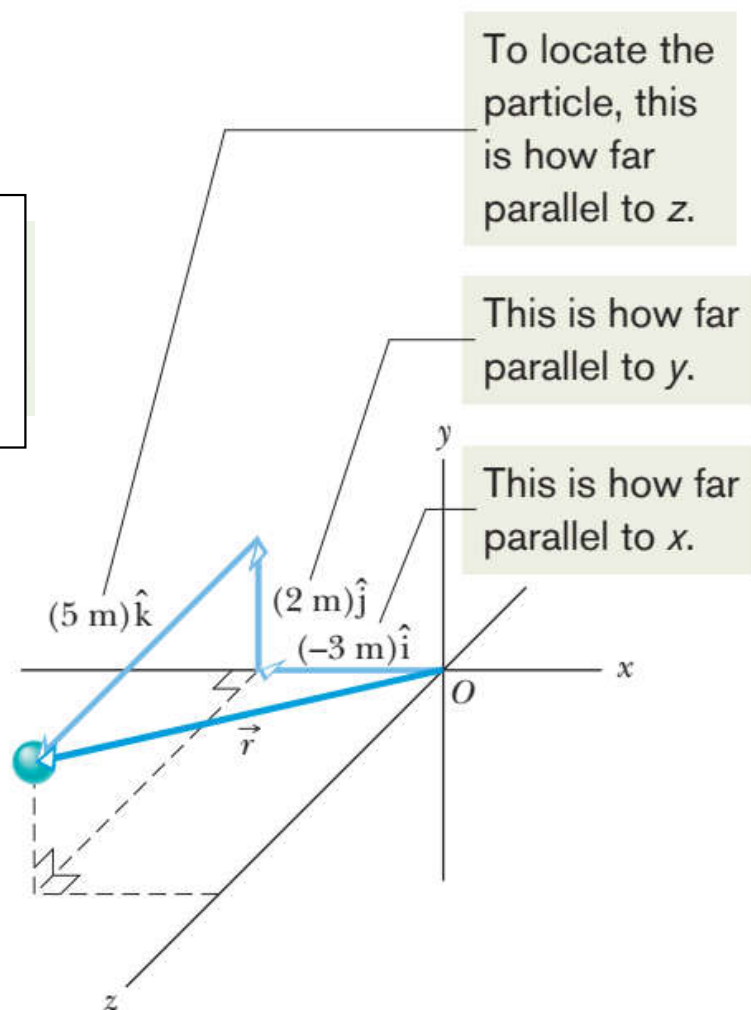


Velocity and Acceleration

Define a position first

$$\vec{r} = \boxed{} + \boxed{} + \boxed{}$$

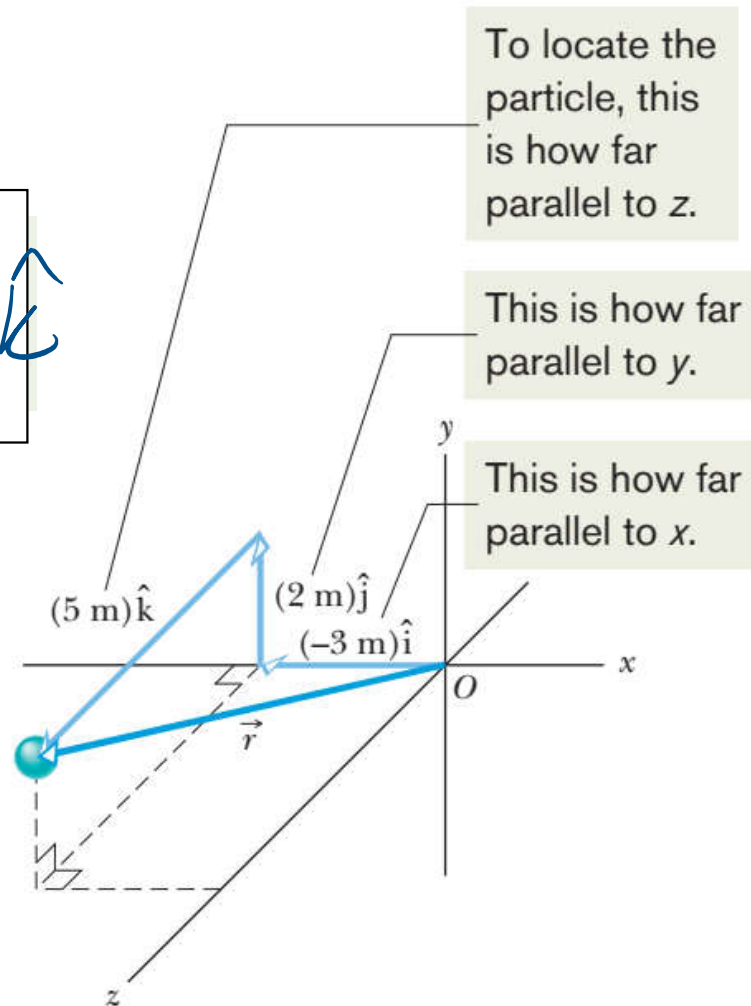


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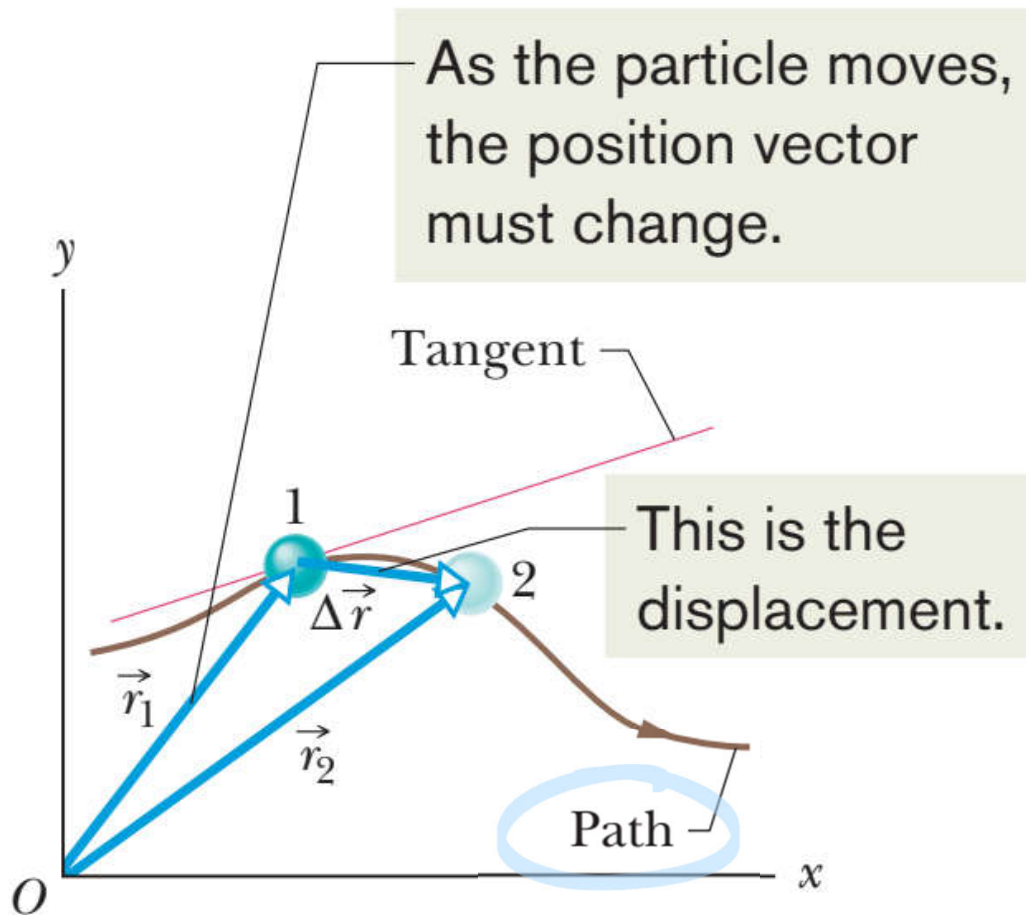
$$\vec{r} = -3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}$$

General position vector
in 3D

$$\vec{r} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}$$



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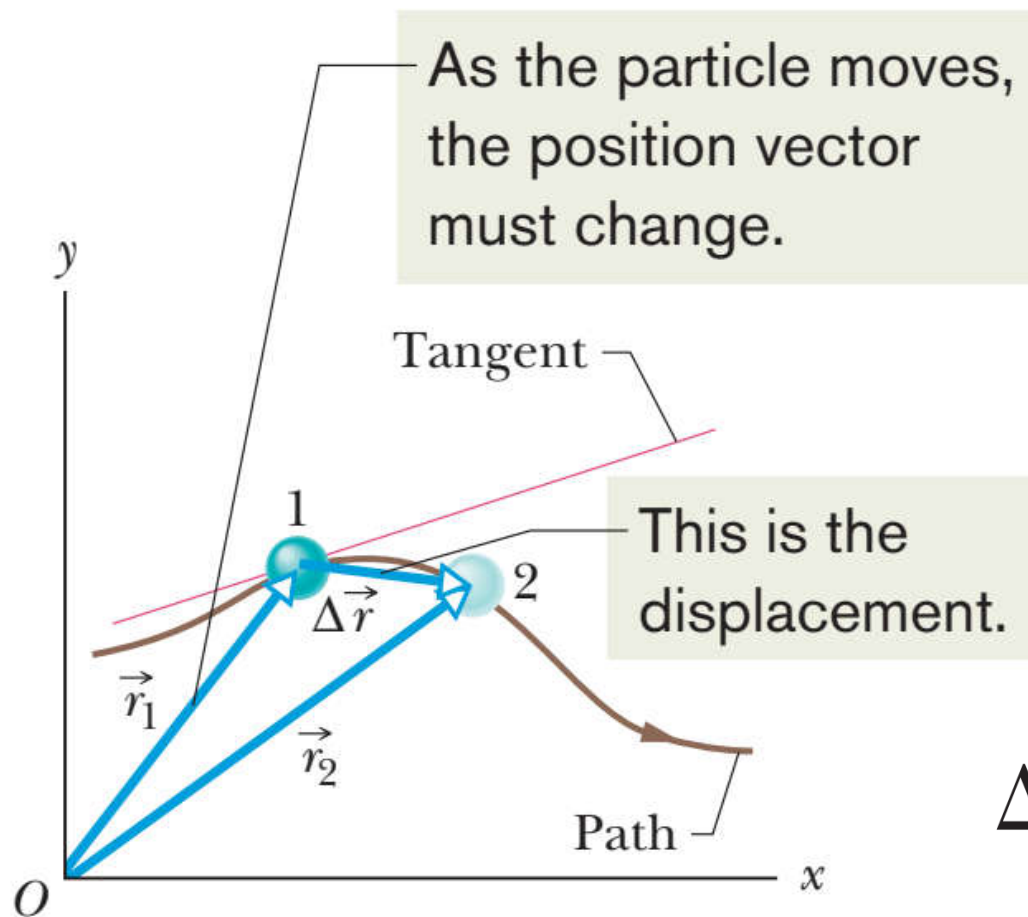
A hand-drawn vector diagram illustrating the relationship between position vectors and displacement. It shows a black vector \vec{r}_1 and a blue vector $\Delta \vec{r}$ being added to form a black vector \vec{r}_2 . Yellow curved arrows indicate the geometric construction of the resultant vector.

