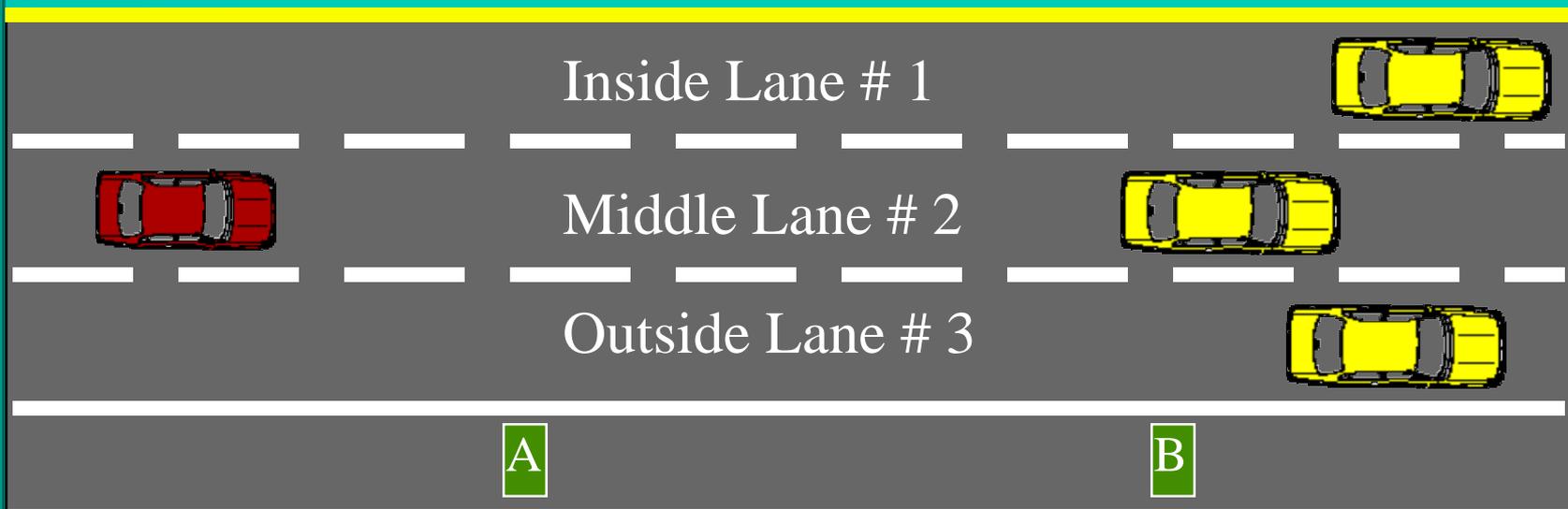


# FREEWAYS



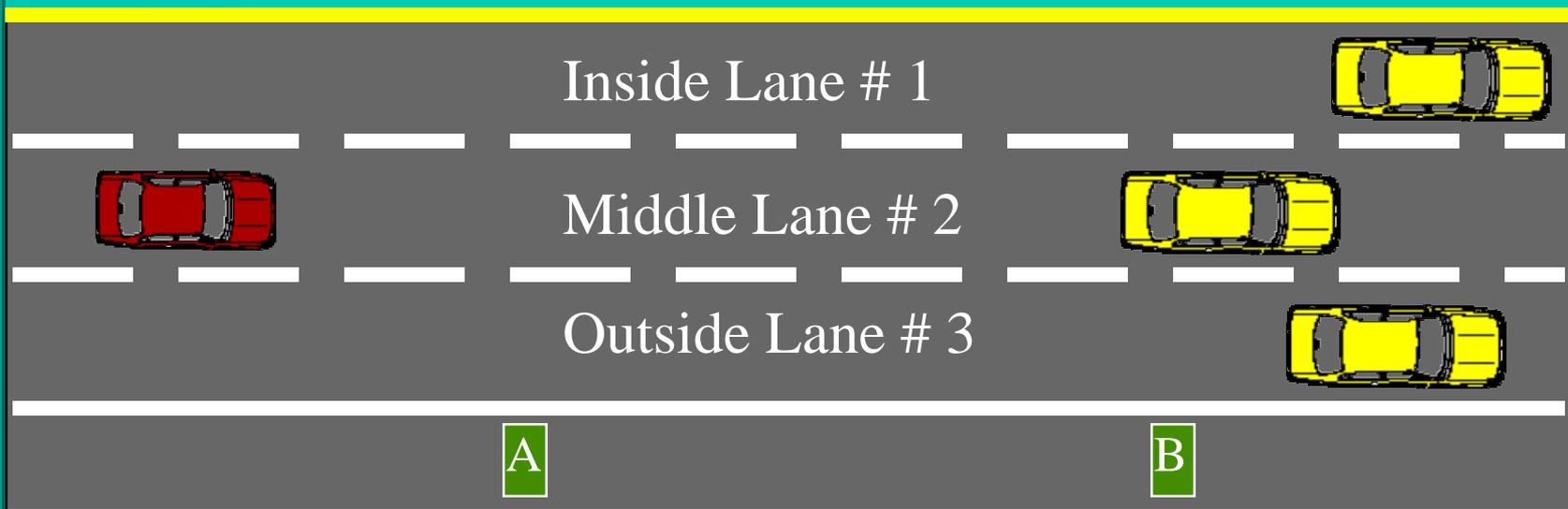
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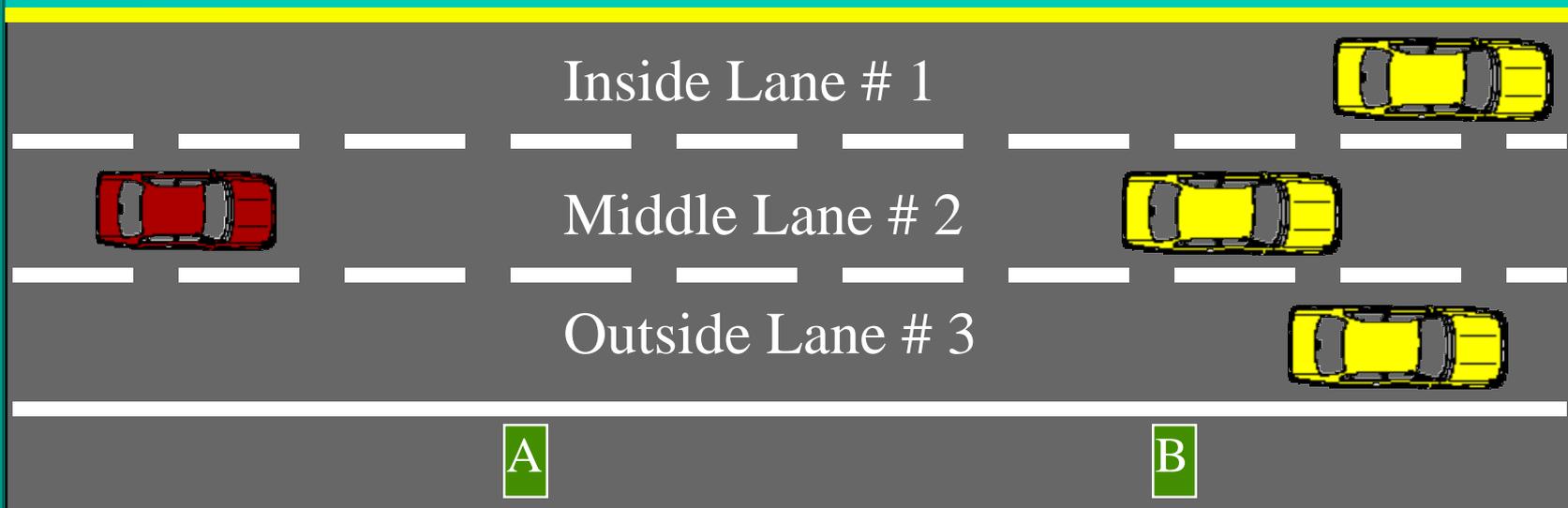
You are the driver of the Red car.

- Sign “A” reads Rainier - Next Five Exits
- Sign “B” reads:
  - Exit 101 - 1st Ave      1 mile
  - Exit 103 - 20th Ave    2 1/2 miles

