

November 8th 1683.

How to Draw Tangent to Mechanicall Lines.

In a Description of any Mechanicall line what ever there may be found two such motions w^{ch} compound or make up y^e motion of y^e point describing it, when motion being of them found, the determination shall be in a tangent to y^e mechanicall line.

Lemma.

If one body move from a to b in y^e same time as will another move from a to c & a 3^d body move from a with motion compounded of those two it shall (consisting of parallelogram ad.d) move to d in y^e same time. For the motion would severally move y^e 2nd from a to c & the 1st from c to b &c.

Example 1st P. If abc is an Arch ~~of a circle~~ described by y^e point b move ab & bc moving uniformly & also circularly uniformly about y^e center a. ~~Let y^e line abc be from y^e point a to b to c~~ ~~the circumference uniformly~~ Let y^e radius of y^e circle bnd be ab. & let dm be measure y^e quantity of the rotation of ab (or is touching y^e line at y^e center) let ef be a tangent to y^e circle bnd. y^e is y^e motion of y^e point b towards c to its motion towards f. as ab. to dbnd therefore since

bc:fg::ab:dm. & (by y^e Lemma) y^e Diagonall bf shall touch y^e Arch b. Or make bc=fg=ab. & ef=eg=dm. the Diagonall bf shall touch y^e Arch (y^e length of ef may be thus found viz. at:ad=ab::dm:d:dm=ef.)

Example 2^d P. If y^e center a of a globe moves uniformly in a straight line parallel to ra, whilst y^e globe uniformly rotates. Each position y^e globe will describe a Trochoid: to seek at y^e point b of this Troch a tangent. Draw y^e ad ab is bc perpendicular to it y^e is y^e circular motion of the point b determined in y^e line bc & its progression is ef. If therefore I make bc=fg to ef=eg as y^e circular motion of y^e point b to its progression y^e Diagonall bf (by y^e Lemma) shall touch y^e Trochoid in b. Or if y^e globe rests upon y^e plane ch, & I make bc=fg=ab. & ef=eg=as. y^e 2^d y^e Diagonall bf shall touch y^e Trochoid. Or if passing through y^e point in ab y^e plane & plane cdch, is a perpendicular to y^e Tangent.

Example 3^d P. If y^e line ab & ac moves uniformly & length of ad remains abp uniformly from ab to ac about y^e center a, the point of their intersection b will describe y^e Quadratrix Arc. Draw bc & abp & pf. & ef & am. ~~Let y^e line abc be from y^e point a to b to c~~ ~~the circumference uniformly~~ Let y^e radius of y^e circle bnd be ab. & let dm be measure y^e quantity of the rotation of ab (or is touching y^e line at y^e center) let ef be a tangent to y^e circle bnd. y^e is y^e motion of y^e point b towards c to its motion towards f. as ab. to dbnd therefore since



Announcements, Goals, and Reading

Announcements:

- HW02 due Tuesday Feb 15th, 11:59 pm on Mastering Physics
- **Help Resources: See next page**




Goals for Today:


- Instantaneous velocity $\mathbf{v(t)}$
- Finding position $\mathbf{x(t)}$ from velocity vs time $\mathbf{v(t)}$
- Motion w/ constant acceleration \mathbf{a}


Reading (Physics for Scientists and Engineers 4/e by Knight)


- Chapter 2: Kinematics in One Dimension


Help Resources: Now on Moodle


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Professor's Office Hours: Monday 2:20-3:20PM or by appointment
Location: HAS 123

TA Aditya's Office Hours: Monday 9:00-10:00 AM
Location: Zoom (<https://umass-amherst.zoom.us/j/95377658553>)

SI Sam's Review Sessions: Tuesday/Thursday 7:00pm-8:15pm
Location: DuBois 1302

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Physics Help Room

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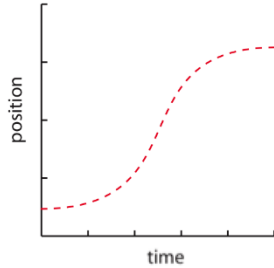
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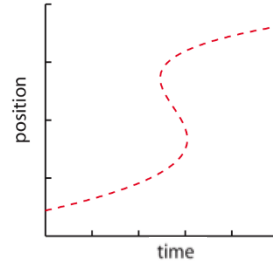
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5pm - 6pm	Sierra Gomez 132 UTA	Isobel Smith 132 UTA		Roshan Trivedi 131
	Ishan Rana 131	Shane Keiser 131		Vivek Chakrabhavi 131
6 pm - 7pm	Sofia Corba 131	Shane Keiser 131	Aditya Kulkarni 131	Vivek Chakrabhavi 131
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Position vs. time plots (not every plot is legitimate!)

Which of these graphs might represent the motion of a real object (e.g. a bike)?

