



Module 6: Handouts

PEDESTRIAN SAFETY



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Activity 1**PEDESTRIAN + MOTORIST BEHAVIOURS**

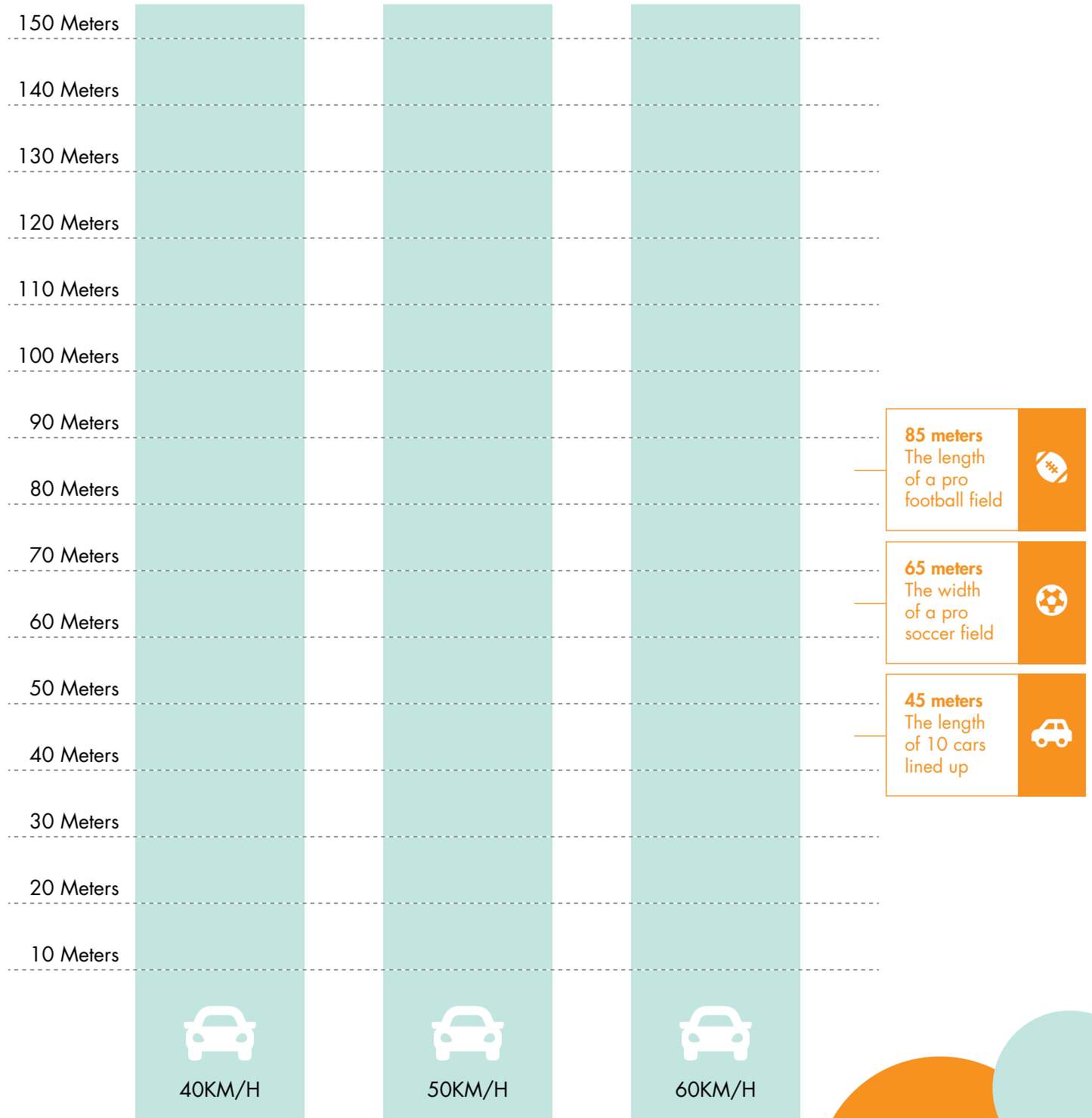
How many do you count? Mark the behaviours you observe.