$$\vec{r}_2 = \vec{r}_1 + \Delta \vec{r}$$

$$\Delta \vec{r} = \vec{r}_2 - \vec{r}_1$$

$$= (x_2 \hat{i} + y_2 \hat{j} + z_2 \hat{k}) - (x_1 \hat{i} + y_1 \hat{j} + z_1 \hat{k})$$

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$$x = -0.31t^2 + 7.2t + 28$$

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$$\vec{r}(t) = x(t)\hat{i} + y(t)\hat{j}$$

at $t = 15$ s

$$\begin{aligned} x(t) &= -0.31(15^2) + 7.2(15) + 28 \\ &= 66.25 \text{ m} \end{aligned}$$

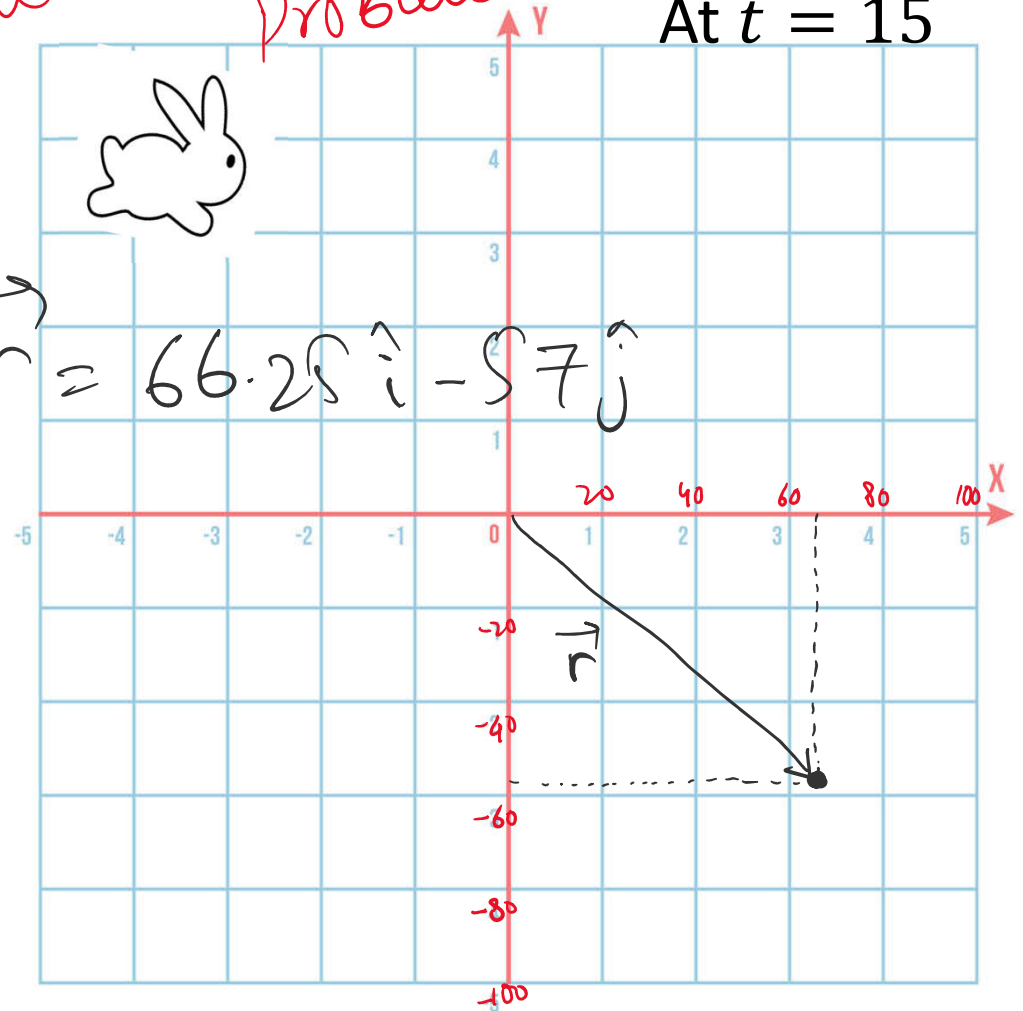
$$\begin{aligned} y(t) &= 0.22(15^2) - 9.1(15) + 30 \\ &= -97 \text{ m} \end{aligned}$$

The Rabbit Problem



$$\vec{r} = 66.25\hat{i} - 97\hat{j}$$

At $t = 15$



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at $t = 10$ s

$$\begin{aligned} x(t) &= -0.31(10^2) + 7.2(10) + 28 \\ &= 69 \text{ m} \end{aligned}$$

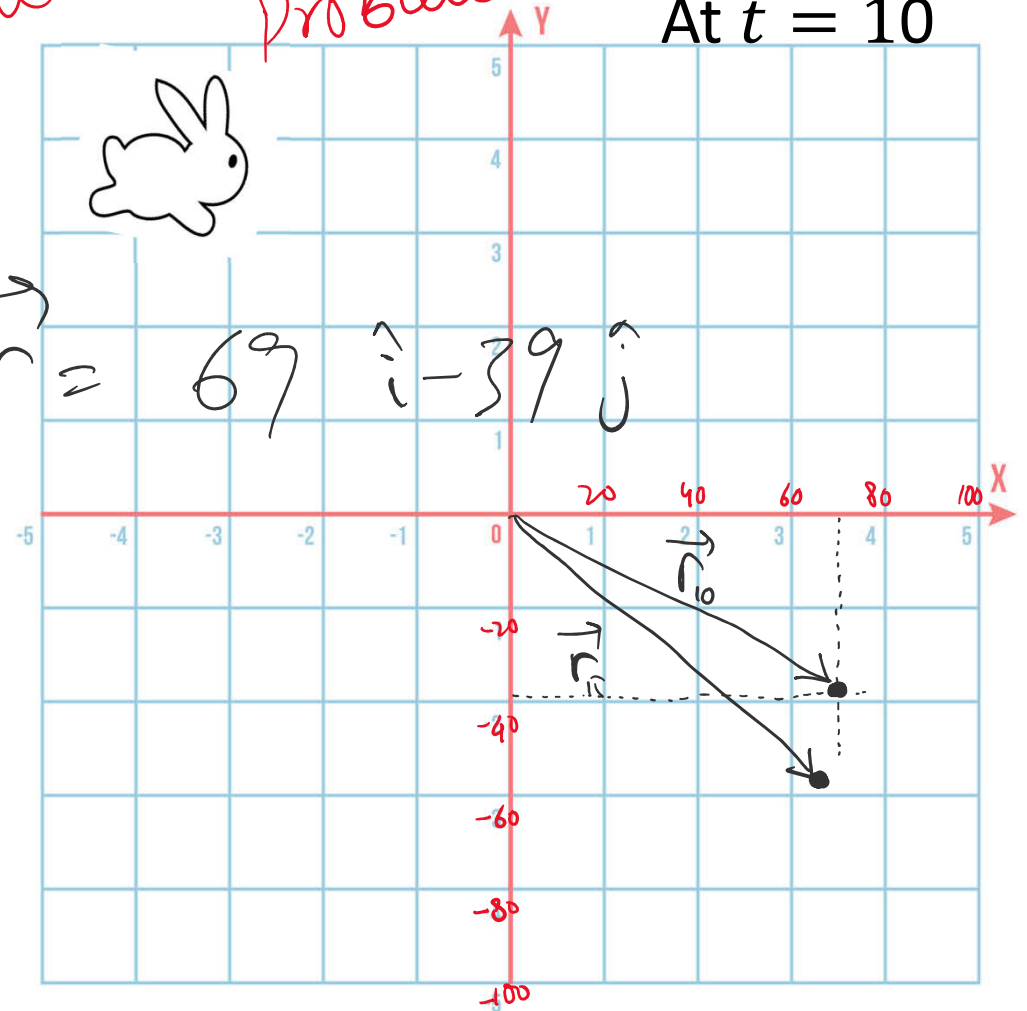
$$\begin{aligned} y(t) &= 0.22(10^2) - 9.1(10) + 30 \\ &= -39 \text{ m} \end{aligned}$$

The Rabbit Problem



At $t = 10$

$$\vec{r} = 69\hat{i} - 39\hat{j}$$



Lecture 3

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at $t = 20\text{ s}$

$$\begin{aligned} x(t) &= -0.31(20^2) + 7.2(20) + 28 \\ &= 48 \text{ m} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} y(t) &= 0.22(20^2) - 9.1(20) + 30 \\ &= -64 \text{ m} \end{aligned}$$

The Rabbit Problem

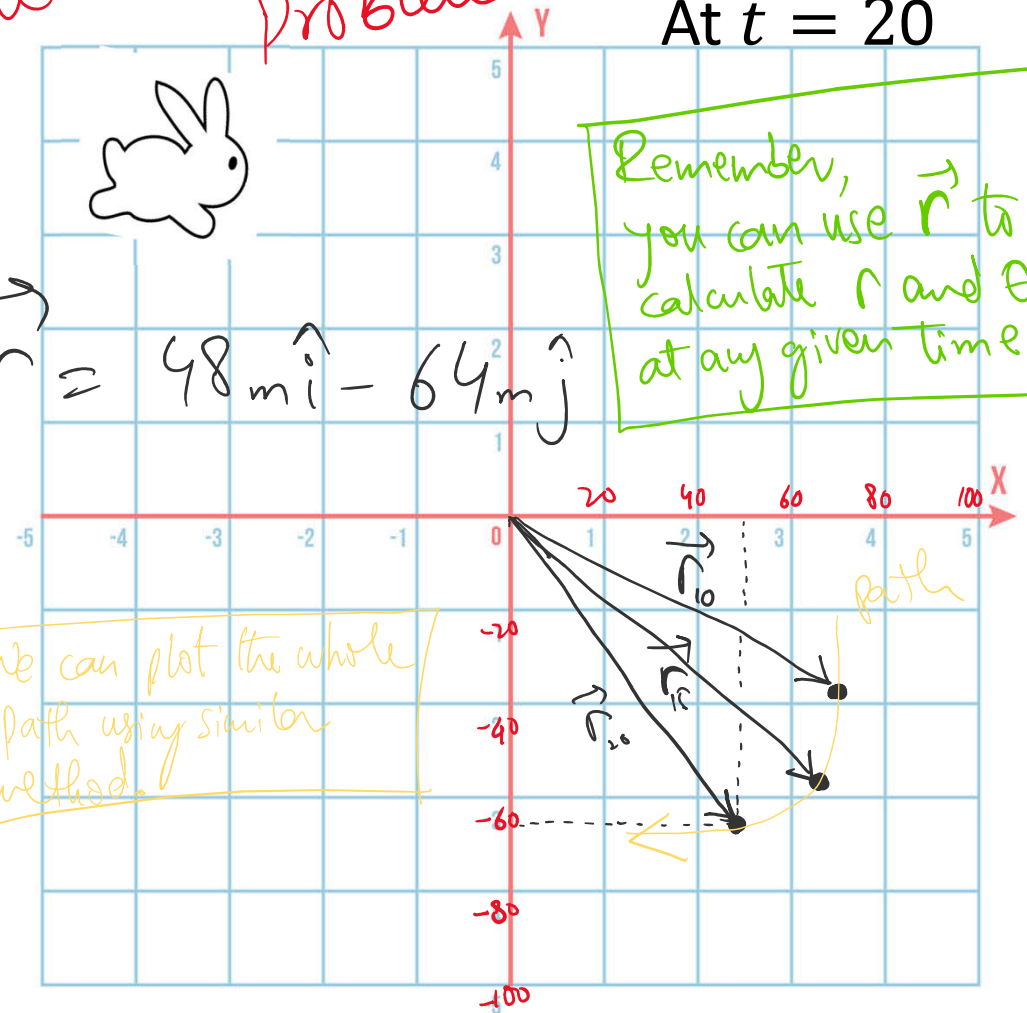


$$\vec{r} = 48\text{ m}\hat{i} - 64\text{ m}\hat{j}$$

At $t = 20$

Remember, you can use \vec{r} to calculate r and θ at any given time

We can plot the whole path using similar method.

