

# SF Chargers



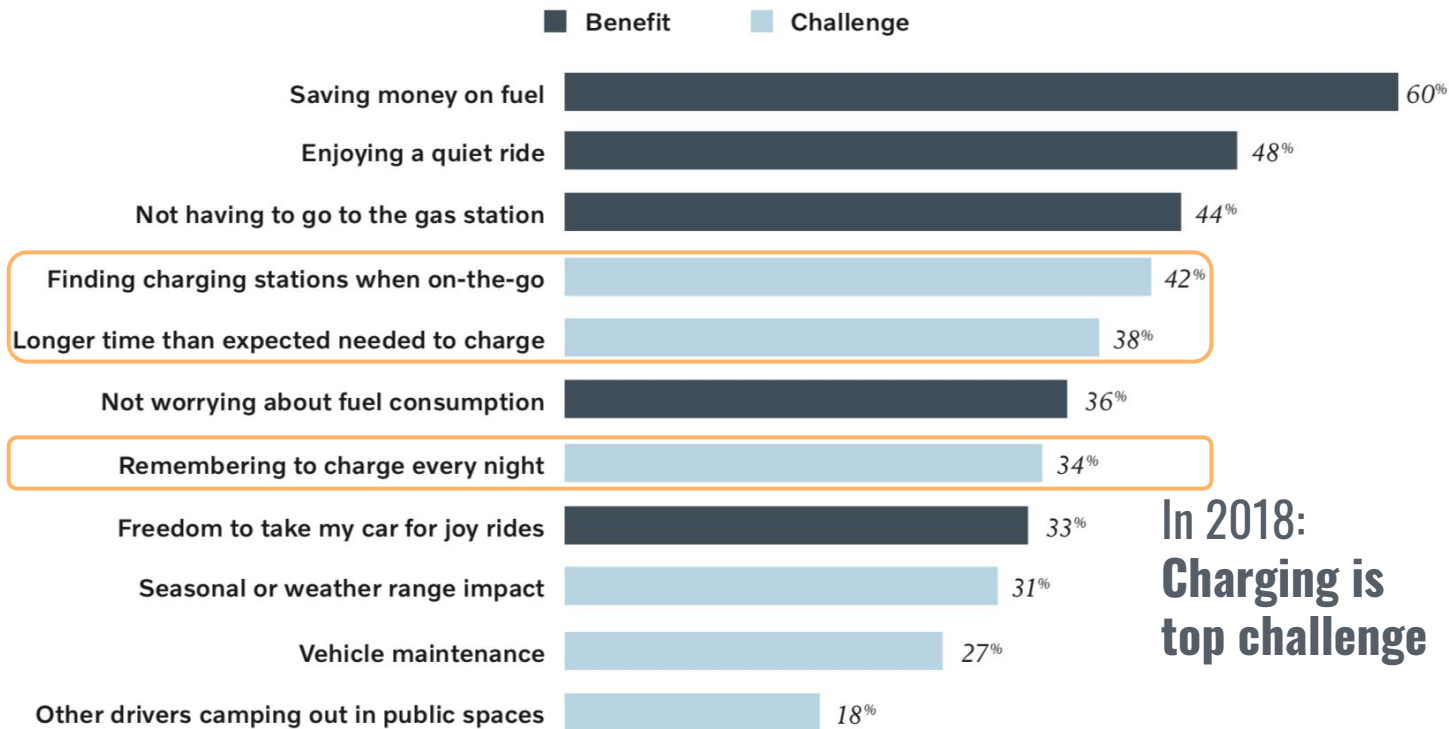
Optimize EV charging for all

# The Problem



- To charge or not to charge?
- Where to charge?
- To inject power back to grid, Vehicle-to-Grid, V2G?