	PEDESTRIAN	MOTORIST	CYCLIST	WAYS TO STAY SAFE DESPITE
Texting				
Talking on the phone				
Rolling stop or speeding through yellow light				
Driver didn't yield to pedestrian				
Pedestrian crossing against signal or without looking both ways				
Distracted motorist, pedestrian or cyclist				
Speeding				
Pedestrian crossing at a midblock (instead of an intersection)				

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Discussion 3 & Activity**AVERAGE STOPPING DISTANCE**

Plot the average stopping distance for each speed.

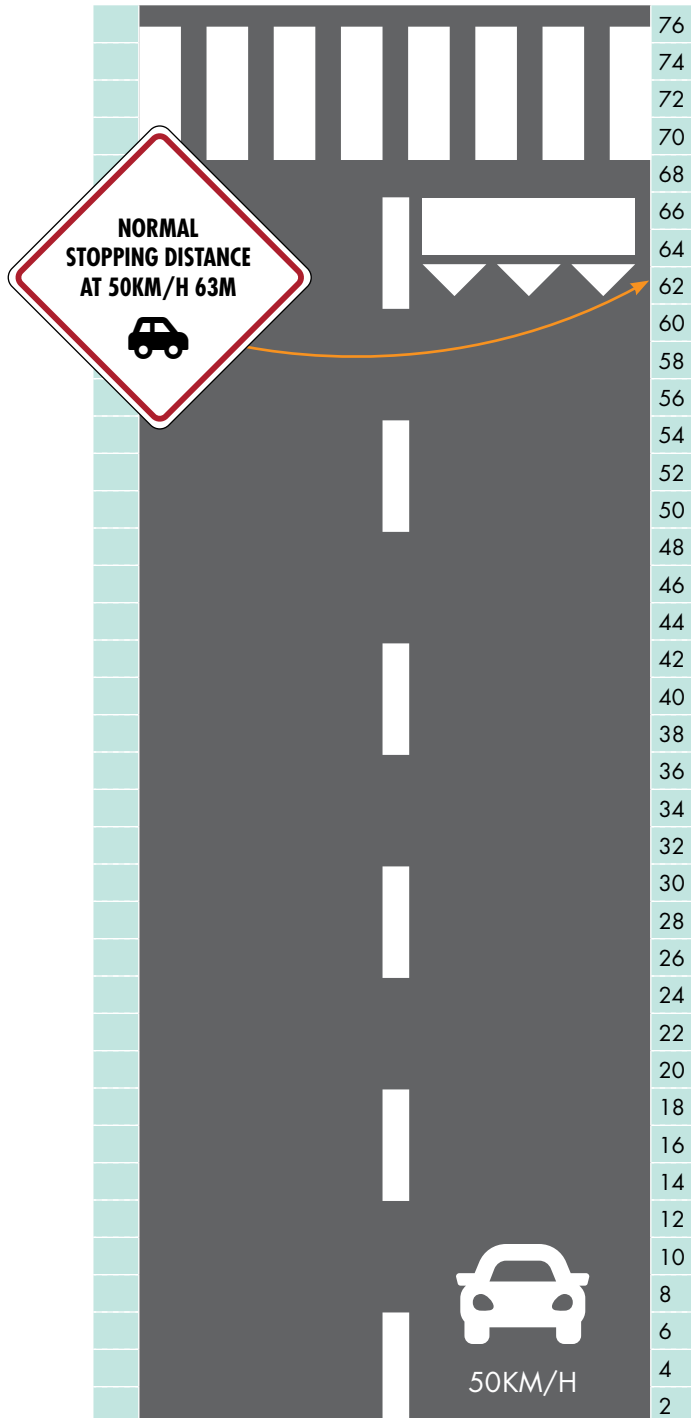


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Discussion 4 & Activity

DISTRACTED STOPPING DISTANCES

A driver is going 50KM/H in a school zone and is quickly approaching a crosswalk. Unfortunately, they become distracted by their cell phone beeping and look down at a text message for 1 second. This is all before they notice the crosswalk coming up. This makes the reaction distance much longer. Calculate + mark where they would stop. **Will they stop in time?**



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Discuss as a class.

HINT

Normal reaction time + 1 second

Luckily there were no pedestrians at the crosswalk this time! What do you think would have happened if the driver decided to answer their text message? What are some ways that you can ensure a driver is not distracted and sees you before entering a crosswalk?

