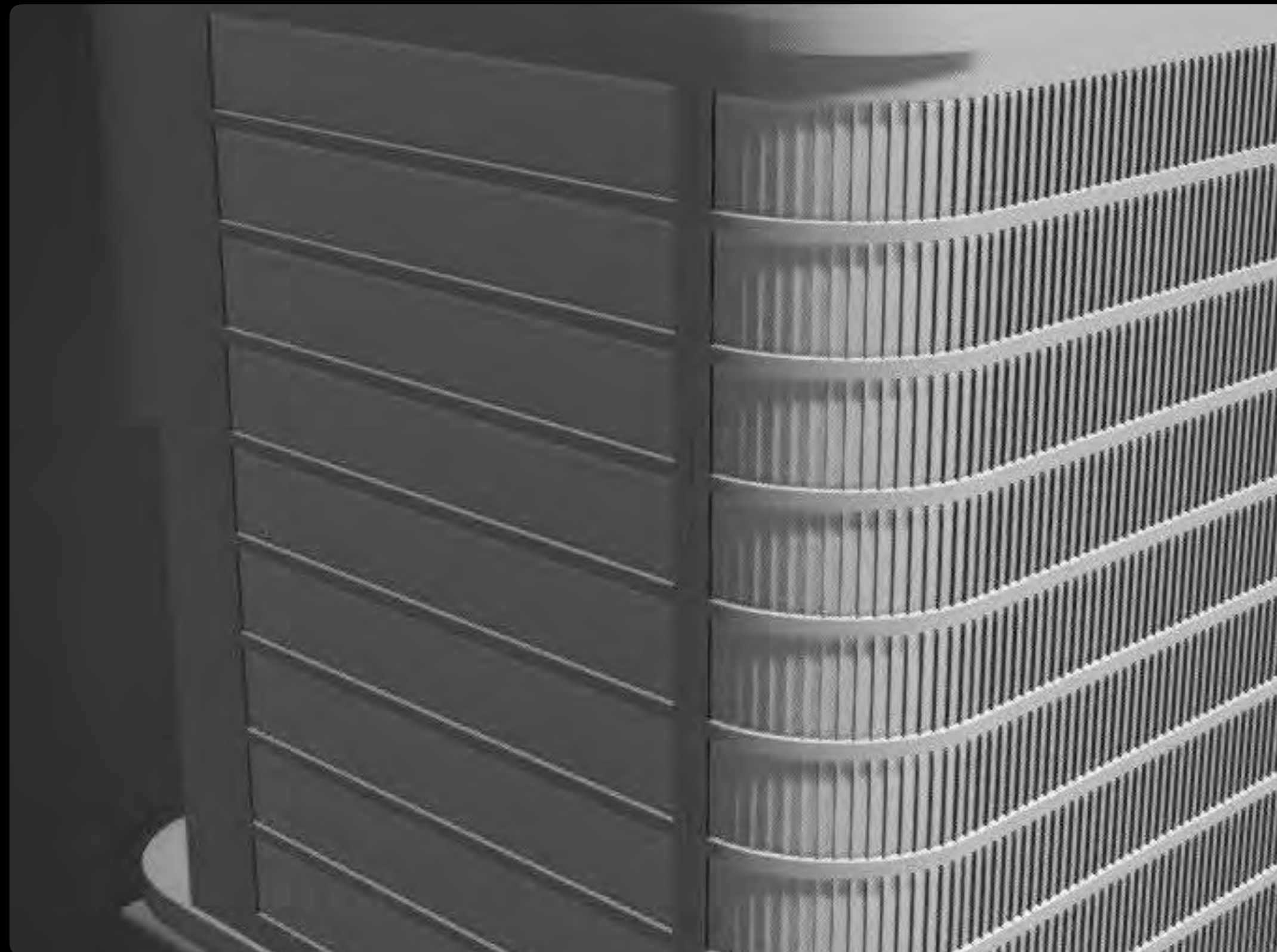
# Heat Pumps Move Heat, They Don't Create It

22%

Reduction In  
Fossil Fuel Use



Full  
Sustainability





# 4. Electrify High Temp Heat Delivery & Hydrogen

17%

Reduction In  
Fossil Fuel Use



Full  
Sustainability



48TWh

Stationary  
Storage

6TW

Solar + Wind

\$0.8T

Manufacturing  
Investment

# 4. Electrify High Temp Heat Delivery & Hydrogen

17%

Reduction In  
Fossil Fuel Use



Full  
Sustainability



48TWh

Stationary  
Storage

6TW

Solar + Wind

\$1.0T

Manufacturing  
Investment

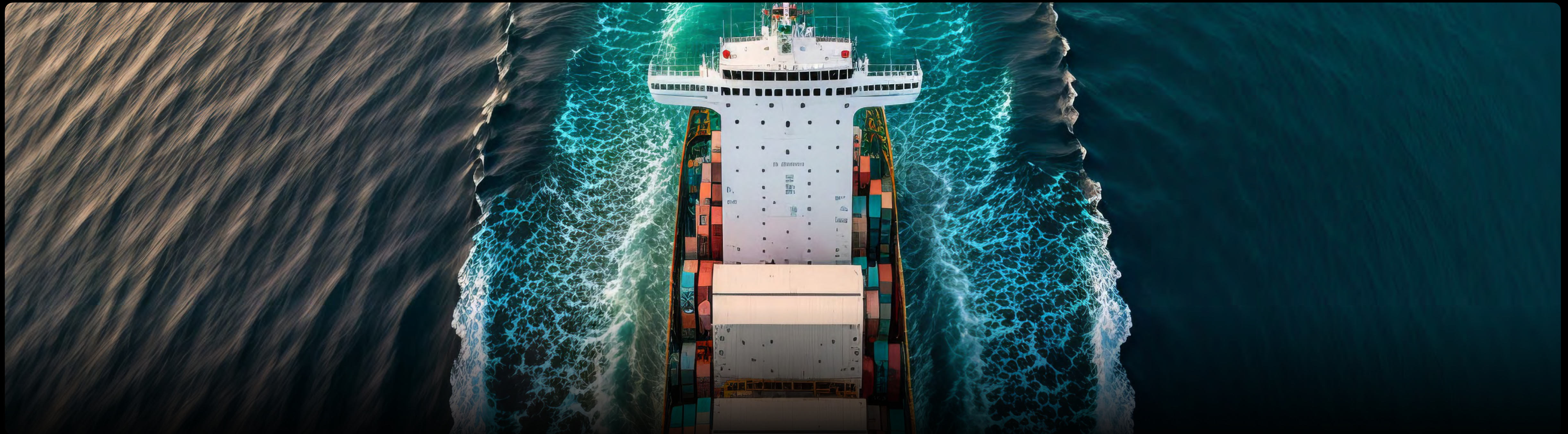
# 5. Sustainably Fuel Planes & Boats

5%

Reduction In  
Fossil Fuel Use



Full  
Sustainability



44TWh

Vehicle Batteries  
& Stationary Storage

4TW

Solar + Wind

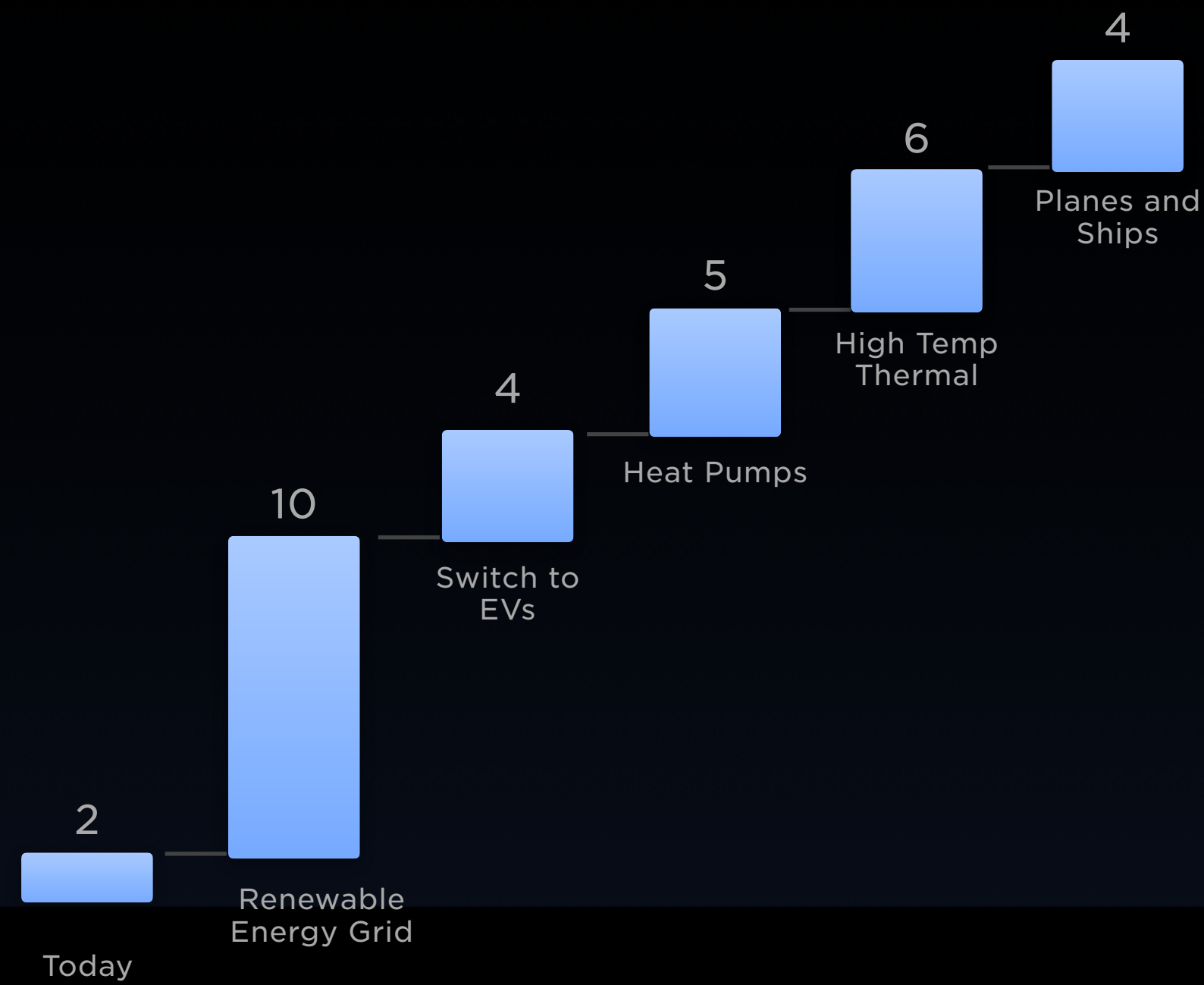
\$0.8T

Manufacturing  
Investment

# Stacking Up the Investments in Our Sustainable Future

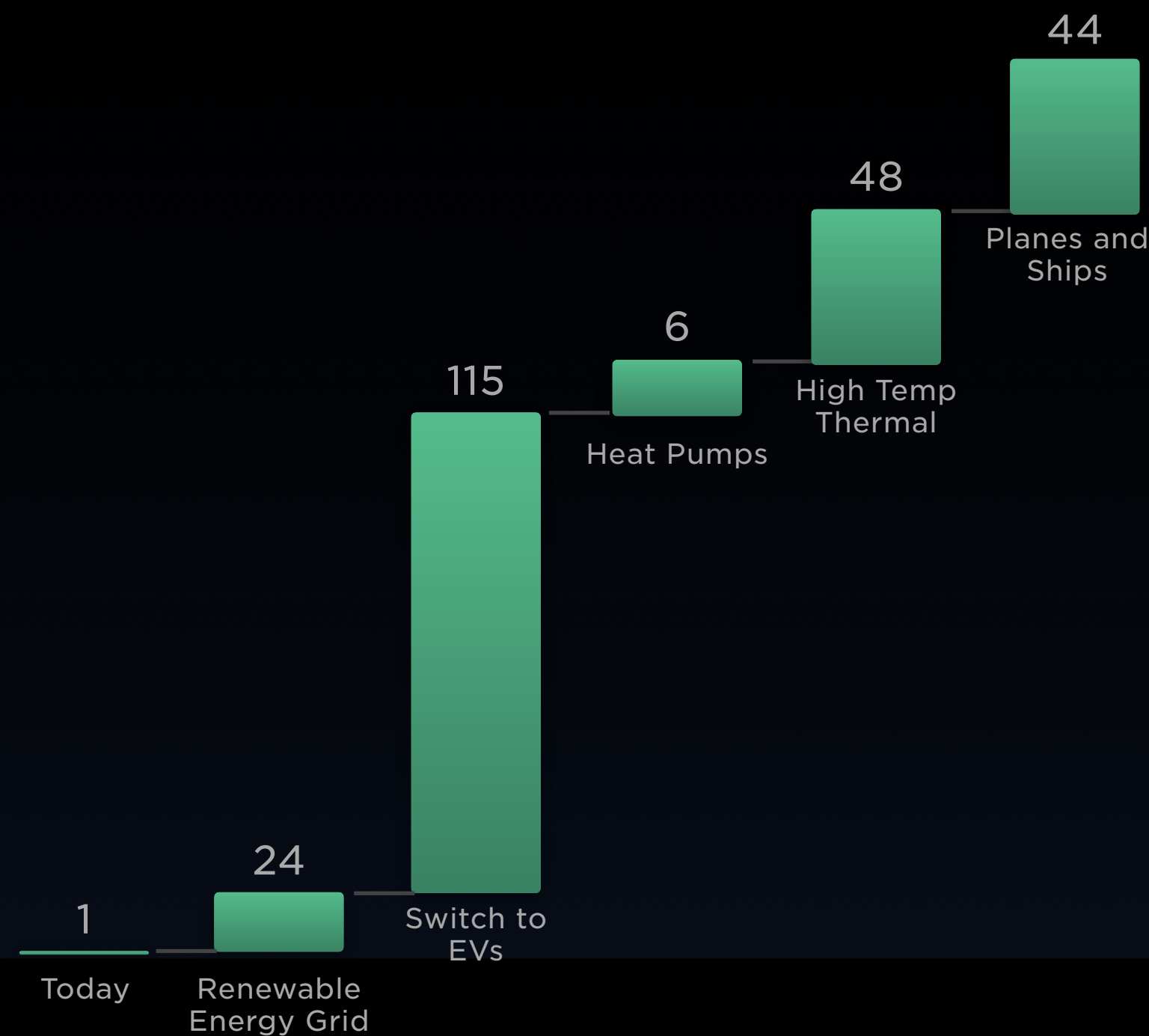
Solar & Wind Farms

30TW



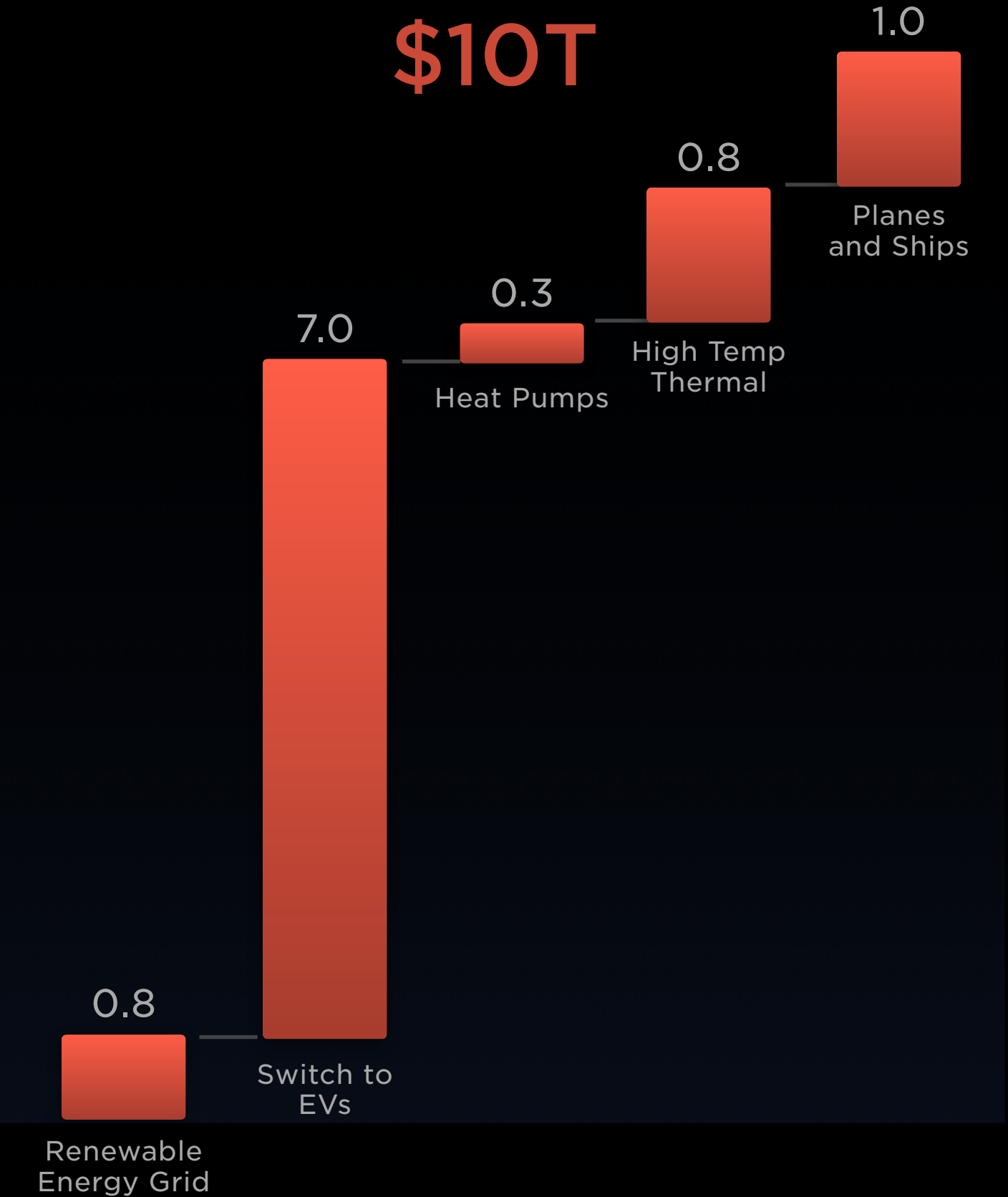
Vehicle & Stationary Batteries

240TWh



Manufacturing Capex

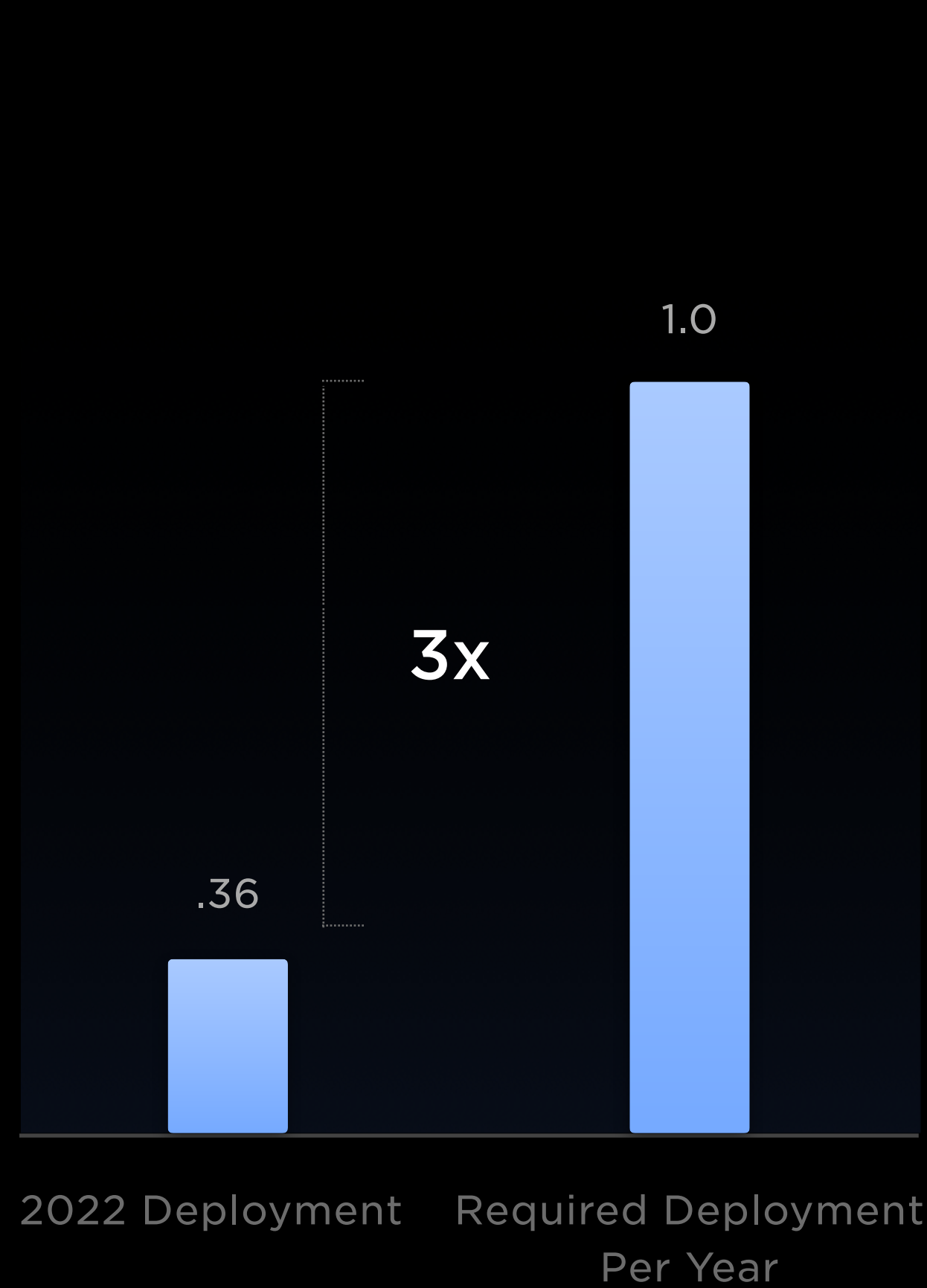
\$10T



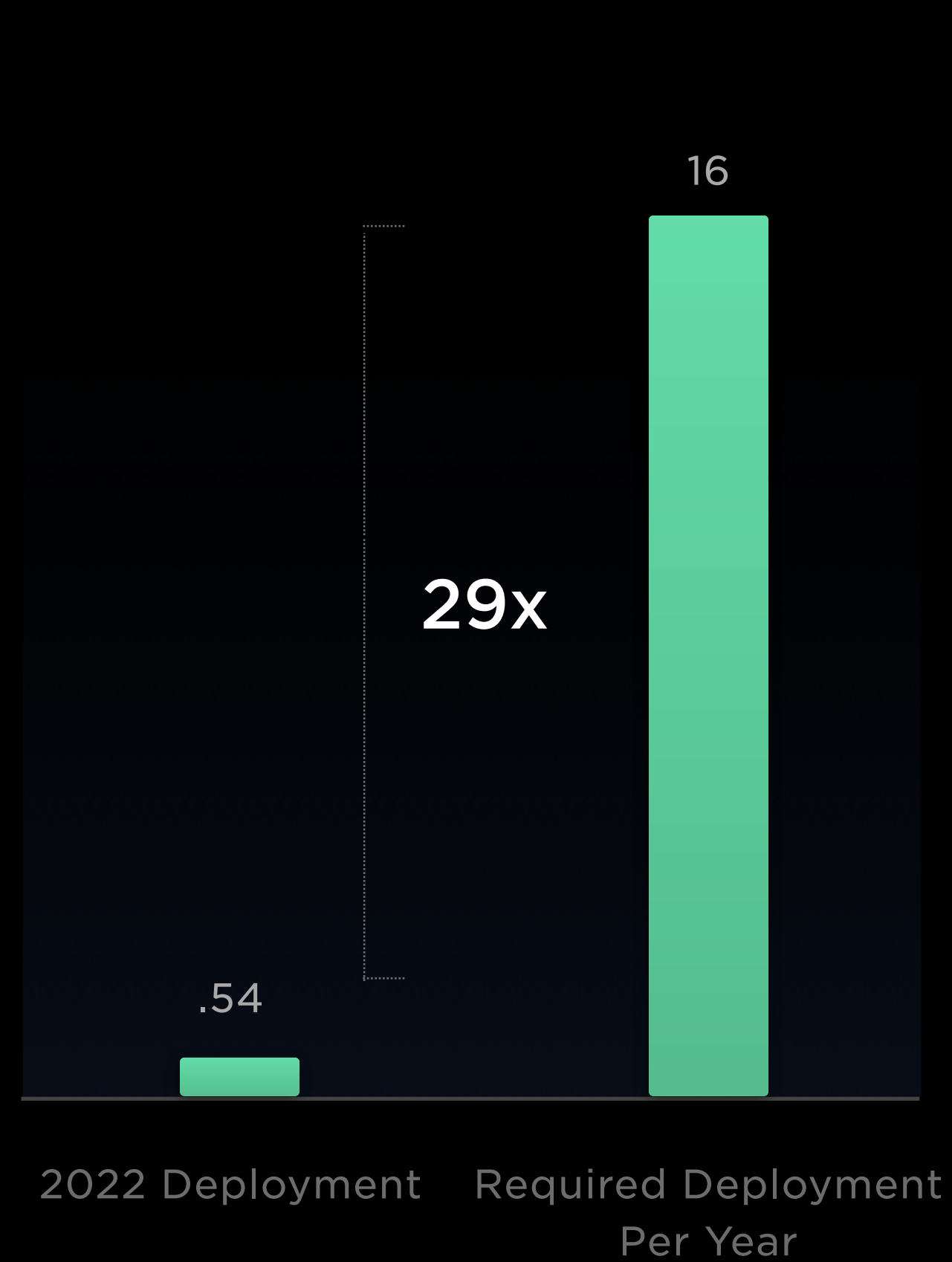
**It's Entirely Feasible**

# If We Grow our Production Capacity as Shown by 2030 We Can Be 100% Sustainable by 2050

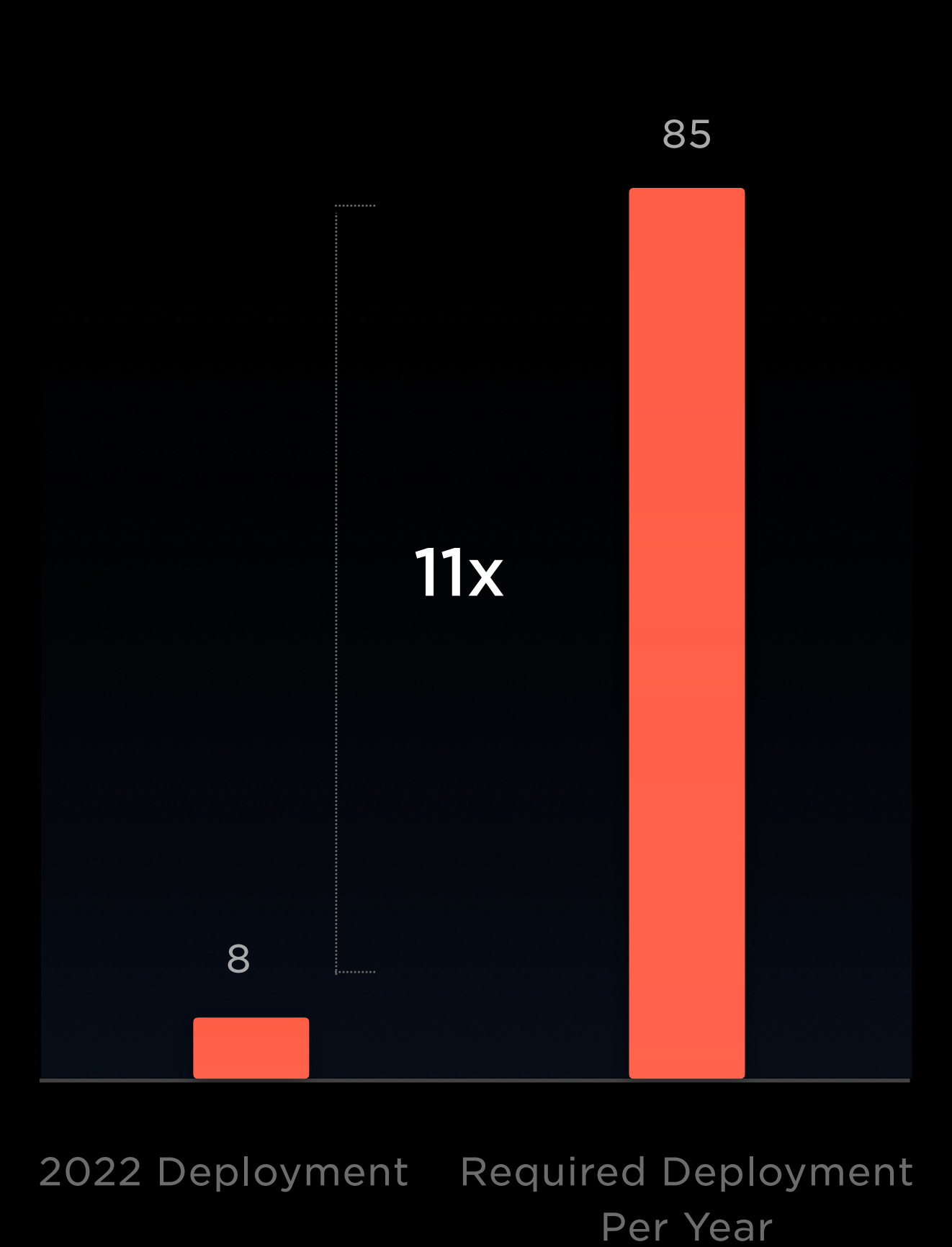
Solar & Wind Deployment (TW/Yr)



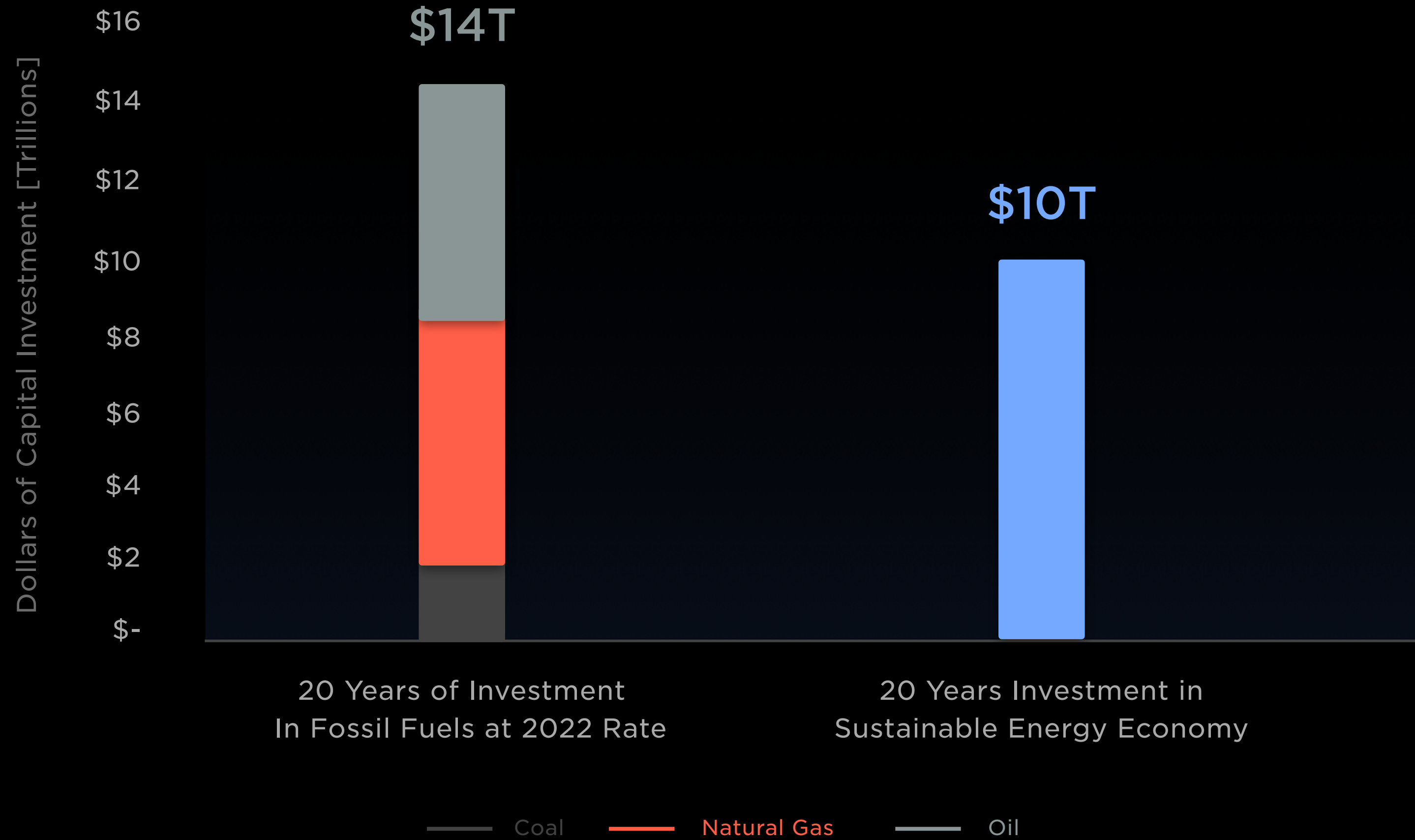
Vehicle, Stationary, & Thermal Battery Production TWh/Yr



Electric Vehicle Production Millions/Yr



# A Sustainable Energy Economy Is 60% The Cost of Continuing Fossil Fuel Investments



# More Than Enough Renewable Resources Available



■ Solar Direct Land Area  
0.14% of Land

■ Wind Direct Land Area  
0.03% of Land



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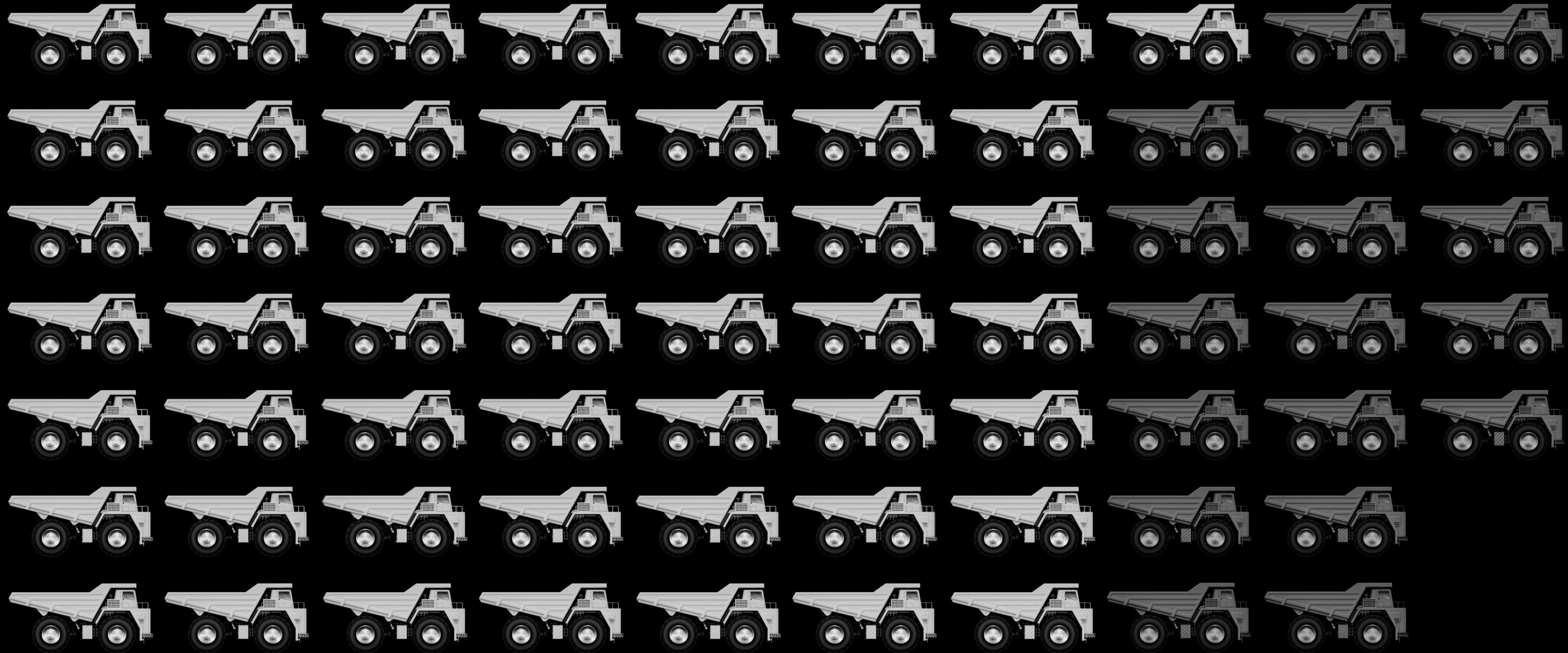
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□ Total Earth Land Area = 32,111,167,147 Acres  
12.5% of Land Use for Agriculture = 4B Acres  
= 2x Contiguous US

# A Sustainable Energy Economy Involves *Less* Mineral Extraction

EACH TRUCK IS 1 GIGATON

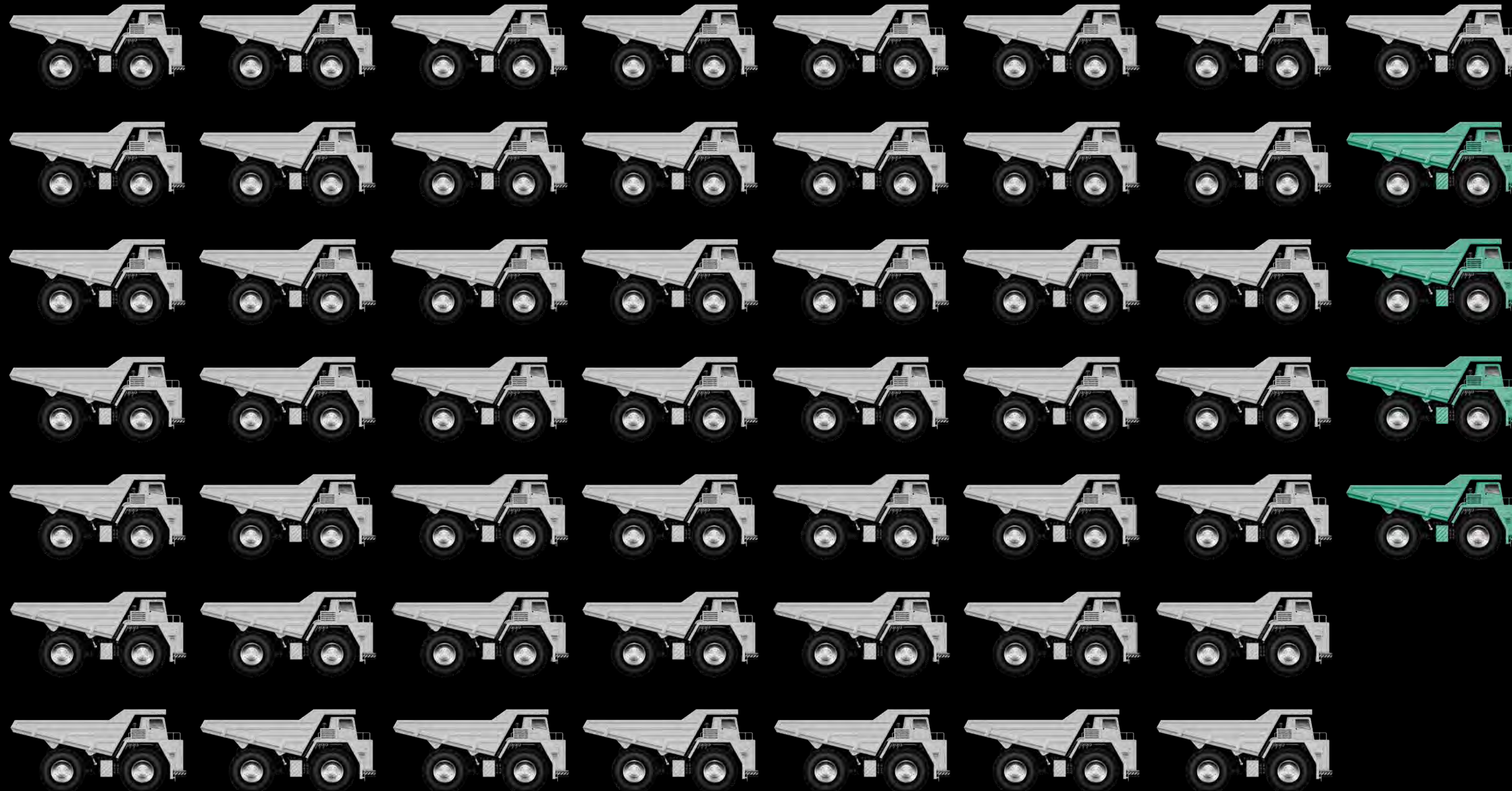


Everything Else

Fossil Fuel Extraction

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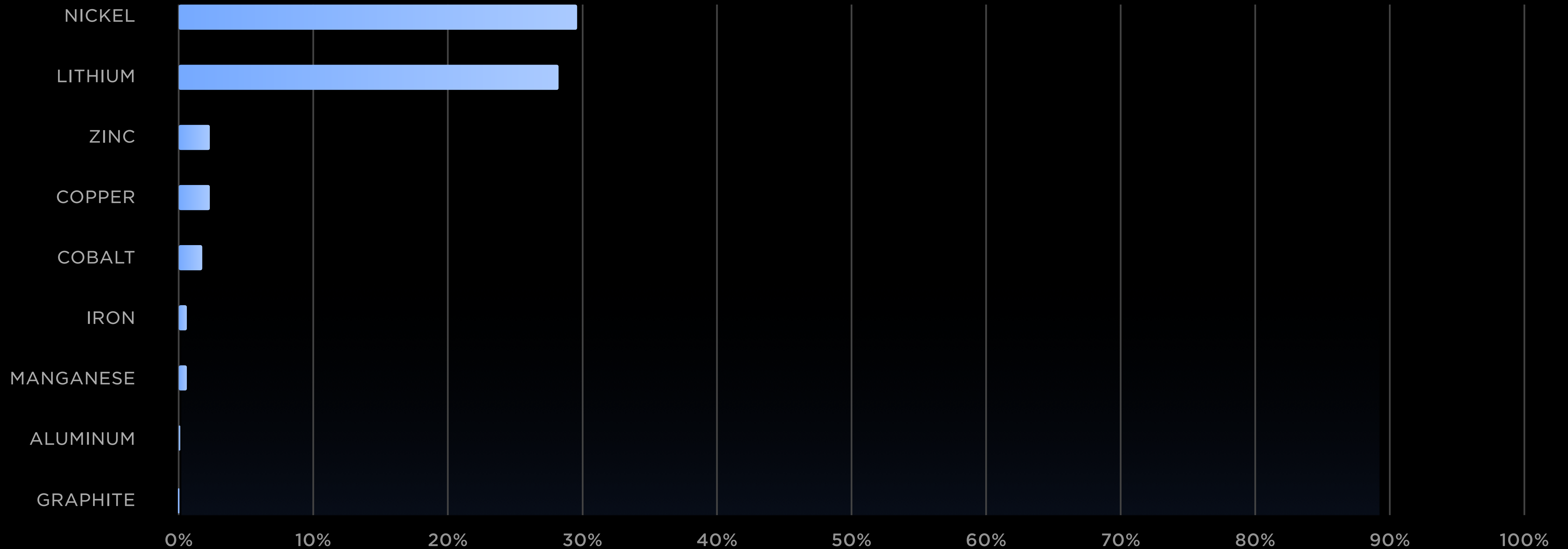


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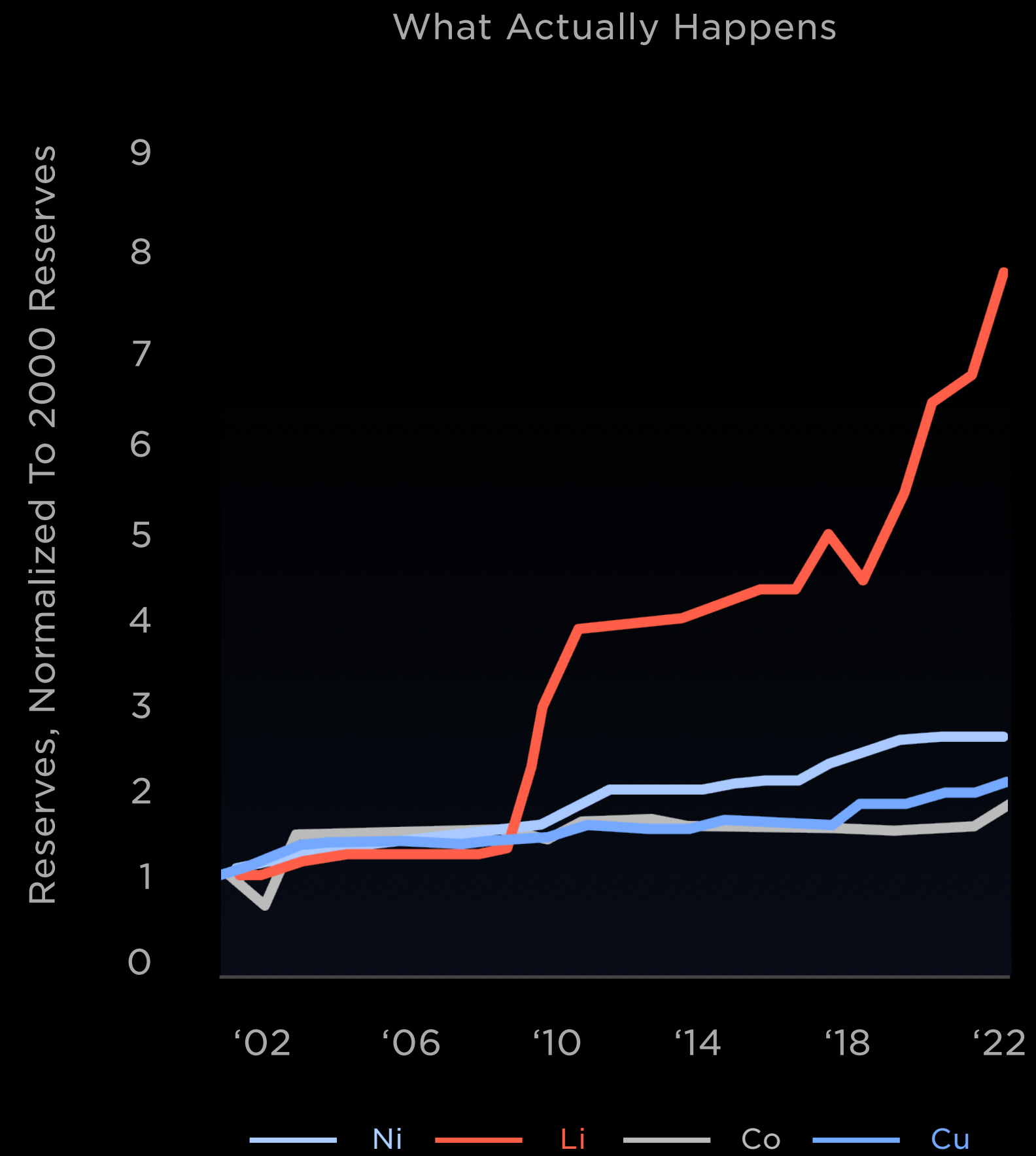
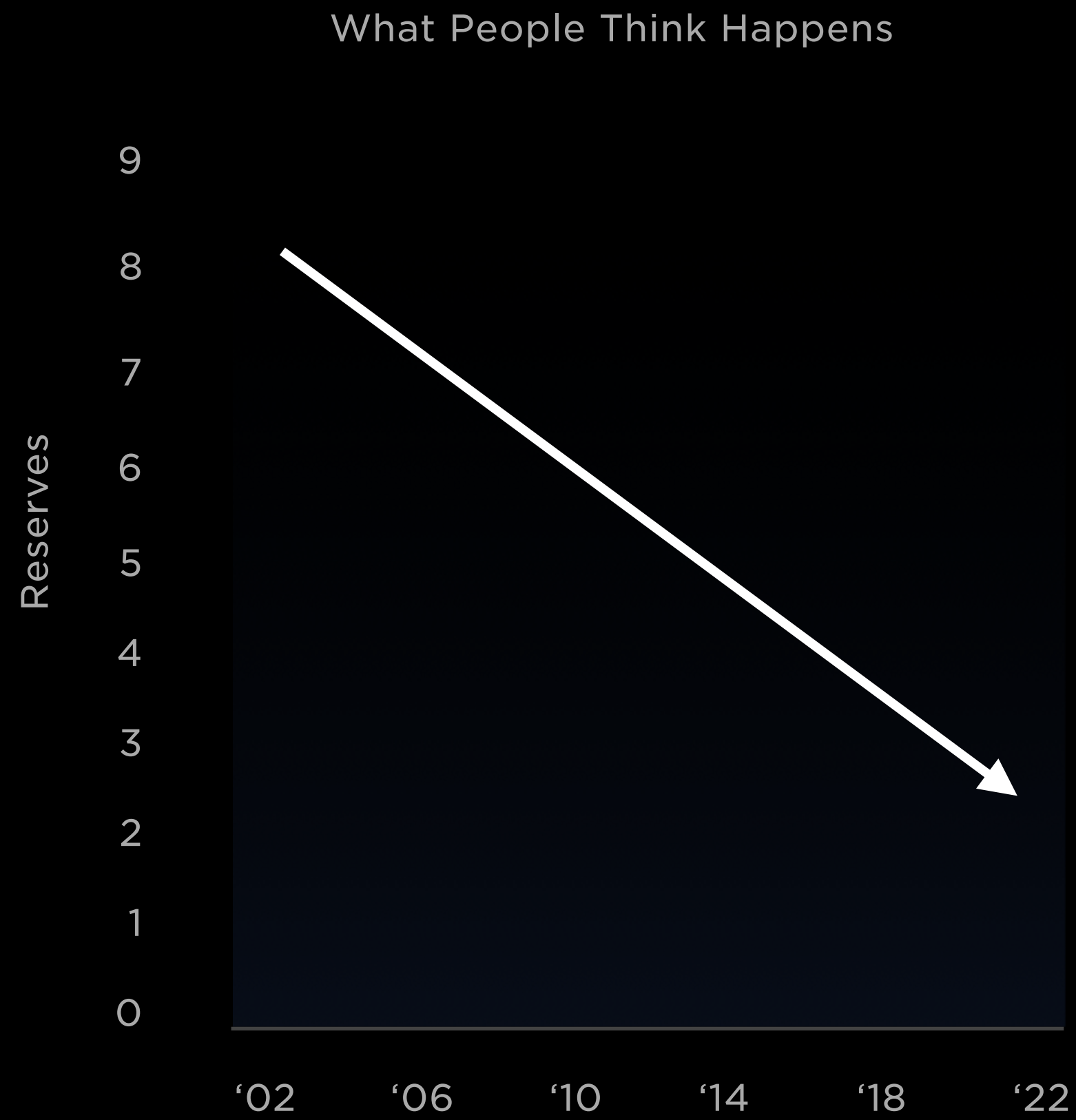
Sustainable Economy Materials

# The Resources Are There To Support the Transition

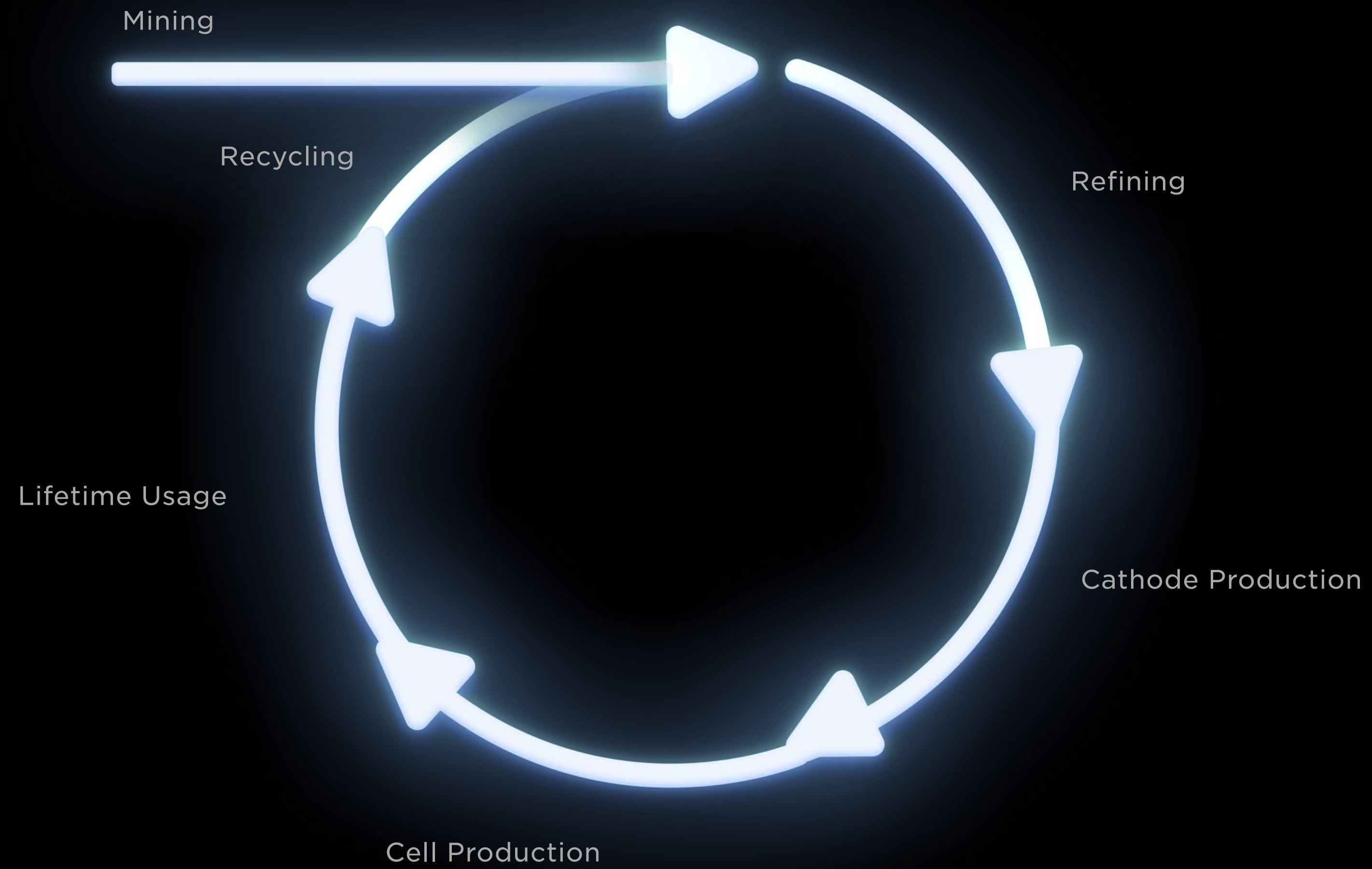
Cumulative Demand Until 2050,  
Relative to 2023 USGS Estimated Resources



