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Elon Musk is the CEO and CTO of SpaceX, the third company he has founded. He was also co-founder, chairman, and CEO of PayPal, the world's leading electronic payment system. PayPal has over twenty million customers in 38 countries, processes several billion dollars per year, and went public in early 2002. Before PayPal, Musk co-founded Zip2 Corporation in 1995, a leading provider of enterprise software and services to the media industry. He served as chairman, CEO, and CTO and in March 1999 sold Zip2 to Compaq for \$307 million in an all-cash transaction. Musk's early experience extends across a spectrum of advanced technology industries, from high energy density ultra capacitors at Pinnacle Research to software development at Rocket Science and Microsoft.