***Tesla*** *Elon Musk, (born June 28, 1971, Pretoria, South Africa), South African-born American entrepreneur who cofounded the electronic-payment firm PayPal and formed Space X, maker of launch vehicles and spacecraft. So, at an early age, Elon became fond of Isaac Asimov's books, which would eventually inspire his futurism. And it was his interest in the future, and his penchant for engineering that his engineer father helped cultivate, along with his eye for design, that would set him up for some grand future achievements.**In 1995 he founded Zip2, a company that provided maps and business directories to online newspapers. In 1999 Zip2 was bought by the computer manufacturer Compaq for $307 million, and Musk then founded an online financial services company, X.com, which later became PayPal, which specialized in transferring money online. Entrepreneur Elon Musk has achieved global fame as the chief executive (CEO) of electric autos maker Tesla Inc. and CEO of the private space company Space X. Musk co-founded PayPal, he was an early investor in several tech companies. After Elon was ousted from PayPal, he went on to bring his vision of futuristic electric cars to life. He went about gathering funding for Tesla and launched the company in 2003. The main aim behind Tesla Motors was to shift the automotive industry from using combustible energy to clean and green energy, and in April 2022 he began negotiations for a deal to take Twitter*.