



Improving the safety of young drivers and riders

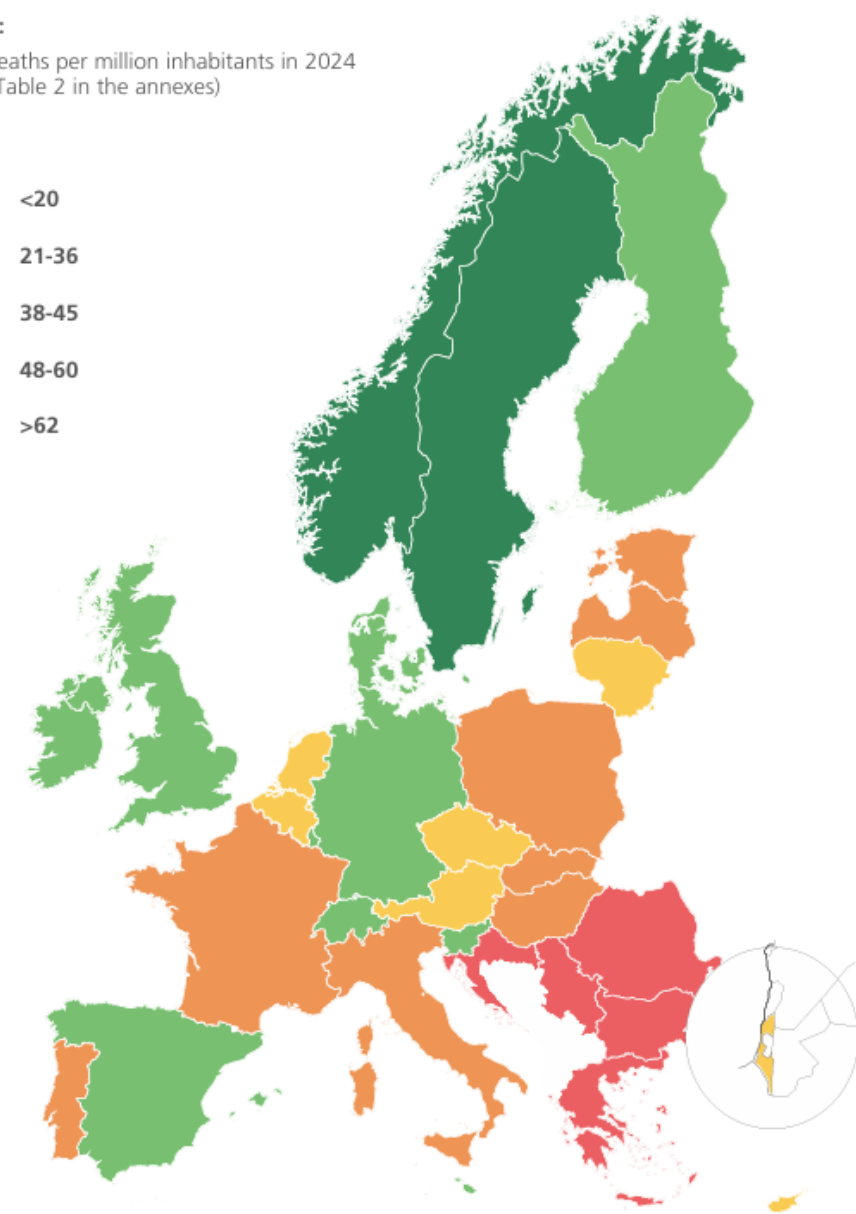
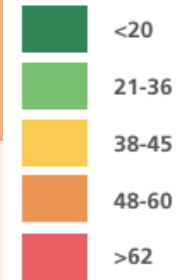
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PIN PROGRAMME

- ✓ Experts from the participating countries, including all EU Member States
- ✓ Steering group
- ✓ Project team in ETSC
- ✓ 50 PIN Flash reports published
- ✓ 4 PIN Talks each year



