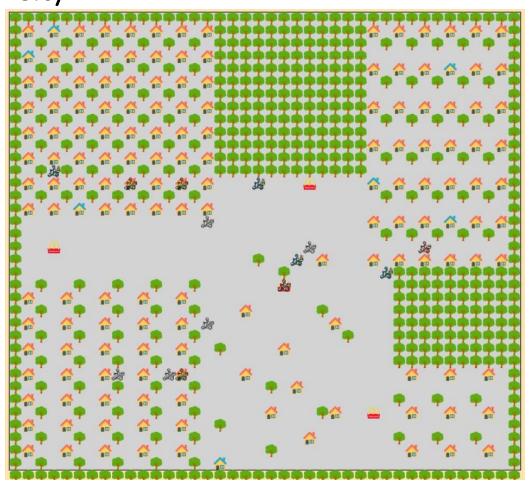


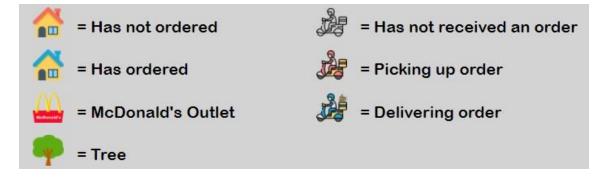
Simulating online food delivery system in Singapore



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Simulation Parameters

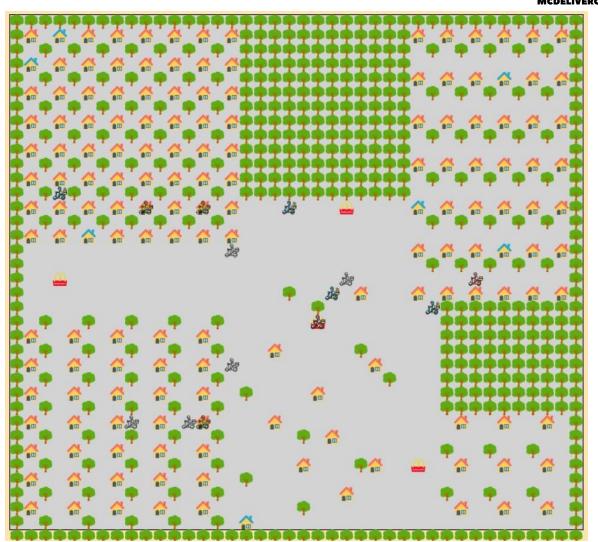
- Simulation Speed: Allows user to vary the speed of simulation
- Number of Delivery Riders: Sets the number of available riders to be in the region
- Frequency of Orders: Sets the likelihood of the arrival of an order
- Food Preparation Speed: Sets the time taken for a restaurant to process an order and finish preparing the food.
- Min Cancellation Time: A threshold that allows customer to cancel their order after a certain time.
- **Likelihood of Cancellation:** The probability of a customer cancelling their order per timestep above the min threshold.

Simulation Parameters
1) Simulation Speed
2) Number of Delivery Riders
3) Frequency of Orders
4) Food Preparation Speed
5) Min Cancellation Time
6) Likelihood of Cancellation



Riders Path

- Riders appear at random initial positions
- The number of available riders would appear based on the set parameter
- Riders can only move in 2 directions along the x and y axis. (No diagonal movement)
- The **trees behave as obstacles** that riders cannot go through.
- Riders would roam around until an order is assigned to them.





Simulation Rules - Delivery

- Orders have a certain probability to arrive per cycle/1 min
- If a rider is not assigned to any orders, it will continue to roam around
- Orders would be assigned to any available delivery riders (randomly)
 - This method would be fairer from the rider's perspective
 - Even if a rider is not the nearest one from the customer, one can still receive the order.
- Once assigned, riders would be making their way to the nearest McDonalds from the rider.
- At the same time, the restaurant would prepare the food within the set time duration.
- The rider would then deliver the food to the customer's house via shortest route.