# Freeway

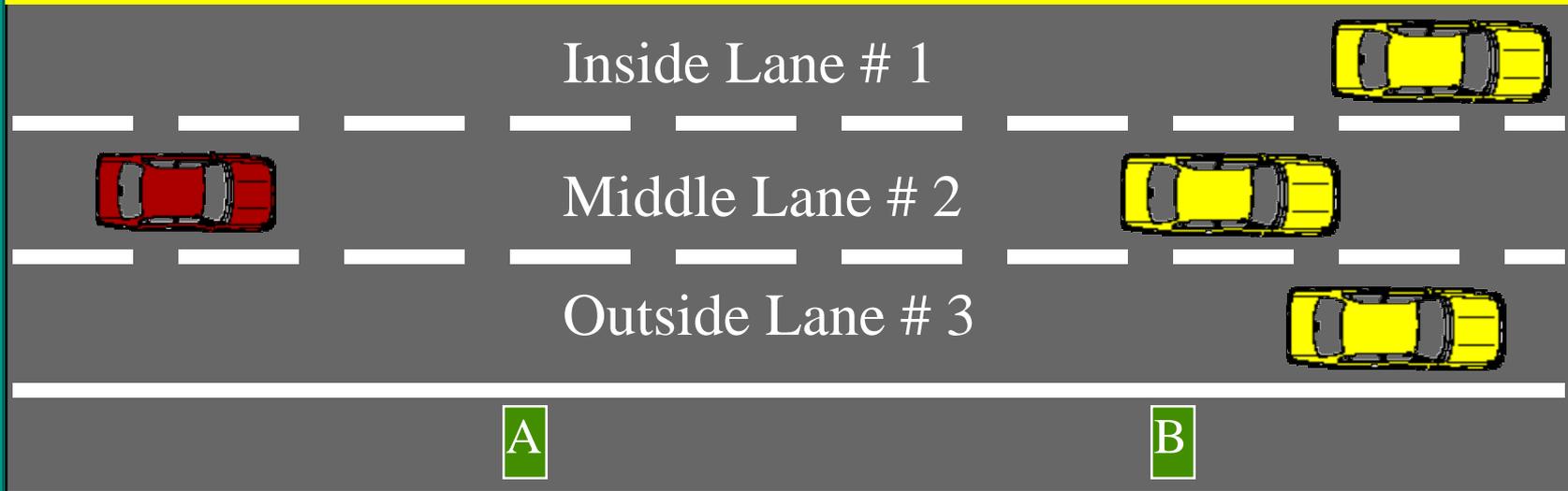


1. Which lane should you drive in if you will not be exiting in Rainier?

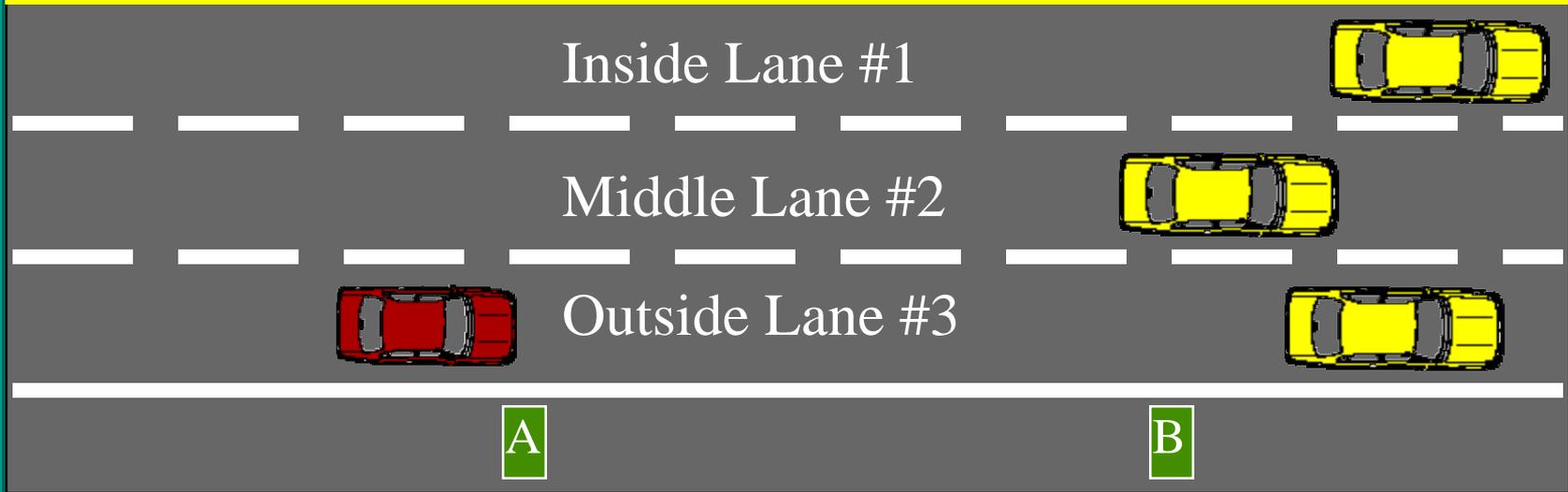


Stay in the middle lane

# Freeway

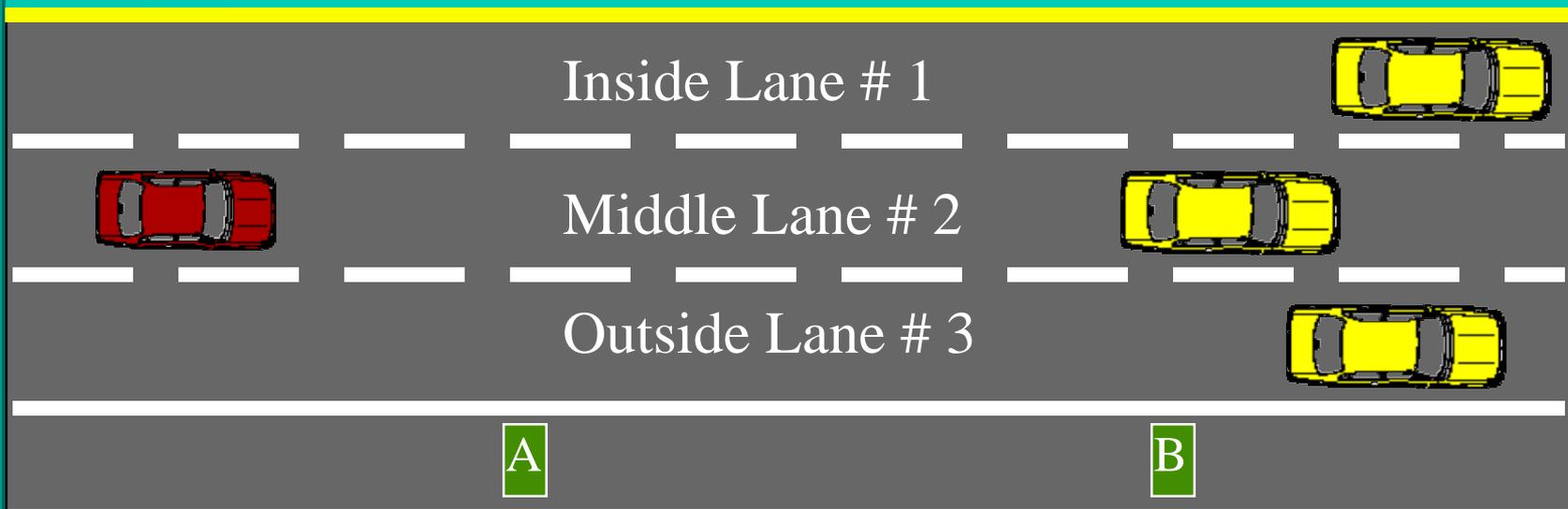


2. If you will be taking exit 101 (1 mile), what lane should you choose?



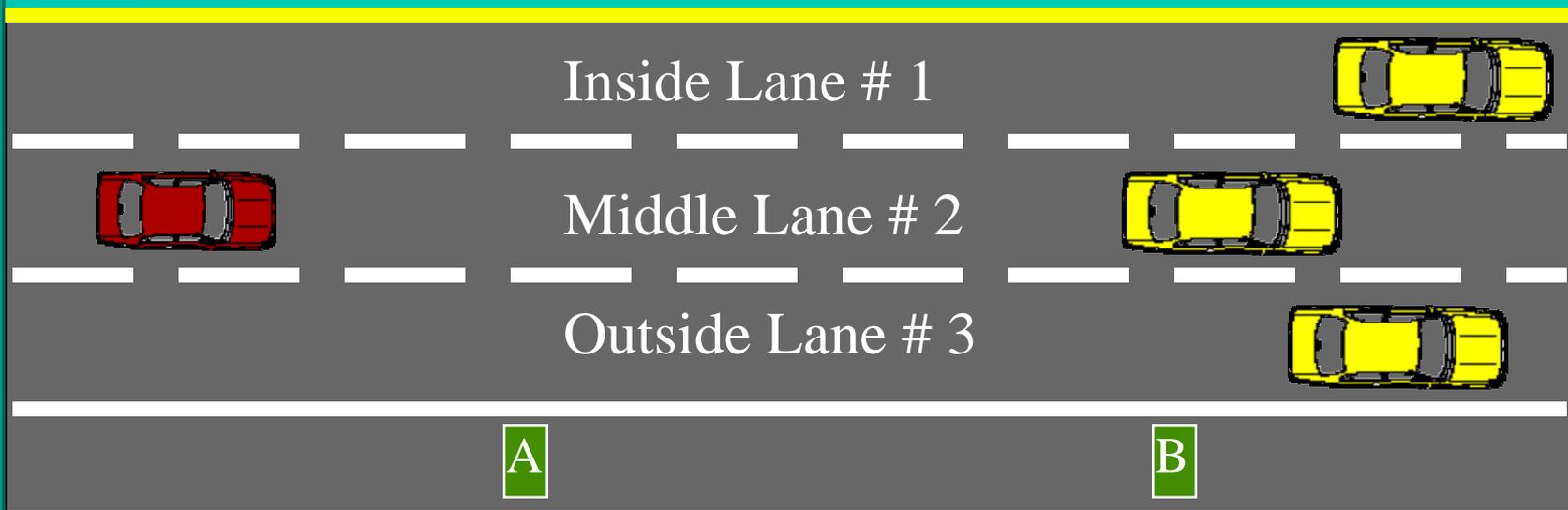
Change to the Outside lane # 3

# Freeway



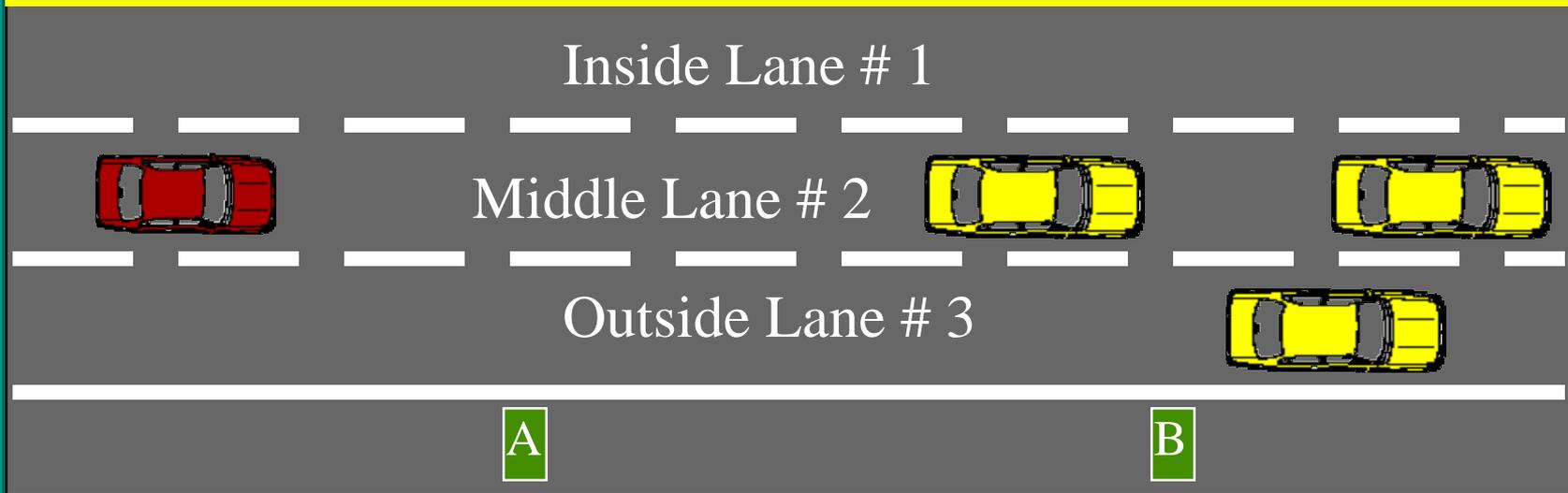
3. You are traveling about 60 mph and the “pack” of cars ahead is traveling about 55 mph.

What action should you take?