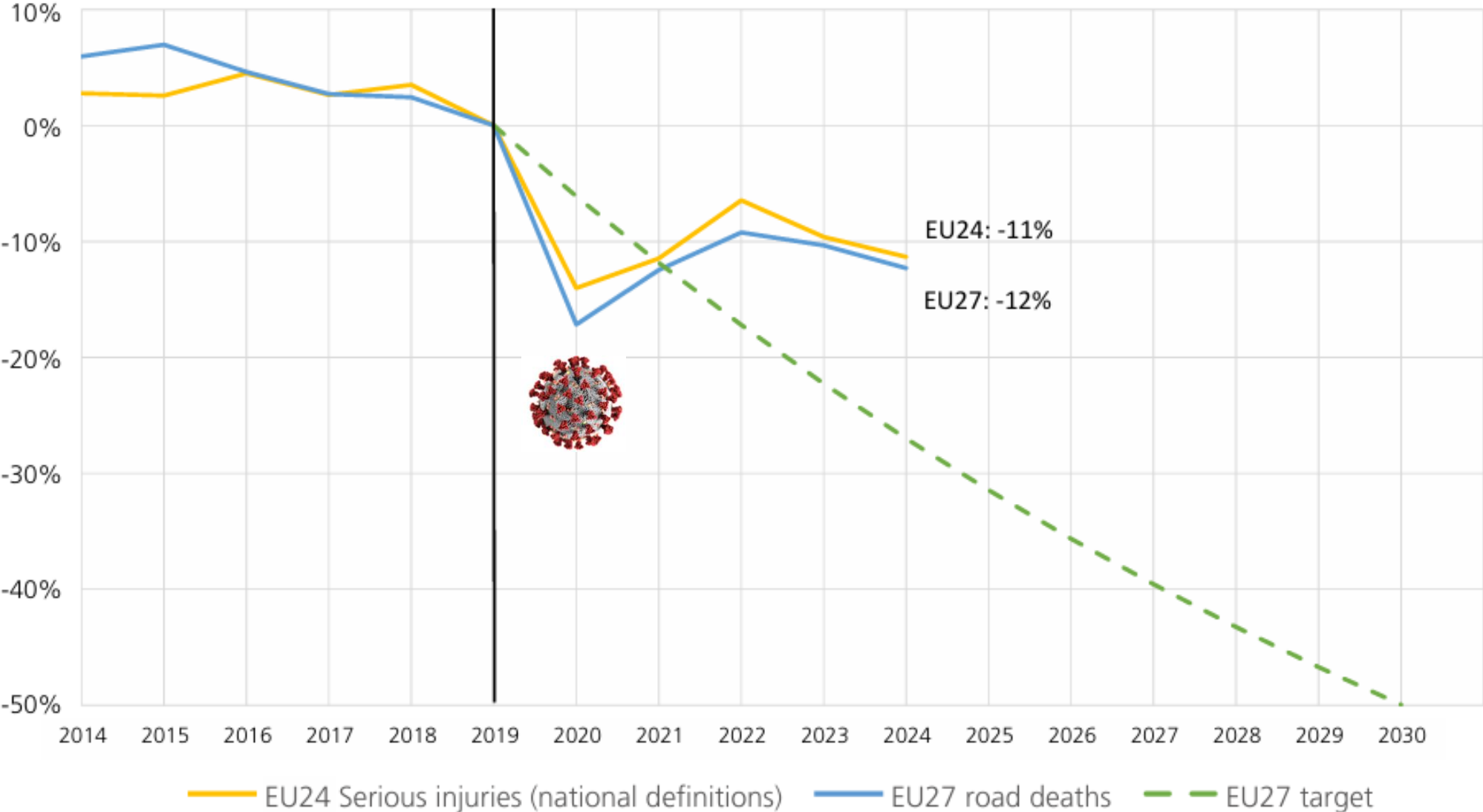
MAP 2:
Road deaths per million inhabitants in 2024
(Fig.6, Table 2 in the annexes)



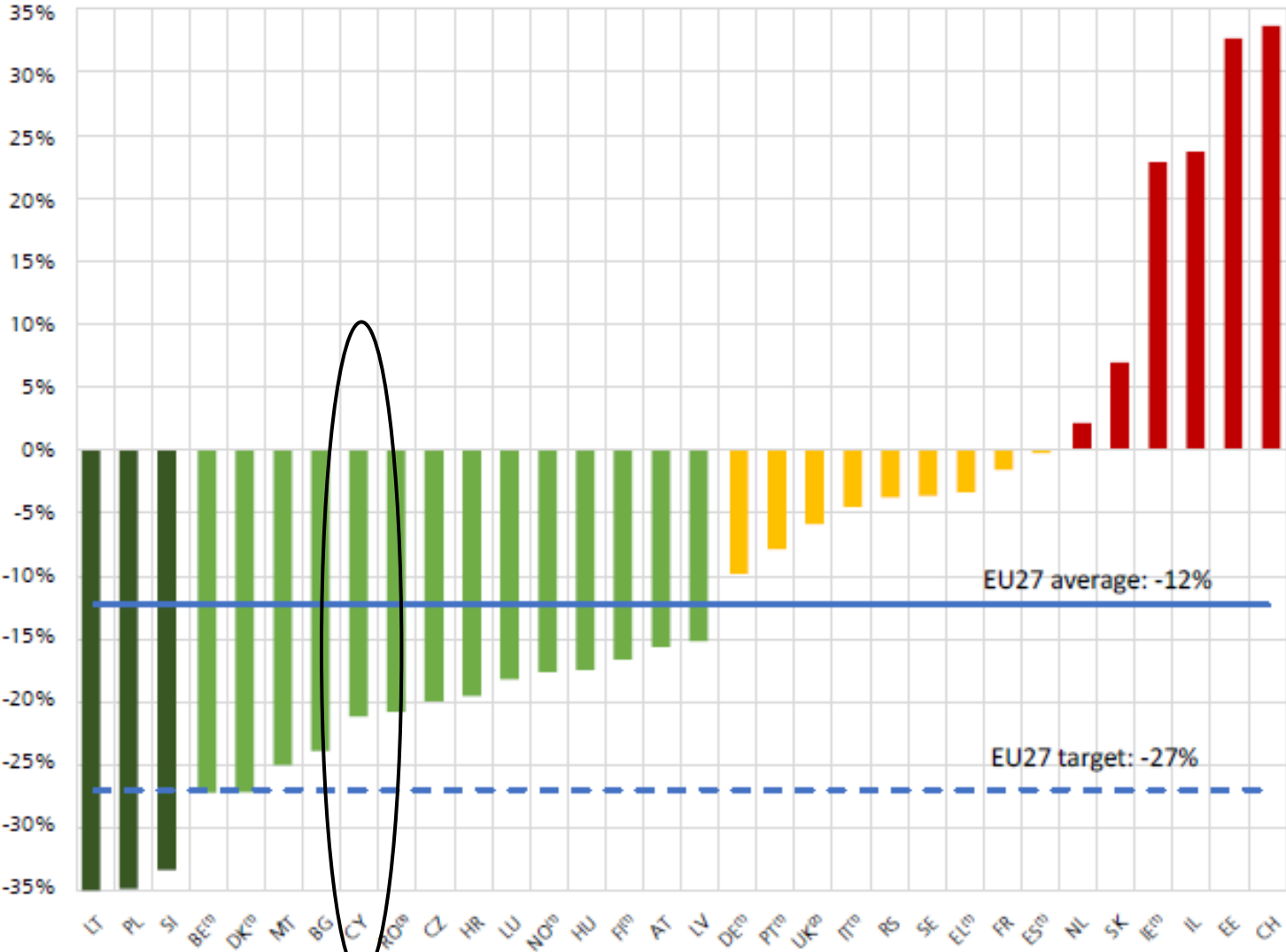