Simulation Rules – Cancellation

- Orders have a certain probability to get cancelled by the customer
- The customer's patience can be visualised as the 'Min Cancellation Time'
- After which, there would be a probability each min that the customer may cancel their order.
- This probability parameter is set as the 'Likelihood of Cancellation'



Assets

```
//urls for sprites
13
     const urlWithoutorder = "images/Withoutorder.png";
14
     const urlPickup = "images/Pickup.png";
15
16
     const urlDelivery = "images/Delivery.png";
     const urlHouse = "images/House.png";
17
     const urlHouse_Ordered = "images/House_Ordered.png";
18
     const urlMcd = "images/Mcd.png";
19
     const urlBuilding = "images/Building.png";
20
```



States Tracking

```
22
     //Delivery rider states
     const WAITING_ORDER = 0;
23
     const COLLECTING_ORDER = 1;
24
     const DELIVERING_FOOD = 2;
25
     const EXITED = 3;
26
27
     //Order status of each house
28
29
     const UNORDERED = 2;
30
     const ORDERED = 1;
31
     //for tracking state of food preparation
32
33
     const notprepared = 0
     const prepared = 1
34
```



Mass Generation of Customer Houses

```
//houses at top left corner
      for (i=srow+1;i<srow+16;i+=2){</pre>
           for (j=scol+1; j<scol+16; j+=2){</pre>
               var newhouse = {"id":house count,"location":{"row":i,"col":j},"state":UNORDERED};
70
71
               house count++;
72
               houses.push(newhouse);
73
74
75
      //houses at bottom left corner
    v for (i=nrow-6;i<nrow+2;i+=3){</pre>
          for (j=ncol-7;j<ncol+1;j+=3){</pre>
               var newhouse = {"id":house count,"location":{"row":i,"col":j},"state":UNORDERED};
79
 80
               house count++;
 81
               houses.push(newhouse);
 82
 83
      //houses at top right corner
      for (i=srow+1;i<srow+20;i+=3){</pre>
          for (j=ncol-10;j<ncol+1;j+=2){</pre>
               var newhouse = {"id":house count,"location":{"row":i,"col":j},"state":UNORDERED};
 88
 89
               house count++;
               houses.push(newhouse);
 90
 91
 92
93
      //houses at bottom left corner
    v for (i=nrow-12;i<nrow+2;i+=2){</pre>
          for (j=scol+1; j<scol+16; j+=3){</pre>
               var newhouse = {"id":house count,"location":{"row":i,"col":j},"state":UNORDERED};
 97
               house count++;
 98
               houses.push(newhouse);
 99
100
101
```

*Similarly, for the generation of trees as obstacles



Randomly Shuffle Riders

```
//function to randomly shuffle riders so everyone gets an equal chance of receiving an order
 188
 189 v function shuffle(array) {
 190
            var currentIndex = array.length, temporaryValue, randomIndex;
 191
 192
            // While there remain elements to shuffle...
            while (0 !== currentIndex) {
 193 ∨
194
 195
              // Pick a remaining element...
              randomIndex = Math.floor(Math.random() * currentIndex);
 196
              currentIndex -= 1;
 197
 198
              // And swap it with the current element.
 199
              temporaryValue = array[currentIndex];
 200
              array[currentIndex] = array[randomIndex];
 201
              array[randomIndex] = temporaryValue;
 202
 203
 204
 205
            return array;
 206
```



Initialize Variables

```
//initialization variables
208
      var probMovement = 0.2; //probability that riders change direction/target when roaming
209
      var probCancel = 0.061; //probability that an order is cancelled after min cancellation time (per cycle/1min)
210
      var timeCancel = 60; //minimum cancellation time
211
212
      var currentTime = 0; //time variable for tracking
      var probFoodArrival = 0.2; //probability that a food for an order is done preparing (per cycle/1min)
213
      var probOrderArrival = 0.002; //probability that a house orders McD (per cycle/1min)
214
      var order counter = 0; //counter variable for tracking total orders
215
216
      var delivered counter = 0; //counter variable for tracking total number of deliveries
      var cancel counter = 0; //counter variable for tracking total number of cancelations
217
      var citizens = []; //list variable for storing information on all delivery riders
218
      var num citizens = 15; //number of delivery rider intialized at the start
219
      var order time = []; //list variable for storing information on delivery time for each order
220
      var orders = []; //list variable for storing information on all orders
221
222
```



Statistics Calculation

```
//function to calculate cancellation rate
225
        function cancellation rate() {
 226
            if (order counter == 0){
 227
                return 0
 228
 229
            } else {
                return (cancel counter/order counter)*100
 230
 231
 232
 233
        //function to calculate average delivery time per order
 234
        function average(order time, sum){
 235
            if (order_time.length > 0){
 236
 237
                for (i=0; i<order_time.length; i++){</pre>
                    sum += order time[i]
 238
 239
                var avg = sum/(order time.length)
 240
                return avg
 241
                else {
 242
 243
                var avg = 0
                return avg
 244
 245
 246
 247
```

```
delivered_counter++;
```