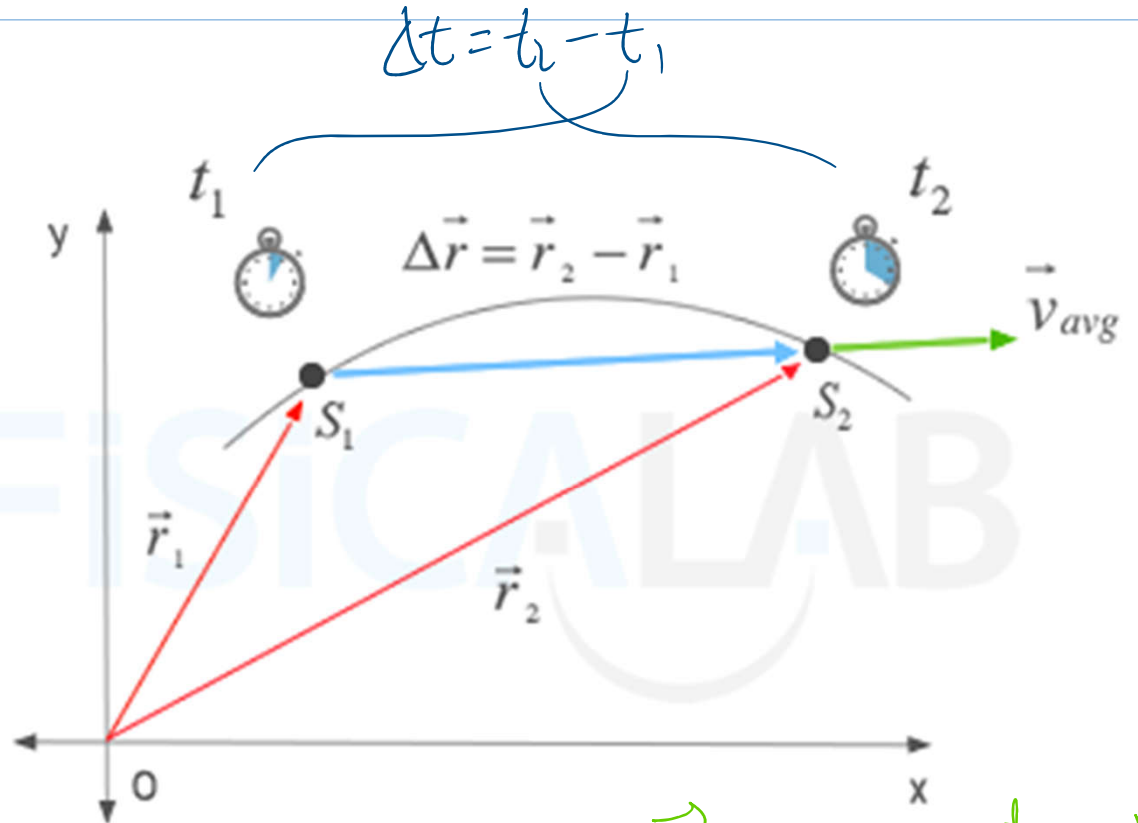


Velocity

Average Velocity

$$\vec{v}_{\text{avg}} = \frac{\Delta \vec{r}}{\Delta t}.$$

Also note that two points of position generates single point of velocity.

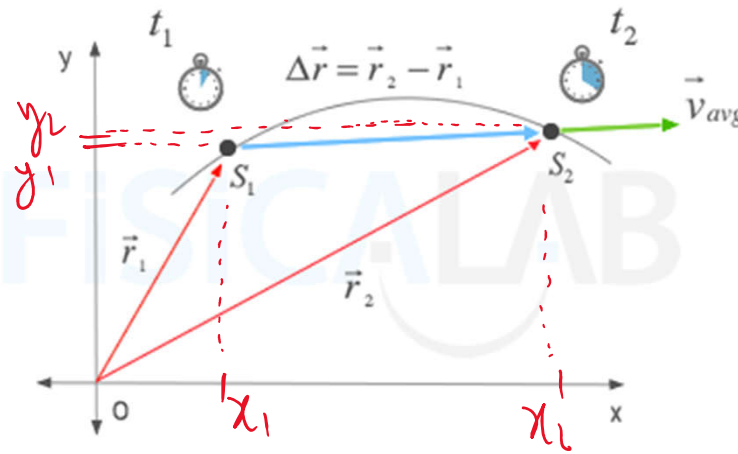


Position of \vec{v} vector is at point S_2 because this is the final position of the particle in our calculation.

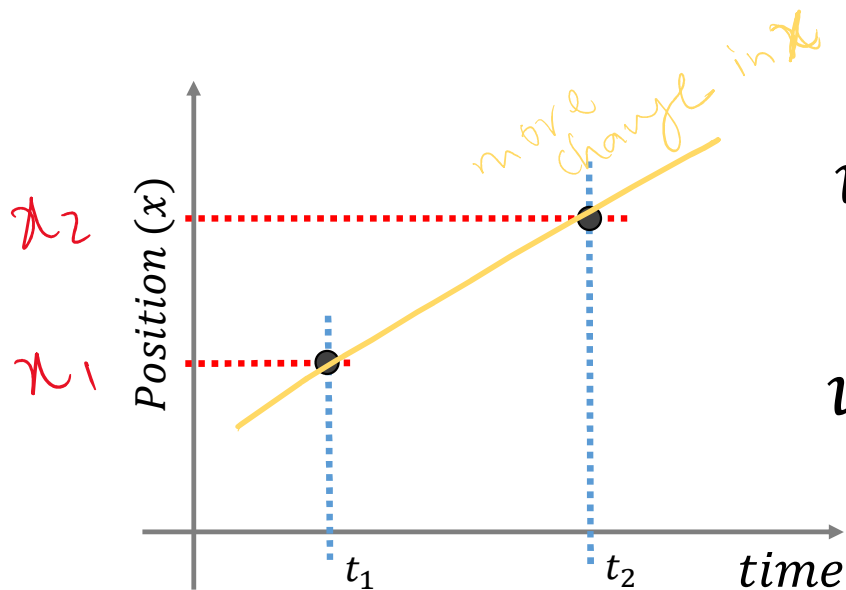
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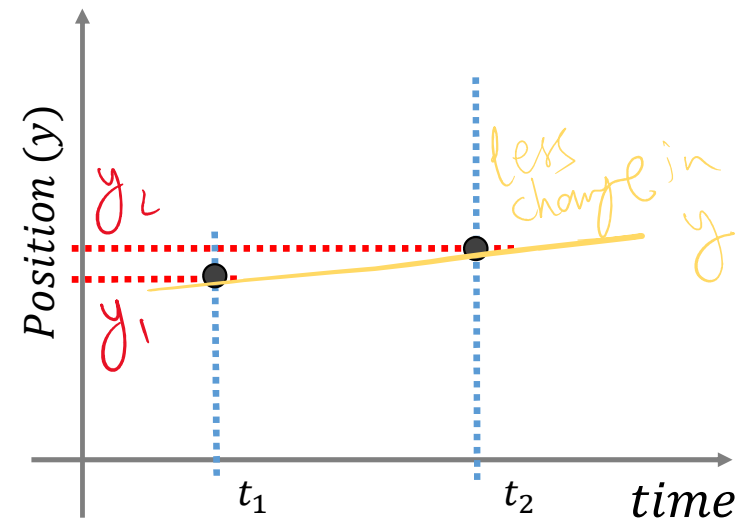


direction of \vec{v}_{avg}
is the same as
direction of $\Delta \vec{r}$
 $\vec{v}_{\text{avg}} = \frac{\Delta \vec{r}}{\Delta t}$



$$v_x = \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta t}$$

$$v_y = \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta t}$$



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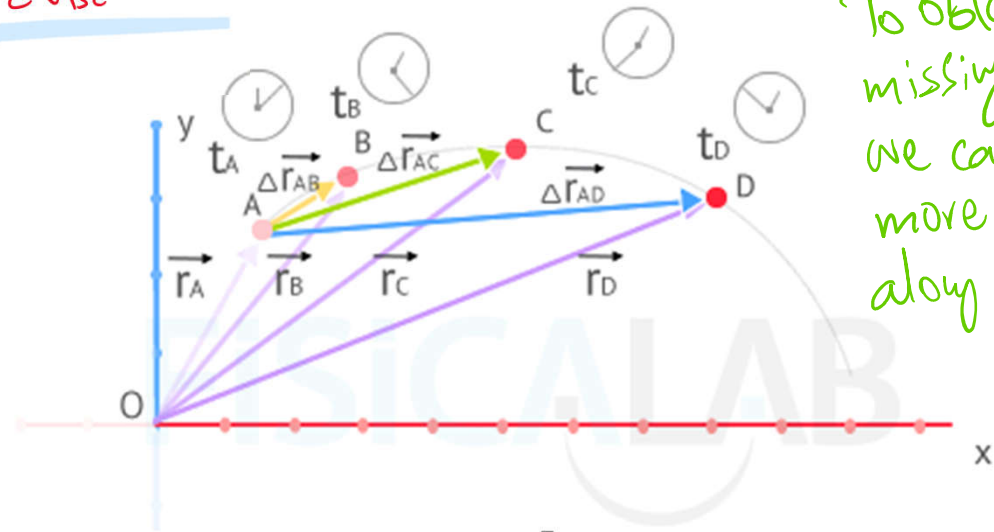
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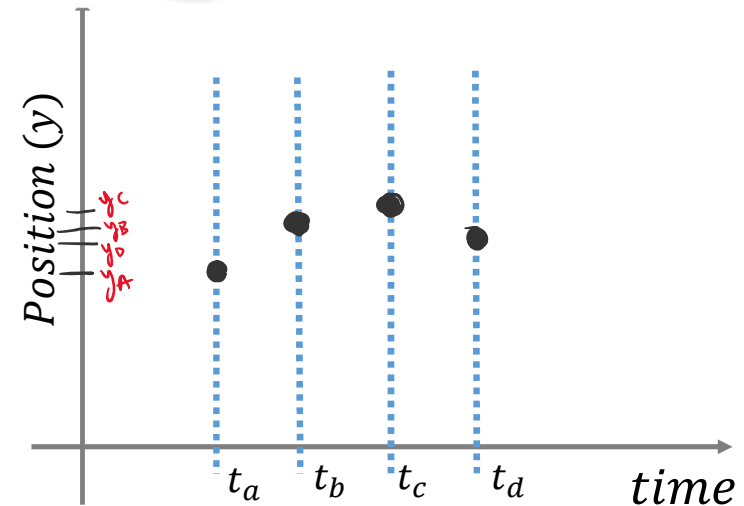
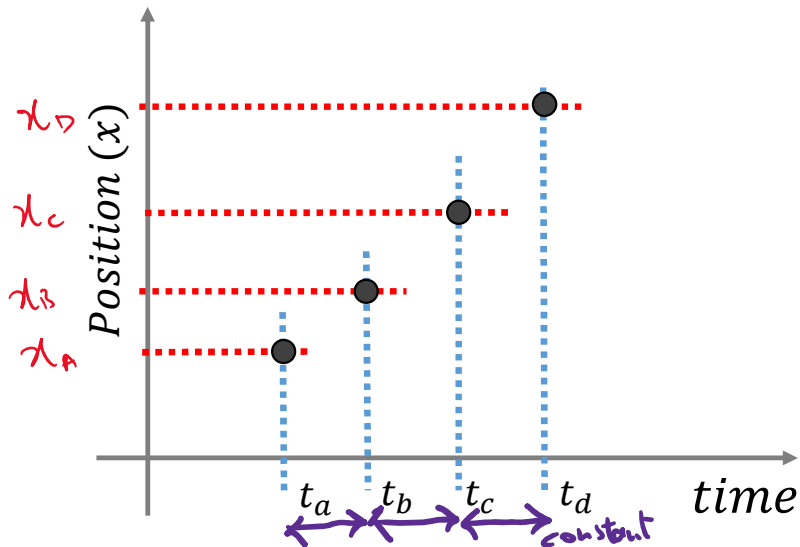
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Note:

$$\Delta t_{AB} = \Delta t_{BC} = \Delta t_{CD}$$



To obtain the missing information we can use more points along the path.