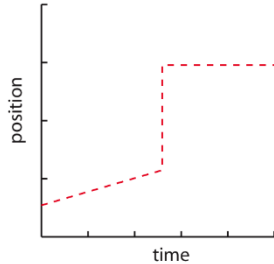


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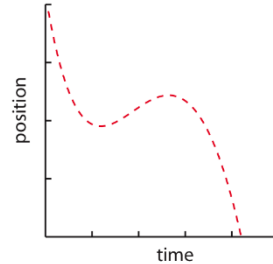
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Goes
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X

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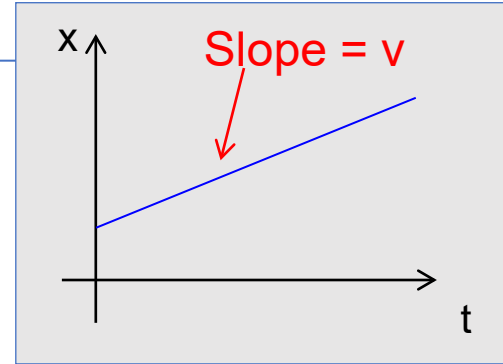


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1D motion non-constant velocity → Instantaneous velocity

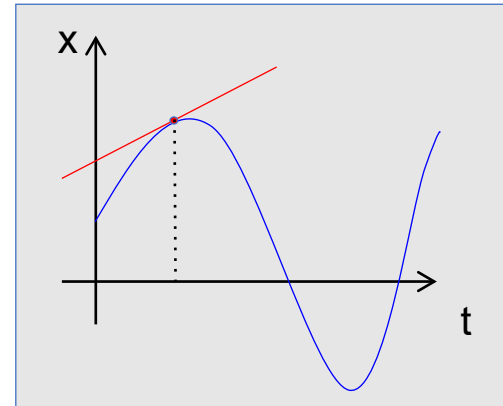
Constant velocity motion

- Straight line motion diagram
- Velocity equals slope of line



More generally

- Velocity changes with time
- **Instantaneous velocity** is slope of line tangent to curve
- Can compute this slope by taking limit of average velocity over shorter and shorter time intervals
- Velocity is the **derivative** of the position curve



1D motion with non-constant velocity

Before “instantaneous velocity” return to...

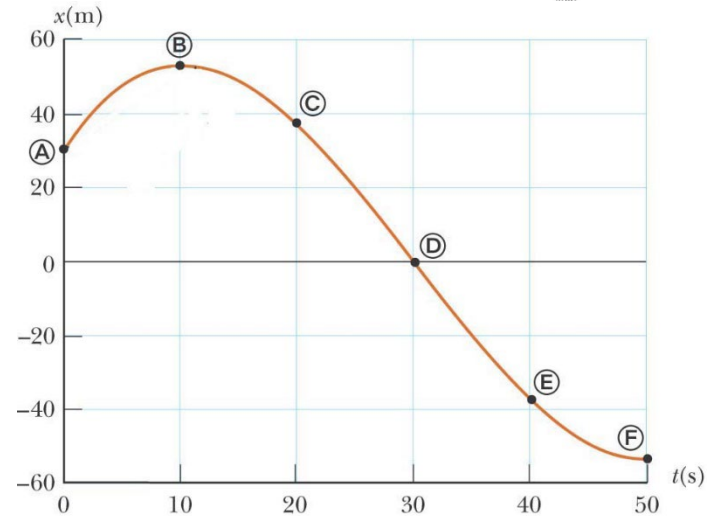
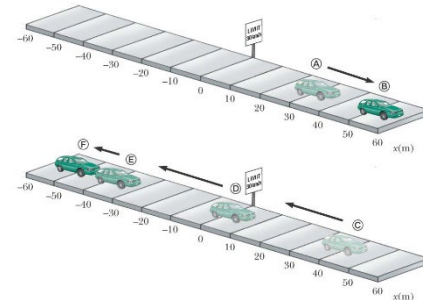
Average velocity vs. Average speed

The relationship becomes more important when you can back up...

Cover more distance, without necessarily getting anywhere

Is the velocity zero anywhere? How can you tell?

Where is the velocity the greatest? How can you tell?

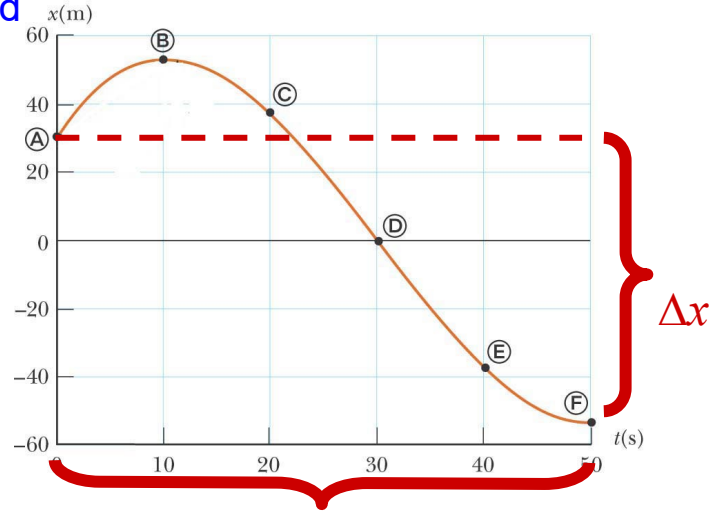


Average Velocity: based on...