# And History Teaches: The More We Look, The More We Find



# Recycling Will Further Reduce Mineral Demand



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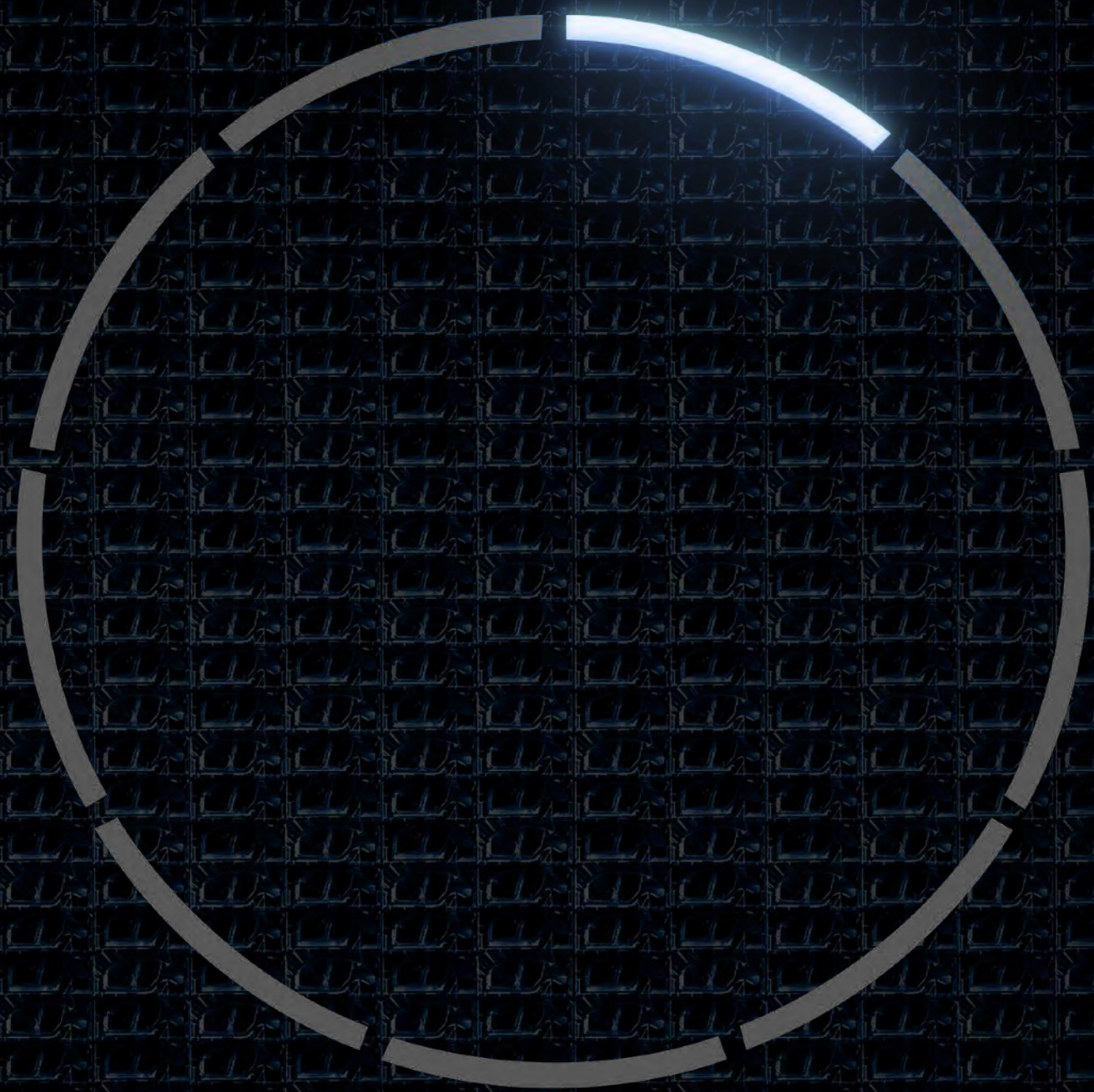
10%

2022  
World GDP

ZERO

Insurmountable  
Resource Challenges





# 01 Vehicle Design

Franz von Holzhausen, Lars Moravy



# The Early Days

MODEL S



# 2012 Model S



1

DESIGN

2

ENGINEERING

3

MANUFACTURING

# Model 3



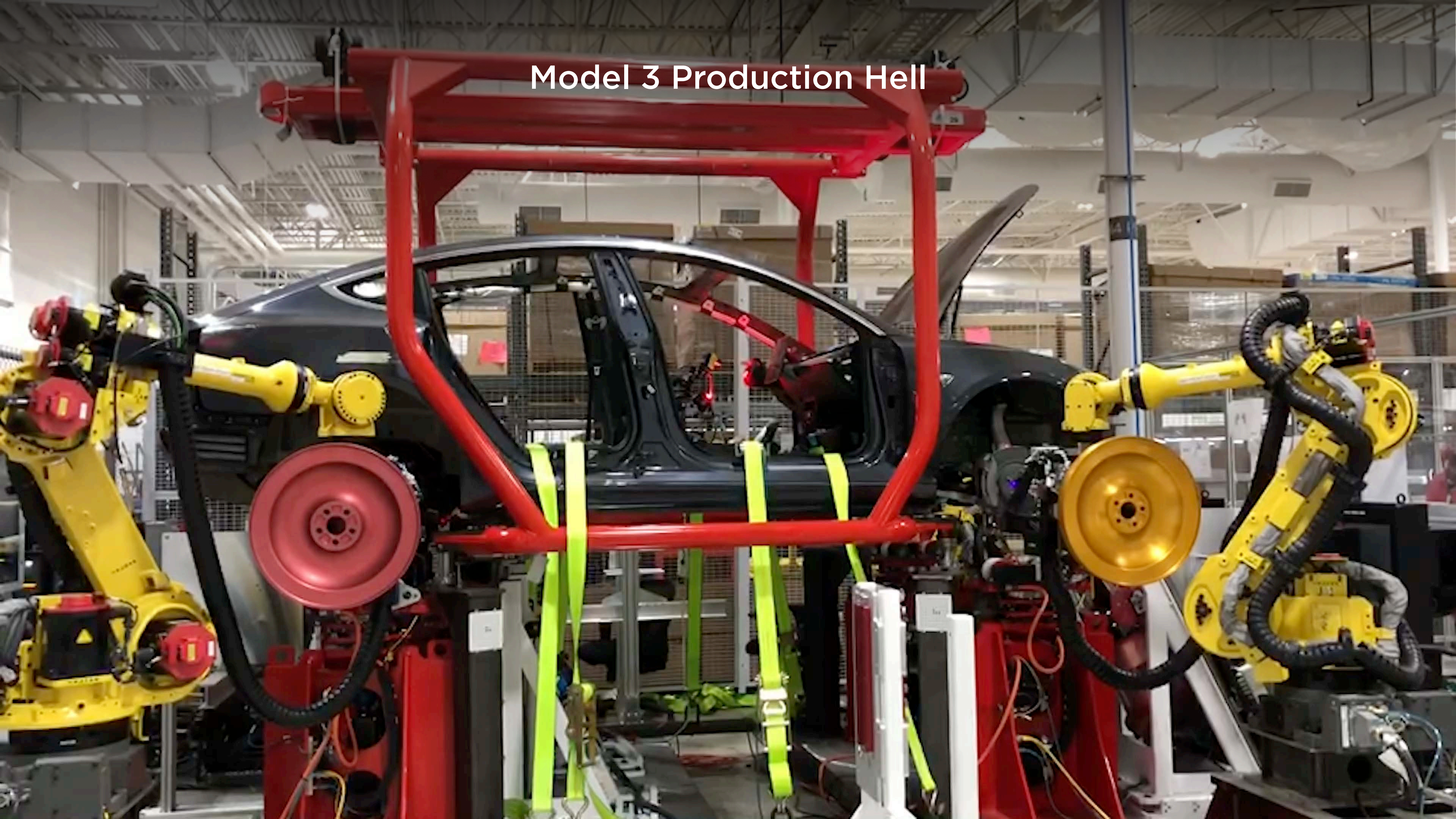
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DESIGN  
ENGINEERING  
MANUFACTURING

2

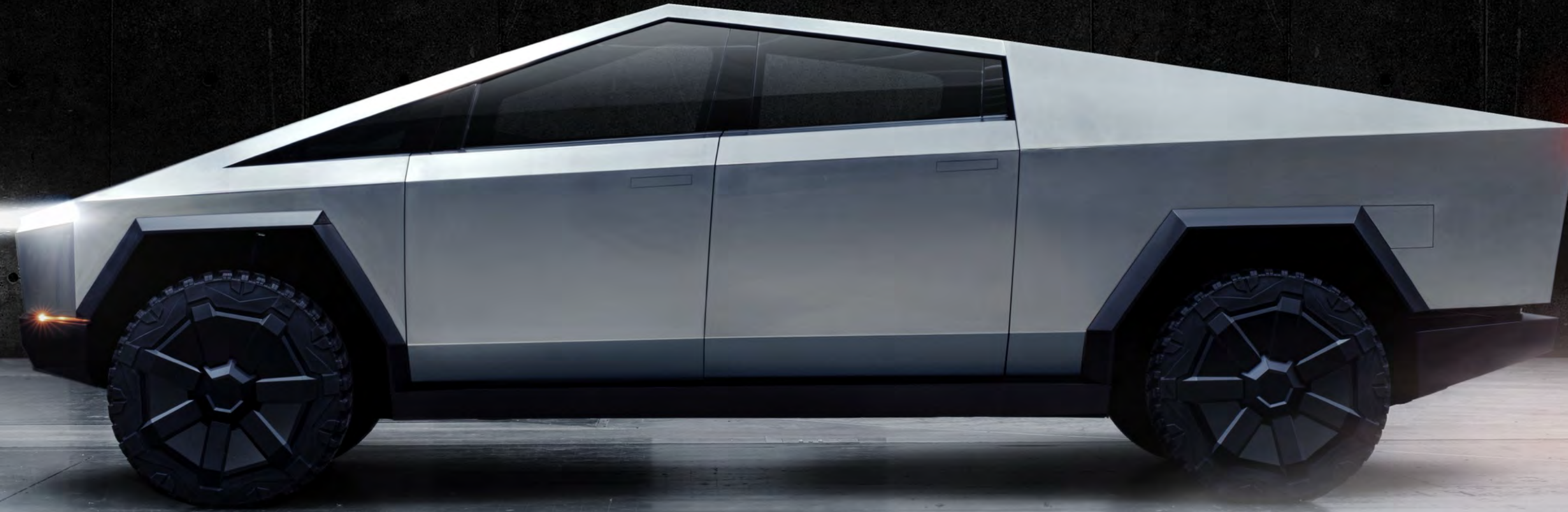
AUTOMATION

# Model 3 Production Hell



# Cybertruck

STEEL EXOSKELETON



# Combining the Processes for the Future

1

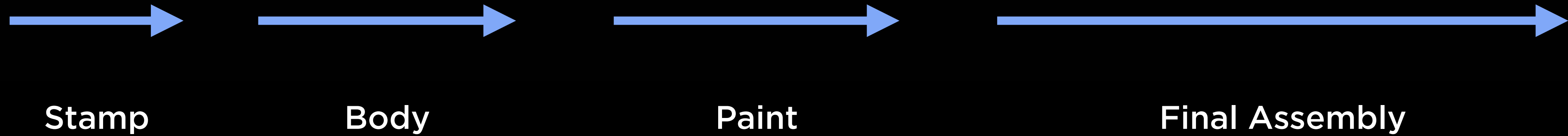
DESIGN

ENGINEERING

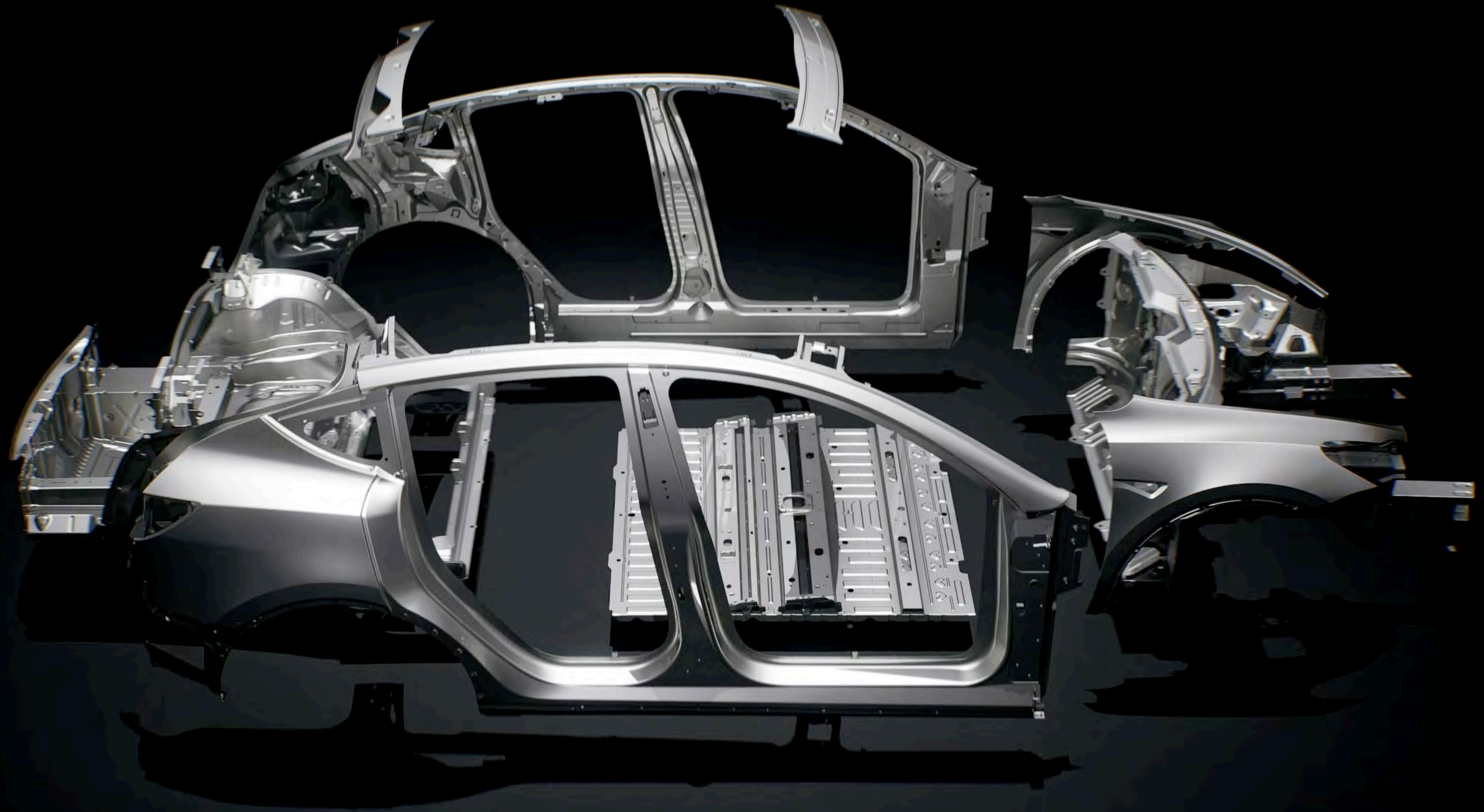
MANUFACTURING

AUTOMATION

# Current Way of Assembling a Vehicle

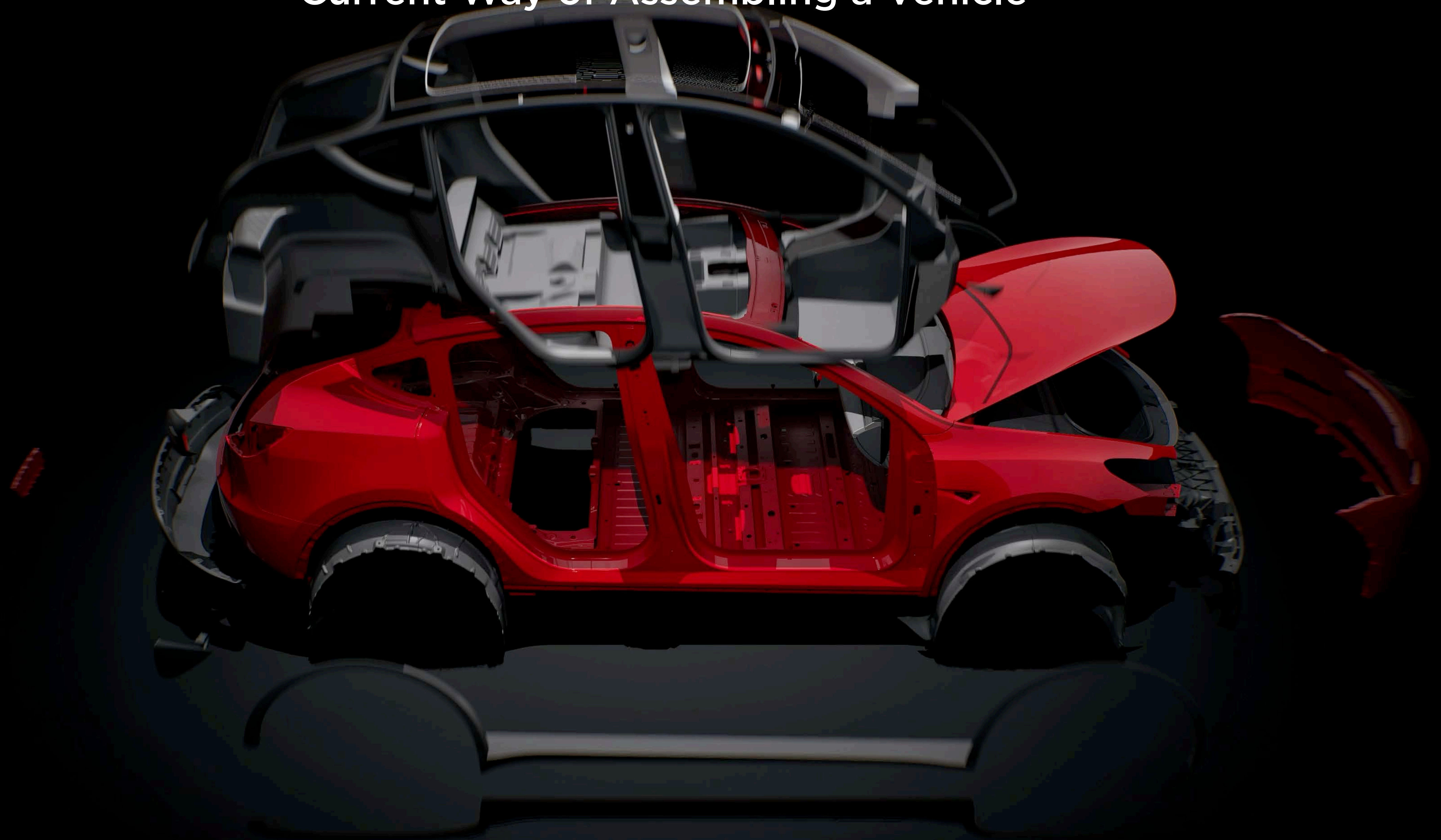


# Current Way of Assembling a Vehicle





# Current Way of Assembling a Vehicle



450 LB.  
204 KG.

KNIGHT GLOBAL 4110 SERIES



# Structural Pack Sub-Assembly

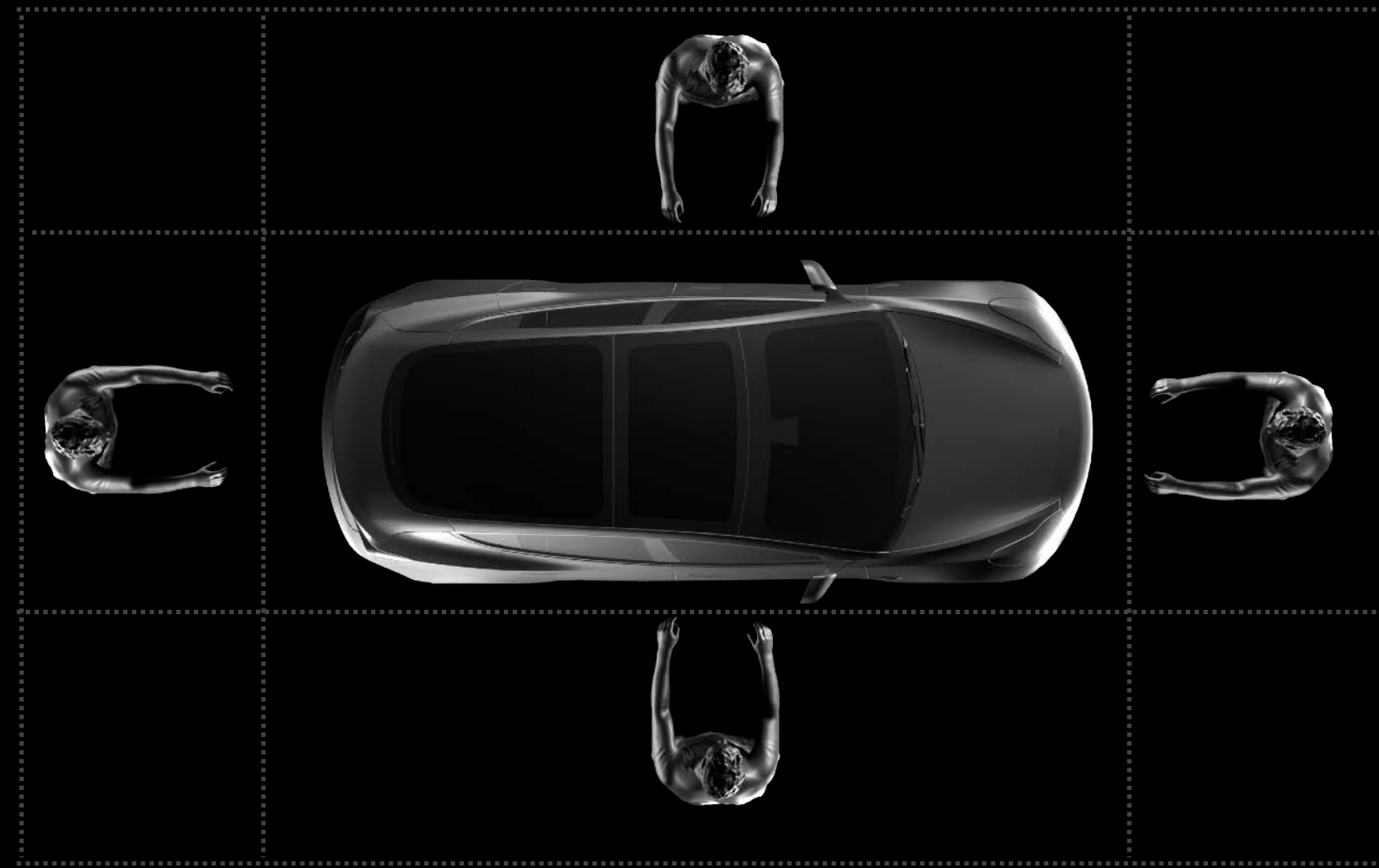
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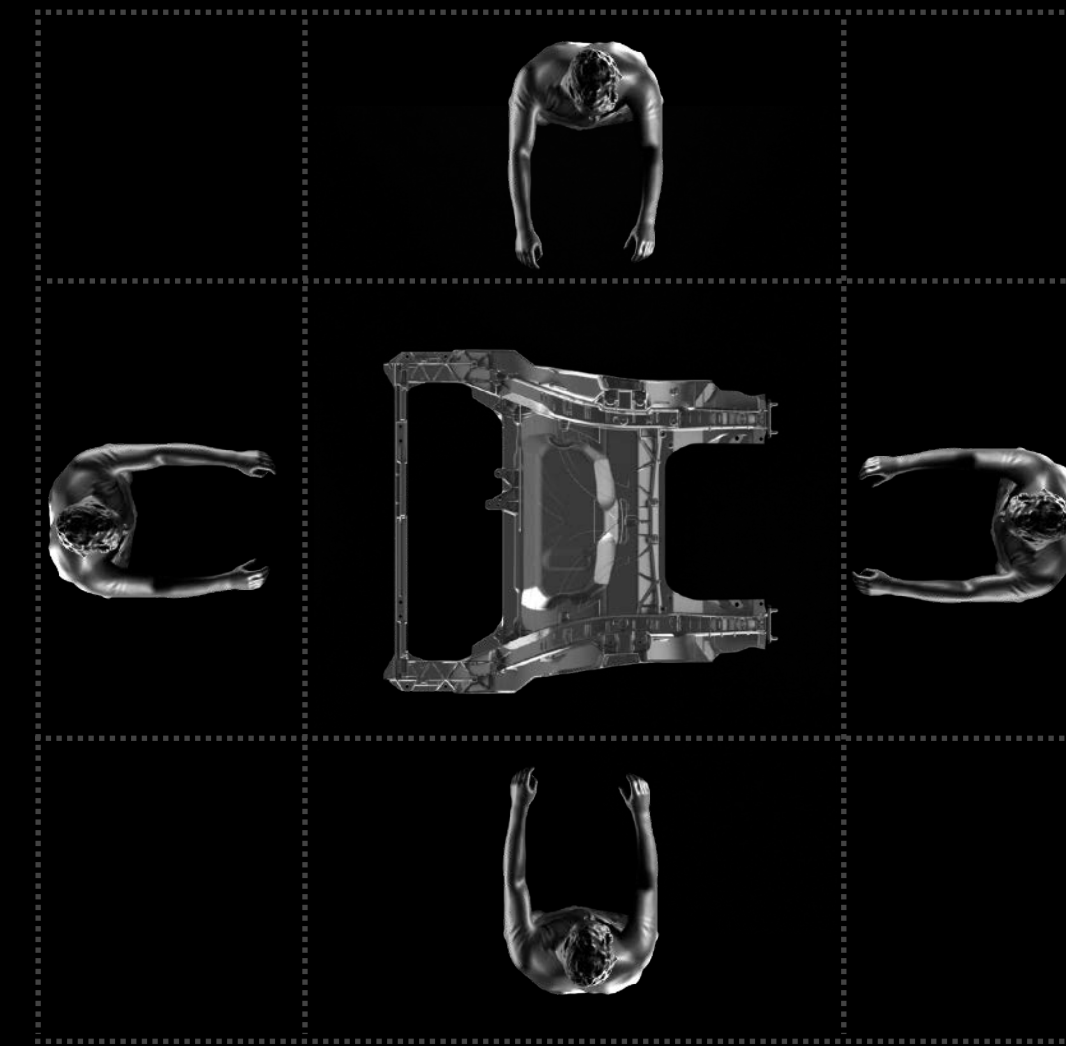
KNIGHT GLOBAL

# More People Can Work Simultaneously on Next Generation Vehicle

Model 3



Next Gen Vehicle



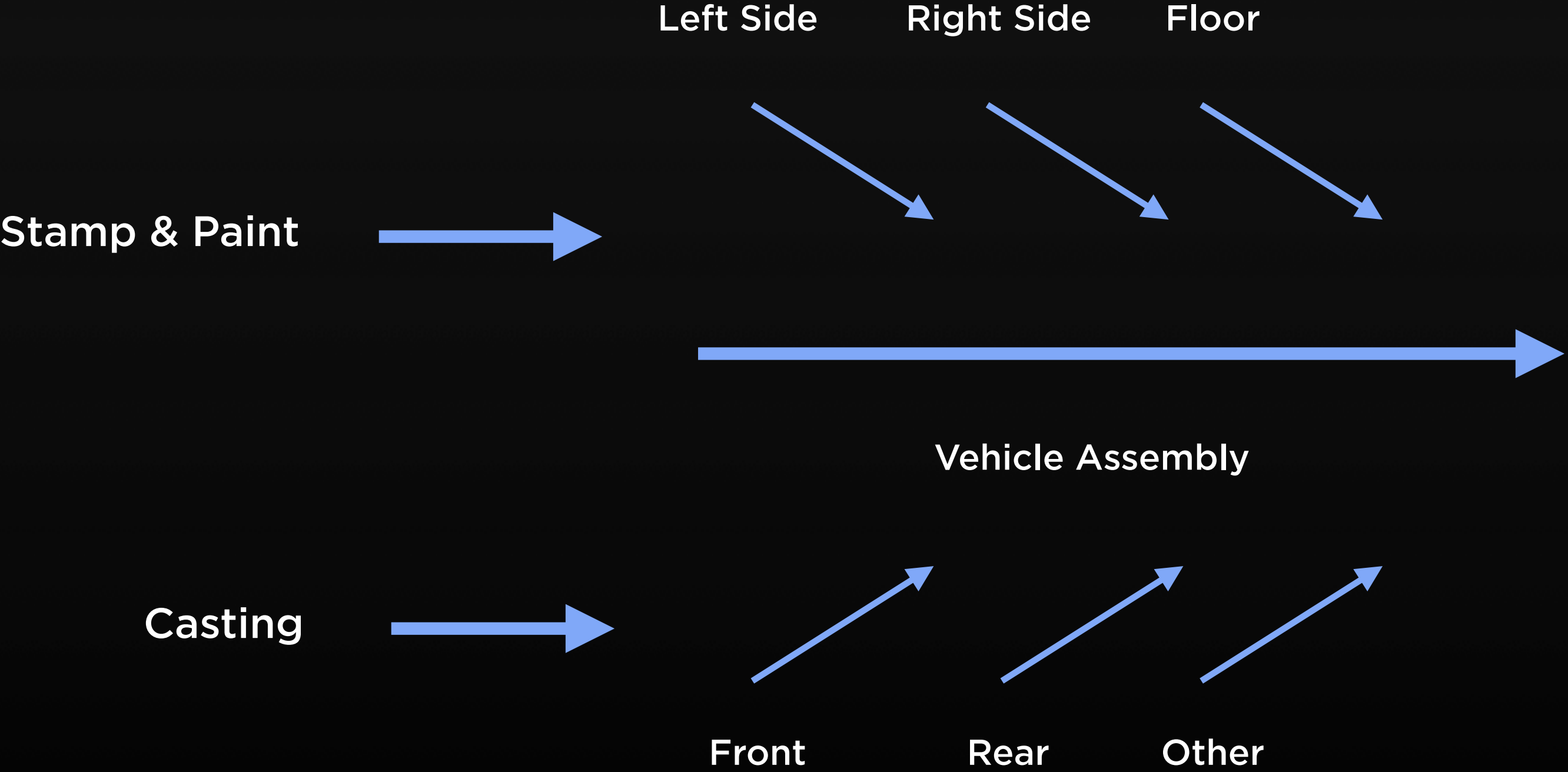
**44%**

Operator Density  
Improvement

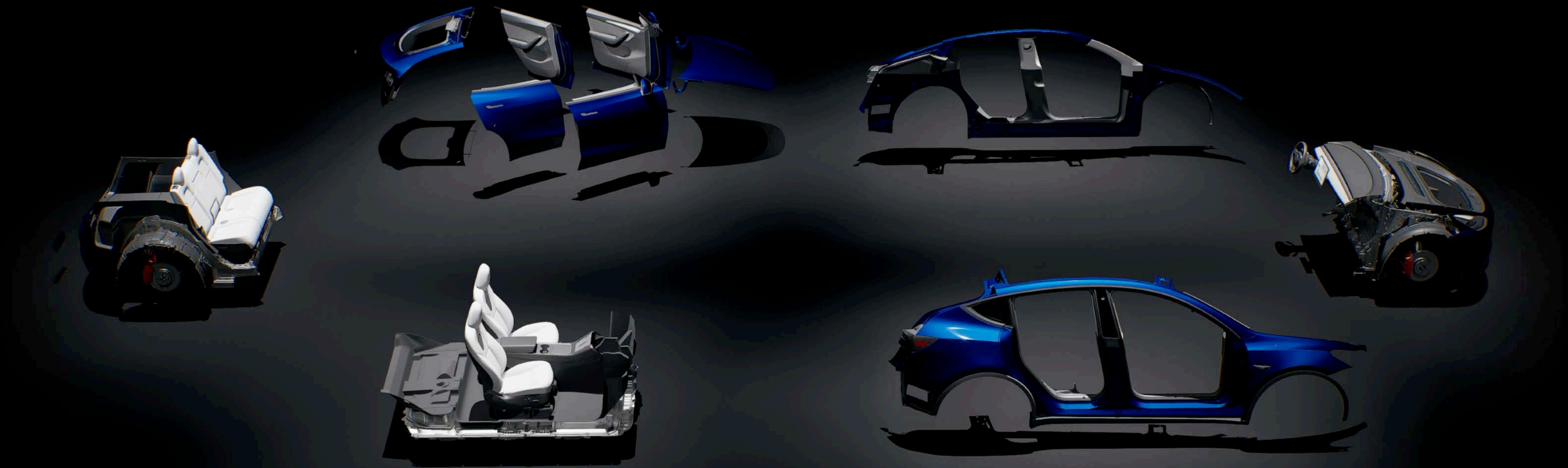
**30%**

Space Time  
Efficiency  
Improvement

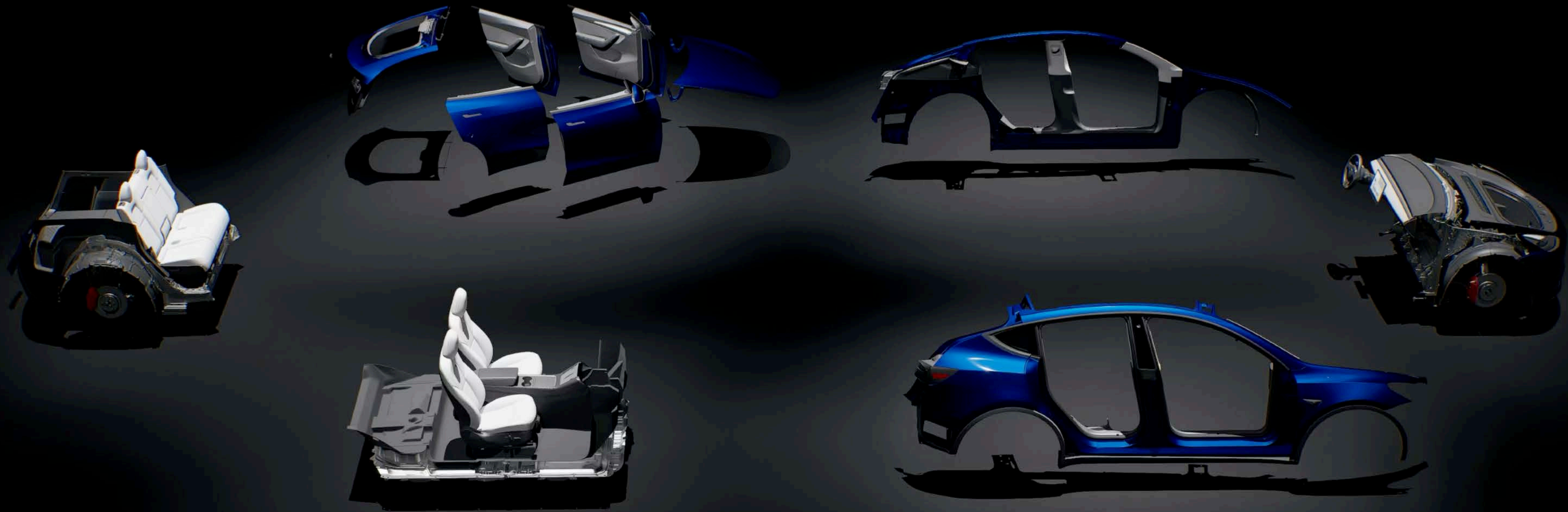
# Parallel & Serial Assembly



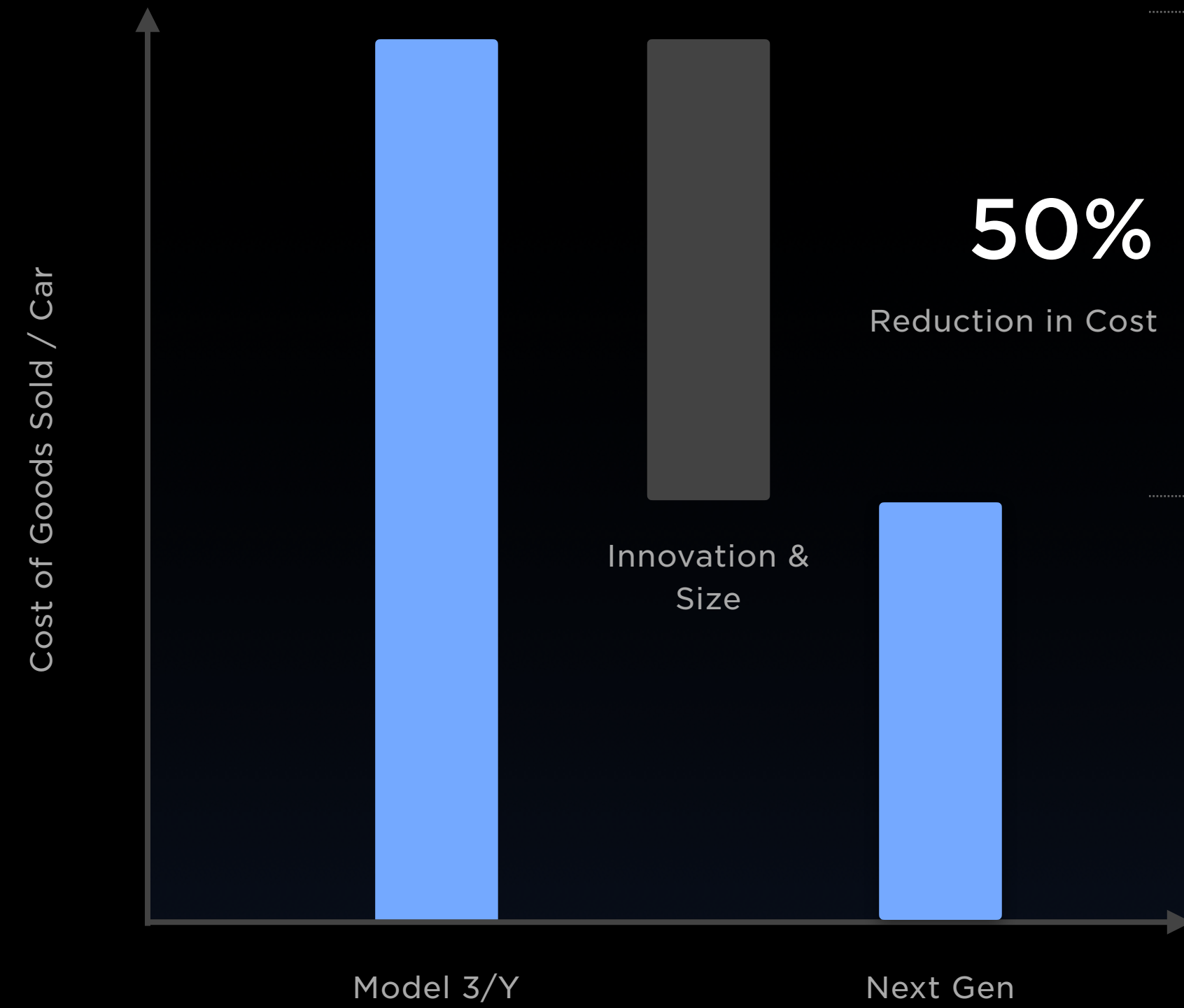
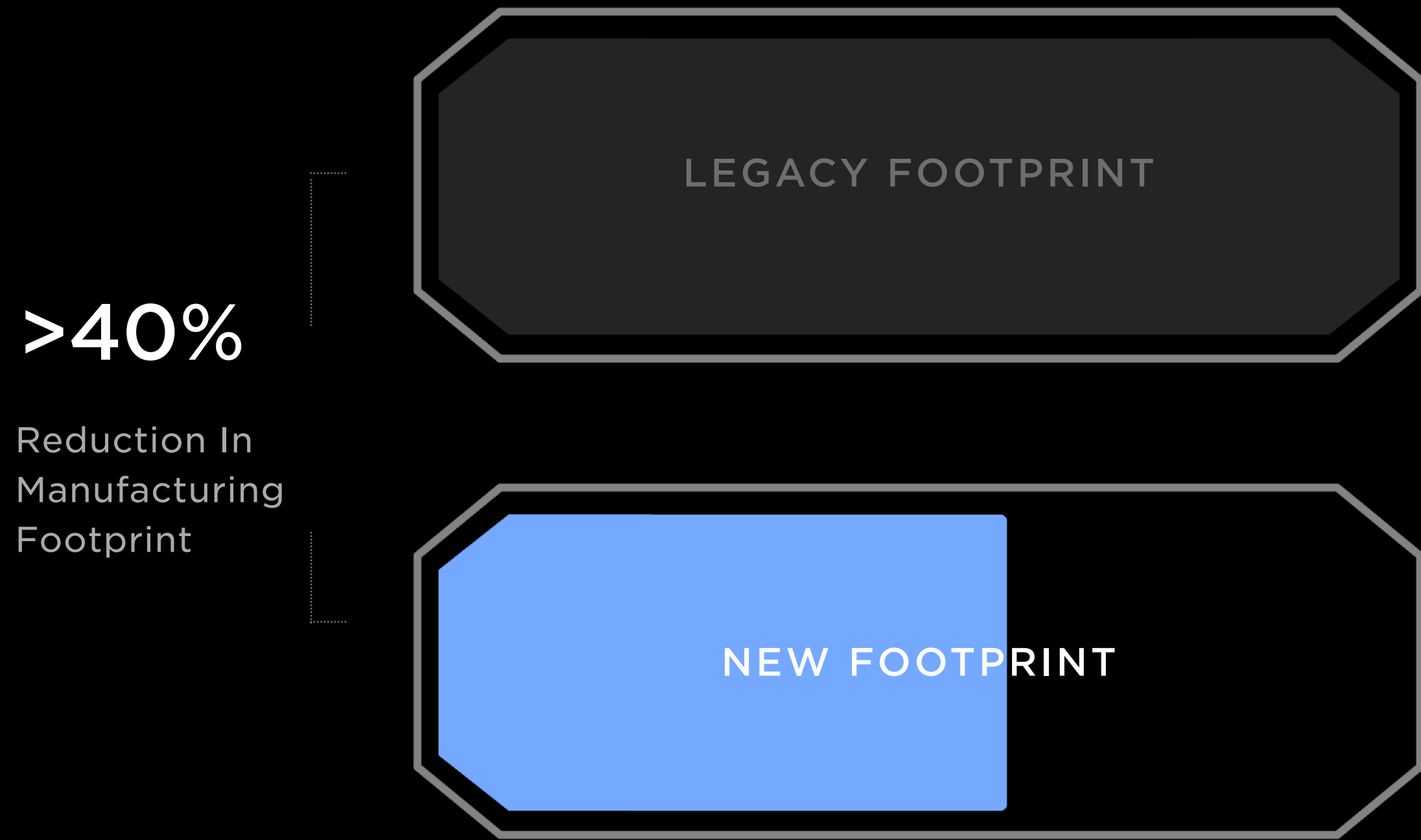
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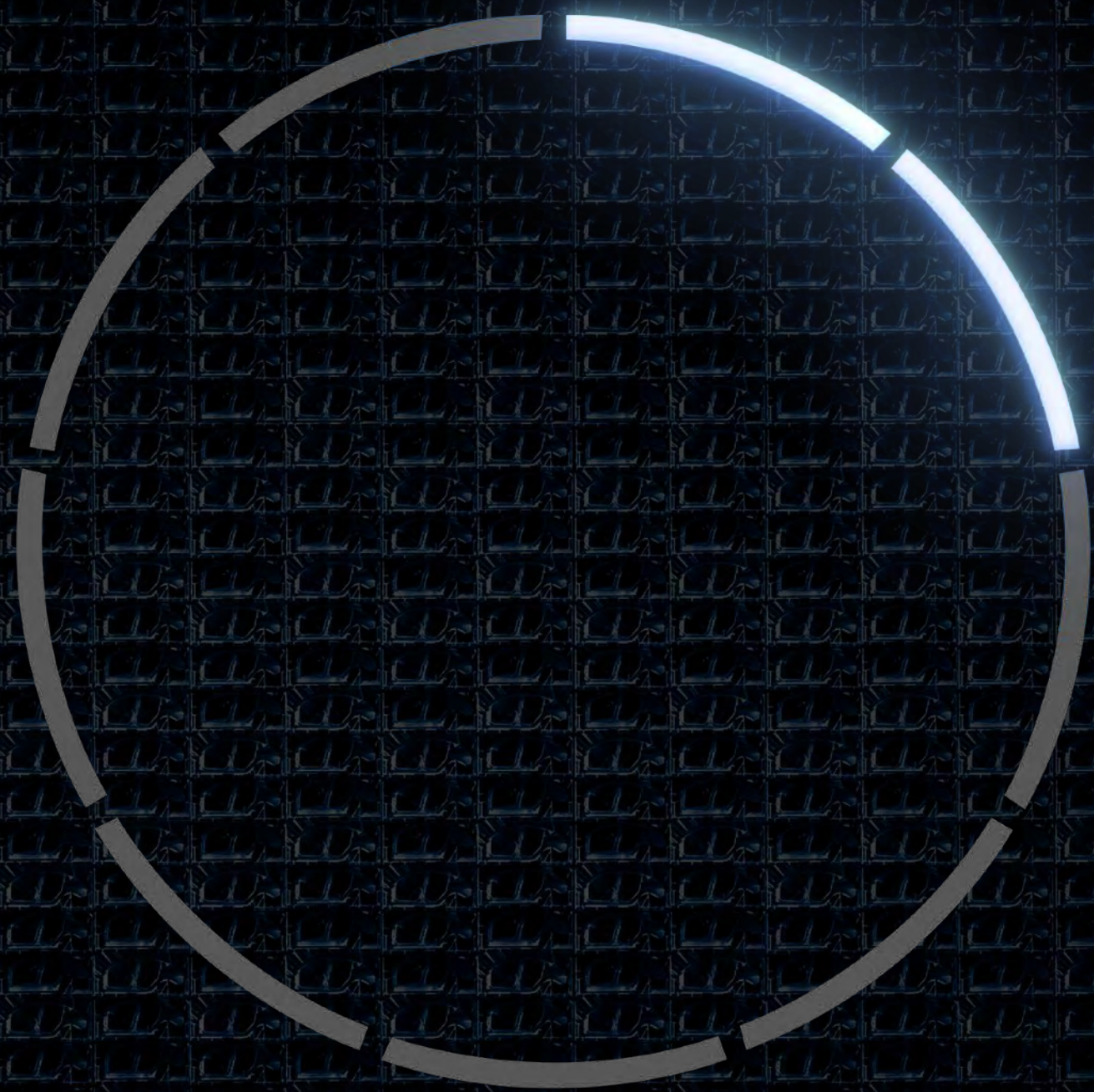


# Unboxed Process



# Next Generation Vehicle Manufacturing Efficiencies





## 02 Powertrain

Colin Campbell



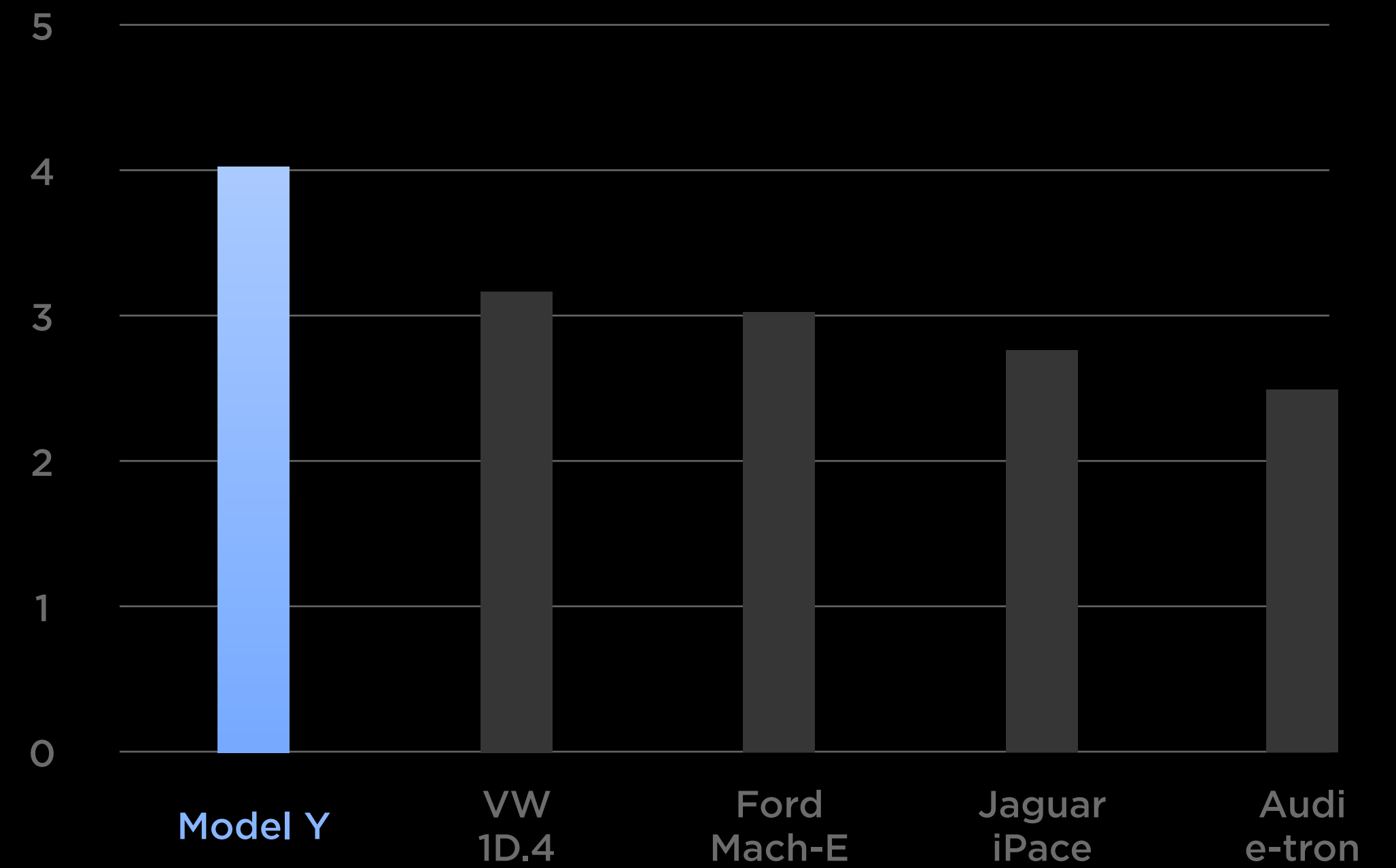
Faster Than a Porsche, More Efficient Than a Prius