Statistics Display - 1

```
var statistics = [
401
          {"name": "Number of Delivery Riders: ", "location": {"row": 21, "col": scol+ncol+1}, "stat": 0}, //num citizens
402
          {"name":"Time Elapsed(min): ","location":{"row":22,"col":scol+ncol+1},"stat":0}, //currentTime
403
          {"name":"Number of Completed Deliveries: ","location":{"row":23,"col":scol+ncol+1},"stat":0}, //delivered counter
404
          {"name":"Number of Cancelled Deliveries: ","location":{"row":24,"col":scol+ncol+1},"stat":0}, //cancel counter
405
          {"name":"% of Orders Cancelled: ","location":{"row":25,"col":scol+ncol+1},"stat":0},
                                                                                                           //cancelled percent
406
          {"name": "Min Cancellation Time(min): ", "location": {"row": 26, "col": scol+ncol+1}, "stat": 0},
                                                                                                                 //timeCancel = 60;
407
          {"name": "Average Delivery Time per Order(min): ","location": {"row": 27, "col": scol+ncol+1}, "stat": 0}, //delivery average time
408
          {"name": "Average Number of Deliveries per Rider per Hour: ","location": {"row": 28, "col": scol+ncol+1}, "stat": 0}
409
          ];
410
444
```



Statistics Display - 2

```
▶ 778 ∨ function simStep(){
 779
           //This function is called by a timer; if running, it executes one simulation step
           //The timing interval is set in the page initialization function near the top of this file
 780
           if (isRunning){ //the isRunning variable is toggled by toggleSimStep
 781 ∨
               currentTime++;
 782
               updateOrders();
 783
               checkriderAvailability();
 784
 785
               updatedfoodArrival();
 786
               updateDynamicAgents();
               removeOrders();
 787
               cancelOrders();
 788
               //update statistics
 789
               statistics[0].stat = num citizens;
 790
               statistics[1].stat = currentTime;
 791
               statistics[2].stat = delivered counter;
 792
 793
               statistics[3].stat = cancel counter;
               statistics[4].stat = Math.round(cancellation rate());
 794
               statistics[5].stat = timeCancel;
 795
               statistics[6].stat = average(order time,0).toFixed(1);
 796
               statistics[7].stat = ((delivered counter/(currentTime/60))/num citizens).toFixed(1);
 797
 798
 700
```



Refresh orders per cycle

```
//function to create/refresh all delivery orders (per cycle/1min)
274 v function updateOrders(){
          for (a=0;a<orders.length;a++){</pre>
275 ∨
              orders[a].orderposition = a;
276
              orders[a].time++;
277
278
          var houseorders = houses.filter(function(d){return d.state == UNORDERED});
279
          if (houseorders.length > 0) {
280 🗸
              for (i = 0;i < houseorders.length; i++) {</pre>
281 ∨
                   if (Math.random()oprobOrderArrival) {
282 ∨
                       var neworder = {"orderid":order counter, "orderposition":orders.length, "houseid":houseorders[i].id, "rider":null, "state":notprepared, "time":0, "c
283
                       orders.push(neworder);
284
                       order counter++;
285
                       for (j = 0; j<houses.length; j++) {</pre>
286 ~
                           if (houses[j].id == neworder.houseid){
287 ~
                               houses[j].state = ORDERED;
288
289
290
291
292
293
294
```



Assigning Orders to Random Available Riders

```
//function to assign orders to available delivery riders (per cycle/1min)
296
      function checkriderAvailability(){
297
          var availableriders = citizens.filter(function(d){return d.available == 1});
298
          var availableorders = orders.filter(function(d){return d.rider == null});
299
          shuffle(availableorders)
300
          shuffle(availableriders)
301
          const no availableriders = availableriders.length;
302
          const no availableorders = availableorders.length;
303
          if (no availableriders > 0 && no availableorders > 0) {
304
              if (no availableriders > no availableorders) {
305
                  for (i=0;i<no availableorders;i++){</pre>
306
                       index = availableorders[i].orderposition
307
                       orders[index].rider = availableriders[i].id
308
309
                else {
310
                  for (i=0;i<no availableriders;i++){</pre>
311
                       index = availableorders[i].orderposition
312
                       orders[index].rider = availableriders[i].id
313
314
315
316
317
```