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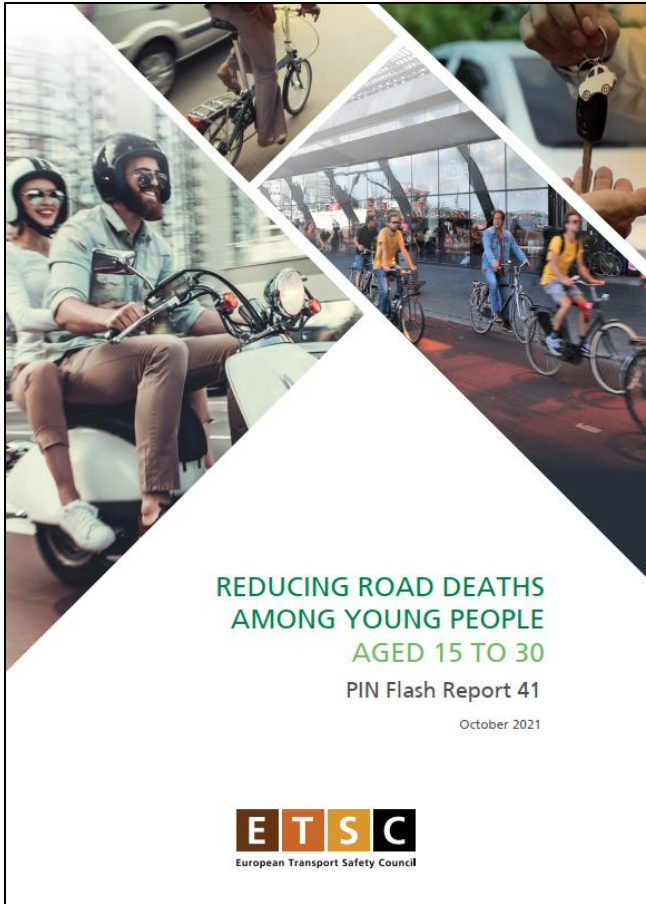
people died in road traffic in
the EU in 2024