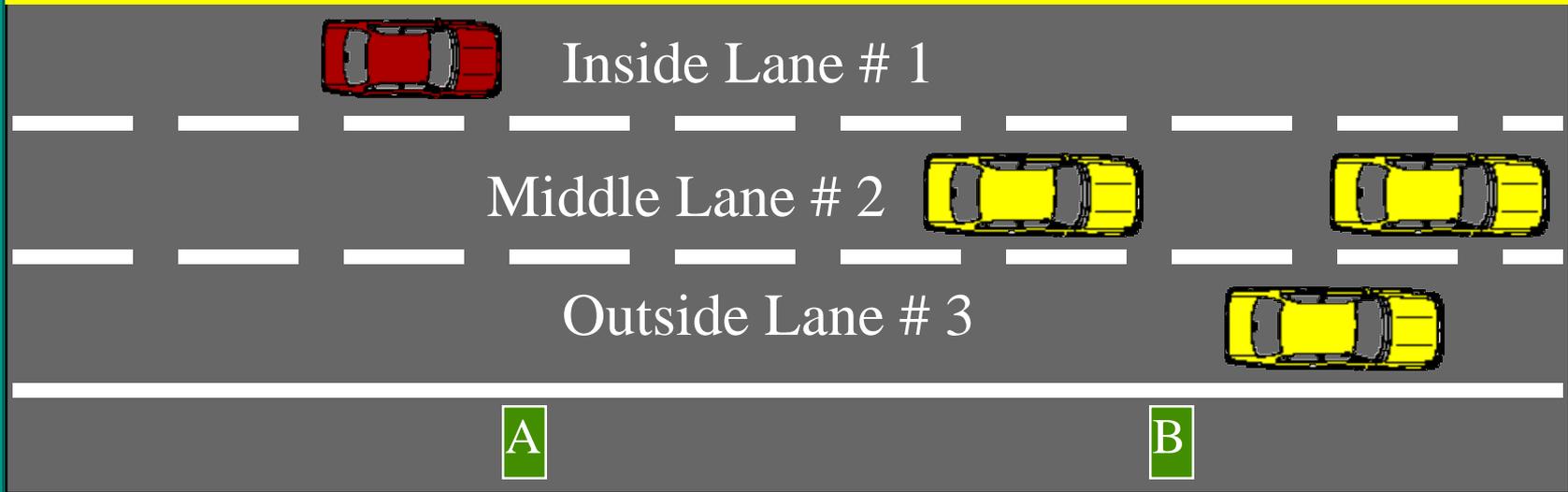


Slow down to about 55 mph and leave space

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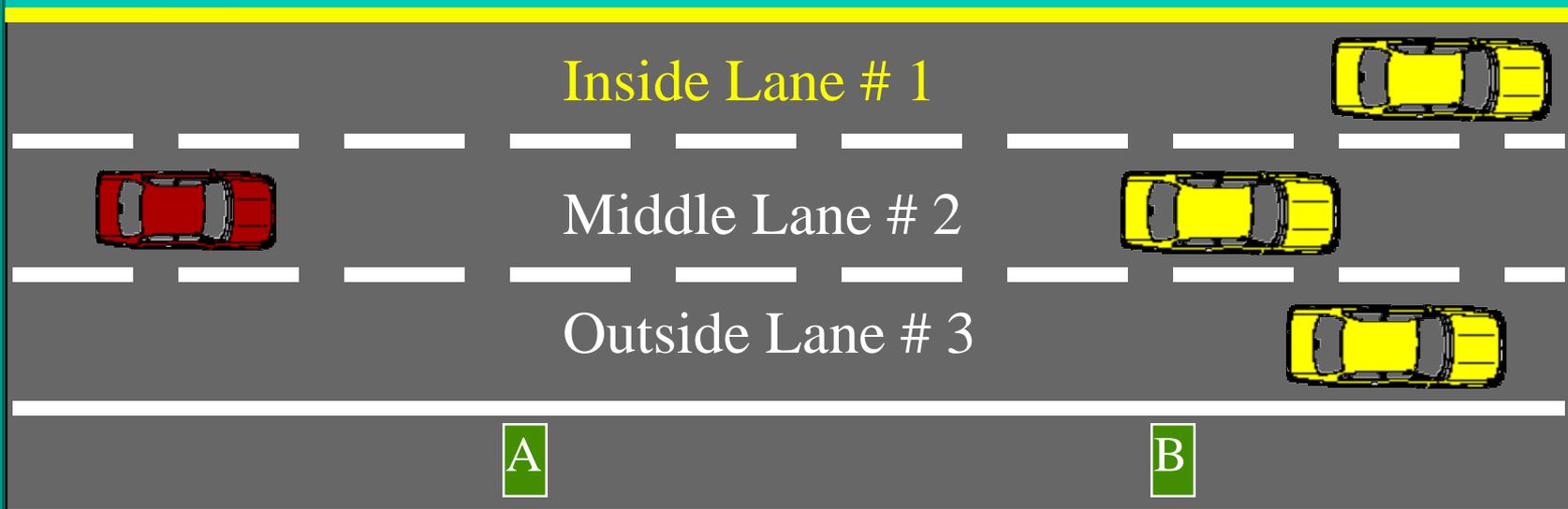


4. The “pack” of cars ahead is going about 55 mph. You have been traveling at 60 mph. What will you do?

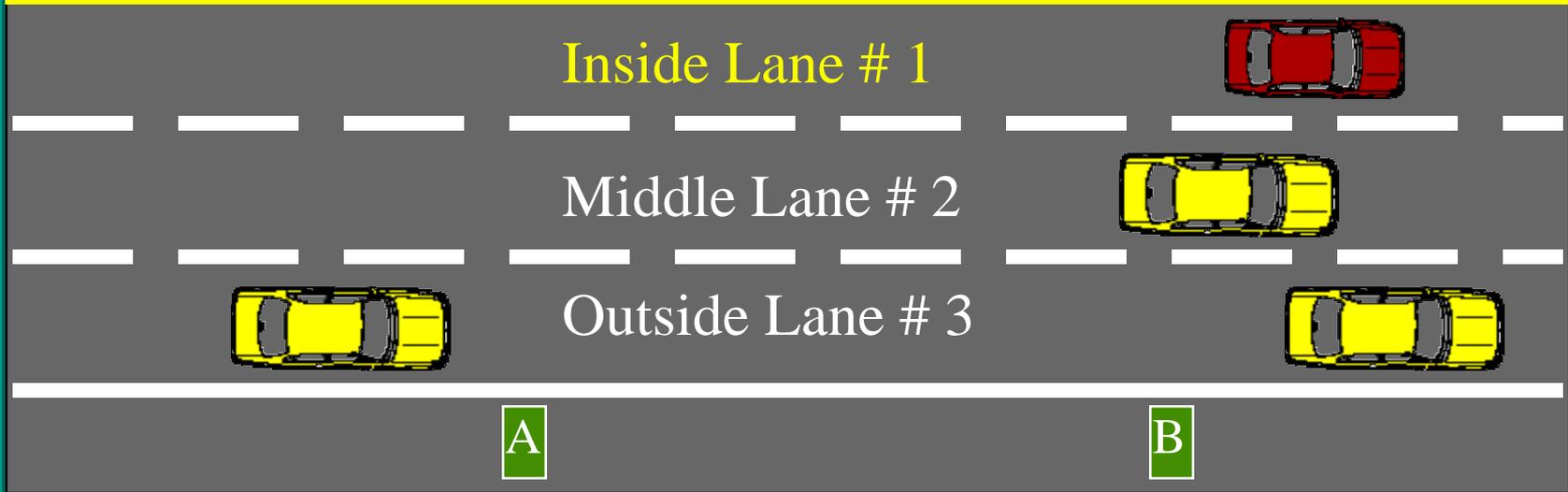


Change into the inside lane # 1 and pass

# Freeway



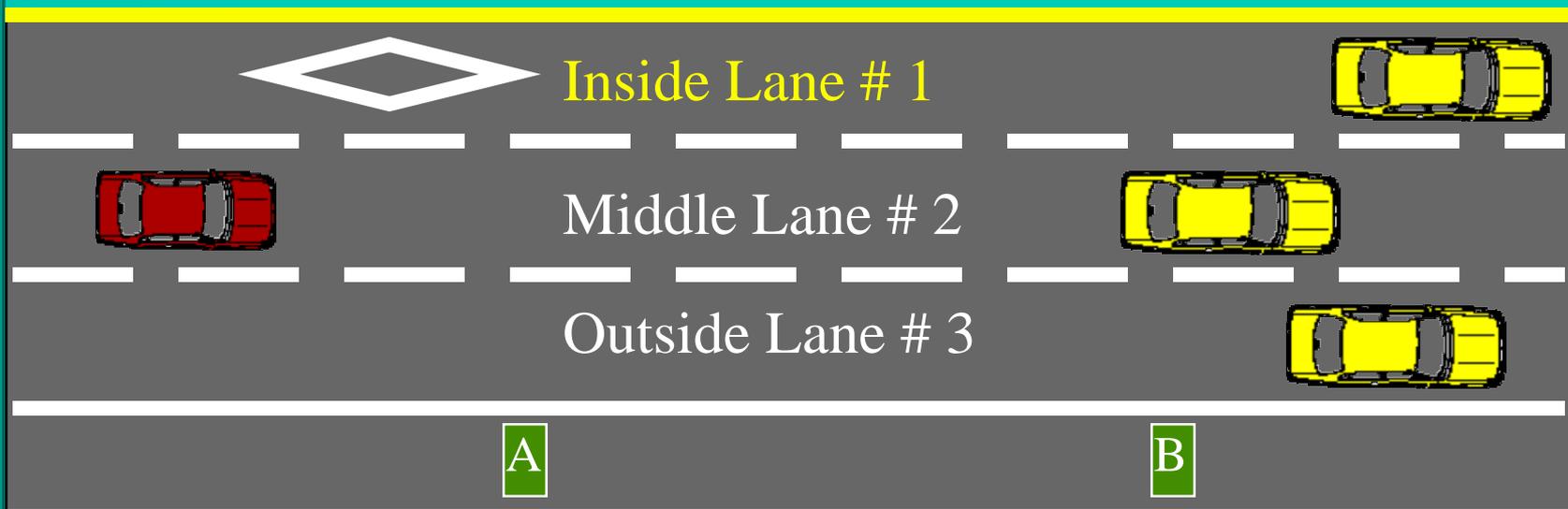
5. What is the inside general driving lane # 1 legally to be used for on the freeway?



