

# **Competent and Careful human driver performance model**

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# Agenda

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- Basis for each parameter
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*What is 0.375m?*

2. Human delay

*What are 0.72m and 0.75sec*

3. Max Decerebration G and

*What is 0.774G/0.6sec w/ AEB*

# **BACKGROUND**

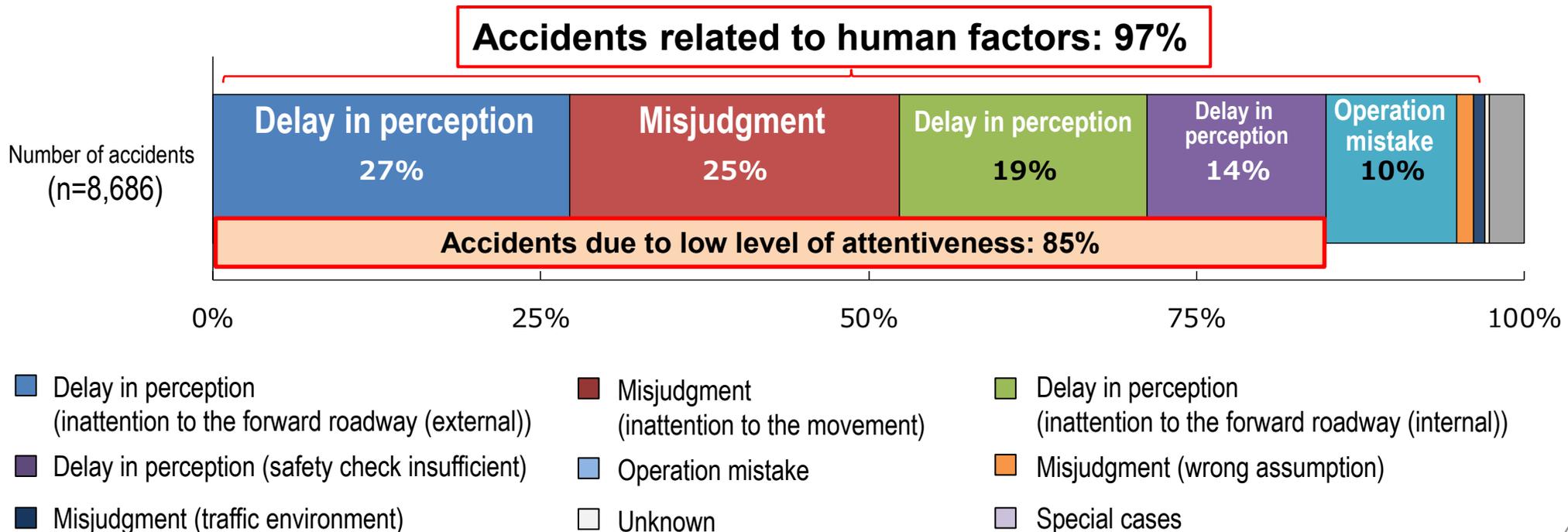
# Accident Rate Caused by Human Factors of Driver (Highway)



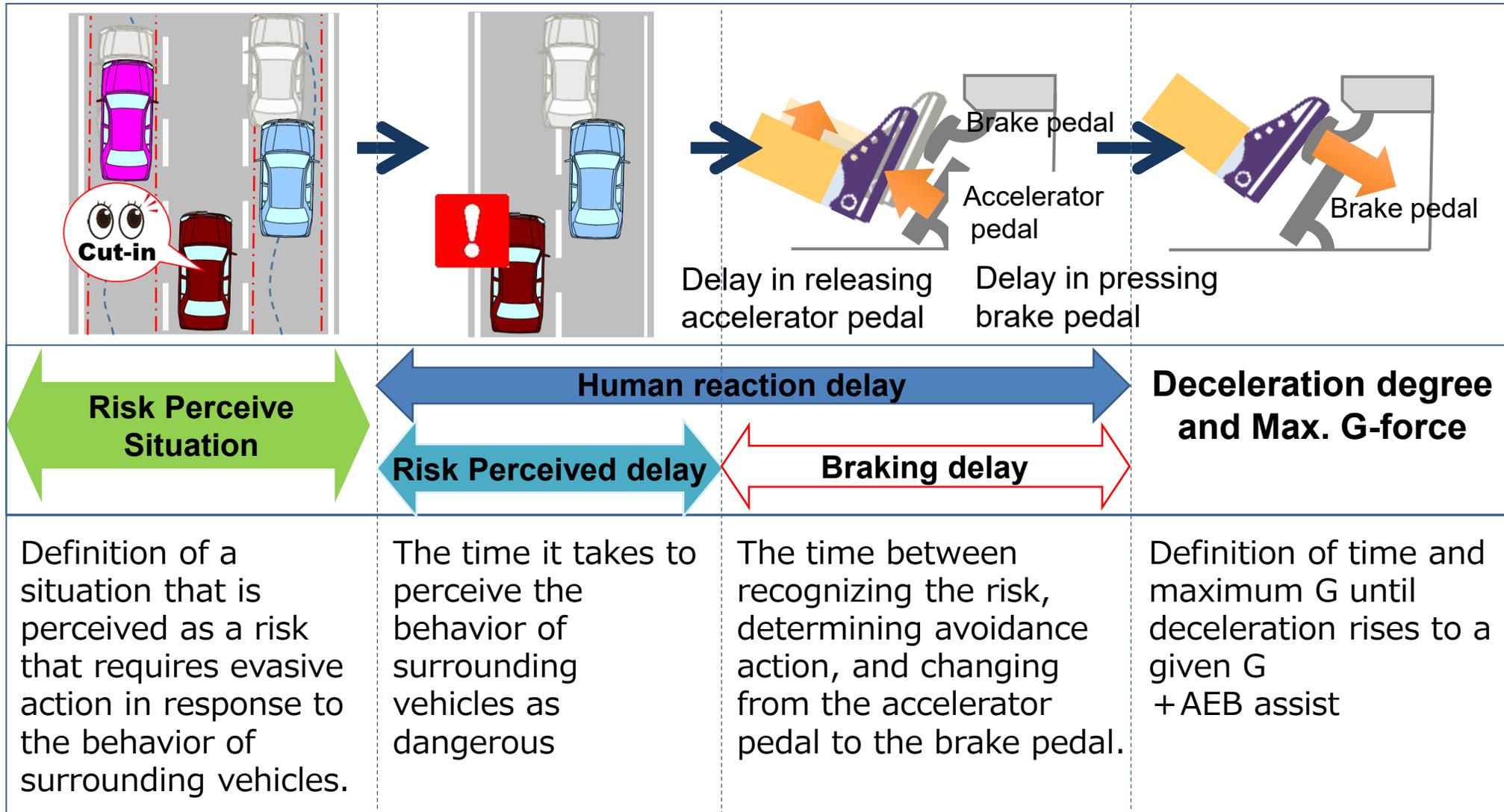
- 97% of the accidents were related to the human factors of driver. **(of which 60 % was due to delay in perception caused by lack of attentiveness)**
- Most of the accidents can be prevented **if the driver's level of attentiveness is high.**

## ■ Data collection criteria:

Accidents occurred on highways in Japan in which the primary responsible party was a vehicle (automobile/motorcycle) (2017)