ROAD SAFETY PROGRESS 2014-2024



ROAD SAFETY PROGRESS 2019-2024





REDUCING ROAD DEATHS
AMONG YOUNG PEOPLE
AGED 15 TO 30

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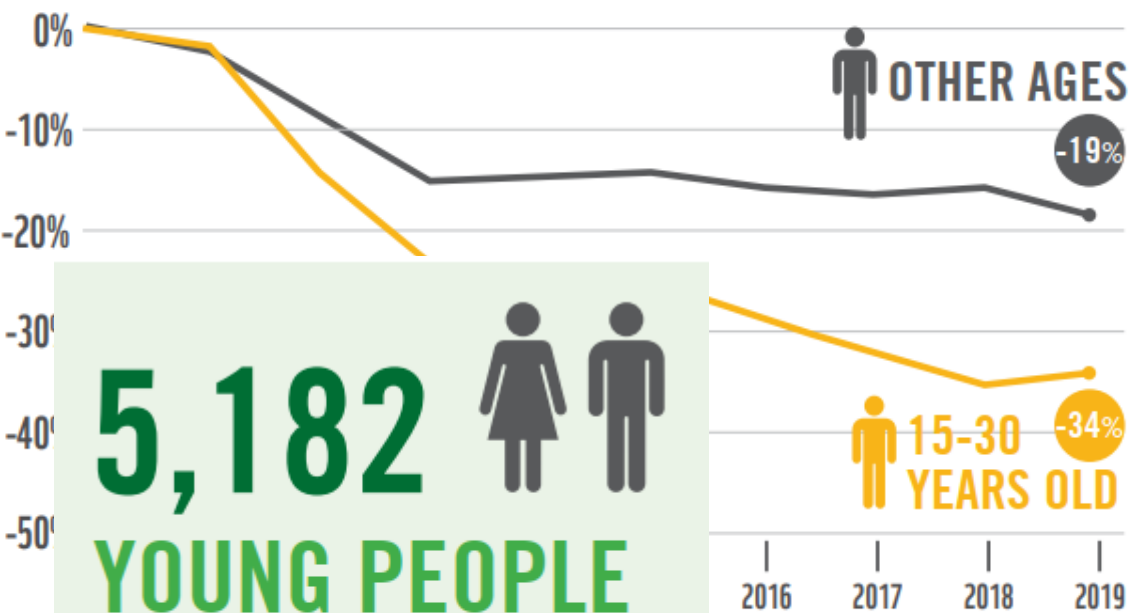
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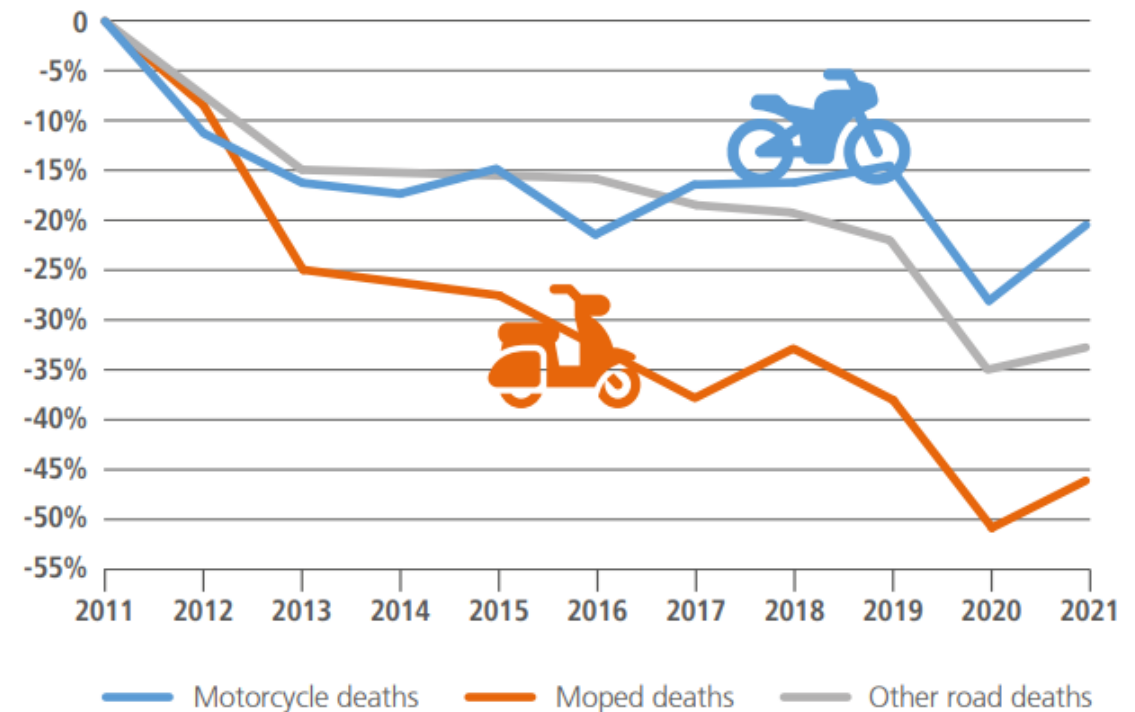
The Scale of the Problem