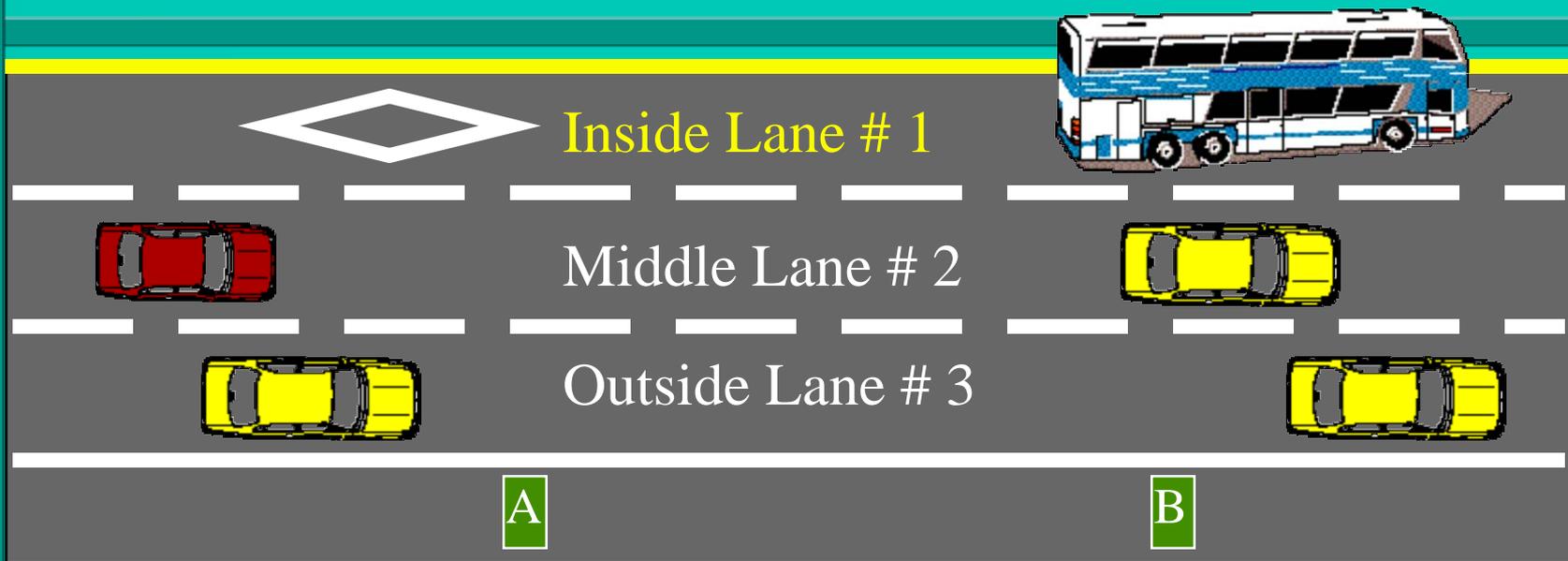
## Passing other vehicles

- It can also be used to exit to the left

# Freeway



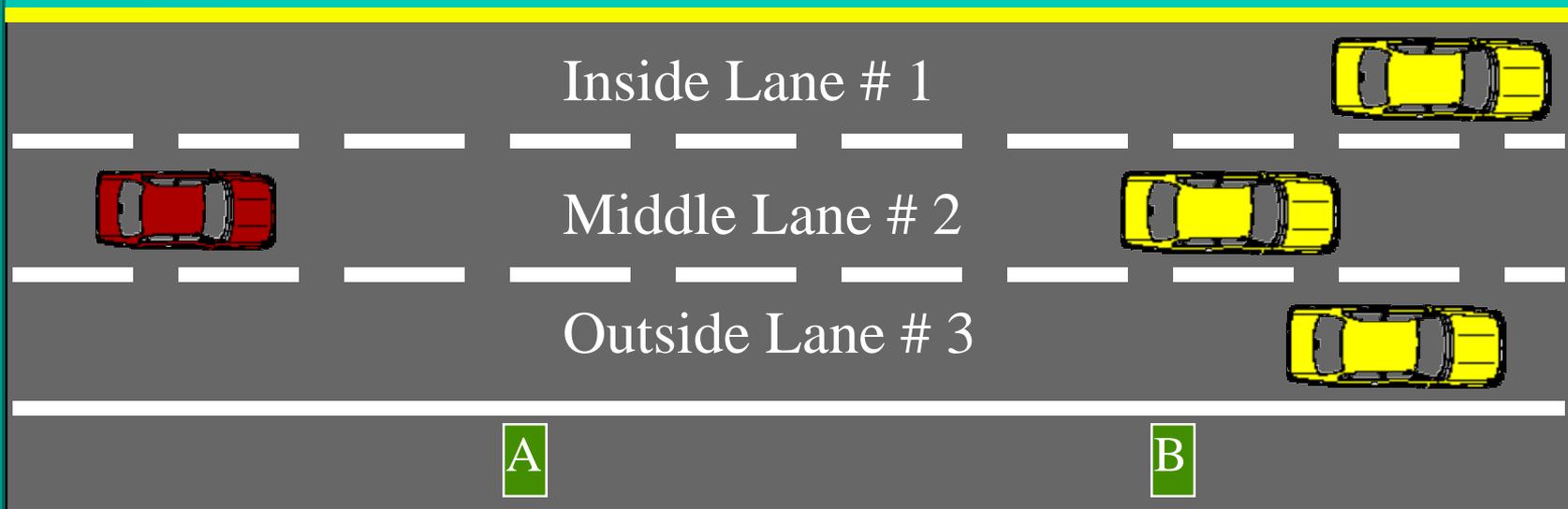
5. What if the inside lane # 1 is a diamond lane?



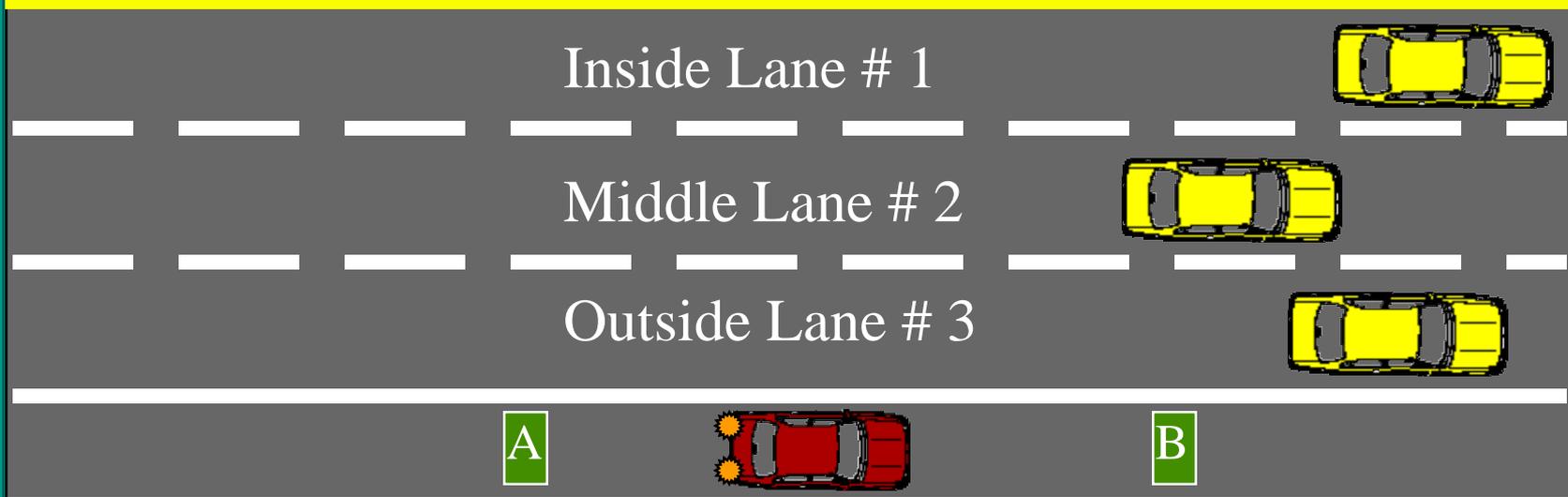
Then it is a restricted lane

- Generally for buses,
- carpools (watch for signs indicating how many occupants) and motorcycles