Displacement = **Net distance** traveled

Position of the Car at Various Times		
Position	$t(s)$	$x(m)$
(A)	0	30
(B)	10	52
(C)	20	38
(D)	30	0
(E)	40	-37
(F)	50	-53

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$$v_{avg} = \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta t} = \frac{x(t_f) - x(t_i)}{t_f - t_i} = \frac{-53\text{ m} - 30\text{ m}}{50\text{ s} - 0\text{ s}} = -1.7\text{ m/s}$$

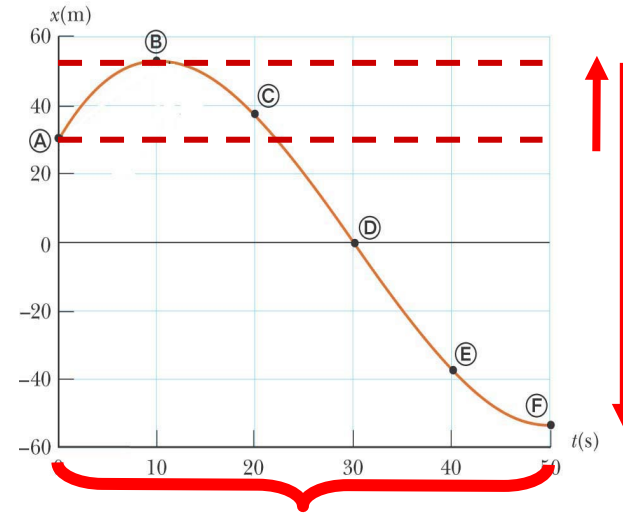
Magnitude is 1.7 m/s; direction is -x

Average Speed:

Based on **total distance** travelled

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$$s_{avg} = \frac{\text{total distance}}{\text{total time}} = \frac{22m + 105m}{50s} = 2.5m/s$$

No direction and no sign associated with speed.
Never negative, or smaller than $|v|$.

Dealing with complex 1D motion without calculus

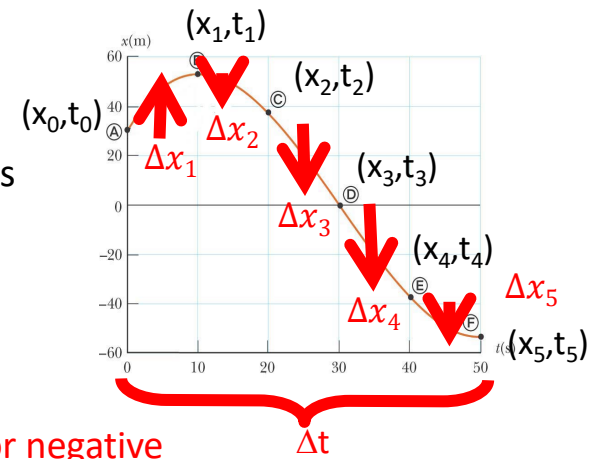
Specify trip with large number N of locations at different times

Object is at positions $x_0, x_1, x_2, \dots, x_N$

at times $t_0, t_1, t_2, \dots, t_N$

Δx_k = Displacement on k th part of trip Can be positive or negative

$\Delta x_k = x_k - x_{k-1}$ $|\Delta x_k|$ = Distance traveled on k th part of trip



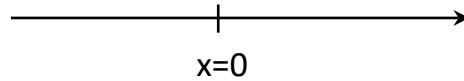
Average speed
$$s_{avg} = \frac{\sum_{k=1}^N |\Delta x_k|}{t_N - t_0}$$

Total distance over total time

Average velocity
$$v_{avg} = \frac{\sum_{k=1}^N \Delta x_k}{t_N - t_0}$$

Total displacement over total time

Example



Jane Austen travels

80 miles east in one hour

70 miles west in $\frac{1}{2}$ hour

50 miles east in $\frac{1}{2}$ hour



$$\begin{array}{ll} t_0 = 0 & x_0 = 0 \\ t_1 = 1 & x_1 = +80 \\ t_2 = 1.5 & x_2 = +10 \\ t_3 = 2.0 & x_3 = +60 \end{array}$$

Remember:

Distance: always positive

Displacement: can be positive or negative

$$s_{avg} = \frac{80 + 70 + 50}{2} = 100 \text{ mph}$$

sum of **distances**
over total time

$$v_{avg} = \frac{80 - 70 + 50}{2} = 30 \text{ mph}$$

sum of
displacements over
total time

Instantaneous Velocity

- What if we want to precisely know the velocity at some point in time, not the average over a finite time interval?
- Compute the *instantaneous velocity* $\mathbf{v(t)}$ at time t by taking the limit of average velocity over shorter and shorter time intervals
- Instantaneous velocity is slope of tangent line to curve
- Equals **first derivative** of curve- its rate of change vs t .