## DAY-TO-DAY BENEFITS AND CHALLENGES OF DRIVING AN EV

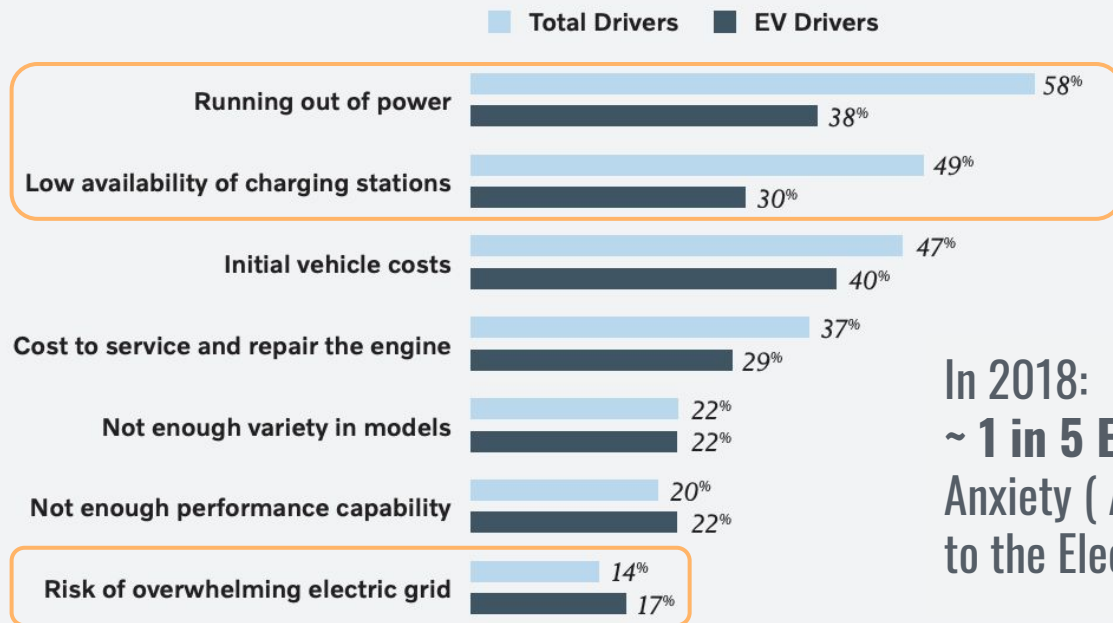


**In 2018:  
Charging is  
top challenge**

From Source: Volvo  
Car USA/The Harris  
Poll, THE STATE OF  
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AMERICA

## RANGE ANXIETY IS LESS OF A CONCERN FOR EV DRIVERS, WHO ARE MORE FOCUSED ON PRICE

### Top barriers to purchasing an electric vehicle



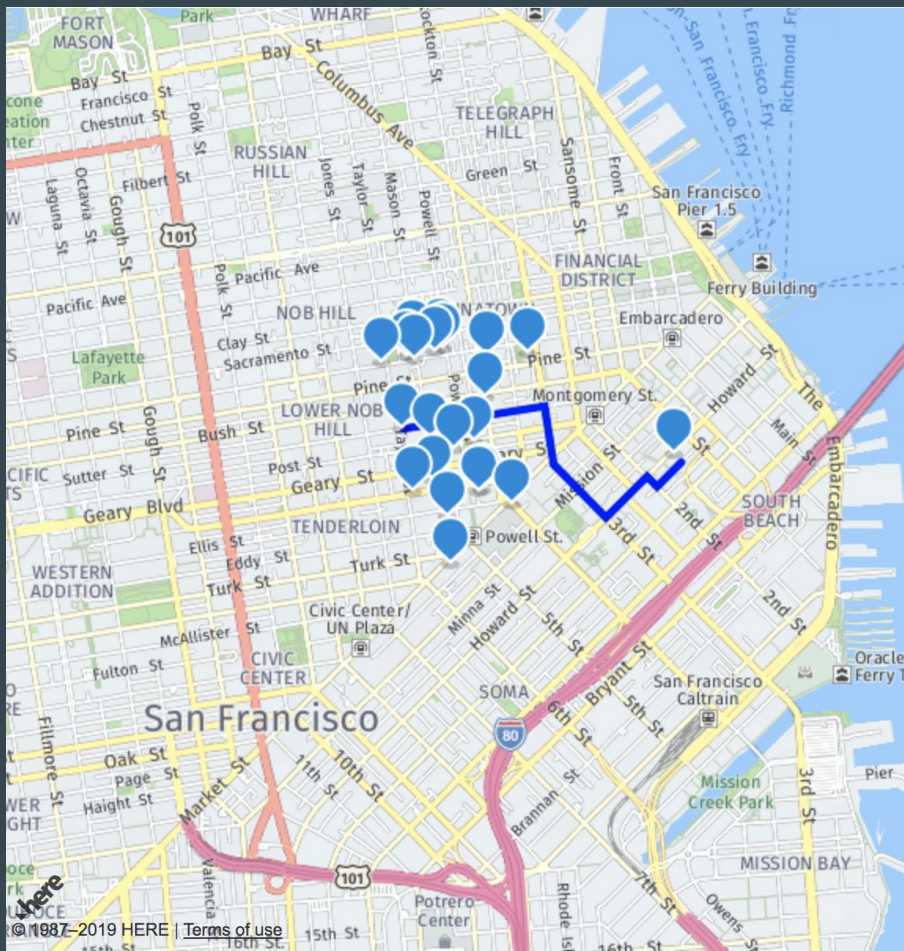
In 2018:  
~ 1 in 5 EV Drivers  
Anxiety ( Awareness)  
to the Electric grid

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# The Solution



- Platform that recommends efficient EV charging options with impact score
- Charge State: Informed decision to charge/not
- EV charging options: charging efficiency, grid impact considerations, V2G pricing



# DEMO

start 44 Tehama St. San Fran end 683 Sutter St. San Fran Submit Get Charging Stations  
Range Left 194.78

# Summary

**Inspiration:** EV charge impact unclear to EV owners

**What it does:** Platform that recommends efficient EV charging options with impact score

**How we built it:** Python & JavaScript in Flask

- with Smartcar APIs
- with HERE Map, Geocoder APIs
- with [Alternative Fuel Data from U.S Department of Energy](#)

**Challenges we ran into:** New APIs + Scope creep

# The Team

Gabriela Gerson - Musical Hacker

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**Accomplishments:** 75% first time hackers!

**What we learned:** New APIs