Food Preparation

```
//function to determine whether food is prepared (per cycle/1min)
319
      function updatedfoodArrival(){
320
           var foodpreparation = orders.filter(function(d){return d.rider != null});
321
           if (foodpreparation.length > 0) {
322
               for (i = 0; i < foodpreparation.length; i++) {</pre>
323
                    if (Math.random()probFoodArrival) {
324
                        var assigned orderid = foodpreparation[i].orderid;
325
                        for (j = 0; j < orders.length; j++) {
326
                          if (orders[j].orderid == assigned_orderid) {
   orders[j].state = prepared;
327
328
220
```



Removing Delivered Orders

```
//function to remove orders once they are delivered (per cycle/1min)
336
337 v function removeOrders(){
          delivered citizens = citizens.filter(function(d){return d.available == 2});
338
          for (i=0;i<delivered citizens.length;i++){</pre>
339 🗸
              for (j=0;j<orders.length;j++){</pre>
340 V
                   if (orders[j].orderid == delivered citizens[i].orderid){
341 ~
                      order time.push(orders[j].time);
342
                       orders = orders.filter(function(d){return d.orderid != orders[j].orderid});
343
344
345
              for (k=0;k<houses.length;k++){</pre>
346 🗸
                   if (houses[k].id == delivered citizens[i].houseid){
347 ∨
                       houses[k].state = UNORDERED;
348
349
350
              for (l=0;l<citizens.length;l++){</pre>
351 ∨
                   if (citizens[1].id == delivered citizens[i].id){
352 ~
                       citizens[l].available = 1;
353
                       citizens[1].houseid = null;
354
                       citizens[1].houseloc = null;
355
                       citizens[1].orderid = null;
356
                       var targetrow=Math.floor(Math.random() * ((nrow+srow) - srow) +srow);
357
                       var targetcol=Math.floor(Math.random() * ((ncol+scol) - scol) +scol);
358
                       citizens[1].target.row = targetrow;
359
                       citizens[l].target.col = targetcol;
360
```



Removing Cancelled Orders

```
//function to remove cancelled orders (per cycle/1min)
      function cancelOrders(){
367
          for (a=0;a<orders.length;a++){</pre>
368
               if (orders[a].time > timeCancel){
369
                   if (Math.random() < probCancel) {</pre>
370
                       orders[a].cancelled = 1;
371
                       cancel counter++;
372
                       console.log('CANCELLED')
373
374
375
376
          cancelled orders = orders.filter(function(d){return d.cancelled == 1});
377
          for (i=0;i<cancelled orders.length;i++){</pre>
378
379
               for (j=0;j<citizens.length;j++){</pre>
                   if (citizens[i].orderid == cancelled orders[i].orderid){
380
                       citizens[j].available = 1;
381
                       citizens[j].houseloc = null;
382
                       citizens[j].orderid = null;
383
                       var targetrow=Math.floor(Math.random() * ((nrow+srow) - srow) +srow);
384
                       var targetcol=Math.floor(Math.random() * ((ncol+scol) - scol) +scol);
385
                       citizens[j].target.row = targetrow;
386
                       citizens[j].target.col = targetcol;
387
                       citizens[j].state = WAITING ORDER;
388
389
390
               for (k=0;k<houses.length;k++){</pre>
391
                   if (houses[k].id == cancelled orders[i].houseid){
392
                       houses[k].state = UNORDERED;
393
394
395
396
          orders = orders.filter(function(d){return d.cancelled != 1});
397
```