Compute v_{avg} from t_0 to t_0+T

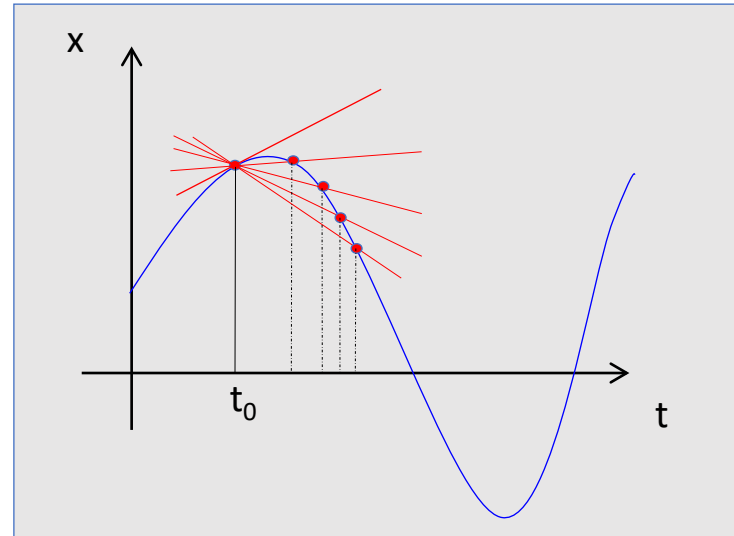
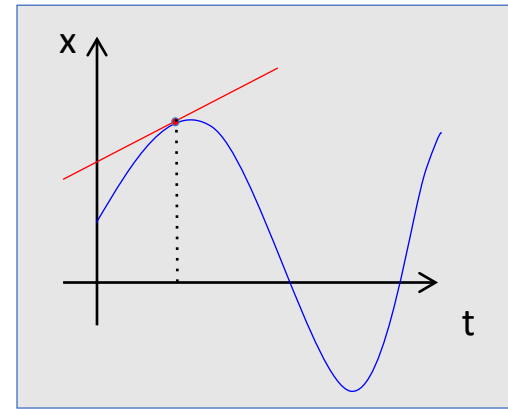
Take limit as T goes to 0

$$v(t_0) = \lim_{T \rightarrow 0} \frac{x(t_0 + T) - x(t_0)}{T}$$

Graph ➡ Gives slope of tangent to curve at t_0 ✓

Calculus ➡ This is definition of derivative of curve at t_0 ✓

$$v(t_0) = \left. \frac{dx}{dt} \right|_{t_0}$$



A note on Calculus in this course

- Math 131 (Calculus I) is a co-requisite for this course.
 - However, we will be using some concepts in 151 before they are introduced in 131.
- I will teach a few basics on how to work with derivatives and integrals without going deeply into the details.
 - Think of these as “Tools” or “Special Moves” you can use to solve Physics problems.
 - Some problems will appear on the exam that require you to use these tools. I will keep their number, and their complexity, limited.
- Please make use of office hours and tutoring resources if you need help with this material.



Calculus 'Special Move' #1: The Derivative

The derivative of a polynomial function

$f(x) = cx^n$ is given by...

$$\frac{d}{dx}f(x) = \frac{d}{dx}(cx^n) = ncx^{n-1}$$

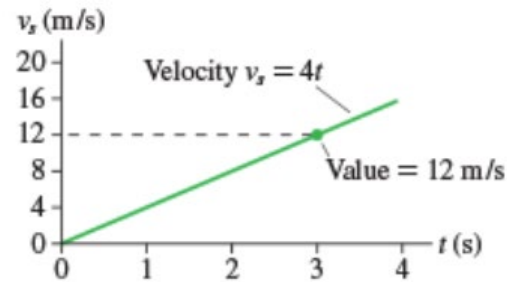
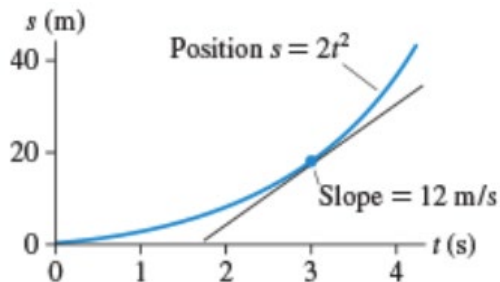
Example: Suppose we have a position $s=2t^2$.

What is the velocity $v_s=ds/dt$?

Per above,

$$\frac{d}{dt}(2t^2) = 4t$$

This works for any polynomial function.
Why is this the answer? You'll find out in Math 131.
As far as we're concerned...
"It just works!"



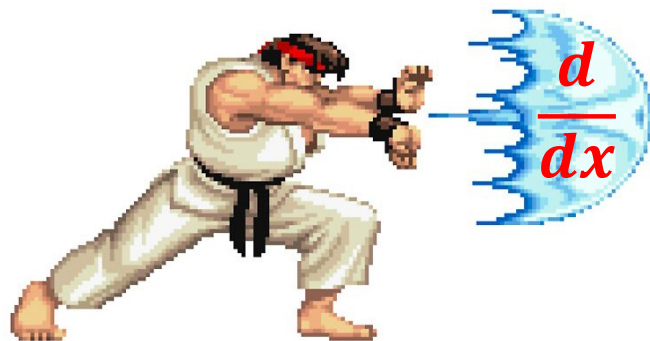
Some Rules for Using Derivatives

Derivative of a constant function c is 0.

$$\frac{d}{dx} c = \frac{d}{dx} (cx^0) = 0$$

Derivative of a sum is the sum of derivatives.