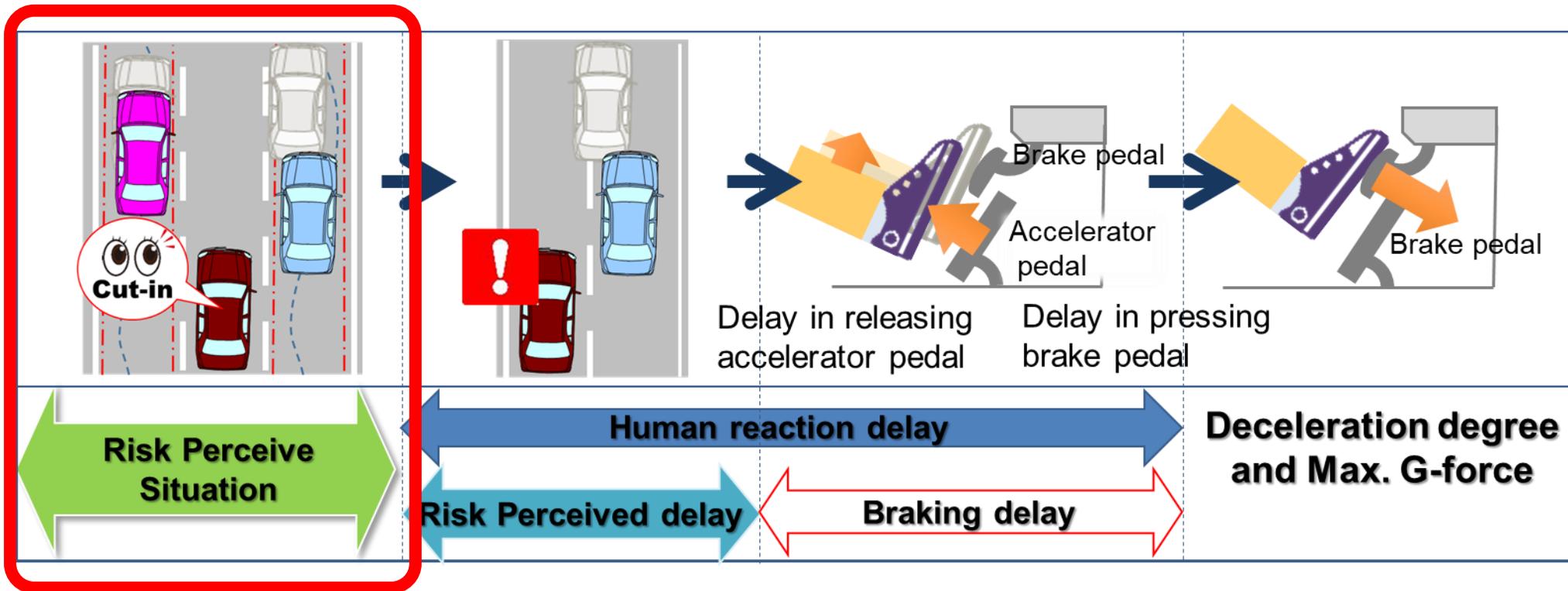


# Driver Model Structure



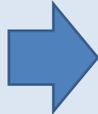
BASIS FOR EACH PARAMETER

# 1. Risk perceive Situation

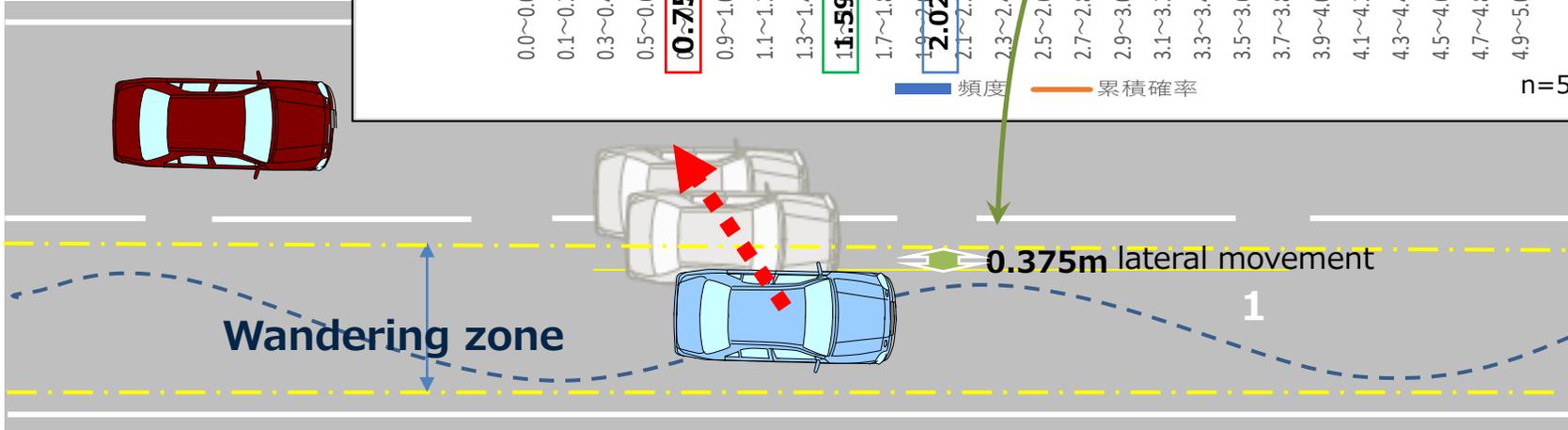
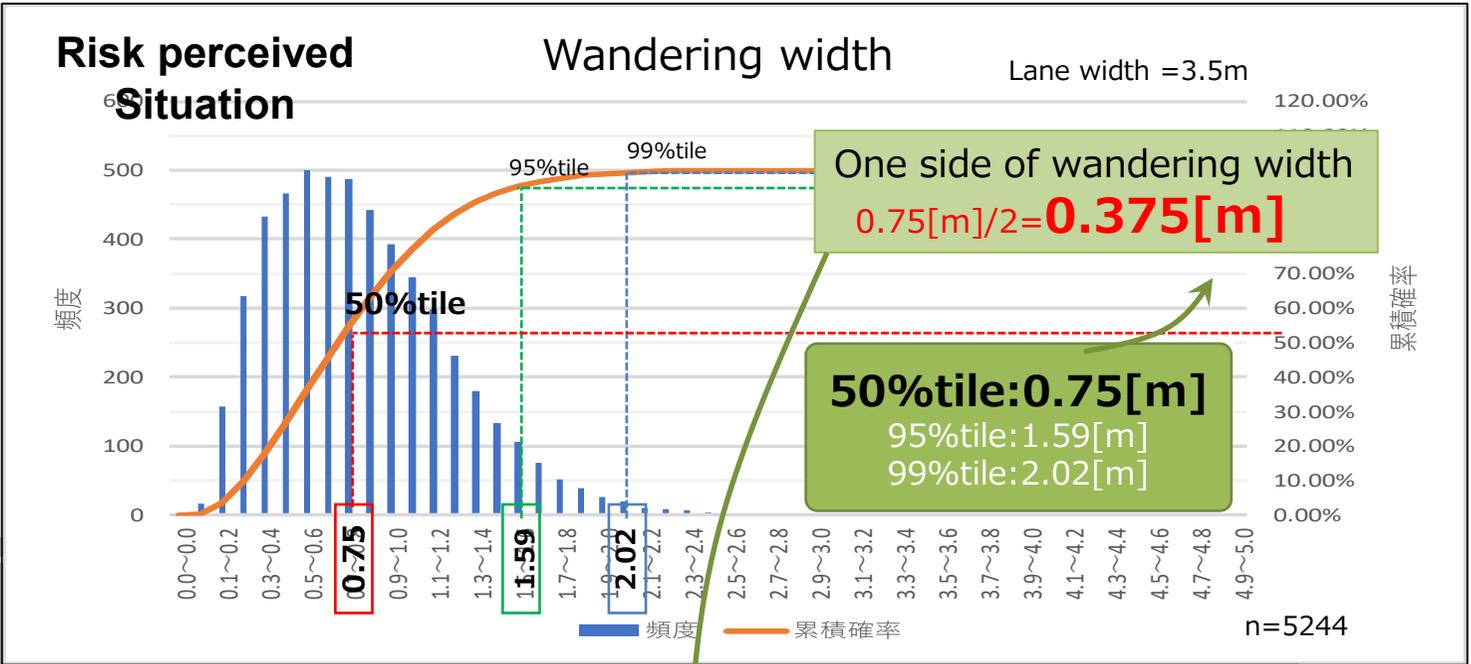