# Relentless Focus on Efficiency



Small SUVs (AWD)  
EPA Range in Miles/kWh



Source: OEM Websites & Other Publicly Available Sources

# Efficiency Helps Us Scale

MODEL 3 POWERTRAIN FROM 2017-2022



**20%**

Lighter  
Drive Unit

**25%**

Less Rare  
Earth Materials

**75%**

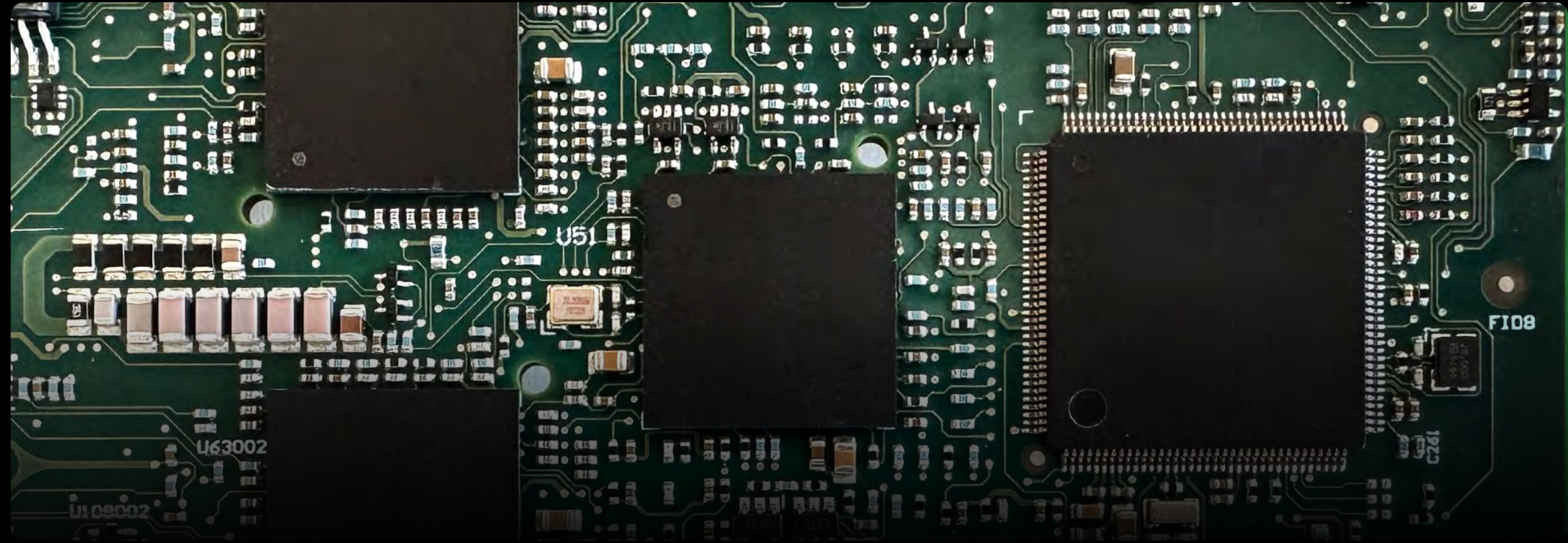
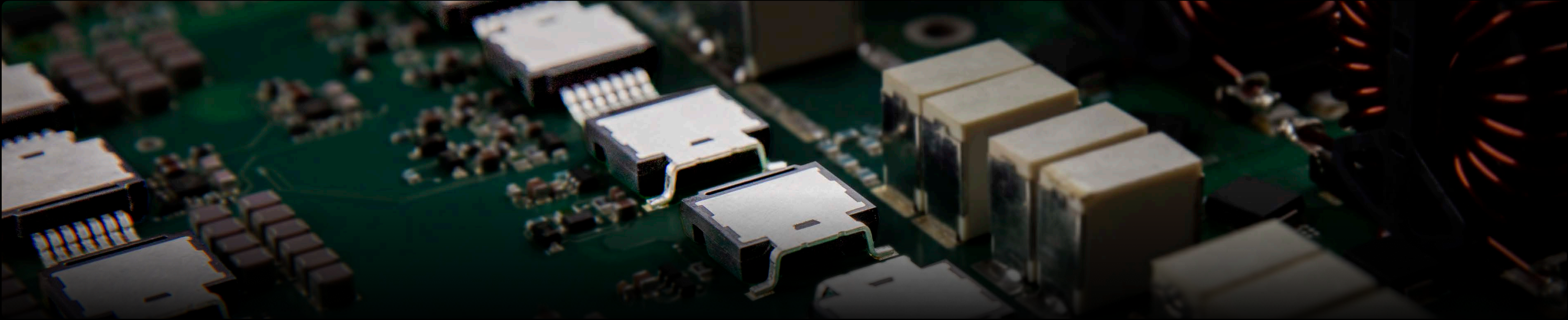
Smaller Powertrain  
Factory

**65%**

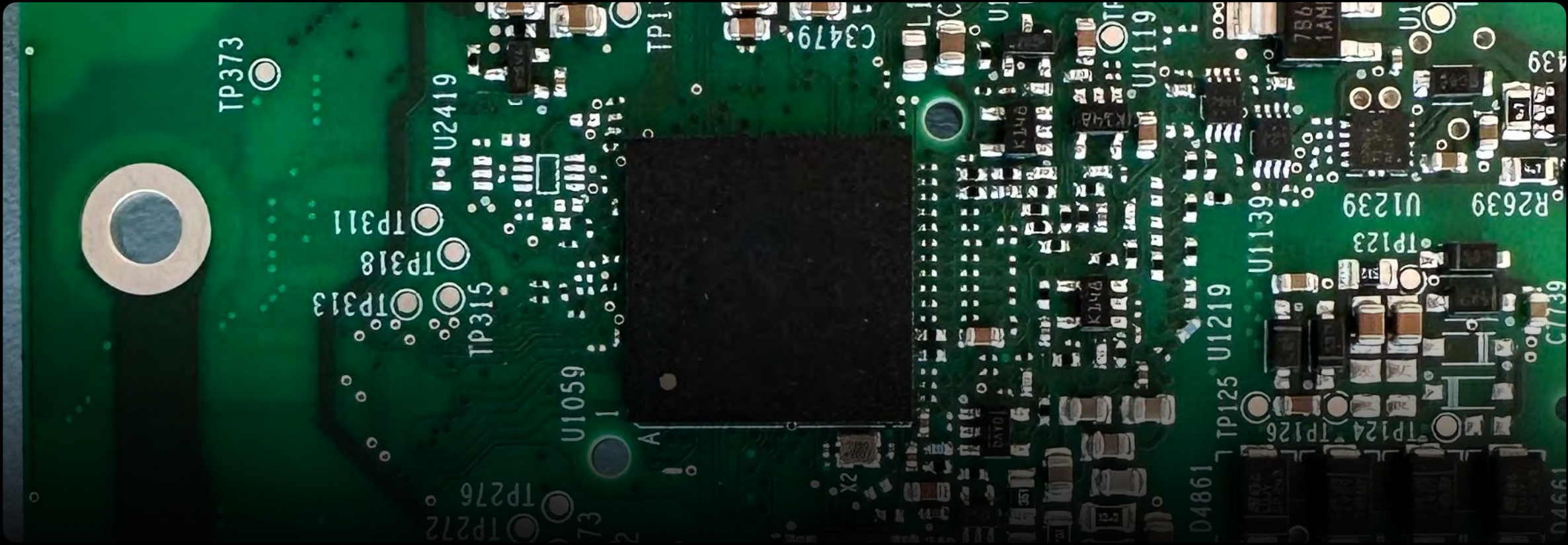
Cheaper Powertrain  
Factory

# The Key: Holistic Thinking

# Custom Designed Packages & Microprocessors for Power Electronics



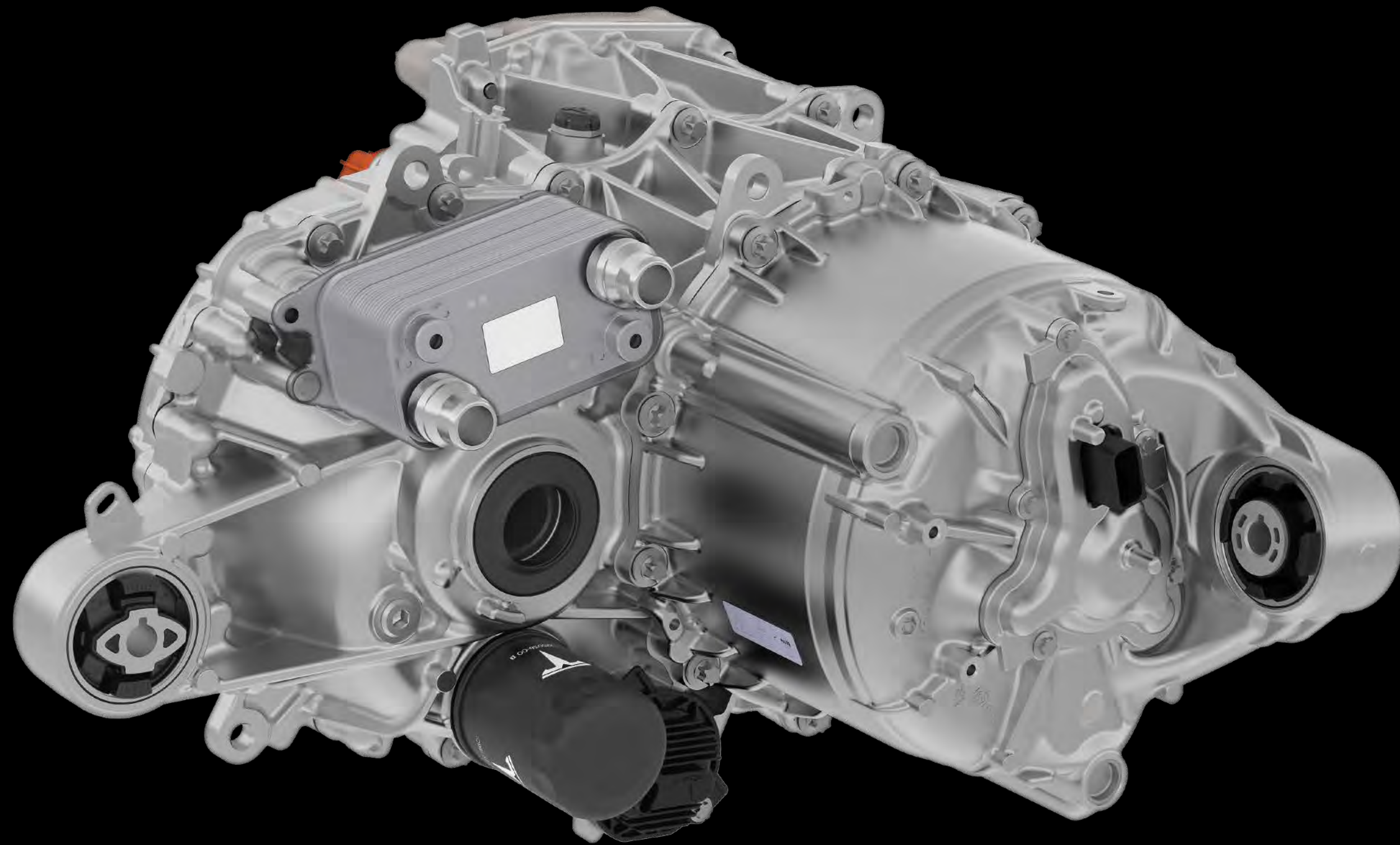
BEFORE



AFTER

# Powerful In-House Software

KEY SIMULATION TOOLS DEVELOPED BY TESLA



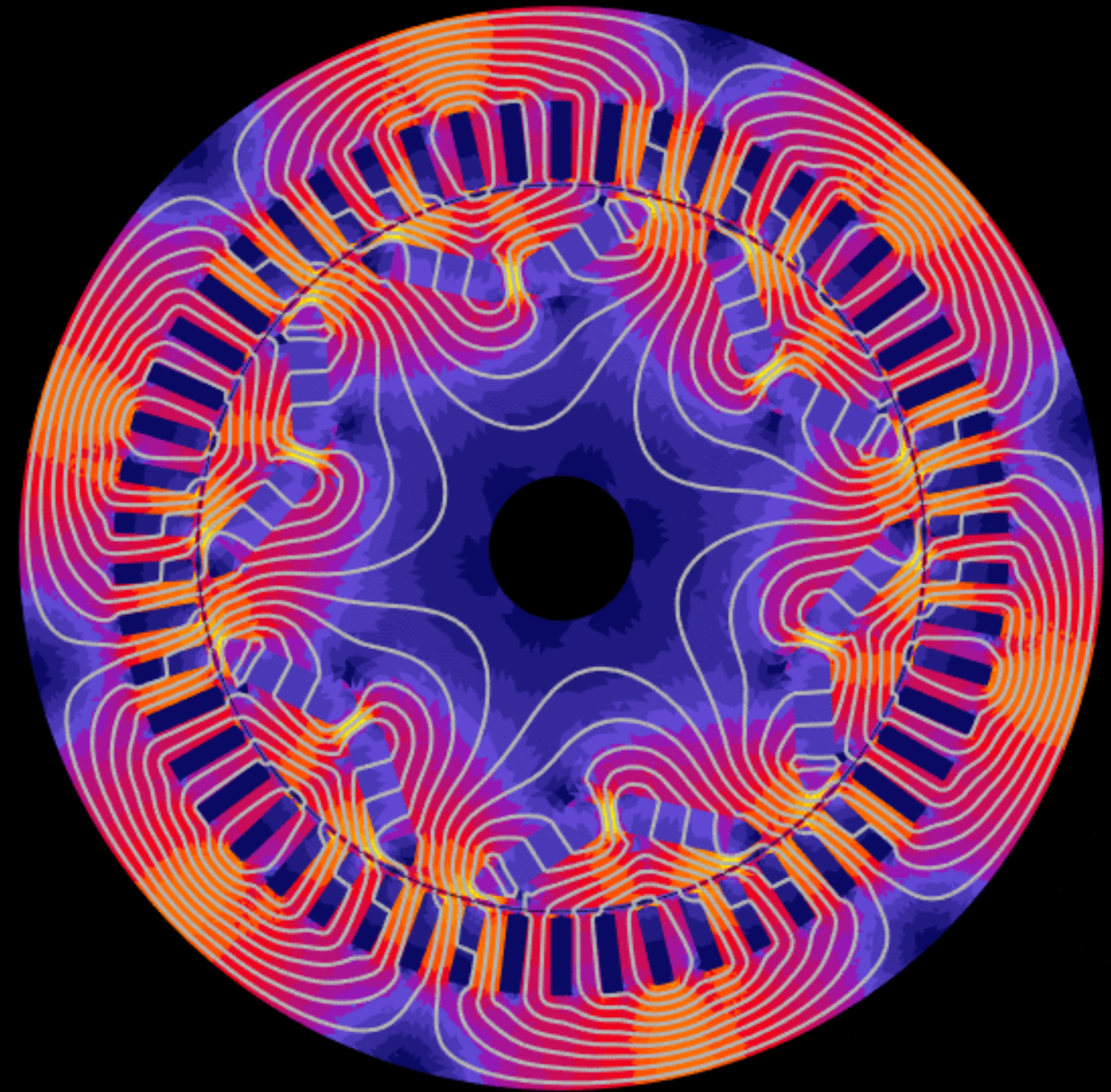
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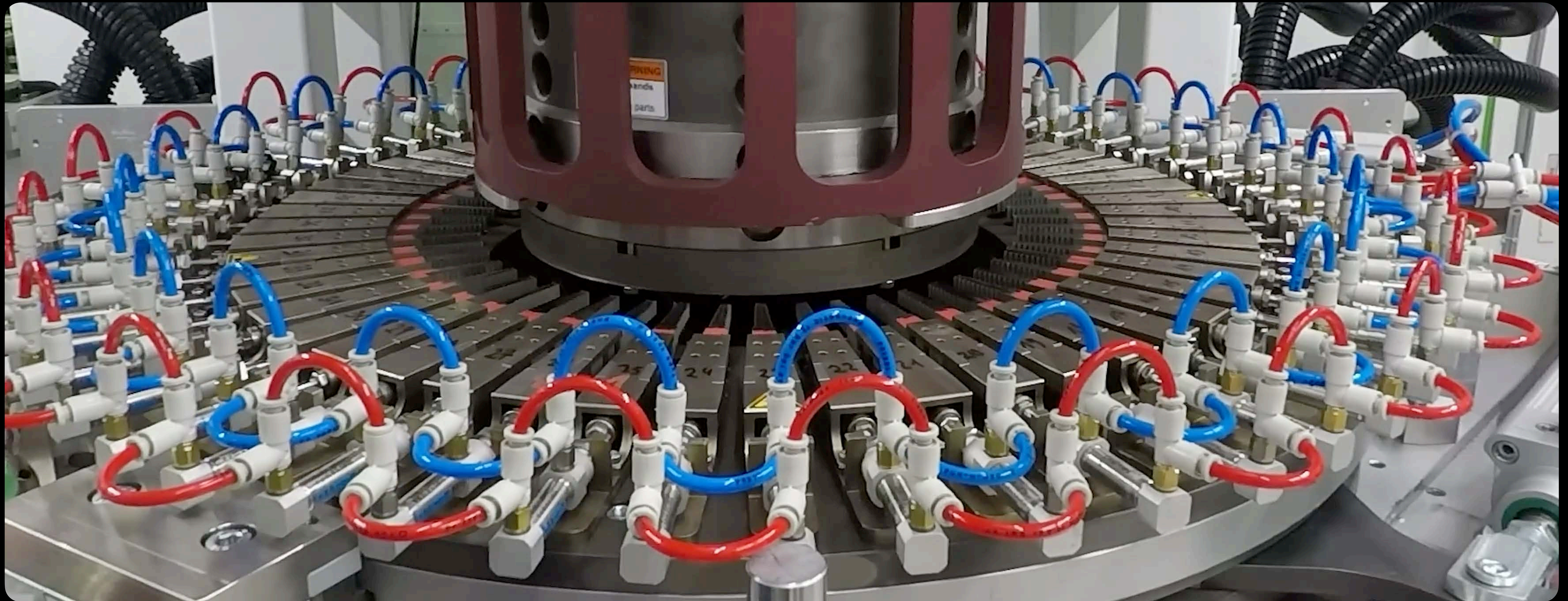
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# In-House Manufacturing Line & Automation Design



# Our Next Drive Unit Will Be Even More Scalable



**75%**

Reduction In  
Silicon Carbide

**ANY**

Battery Chemistry  
Accepted

**50%**

Reduction In  
Factory Footprint

**~\$1,000**

All-In Cost

# Rare Earths Required

MODEL Y



**~500g**

Rare Earth 1

**~10g**

Rare Earth 2

**~10g**

Rare Earth 3

# Rare Earths Required

NEXT GENERATION PERMANENT MAGNET MOTOR



0g

Rare Earth 1

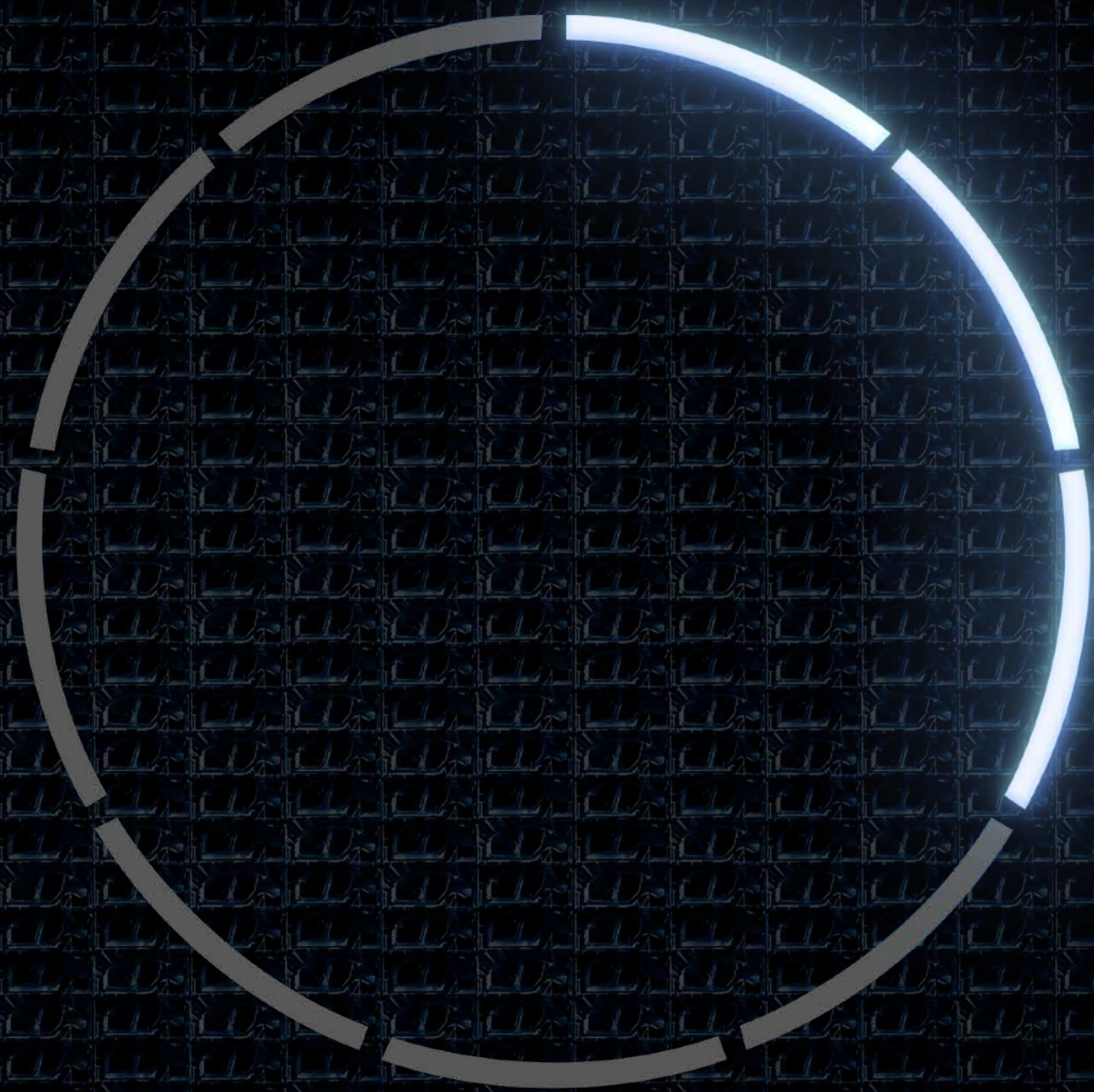
0g

Rare Earth 2

0g

Rare Earth 3

Lower Cost & Higher Efficiency Drive Units Using Zero Rare Earths

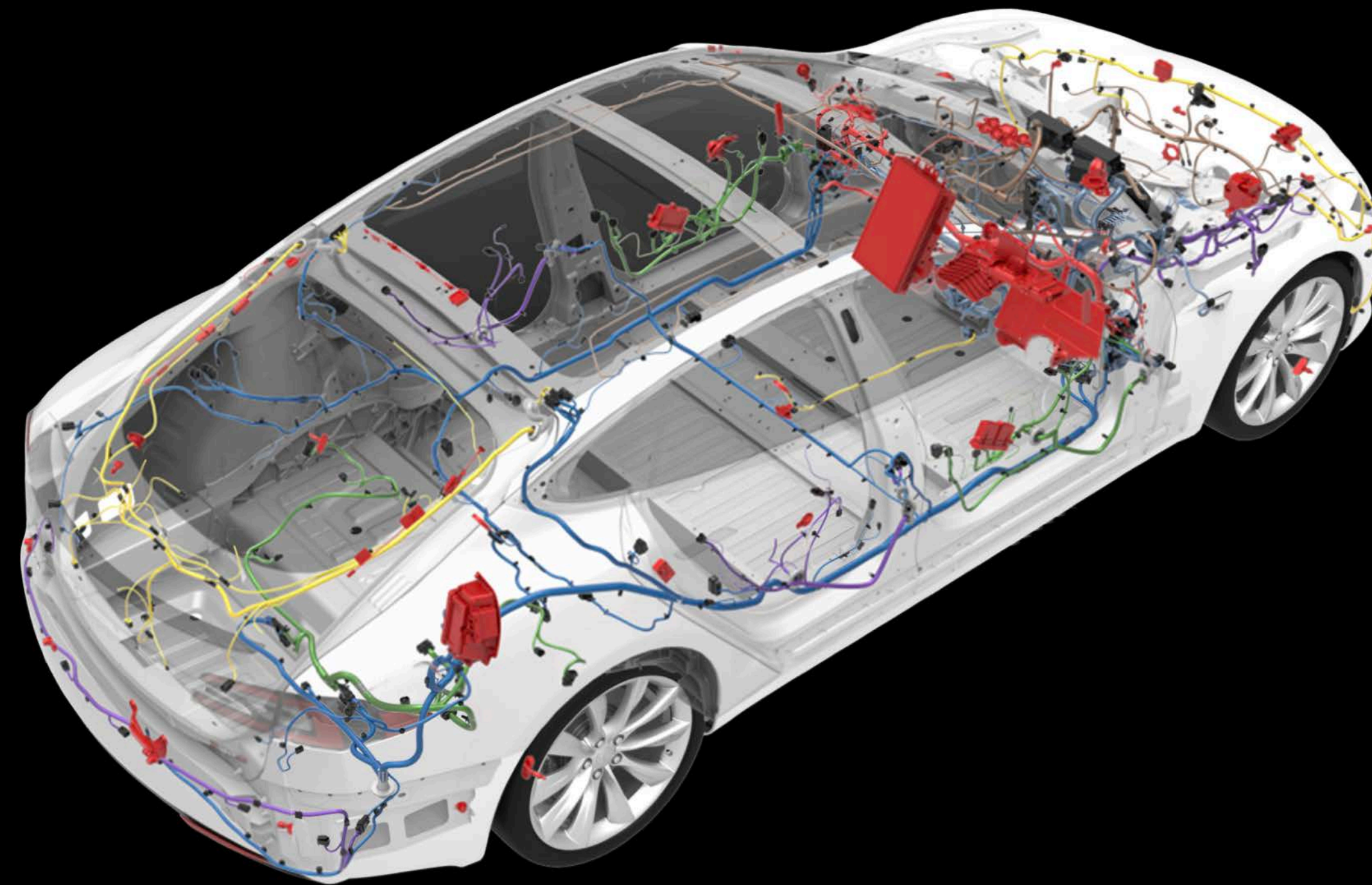


## 03 Electronic Architecture

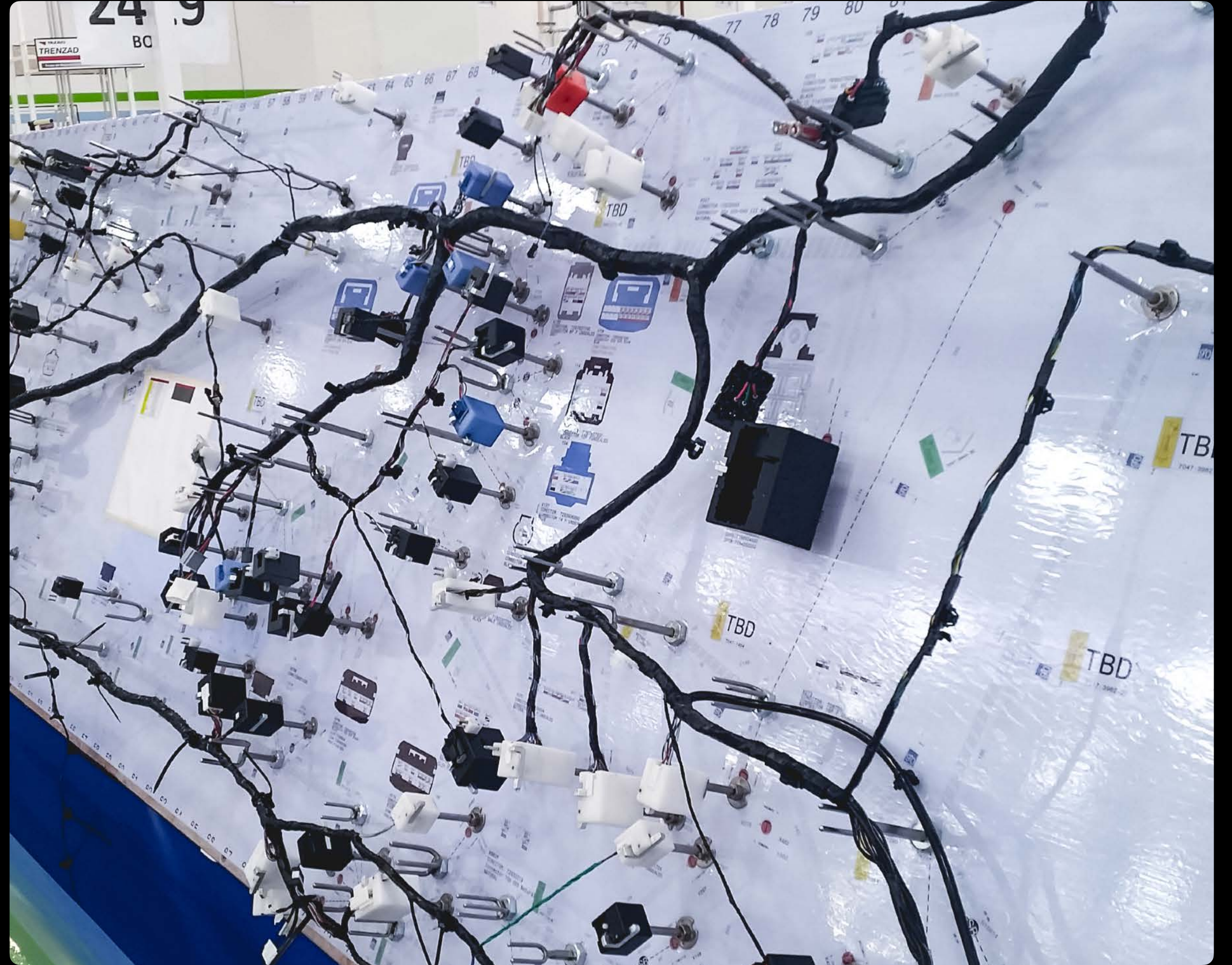
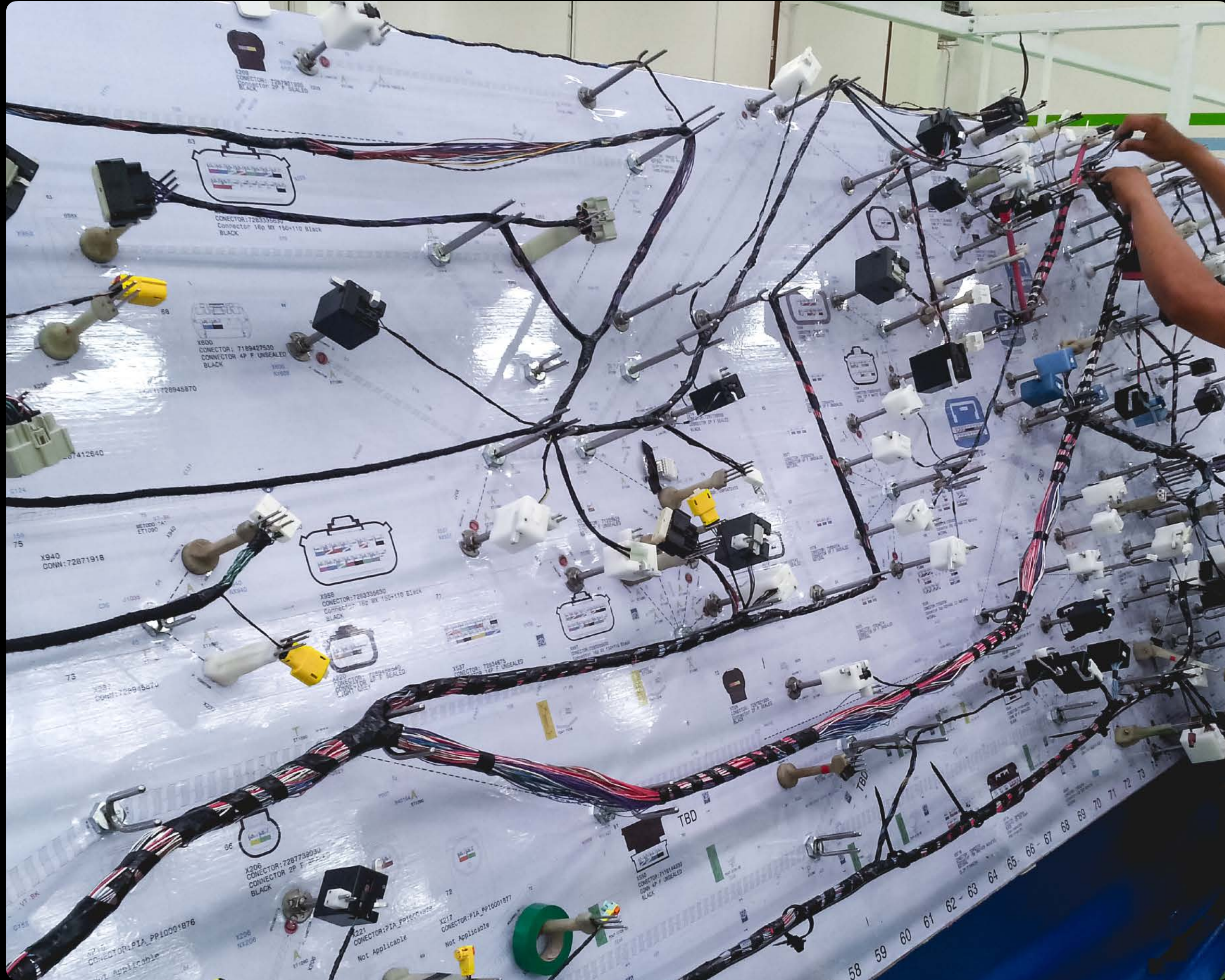
Pete Bannon

# Model S 2012

COMPLEX LOW VOLTAGE ARCHITECTURE



# It's Been Messy

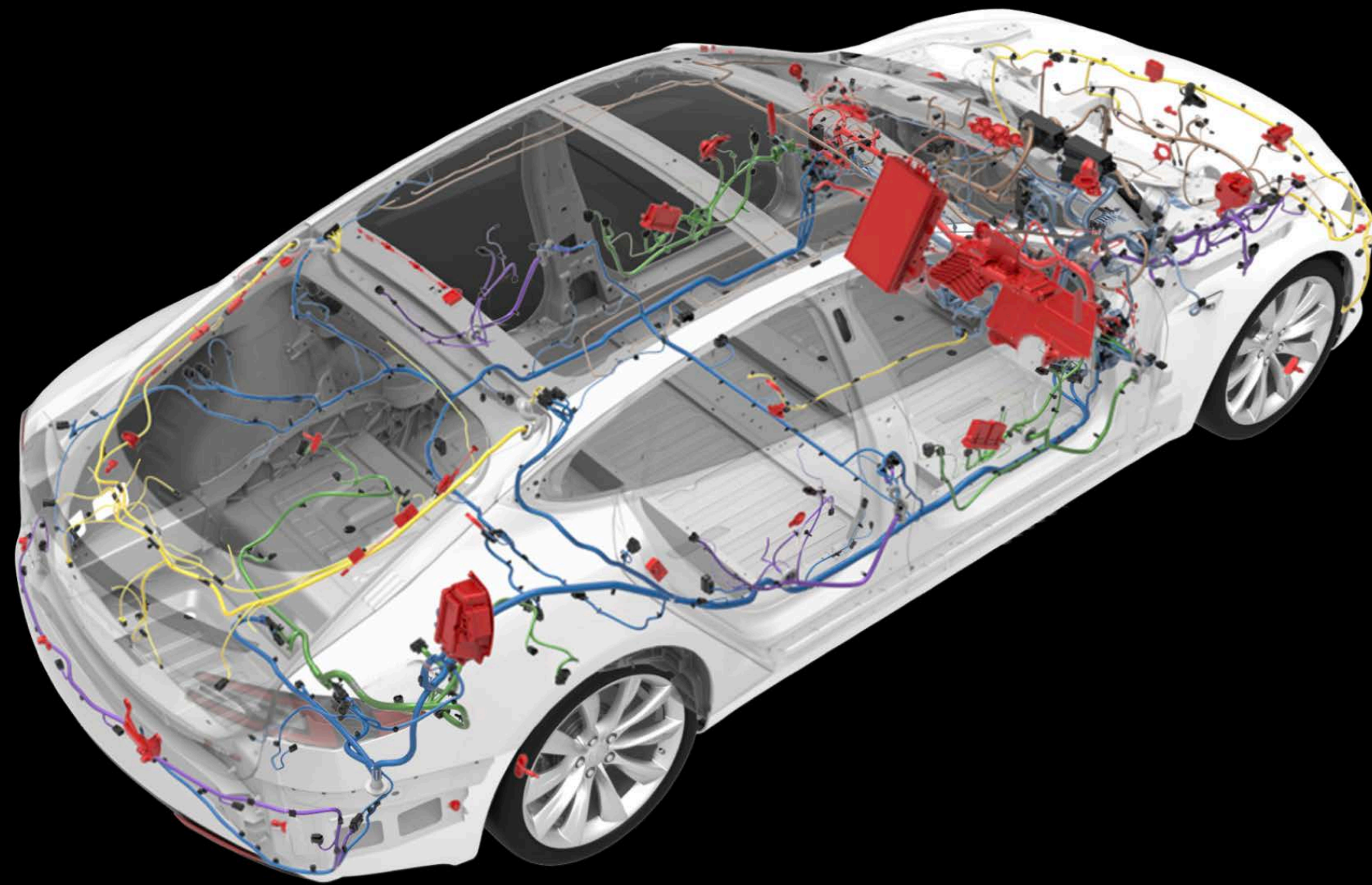


# Progress So Far

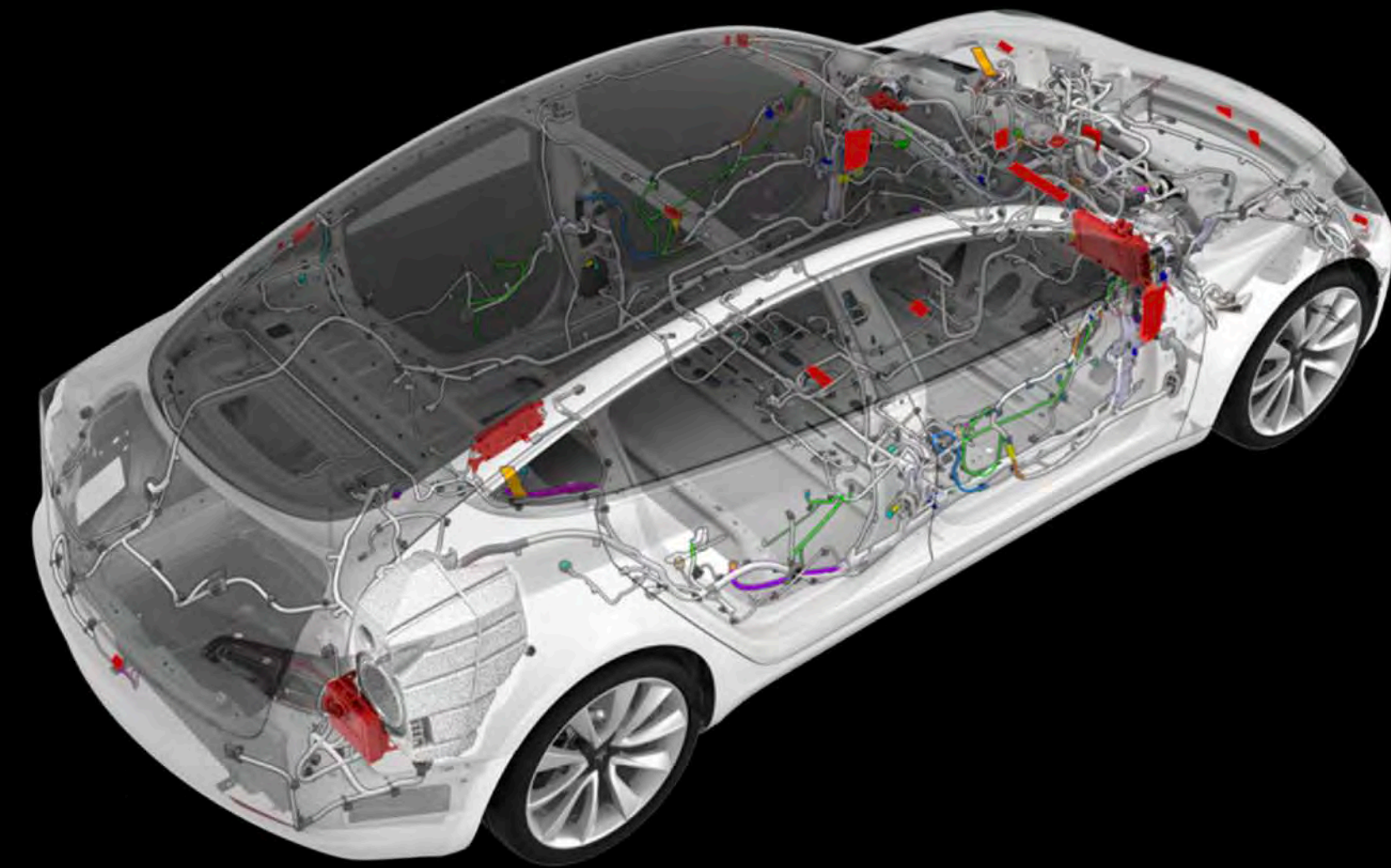


# From Model S to Model 3

IMPROVED LOW VOLTAGE ARCHITECTURE



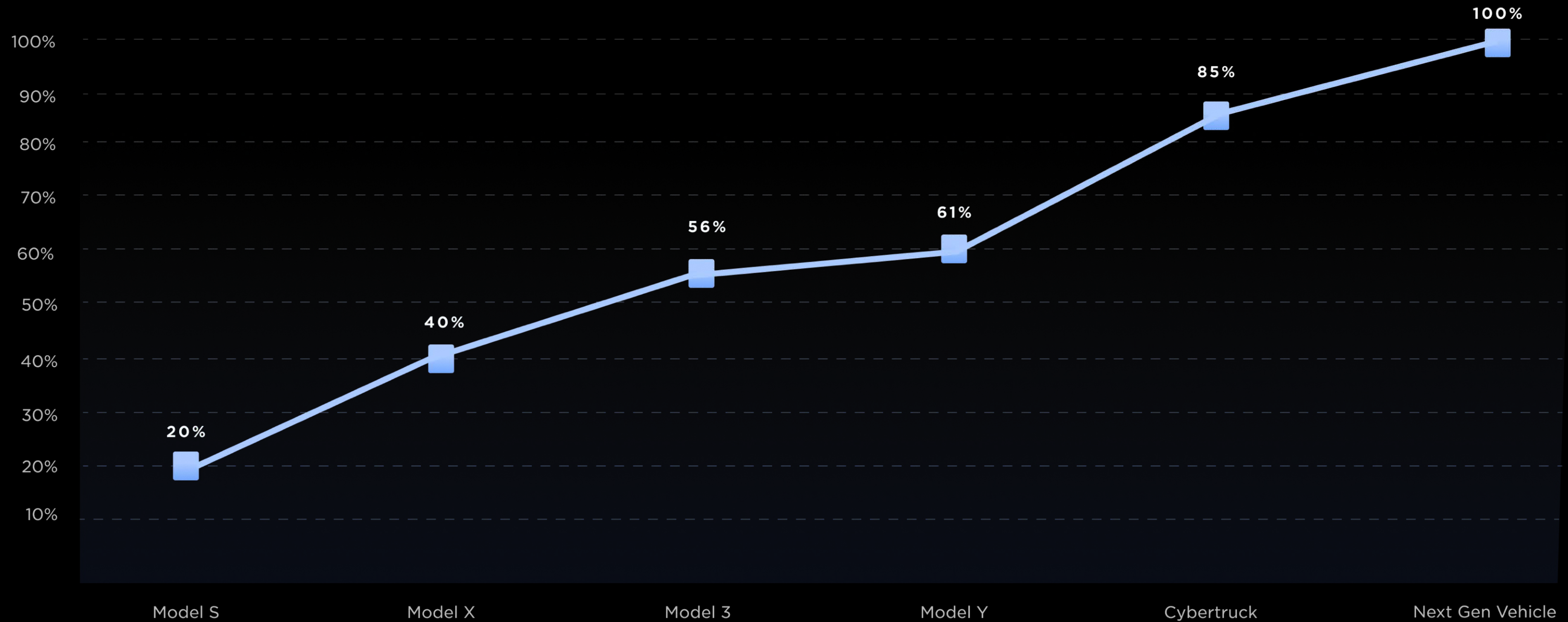
MODEL S



MODEL 3

# Designed Our Own Controllers, With More To Come

## % OF TESLA-DESIGNED CONTROLLERS



# Switched From Fuse & Relay to Electronic Fuses

METRIC

FUSE + RELAY

E-FUSE

FAULT REACTION TIME

SECONDS

< 1 MILLISECOND

MOVING PARTS

YES (RELAYS)

NO (SOLID STATE FETs)