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Velocity

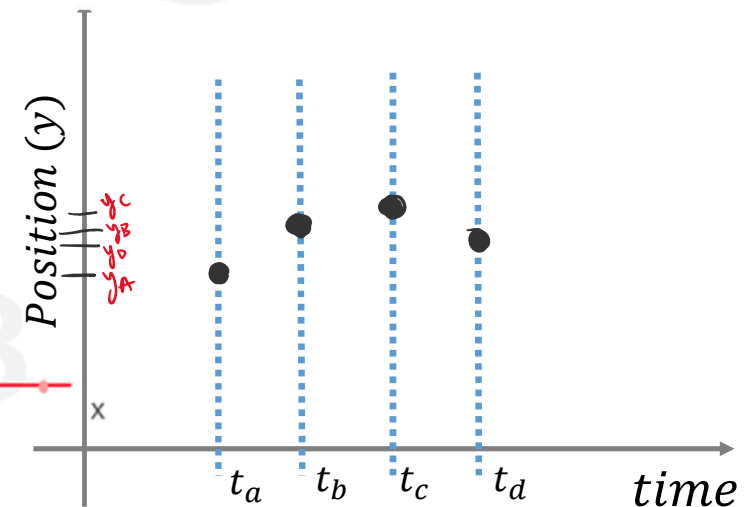
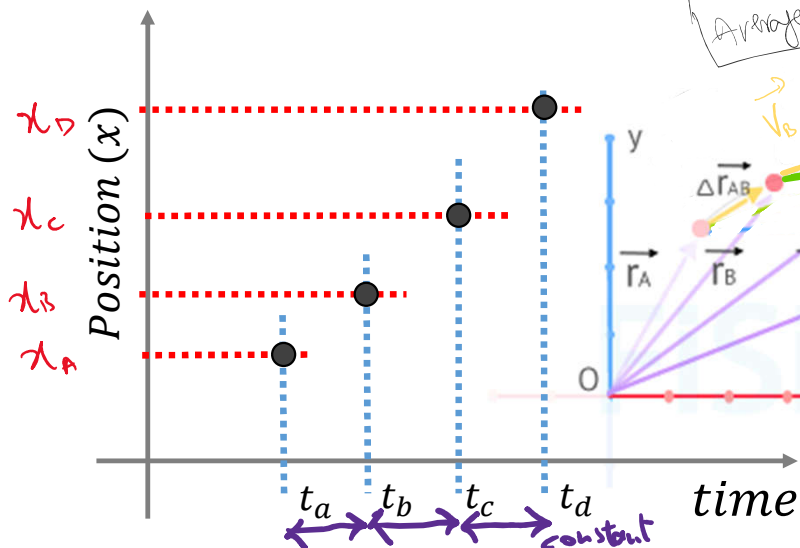
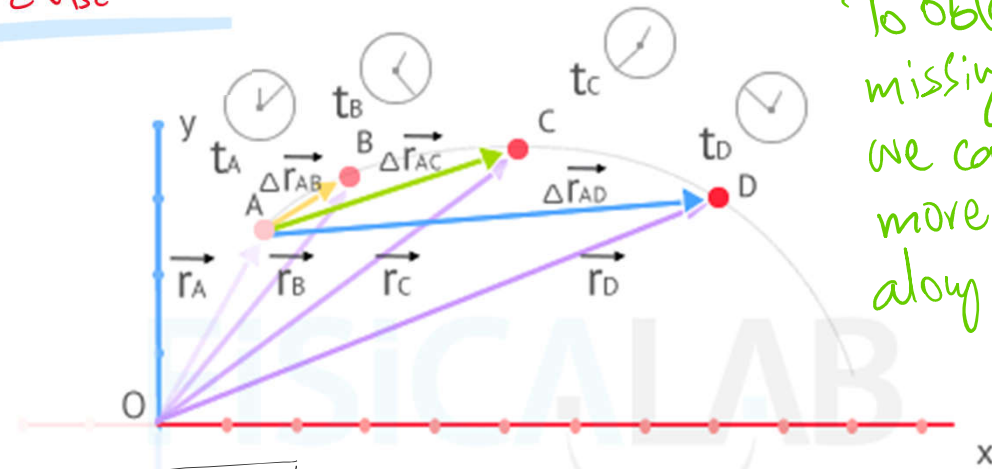
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Velocity

Reducing Δt will cause points to converge on a single point and $\Delta \vec{r}$ will become the same as tangent on that point.

Therefore \Rightarrow

The velocity vector is always tangent to the path.

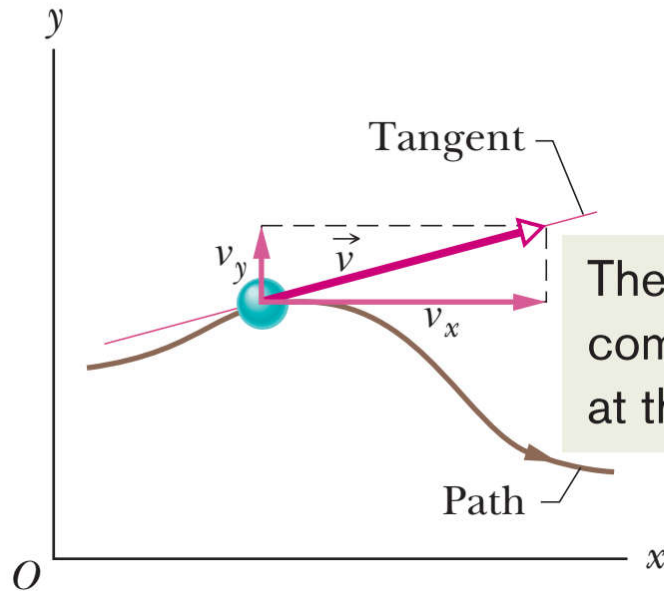
Instantaneous Velocity

$$\Delta t \rightarrow 0$$

$$\vec{v} = \frac{d\vec{r}}{dt}$$

Approaches to zero, NOT EQUAL TO ZERO

$\Delta \rightarrow d$



These are the x and y components of the vector at this instant.

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Bring back the rabbit!