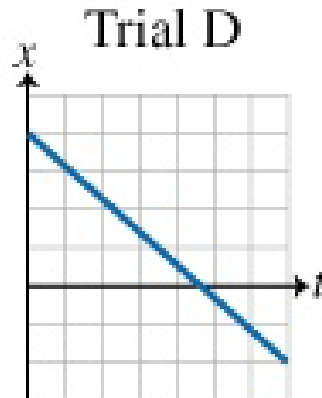
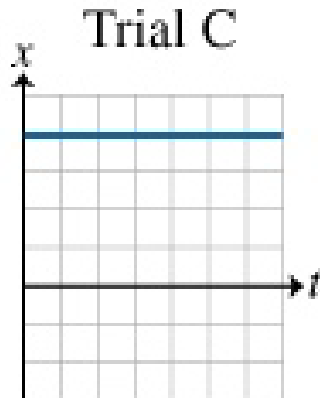
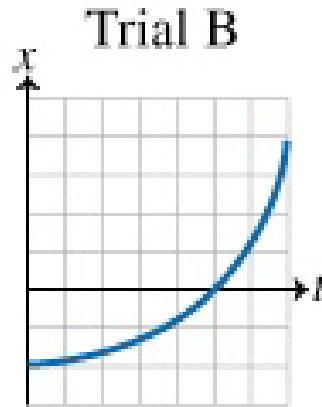
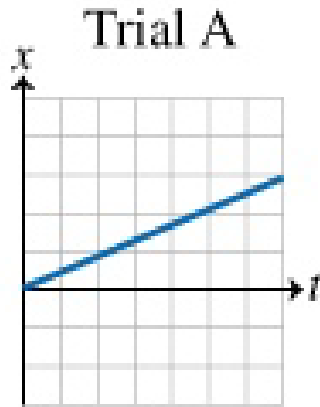
$$\frac{d}{dx} (f(x) + g(x)) = \frac{df}{dx} + \frac{dg}{dx}$$



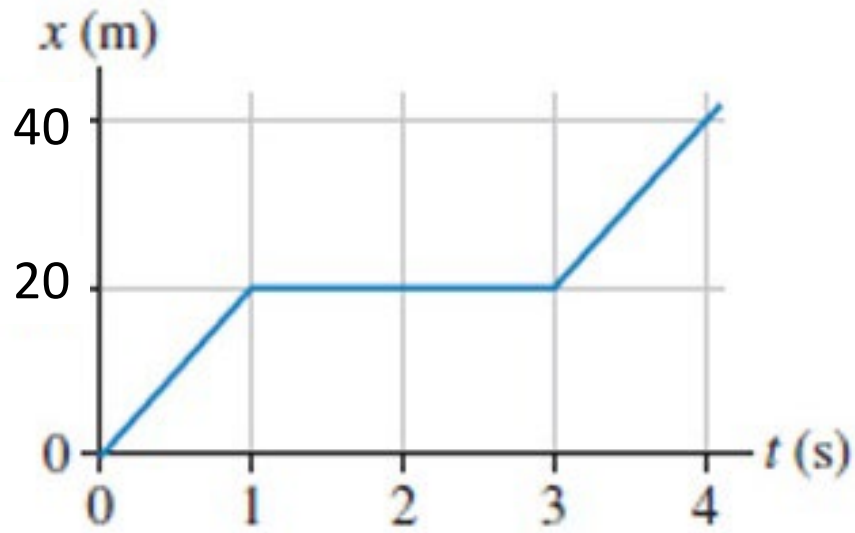
Example: What is the derivative of $x(t)=t^2+4t+16$?

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dx}{dt} &= \frac{d}{dt} (t^2) + \frac{d}{dt} (4t) + \frac{d}{dt} (16) \\ &= 2t + 4 \end{aligned}$$

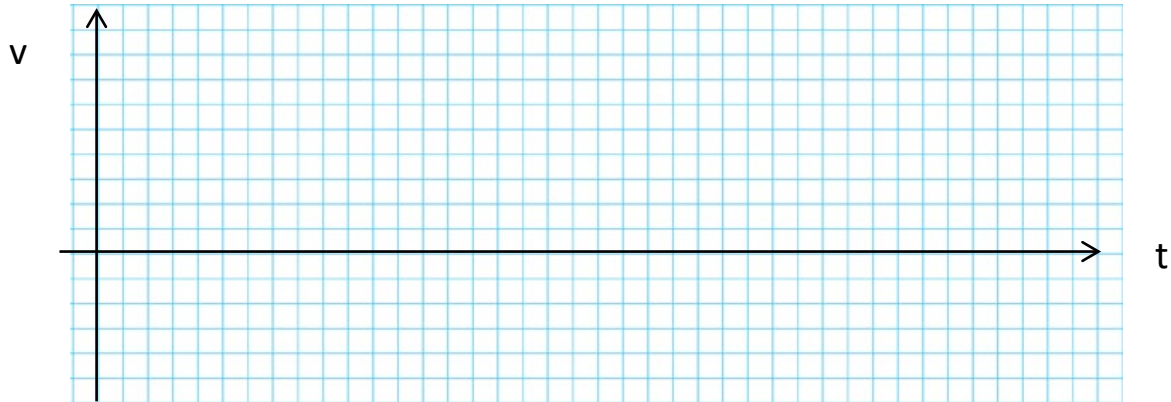
Position versus time



- 1) Which plots show constant velocity motion?
- 2) How do you tell?
- 3) How would you compute average velocity?
- 4) Which plot shows the largest magnitude of average velocity?