CONTROL & DIAGNOSTICS

COARSE

GRANULAR

FIRMWARE RESETTABLE

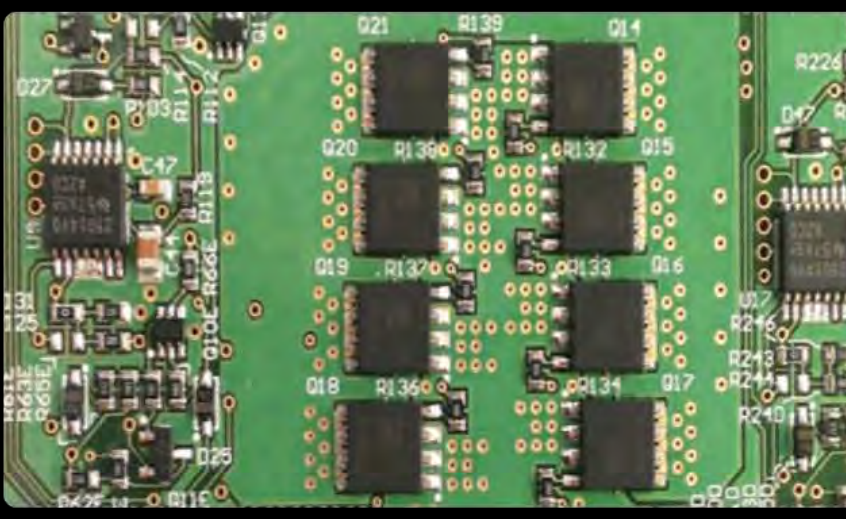
NO

YES

FUSE + RELAYS

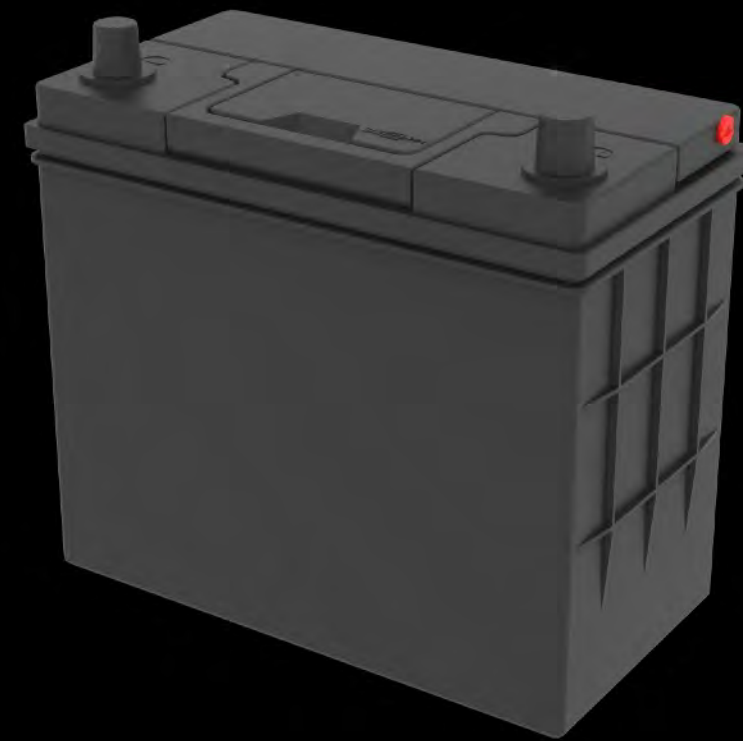


ELECTRONIC FUSES



# Replaced Lead Acid With Lithium Ion Batteries

LEAD-ACID BATTERY



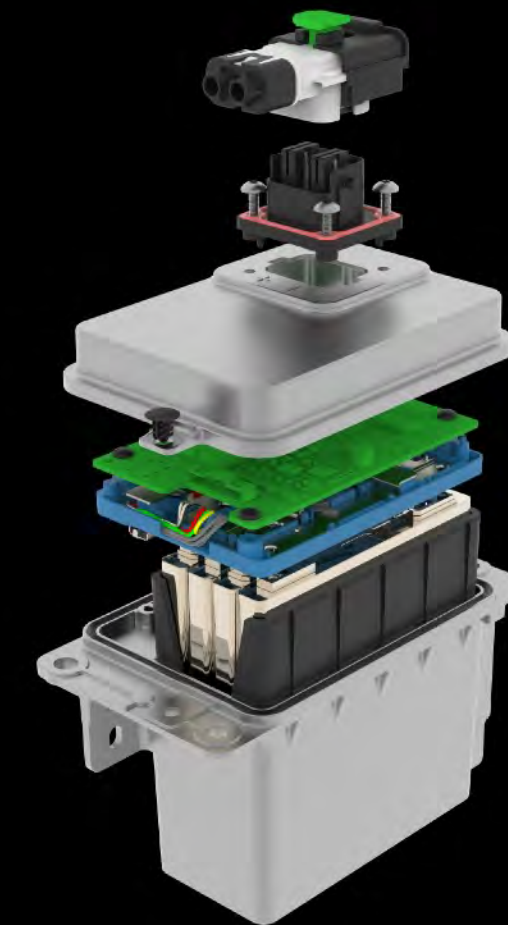
4-YEAR REPLACEMENT



87%

Mass Reduction

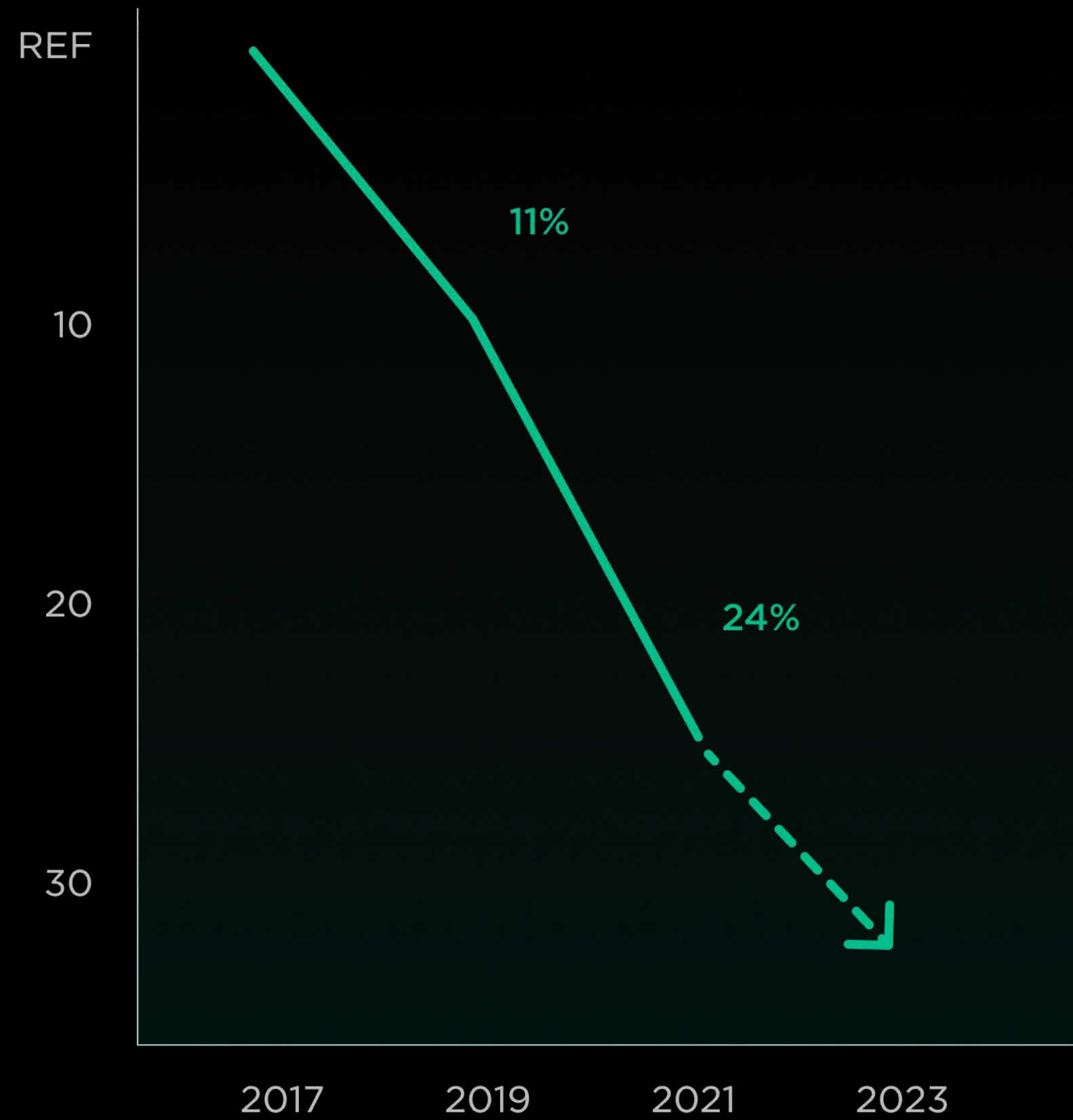
LITHIUM ION BATTERY



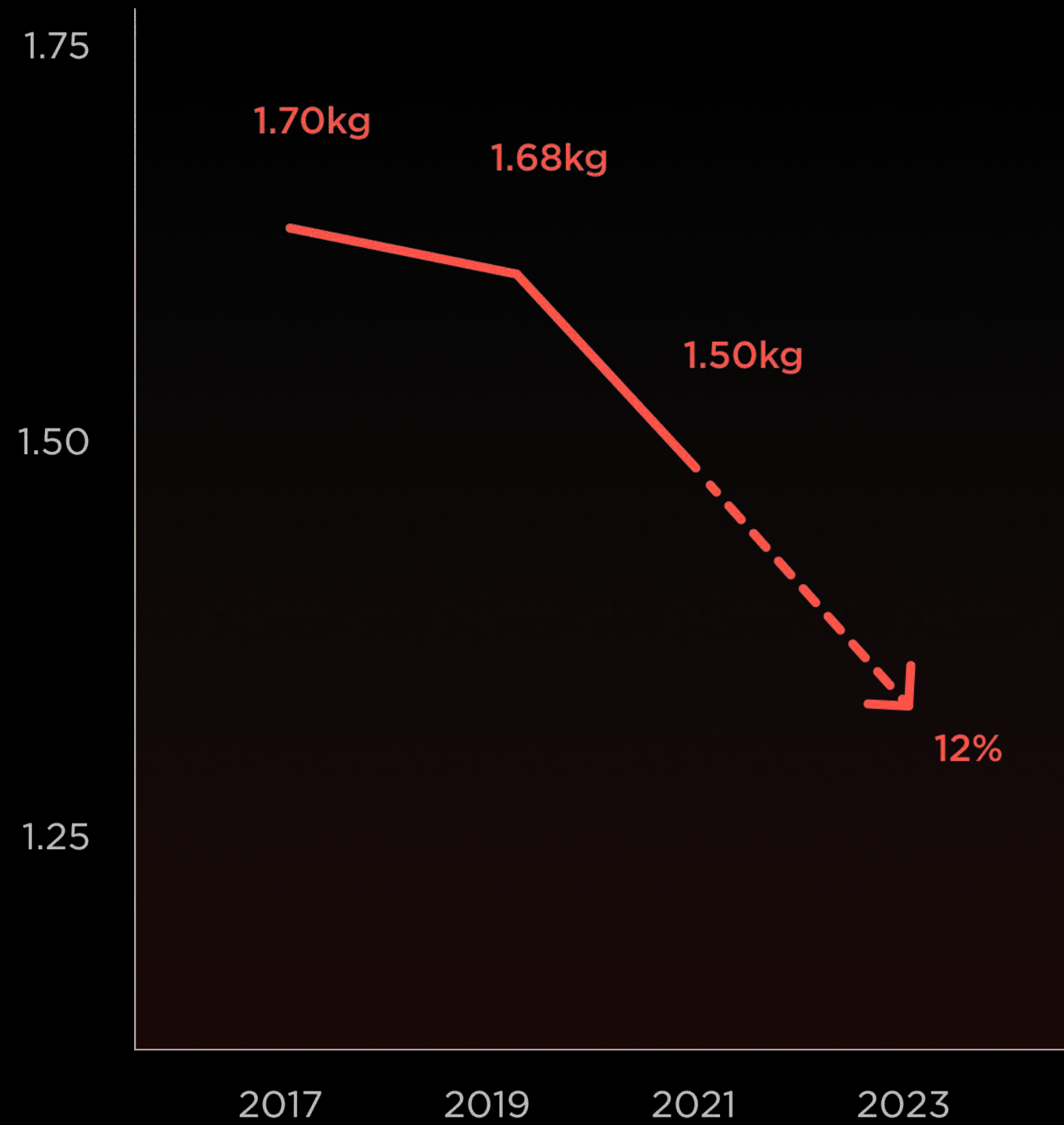
LIFETIME

# Reduced Costs of Model 3/Y Center Display

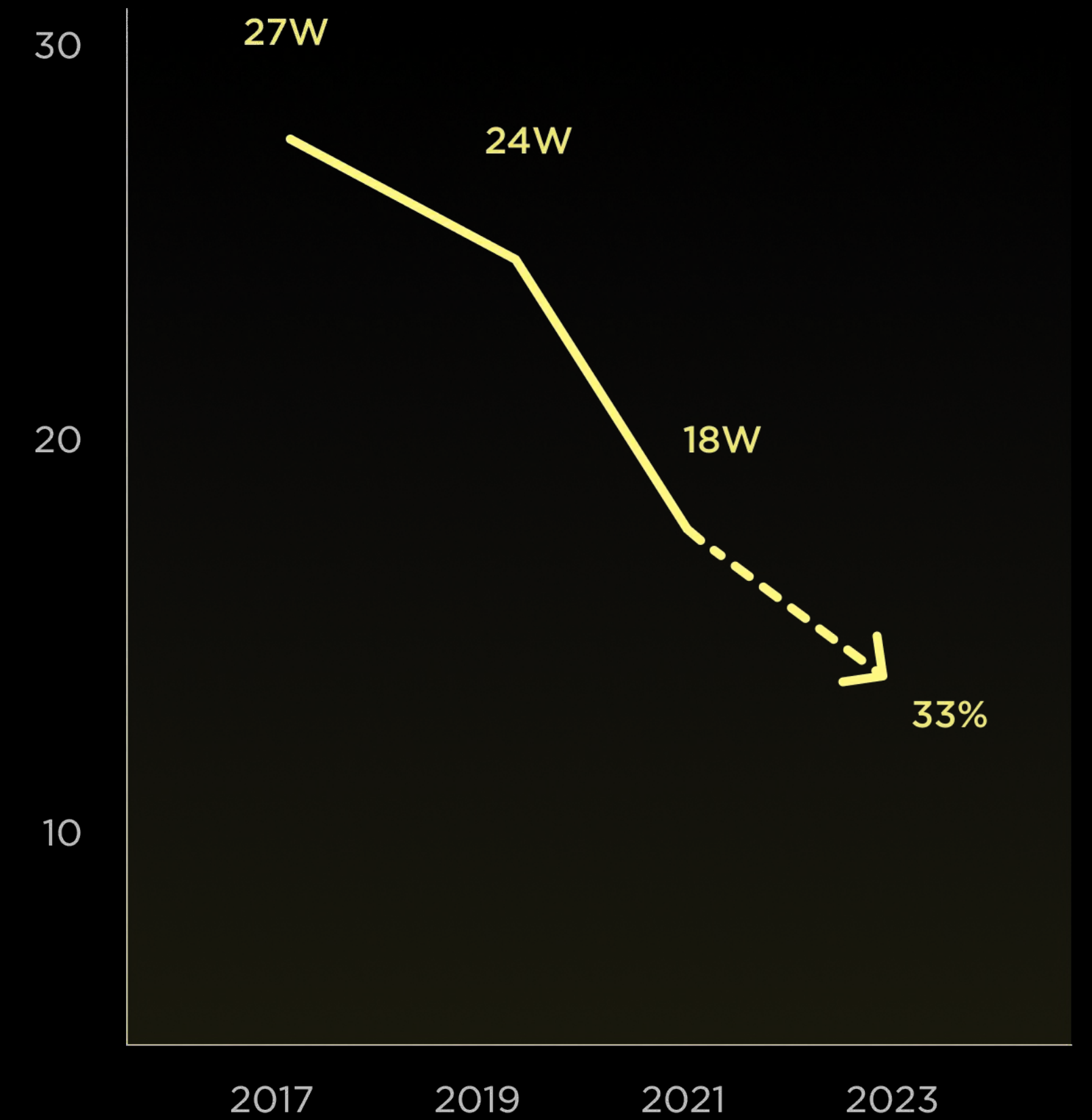
COST DOWN %



WEIGHT kg



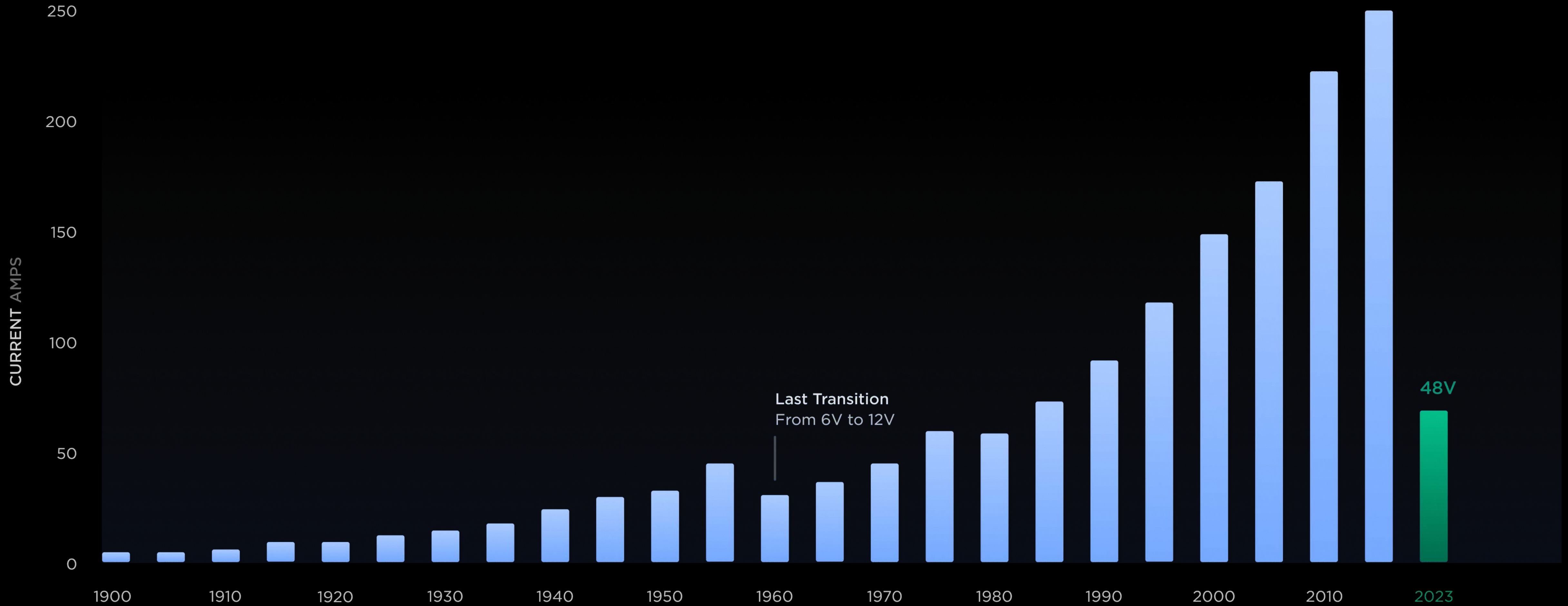
POWER W



# What's Next

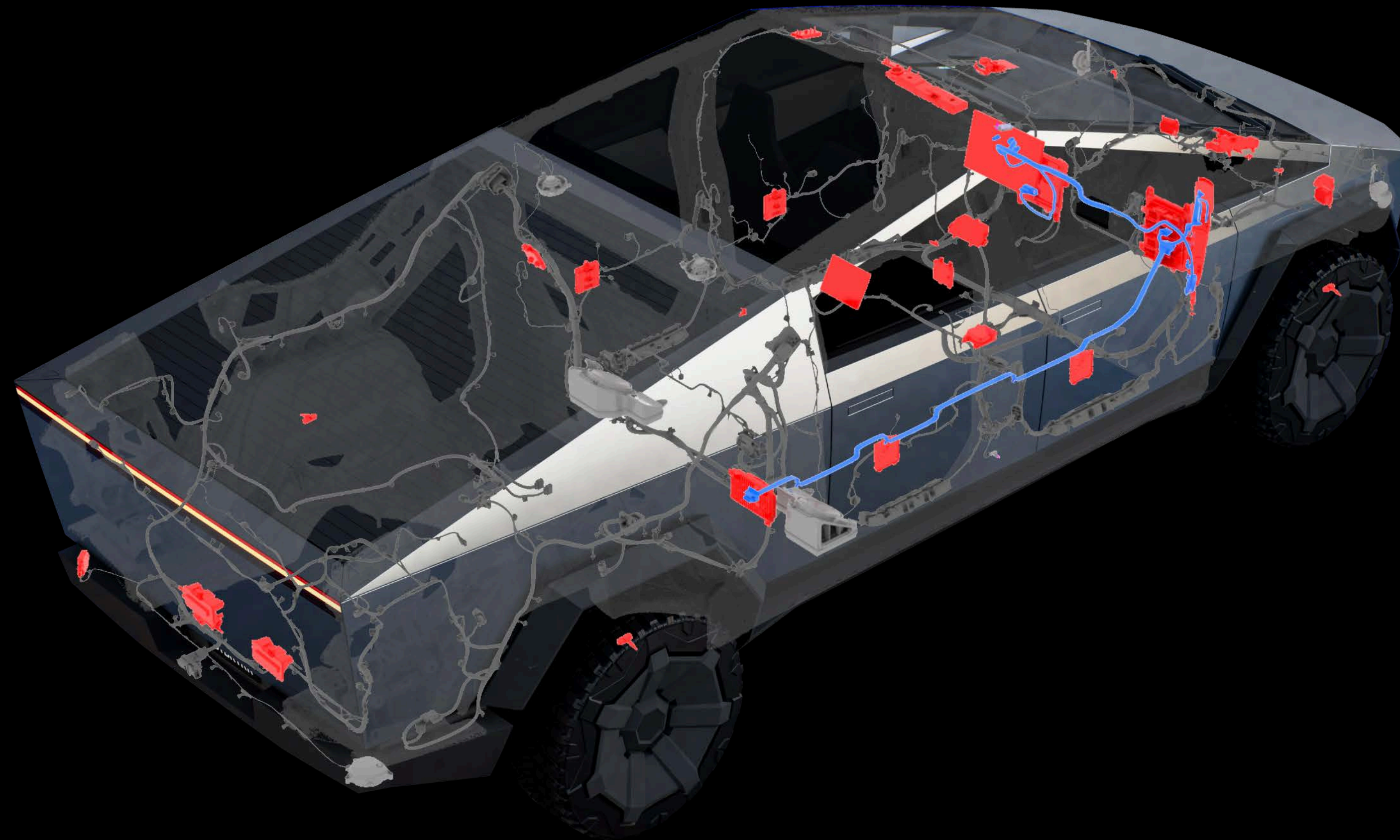
# The Future of Low Voltage Architecture

CYBERTRUCK, OPTIMUS, & FUTURE VEHICLES ALL 48V



# Cybertruck

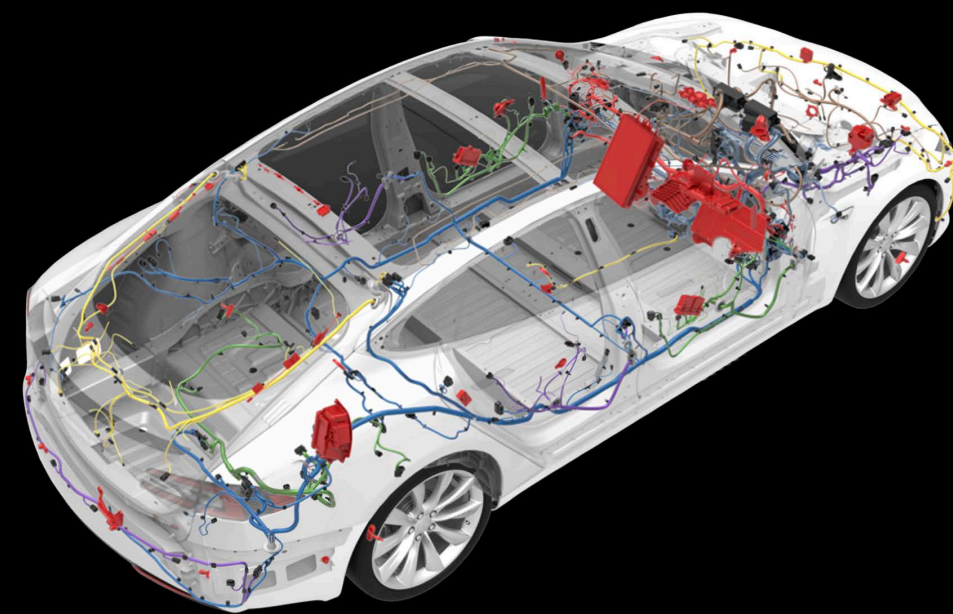
FURTHER IMPROVING LOW VOLTAGE ARCHITECTURE



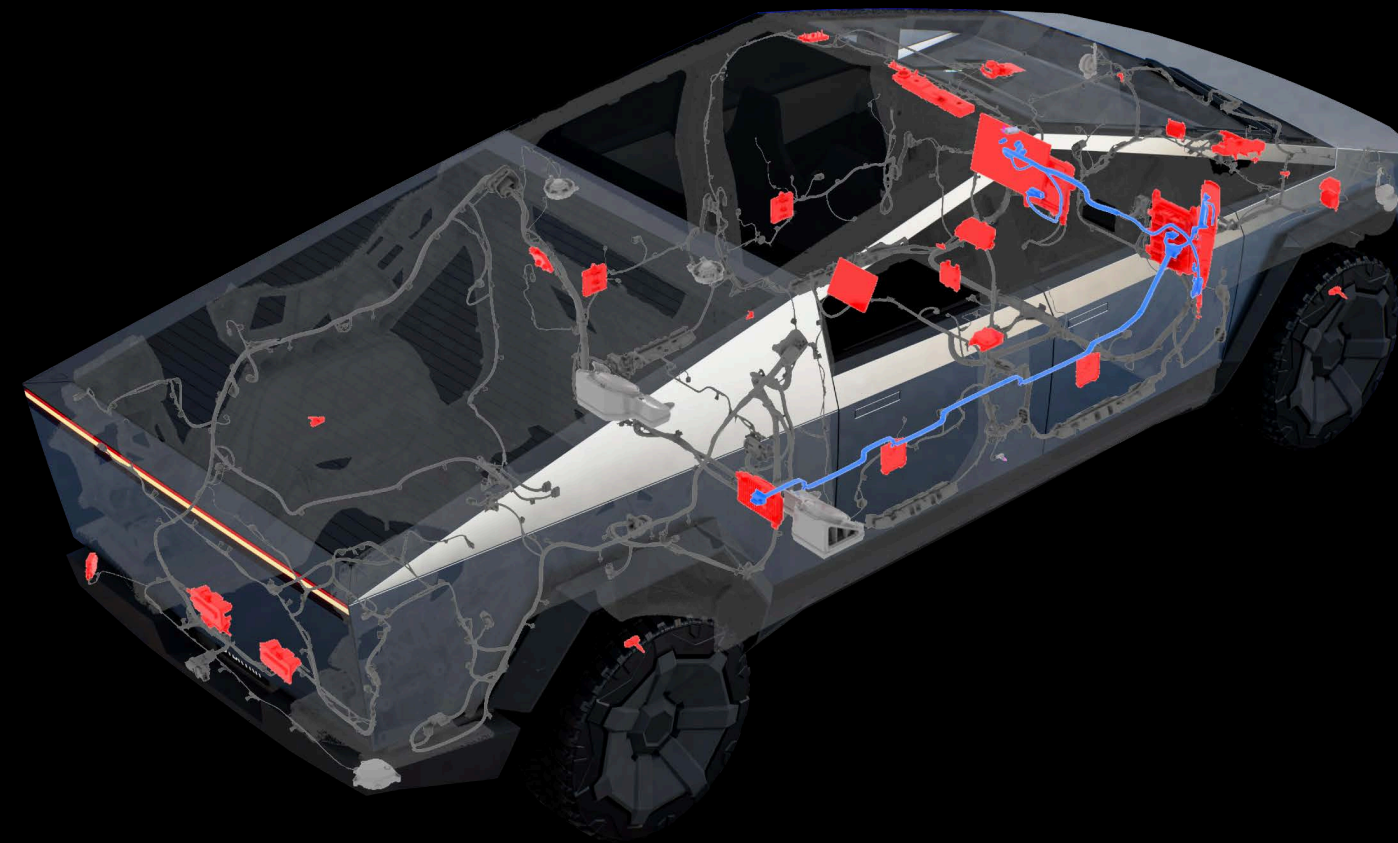


# Future of Tesla Low Voltage

2012 MODEL S



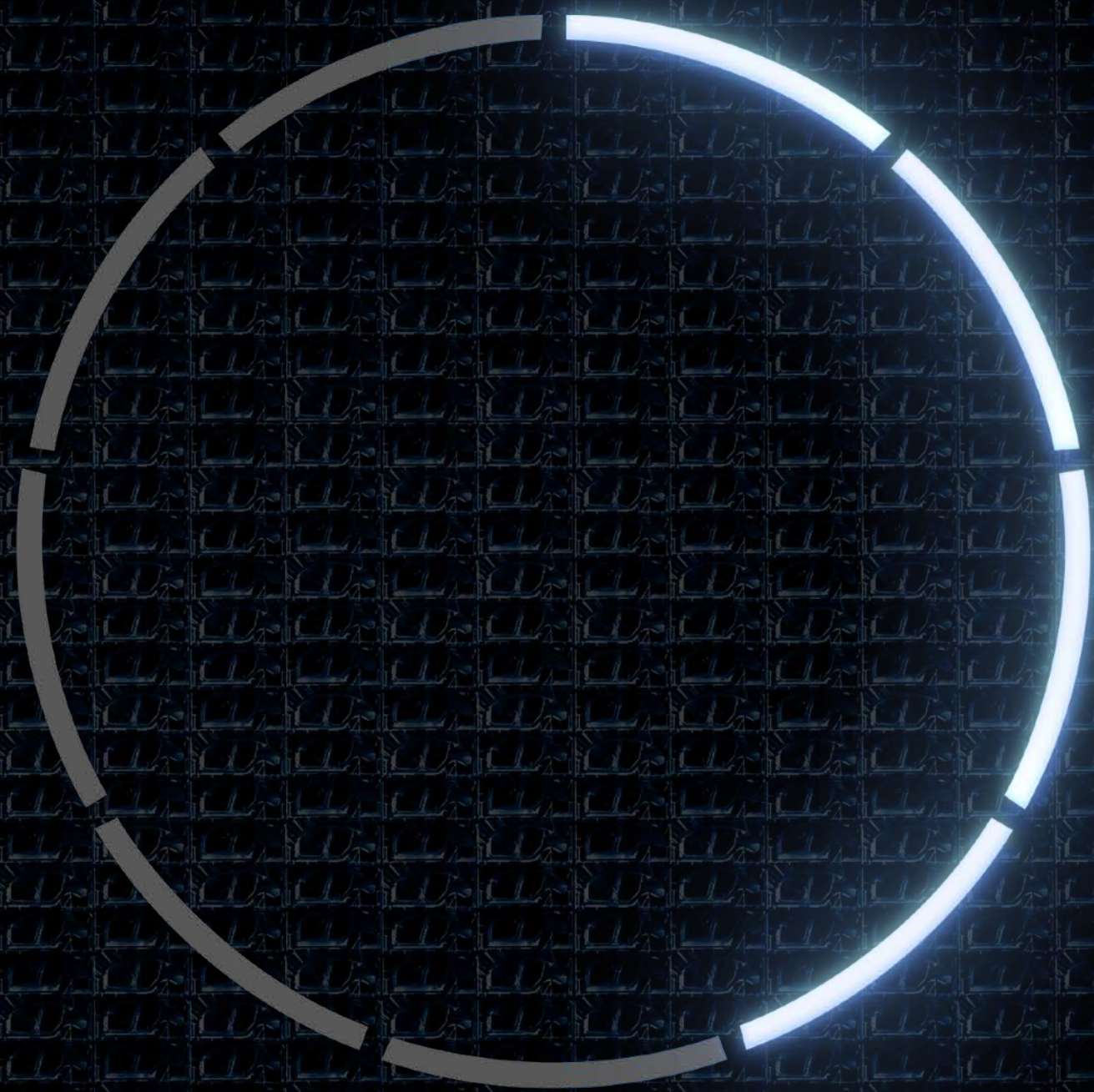
CYBERTRUCK



NEXT GENERATION VEHICLE



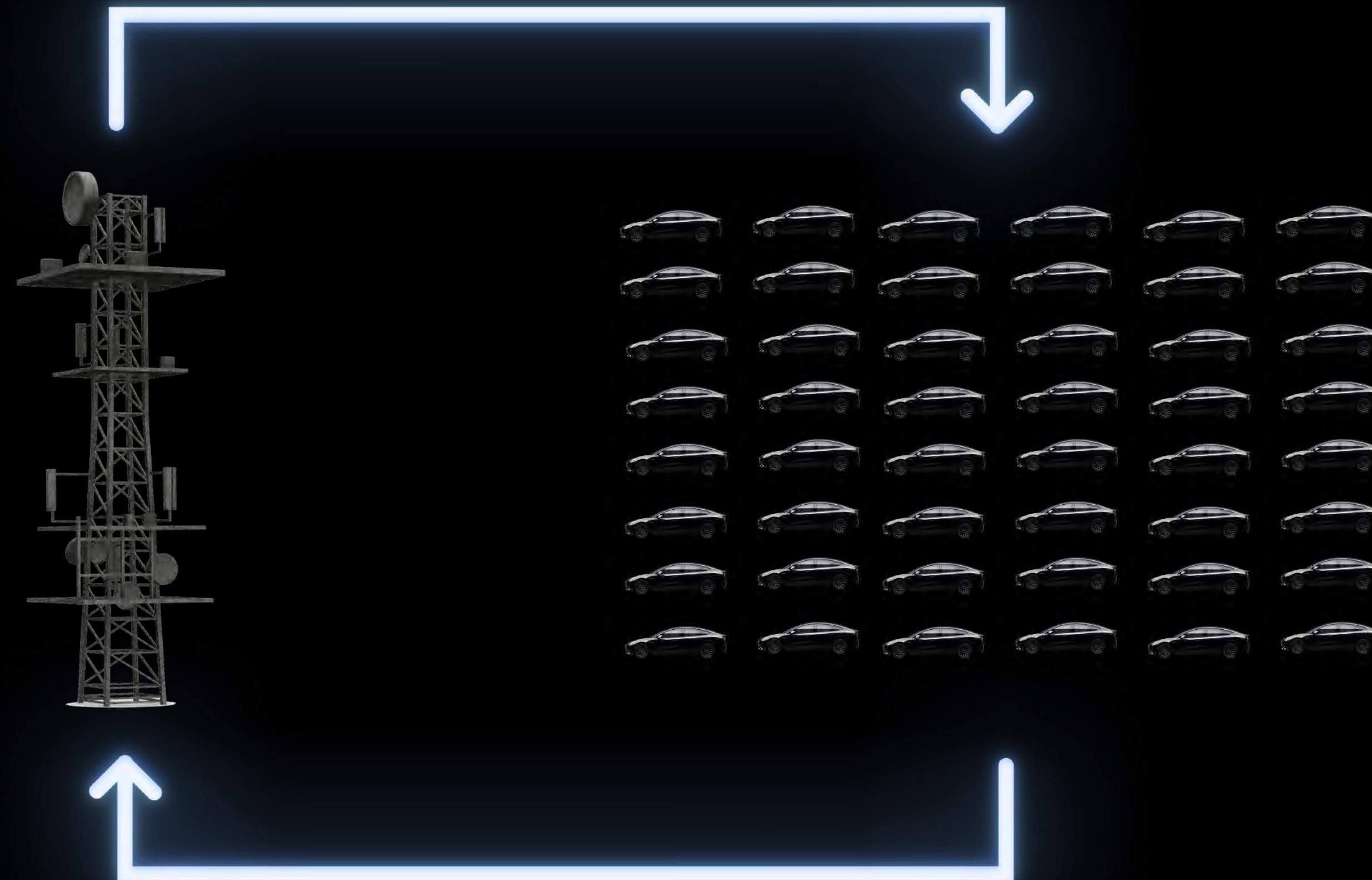
Simpler & Cheaper Electronic Architecture, With 100% of Controllers Designed In-House



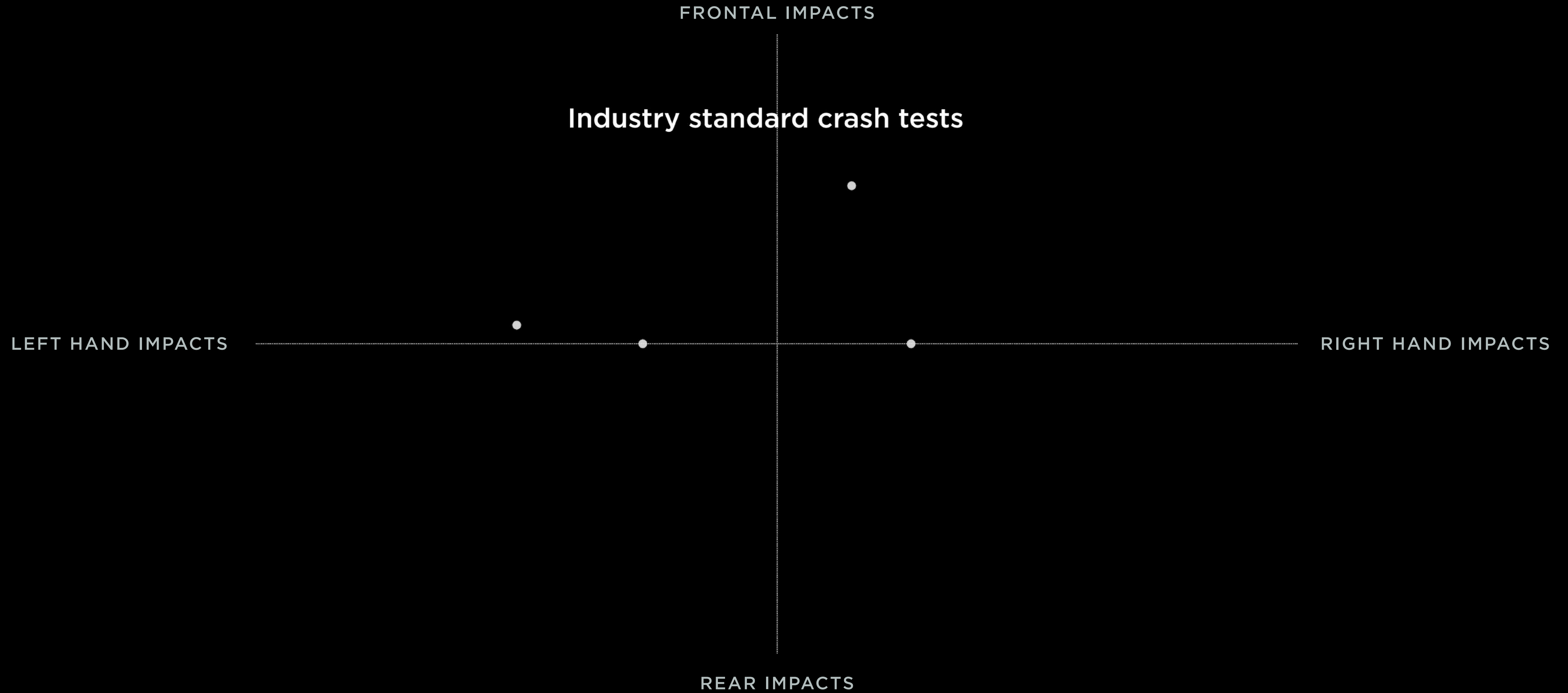
# 04 Software

David Lau

# Relentless Improvement Via Updates & Data Insights



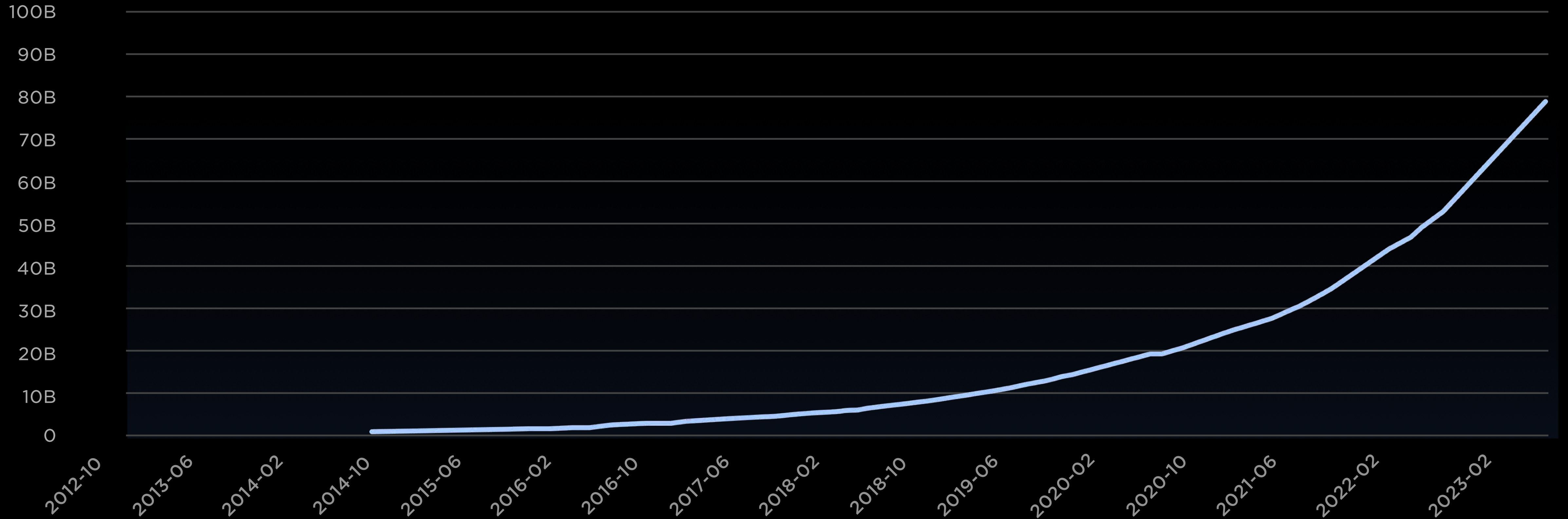
# Real World Crash Tests: Fewer Dummies, More Smarts



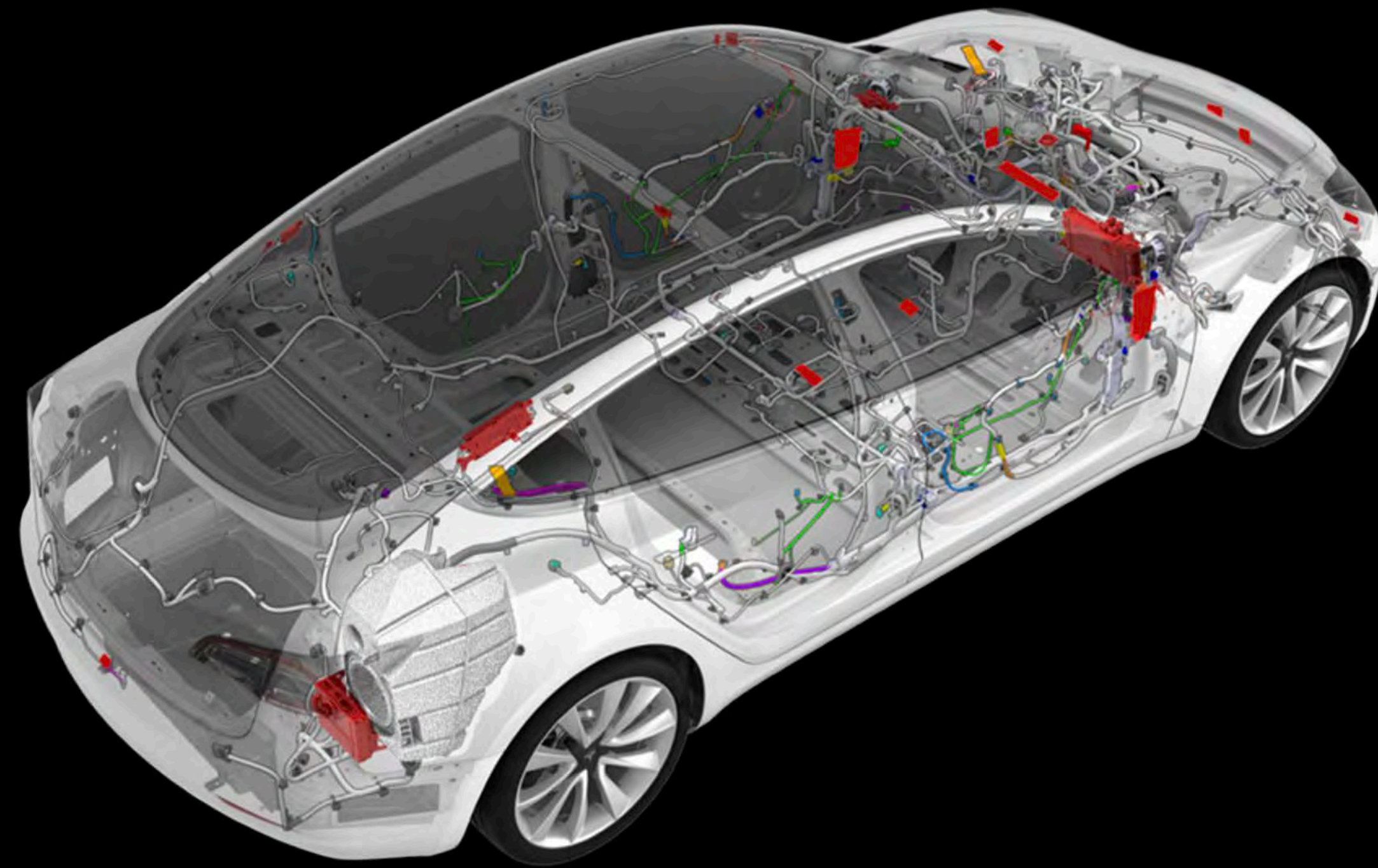
# Enabling Plaid-Speed Product Development

123M MILES DRIVEN PER DAY | 1.9M CHARGE SESSIONS EVERY DAY

Total Vehicle Miles, All Platforms

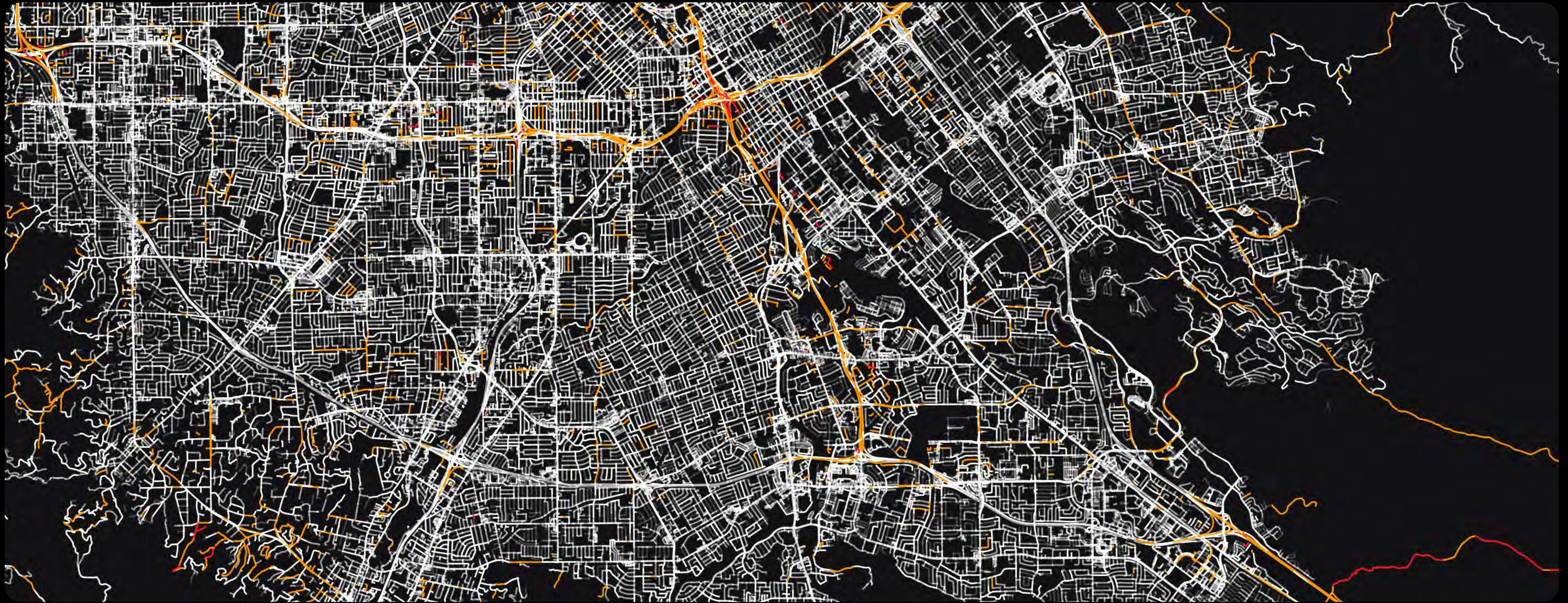


# Software That Spans the Entire System



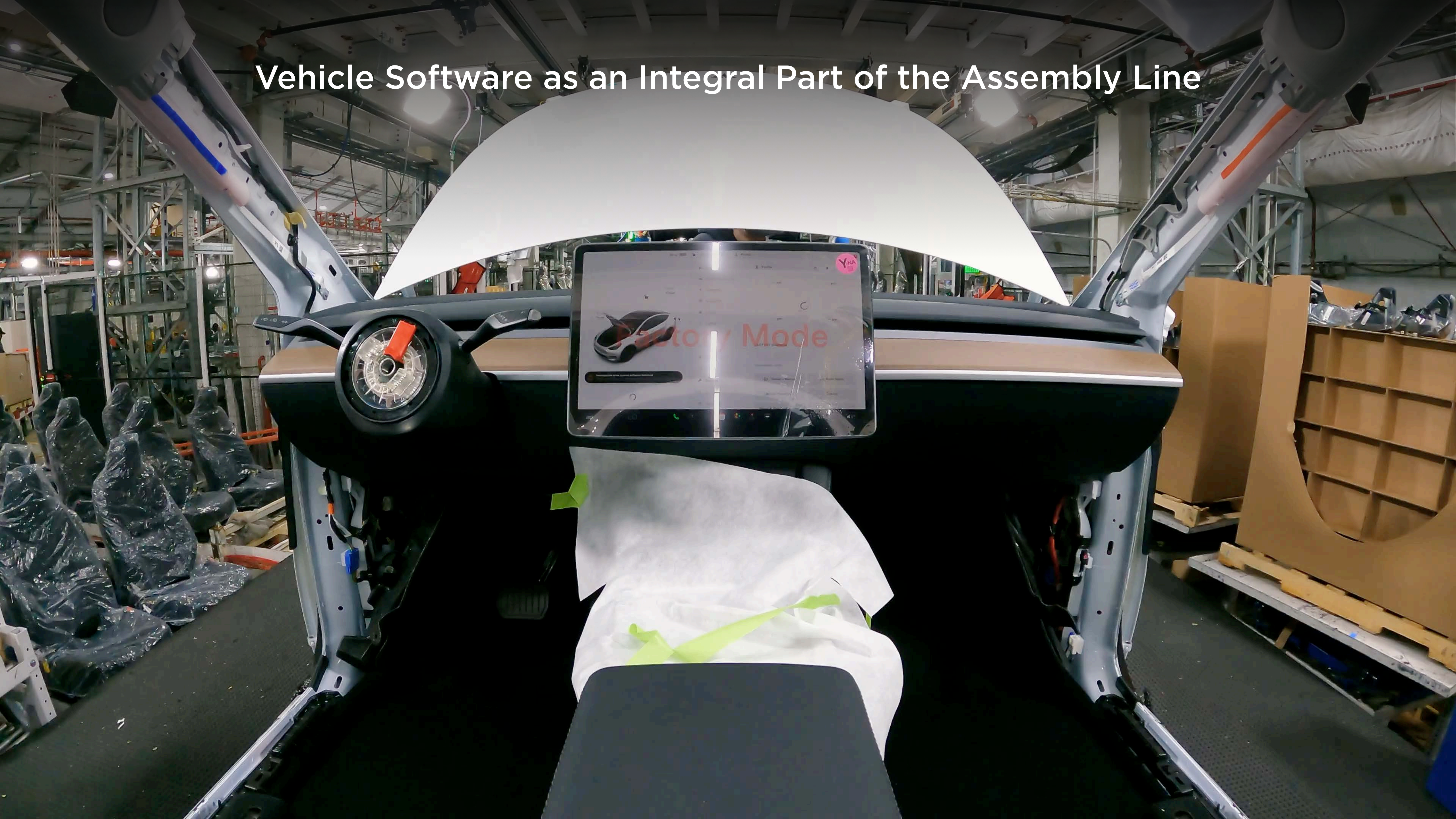
# Leveraging Vertical Integration

PREDICTIVE AIR SUSPENSION



— Rougher Road

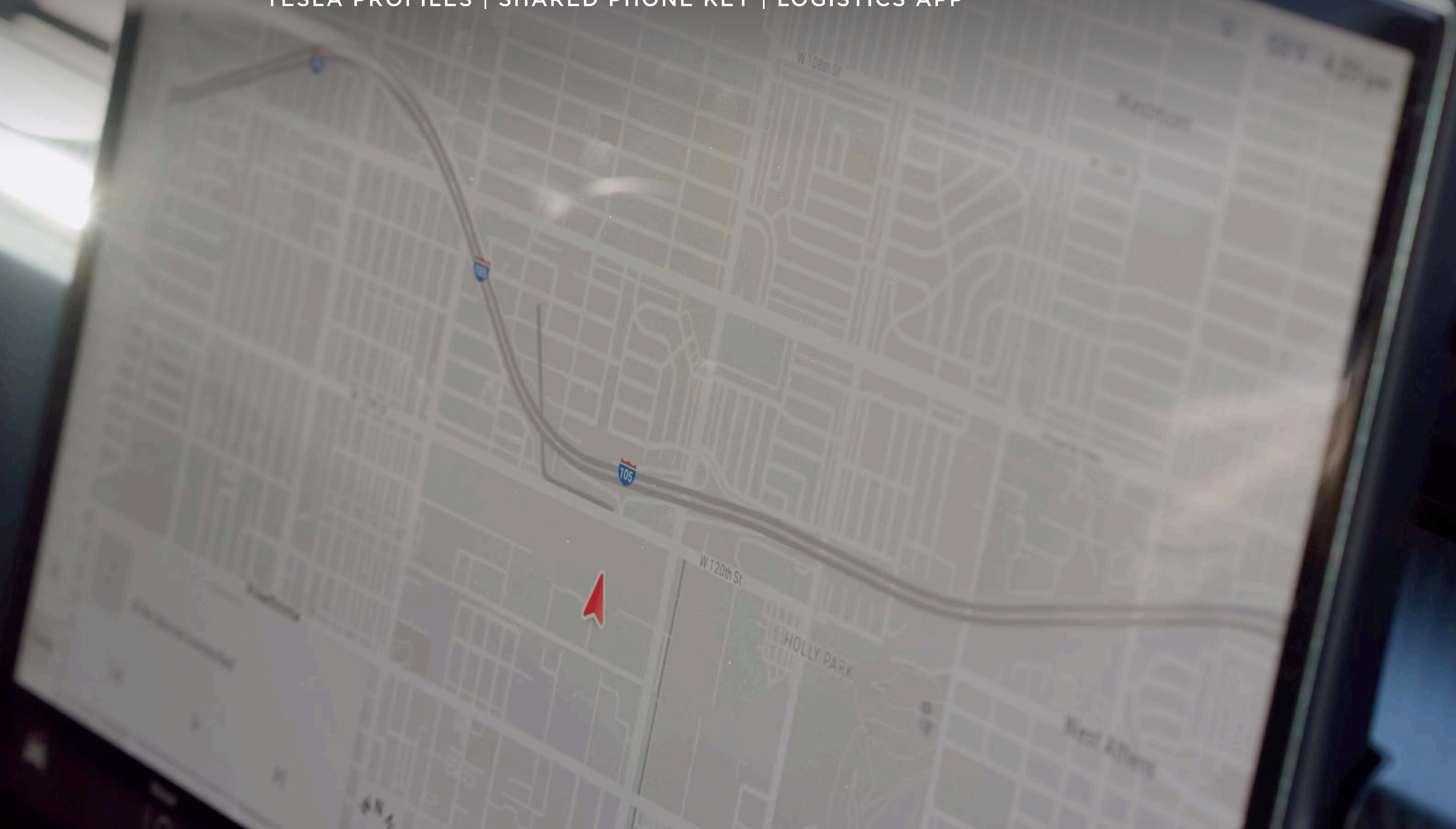
# Vehicle Software as an Integral Part of the Assembly Line