# Freeway



6. Parking or stopping on the shoulder of the freeway is illegal except under what circumstance?

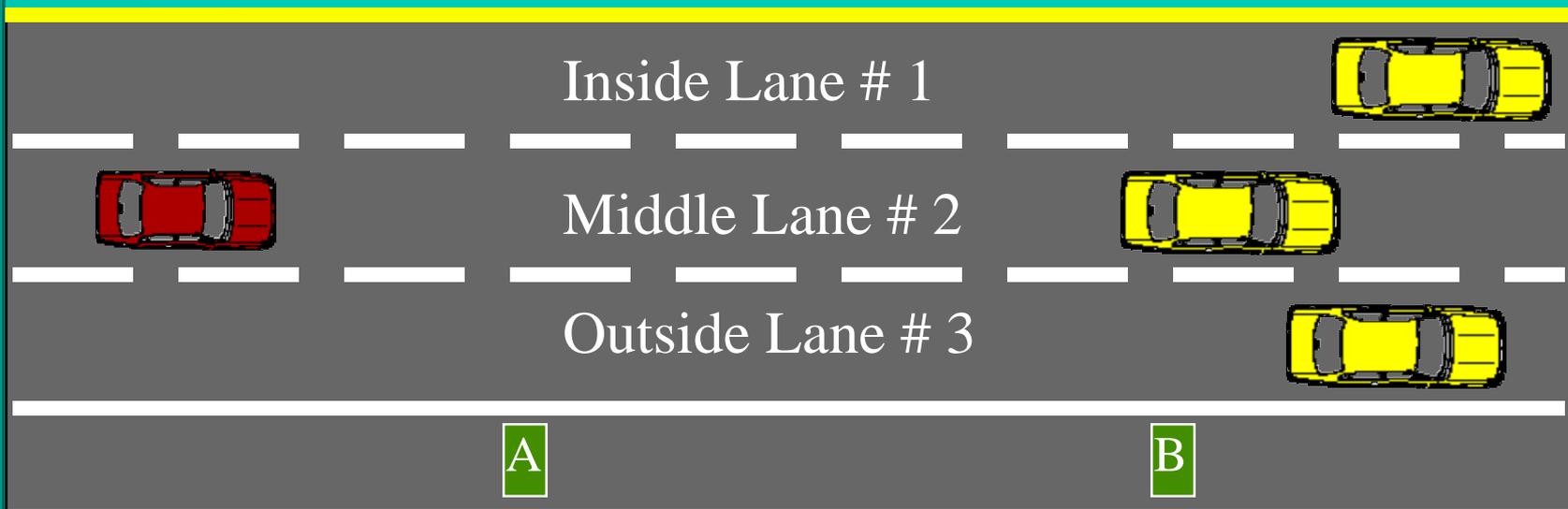


## Emergencies

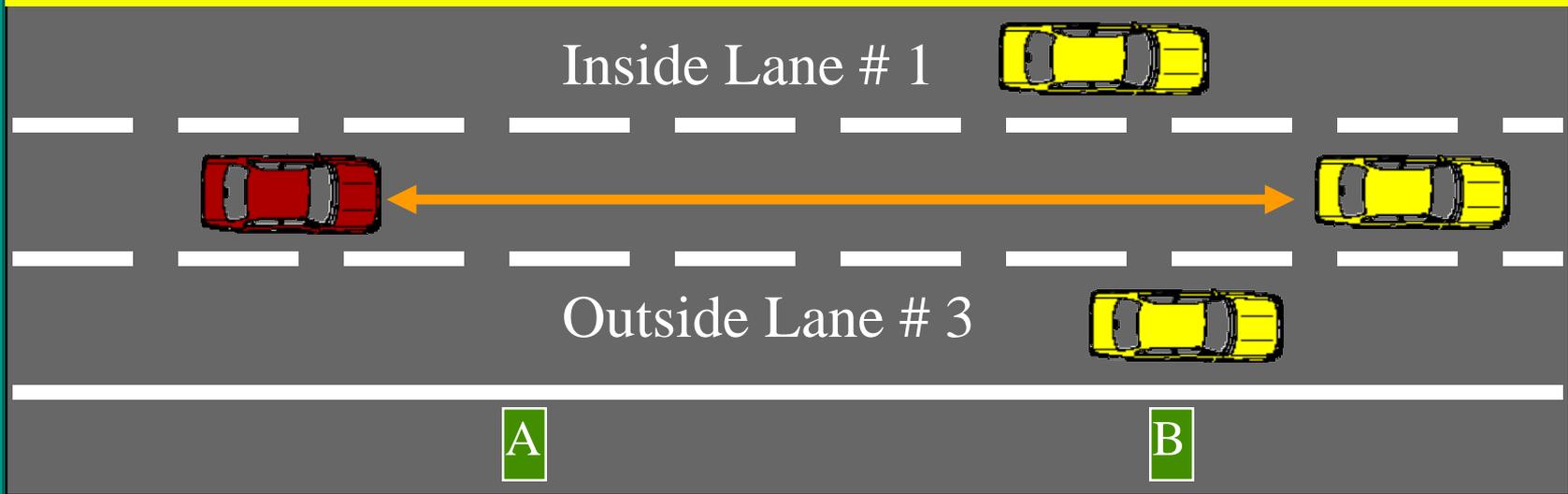
Mechanical failures

Running out of gas

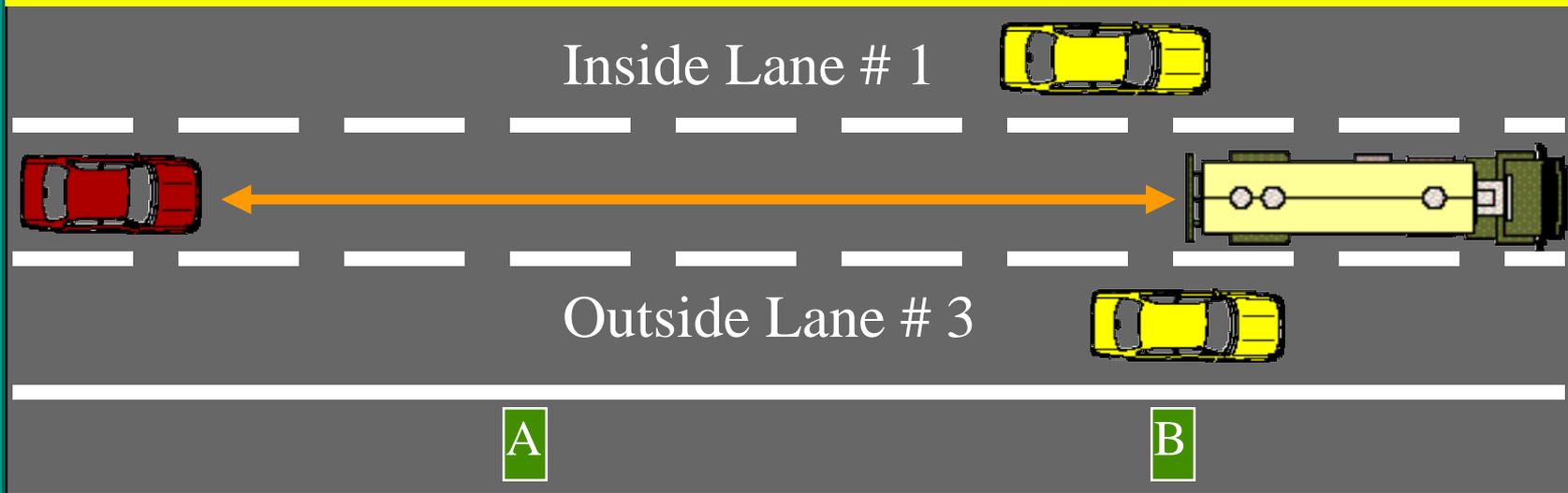
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7. What kind of space cushion do you need to leave on the freeway?



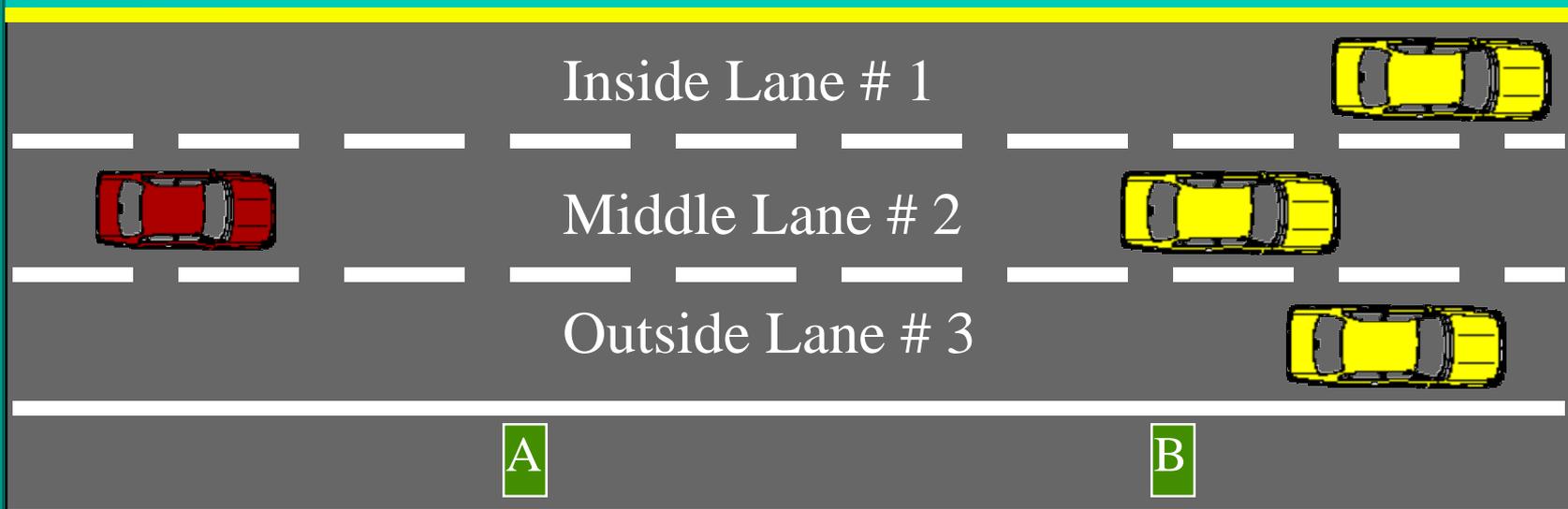
At least 4 seconds, but prefer 5 seconds



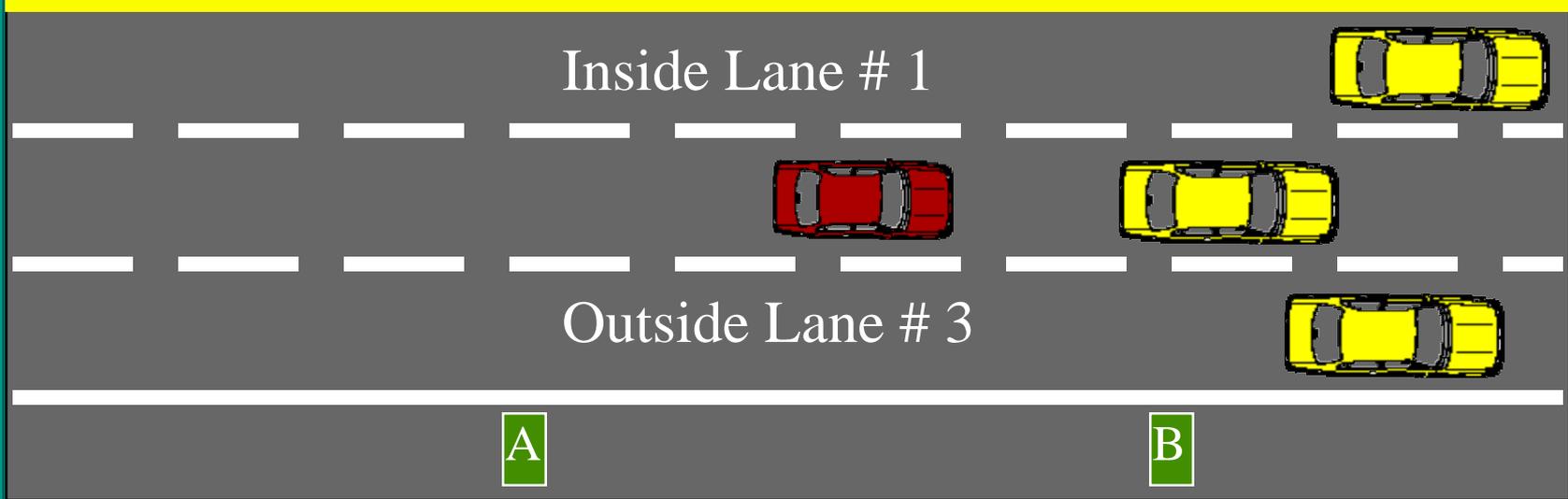
## Leave 5 to 6 seconds when:

- following large vehicles: trucks, buses
- Following motorcycles
- you are being tailgated
- the weather conditions are bad