$$v_x = \frac{dx}{dt}, \quad v_y = \frac{dy}{dt}$$

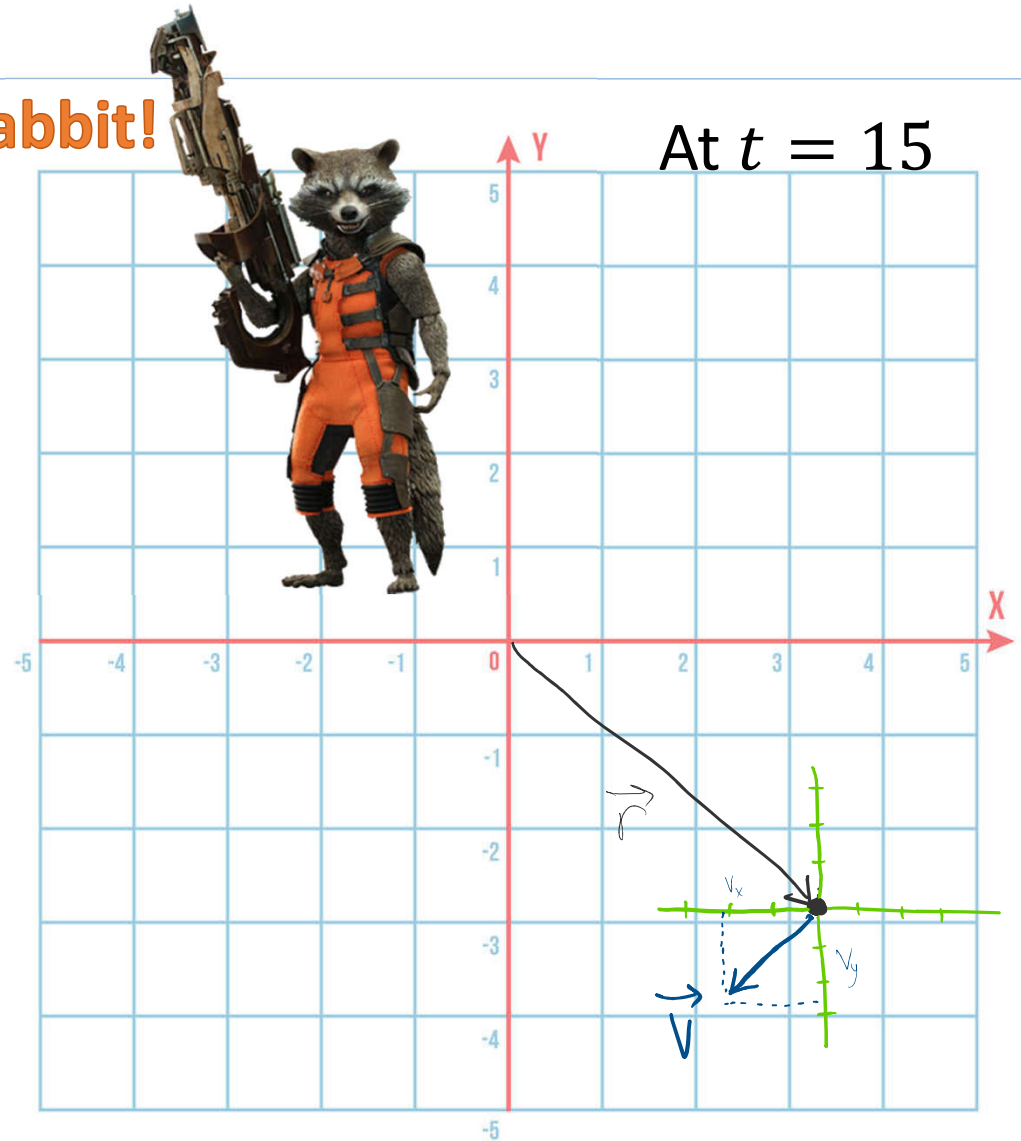
$$V_x(t) = -0.62t + 7.2$$

$$V_y(t) = 0.44t - 9.1$$

at $t = 15$ sec

$$\vec{V} = -2.1 \frac{m}{s} \hat{i} - 2.9 \frac{m}{s} \hat{j}$$

At $t = 15$

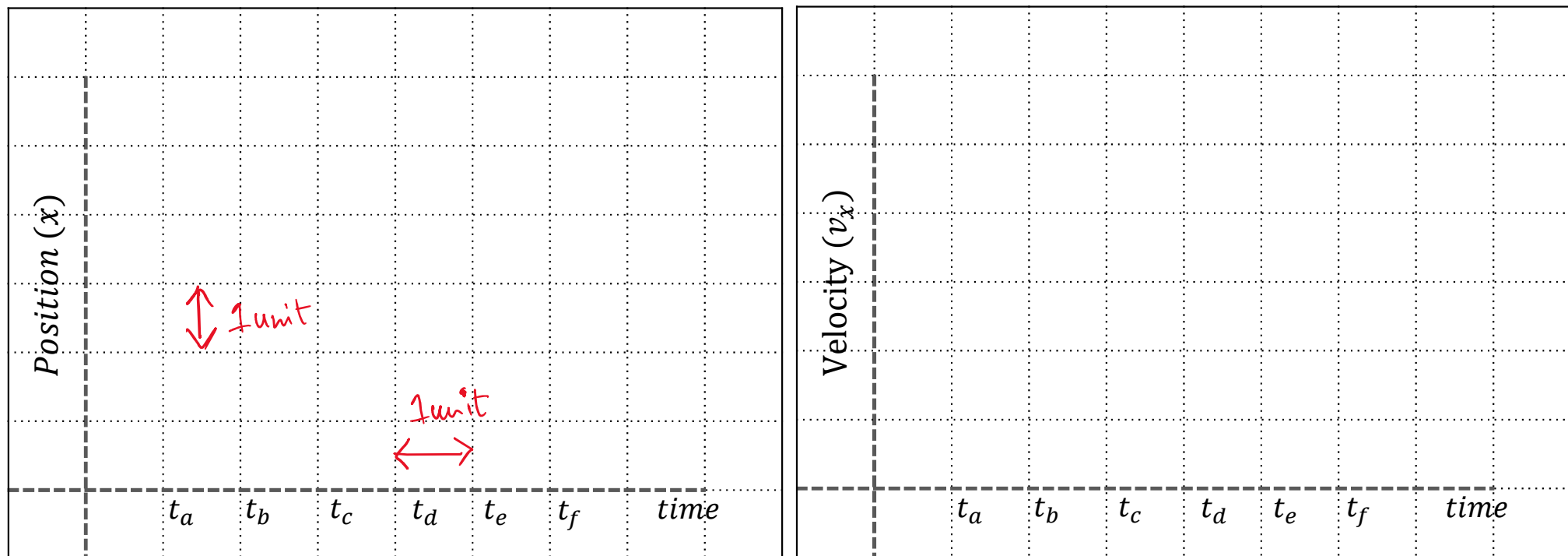


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Constant Velocities – graphical analysis

$$\Delta v_{12} = \Delta v_{23} = \Delta v_{34} = \Delta v_{45} = \dots$$

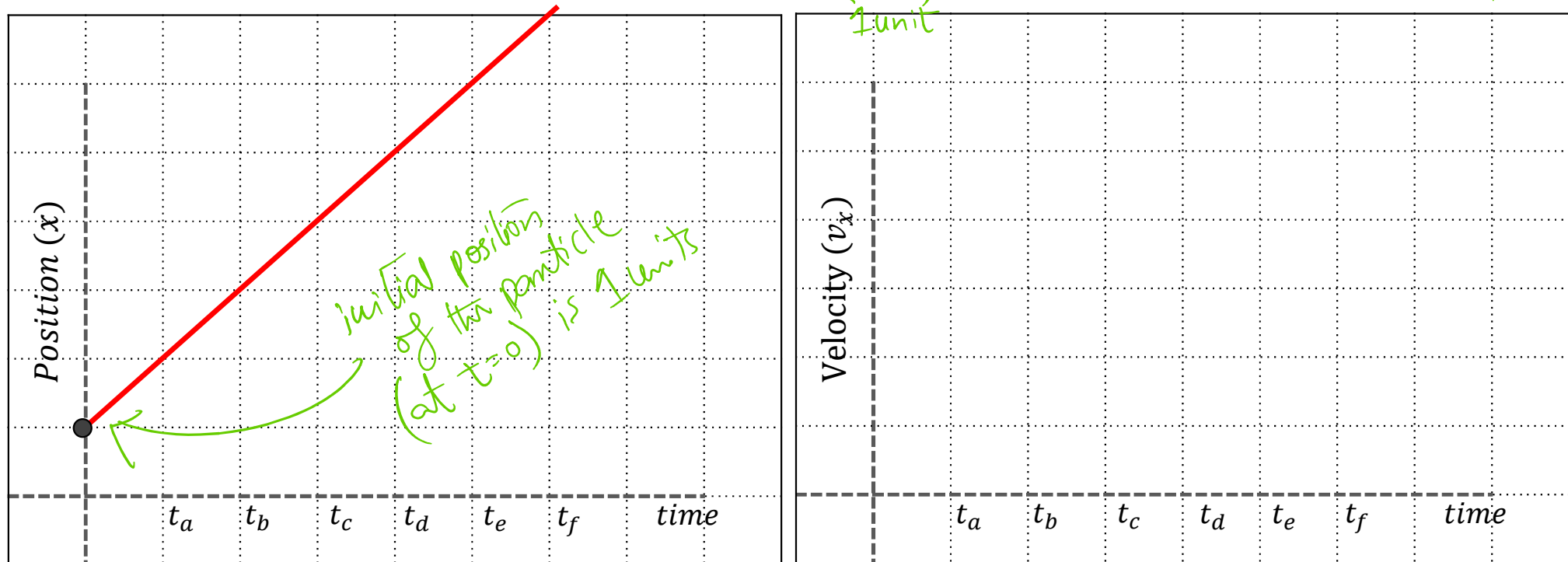
One dimension



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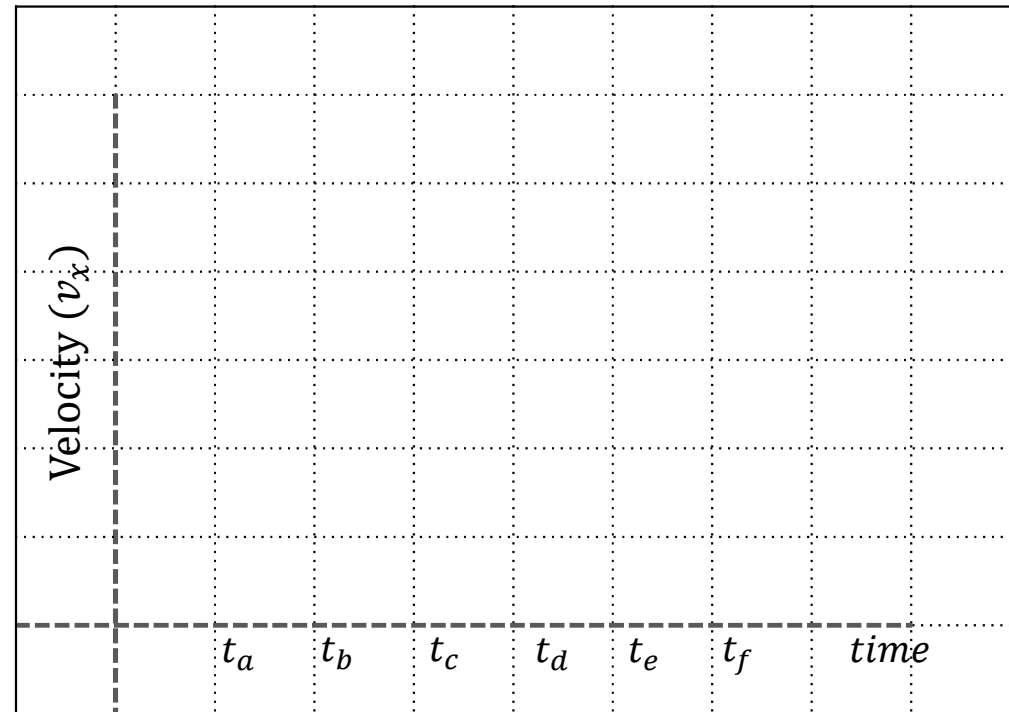
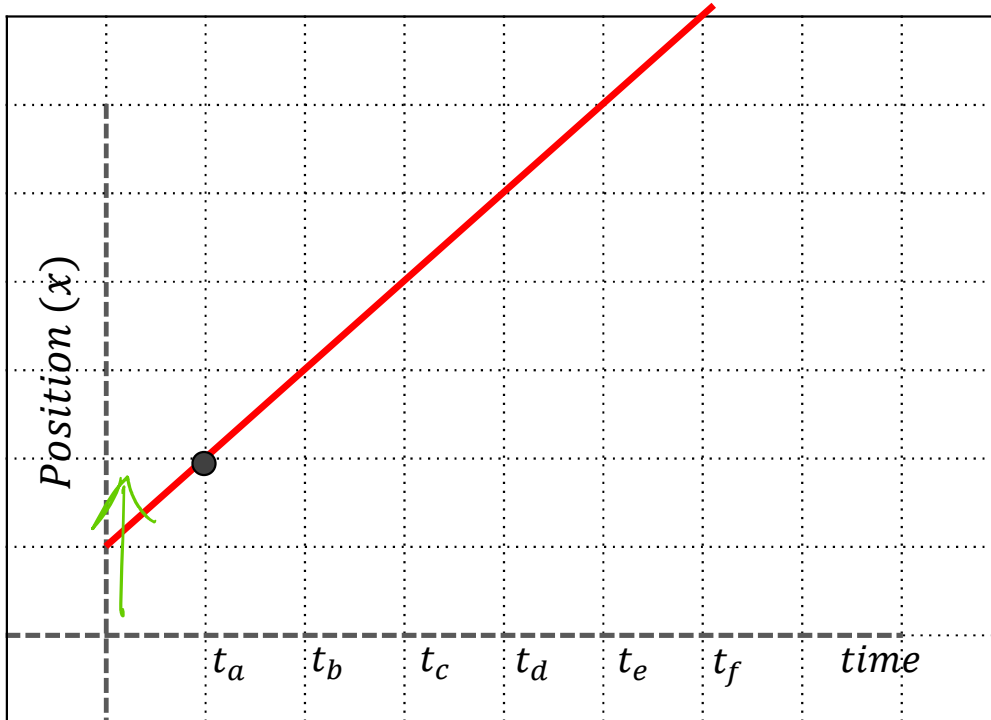
Tracing the object position