Removing Cancelled Orders

```
//function to remove cancelled orders (per cycle/1min)
      function cancelOrders(){
367
          for (a=0;a<orders.length;a++){</pre>
368
               if (orders[a].time > timeCancel){
369
                   if (Math.random() < probCancel) {</pre>
370
                       orders[a].cancelled = 1;
371
                       cancel counter++;
372
                       console.log('CANCELLED')
373
374
375
376
          cancelled orders = orders.filter(function(d){return d.cancelled == 1});
377
          for (i=0;i<cancelled orders.length;i++){</pre>
378
379
               for (j=0;j<citizens.length;j++){</pre>
                   if (citizens[i].orderid == cancelled orders[i].orderid){
380
                       citizens[j].available = 1;
381
                       citizens[j].houseloc = null;
382
                       citizens[j].orderid = null;
383
                       var targetrow=Math.floor(Math.random() * ((nrow+srow) - srow) +srow);
384
                       var targetcol=Math.floor(Math.random() * ((ncol+scol) - scol) +scol);
385
                       citizens[j].target.row = targetrow;
386
                       citizens[j].target.col = targetcol;
387
                       citizens[j].state = WAITING ORDER;
388
389
390
               for (k=0;k<houses.length;k++){</pre>
391
                   if (houses[k].id == cancelled orders[i].houseid){
392
                       houses[k].state = UNORDERED;
393
394
395
396
          orders = orders.filter(function(d){return d.cancelled != 1});
397
```



Riders Behaviours – No Order

```
// Behavior of citizen depends on his or her state
621
          switch(state){
622
              case WAITING ORDER:
623
                  if (hasArrived){
624
                      //this section of the code makes the rider roam if he has no order)
625
                      var targetrow=Math.floor(Math.random() * ((nrow+srow) - srow) +srow);
626
                      var targetcol=Math.floor(Math.random() * ((ncol+scol) - scol) +scol);
627
                      var targetisbuilding=Buildings.filter(function(d){return d.row==targetrow && d.col==targetcol;});
628
                      while (targetisbuilding.length>0){
629
                          var targetrow=Math.floor(Math.random() * ((nrow+srow) - srow) +srow);
630
                          var targetcol=Math.floor(Math.random() * ((ncol+scol) - scol) +scol);
631
                          var targetisbuilding=Buildings.filter(function(d){return d.row==targetrow && d.col==targetcol;});
632
633
                      citizen.target.row = targetrow;
634
                      citizen.target.col = targetcol;
635
                      } else {
636
                      //this section of the code makes the rider roam if he has no order)
637
638
                          if (Math.random()probMovement){
                              var targetrow=Math.floor(Math.random() * ((nrow+srow) - srow) +srow);
639
                              var targetcol=Math.floor(Math.random() * ((ncol+scol) - scol) +scol);
640
                              var targetisbuilding=Buildings.filter(function(d){return d.row==targetrow && d.col==targetcol;});
641
                              while (targetisbuilding.length>0){
642
                                  var targetrow=Math.floor(Math.random() * ((nrow+srow) - srow) +srow);
643
644
                                  var targetcol=Math.floor(Math.random() * ((ncol+scol) - scol) +scol);
                                   var targetisbuilding=Buildings.filter(function(d){return d.row==targetrow && d.col==targetcol;});
645
646
647
                              citizen.target.row = targetrow;
                              citizen.target.col = targetcol;
648
649
650
                  for (i=0;i<orders.length;i++){</pre>
651
                      if (orders[i].rider == citizen.id){
652
```



Riders Behaviours – Collecting Order

```
case COLLECTING_ORDER:
674
                   if (hasArrived){
675
                       for (i=0; i<orders.length; i++){</pre>
676
                           if (orders[i].rider == citizen.id) {
677
                               if (orders[i].state == prepared) {
678
                                   citizen.state = DELIVERING_FOOD;
679
                                   citizen.target.row = citizen.houseloc.row;
680
                                   citizen.target.col = citizen.houseloc.col;
681
682
683
684
685
               break;
686
```



Riders Behaviours – Delivering Order

```
case DELIVERING_FOOD:

if (hasArrived){
    citizen.state = WAITING_ORDER;
    citizen.available = 2;
    delivered_counter++;
    }
    break;
```



Riders Movement – 1

```
// set the current row and column of the citizen
698
         var currentrow=citizen.location.row;
699
         var currentcol=citizen.location.col;
700
701
         // set the destination row and column
702
         var targetRow = citizen.target.row;
703
         var targetCol = citizen.target.col;
704
705
         //Compute all possible directions for a citizen
706
707
         nextsteps=[];
          for(const dx of [-1, 0, 1]) {
708
              for(const dy of [-1, 0, 1]) {
709
                  for (const dz of [-1,1]) {
710
                if(dx === 0 && dy === 0) continue;
711
                  if (currentrow + dx == currentrow && currentcol + dy != currentcol){
712
                      nextsteps.push({ row: currentrow + 0, col: currentcol + dz })
713
714
                  else if (currentrow + dx != currentrow && currentcol + dy == currentcol) {
715
                      nextsteps.push({ row: currentrow + dz , col: currentcol + 0 })
716
717
718
719
720
721
```



