

# Fatal factors on the road

## Distraction

### Activity: cause, effect and action

After reading the fact sheet, think about what could happen if you were in the passenger's seat and the driver was getting distracted in several ways. In the third column, write what you could do as a passenger to combat the problem. Here is an example on what might happen with distraction:

Cause →	Effect →	Action
The driver has trouble concentrating because of the loud music blaring in the car.	The driver misses the STOP sign and has a near miss with a passing car because the song was distracting.	As a front seat passenger, I could turn down the music for the driver before we start the journey.

### Now it's your turn

List down your own scenarios, what effect it could have, and an action that the passenger could do to assist the driver in making better decisions.

Cause →	Effect →	Action