# Building the Foundations of Autonomous Fleet Management

TESLA PROFILES | SHARED PHONE KEY | LOGISTICS APP



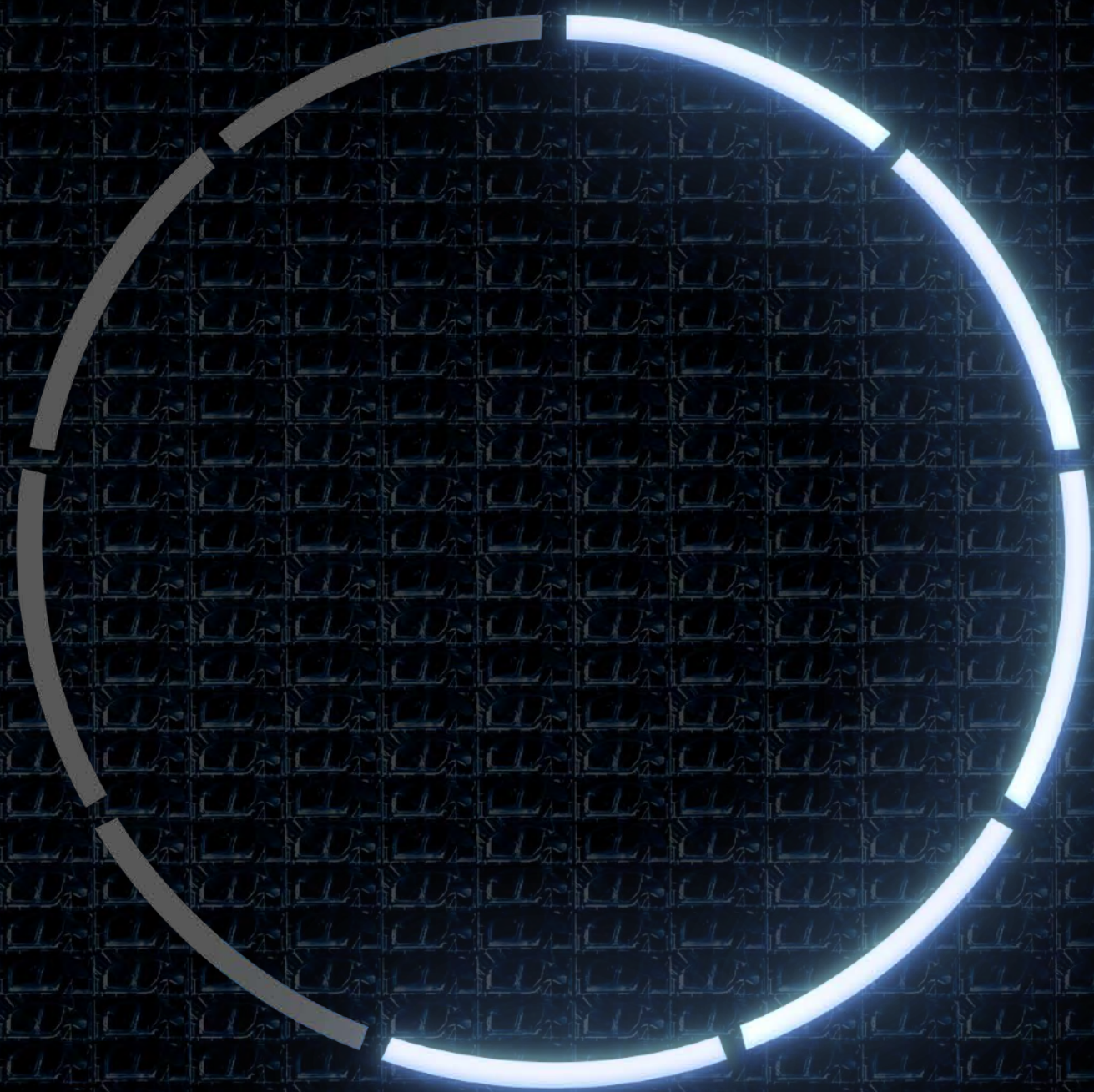


# Software Enables Efficiency, Cost Reduction & Speed

Enabling Robotaxi Fleet

Reducing Service at Mass Scale

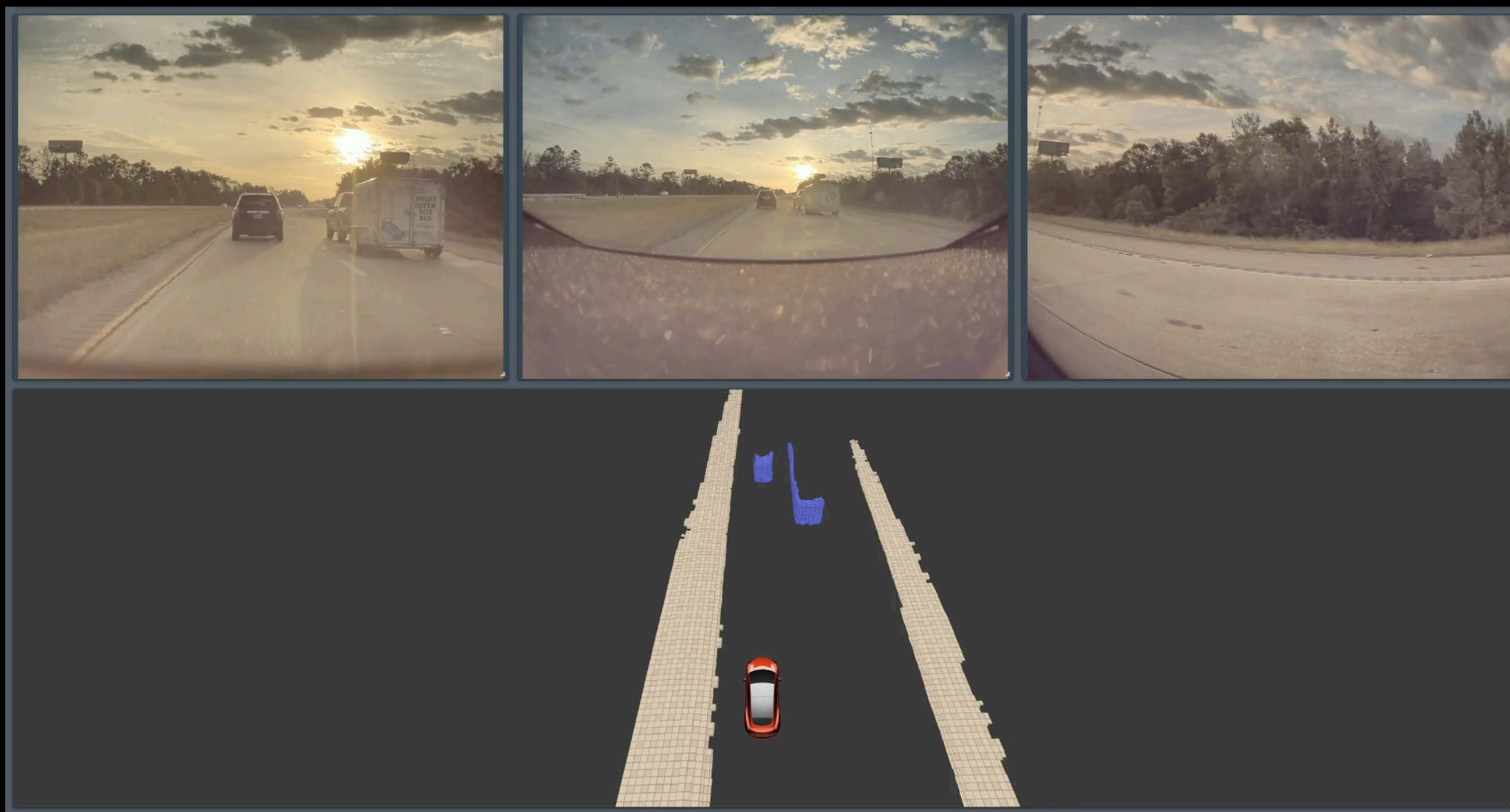
Empowering Manufacturing



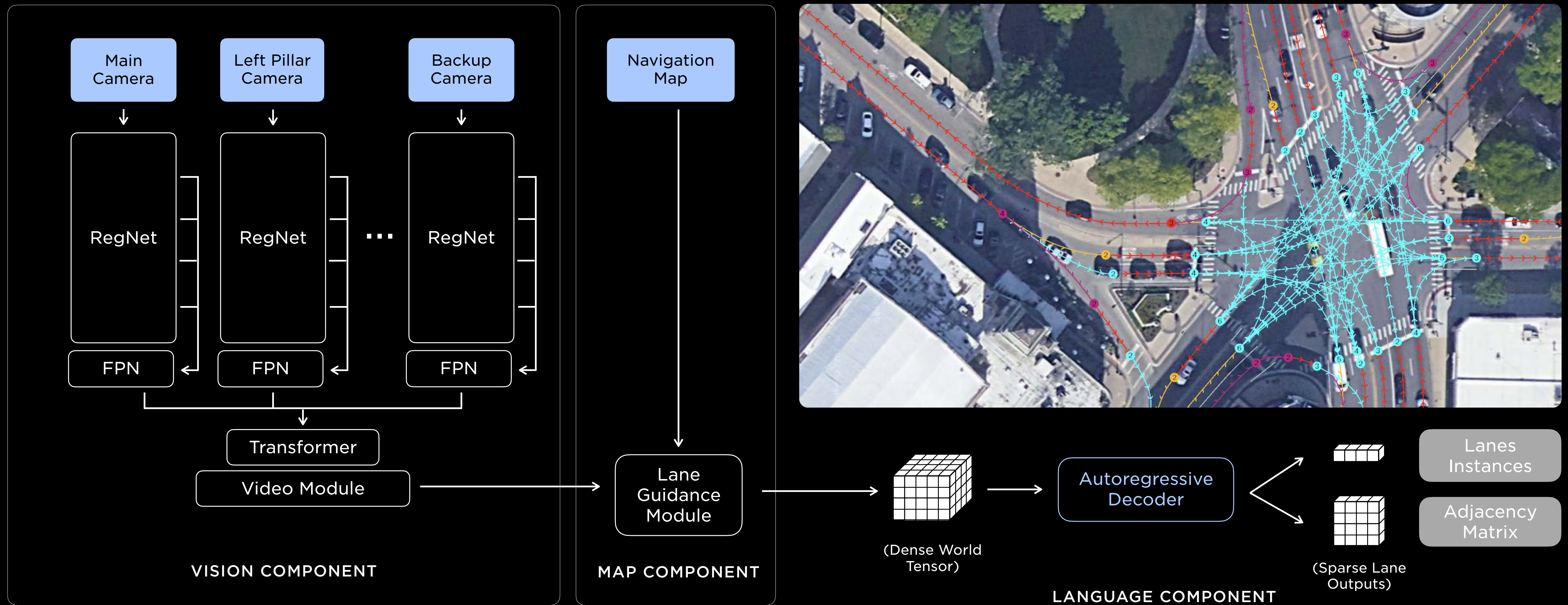
## 05 Full Self-Driving

Ashok Elluswamy

# Architecture for a Generalized Vision System



# Using State-of-the-Art AI for Modeling



# Also Solve Complex Planning Problems Using AI



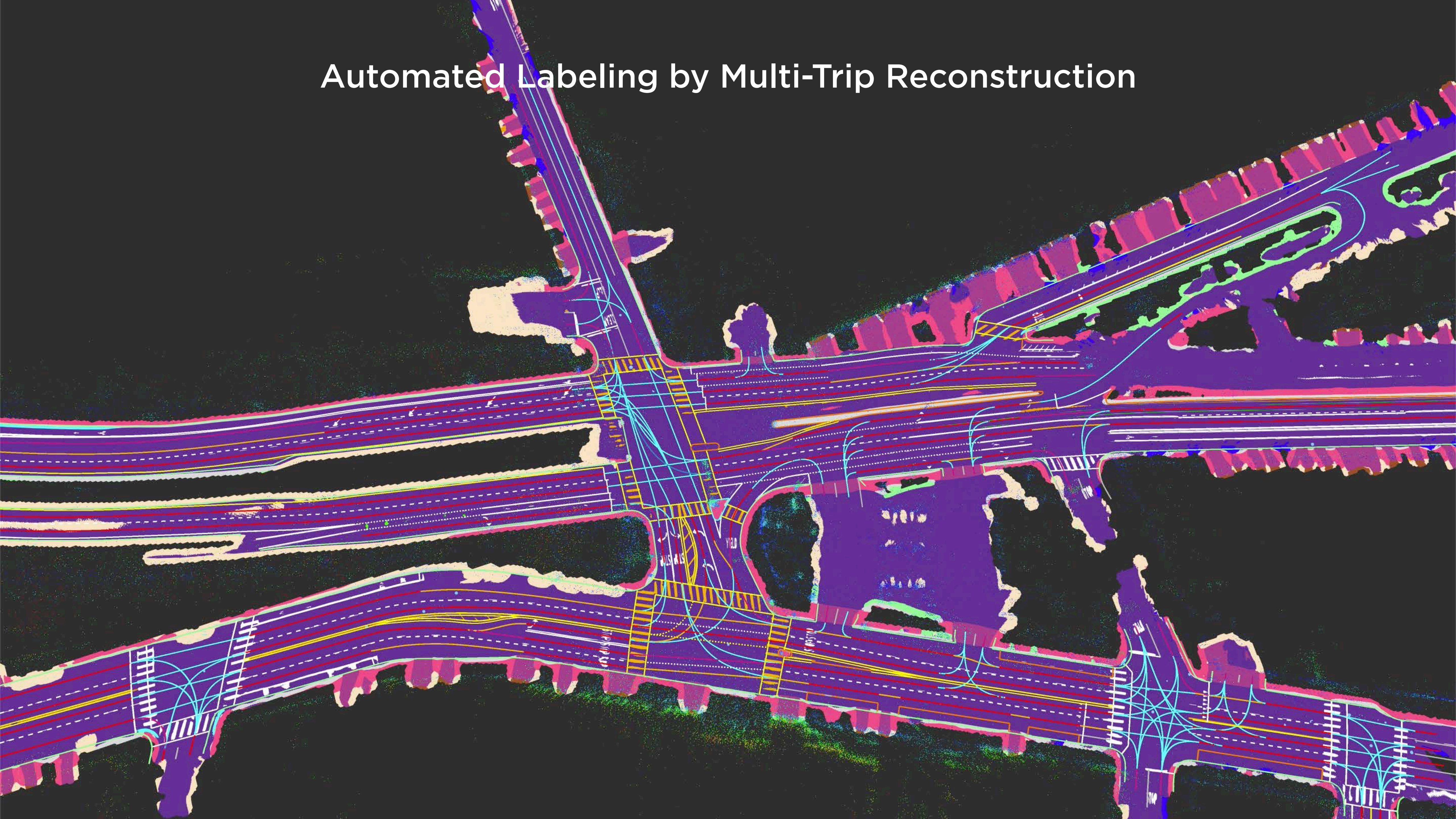
**10ms**

Joint Planning for Each Configuration

**50ms**

Desired Planner Execution Time

# Automated Labeling by Multi-Trip Reconstruction

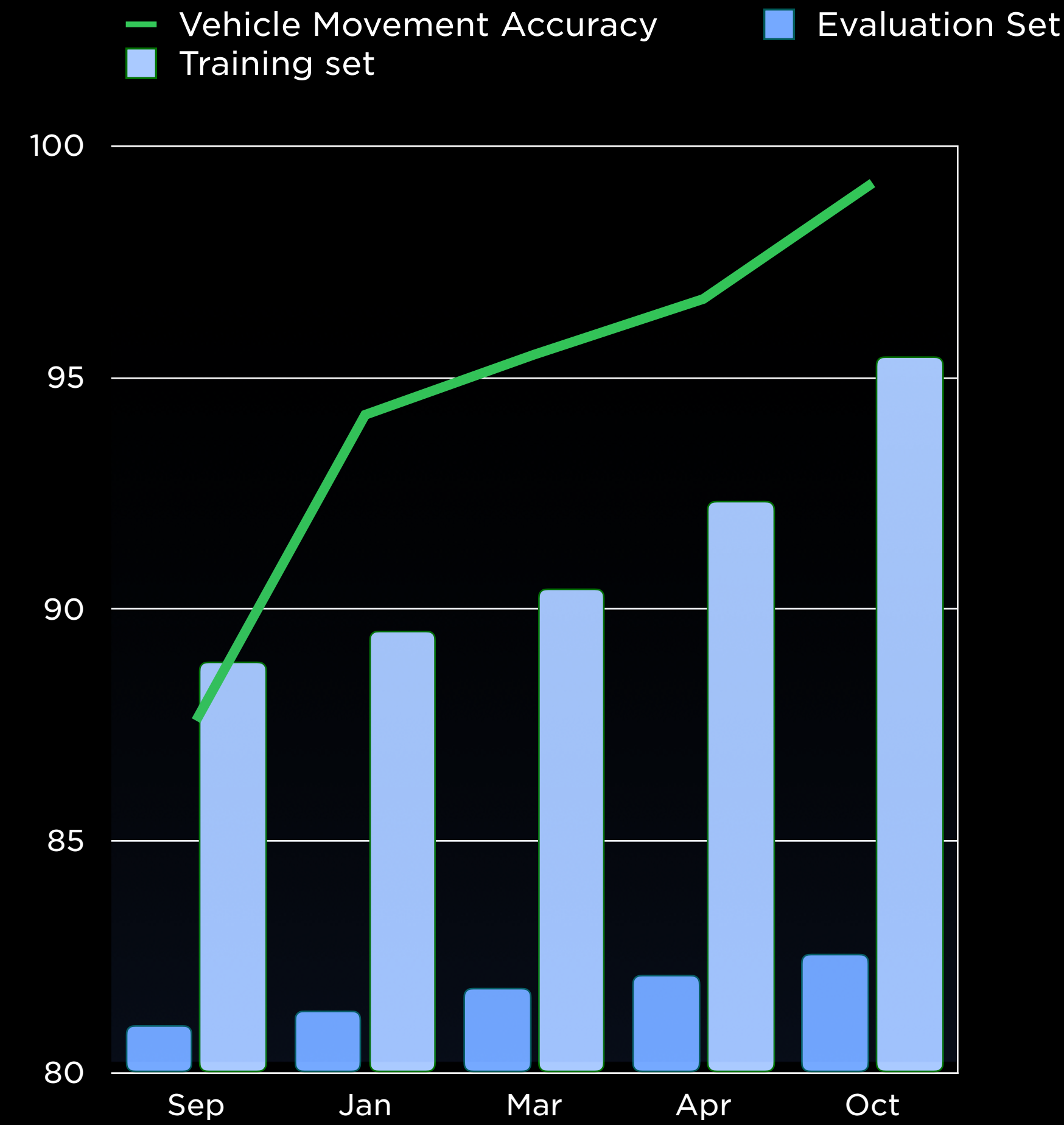


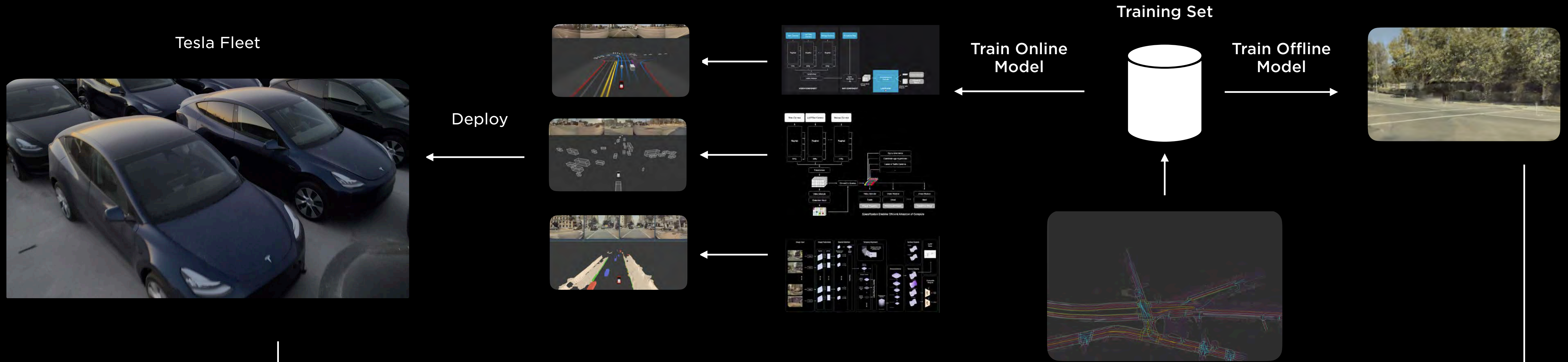
Automatically Produce Challenging Simulations



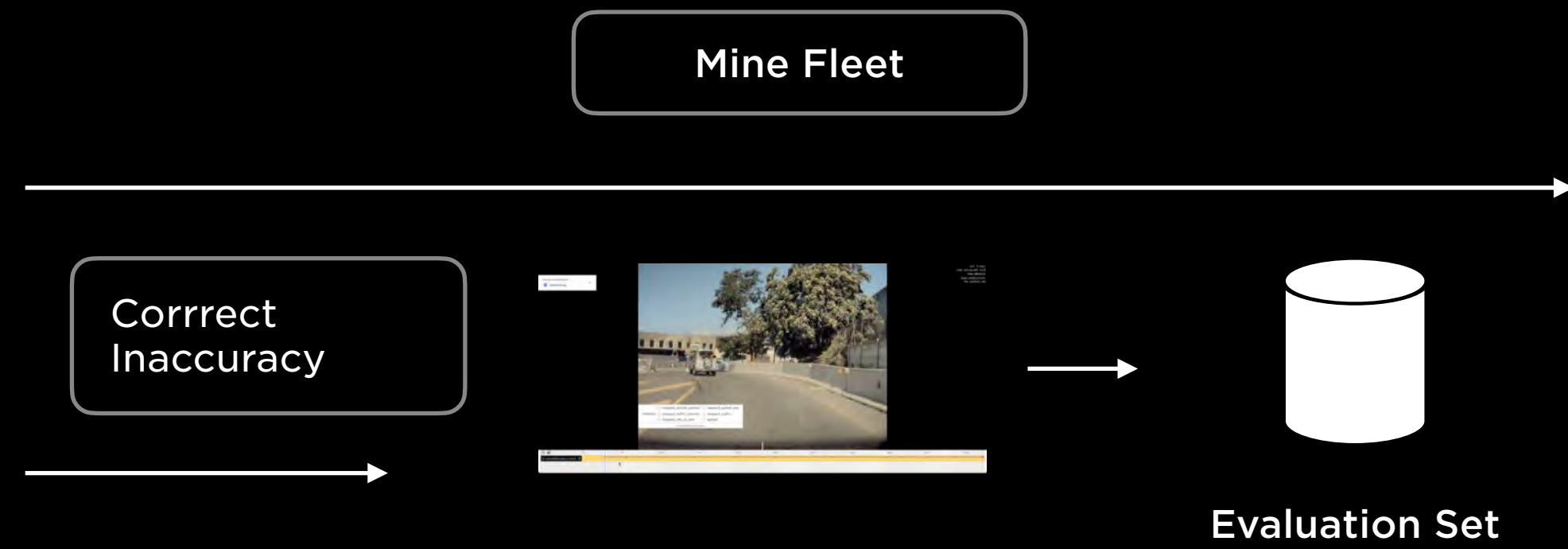


# Data Alone Can Improve Corner Cases





# DATA ENGINE



# Large Networks Need Large Clusters

## 14K GPUs

4K For Auto Labeling

10K for Training

## 30PB DISTRIBUTED VIDEO CACHE

160B Frames

500K Videos Rotating Through Cache/Day

400K Video Instantiations per Second:

## OCCUPANCY NETWORK RECIPE

Pick 1.44B frames

Train for 100.000 GPU-hours at 90 C°

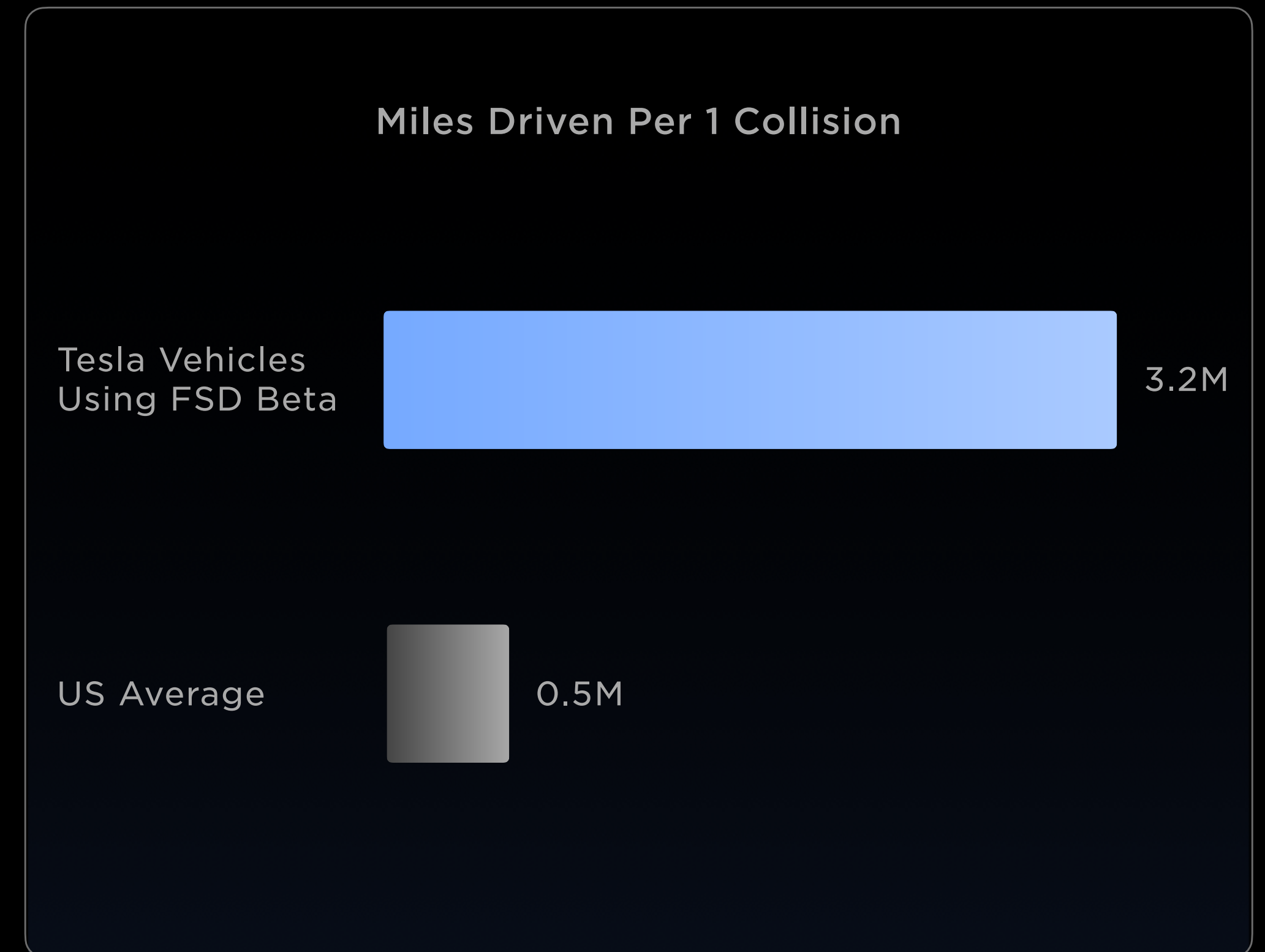


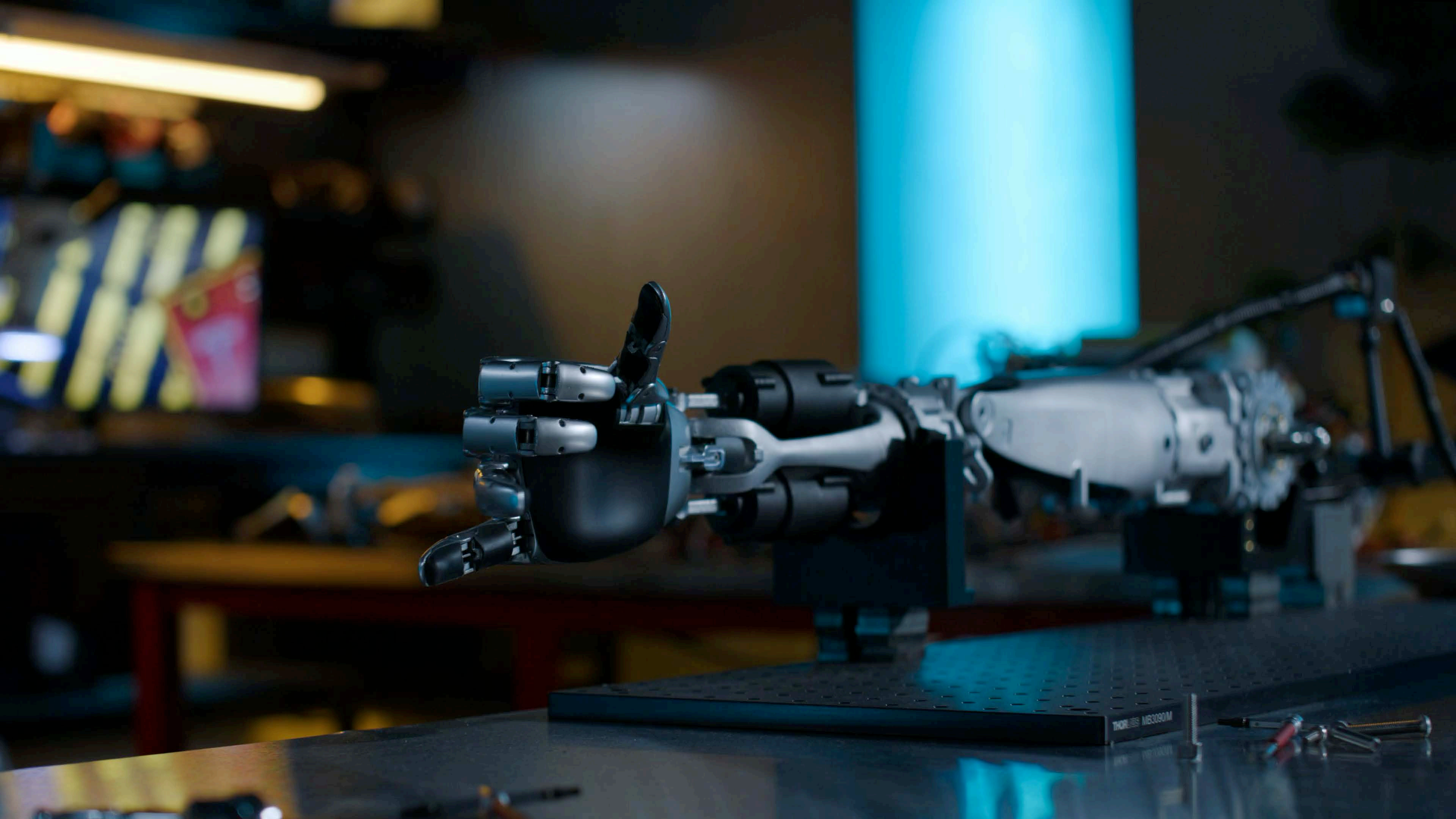
# Scalable FSD = AI + Data + Compute

Higher Utilization

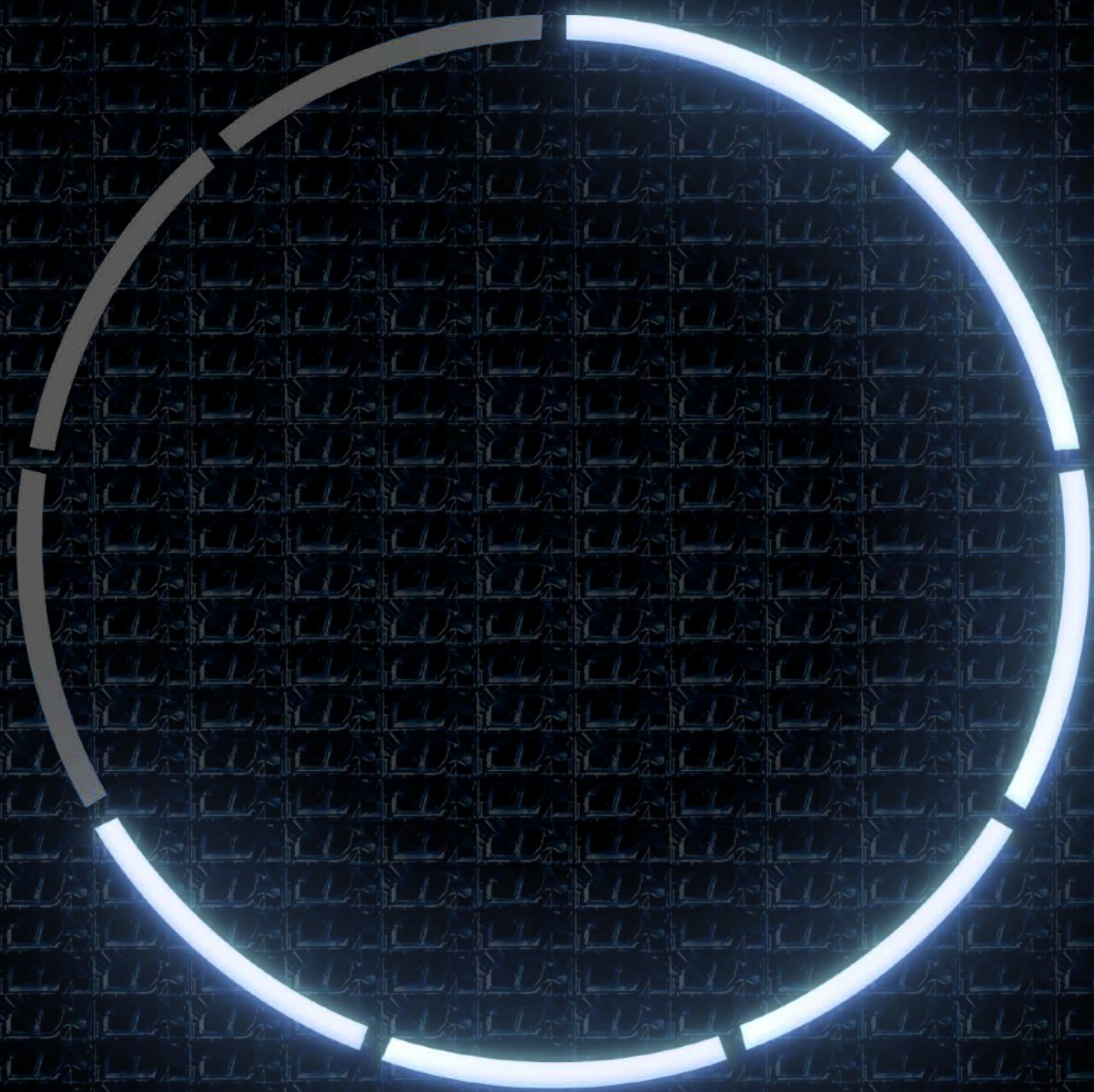


Higher Safety





THOR MB3090M

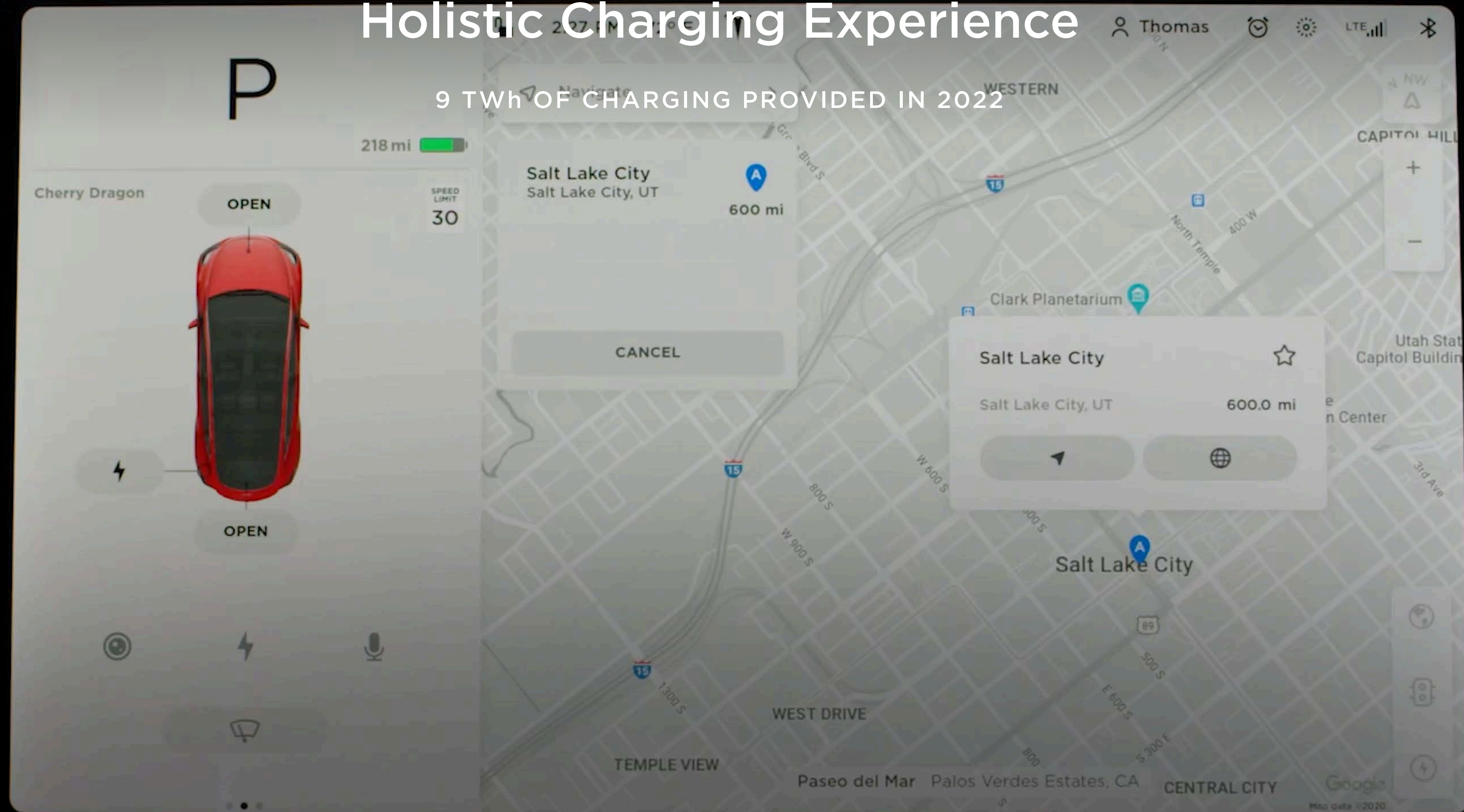


## 06 Charging

Rebecca Tinucci

# Holistic Charging Experience

9 TWh OF CHARGING PROVIDED IN 2022



**99%**

Roadtrips  
Possible

**1.5M**

Weekly Supercharging  
Sessions

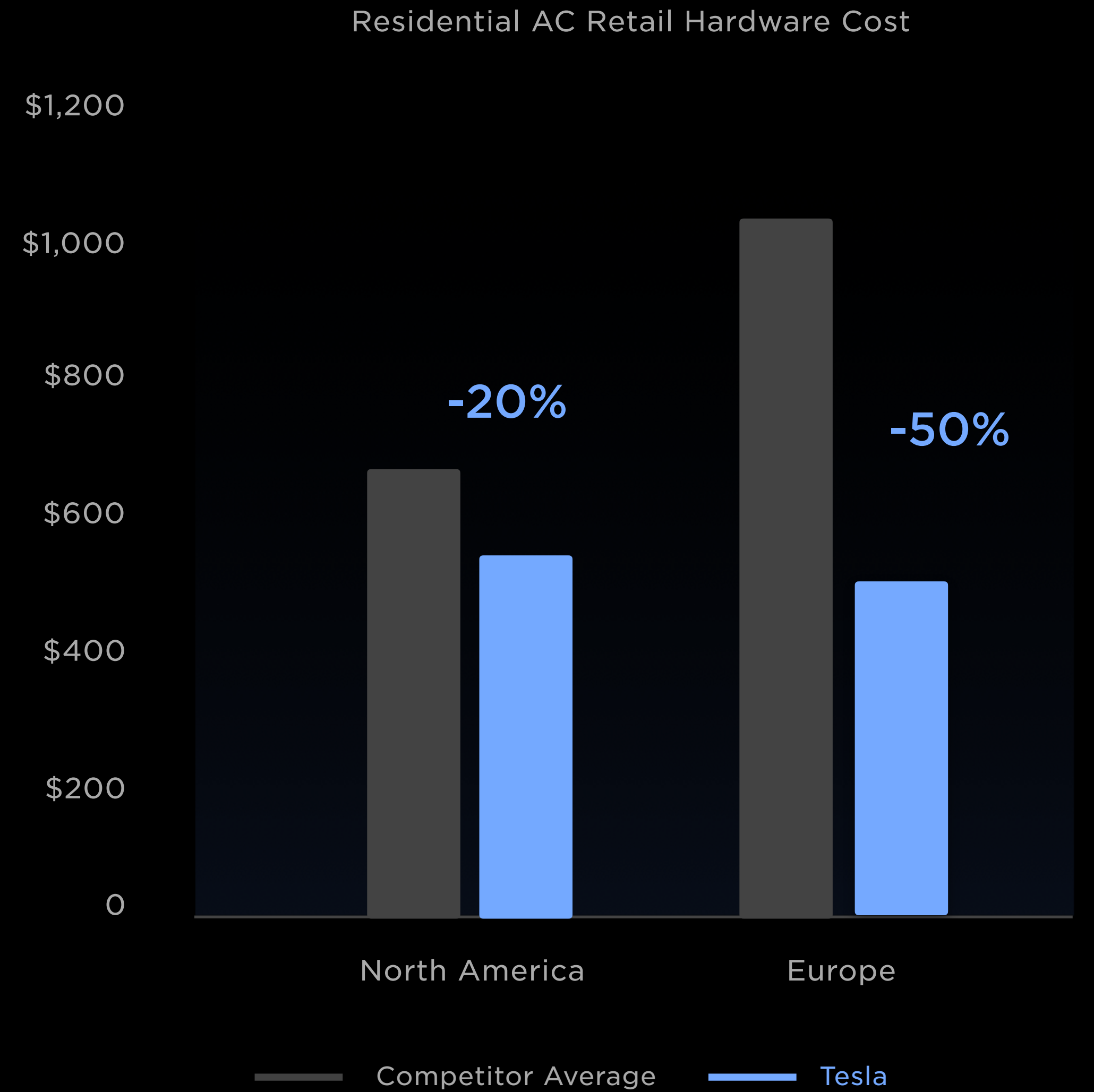
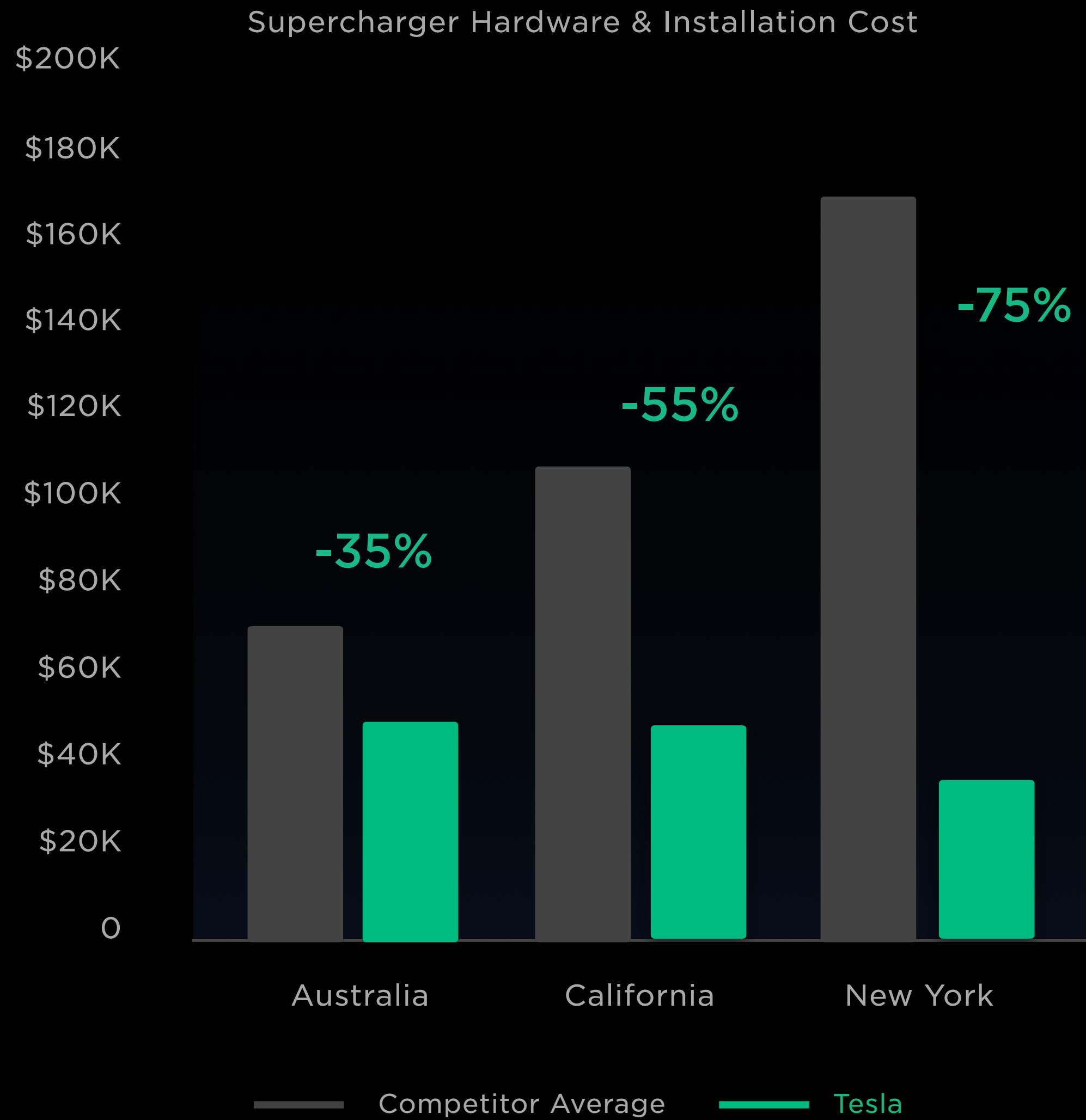
**99.9%**

Site-Level  
Uptime

# How We Got Here



# Industry's Lowest Deployment Costs

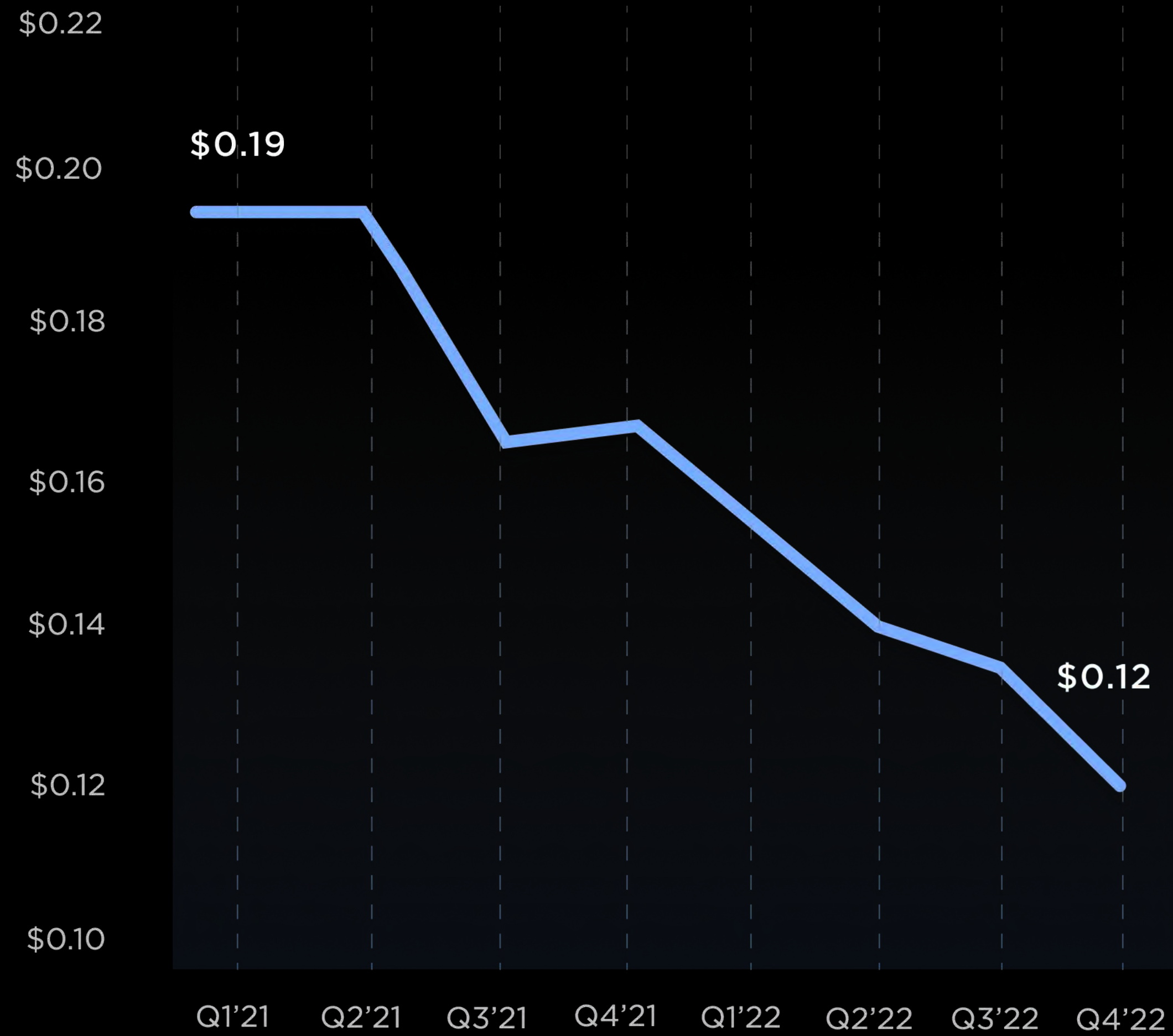


Pre-Built Superchargers Save Weeks of Install Time & Cost

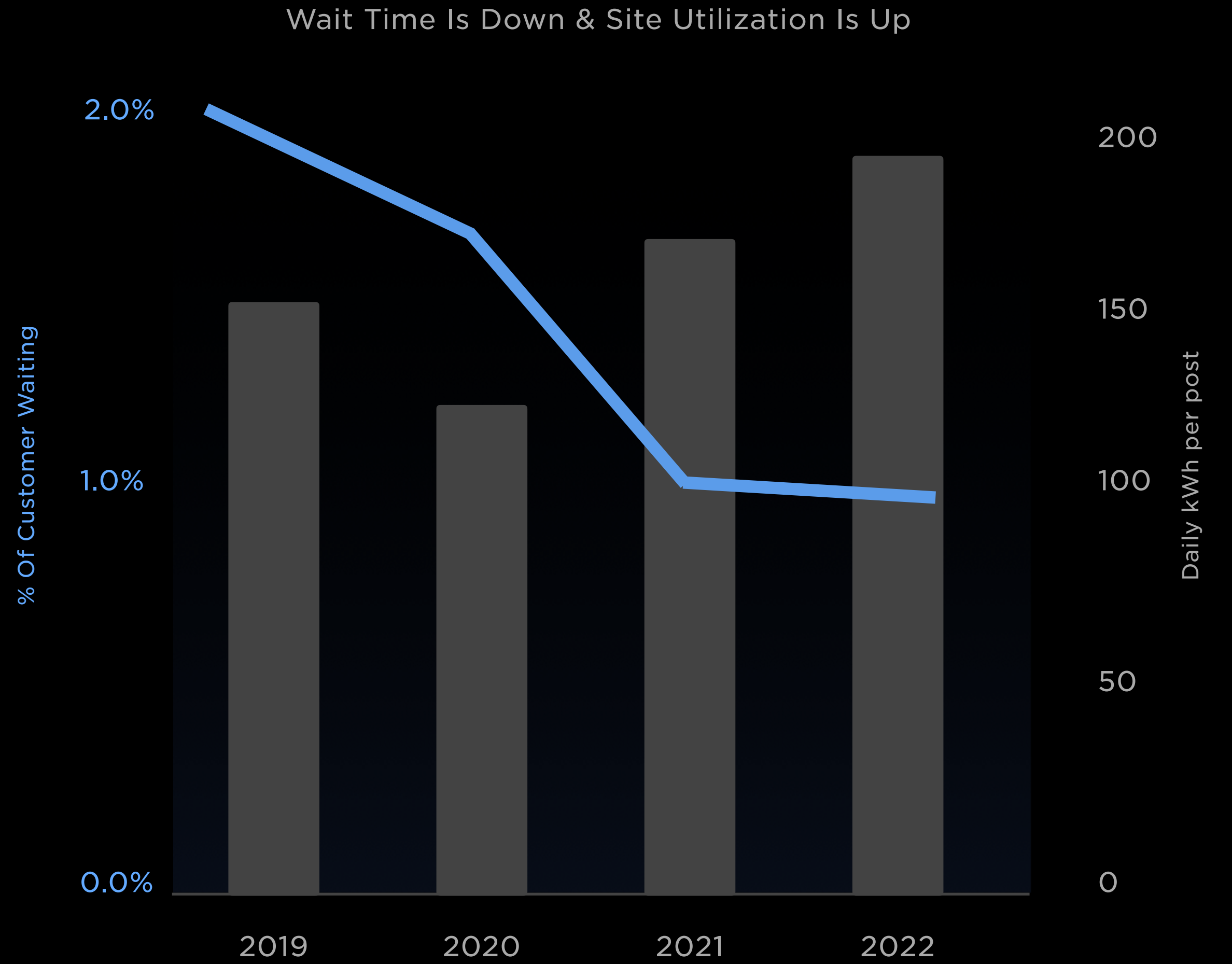
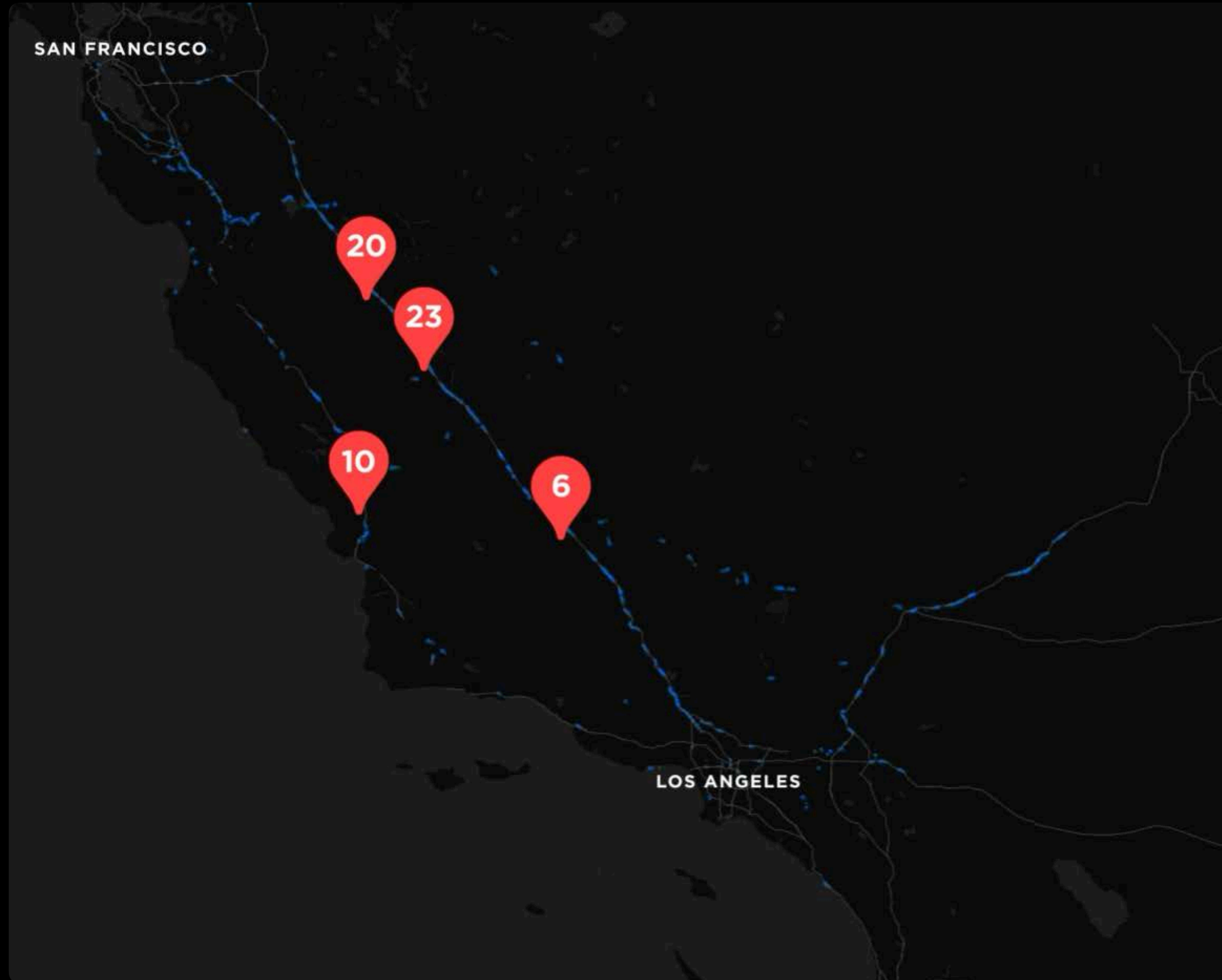


# 40% Improvement in Per kWh Costs

Per kWh Supercharger Cost  
(Not Including Energy Costs)



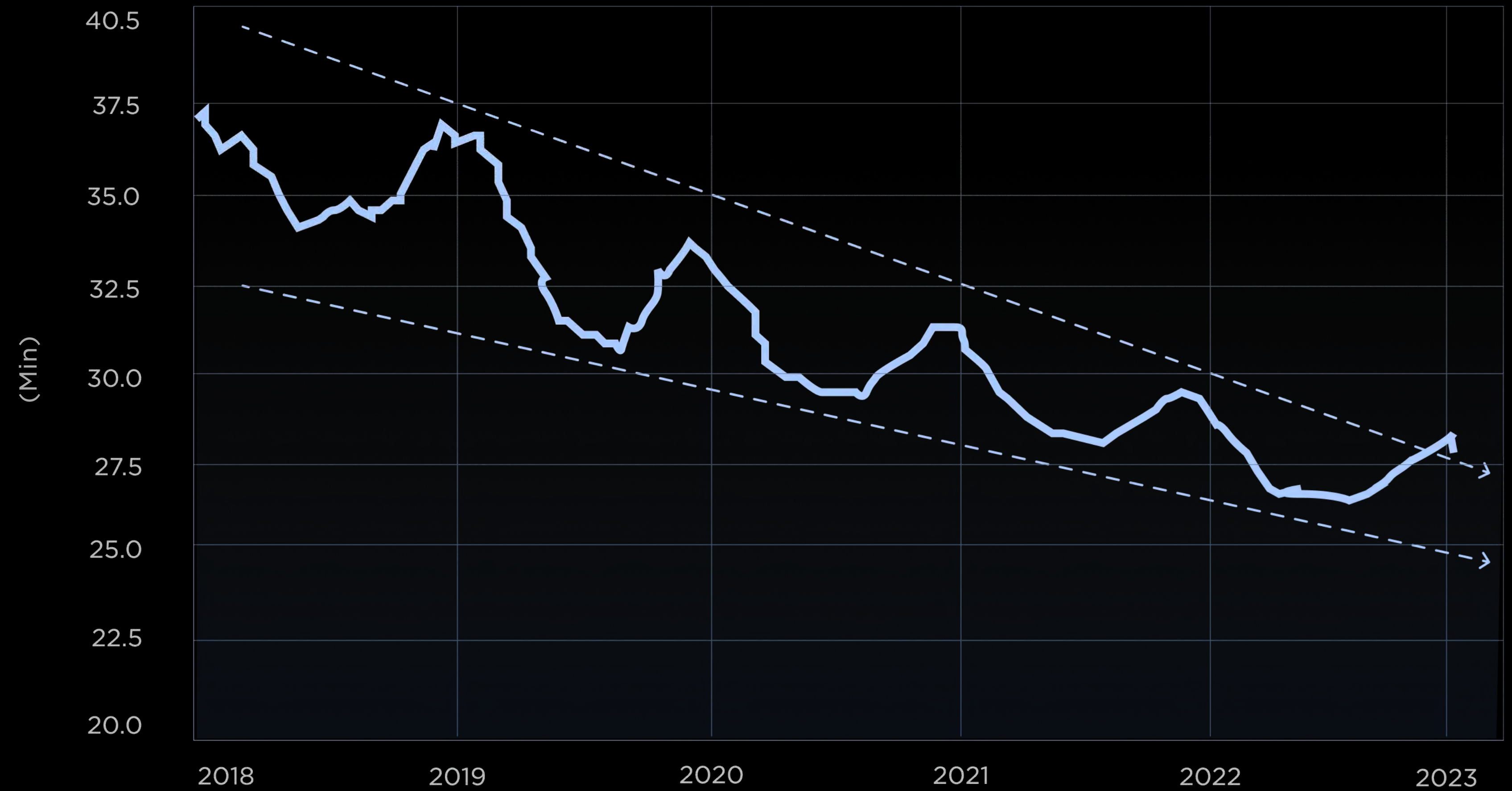
# Trip Planner Powers Efficient Routing



# 30% Quicker Charge Times

Average Supercharging Time

- Transition to V3
- Efficient Routing With Trip Planner
- Supercharger Density Increasing
- Vehicle Efficiency
- Battery Pre-Heating
- Customer Education

