

Intersection Count Form Instructions

Count for two hours in 15-minute increments.

- If female, mark with a O.
- If male, mark with an X.
- If unknown, make your best guess.
- If the intersection is very high volume, use standard tally marks (I, II, etc).

For pedestrians, the focus is crossings: Count each pedestrian that crosses at the crosswalk or within 50' of the intersection (about 2 car lengths). **Don't** count them if they turn the corner without crossing. Count them **each time** they cross a street— even if they cross it more than once.

Pedestrians include people in wheelchairs, using canes and other assistive devices; children in strollers or being carried; runners, rollerbladers and skateboarders; and people WALKING bicycles.

For bicyclists, count everyone on a bike: Count bicyclists who ride **on the street or sidewalk**. Count the number of people on the bicycle, not the number of bicycles. If someone is walking a bicycle, count them as a pedestrian. Count them **each time** they ride through the intersection. If they are riding on the sidewalk, we assume they would ride on the street if they felt comfortable—so mark the X or O in the appropriate box based on where they started and where they went, as if they were on the road; and note 'SW' next to the X or O.

Fill in street names and adjust the North arrow as needed. If the intersection is a "T" with only three legs, mark the diagrams to show where the "T" is, and adjust the counts accordingly. If diagonal pedestrian crossings are allowed, mark those across the intersection.