REDUCTION IN ROAD MORTALITY SINCE 2010:

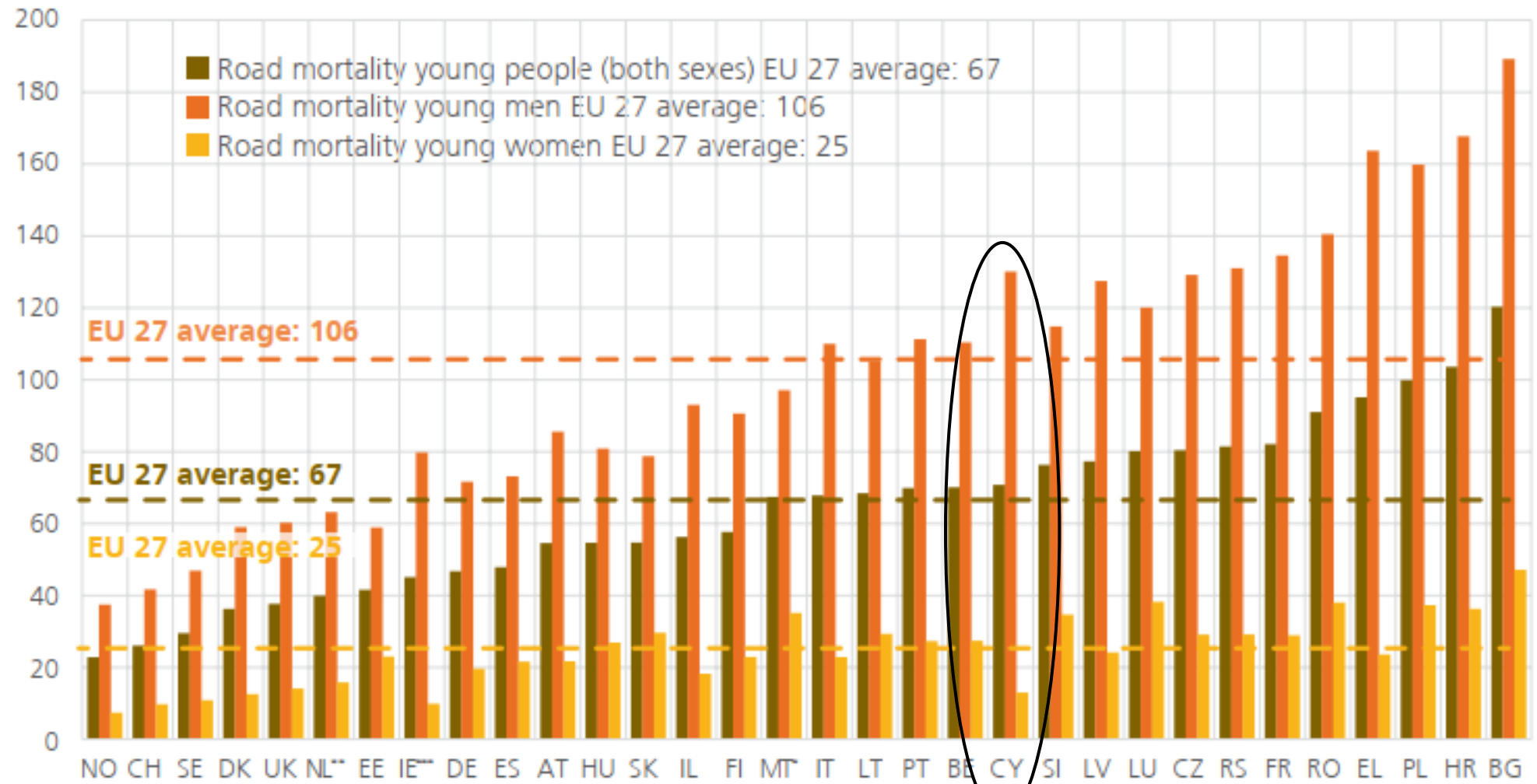


5,182 
YOUNG PEOPLE
(15-30 YEARS OLD)
KILLED IN 2019
IN THE EU