# Risk Perceived Boundary by Lateral Movement

When the other vehicle is wandering within its own lane, it is unlikely that the ego-vehicle perceives the possibility of cut-in

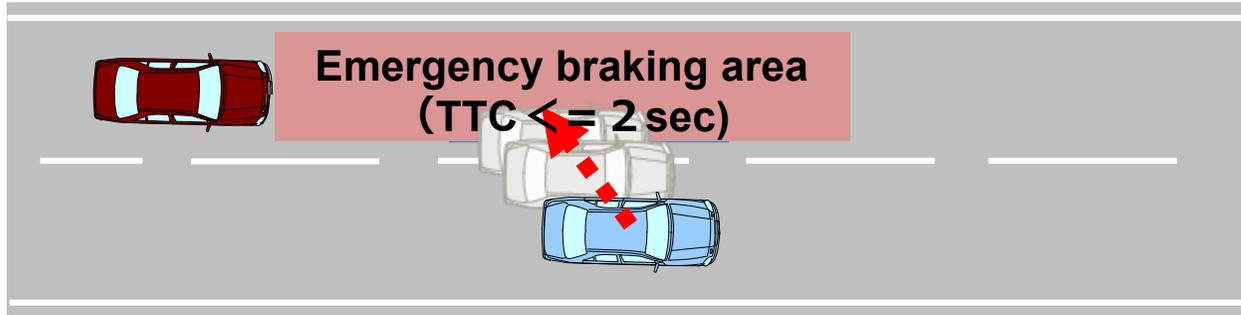


Define the cut-in perceived boundary based on the lateral movement range of other vehicle wandering within its own lane

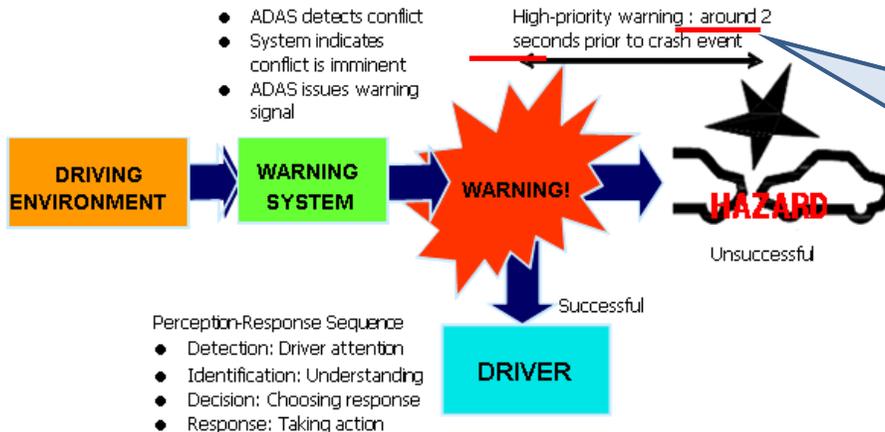


# Risk Perceived Boundary by Longitudinal Distance

Based on the UNR guidelines on warning signals, define **Time To Collision (TTC) of 2.0 seconds** as the boundary of emergency braking area



- (a) Low-level: driver prepares action or decision within 10 seconds to 2 minutes; may escalate to a higher level if not acted upon;
- (b) Mid-level: requires action or decision within around 2 to 10 seconds; may escalate to high-level warning if not acted upon;
- (c) **High-level: warning** requires the driver to take immediate action or decision (0 to around **2 seconds**) to avoid a potential crash that could result in serious injuries or fatalities.



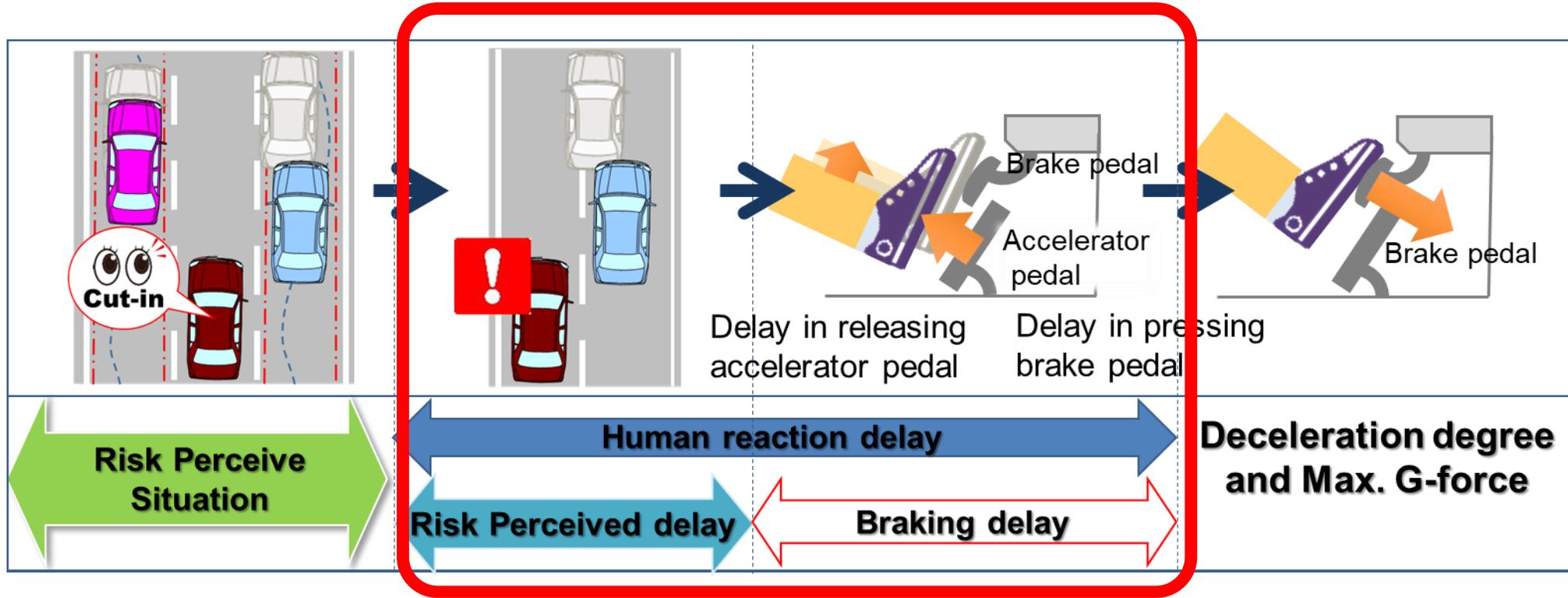
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 Addendum

At its 154<sup>th</sup> session, the World Forum for Harmonization of Vehicle Regulations (WP.29) adopted guidelines on establishing requirements for high-priority warning signals (ECE/TRANS/WP.29/2011/90). The guidelines were transmitted by the Informal Group on ITS. The guidelines contain Statement of Principles on the Design of High-Priority Warning Signals for Advanced Driver Assistance Systems (ADAS). The World Forum requested the secretariat to circulate the adopted version of the guidelines as an addendum to the report (ECE/TRANS/WP.29/1091, para. 20).

