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Access the Moral machine website at http://moralmachine.mit.edu/

You will notice the red [Start Judging] button beneath the video and intro. Click on that, and you will be presented with 13 scenarios presenting various situations in which a self-driving car must decide which action to take in the face of an impossible human decision.

Once you have made your decisions, you will see a page that contains nine metrics and compares your choices to the amalgamated results of everyone else who has participated. Based on these results (meaning your results and the larger grouped results), address the following in sufficient detail and in paragraph form:

- In general, is the result expected, or are you surprised either by your placement or the placement of the other participants on the graphs? Explain why or why not.
- Do the same as the above, but this time for each of the nine individual scales. Indicate whether
 or not you are surprised by the result, either by your placement on the scale or the placement of
 everyone else who has participated. Explain why or why not, especially as it compares to your
 perceived criteria for making decisions.
- Of the nine individual measurements, which surprises you the most as it pertains to yourself, and which surprises you the most as it pertains to others? Explain.
- Of the nine individual measurements, which is the least surprising as it pertains to yourself and as it pertains to others? Explain.
- How Do you feel rules should be implemented in self-driving vehicles and other autonomous
 devices in which judgements will need to be made regarding human safety and security? Why?
 You can address this any way you'd like, but be sure to note what the issues might be in your
 proposed solution.

Please keep in mind guidelines for detail and quality of writing.

Due Tuesday, March 6. This document serves as the cover sheet.