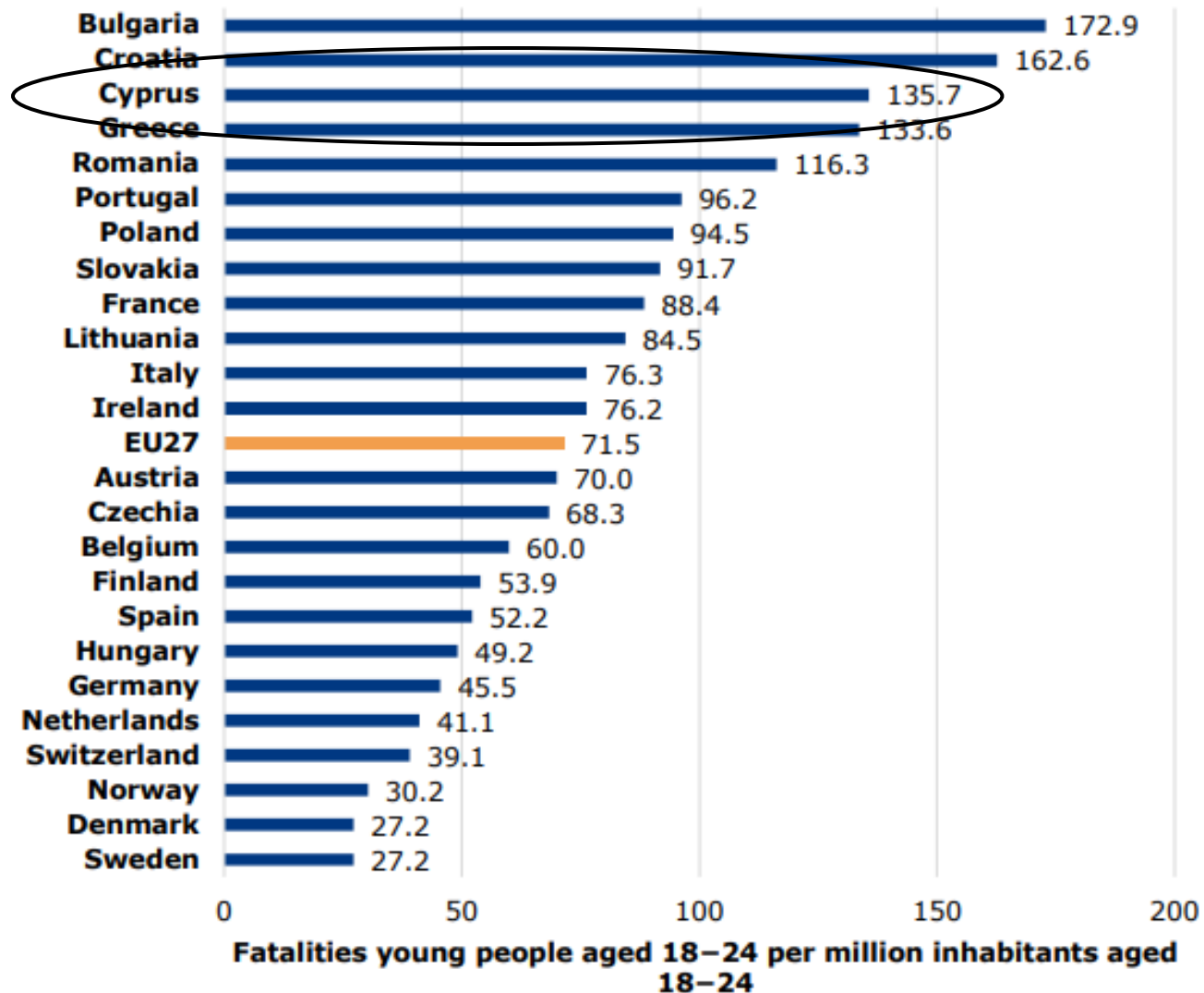
MOTORCYCLE USER DEATHS DECLINING MORE SLOWLY THAN MOPED & OTHER ROAD DEATHS



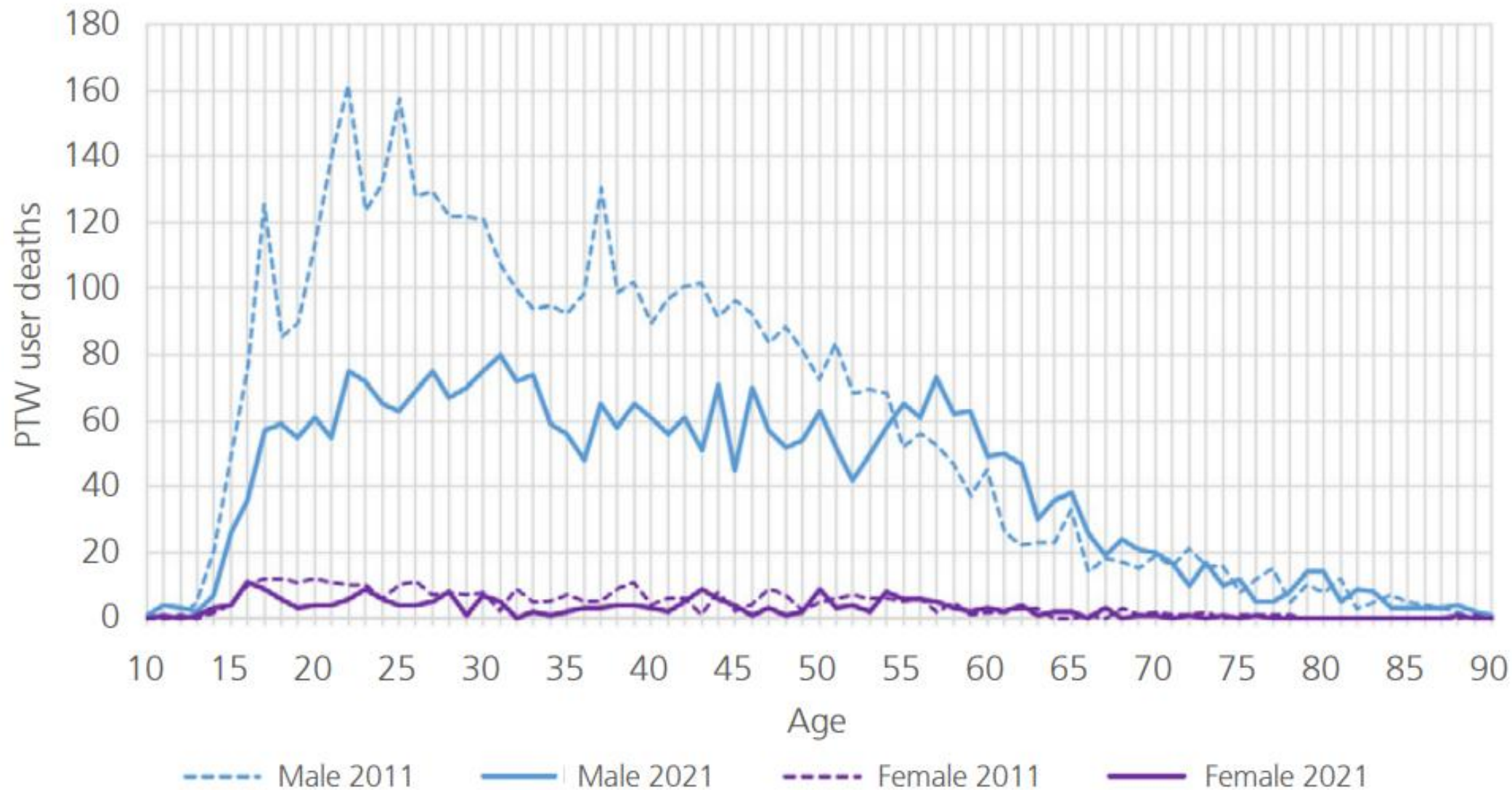