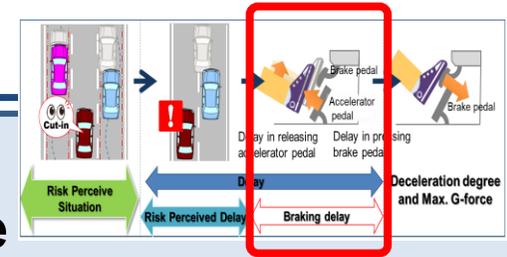
[ECE/TRANS/WP.29/1091/Add.1 Annex III Guidelines on establishing requirements for high-priority warning signals]

# 2. Human reaction Delay

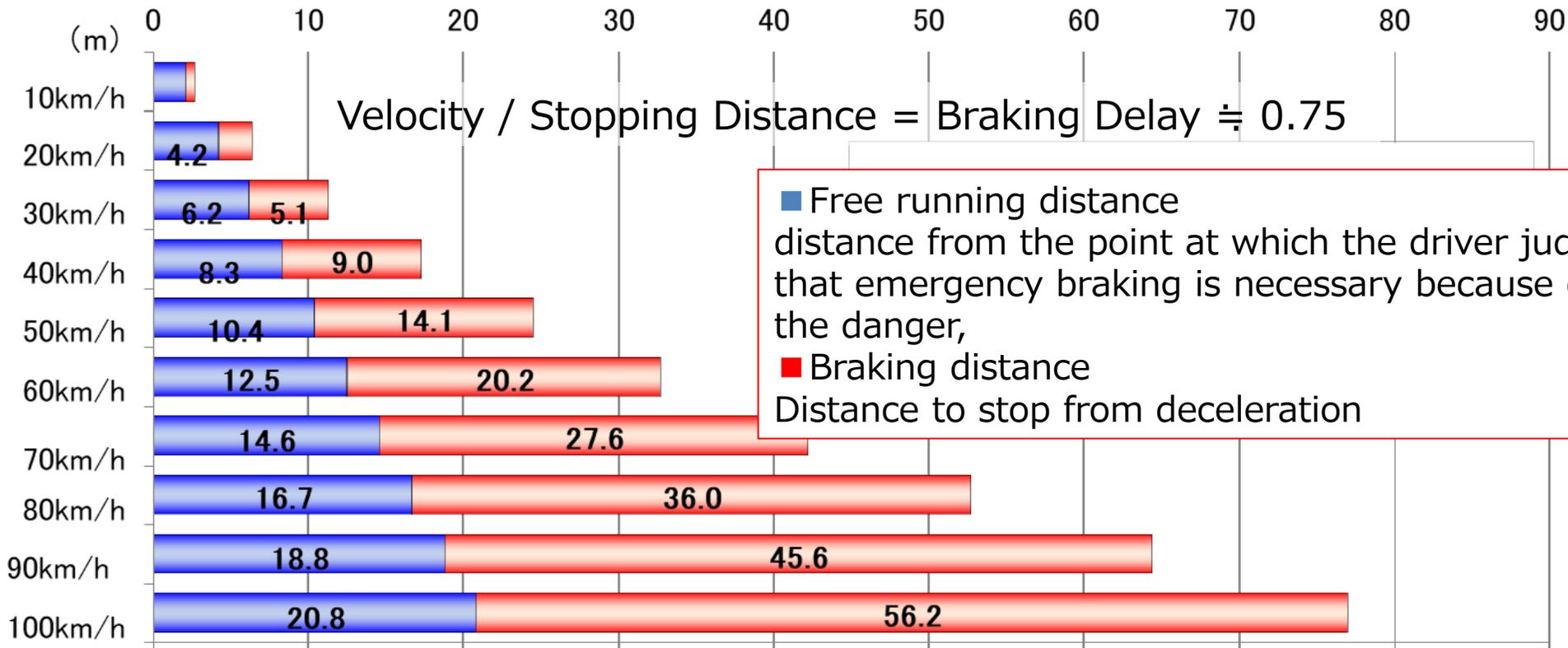


# Braking Delay

Braking delay 0.75sec is the value commonly used to calculate the stopping distance among the police and the courts in Japan.



Stopping Distance against velocity



Velocity / Stopping Distance = Braking Delay  $\doteq$  0.75

■ Free running distance  
 distance from the point at which the driver judges that emergency braking is necessary because of the danger,  
■ Braking distance  
 Distance to stop from deceleration

Reference: <https://www.pref.niigata.lg.jp/uploaded/attachment/226116.pdf>

※This value has been in use since about 1967.

# Analysis of Risk Perception Time by DS Test

## Analyze DS test data of driver reaction time against cut-in by other vehicle

- Measure risk perception time (time to react and avoid) of drivers against cut-in by other vehicle with 11 test participants

### DS test summary



Parameter	Value
Lane width	3.5 m
Ego-vehicle target velocity $V_e$	100 km/h
Platoon velocity traveling in parallel forward $V_o$	70 km/h
Max. lateral velocity of cut-in vehicle $V_{oL}$	1.8 m/s
TTC at cut-in start	3.0 s

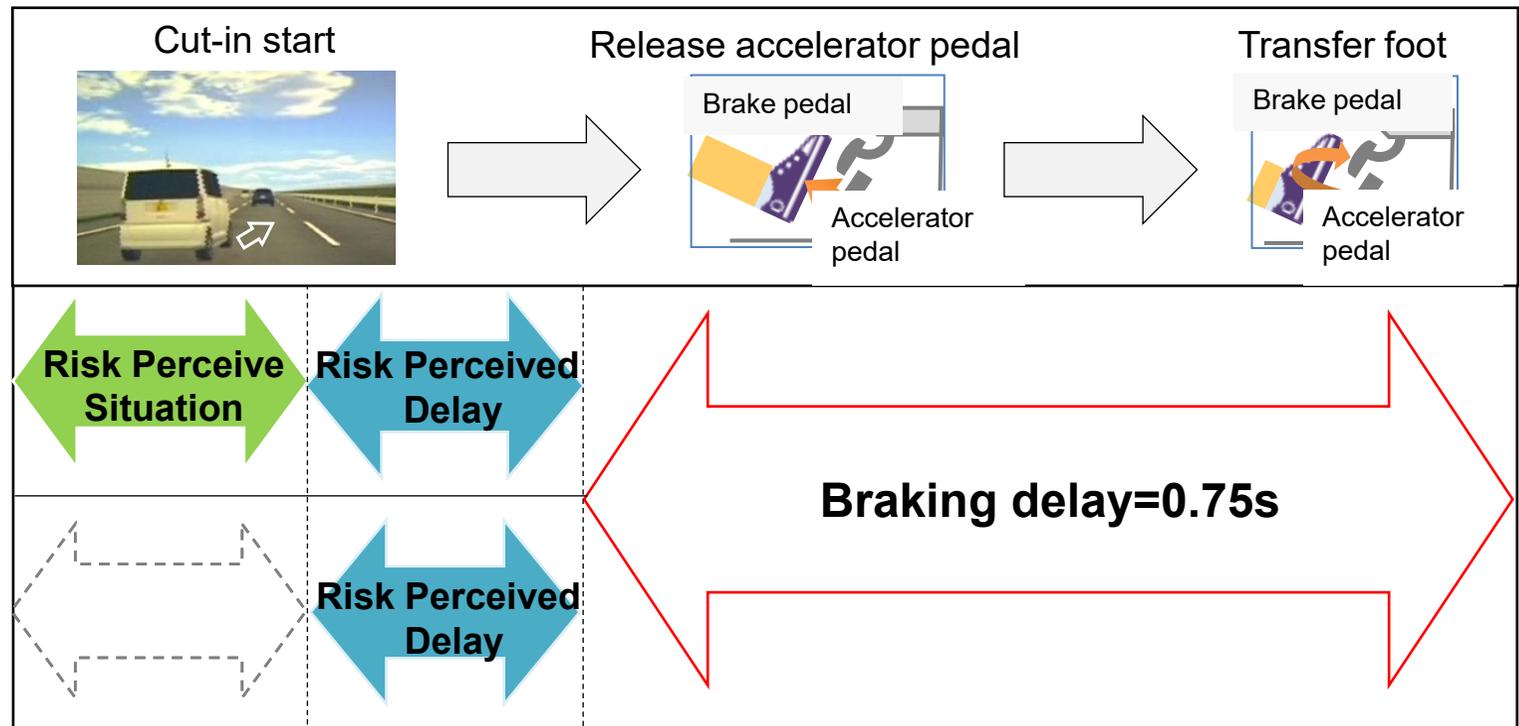
### Test group details

No. of participants	Description	Composition of participants
11	Having 5 years or more driving experience on regular basis, drives on highway at least once a month	- 6 Males, 5 Females - Avg. age: 38.7

