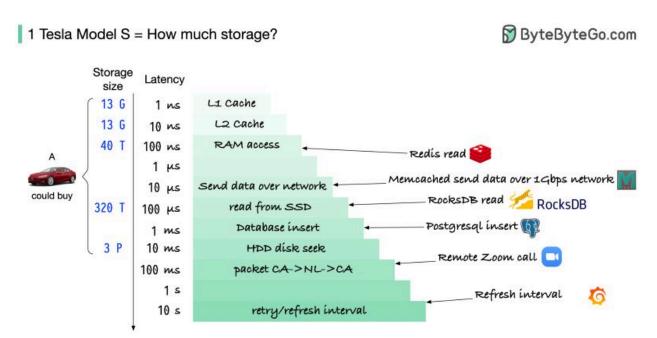
How much storage could one purchase with the price of a Tesla Model S? \downarrow

There's a trade-off between the price of a storage system and its access latency. Naturally, one might wonder how much storage could be obtained if one is willing to sacrifice latency.



To make this calculation more intriguing, let's use the price of a Tesla Model S as a benchmark. Here are the relevant prices:

Tesla Model S: \$87,490 per carL1 cache: \$7 per megabyte

• L2 cache: \$7 per megabyte

RAM: \$70 for 32GSSD: \$35 for 128GHDD: \$350 for 12T