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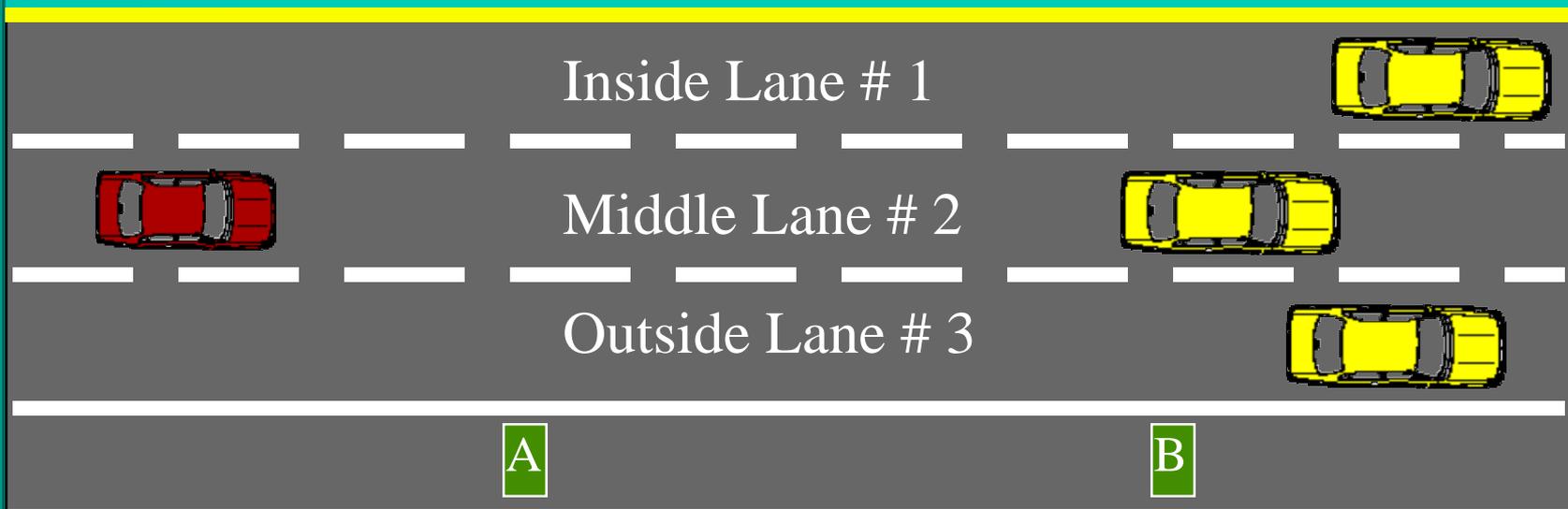


8. What is the cause of most crashes on the freeway?

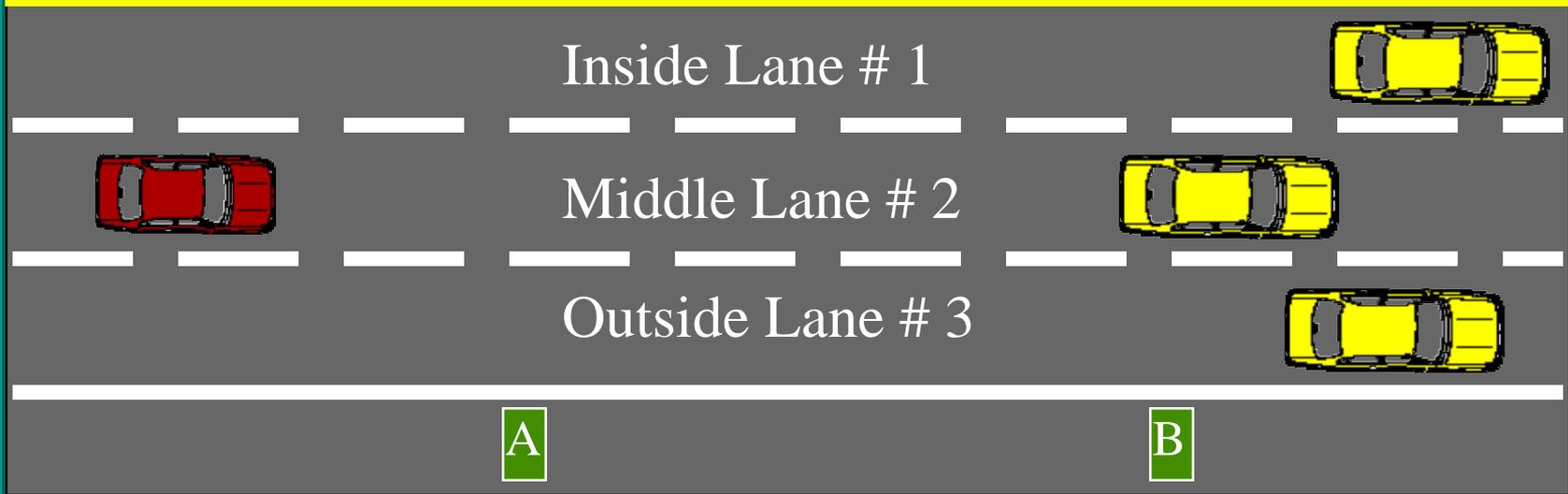


Following too close

# Freeway



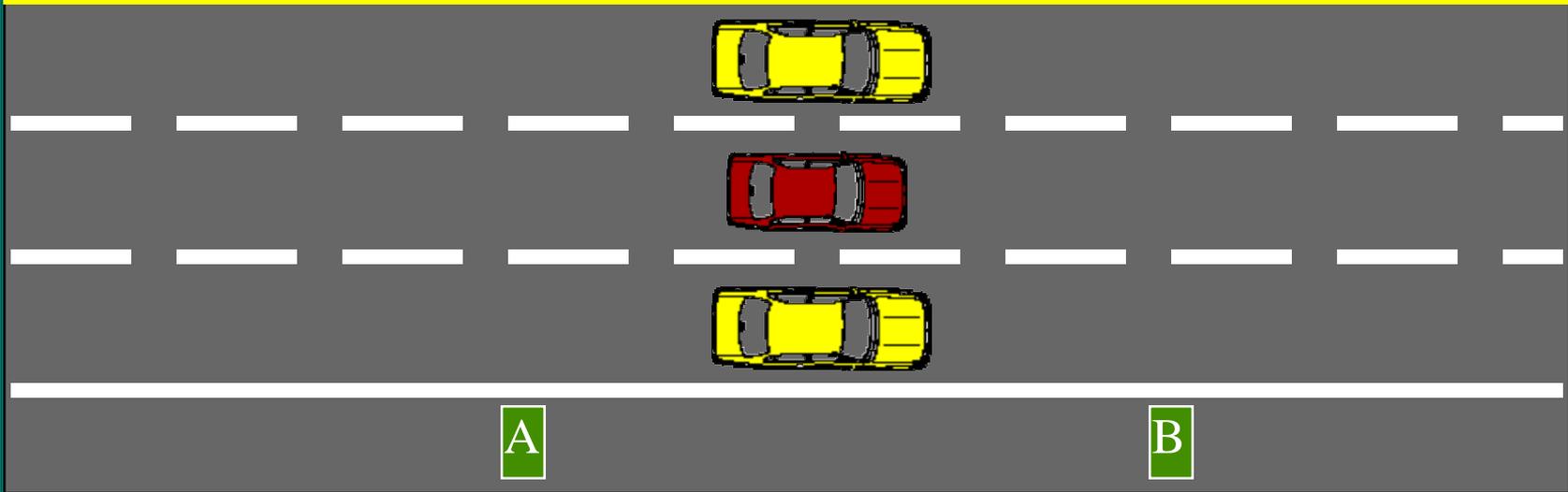
9. Will an Interstate route that runs North and South end in an odd or even number?



## Odd number

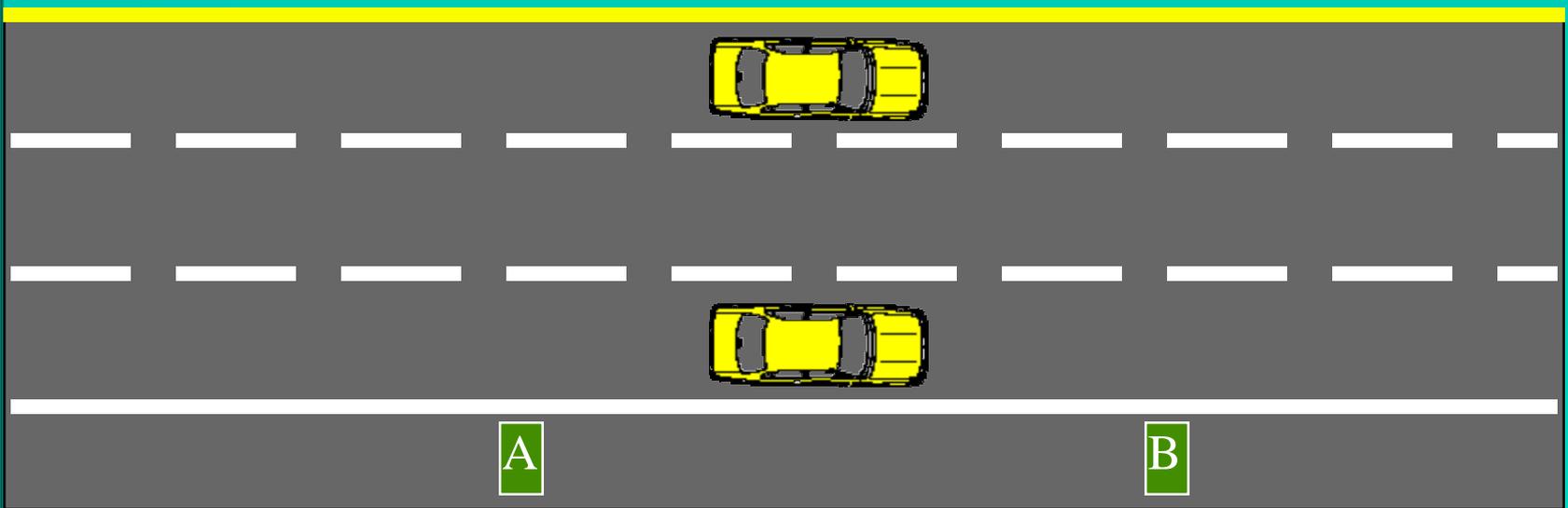
- For example I-5 runs north and south through Seattle

# What is wrong with the red car's position?

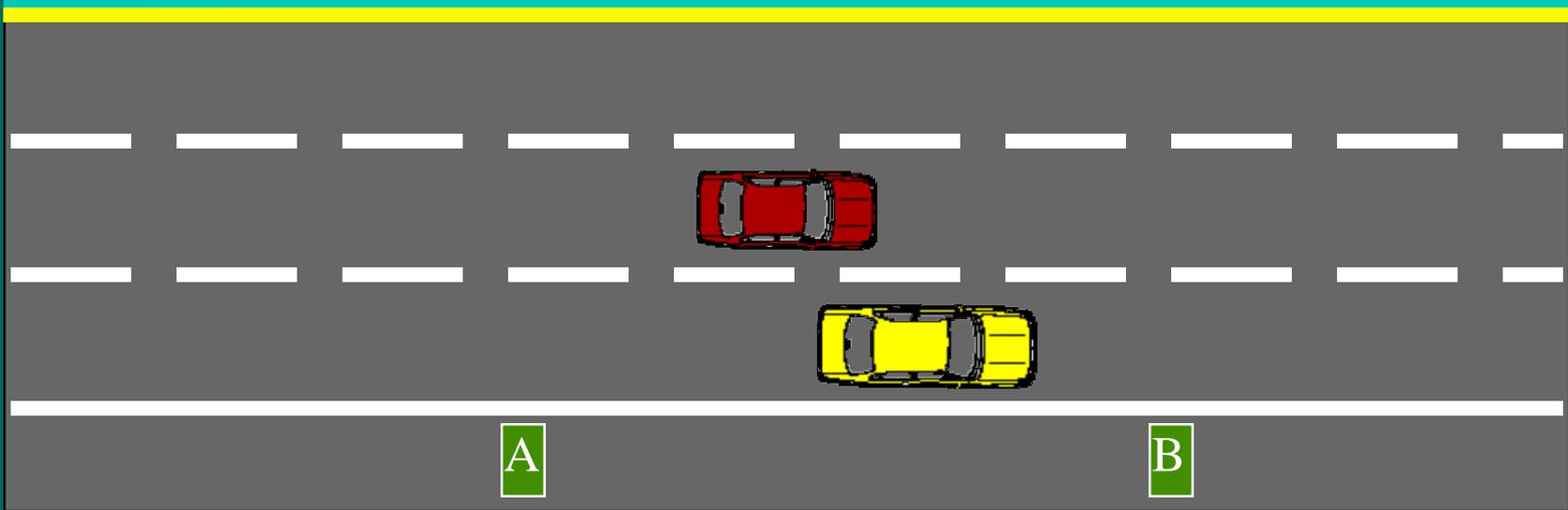


- Both the left and right sides are blocked
- Plan to move out of this position as soon as possible

Be aware of making lane changes.