# Risk Perception Time Against Cut-in by Other Vehicle

Average time of risk perception was 0.8 sec in the first trial, and 0.4 sec in the second and subsequent trials

## Total delay of driver's reaction to cut-in by other vehicle

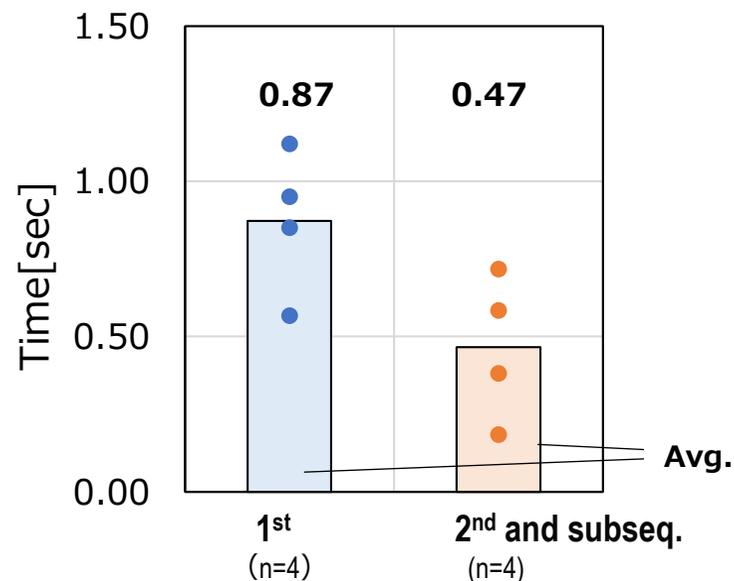


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Trial			Accelerator release time	Foot transfer time	Time from risk perception to maneuver initiation	Subtract 0.75 sec
			(1)	(2)		
1st	1-1	1	1.40	0.47	0.75	1.12
	1-2	1	1.18	0.42		0.85
	1-3	1	1.12	0.20		0.57
	1-4	1	1.53	0.17		0.95
2nd and subseq.	2-1	2	1.15	0.32	0.75	0.72
	2-2	2	1.13	0.20		0.58
	2-3	2	0.77	0.17		0.18
	2-4	2	0.90	0.23		0.38
1st	Avg.		1.27	0.29		0.87
2nd and subseq.	Avg.		0.96	0.26		0.47
Ratio			0.75	0.92		0.53

## Time to perceive risk after other vehicle started to cut-in



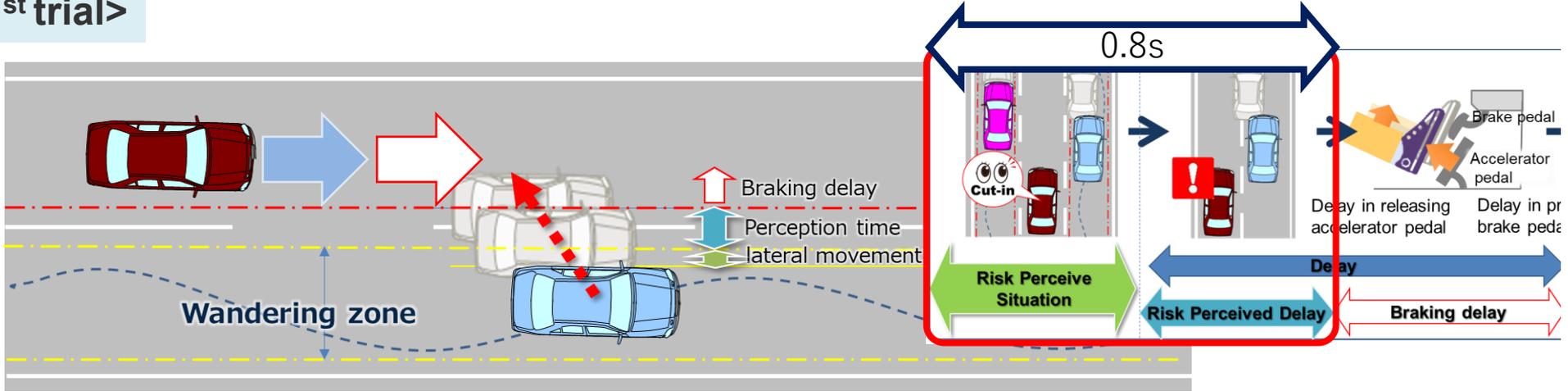
- 1<sup>st</sup> trial: Approx. 0.9 sec.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> and subseq. trials: Approx. 0.5 sec.

※The collected data are results of same TTC and brake avoidance with the same cut-in timing.

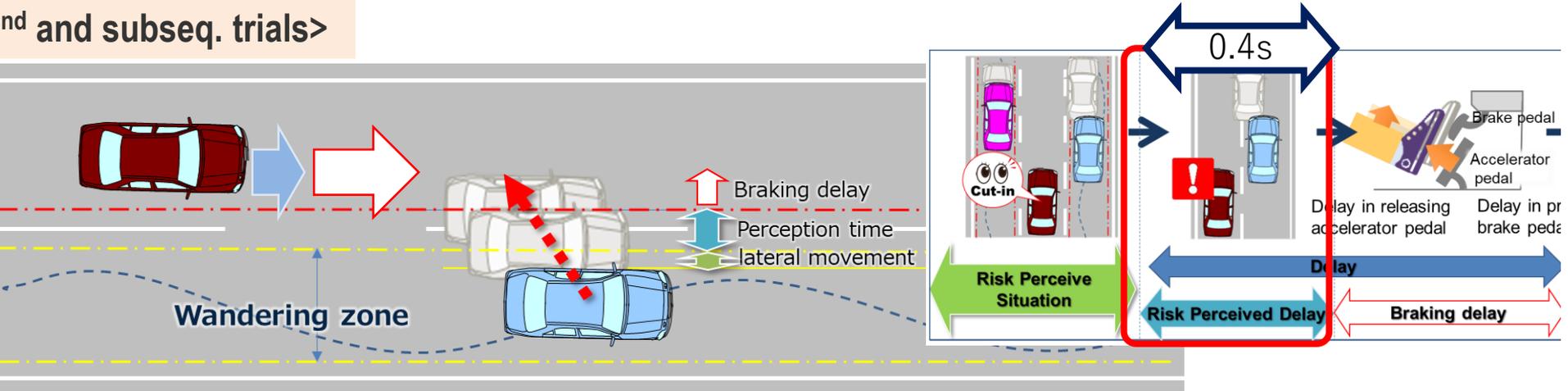
# Driver Reaction Time Against Cut-in

In 2<sup>nd</sup> trial driver has learned the protocol in 1<sup>st</sup> trial and will expect the cut in just after starting the lateral movement of the vehicle in adjacent lane.