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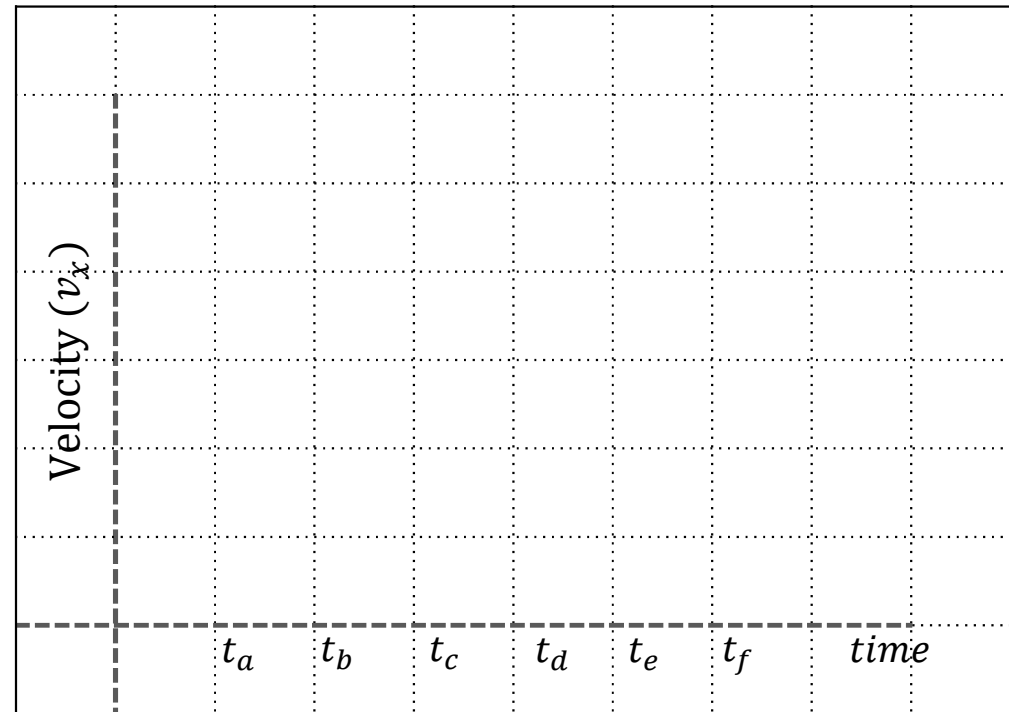
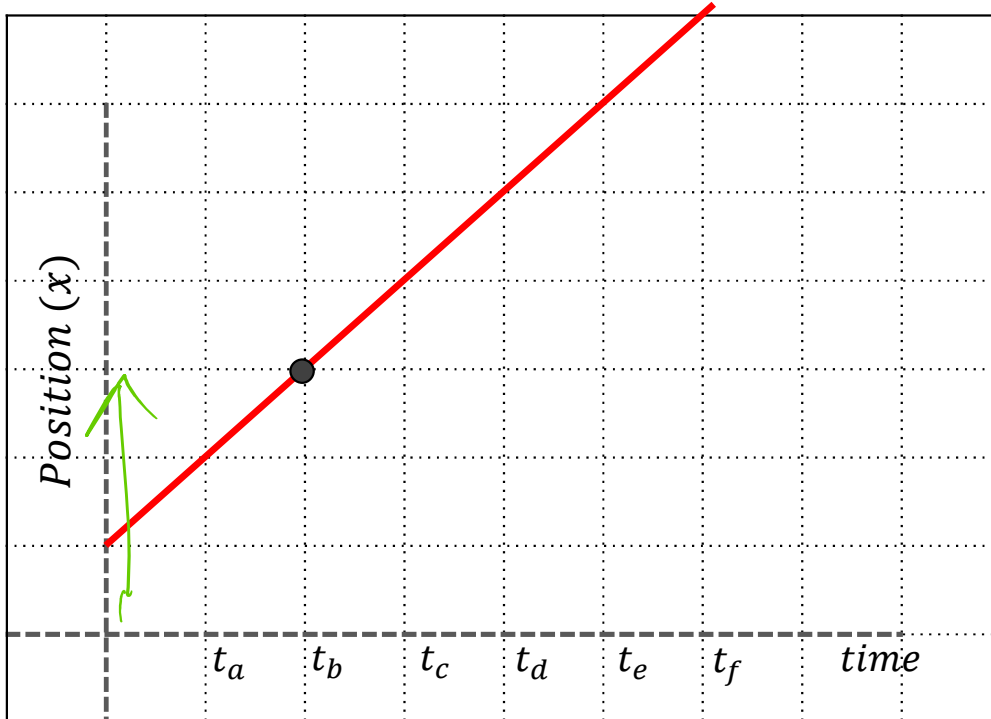
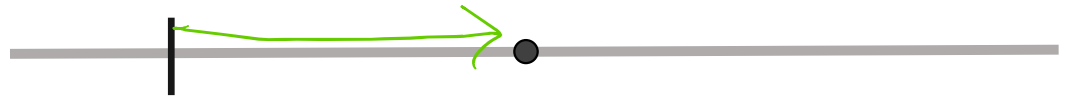
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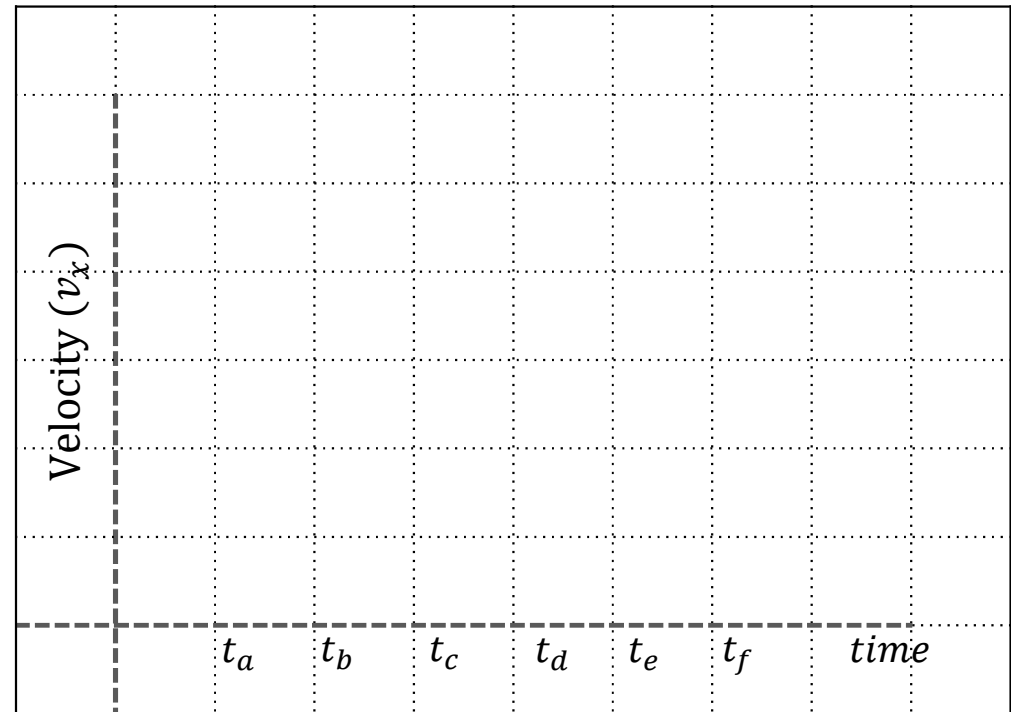
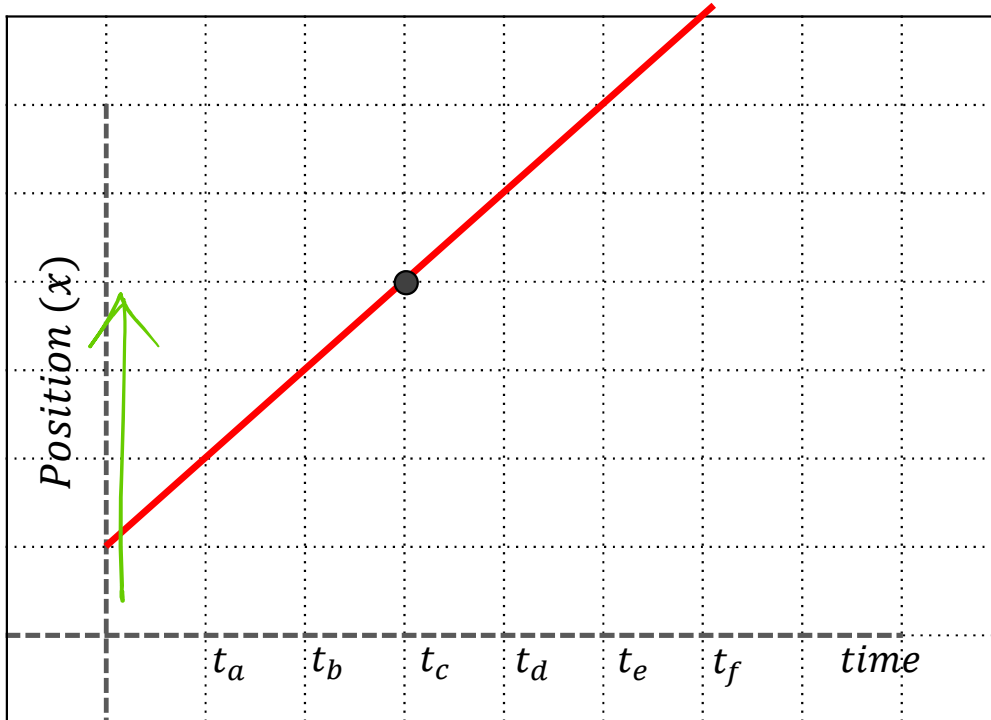