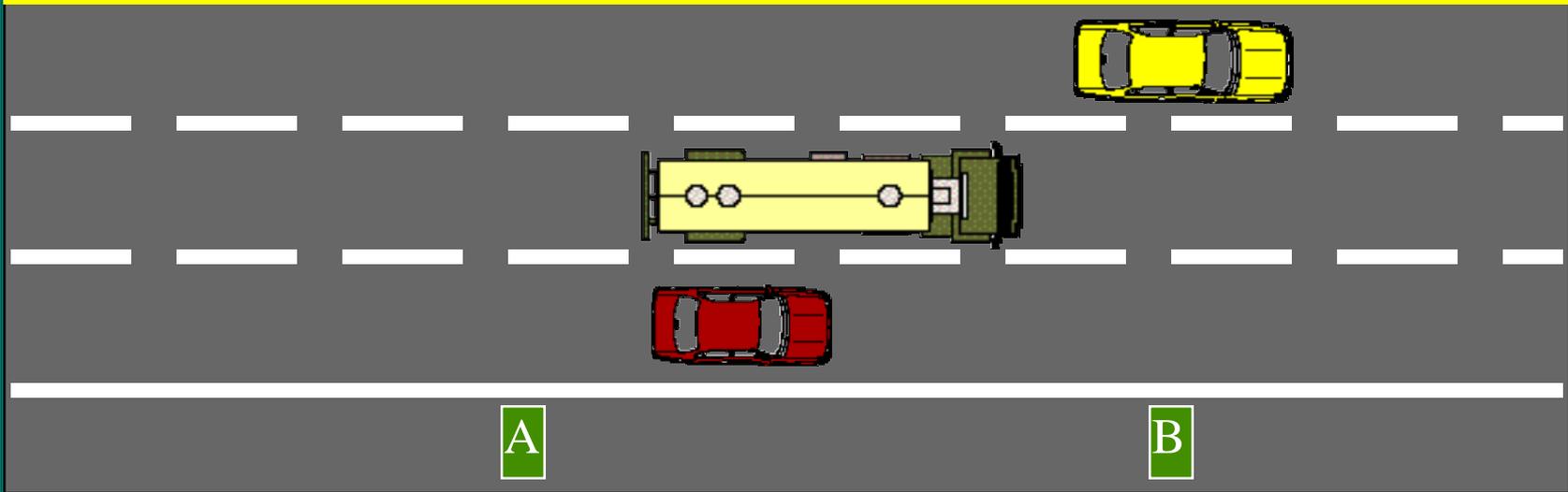


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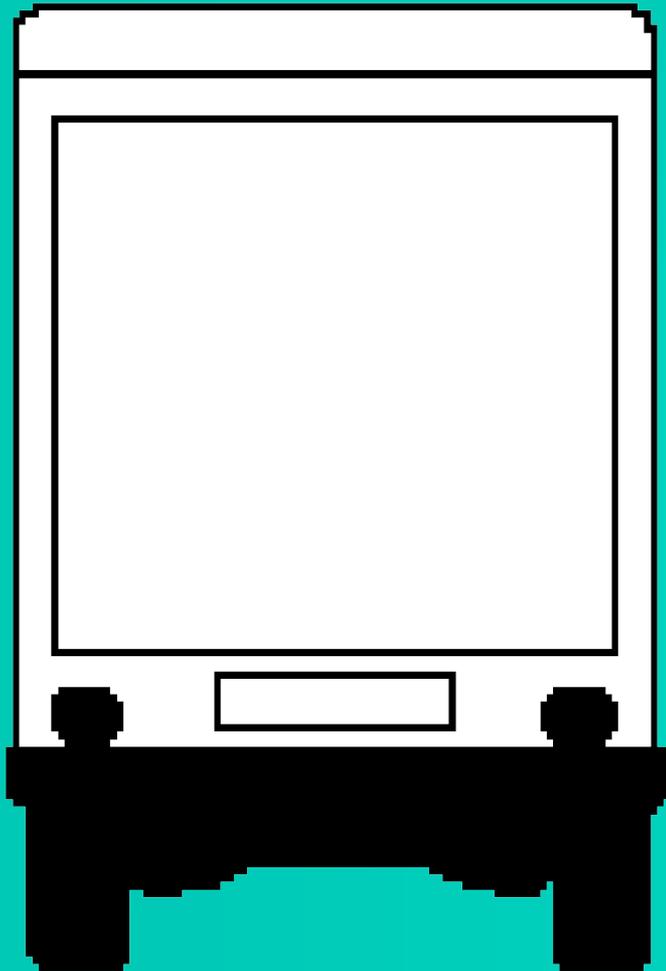
- It is in the blindspot of the yellow car
- Do not stay in other people's blindspot area for more than a couple of seconds

# What is wrong with the red car's position?



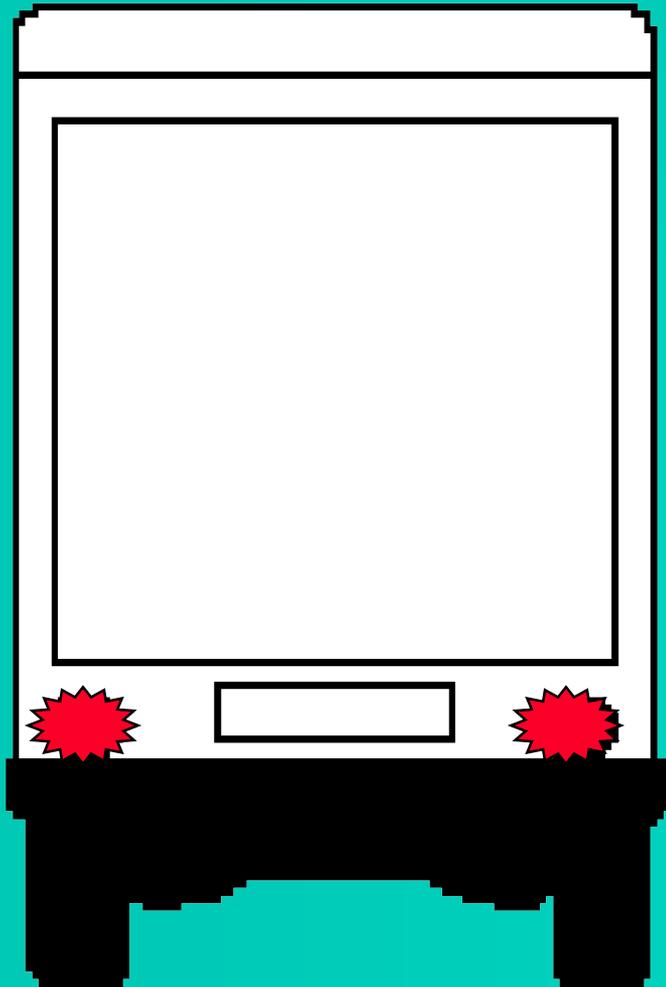
- It is in the blindspot of the truck
- Either pass the truck quickly or slow to get out of its blindspot

# What's wrong if this is all you see?



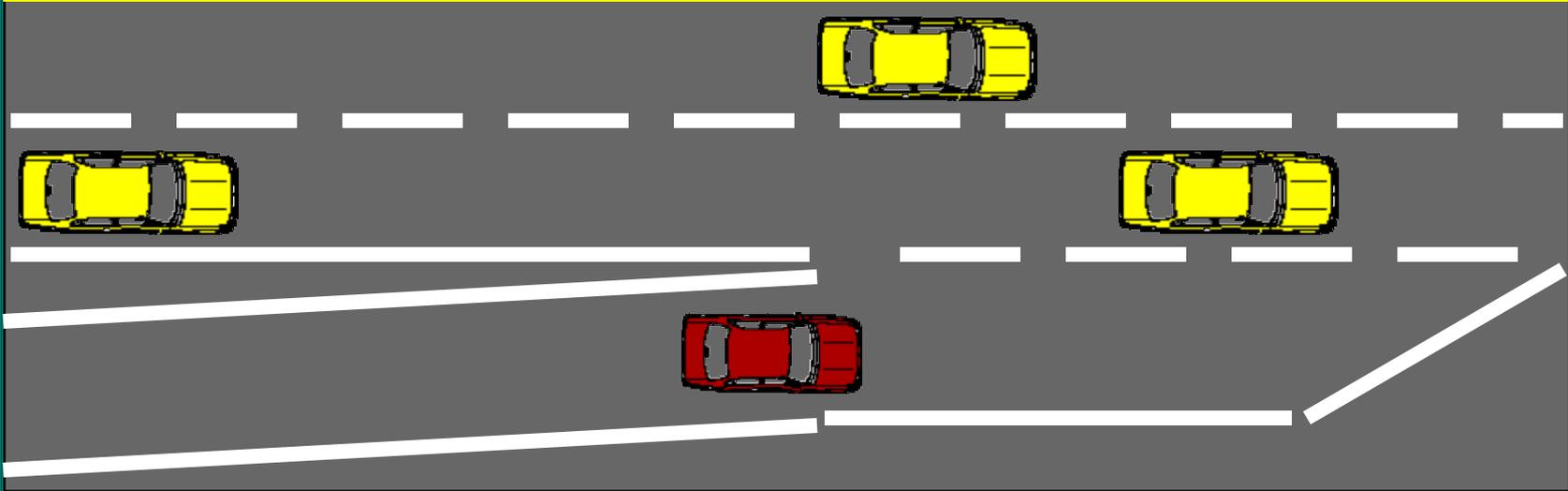
- You are tailgating
- You need 5 seconds of following space

