

New York Police deploy Digidog

The New York Police Department is enlisting a remote-controlled robotic dog – Boston Dynamics' "Spot" – an agile 32-kilogram digidog able to climb stairs and survey hazards

Navigation: Built-in stereo cameras on front, back and sides of robot

360° perception: Can map terrain and avoid obstacles as they appear



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Payload: Can carry and power up to 14kg of inspection equipment

Mobility: Runs over loose gravel, grass, curbs and steps

Mounting rails: Allow attachment of exterior hardware for bomb disposal or hostage standoffs

Boston Dynamics: Firm prohibits police from weaponizing Spot