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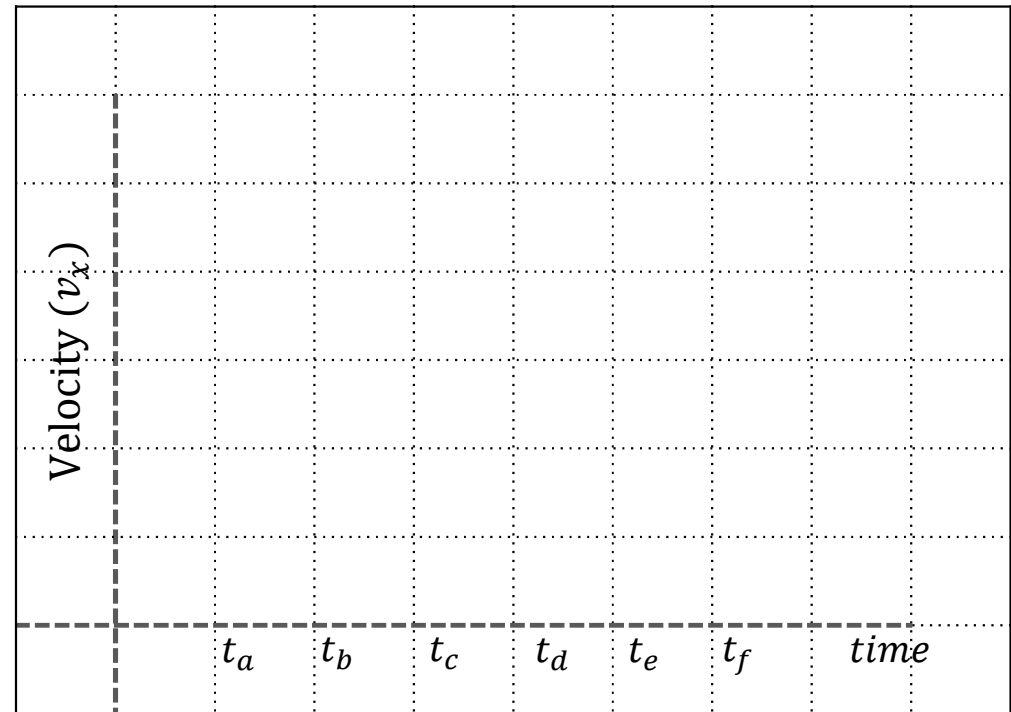
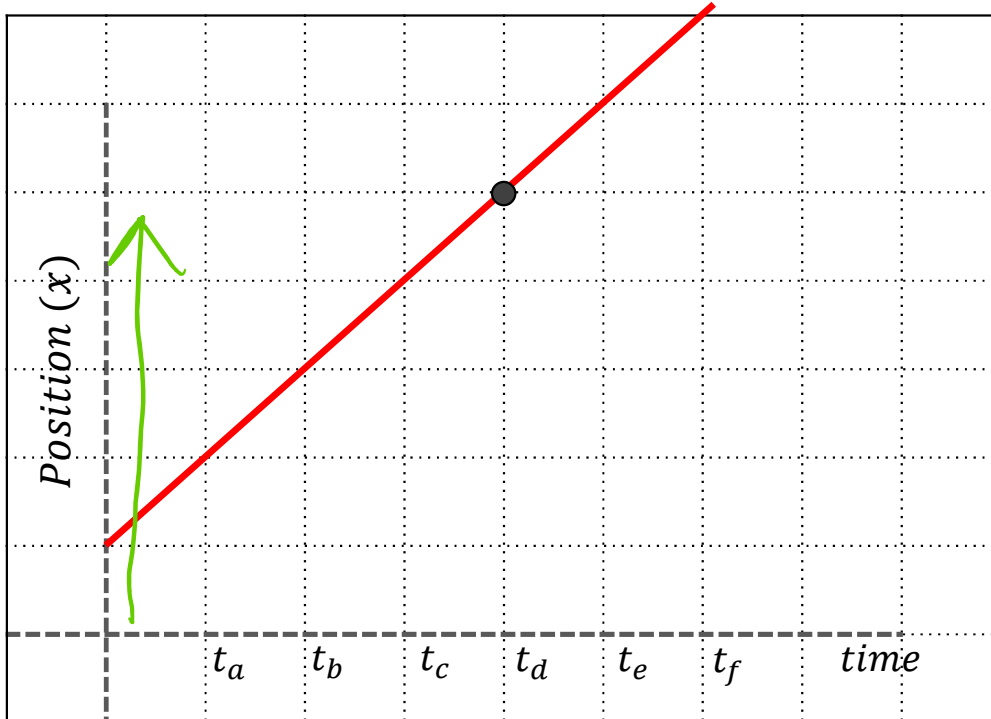


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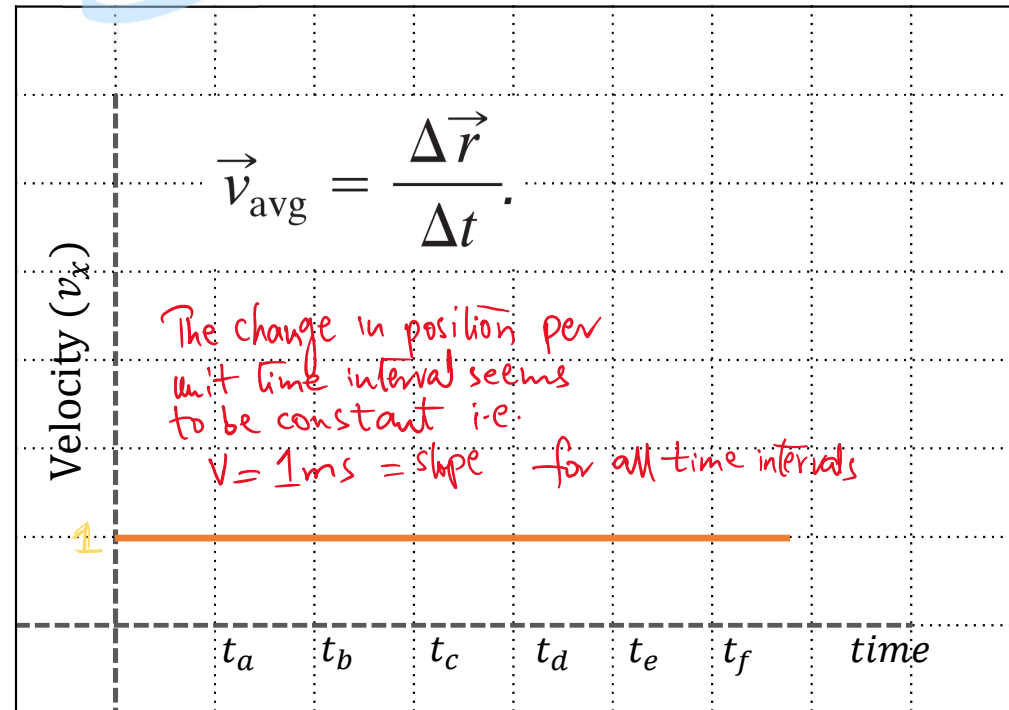
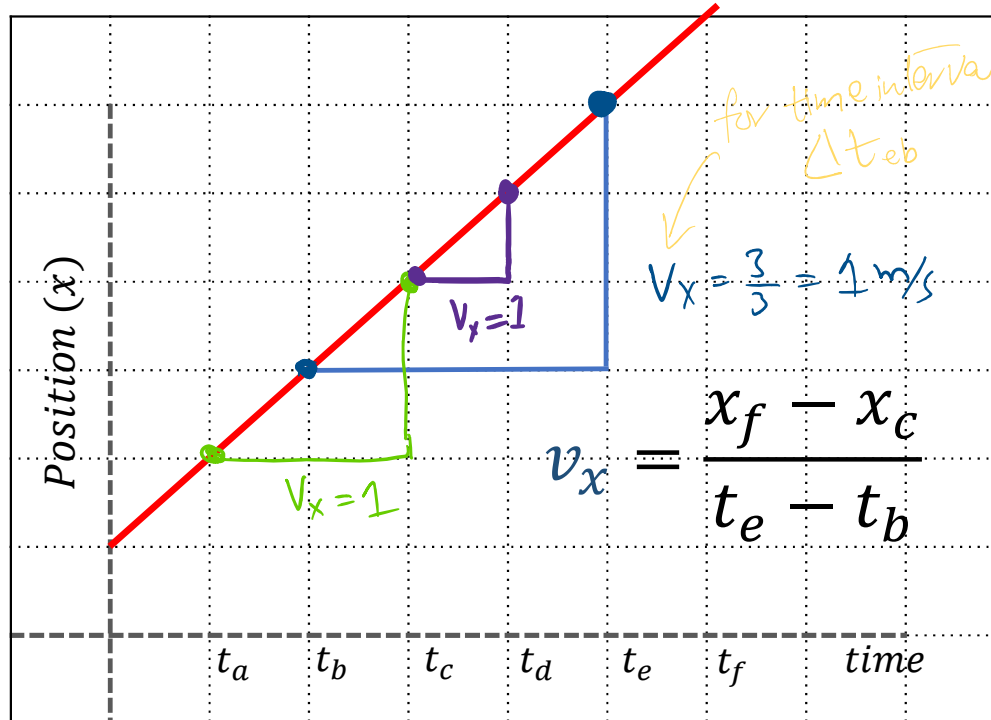
Constant Velocities – graphical analysis

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Velocity is “**slope**” in xt graph

Slope of straight line is constant

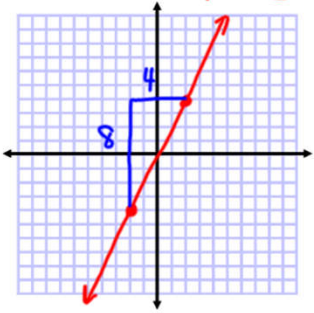
Velocity of equidistant motion is constant



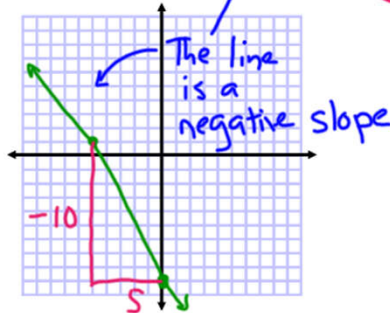
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Find the Slope