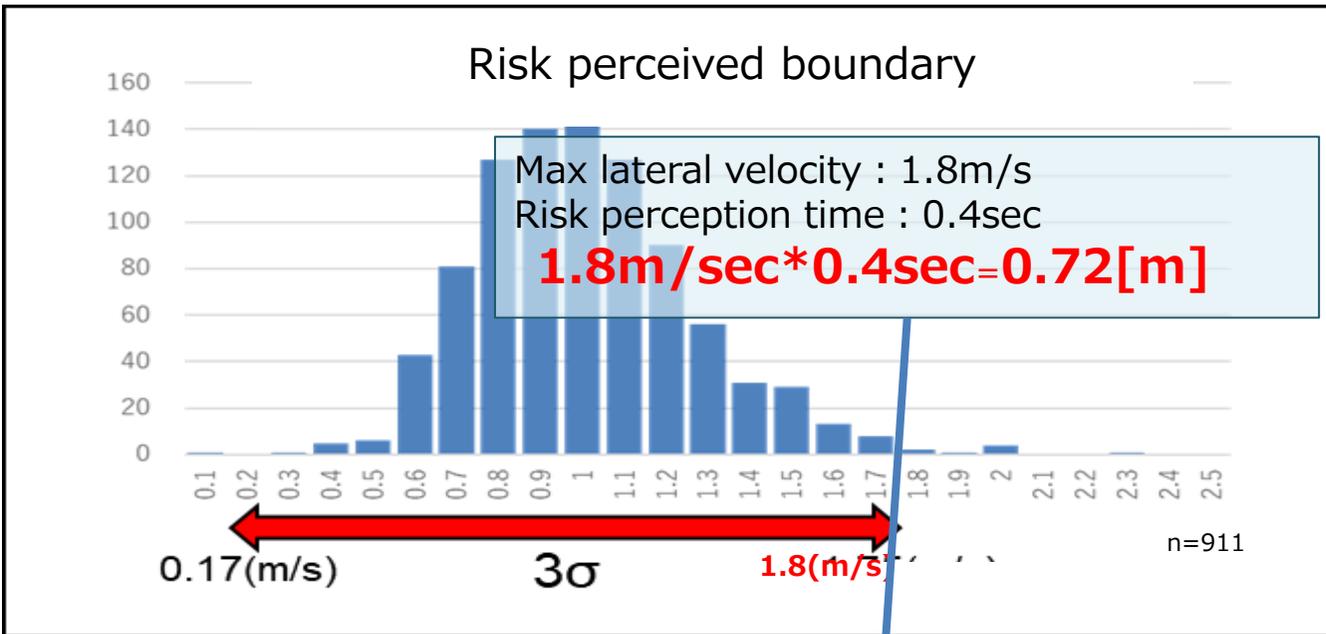
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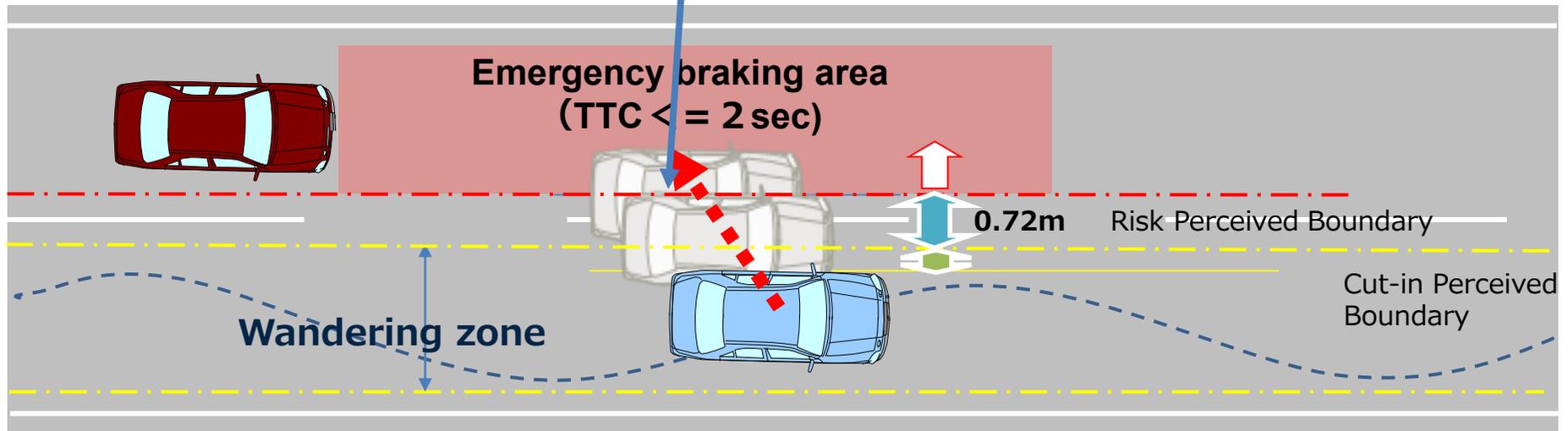
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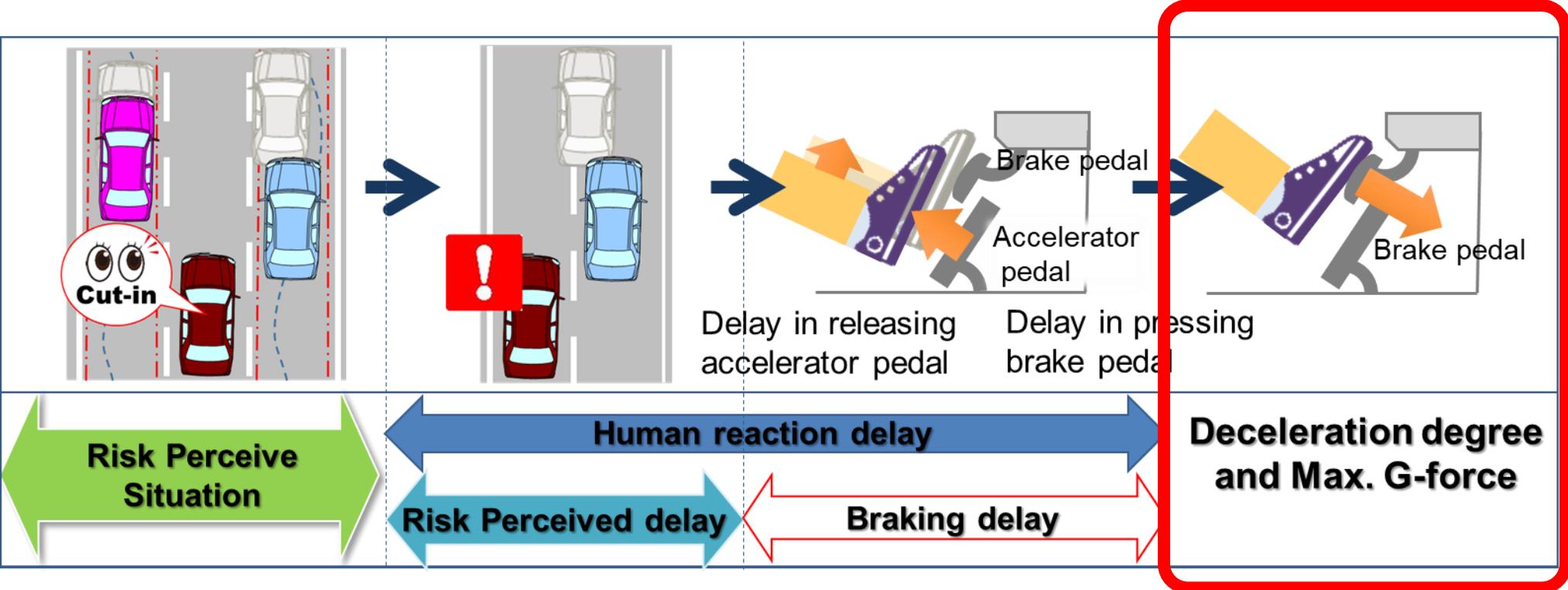
# Risk Perceived Boundary