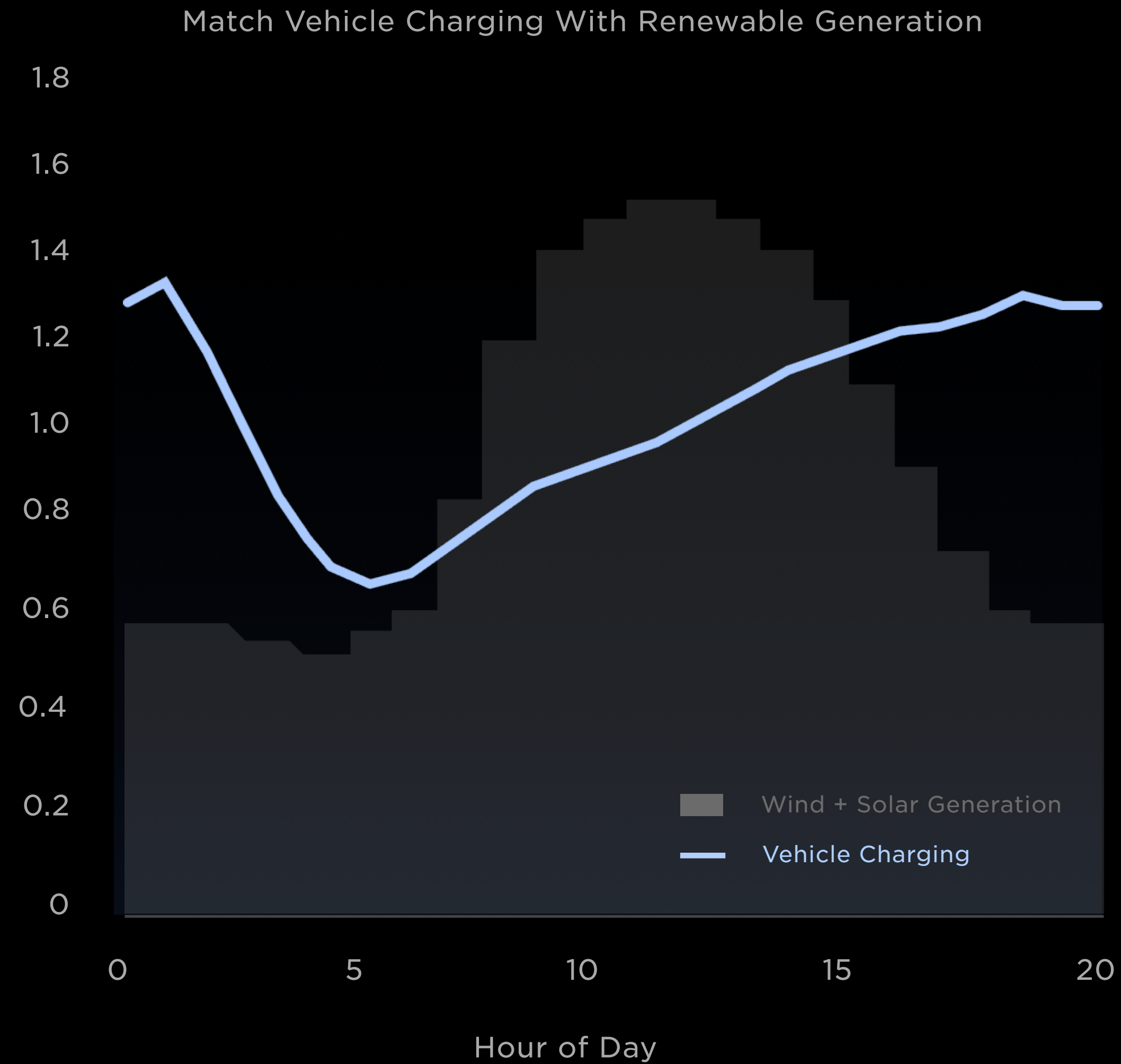


# Charging the Fully-Electrified Fleet

# Ready To Serve All Vehicles

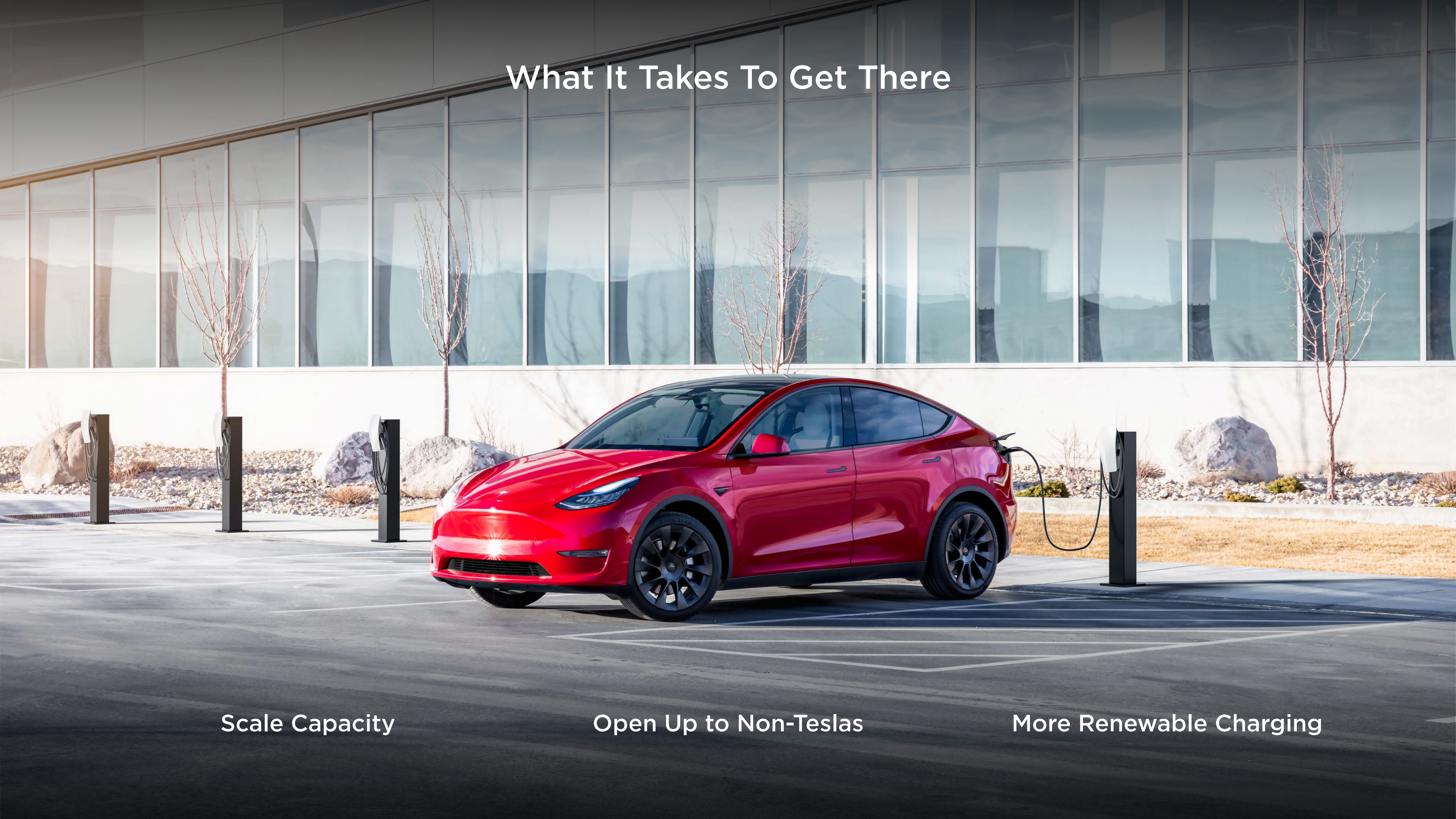


# Maximize Convenient, Renewably-Powered Daytime Charging





# What It Takes To Get There



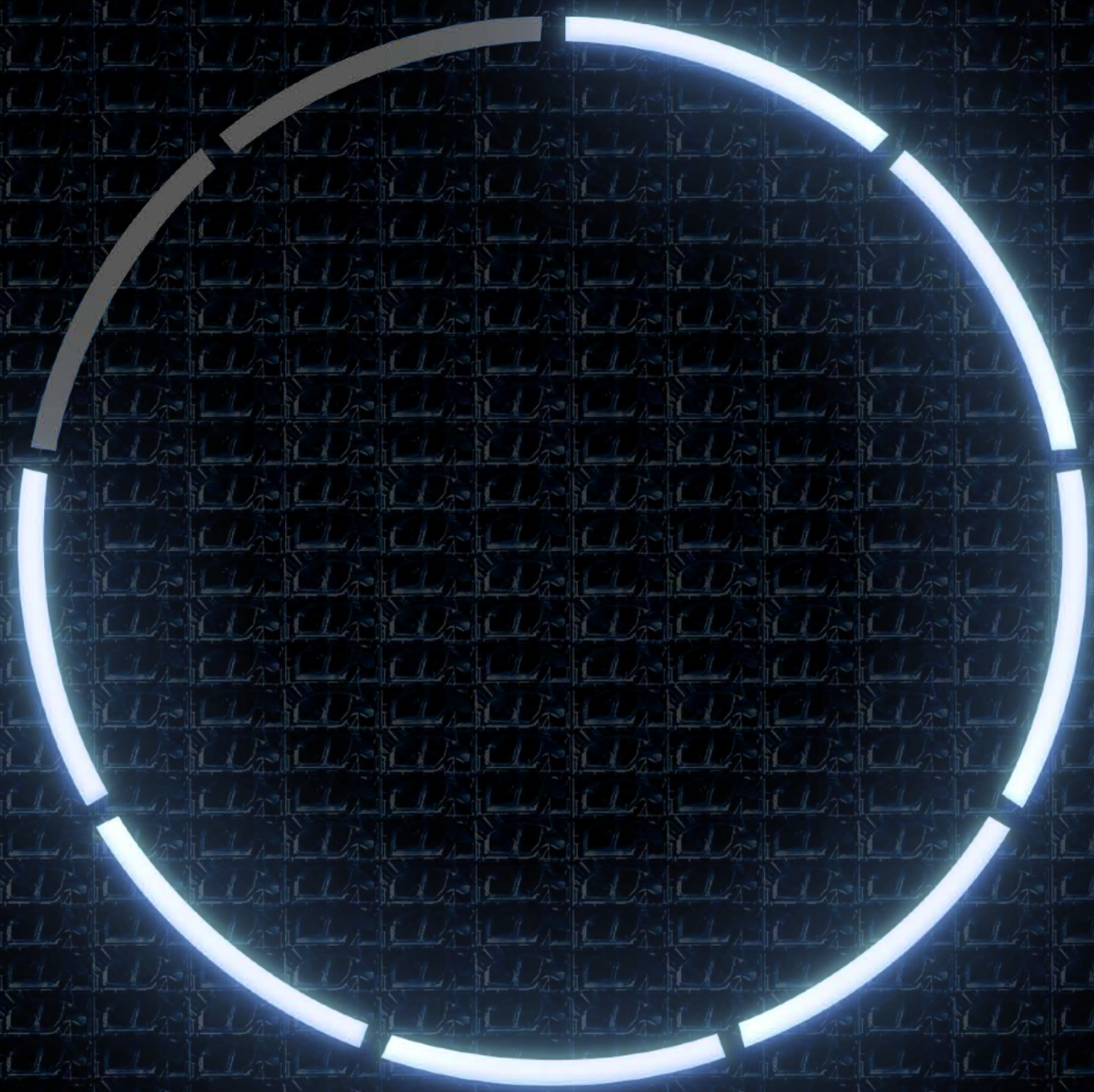
Scale Capacity

Open Up to Non-Teslas

More Renewable Charging

Can't Forget To Do Cool S\*\*\*





## 07 Supply Chain

Karn Budhiraj, Roshan Thomas

# Tesla Supply Chain

TIER 1 PARTS

TIER 2 PARTS



**3.4K**

**21K**



**2.1K**

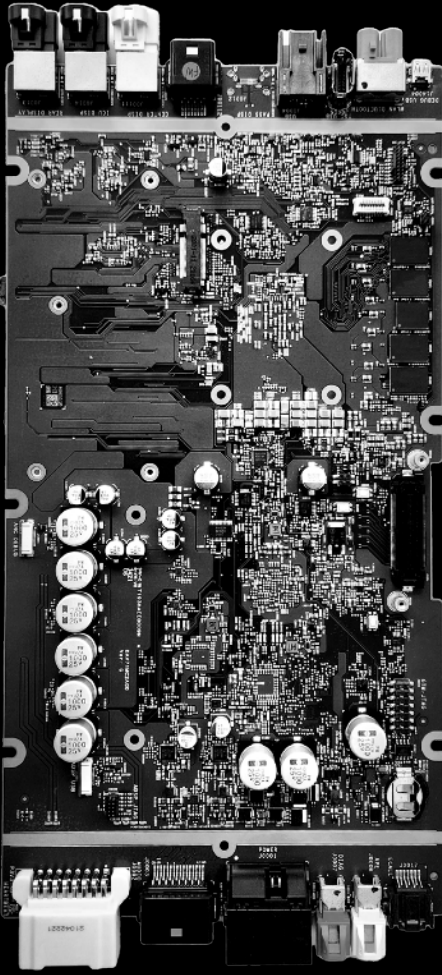
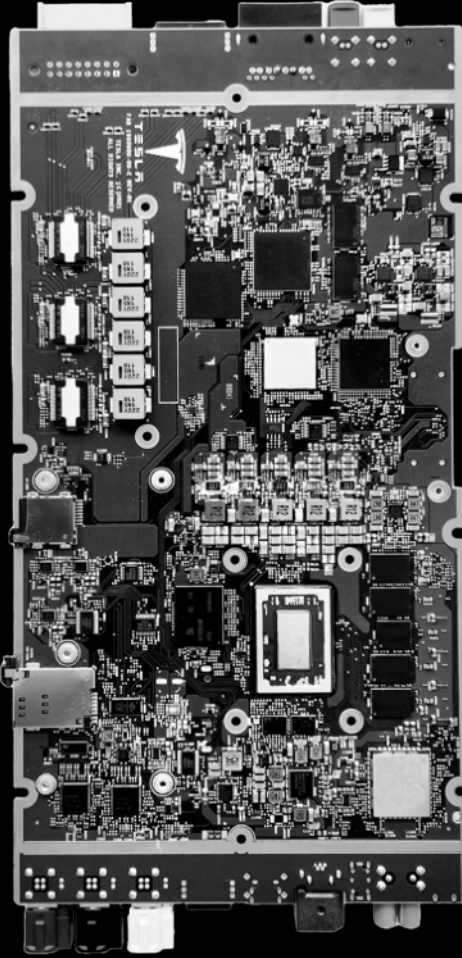
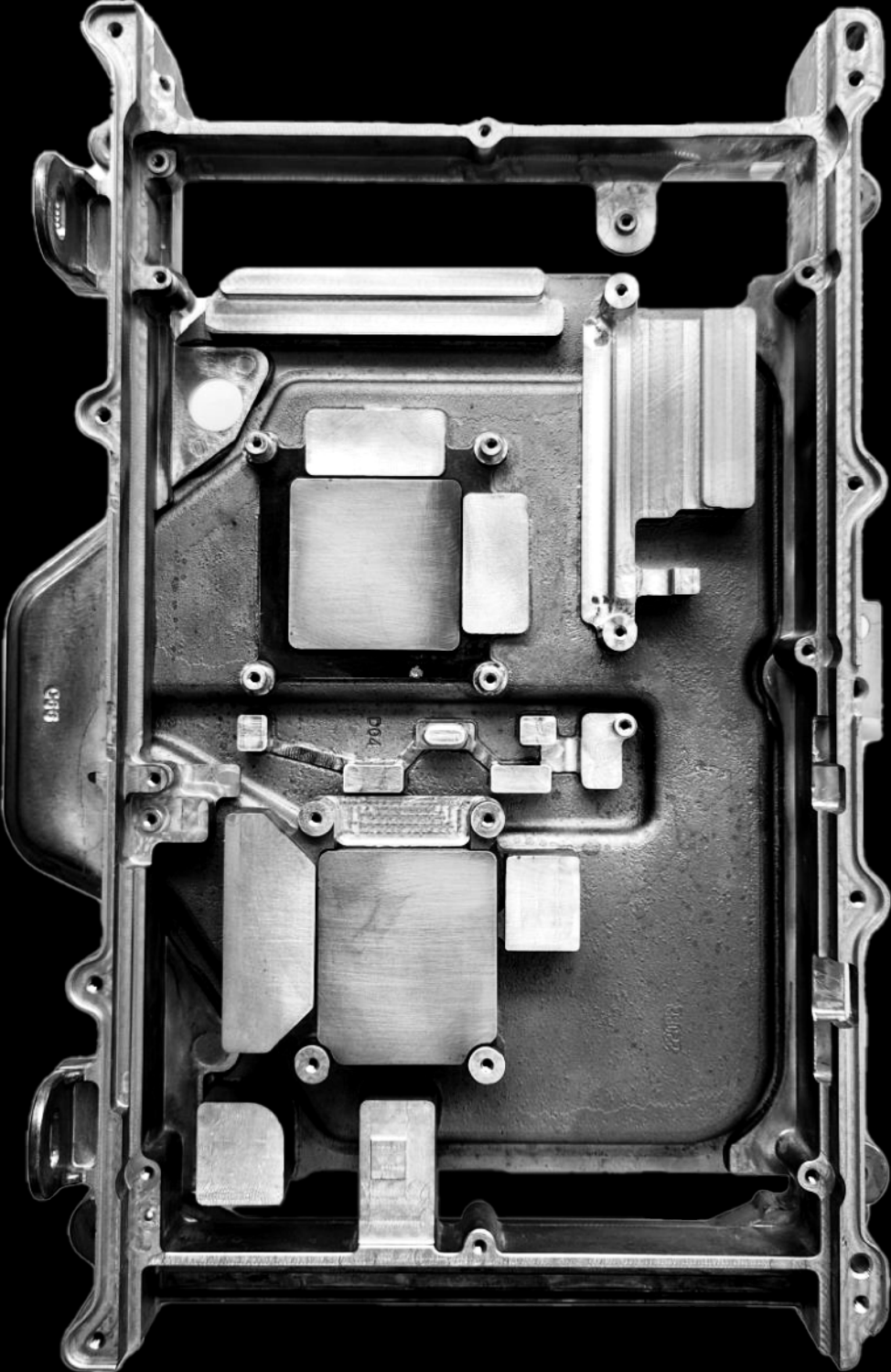
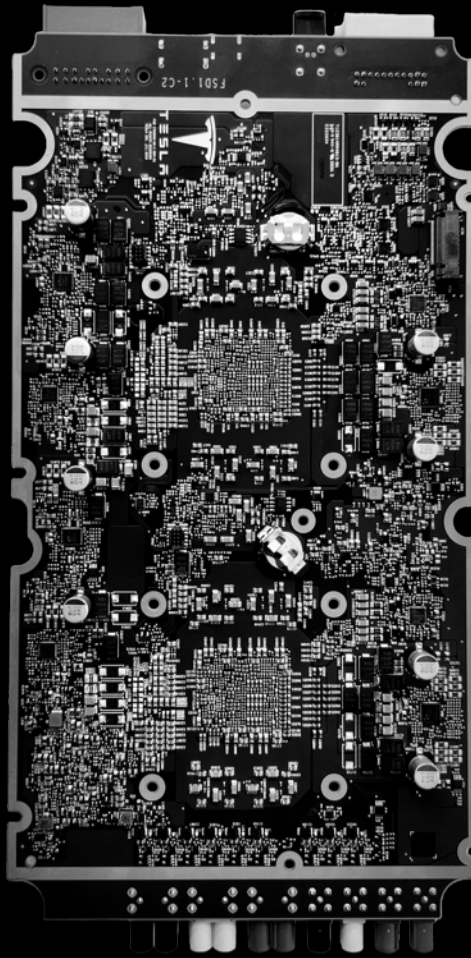
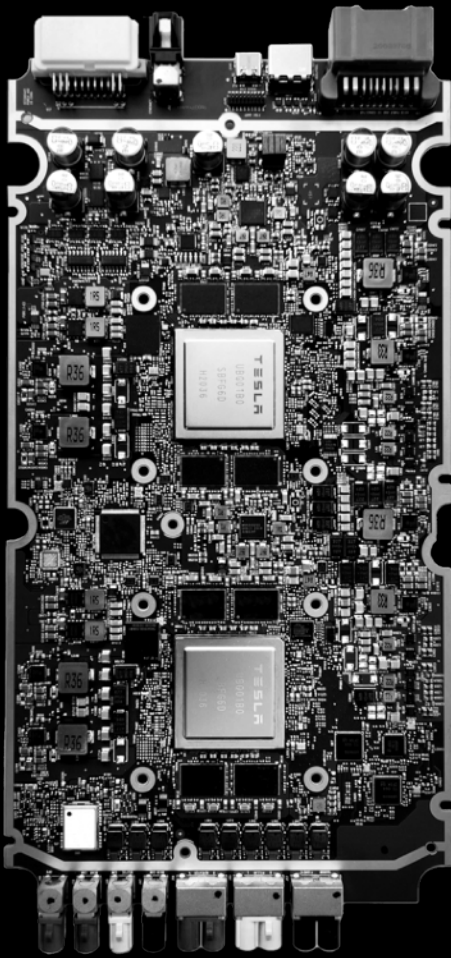
**19K**



**2.8K**

**7K**

# The Most Powerful In-Vehicle Computer



**7K+**

Components

**1.4ms**

Between Each  
Component Assembled  
Into a Car Computer

**95%**

Reduction in Labor

# Inbound Complexity



**16M**

Pallets & Racks  
Received in 2022

**1B**

Electronic Components  
Shipped Each Week

**685**

Global Service Locations

**45**

Countries

# Supply Chain Hell

Shipping disruption: Why are so many queuing to get to the US?

Global shortage in computer chips 'reaches crisis point'

Car sales dampened by chip shortage, COVID measures

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Global Chip Shortage Set to Worsen for Car Makers

*'It's Not Sustainable': What America's Port Crisis Looks Like Up Close*

**Why the Chip Shortage Is So Hard to Overcome**

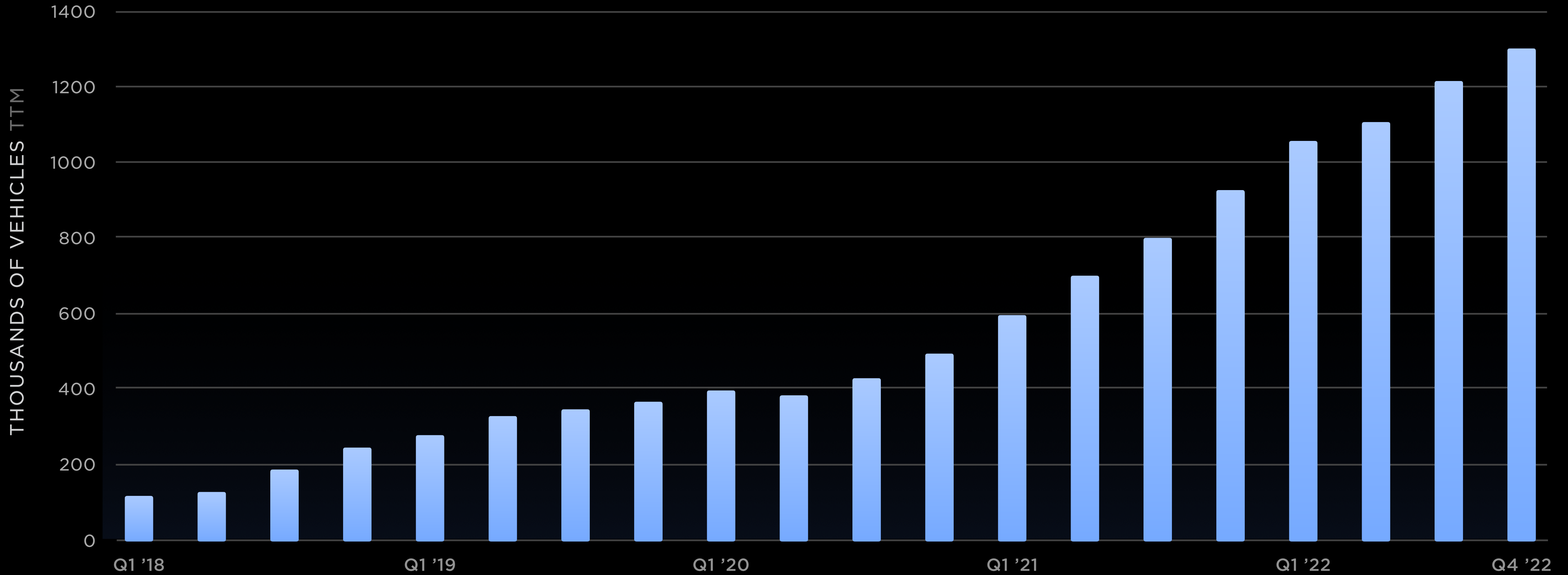
The Global Fight Over Chips Is About to Get Even Worse

Supply chain chaos is already hitting global growth. And it's about to get worse

The supply chain crisis and US ports: 'Disruption on top of disruption'

No End In Sight For The COVID-Led Global Supply Chain Disruption

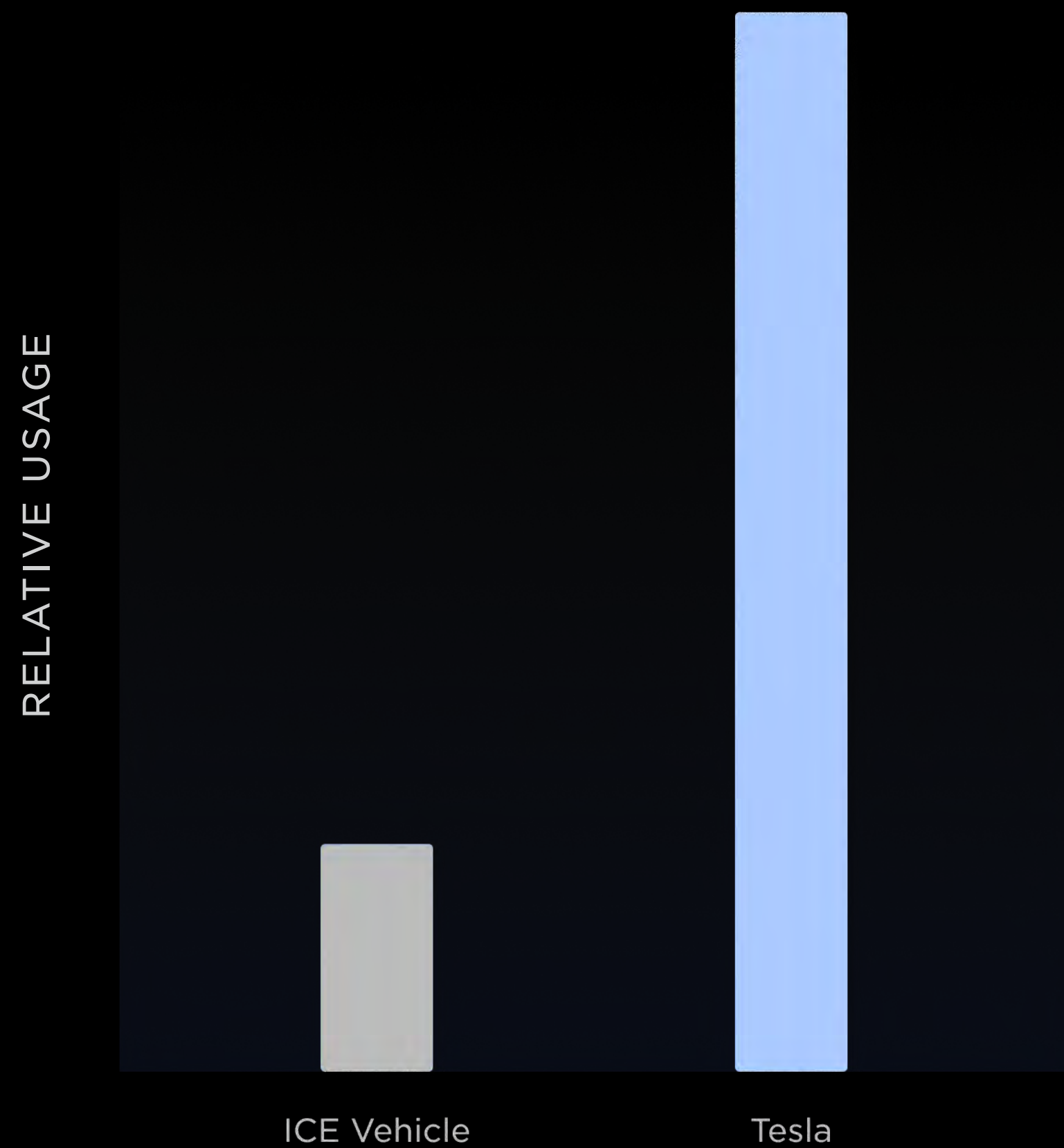
# Scaling Against the Odds





# Semiconductor Industry Can Support Our Growth

Tesla with FSD Hardware Uses More Semiconductors Than an ICE Vehicle

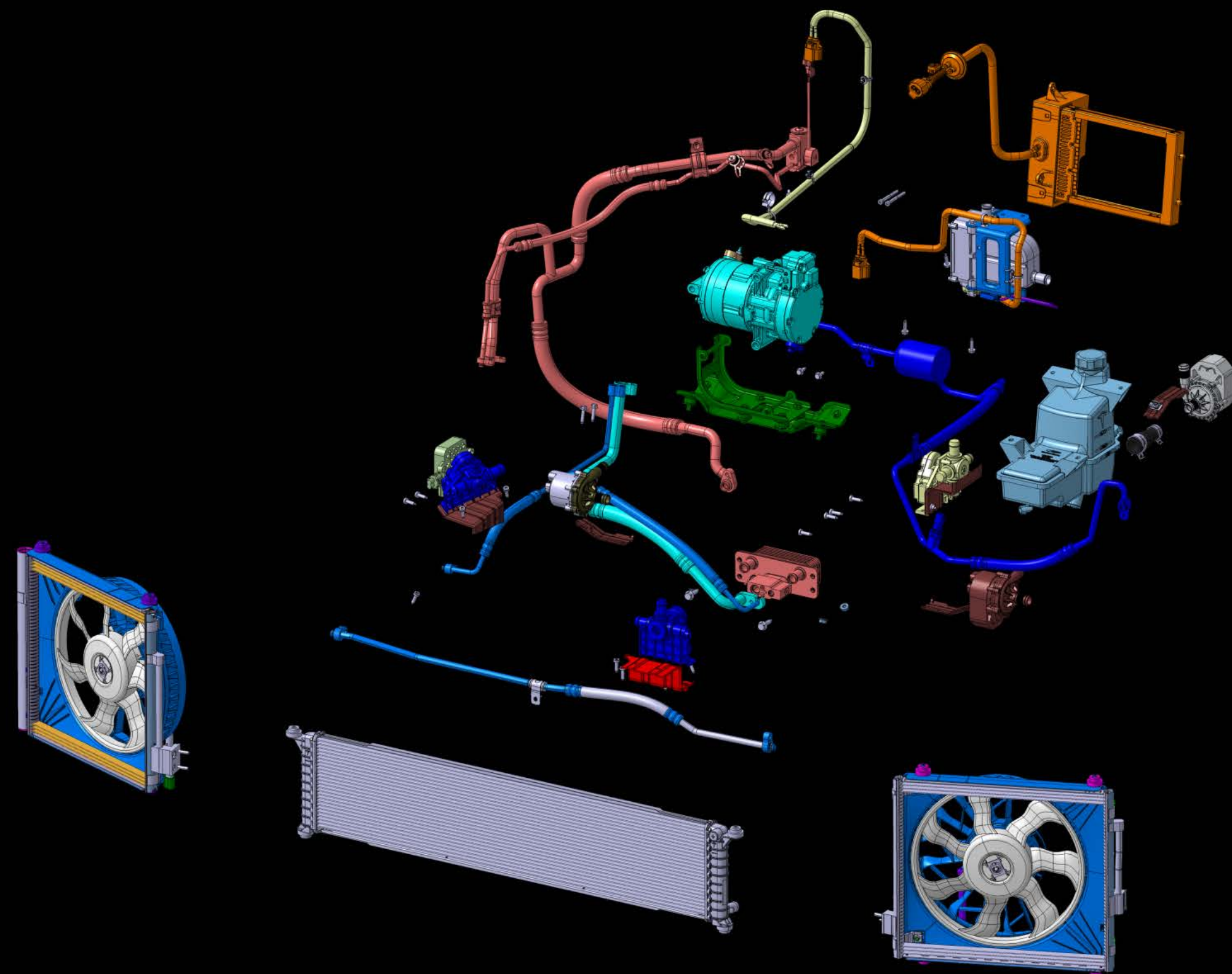


	2023	FUTURE
VEHICLES	1.8M+	20M
SILICON WAFERS USED 12" EQUIVALENT	0.7M	8M
GLOBAL WAFER CAPACITY	~135M	200M
TESLA SHARE	0.5%	<5%

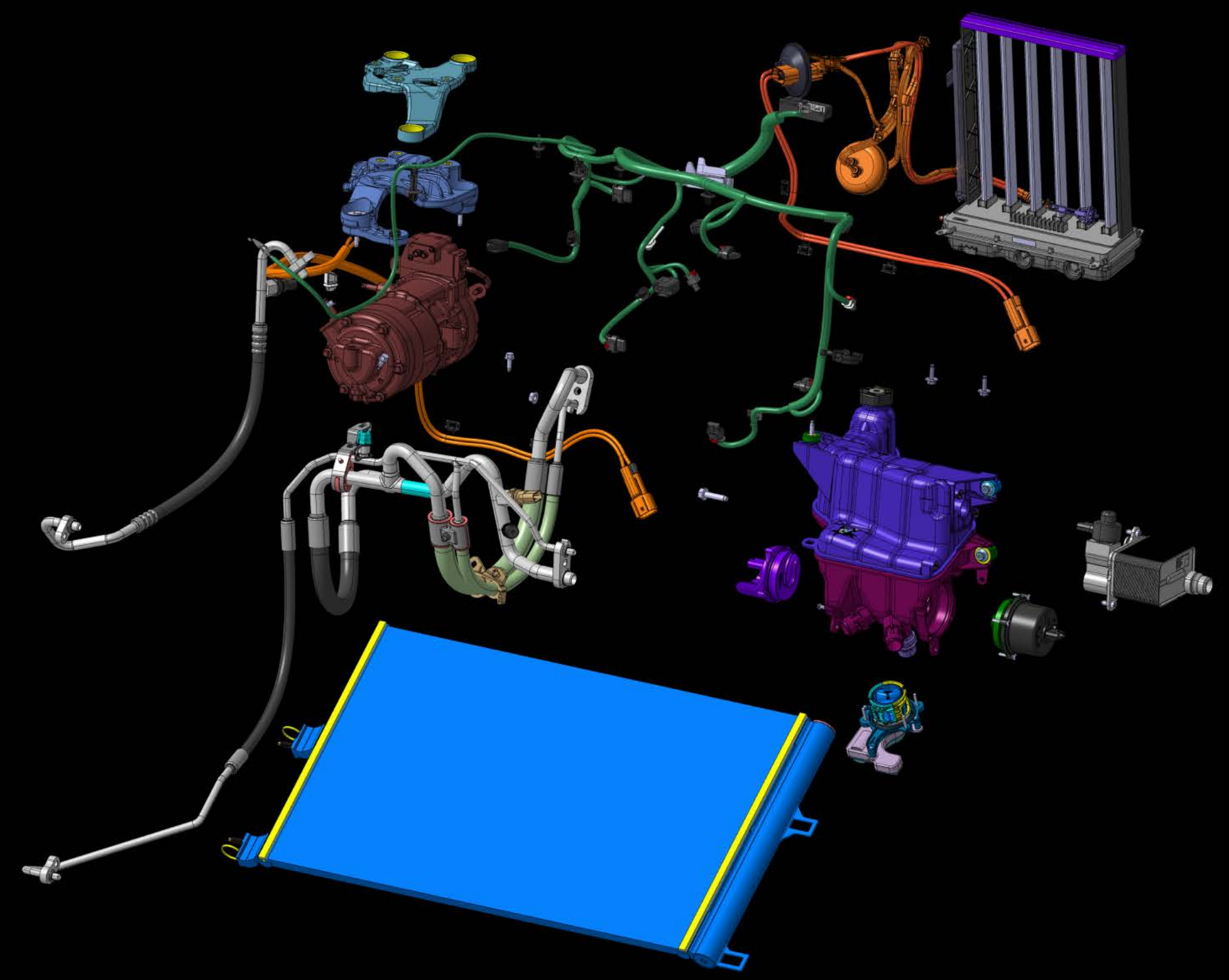
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# Before Heat Pump

Legacy Model S/X

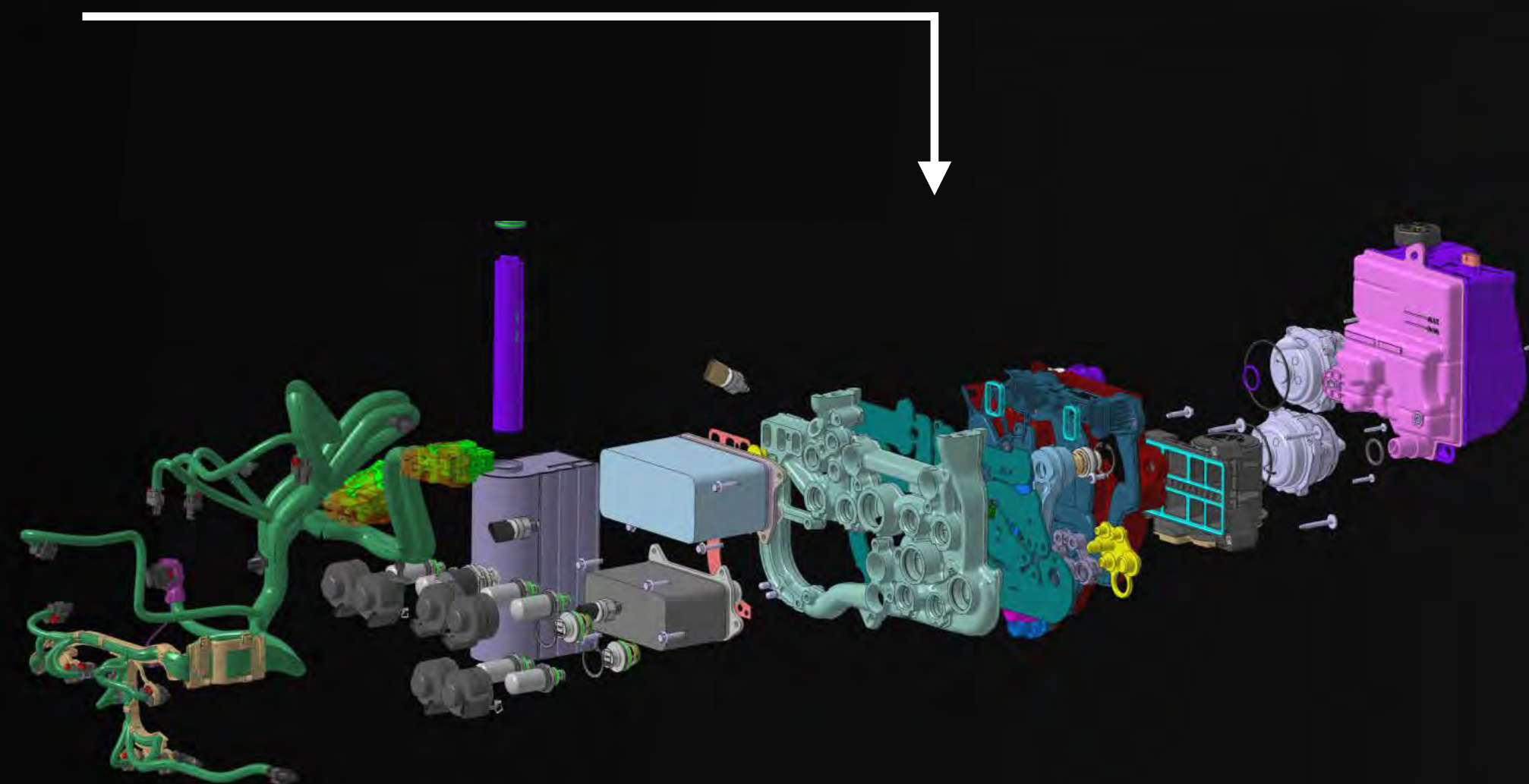


Legacy Model 3



# Next Generation Thermal Architecture

HEAT PUMP



100+

SUBCOMPONENTS

Numerous Manufacturing Processes:

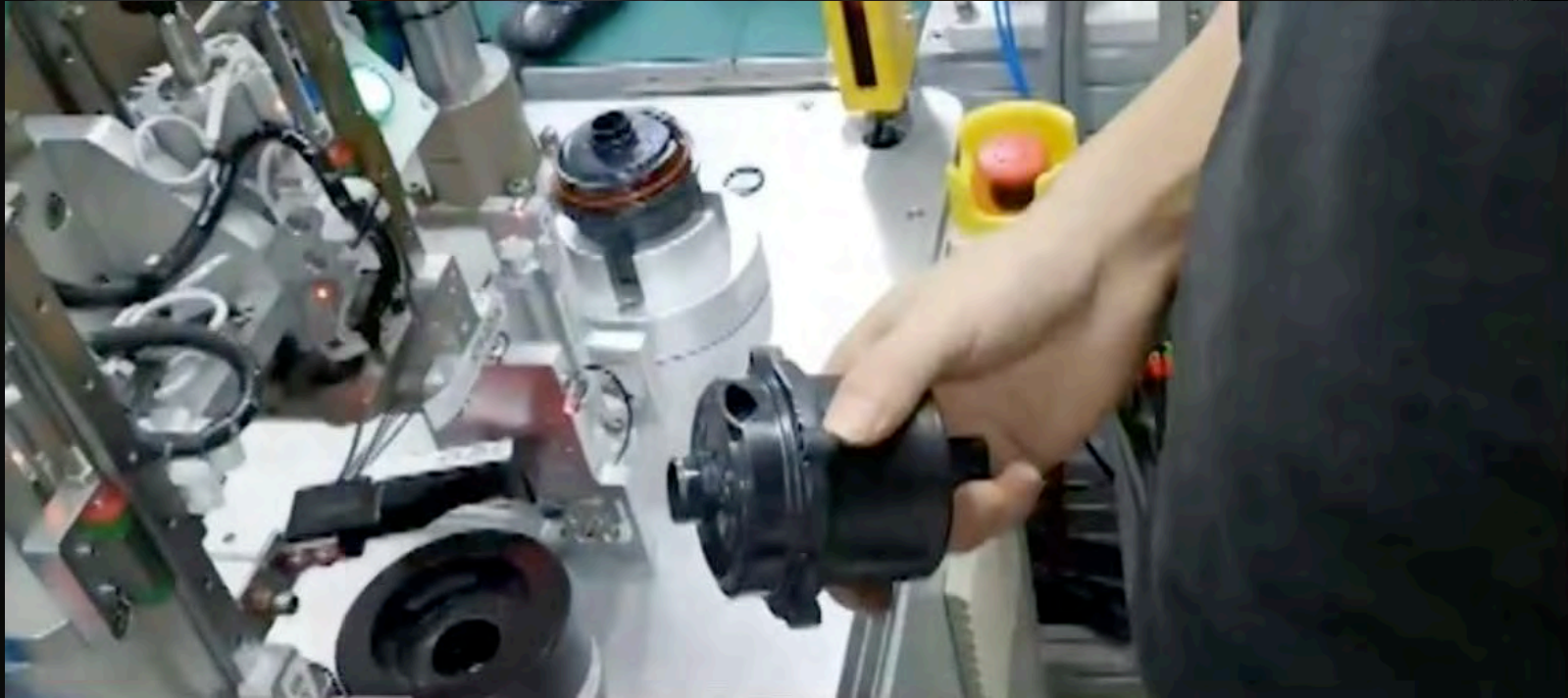
Forging, Stamping, Injection Molding, Brazing, Heat Treatment, Plastic Welding, Water Jetting, Machining, Ultrasonic Cleaning, Air Flushing, Soldering, Leak Testing, Complex Assembly