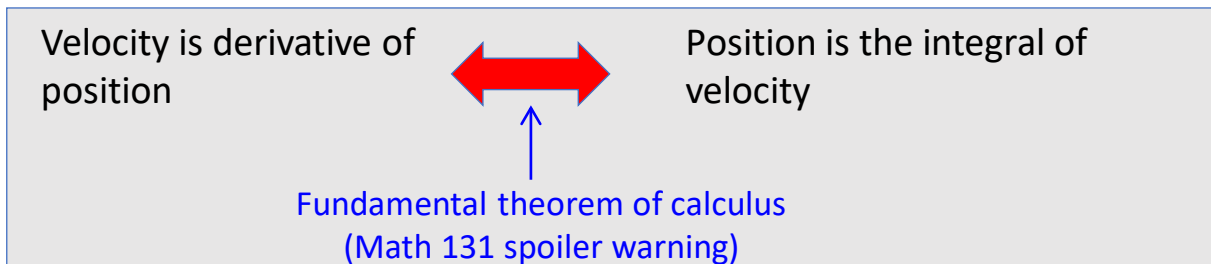


Make plot of velocity vs time



Finding Position from Velocity

We can find velocity from $x(t)$ by taking a derivative. Can we infer $x(t)$ from $v(t)$?
The answer is yes, but we will again need to use calculus.



In equations...

$$v(t) = \frac{dx}{dt} \quad \text{↔} \quad x(t) = x_0 + \int_0^t v(t') dt'$$

What does this mean?



Displacement (change in position) is area under velocity curve

Finding Position from Velocity

$$v(t) = \frac{dx}{dt} \longleftrightarrow x(t) = x_0 + \int_0^t v(t') dt'$$

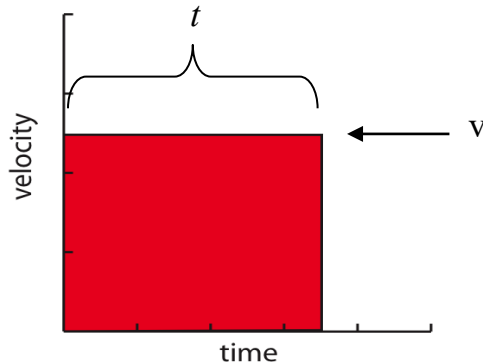
Easy to see for
constant velocity



Velocity curve is
horizontal line

"Area" under velocity
curve between 0 and t

Area under curve is simply
(height)(length) = $v t$



$$x(t) = x_0 + \int_0^t v(t') dt' = x_0 + vt$$

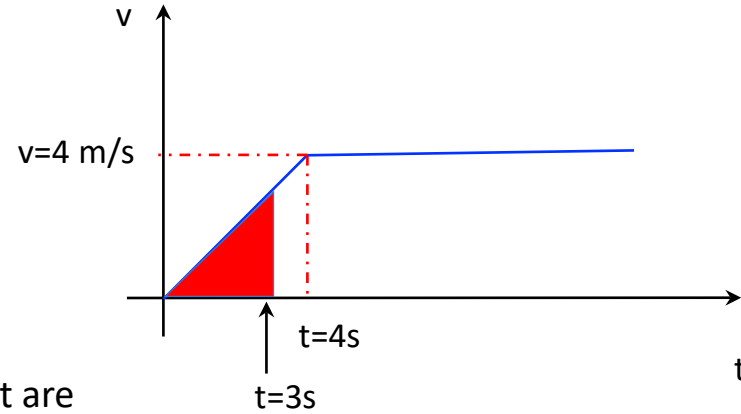
What are the units of "height"? What are the units of "length"? What are the units of the product call here "area"?

Example

Start with graph of velocity vs time

Object accelerates from rest to velocity 4 m/s in 4 s, then moves with constant velocity

Assuming object starts at $x=0$, what are positions at $t=3s$ and $t=7s$?



Change in position is area under velocity graph

$t = 3s$ \Rightarrow area of triangle = $\frac{1}{2}$ (base)(height)

