Exercise 5: Walk Cycle

- Make sure to include the 4 important poses:
  - Contact
  - Recoil / Low-point
  - Passing
  - High-point
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• Animate a walk cycle of a figure with at least 4 limbs (e.g., 2 legs & 2 arms)
• Side view, moving across the page
• 4 strides minimum
• You may additionally do a treadmill version
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- Insert one in-between after each of the 4 key poses
  - Makes 8 frames per stride, 16 per cycle
- Minimum of 4 strides (2 cycles) = 32 frames
- Easier to copy & paste the repeated cycle
Tips:

- Remember to start at the edge of the page so that you have enough room for 4 strides
- Don’t draw a stick figure -- it will be too difficult to distinguish the limbs
Recommended Reading:

- Williams
  - pp. 102 - 215 (can stop after 30 pages or so)
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