# Evolution of the Heat Pump Line

WHERE WE STARTED

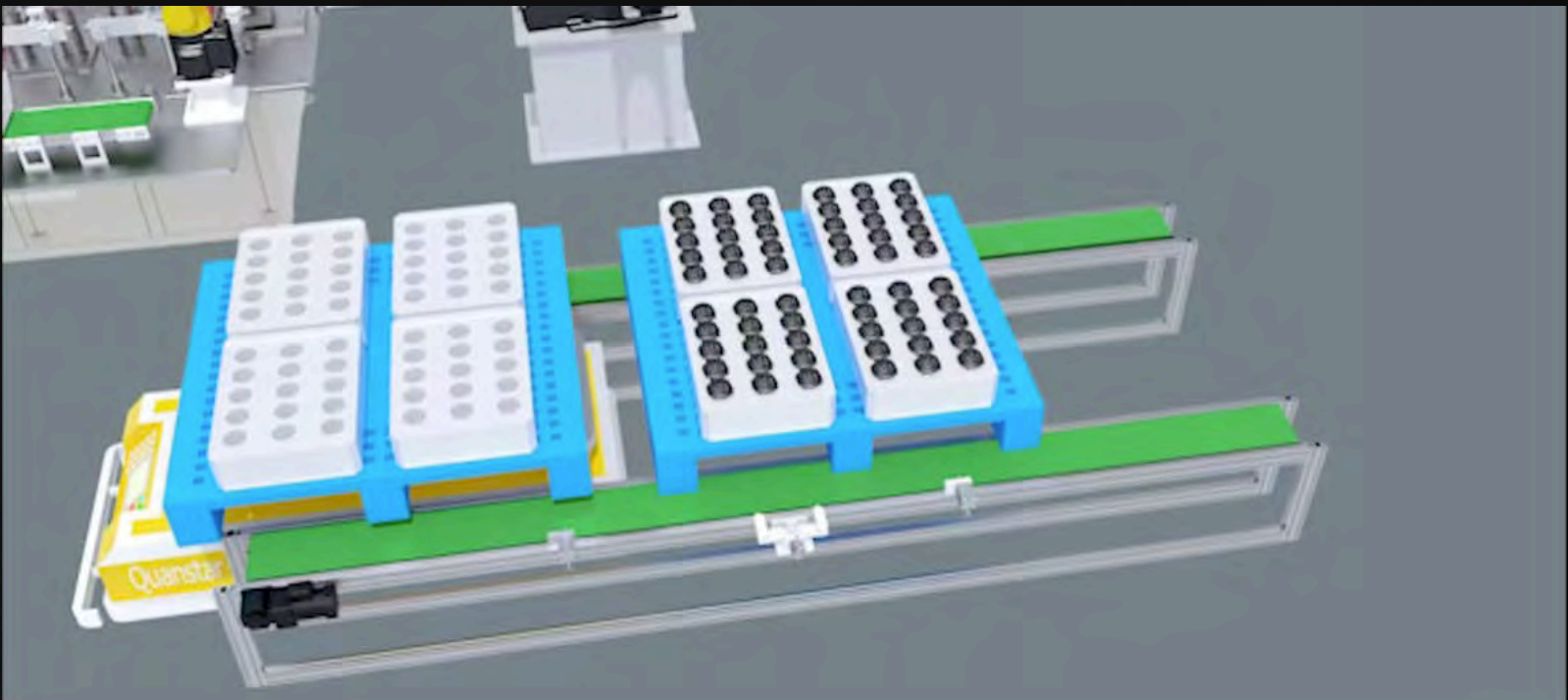


MANUAL



SEMI-AUTOMATED

WHERE WE ARE NOW

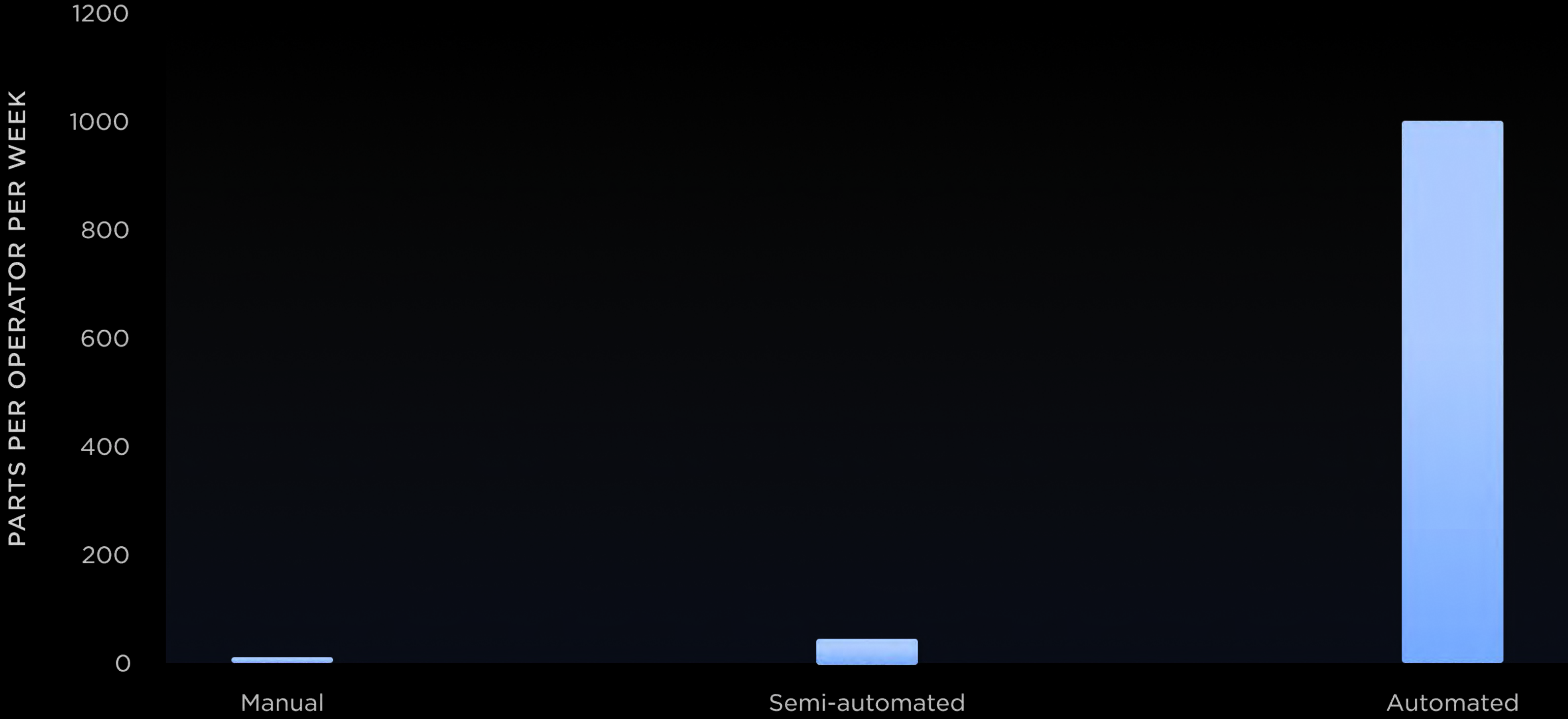


SIMULATED



AUTOMATED

# Doing More With Less



**99%**  
Reduction in labor

**99.995%**  
Of heat pumps received at Tesla are of high quality

**7 sec**  
Between each heat pump rolling off a supplier line

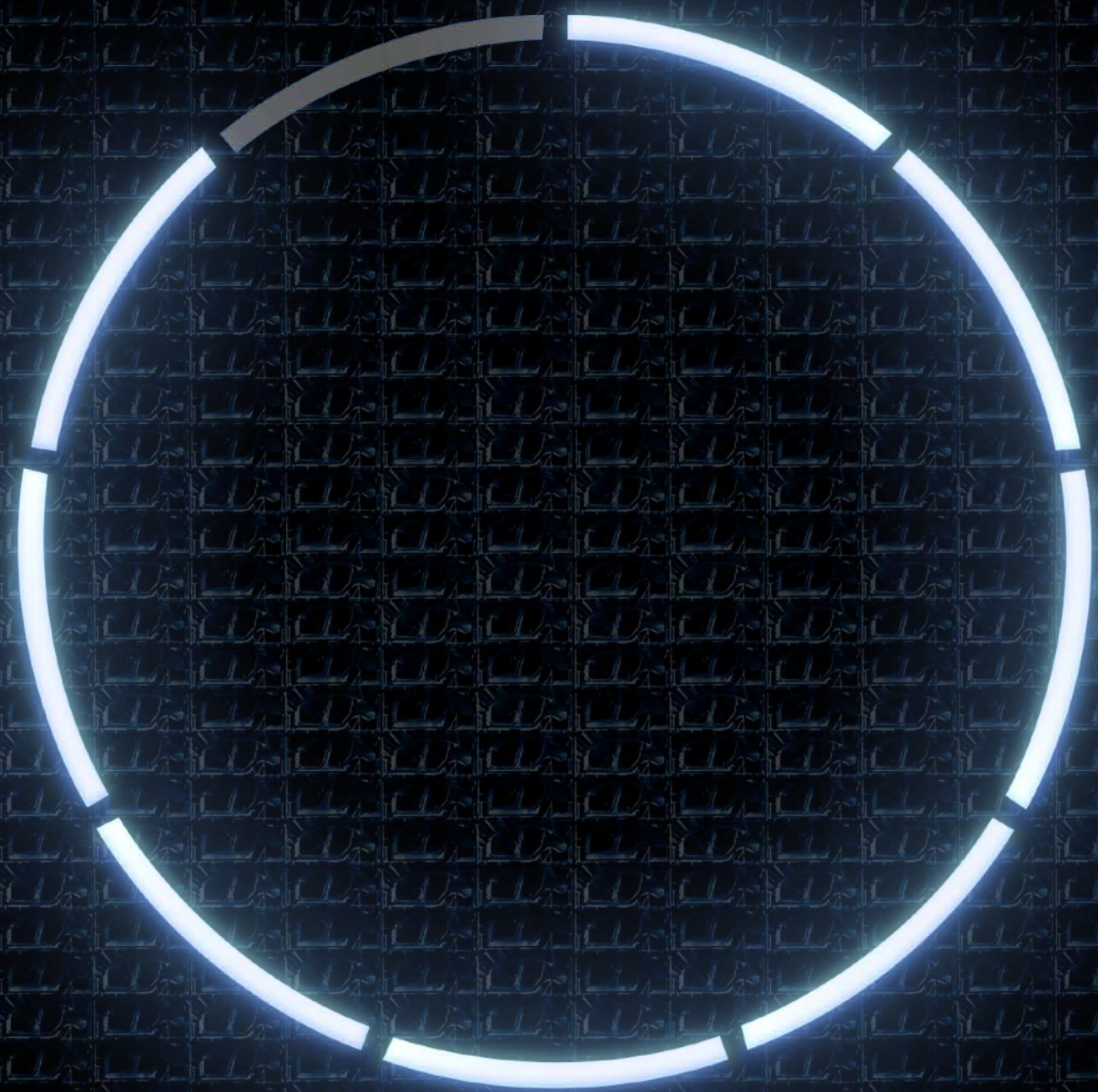
# Efficiency, Automation & Cost



Fewer Parts, Fewer Components

Do More With Less

Deep Involvement With Suppliers



## 08 Manufacturing

Tom Zhu, Drew Baglino

# We Build Ultra High Volume Factories

4

Vehicle  
Factories

65K

Manufacturing  
Employees

~2M

Total Annual  
Build Capacity



# Completed Gigafactory Shanghai in 9.5 Months



# Hitting New Milestones in 2023

FOR TOTAL VEHICLE PRODUCTION

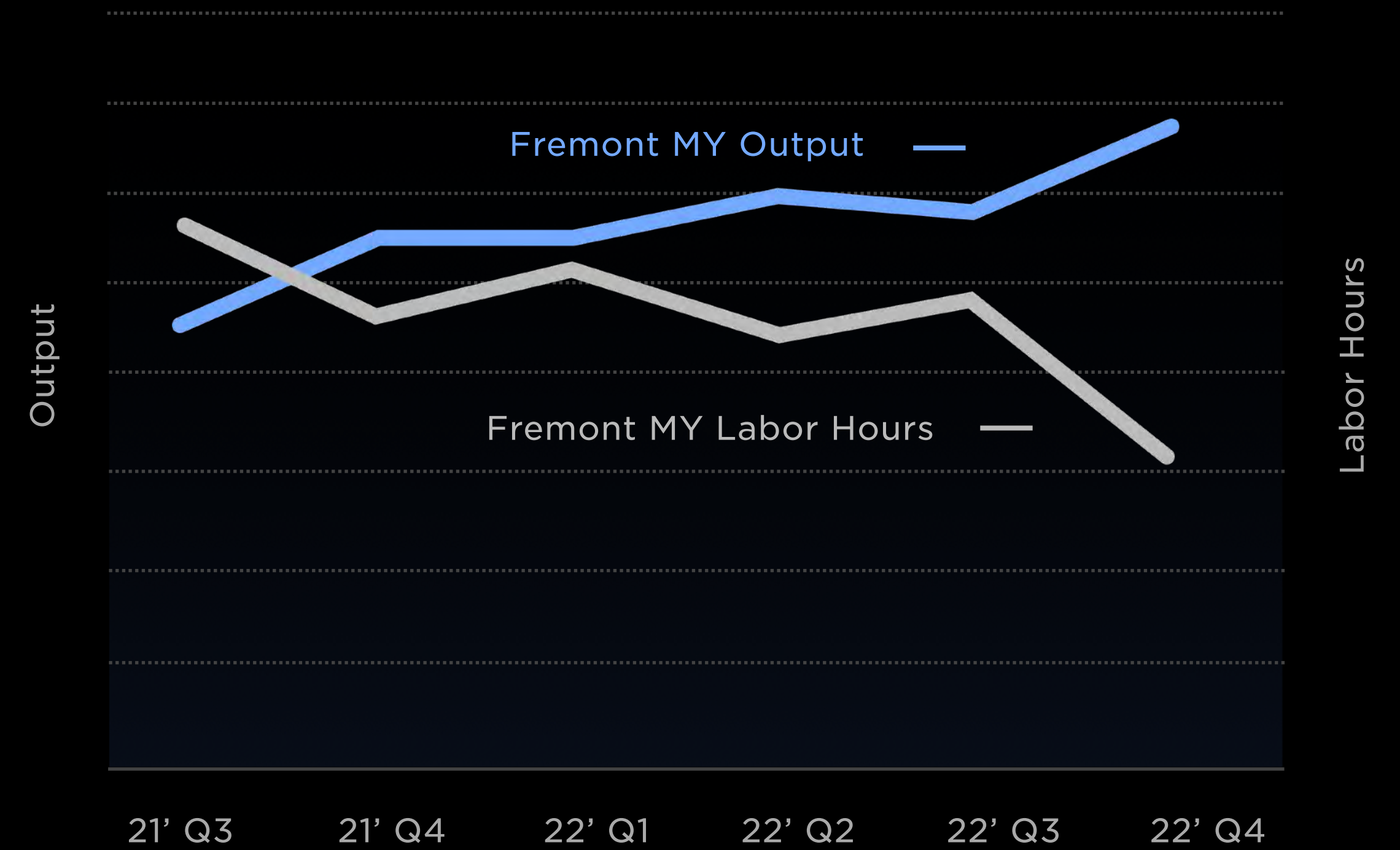
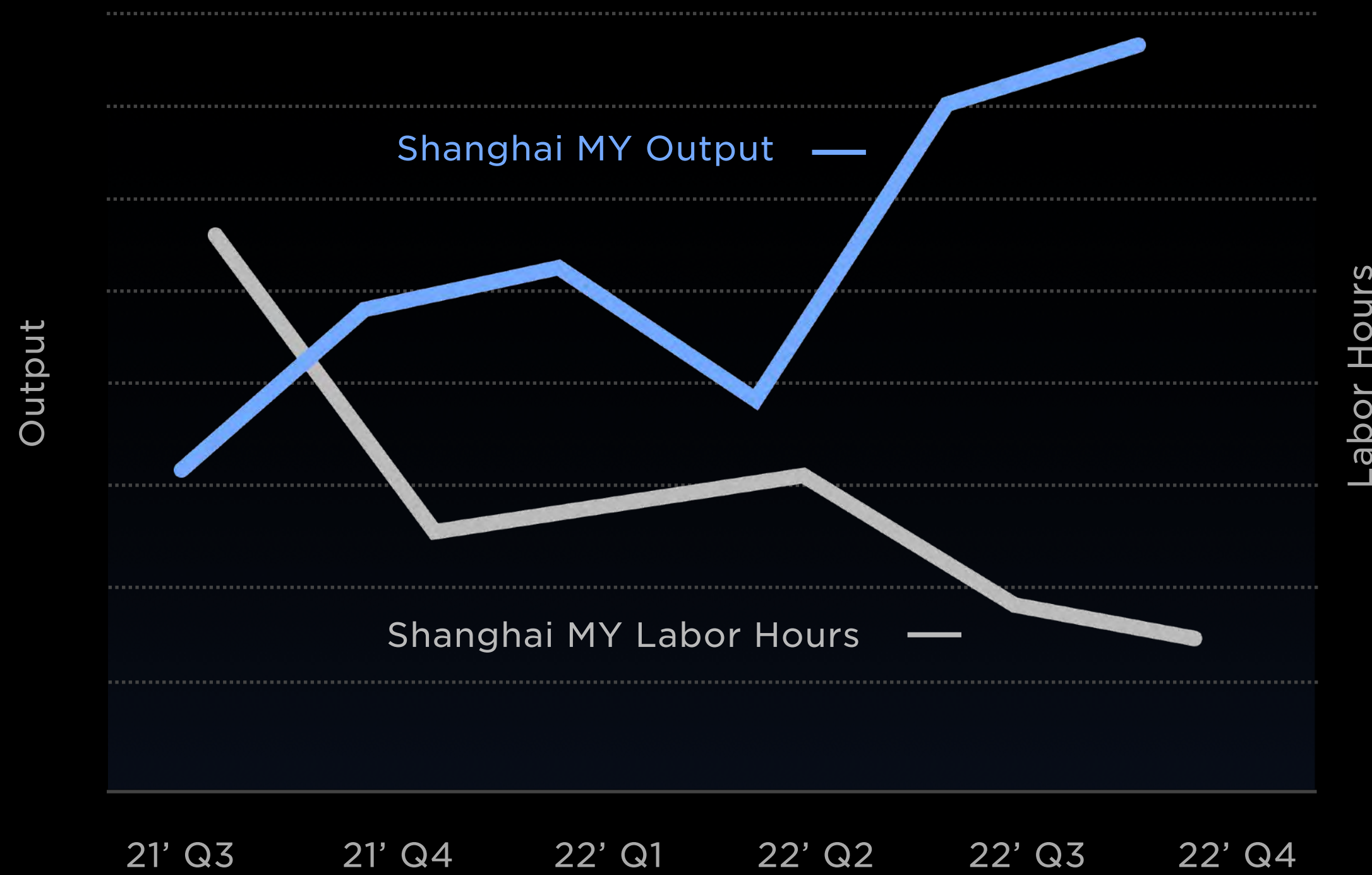
**First Million**  
12 Years

**4,000,000**

**Fourth Million**  
7 Months

# What It Takes To Ramp a Gigafactory

90% OVERALL EQUIPMENT EFFECTIVENESS & 45 SECOND CYCLE TIME



Question



Delete



Simplify



Accelerate



Automate

# Strengthened Feedback Loop Between Manufacturing & Service

(Last 6 Months)



# Tesla Vehicle Footprint

& MORE TO COME ;)



Austin



Berlin



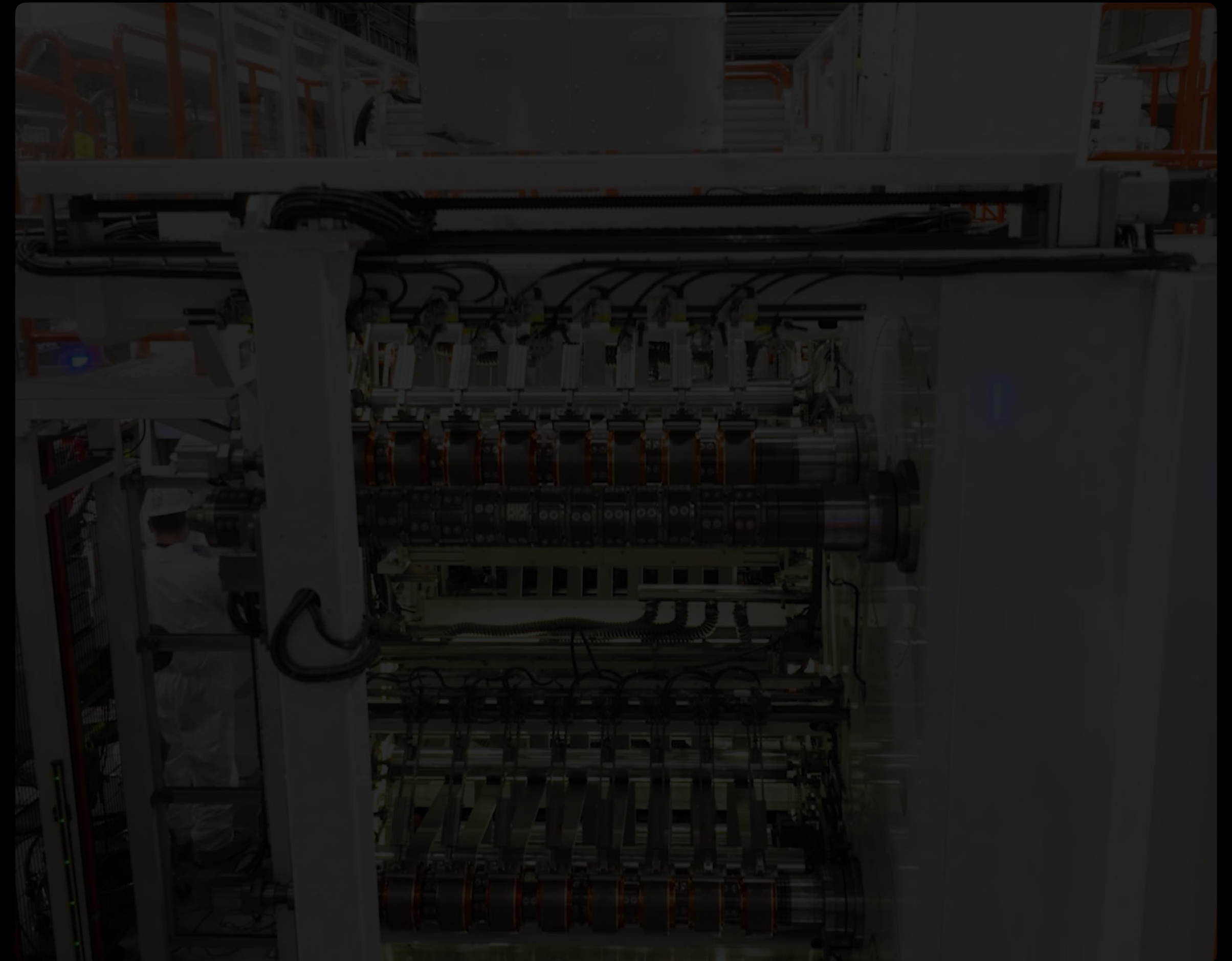
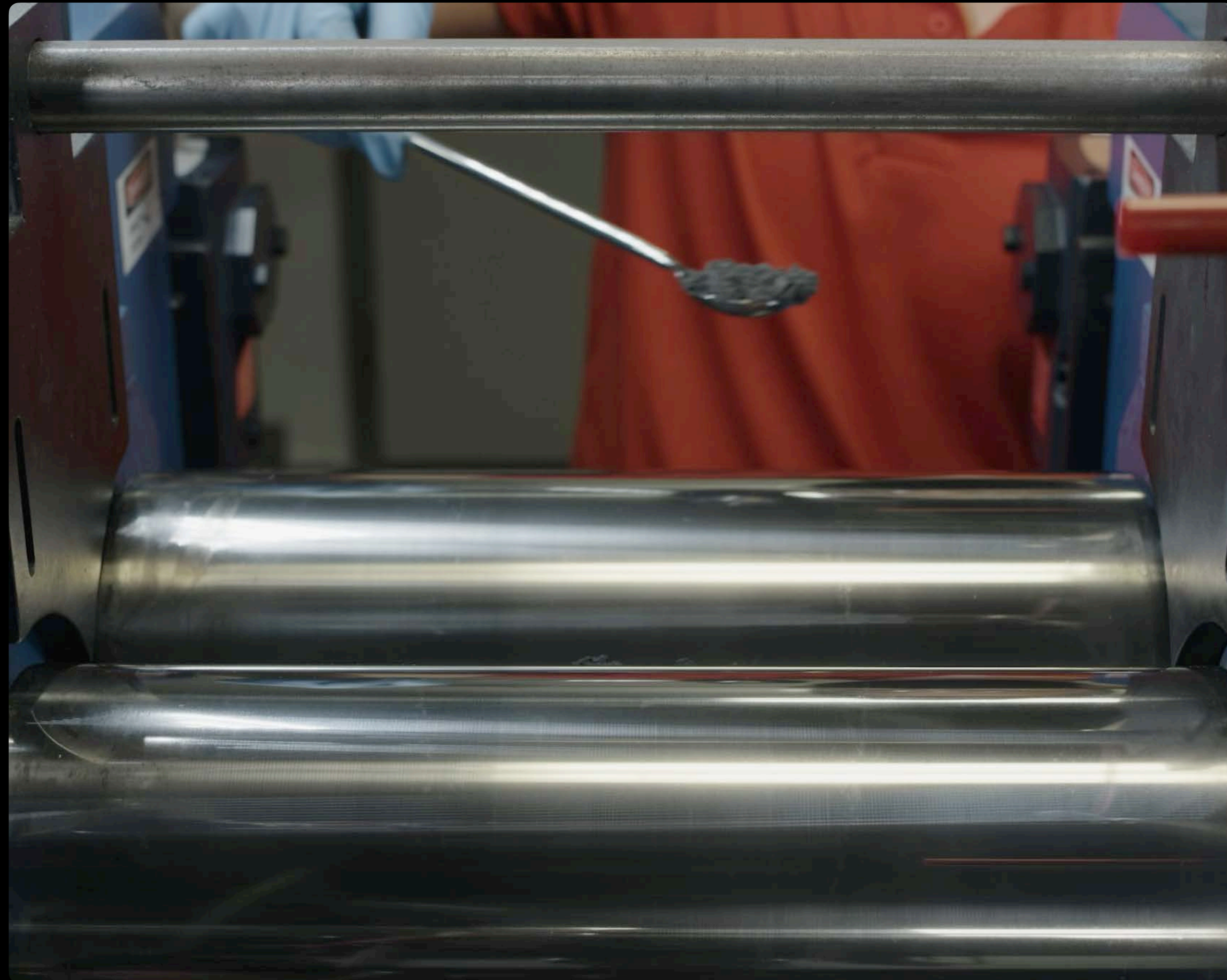
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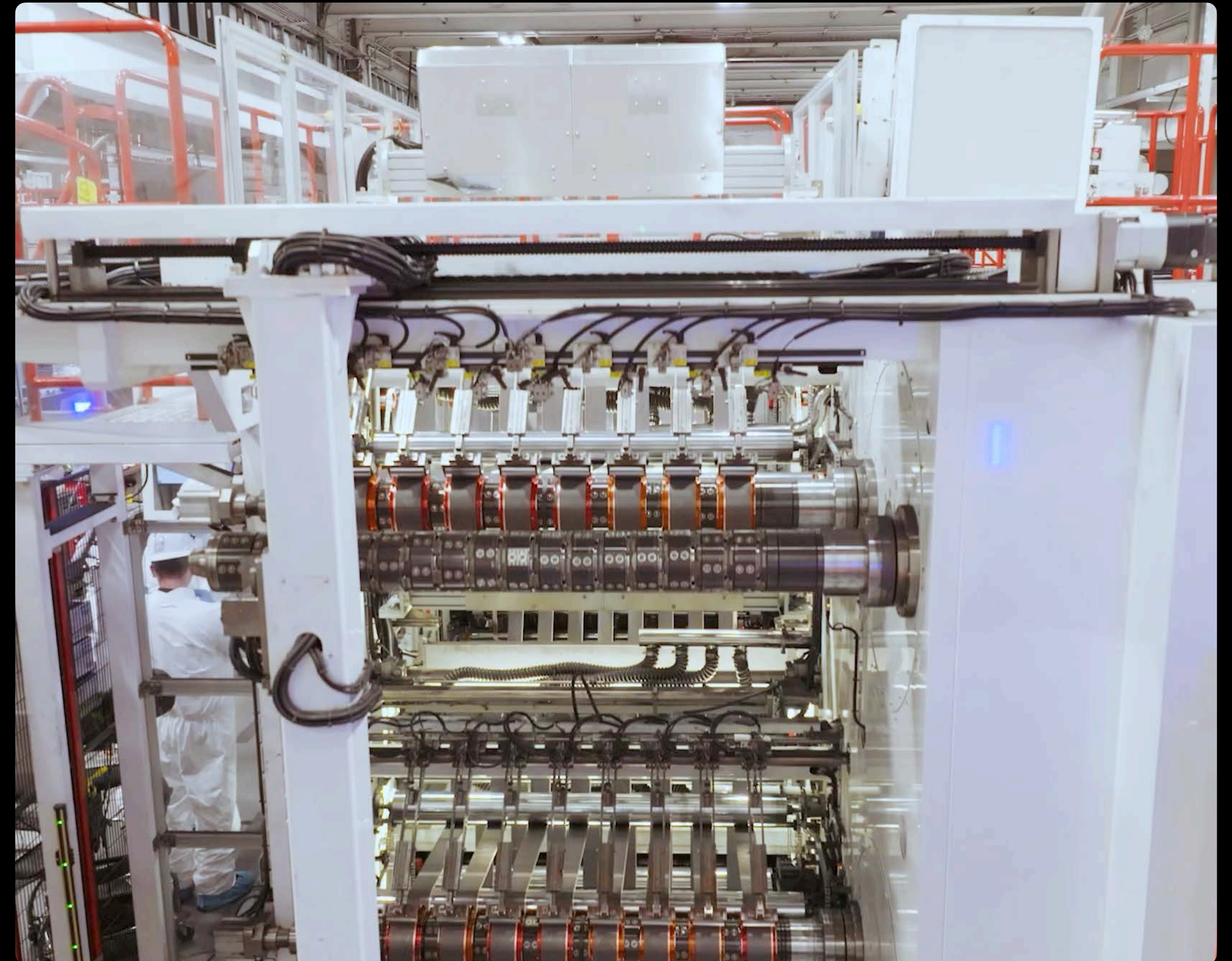
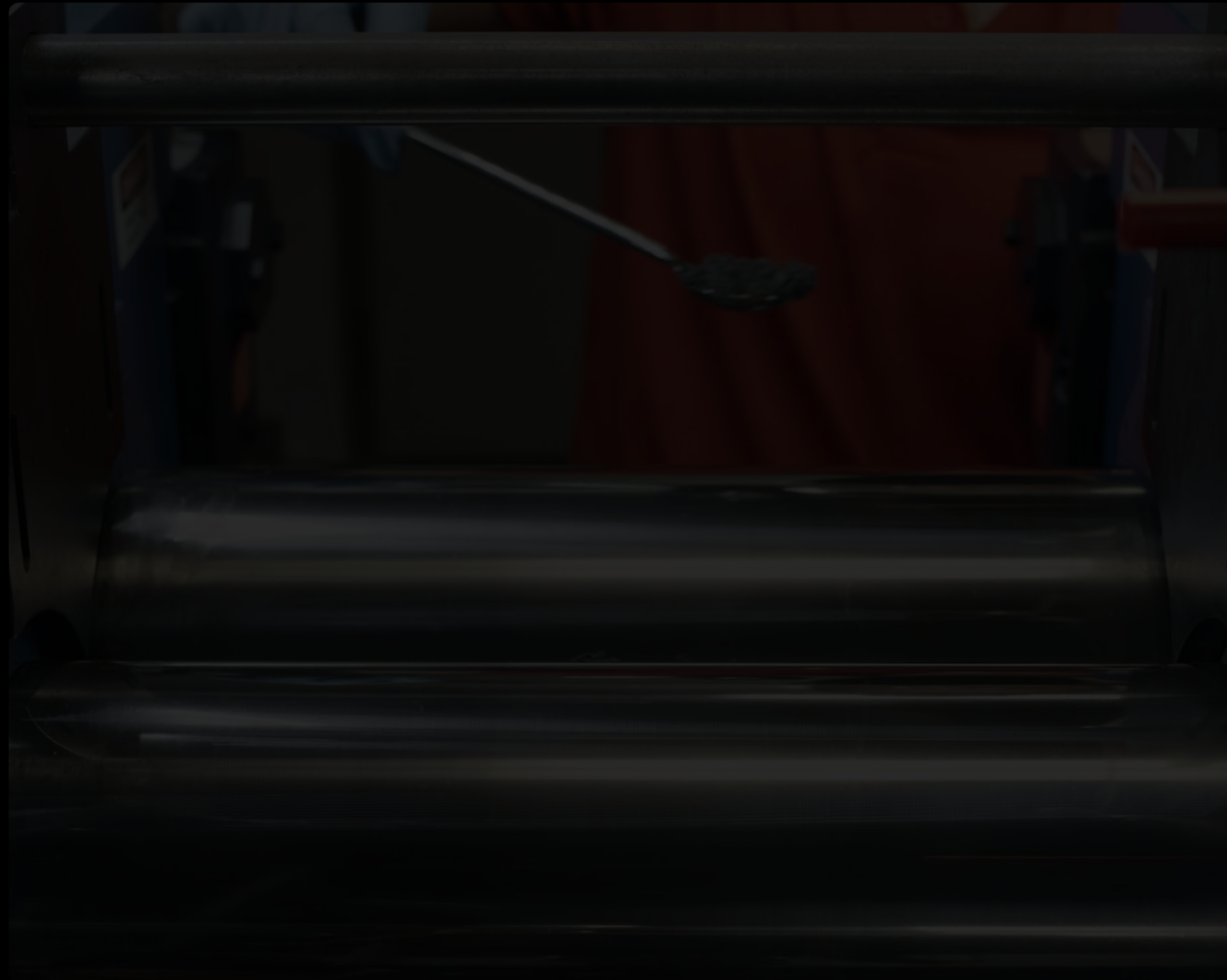
# Future Cell Factories, Too

THERE IS NO SPOON



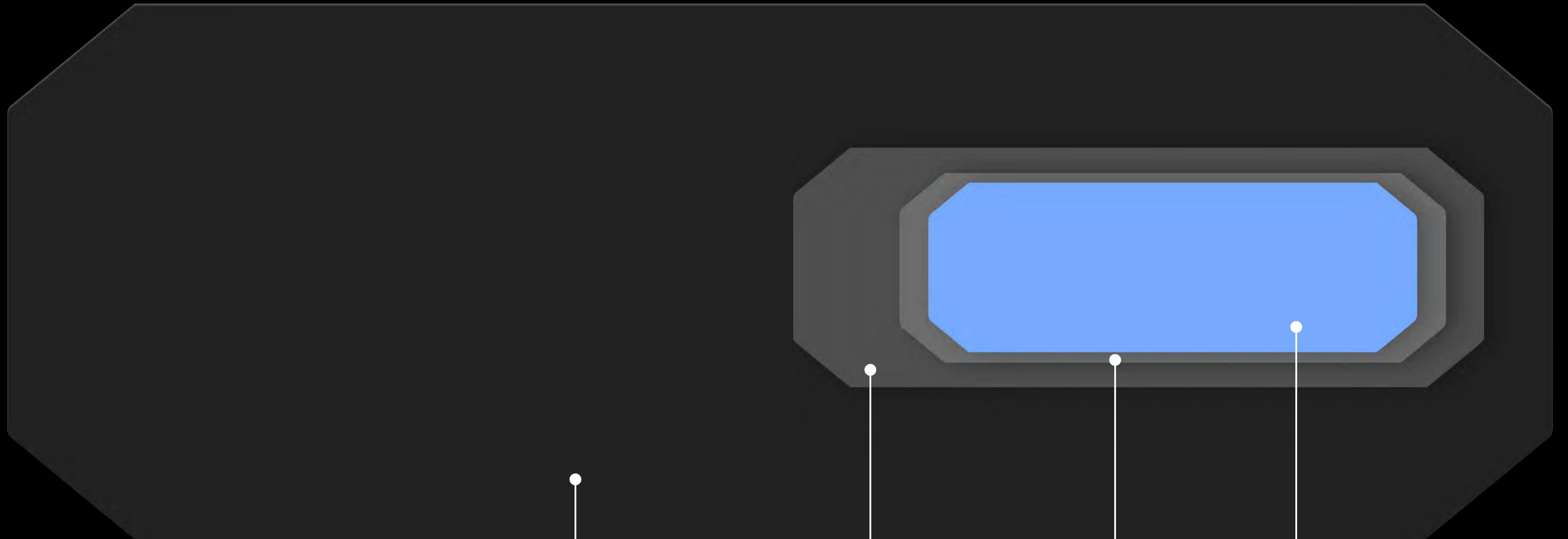
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# Simplicity Up, Investment Down, Scale Up



Typical 2170 Cylindrical

Fremont 4680

GFTX 4680

GFNV Future 4680

Parts

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Processes

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And Upstream Materials Where Necessary

**50 GWh/Year Corpus Christi Lithium Refinery**

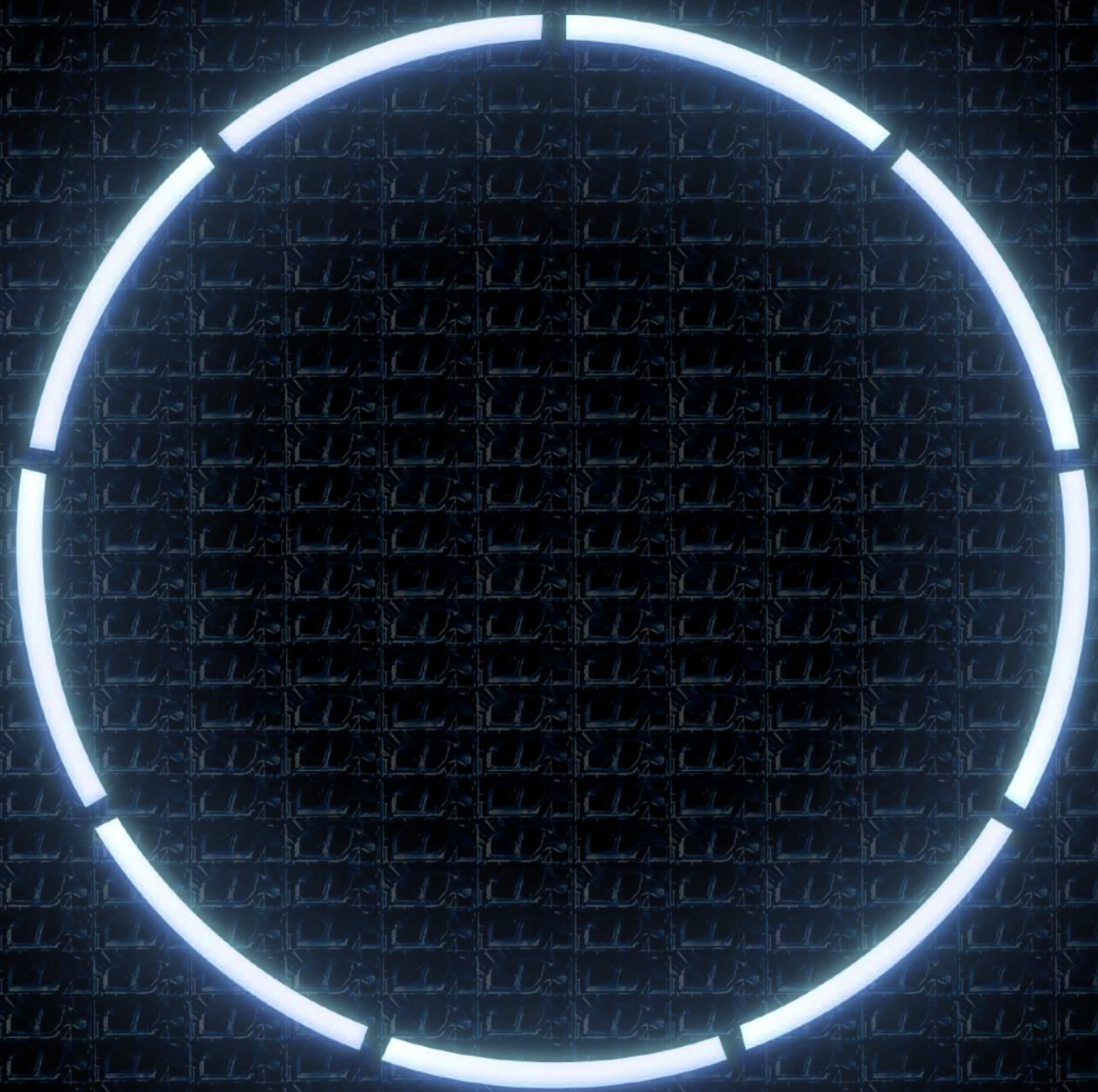
STARTS COMMISSIONING END OF 2023

# Manufacturing is the Cornerstone of a Sustainable Future

Build Production Lines Faster

Ramp Faster Through Learnings

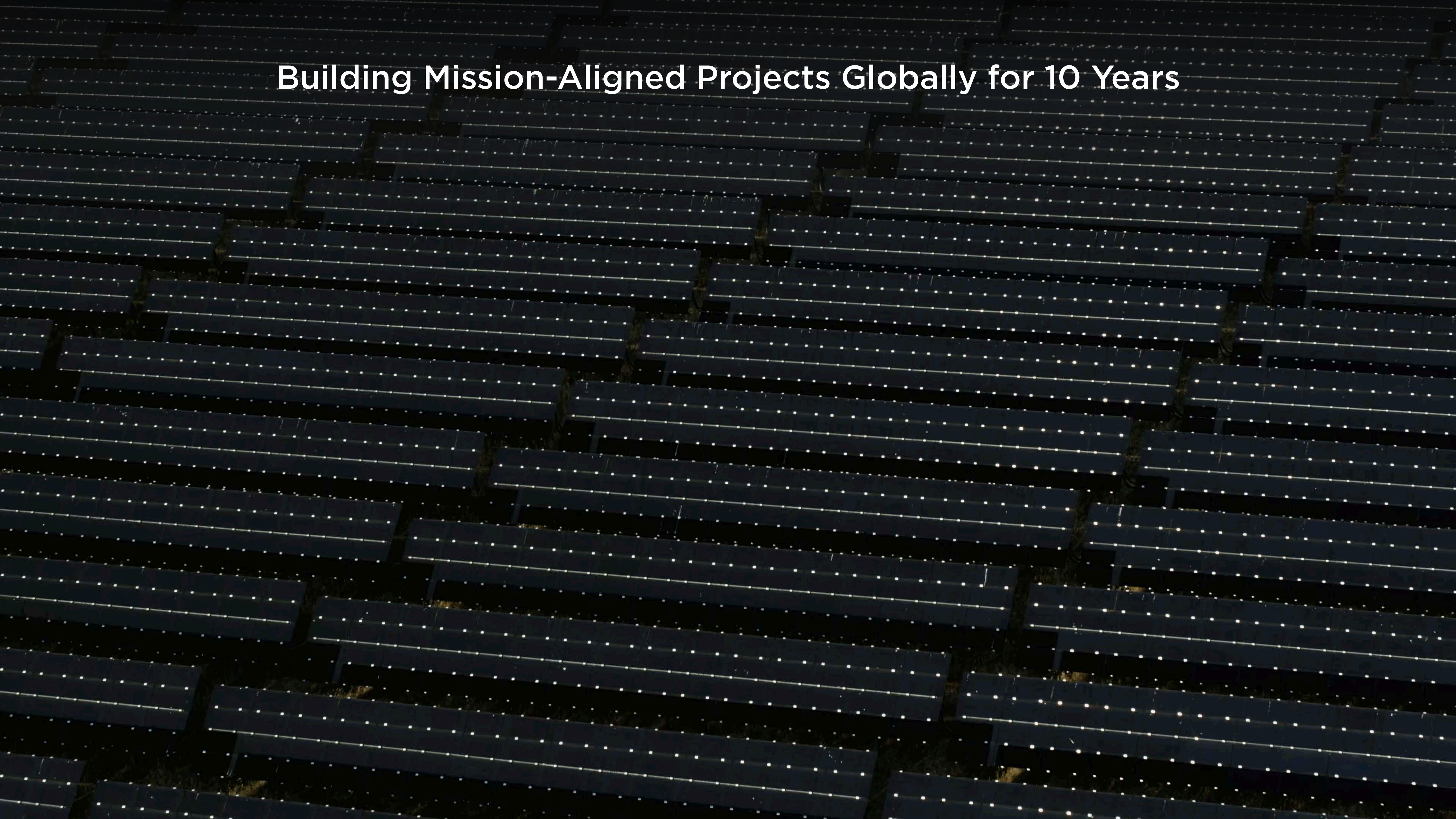
New Waves of Production Lines Incoming



## 09 Energy

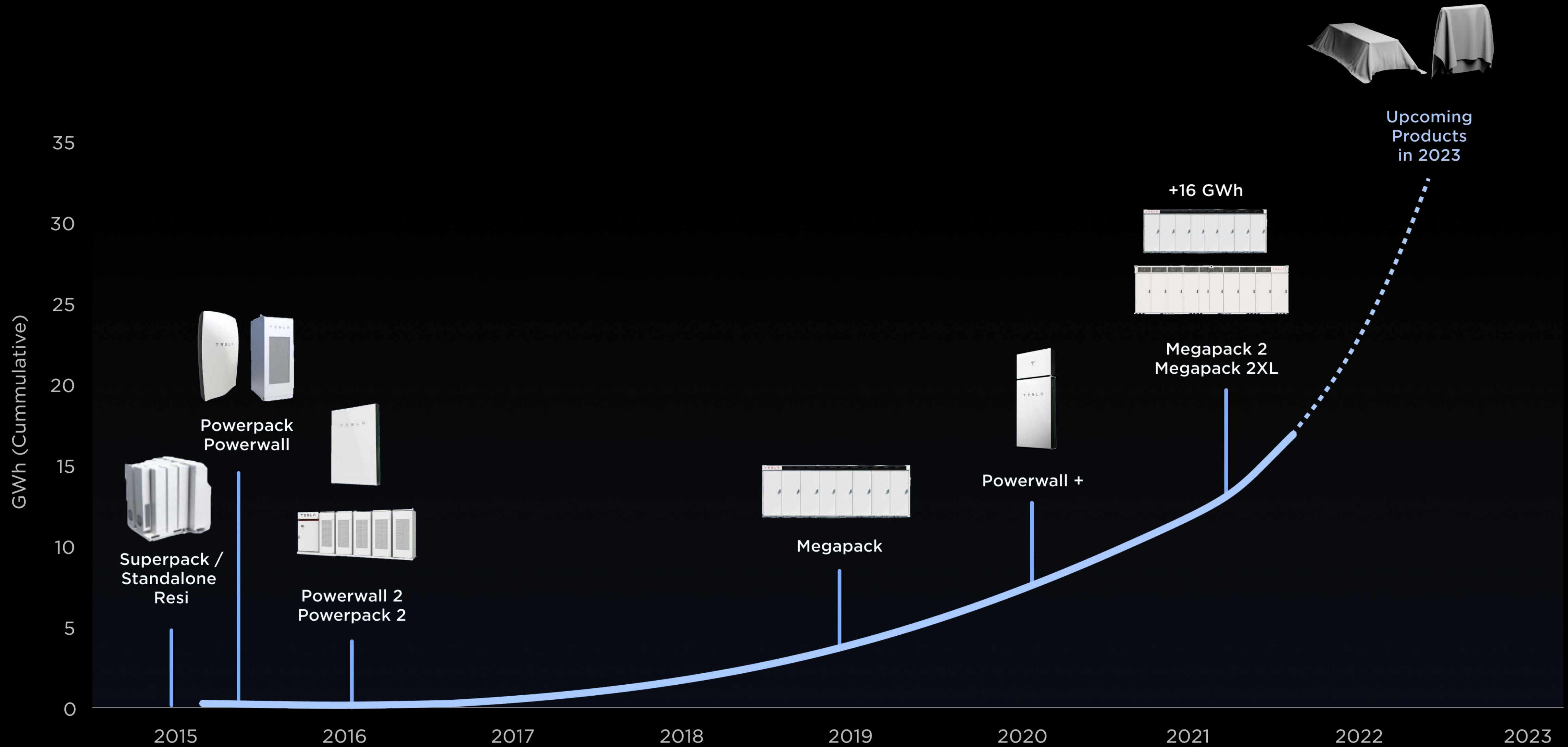
Drew Baglino, Mike Snyder

**Building Mission-Aligned Projects Globally for 10 Years**



# Growth Is Accelerating

65% CAGR SINCE 2016

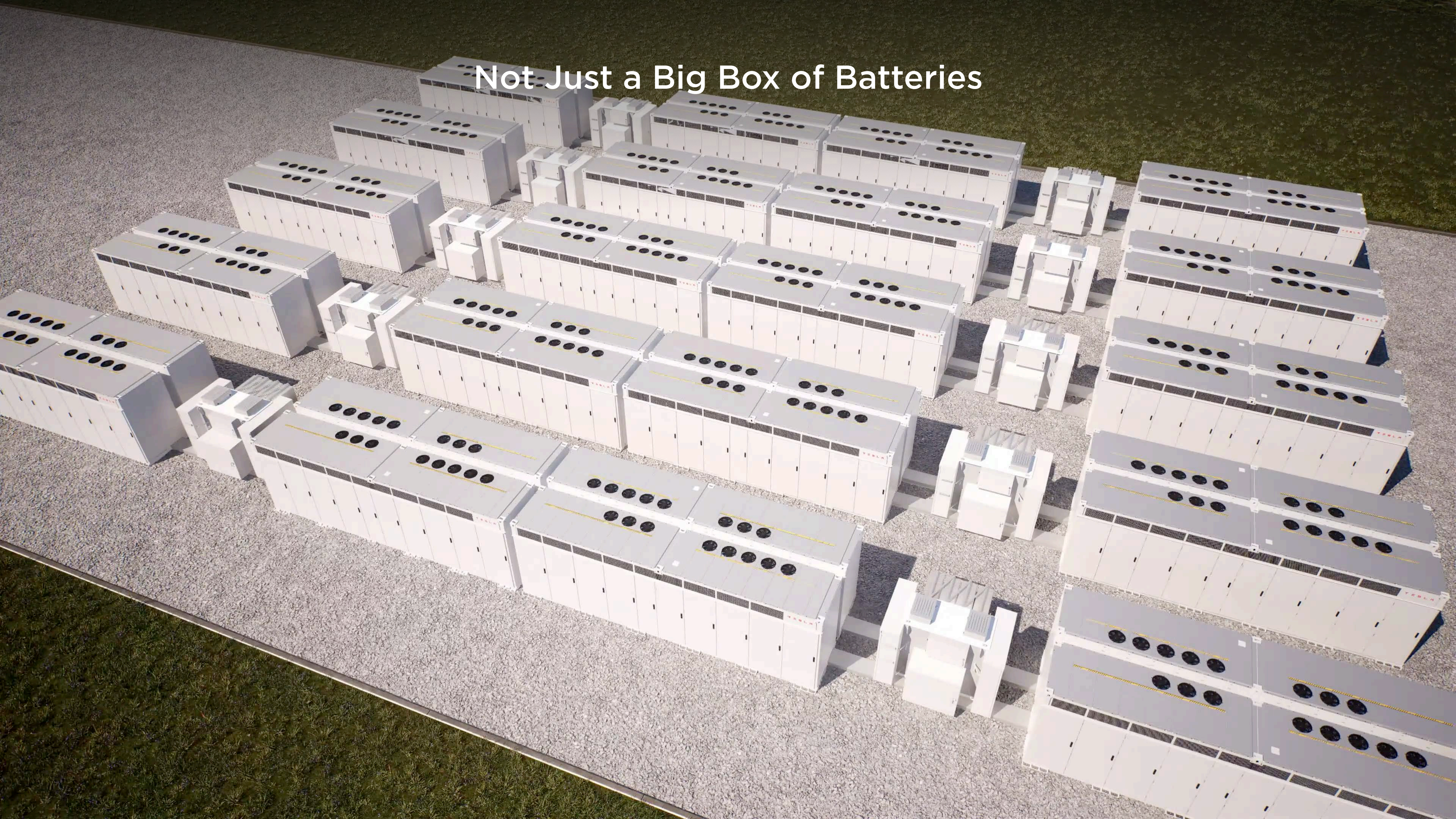


# How Did We Get Here

MANIACAL FOCUS ON ALL ASPECTS OF DELIVERING STATIONARY STORAGE VALUE



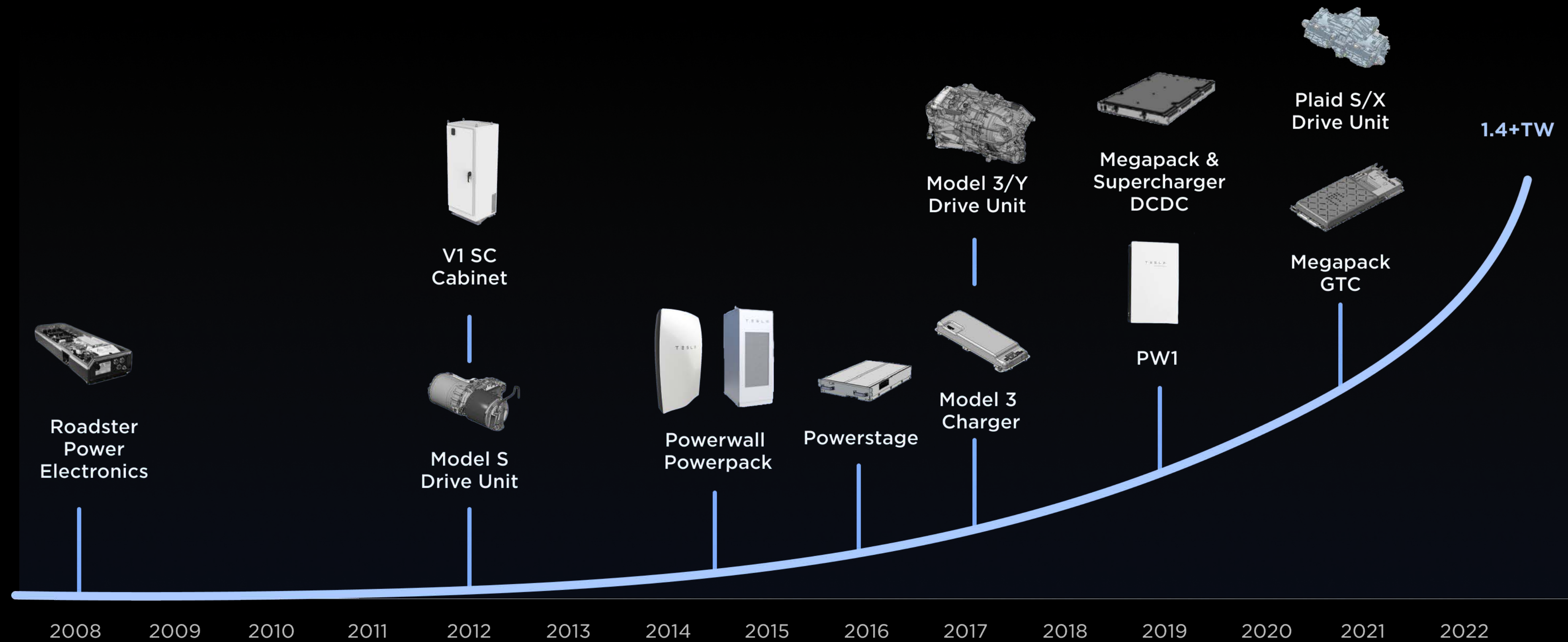
Not Just a Big Box of Batteries





# 14 Years of in-House Power Electronics Expertise

1.4+ TW DEPLOYED



# Retiring Fossil Fueled Power Plants With Software

## World 1st: Tesla Batteries Providing Inertia Services At Scale

By [Dakshay Shah](#) Published August 1, 2022 21 Comments

Let's start with the ABCs: what are inertia services on an electricity grid? Even before that, what is inertia in a grid setting? Most of us should remember "inertia" from our younger years in primary school. Inertia is an object's natural inclination to just keep moving (if it weren't for friction) or just keep sitting still if that object is not moving. But on the surface, that's confusing in terms of

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## Tesla has a new product called 'Virtual Machine Mode' coming to its 'Big Battery'

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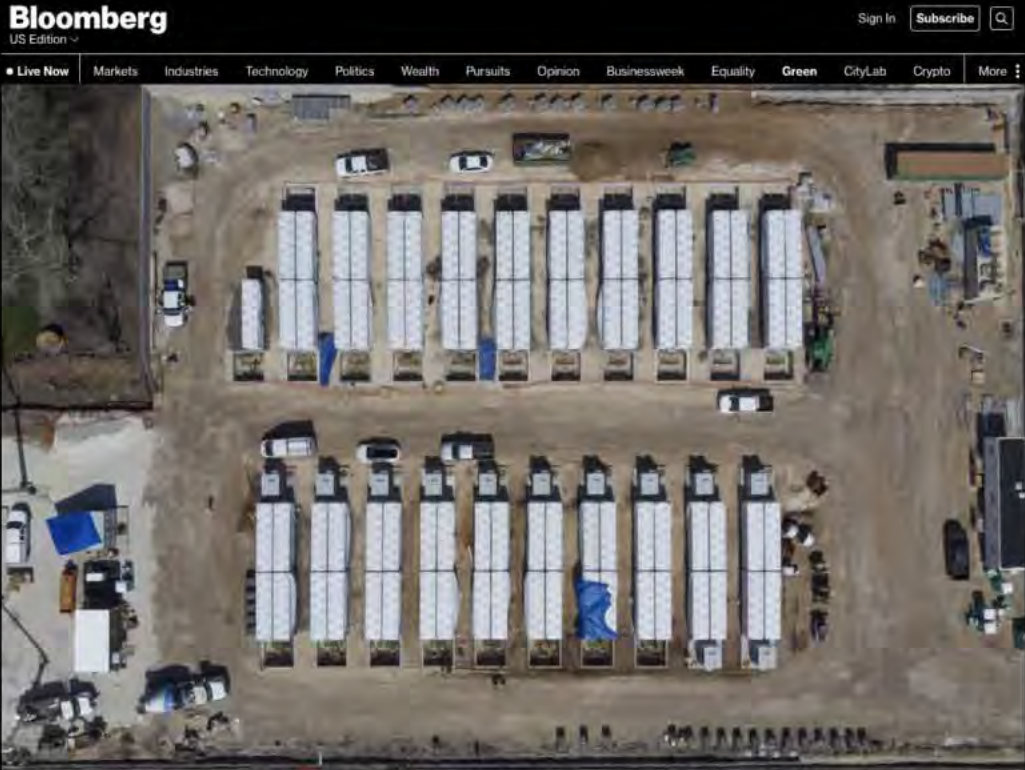
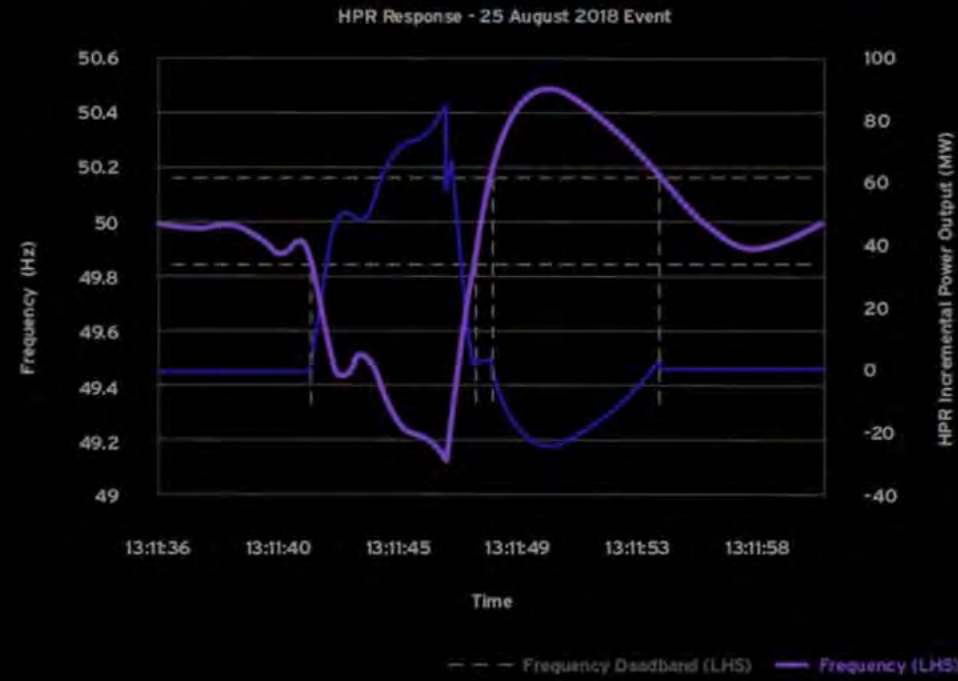
### 'Undeniable success': South Australia's 129MWh Tesla battery

By [Andy Colthorpe](#)

December 6, 2018

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A photograph taken on March 4 by a drone shows the Gambel Energy Storage Park in Angleton, Texas. The utility-scale battery project is owned by a Tesla subsidiary. Photographer: Mark Felix/Bloomberg

Green | Hyperdrive

### Tesla Is Plugging a Secret Mega-Battery Into the Texas Grid

The utility-scale battery located outside of Houston will connect to the same grid that faltered in February's freeze

By [Dana Hull](#) and [Naureen S Malik](#)

March 8, 2021 at 3:00 AM PST Updated on March 8, 2021 at 12:23 PM PST

From [Hyperdrive](#)

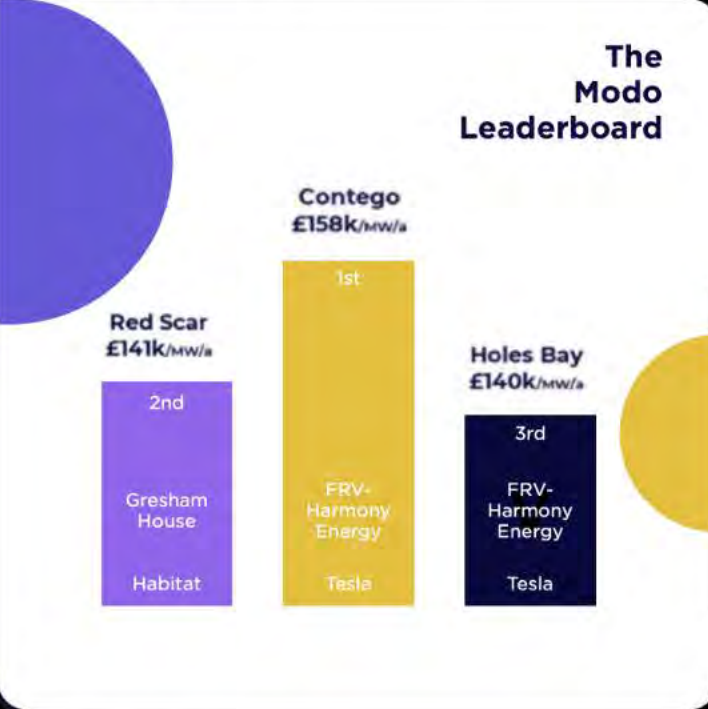
Elon Musk is getting into the Texas power market, with previously unrevealed construction of a gigantic battery connected to an ailing electric grid that nearly collapsed last month. The move marks Tesla

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10/ Congratulations to Contego ESS - 34MW/68MWh! 🏆

The Harmony Energy-FRV project, operated by @Tesla's Autobidder software pocketed £158k/MW/a in 2021.