# What's about to happen if this is all you see?



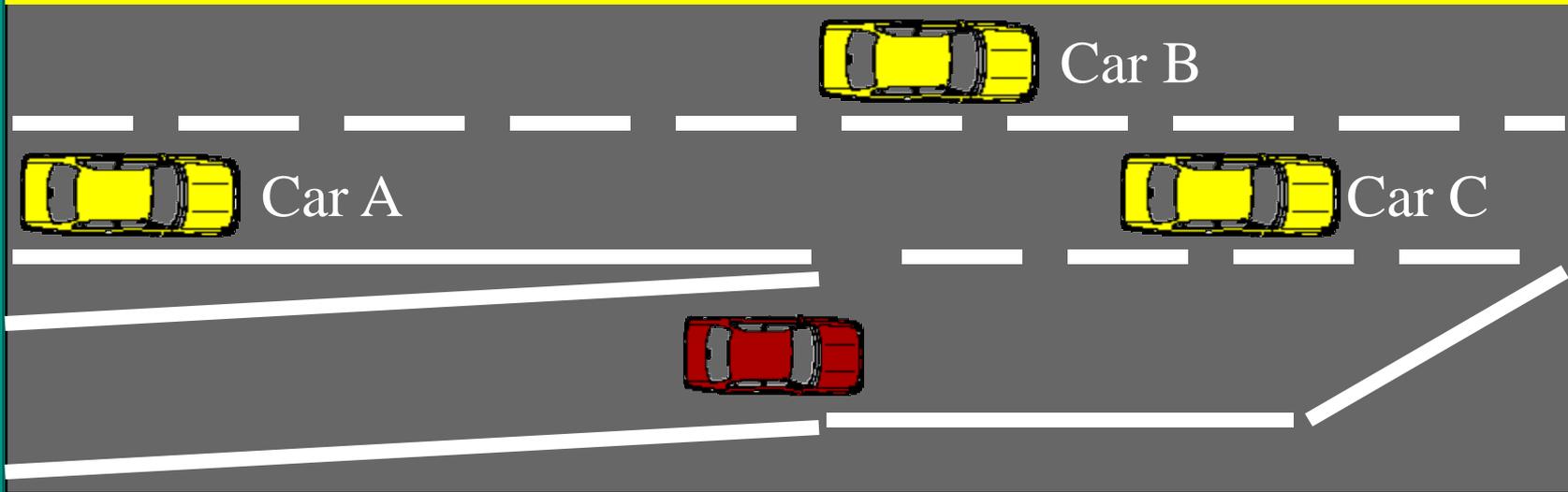
- You are about to rear-end a truck
- Hope your front bumper is as high as the truck's rear bumper!

# Freeway



- You are the driver of the red car.
- All vehicles on the freeway are traveling about 60 mph.

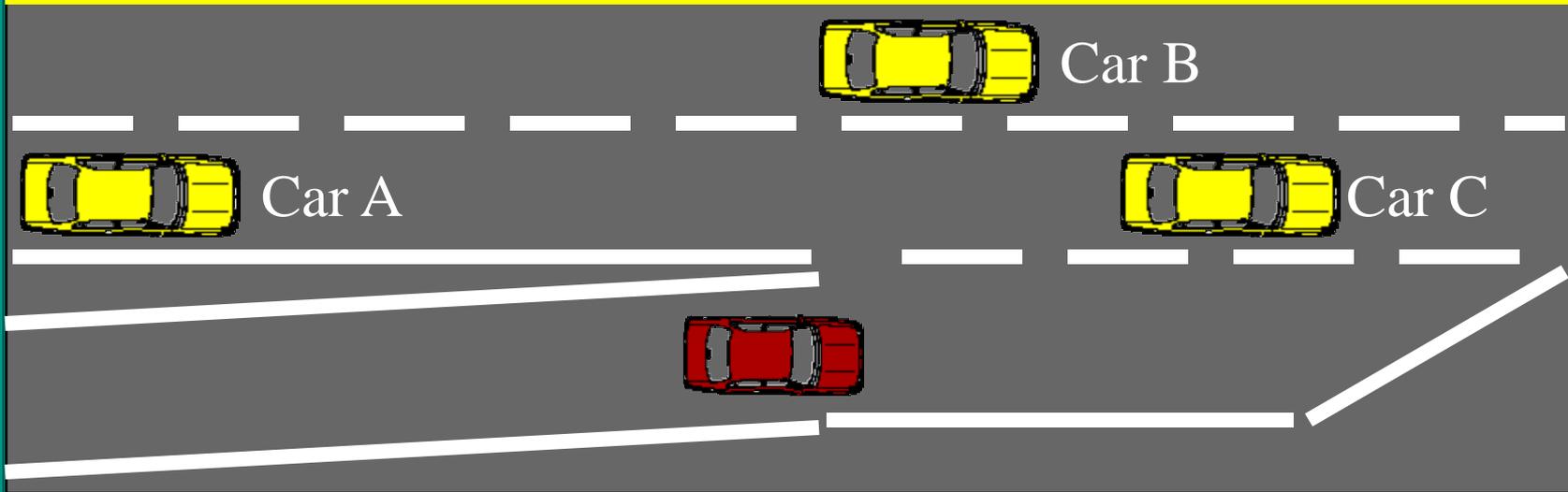
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1. You should match the speed of which car, to merge onto the freeway?

- Car A

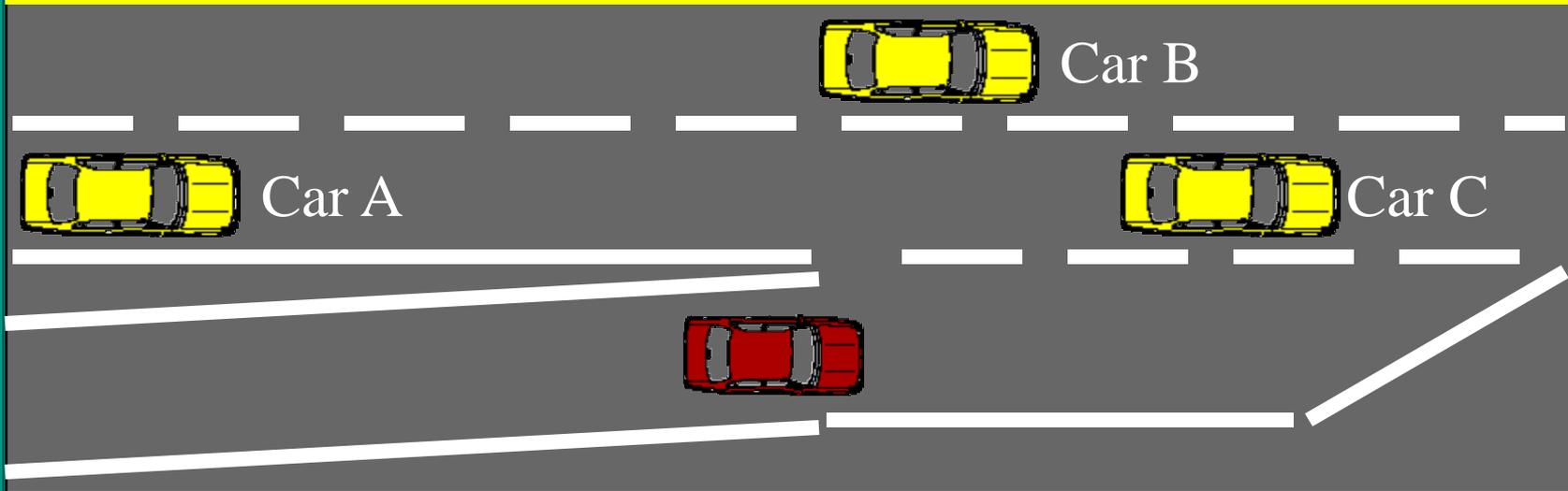
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2. Who must yield when drivers are trying to merge onto the freeway?

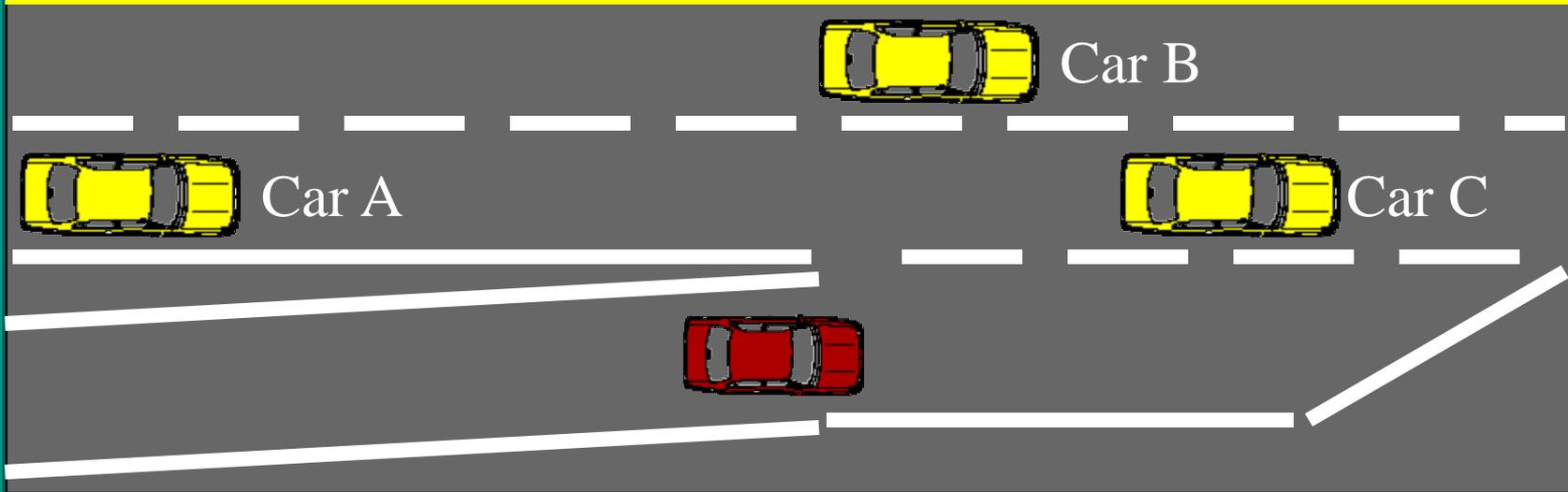
- Entering traffic - the red vehicle

# Freeway



3. What 3 things should you do to find a gap and communicate your intent to merge onto the freeway?
- Check mirrors, signal, and check blindspot

# Freeway



4. What causes many rear-end accidents on the on-ramp to the freeway?

- Stopping or slowing unexpectedly

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