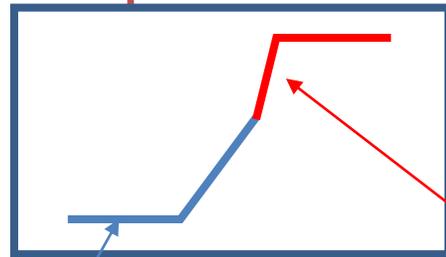
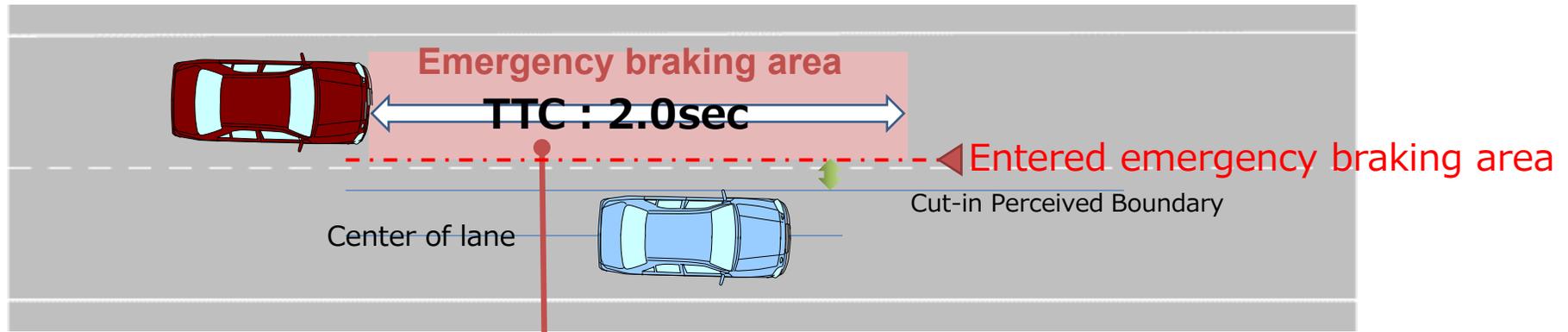
When the lateral velocity is slower then the risk perception time become longer. So the quicker risk perception time, which is more demanding to AD, is adapted as assumption.



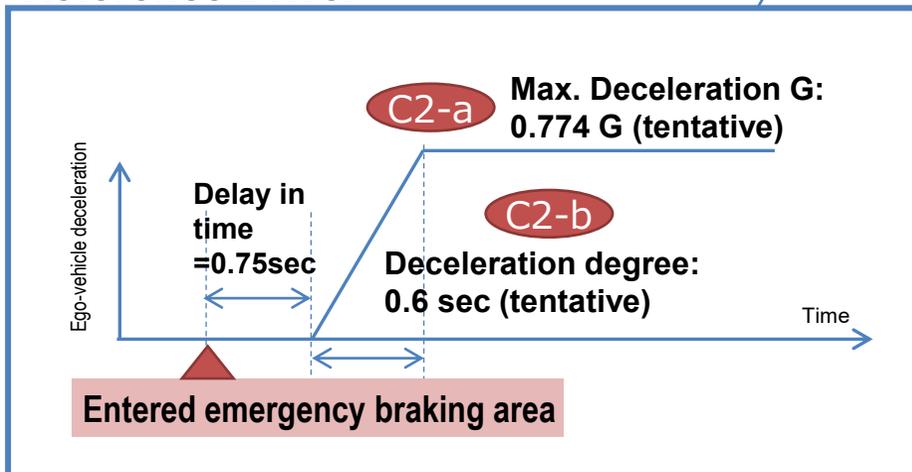
# 3. Deceleration degree and Max. G-force



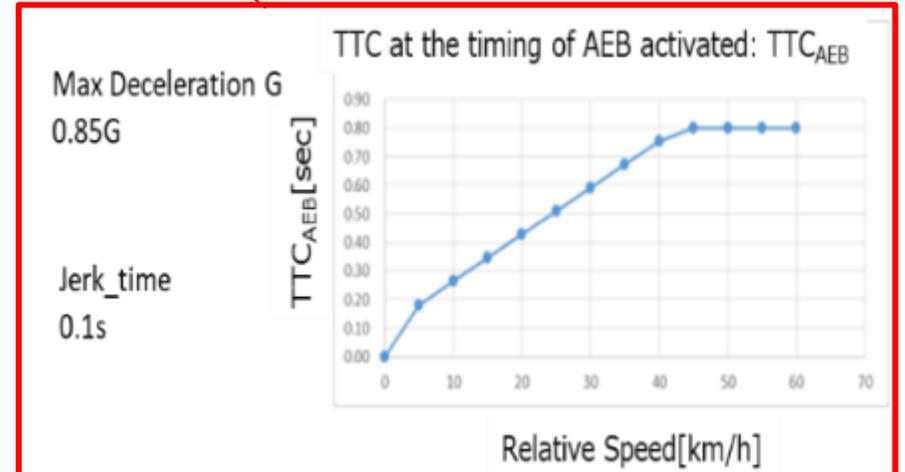
# Deceleration Degree and Max. G-force



## Reference Driver



## AEB



Trained drivers' **Max. deceleration G-force: 0.774G**

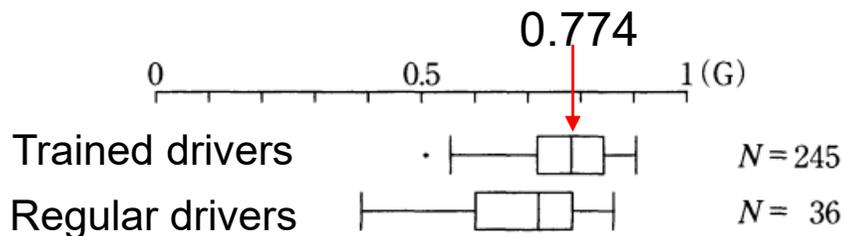
=> Define the driver model with **skilled drivers who have driving skills superior** to regular drivers

【JP】

A study example of emergency braking characteristics of driving trainees in Japan

- Regular drivers : 0.689 G
- **Trained drivers\* : 0.774 G**

\*Trained drivers: Trainees of Japan Safe Driving Center (JSDC) Central Training Academy for Safe Driving



(Makisita et al., 2001)

\*Dry road surface

• 183 Trained drivers, (JP, 21~65years old)

【US】

Near-Crash median (0.74 G)  
Incident median (0.5 G)