$(2, 4) (-2, -4)$ $\frac{8}{4} = 2$

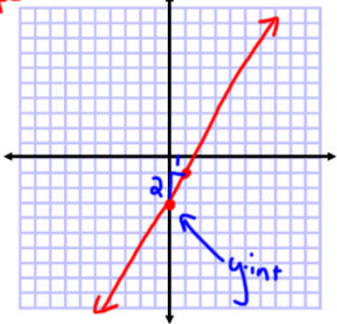


$(-5, 1) (0, -9)$ $\frac{-10}{5} = -2$



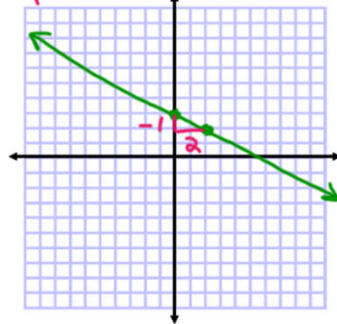
Find the Slope and Graph

$y = 2x - 3$
slope \leftarrow 2 \leftarrow y-intercept -3



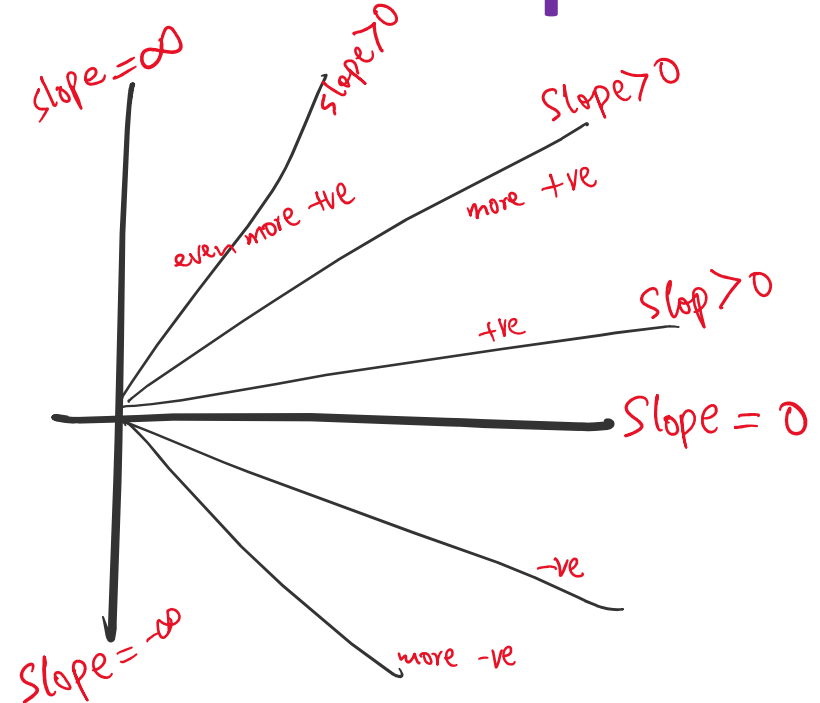
Slope = $\frac{2}{1}$ y-int = -3

$y = -\frac{1}{2}x + 3$
slope \leftarrow $-\frac{1}{2}$ \leftarrow y-intercept 3



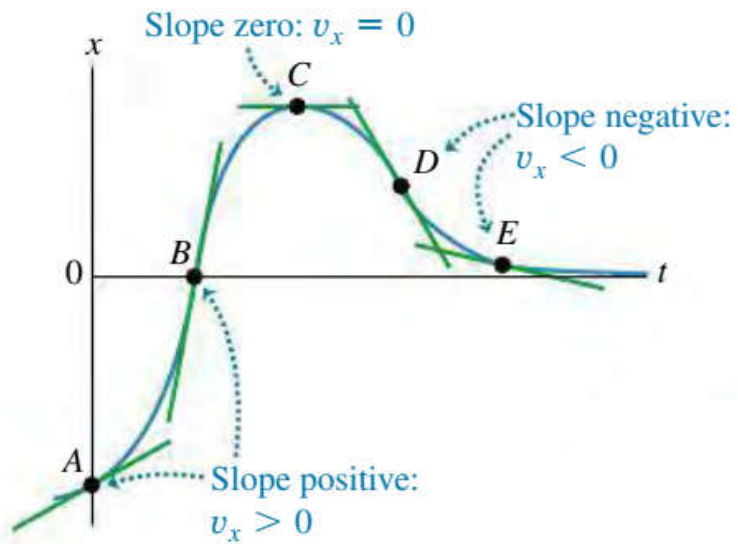
Slope = $-\frac{1}{2}$ y-int = 3

Reminder! about the slope

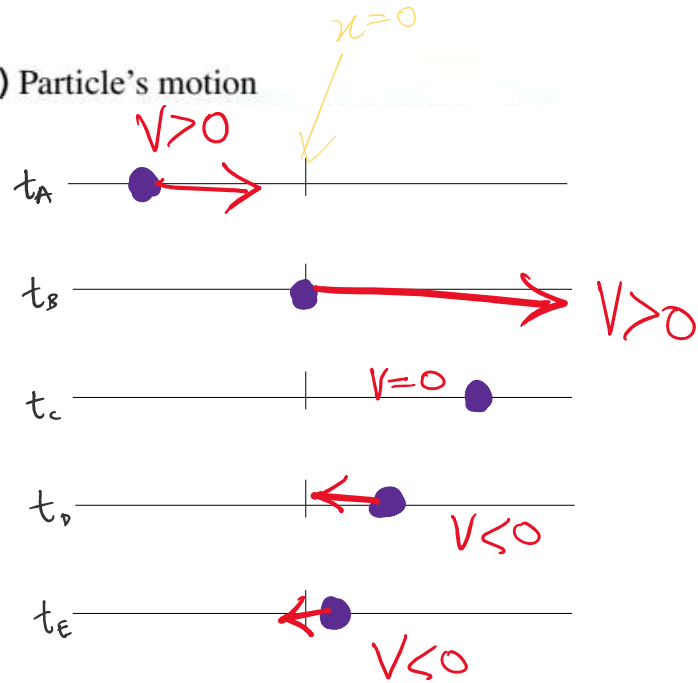


Slope analysis

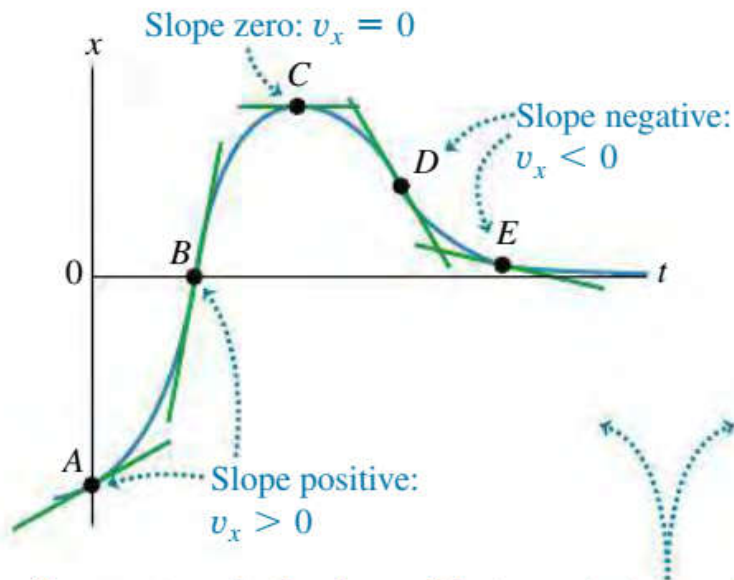
(a) x - t graph



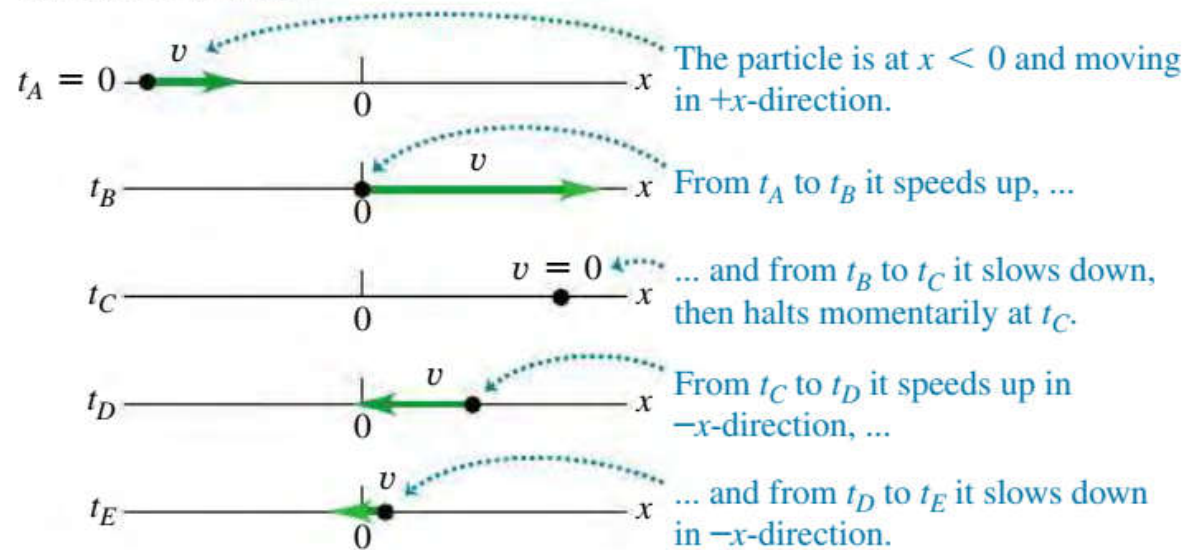
(b) Particle's motion



Slope analysis

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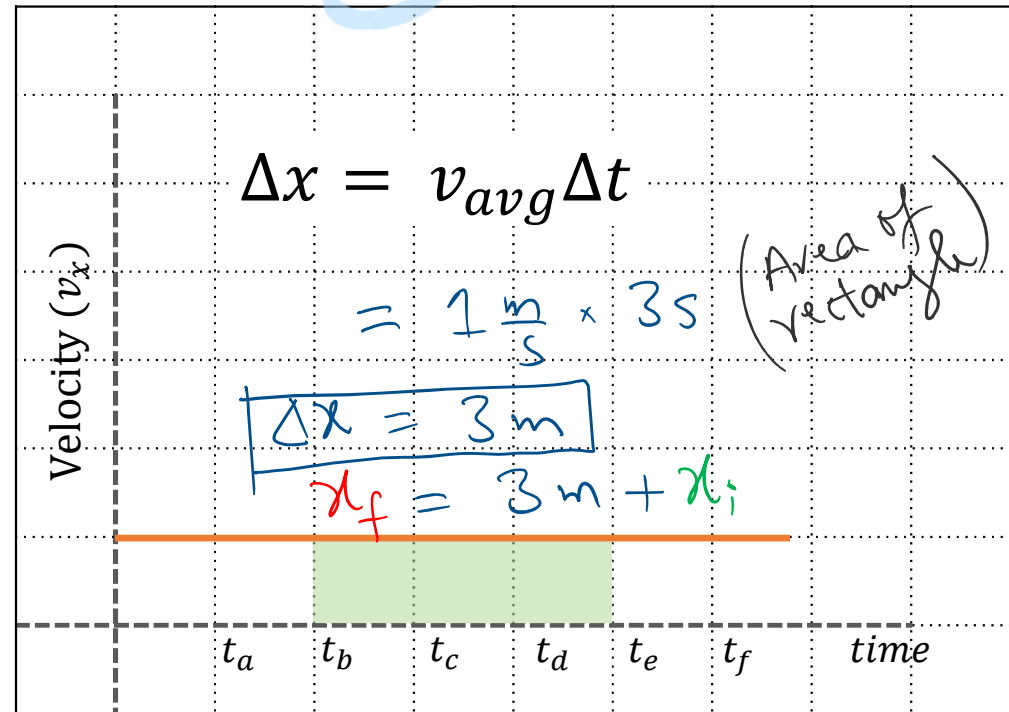
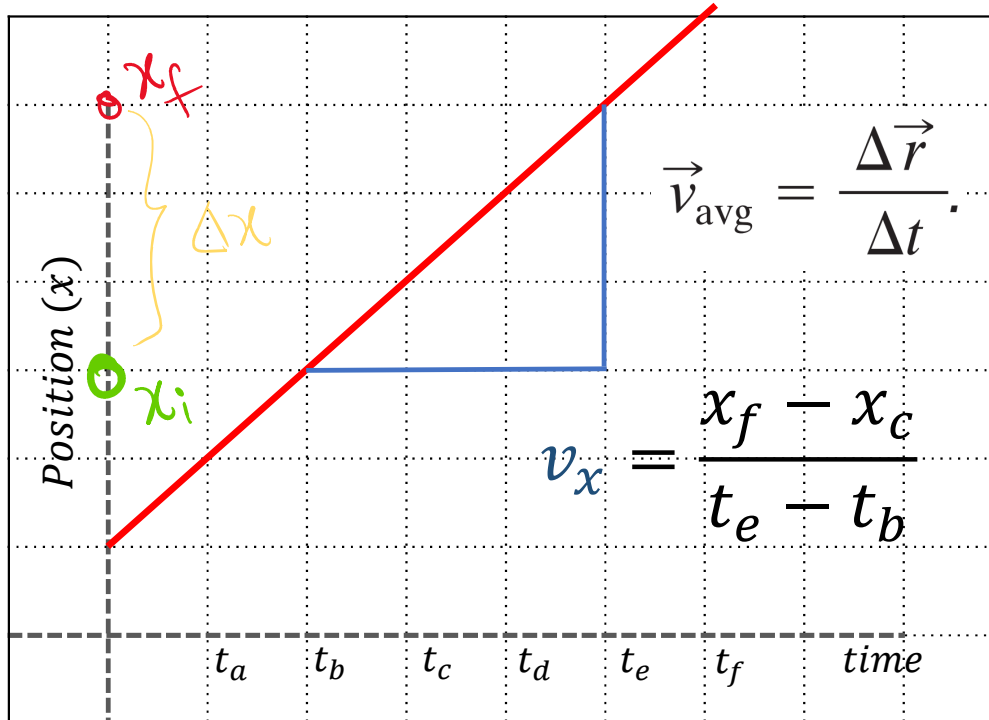
- On an x - t graph, the slope of the tangent at any point equals the particle's velocity at that point.
- The steeper the slope (positive or negative), the greater the particle's speed in the positive or negative x -direction.

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Position is “*area under the curve*” in vt graph



Simulation can help you learn by real-time interactions

1. Set $a=0$ and play around with velocity and position values
2. Calculate distance (area under the curve) from vt graph

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