



Anthropic Increases Claude Code Limits After SpaceX Deal

Description

At its developer conference in San Francisco, Anthropic announced a new deal with SpaceX. This deal gives Anthropic access to the full computing power of SpaceX's data centre in Memphis, Tennessee. The goal is to improve usage limits for certain Anthropic subscribers.

During the conference, CEO Dario Amodei explained that the deal will double the usage limits for Pro and Max plan subscribers. It will also remove some restrictions during busy hours and increase limits for their Opus model. These changes were outlined in a blog post by Anthropic.

With this deal, Anthropic gains over 300 megawatts of extra computing power. SpaceX highlighted its Colossus 1 supercomputer, which has over 220,000 powerful NVIDIA GPUs. These are special computer chips that help with complex processing tasks.

Furthermore, Anthropic showed interest in working with SpaceX to create more computing power in space. They believe this could be important because the need for computing is growing faster than traditional methods can support.

Some may find this deal surprising, as Elon Musk previously made negative comments about Anthropic. In February, he tweeted criticism of the company and its approach to artificial intelligence.

Vocabulary List:

1. **access** //ˈæk.sɛs// (noun): ability to use or reach something
2. **computing** //kəmˈpjuː.tɪŋ// (adjective): relating to using computers for work
3. **restrictions** //rɪˈstrɪkʃənz// (noun): rules that limit what people can do
4. **supercomputer** //ˈsuː.pər.kəm.pjuː.tər// (noun): a very fast and powerful large computer
5. **megawatts** //ˈmegə.wɒts// (noun): units that measure large amounts of power
6. **criticism** //ˈkrɪtɪsɪzəm// (noun): saying that someone or something is wrong

Comprehension Questions

Multiple Choice



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1. What did Anthropic announce at its developer conference?
 - Option: A new AI model
 - Option: A deal with SpaceX
 - Option: A collaboration with NVIDIA
 - Option: A software update
 2. Where is SpaceX's data centre located?
 - Option: San Francisco
 - Option: Houston
 - Option: Memphis
 - Option: Los Angeles
 3. What will the deal with SpaceX do for Pro and Max plan subscribers?
 - Option: Triple the usage limits
 - Option: Double the usage limits
 - Option: Remove all restrictions
 - Option: Increase prices
 4. How many megawatts of extra computing power does Anthropic gain from the deal?
 - Option: 150
 - Option: 300
 - Option: 450
 - Option: 600
 5. What type of supercomputer does SpaceX highlight?
 - Option: Titan 1
 - Option: Colossus 1
 - Option: Athena 2
 - Option: Atlas 3
 6. What special chips does the Colossus 1 supercomputer use?
 - Option: AMD chips
 - Option: Intel chips
 - Option: NVIDIA GPUs
 - Option: Qualcomm processors

True-False



7. Anthropic's deal with SpaceX includes access to computing power in Los Angeles.
8. Elon Musk previously criticized Anthropic on social media.
9. The deal will increase usage limits for Anthropic subscribers only during peak hours.
10. CEO Dario Amodei discussed the deal at a conference in New York.
11. Anthropic is interested in creating more computing power in space.
12. Colossus 1 has less than 200,000 NVIDIA GPUs.

Gap-Fill

13. The goal of the deal with SpaceX is to improve usage limits for certain Anthropic subscribers to _____.
14. Anthropic gains over _____ megawatts of extra computing power from the deal.
15. SpaceX's data center is located in _____, Tennessee.
16. Colossus 1 has over 220,000 powerful _____ GPUs.
17. Elon Musk tweeted criticism of Anthropic in _____.
18. Some people might find the deal _____ because of Musk's previous comments.

Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. A deal with SpaceX 2. Memphis 3. Double the usage limits 4. 300 5. Colossus 1 6. NVIDIA GPUs

True-False: 7. False 8. True 9. False 10. False 11. True 12. False

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