slope 1 \Rightarrow height = base = 3

$$x(3s) = \frac{1}{2} \times (3s) \times (3 \text{ m/s}) = 4.5 \text{ m}$$

If you are not familiar or comfortable yet with integrals

$$\int_0^t v(t) dt = \int_0^t at dt = \frac{at^2}{2}$$


Example

Start with graph of velocity vs time

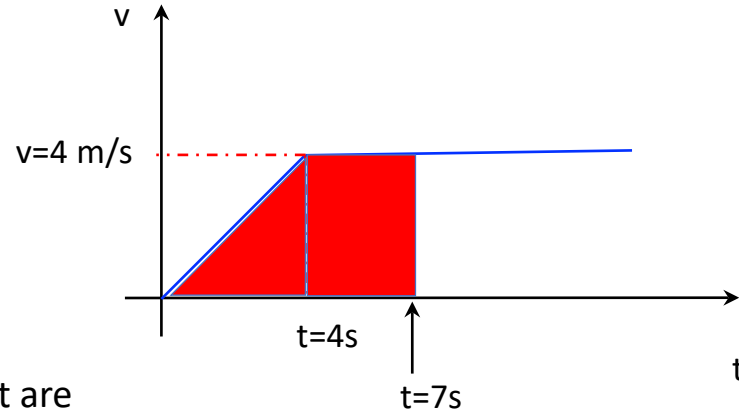
Object accelerates from rest to velocity 4 m/s, then moves with constant velocity

Assuming object starts at $x=0$, what are positions at $t=3s$ and $t=7s$?

Change in position is area under velocity graph

$t = 7s$  area of triangle + area of rectangle

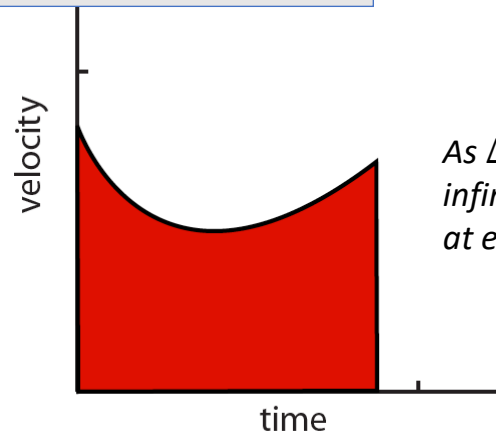
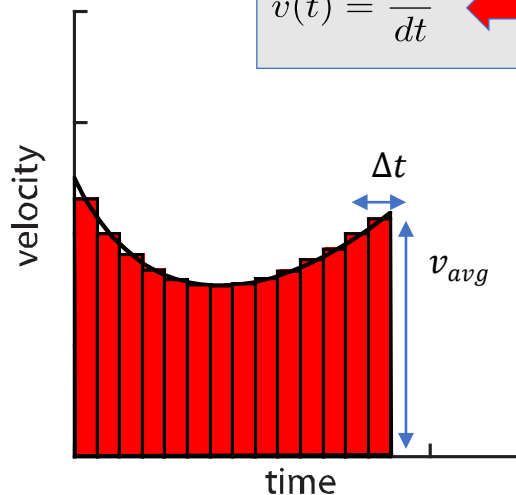
$$x(7s) = \underbrace{(1/2) \times (4s) \times (4 \text{ m/s})}_{\text{triangle}} + \underbrace{3(s) \times (4 \text{ m/s})}_{\text{rectangle}} = 8 + 12 = 20 \text{ m}$$



What if I want to find the area of a curve that doesn't have simple geometry?

More generally...

$$v(t) = \frac{dx}{dt} \longleftrightarrow x(t) = x_0 + \int_0^t v(t') dt'$$



As $\Delta t \rightarrow 0$, Δt becomes the infinitesimally small “ dt ” at each point in $v(t)$

- Integral (area under curve) is approximated by adding up area of rectangles
- Each rectangle acts like constant velocity motion over short time interval
- Exact integral is sum of infinite number of rectangles in limit $\Delta t \rightarrow 0$

$$\Delta x = v_{avg} \cdot \Delta t$$

Height of rectangle

Width of rectangle

That's nice, but how do we **compute** this sum?

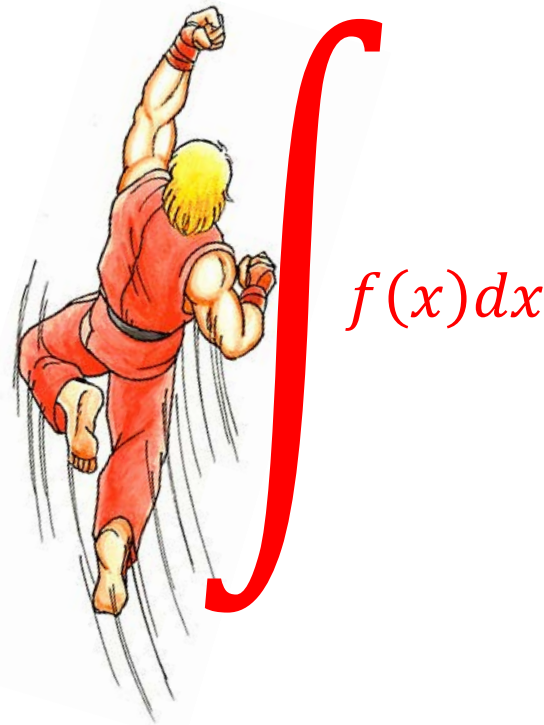
Calculus 'Special Move' #2: The Integral

The integral of a polynomial function

$f(x) = cx^n$ is given by...

$$\int_{x_i}^{x_f} f(x) dx = \int_{x_i}^{x_f} cx^n dx = \frac{cx^{n+1}}{n+1} \Big|_{x_i}^{x_f}$$
$$= \frac{cx_f^{n+1}}{n+1} - \frac{cx_i^{n+1}}{n+1}$$

(For $n \neq -1$)



Example: Suppose we have a velocity $v(t)=2t^2$.