Road mortality of young people - (av. 2017-2019)



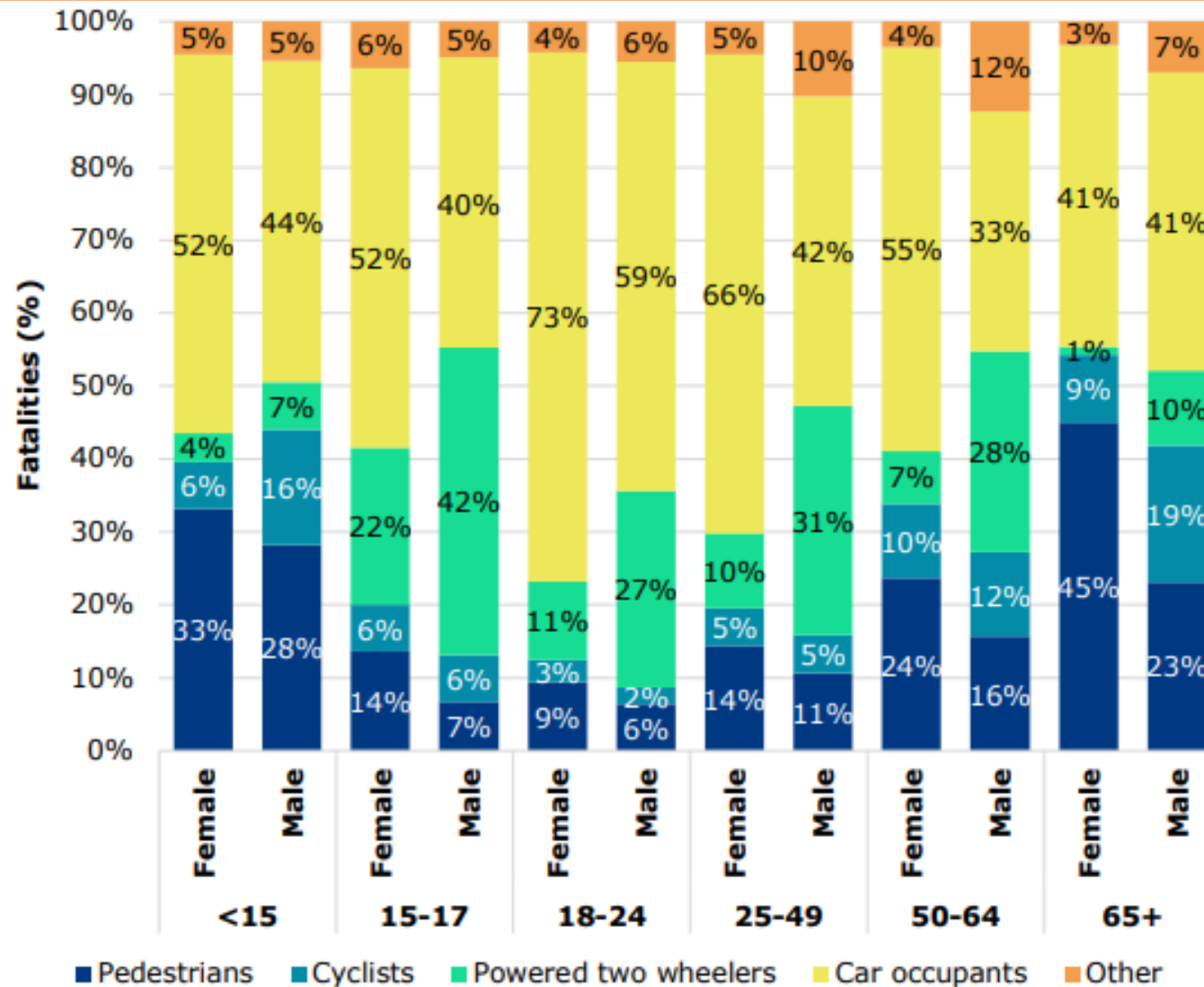
Road mortality of 18-24 year olds - 2023



