

# **Round 4**

## **Answers**

# Question 1

I'm not a robot



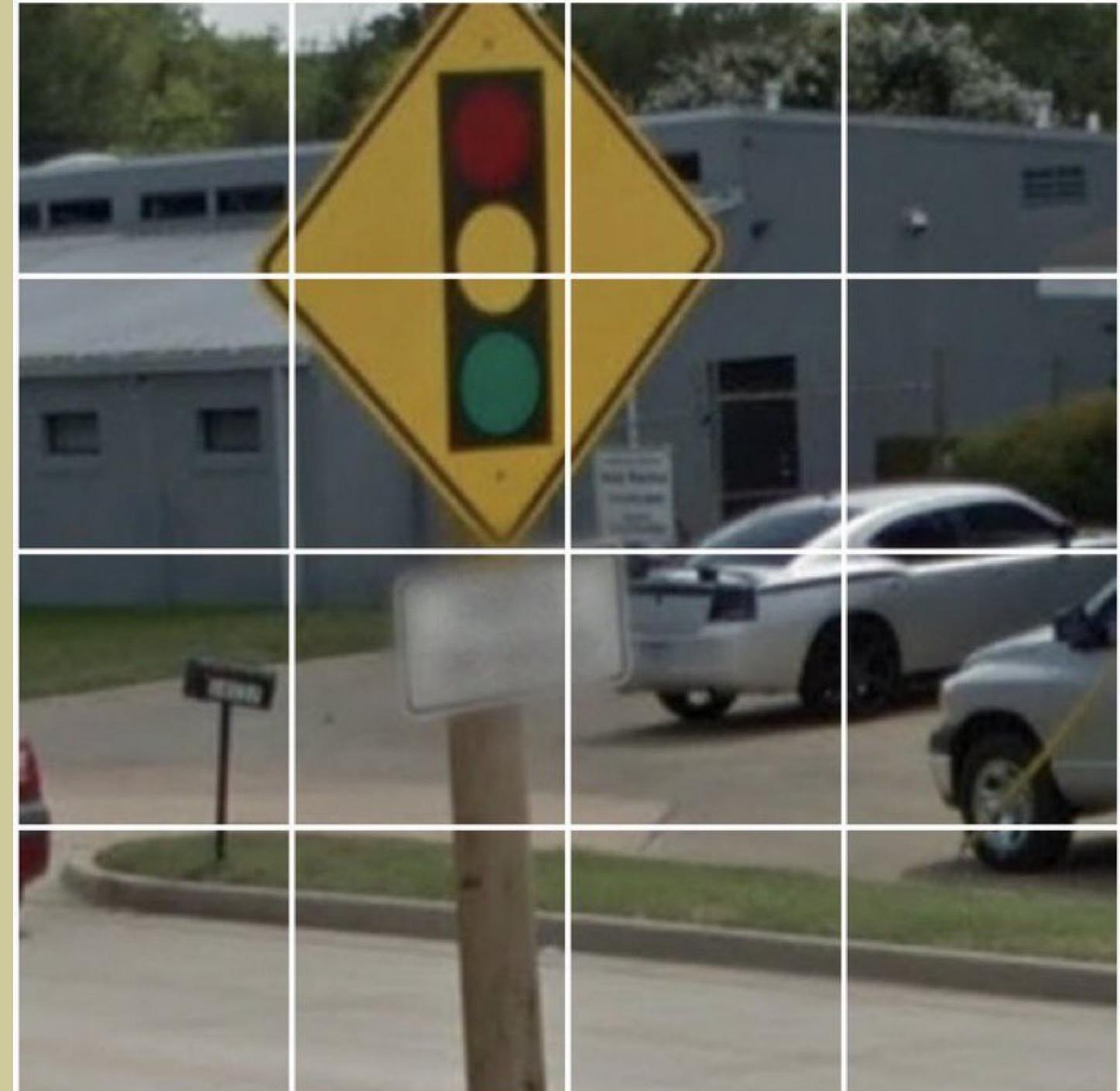
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How many squares with traffic lights are there?