Riders Movement – 2

```
// Compute distance of each possible step to the destination
722
          stepdistance=[]
723
          for (i = 0; i < nextsteps.length-1; i++) {</pre>
724
725
              var nextstep=nextsteps[i];
              var nextrow=nextstep.row
726
              var nextcol=nextstep.col
727
              stepdistance[i]=Math.sqrt((nextrow-targetRow)*(nextrow-targetRow)+(nextcol-targetCol)*(nextcol-targetCol);
728
729
730
          //identify if the best next step (i.e. the step with the shortest distance to the target) is a building
731
          var indexMin = stepdistance.indexOf(Math.min(...stepdistance));
732
          var minnexstep=nextsteps[indexMin];
733
          var nextsteprow=minnexstep.row;
734
         var nextstepcol=minnexstep.col;
735
736
          var nextstepisbuilding=Buildings.filter(function(d){return d.row==nextsteprow && d.col==nextstepcol;});
737
          //If the best next step is a building, then we analyze the 2nd best next step...etc, until the next step is not a building
738
          //Citizens cannot move through the buildings!
739
          while (nextstepisbuilding.length>0){
740
              nextsteps.splice((indexMin), 1);
741
              stepdistance.splice((indexMin), 1);
742
              var indexMin = stepdistance.indexOf(Math.min(...stepdistance));
743
              var minnexstep=nextsteps[indexMin];
744
              var nextsteprow=minnexstep.row;
745
              var nextstepcol=minnexstep.col;
746
              var nextstepisbuilding=Buildings.filter(function(d){return d.row==nextsteprow && d.col==nextstepcol;});
747
748
749
          // compute the cell to move to
750
          var newRow = nextsteprow;
751
          var newCol = nextstepcol:
752
```



Visuals – Sliders, Legend and Logo

```
<div class = "placeholder-box">
22 ~
          1) Simulation Speed 
23
         <input id="slider1" type="range" min="0" value="300" max="1000" step="10" onchange="redrawWindow();" style="position:absolute;top:12.5%</p>
24
          2) Number of Delivery Riders
25
         <input id="slider2" type="range" min="5" value="15" max="50" step="1" onchange="redrawWindow();" style="position:absolute;top:27.5%;lef</p>
26
27
          3) Frequency of Orders
         <input id="slider3" type="range" min="0.0001" value="0.002" max="0.01" step="0.0001" onchange="redrawWindow();" style="position:absolut");</pre>
28
           4) Food Preparation Speed
29
         <input id="slider4" type="range" min="0.05" value="0.2" max="0.4" step="0.01" onchange="redrawWindow();" style="position:absolute;top:5</p>
30
          5) Min Cancellation Time
31
         <input id="slider5" type="range" min="30" value="60" max="90" step="1" onchange="redrawWindow();" style="position:absolute;top:72.5%;le
32
          6) Likelihood of Cancellation
33
         <input id="slider6" type="range" min="0.01" value="0.06" max="1" step="0.05" onchange="redrawWindow();" style="position:absolute;top:87</p>
34
       </div>
35
      <div class = "legend-box">
36 ~
          Legend 
37
         <img src="images/House.png" width="30" height="30" style="position:absolute;top:20%;left:5%">
38
          = Has not ordered 
39
         <img src="images/House_Ordered.png" width="30" height="30" style="position:absolute;top:40%;left:5%">
40
          = Has ordered 
41
         <img src="images/Mcd.png" width="30" height="30" style="position:absolute;top:60%;left:5%">
42
          = McDonald's Outlet 
         <img src="images/Building.png" width="30" height="30" style="position:absolute;top:80%;left:5%">
44
          = Tree 
45
         <img src="images/Withoutorder.png" width="30" height="30" style="position:absolute;top:20%;left:50%">
          = Has not received an order 
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         <img src="images/Pickup.png" width="30" height="30" style="position:absolute;top:40%;left:50%">
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          = Picking up order 
         <img src="images/Delivery.png" width="30" height="30" style="position:absolute;top:60%;left:50%">
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          = Delivering order 
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