

《特斯拉升级自动驾驶仪》

导读:目前,特斯拉公司宣称将升级汽车的自动驾驶仪,使得汽车在启动自动驾驶功能时能够保持更好的性能,为驾驶员创造更安全的驾驶环境。



Tesla will update its cars' Autopilot function with new safety features designed to prevent collisions, the company has announced.

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Chief executive Elon Musk told reporters on Sunday that his cars would soon make greater use of the on-board radar to detect obstacles ahead.

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The car will also do more to make sure drivers are paying attention while in self-driving mode.

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A Tesla driver died earlier this year when the technology missed a lorry.

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As part of the update to self-driving mode, if repeated warnings to hold the steering wheel are ignored, the vehicle will need to be parked before the autonomous functions can be re-engaged.

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When drivers activate Autopilot, the car takes control - keeping pace with traffic and even changing lanes.

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A Tesla driver was killed in May when the car he was driving hit a lorry that had been turning left - Autopilot was unable to spot the white trailer against the bright sky.

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No date has been announced for the conclusion of the investigation, the US National Highway Traffic Safety Administration told the BBC.

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In a call with reporters, Mr Musk said the NHTSA appeared to be "happy" with the Autopilot update.

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