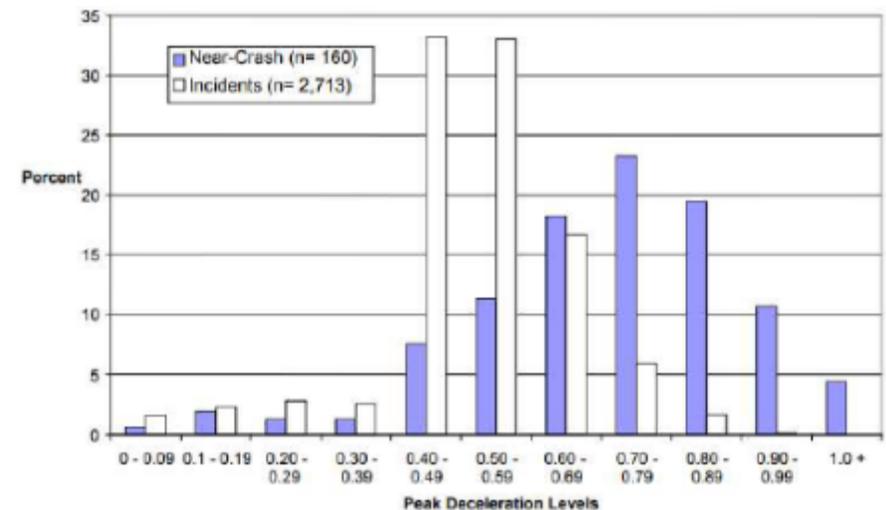


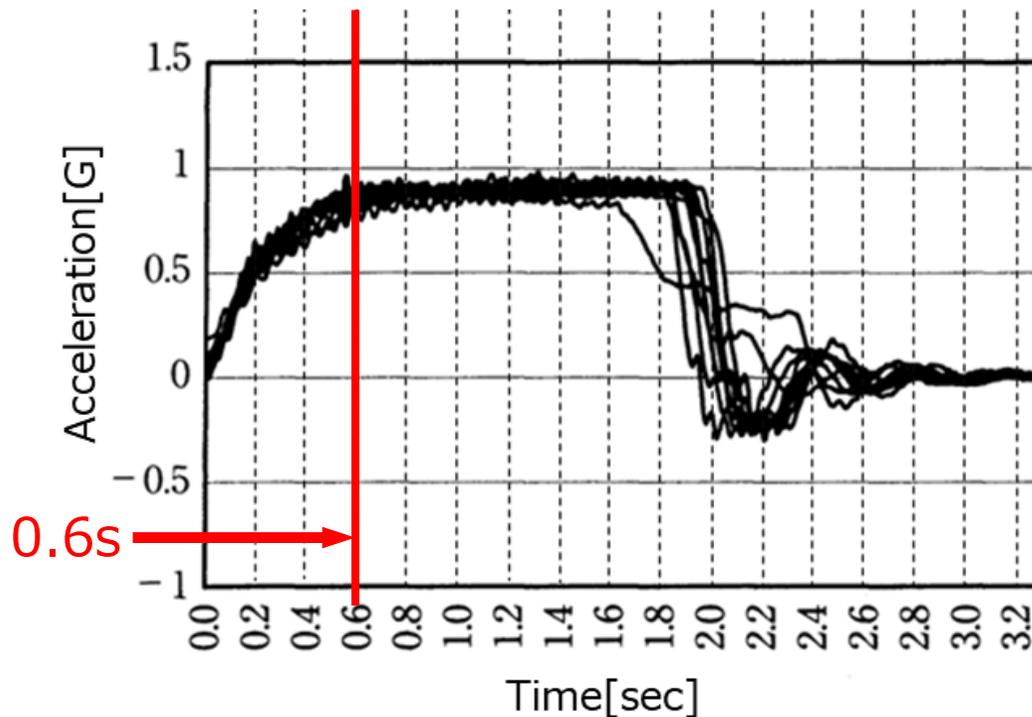
Figure 4. Peak deceleration categories, conflicts with a decelerating lead vehicle (near-crashes & incidents). (NHTSA, 2007)

- 100-car naturalistic driving study
- Age group: 18-20(15%), 21-24(20%), 25-34(17%), 35-44(18%), 45-54(18%), 55+(12%)

Trained drivers' **time to reach Max. deceleration: 0.6 second**

■ Acceleration waveforms of trained drivers

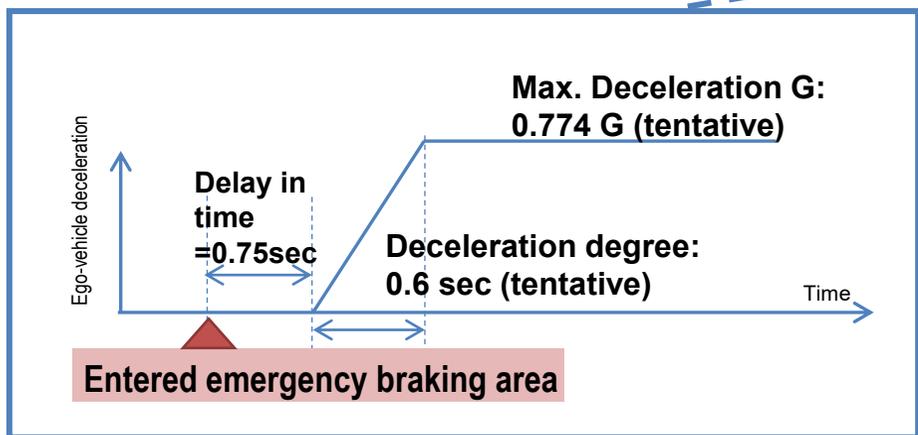
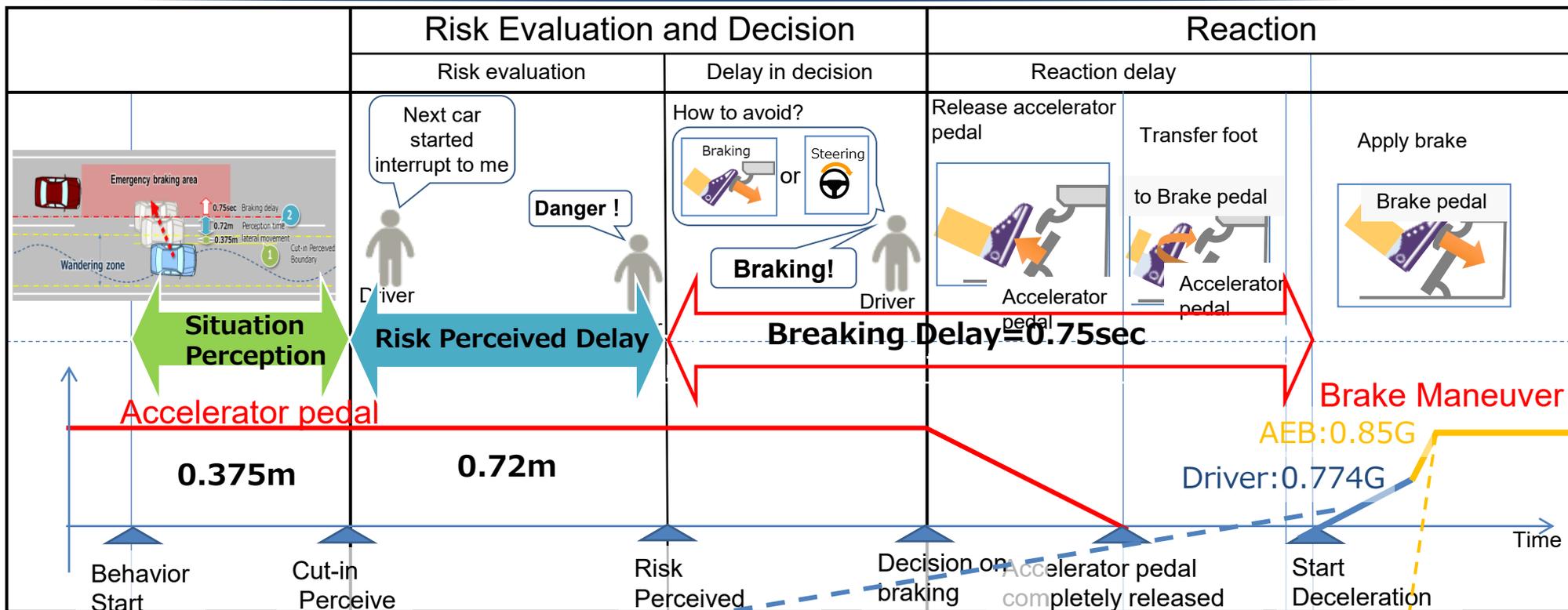
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Achieved steady deceleration state of 0.9 G  
within 0.6 second (Based on the graph)

(Makisita et al. , 2001)

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