PTW user road deaths by age

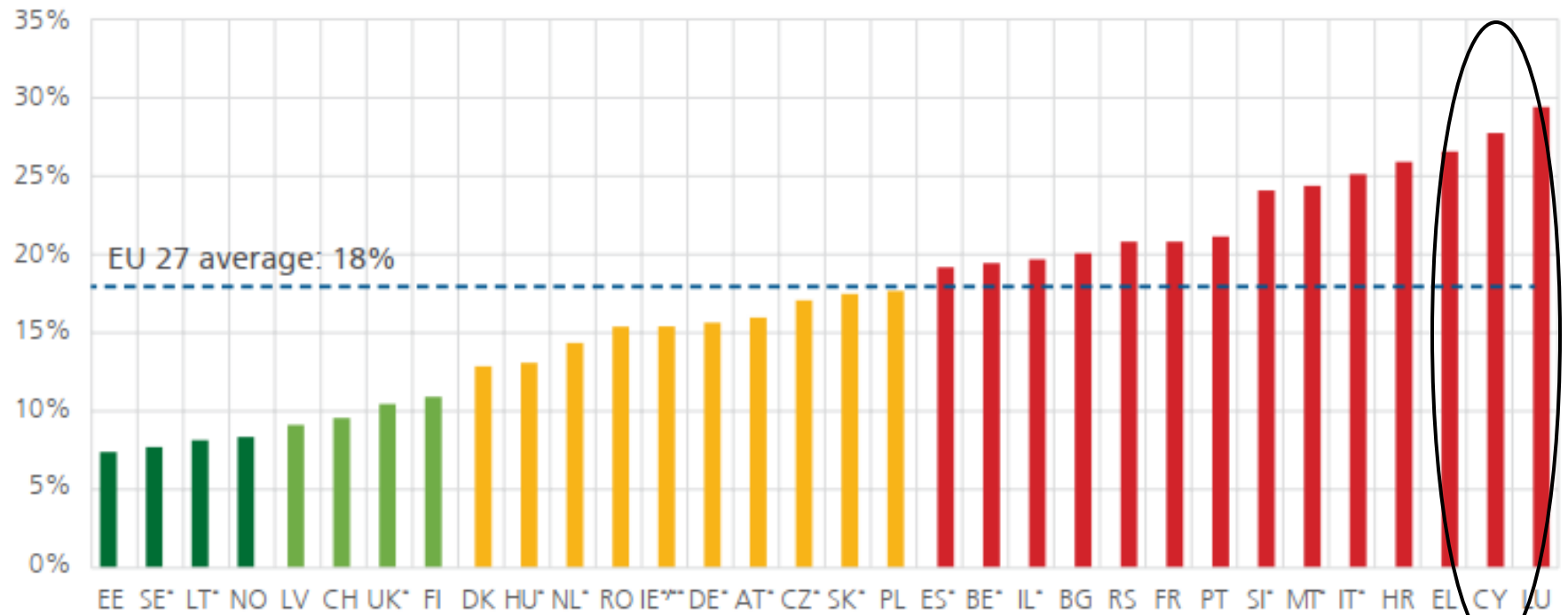


Road user groups and age

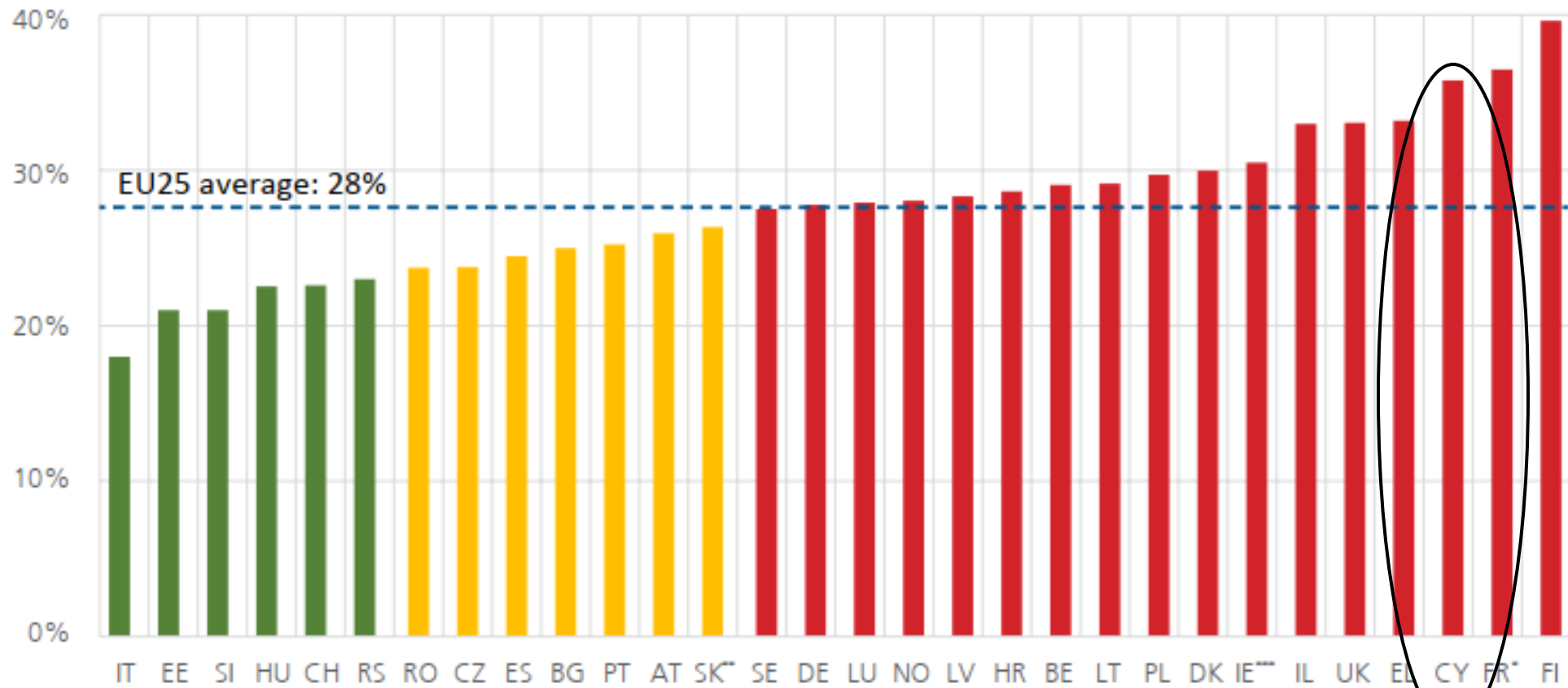


Young people road deaths as a proportion of all deaths

1/5 OF YOUNG PEOPLE DEATHS ARE A RESULT OF A ROAD COLLISION



Serious Injuries



Serious injuries among young people as a proportion of all serious injuries (national definition)

Countermeasures

- Driver training
- Minimum age for obtaining a driving licence
- Graduated driving licences - revised driving licence directive
- Alcohol, drugs and distraction
- Protective equipment – seatbelts and helmets
- Safer vehicles

Graduated or multiphase driving licence	Probationary period
AT, BE, DK, EE, IE, IL	AT, BE, BG, CH, DE, DK, ES, FI, FR, HU, IE, IL, IT, LV, NL, PT, RO, RS, SE, SI, SK, UK

Revision of the driving licence directive

- Accompanied driving scheme for 17-year-olds
- Probationary period - Member States to decide on restrictions.



RECOMMENDATIONS



ETSC RECOMMENDS



Make a comprehensive practical test mandatory to obtain an AM driving licence



Extend periodic technical testing to cover all motorcycles, including mopeds



Do not allow the lowering of the minimum age for solo driving for any vehicle category

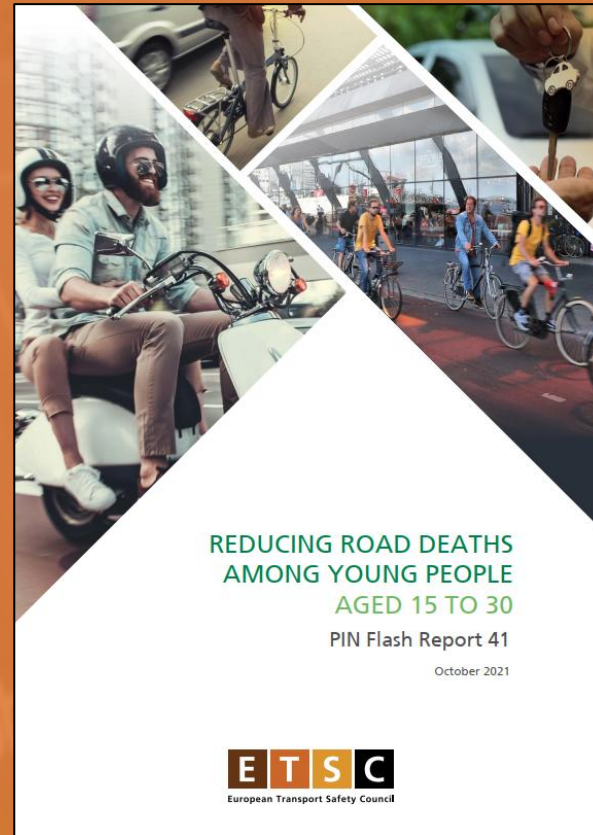


Mandate compulsory Anti-lock braking systems (ABS) for all motorcycles



Develop infrastructure guidelines which address the issues of PTW safety

THANK YOU!



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