→ None

→ 2

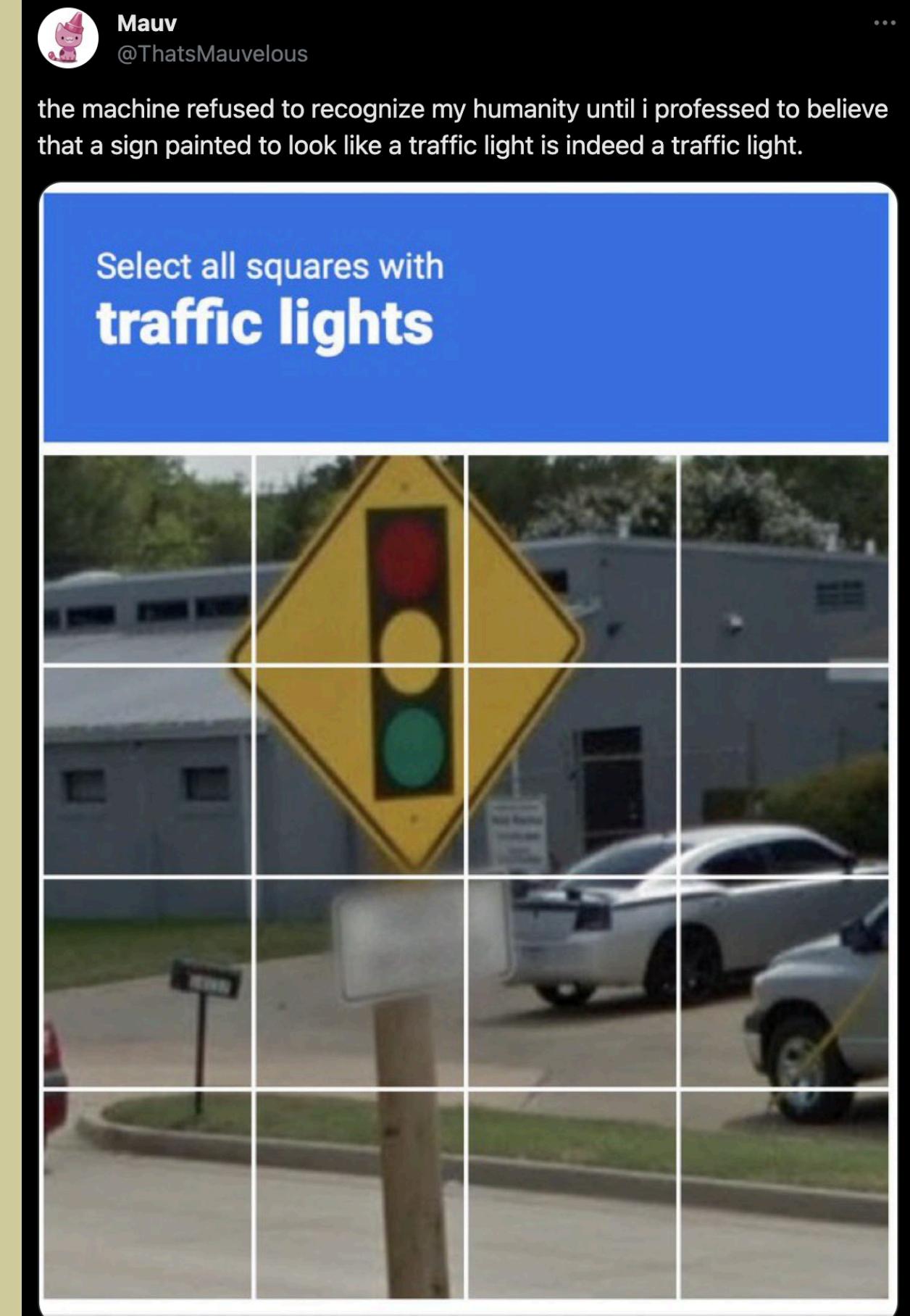
Select all squares with  
**traffic lights**



# Question 1 Answer

2 (according to recaptcha)

→ <https://twitter.com/ThatsMauvelous/status/1576675184165068800>



## Question 2

Name the film, game or TV series in which the following spaceship plays a role:

Heart of Gold

## Question 2 Answer

The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy

→ [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/  
List\\_of\\_fictional\\_spacecraft](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List_of_fictional_spacecraft)

## Question 3

The term "bug" was used in an account by computer pioneer Grace Hopper, who publicized the cause of a malfunction in an early electromechanical computer.

What bug was it?

## Question 3 Answer

Moth

- [https://education.nationalgeographic.org/  
resource/worlds-first-computer-bug/](https://education.nationalgeographic.org/resource/worlds-first-computer-bug/)
- [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Software\\_bug](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Software_bug)

## Question 4

Dave Tennant has reprised his role as the 14th Doctor in the recent Doctor Who specials.

Who will play the 15th Doctor in Doctor Who, starting this Christmas?

## Question 4 Answer

Ncuti Gatwa

→ <https://www.bbc.com/mediacentre/2023/doctor-who-new-trailer-60th-anniversary-specials>

→ [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/The\\_Doctor\\_\(Doctor\\_Who\)](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/The_Doctor_(Doctor_Who))

# Question 5

Amazing languages like Elixir and Erlang run on a virtual machine called the BEAM.

It is not as creatively named as the JVM but nonetheless what does BEAM stand for?

## Question 5 Answer

It was short for Bogdan's Erlang Abstract Machine  
(Björn's Erlang Abstract Machine is also acceptable)

→ [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/  
BEAM\\_\(Erlang\\_virtual\\_machine\)](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/BEAM_(Erlang_virtual_machine))

# Question 6



Collectors of Bored Ape NFT recently attended an "ApeFest" party in Hong Kong

After the party some attendees complained about excruciating pain in which part of the body?

## Bored Ape collectors experience searing eye pain after "ApeFest" party

Bored Ape collectors attending an ApeFest party in Hong Kong have now been subjected to the kind of eye pain the rest of us have felt for years having to look at their hideous, pricey JPEGs.

The going theory is that event organizers skimped on lighting costs by using UV lights intended for sanitization, not for entertainment, causing burns to the eyes and skin.

The eye condition, [photokeratitis](#), is better known as "snow blindness" or "welder's flash", as it more typically affects people who haven't worn proper eye protection while welding or while exposed to sunlight reflected from ice and snow.



*All this time I thought the lasers were going in the other direction  
(BAYC #9291)*

[\(attribution\)](#)

## Question 6 Answer

# Eyes



→ <https://web3isgoinggreat.com/?id=apefest-photokeratitis>

## Question 7

Apple's recent October 30th keynote was the usual slickly produced sales event

Apart from all the product announcements there was something different about how this event was made.

What was different?

## Question 7 Answer

Filmed entirely  
on a phone

→ <https://www.apple.com/newsroom/2023/10/behind-the-scenes-at-scary-fast-apples-keynote-event-shot-on-iphone/>



# Question 8

During a recent spacewalk outside the International Space Station what got dropped?

## Question 8 Answer

# A toolbag

→ <https://www.theguardian.com/science/2023/nov/11/astronaut-toolbag-earth-spacewalk>



EVA #89 lost tool bag  
Offshore Japan

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