Contego utilised its 2-hour duration to capitalise on those high day-ahead spreads in addition to providing symmetric DC!



6:33 AM · Dec 22, 2021 · Twitter Web App

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# How Did We Get Here

RELENTLESS FOCUS ON SPEED OF EXECUTION

# Build Megafactories Faster

FIRST MEGAFACTORY BUILT IN LESS THAN ONE YEAR

SEPTEMBER 2021  
Construction Begins



SEPTEMBER 2022  
Construction Finishes

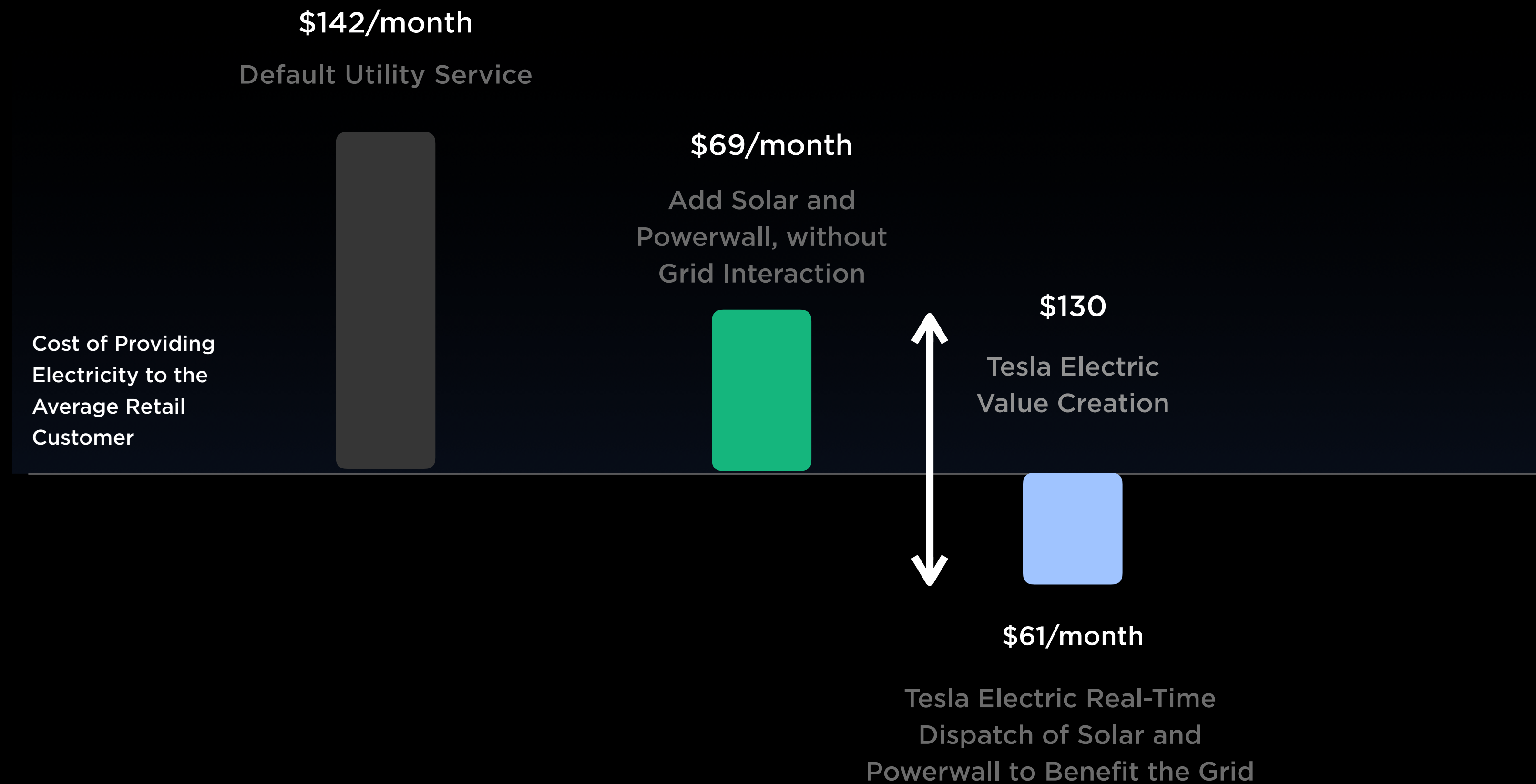
# Install Projects Faster

4X INSTALLATION & COMMISSIONING SPEED SINCE 2019



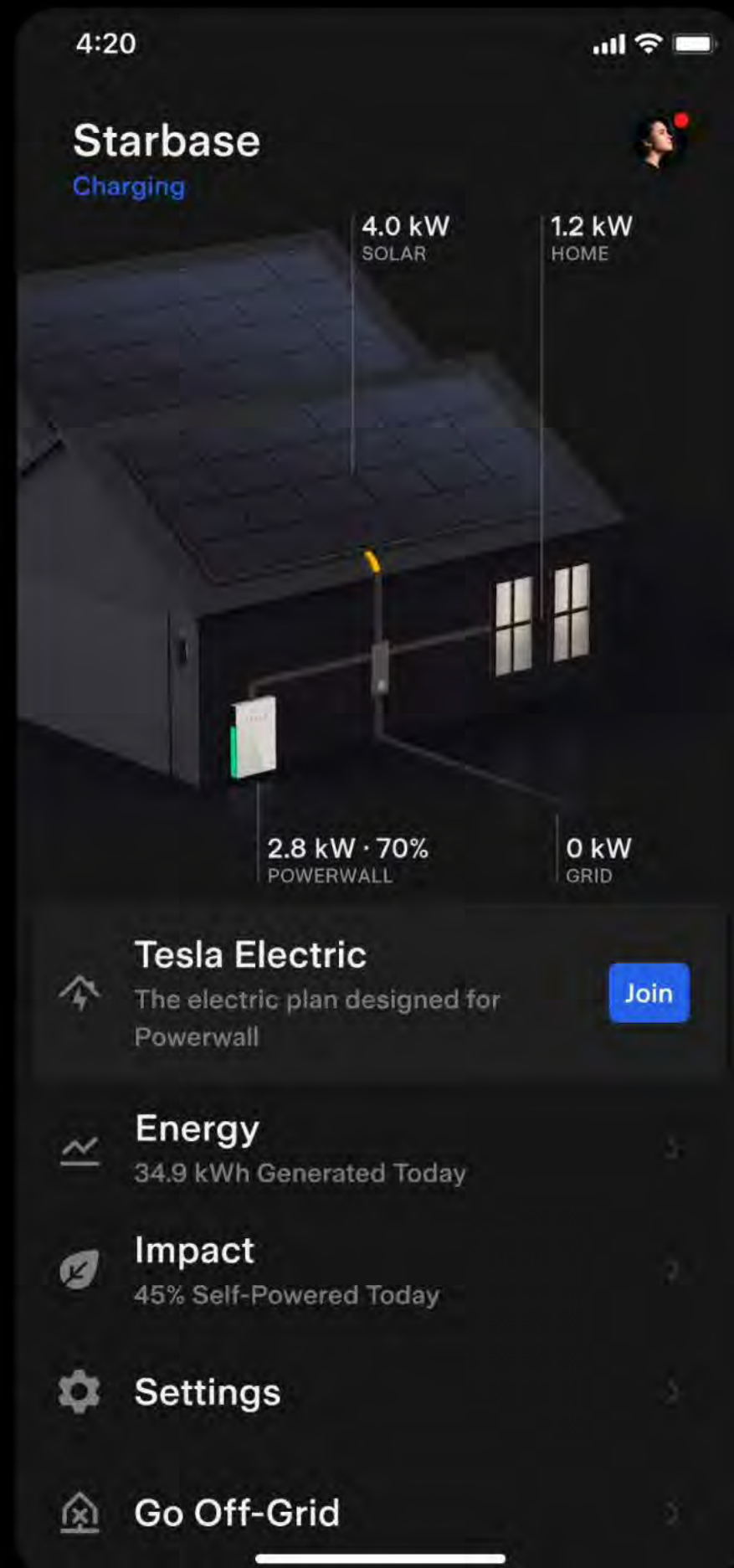
# Tesla Electric Unlocks the Full Value of Distributed Energy & Storage

ENABLING OUR CUSTOMERS TO BECOME THEIR OWN UTILITY



Based on 5,000 Australia Customers in 2022

# Tesla Electric Rollout Plan



Available Today ⚡

For homes with Powerwall in competitive retail electricity markets in Texas

# Tesla Electric Rollout Plan



Coming in July to Texas

**Unlimited  
overnight  
home charging**

**\$30/month**



# This Is Just the Beginning

Cumulative Tesla Storage Deployed

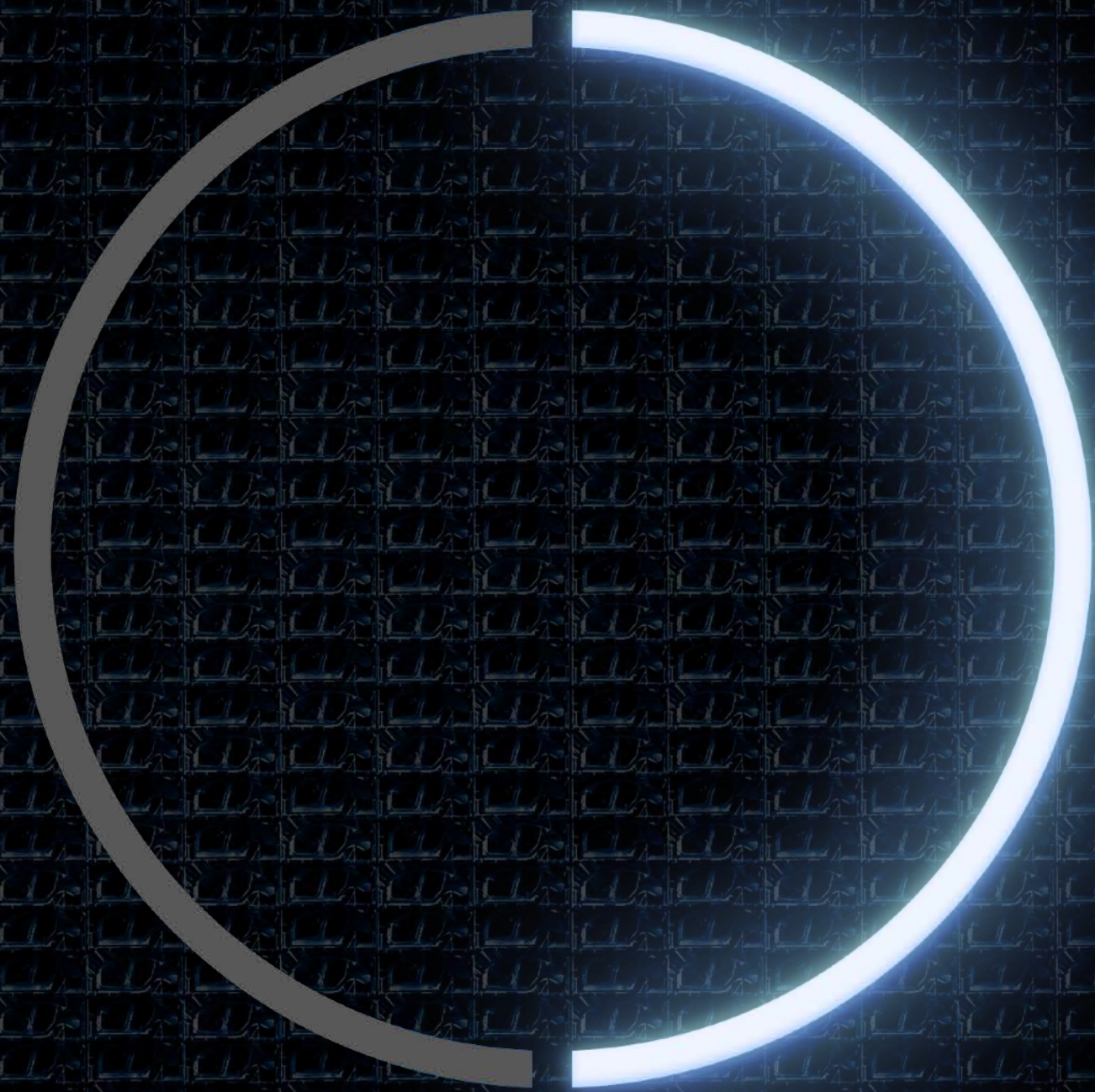


We are here

Focus on Building Capacity & Ramping Fast

Tesla Is an Electricity Retailer

# Impact at Tesla



# 01 Impact

Laurie Shelby, Brandon Ehrhart

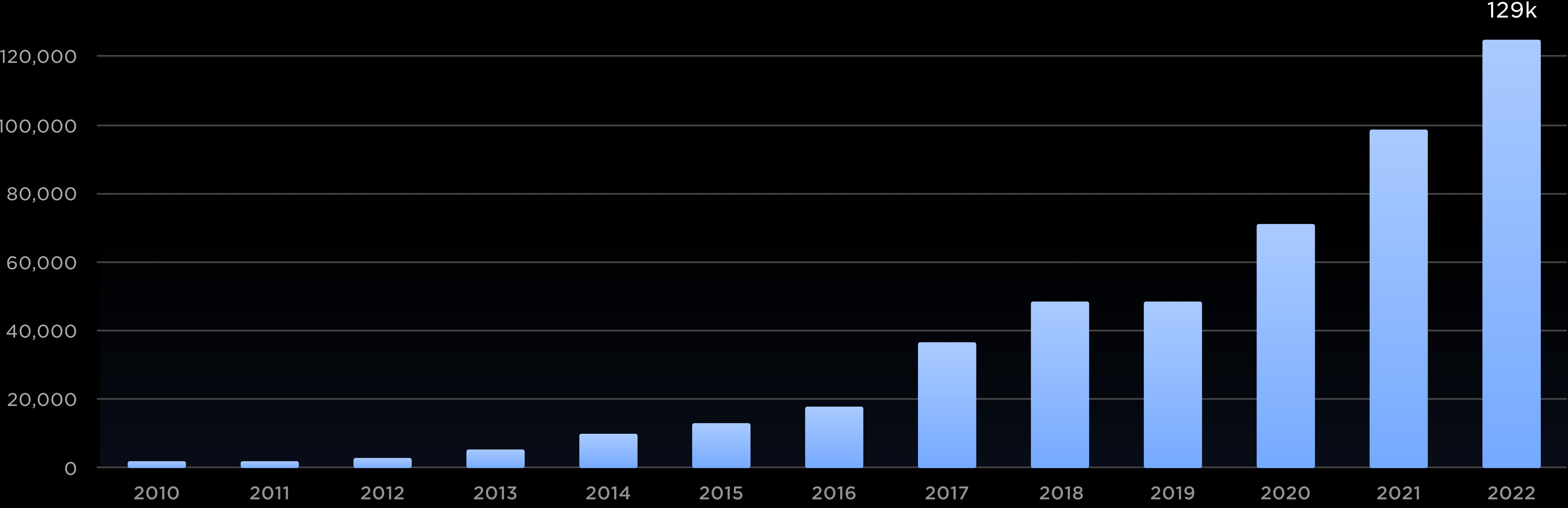
Who We Are

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# The Team is Growing Rapidly

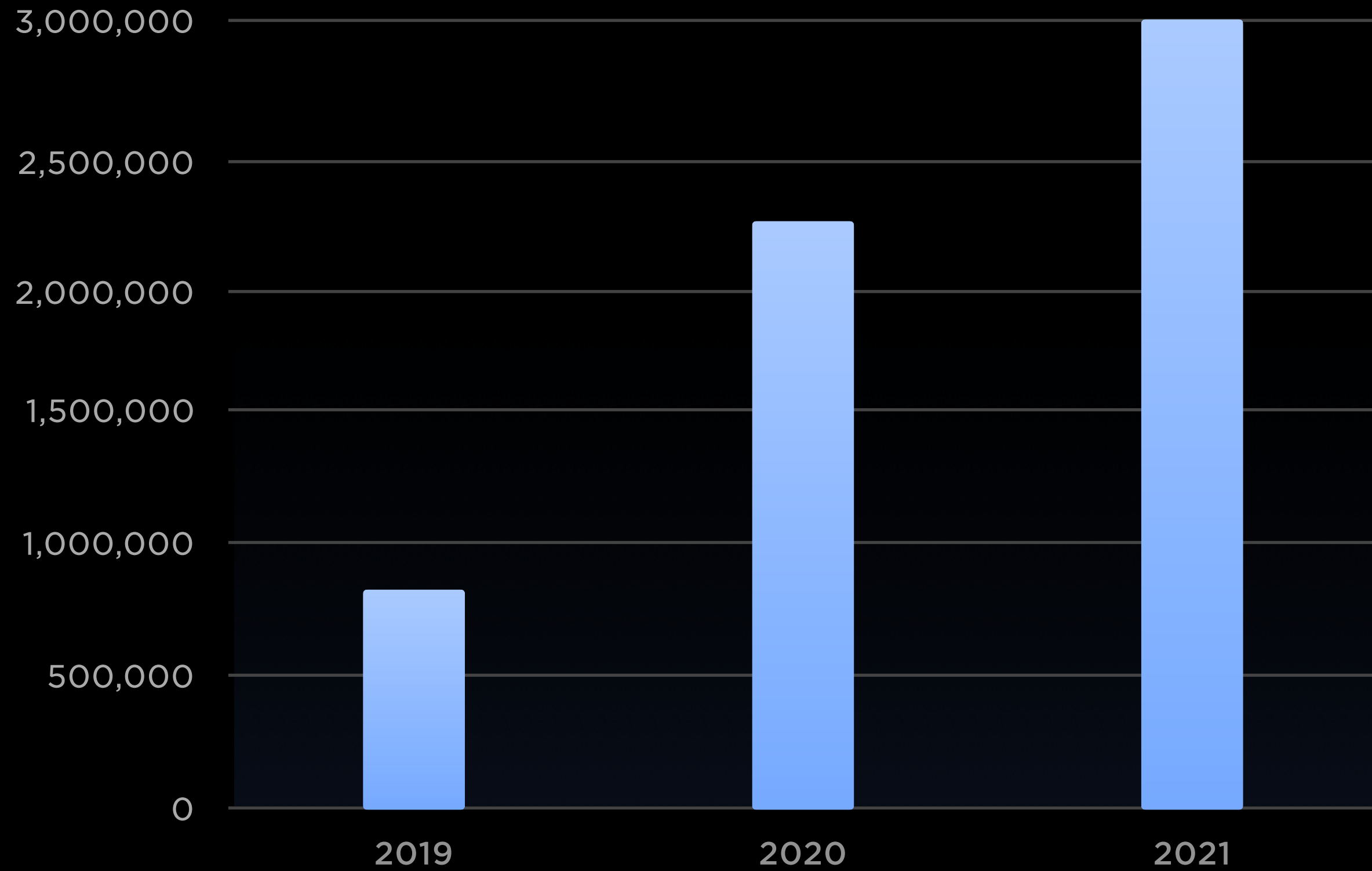
1/2 WORK IN MANUFACTURING



Tesla Global Employee Count

# Engineers Want to Work Here

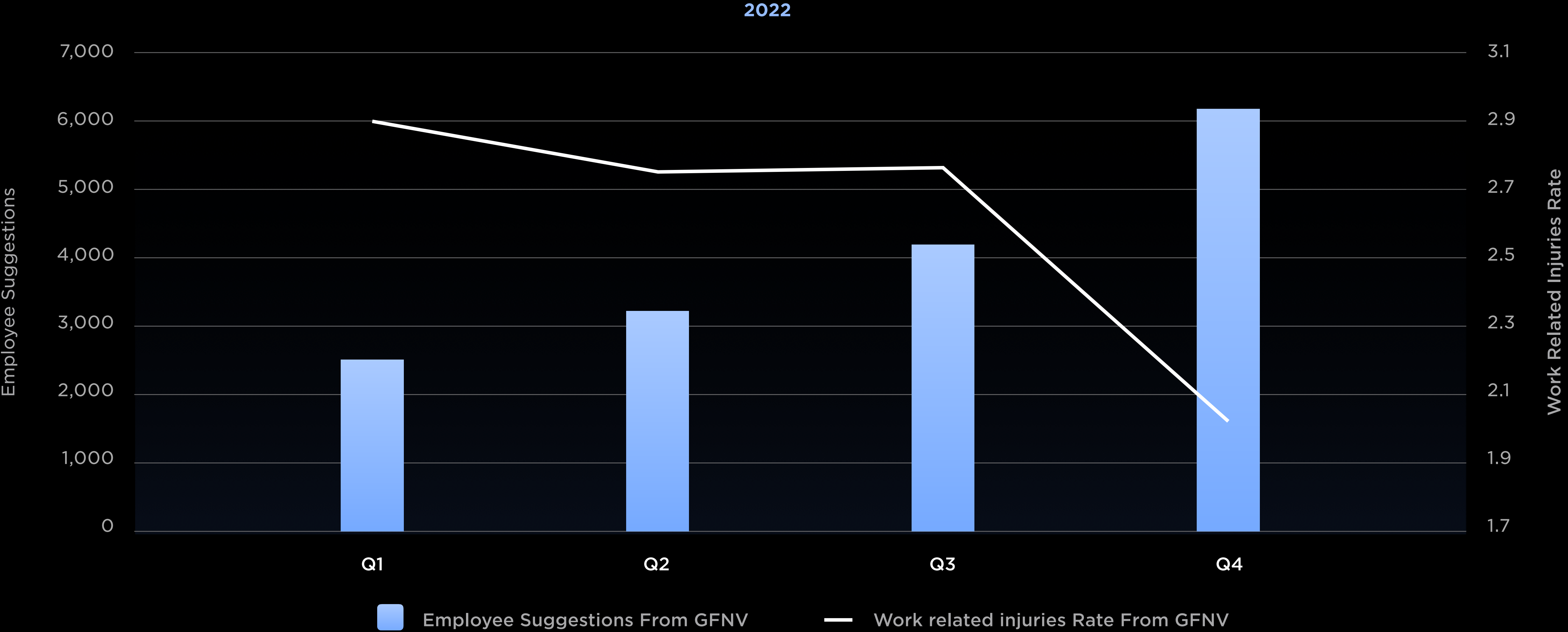
## Total Applicants



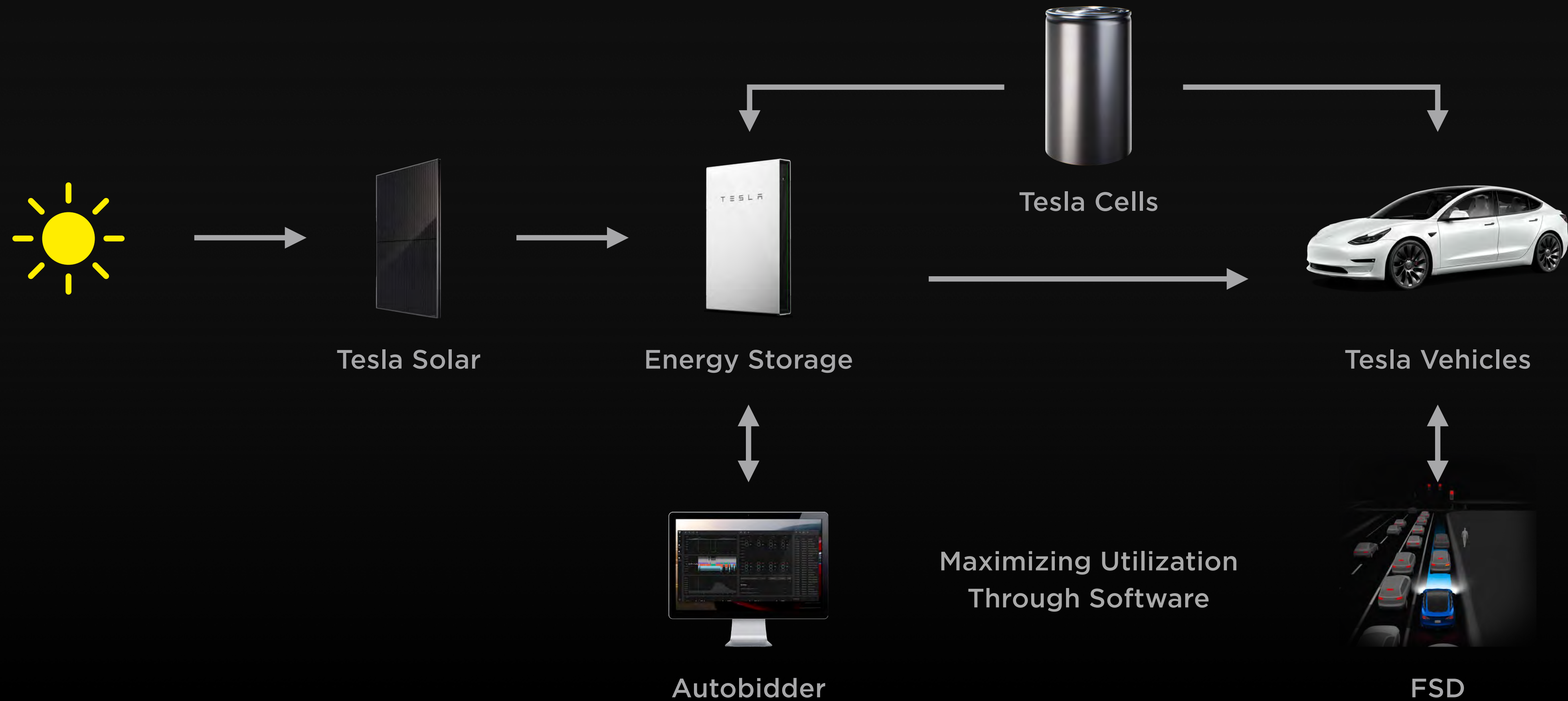
## US Engineering Students' Rankings

Employer	2022 Ranking
SpaceX	1
Tesla	2
NASA	3
Lockheed Martin	4
Boeing	5
Apple	6
Google	7
Microsoft	8
Northrop Grumman	9
Raytheon Technologies	10

# As Employee Engagement Increases, Safety Improves



# Sustainability & Impact is Everything We Do





# Our Products Generate More Energy Than Our Products & Factories Consume



Tesla Cumulative Net Energy Impact: 2012-2021

Energy Produced  
Tesla Solar Panels



Energy Consumed  
Tesla Factories & Other Facilities

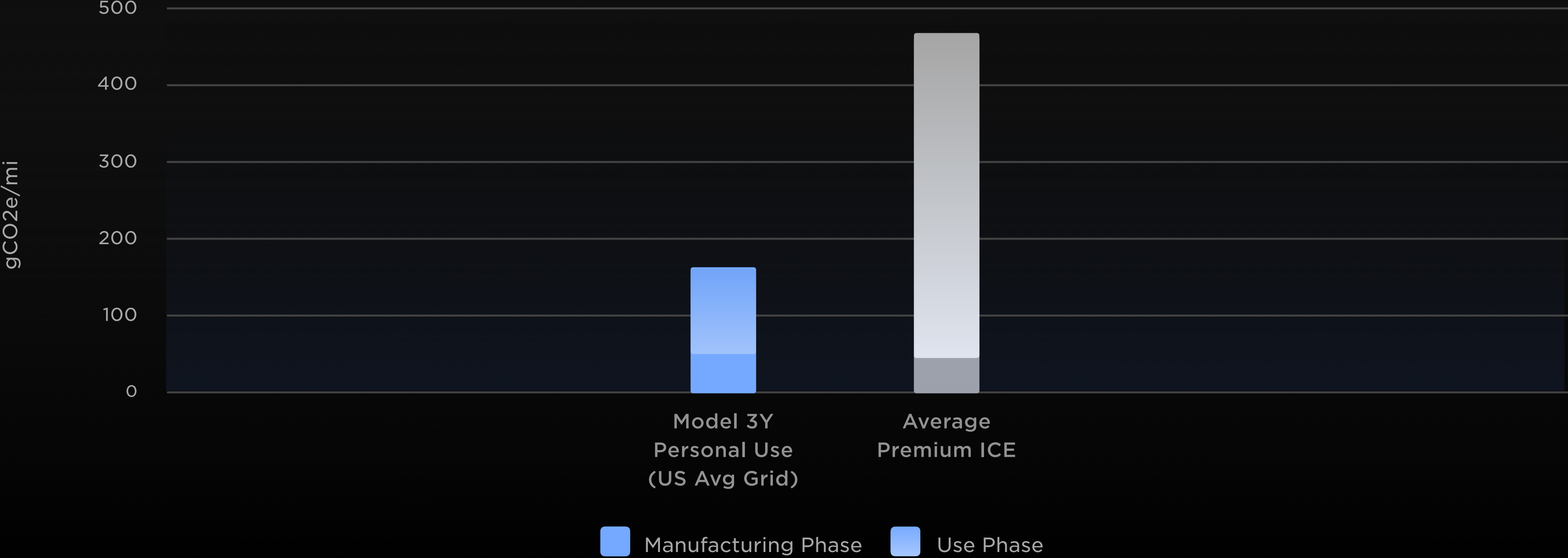


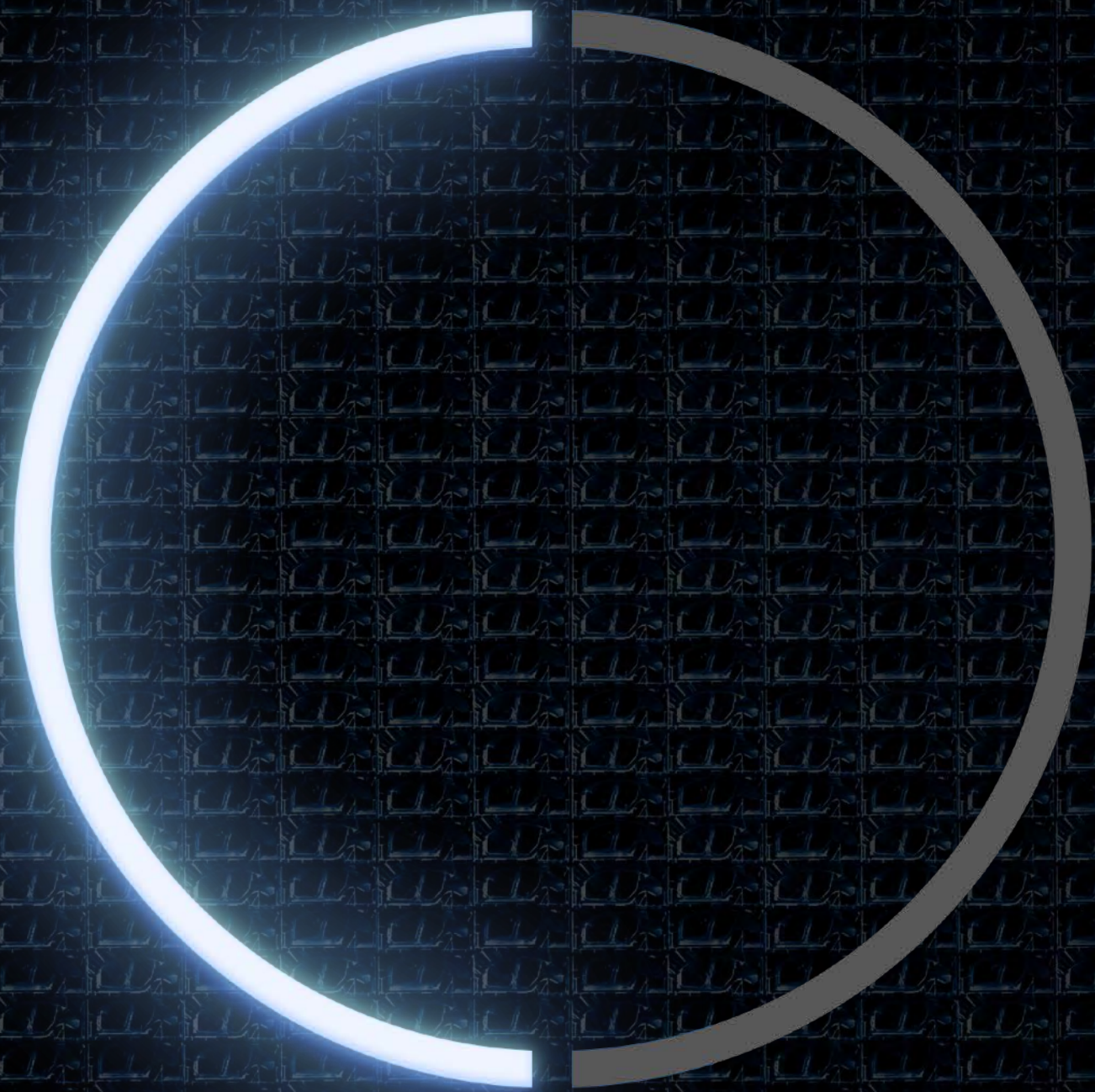
■ Energy Used at Tesla Factories & Other Facilities    ■ Energy Used to charge all Tesla vehicles

# Our Vehicles Emit Less Emissions Than Gas Vehicles

INCLUDING BOTH MANUFACTURING & USE

Average Lifecycle Emissions in U.S.



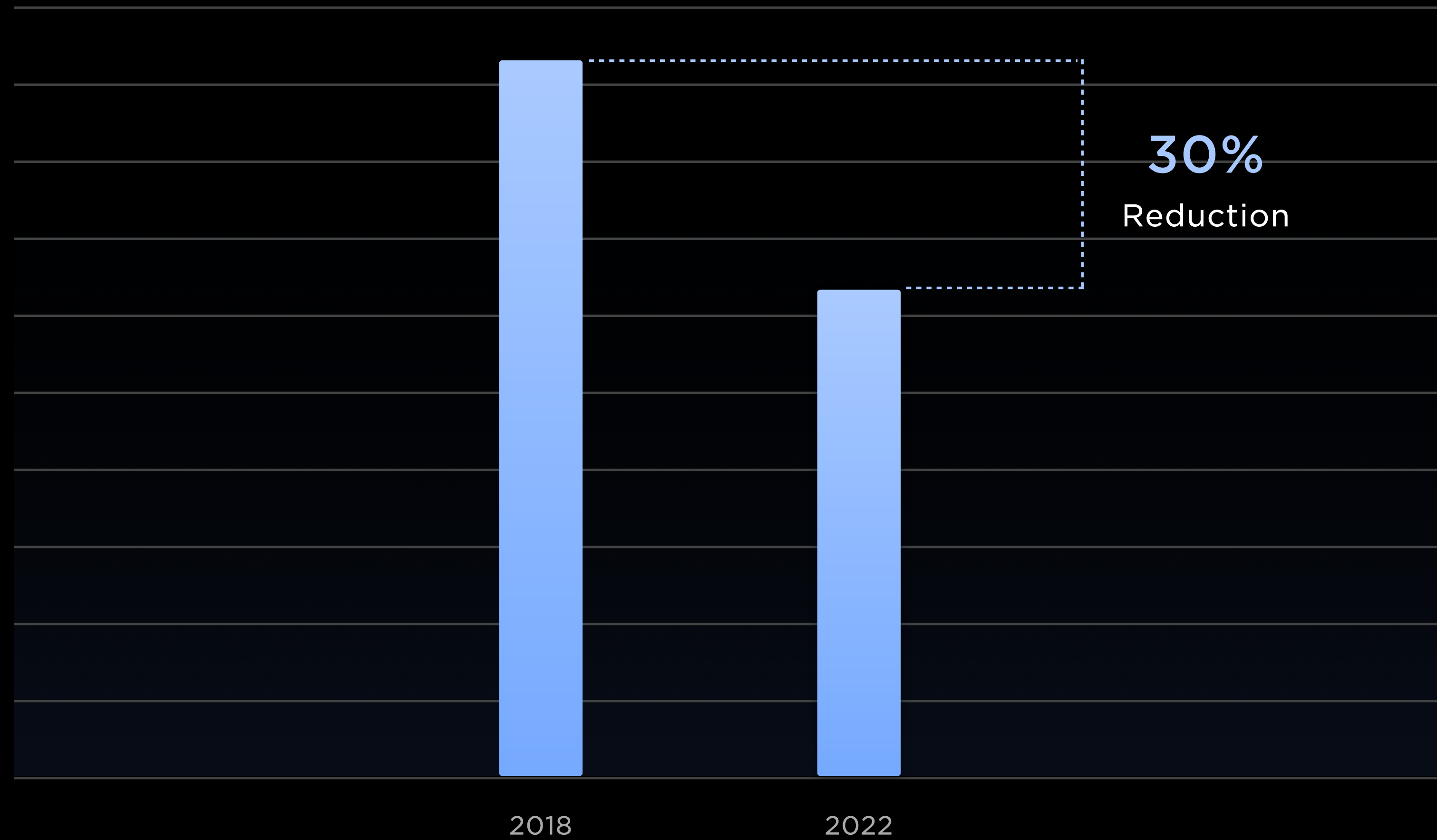


## 02 Financials

Zach Kirkhorn

# We Continue To Reduce Cost of Our Existing Products

Model 3 Cost Per Car - Normalized



Includes material costs, manufacturing costs, inbound and outbound logistics, warranty Normalized for changes in market rates of lithium, nickel, steel and aluminum

# Cost Reductions Come From Everywhere

Volume Growth

Productivity

Overhead  
Efficiency

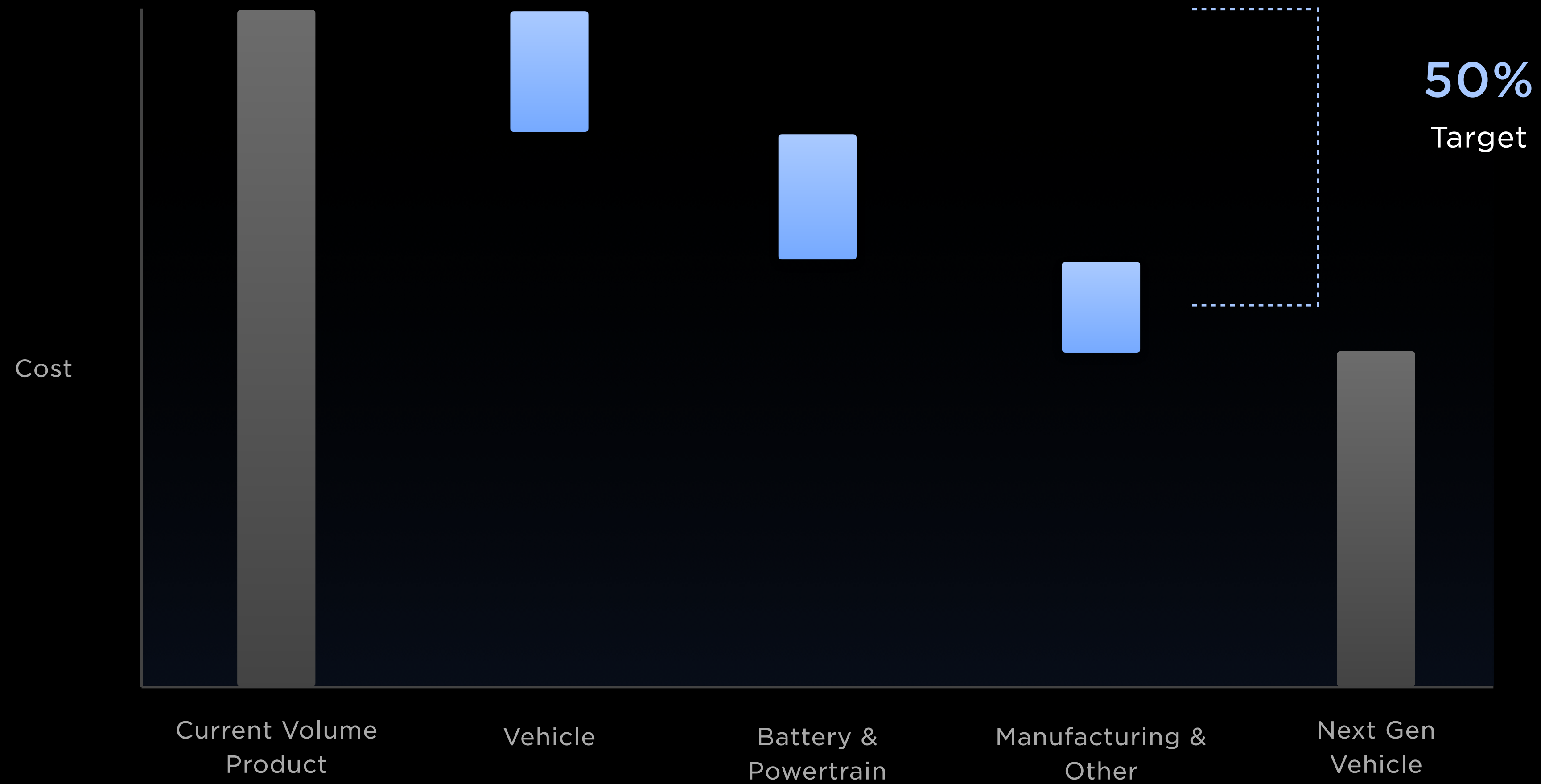
Product  
Improvements

Engineering  
Changes

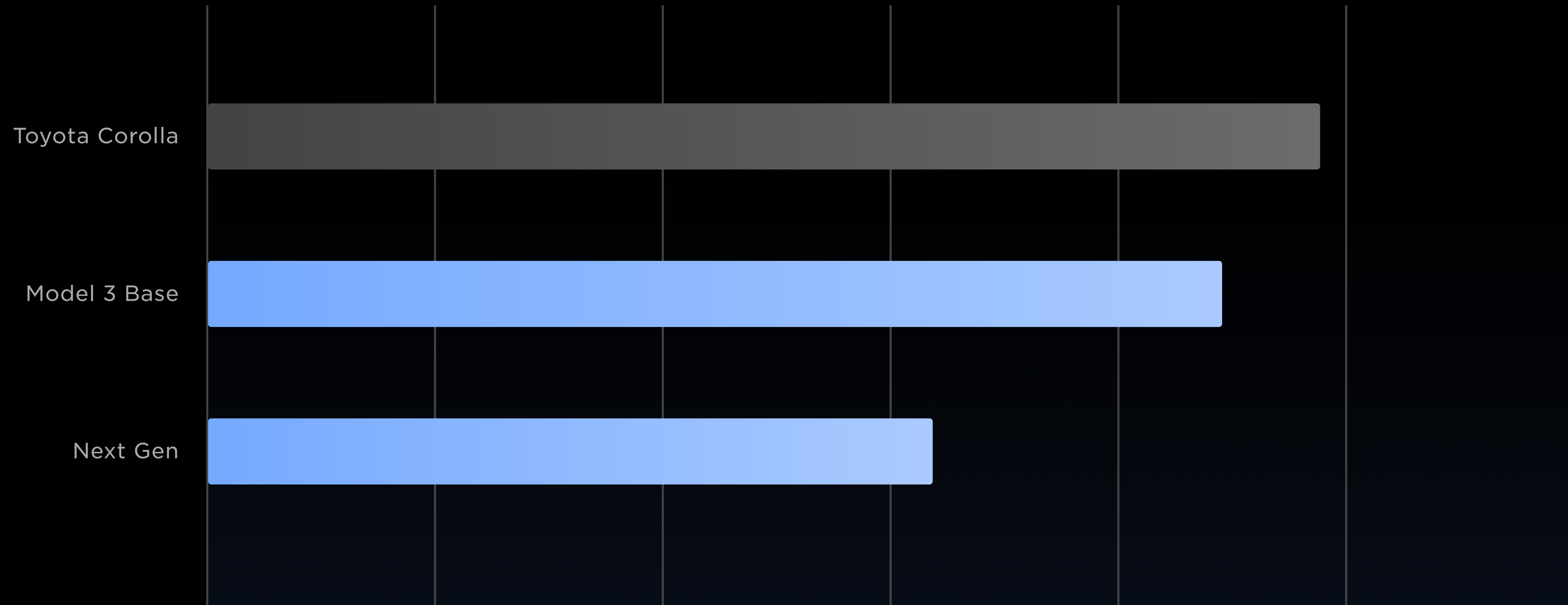
Localization

Supplier  
Scale

# New Gen Vehicle Will Enable Step Change in Cost & Volume

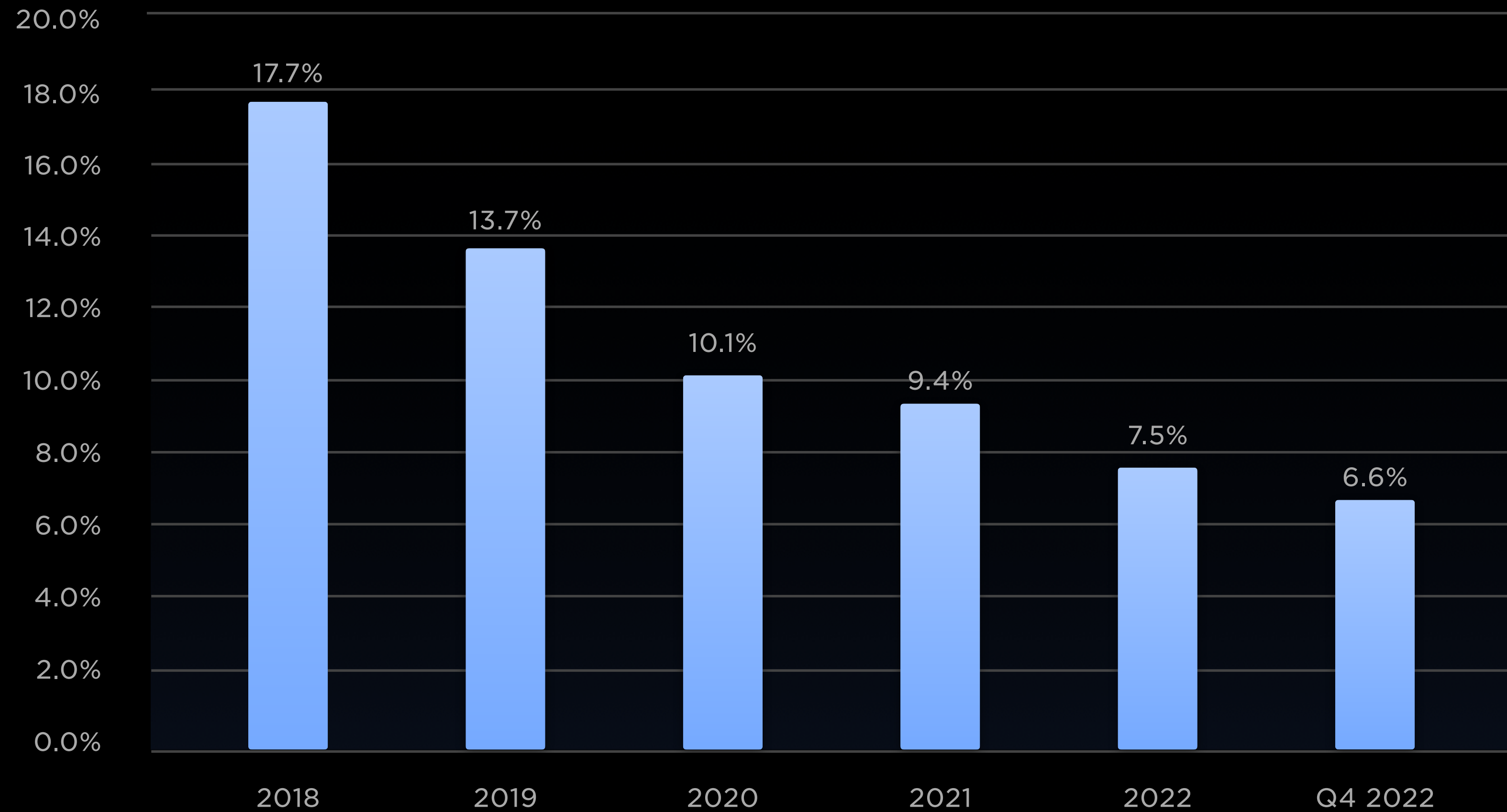


# Total Cost of Ownership per Mile Over 5 Years



# Tight Operating Expense Control To Enable Operating Cash Flow

Operating Expenses as a % of Revenue (Non-GAAP)

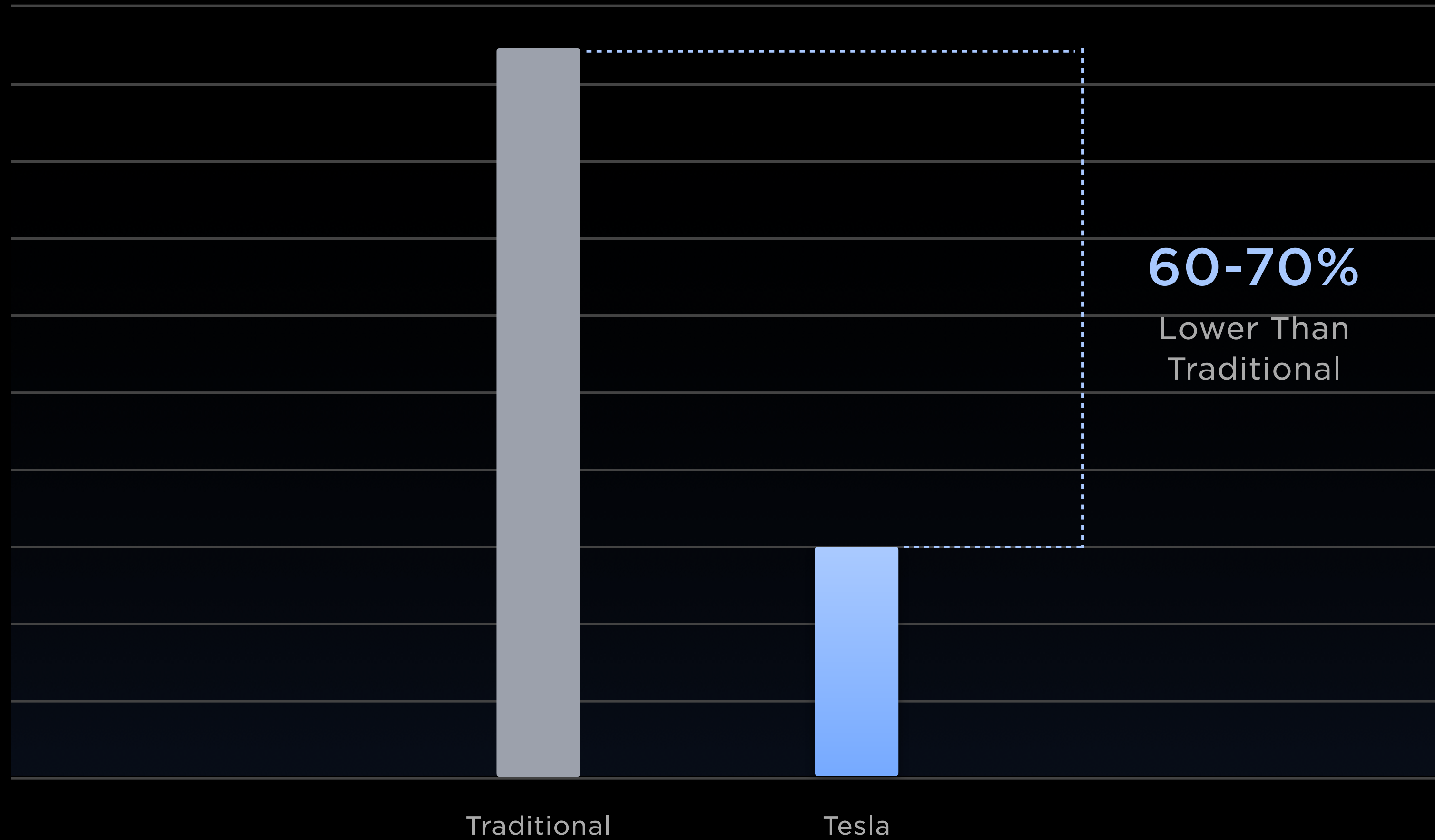


Excludes digital assets gain/loss, stock-based compensation, material one-time items  
2021 figure excludes \$340M payroll tax on CEO award option exercise



# Industry Leading SG&A per Car Enabling Improved Affordability

Selling, General & Administrative Expenses per Vehicles



*Benchmark: GAAP Operating Expenses, publicly traded OEM SG&A per vehicle + dealer SG&A per vehicle  
Publicly traded OEM SG&A includes average of GM, Ford, BMW, Toyota, Volkswagen, Mercedes Benz  
Dealer SG&A per car includes average of Autonation, Lithia, Group 1 Automotive, Sonic Automotive, Asbury Automotive*

# Efficiency Improvements

FINANCE CASE STUDY

## Tesla Operating System

Factory

Warehousing

Service

Customer

Mobile  
App

Finance

Human  
Resources

Recruiting

Data  
Analytics

# Continued Improvement in Internal Process Efficiency

## Efficiency Improvement

**4x**

North American Sales

**4x**

Order Operations

**5x**

Financial Services

**6x**

Accounts Payable

**7x**

Document Generation

## Performance & Capabilities

Order Modification

Captive Lease /  
Loan Servicing

Captive Insurance

Real Time Data Visibility

10Q & 10K Timeline

# We Expect our Pace of Investment to Scale With Operating Cash Flow Growth

20M Annual  
Vehicle Production

1 TWh Annual Energy  
Storage Production

Expand Cell Production,  
Service and Charging



**~\$150-175B**

Estimated  
Total Investment

**~\$28B**

Investment to Date

Funded by Operating  
Cash Flow

# Capital Allocation

## 1. Daily Operations

Working Capital

Captive Financing  
(Market Gaps)

Downside Protection

## 2. Growth

R&D

Capital Expenditures  
(Growth)

## 3. Opportunistic

Capital Expenditures  
(Elective)

Captive Financing  
(Elective)

Acquisitions

Debt Reduction

## 4. Excess

Buyback / Dividend

# Achieving the Master Plan

Innovation Driven  
Cost & Efficiency

Improved  
Affordability

Reinvest to Achieve  
Unprecedented Scale

**Accelerate the  
World's Transition to  
Sustainable Energy**

# Gigafactory Mexico

MANUFACTURING NEXT GEN VEHICLE



Q&A



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