Starting at $t=0$, what is the displacement Δx traveled in 3 seconds?

$$\Delta x = \int_0^3 f(t) dt = \int_0^3 2t^2 dt = \frac{2t^3}{3} \Big|_0^3 = \frac{2(3)^3}{3} m - 0m = 18m$$


We now know how to relate position and velocity using calculus.

$$v(t) = \frac{dx}{dt} \quad \longleftrightarrow \quad x(t) = x_0 + \int_{t_0}^t v(t') dt'$$

...how does **acceleration** fit into this?

Instantaneous Acceleration

Recall...
$$v(t) = \lim_{T \rightarrow 0} \frac{x(t+T) - x(t)}{T}$$

Velocity is rate of change
of position with time 
$$v = \frac{dx}{dt}$$

Acceleration is defined the same way in terms of velocity

$$a(t) = \lim_{T \rightarrow 0} \frac{v(t+T) - v(t)}{T}$$

Acceleration is rate of change
of velocity with time 
$$a = \frac{dv}{dt} \quad \left(= \frac{d^2x}{dt^2}\right)$$

Acceleration gives **slope of tangent to $v(t)$ curve** at time t

i.e. acceleration is the **derivative** of velocity (which is, in turn the **derivative** of position)

In other words, acceleration is the **second derivative** of position.

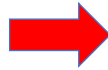
More practice with Instantaneous velocity and acceleration:

You won't usually use limits to calculate derivatives outside of math class

Use known results for derivatives of functions:



"Calculus Special Move #1"



$$\frac{d}{dt}t^n = nt^{n-1}$$



$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d}{dt}t^0 &= 0 \\ \frac{d}{dt}t^1 &= 1 \\ \frac{d}{dt}t^2 &= 2t\end{aligned}$$

$$x(t) = x_0 + v_0t \quad \rightarrow \quad v = \frac{dx}{dt} = v_0$$

Constant velocity
motion

$$x(t) = x_0 + v_0t + \frac{1}{2}at^2 \quad \rightarrow \quad v = \frac{dx}{dt} = v_0 + at$$

$$a(t) = \frac{dv}{dt} = a$$



Motion with constant
acceleration

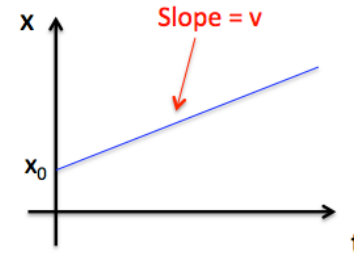
Acceleration

Recall...

Constant
velocity

→ $x = x_0 + vt$ →

Position at $t=0$

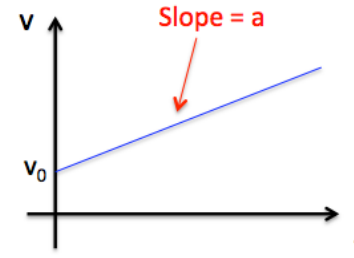


Similarly...

Constant
acceleration

→ $v = v_0 + at$ →

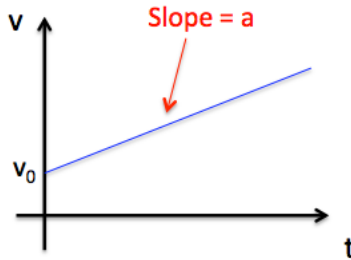
Velocity at $t=0$



Check...

$$a = \frac{dv}{dt} = \frac{d}{dt}(v_0 + at) = a \quad \checkmark$$

Constant acceleration basics...



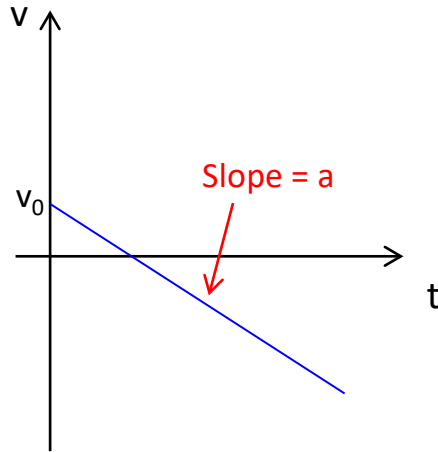
$$v = v_0 + at$$

$$a = \frac{dv}{dt} = \frac{d}{dt}(v_0 + at) = a$$

Slope **a** positive



Velocity v
increasing with
time



Slope **a** negative



Velocity
decreasing with
time

- When $v > 0$, it is slowing down.
- When $v < 0$, it is actually speeding up, but in the opposite direction

Motion with constant acceleration

$$x(t) = x_0 + v_0 t + \frac{1}{2} a t^2 \quad \rightarrow \quad v = \frac{dx}{dt} = v_0 + at$$

Example

Object starts at position $x_0 = 3$ m, moving with initial velocity $v_0 = -20$ m/s and accelerates at $a = 8$ m/s²

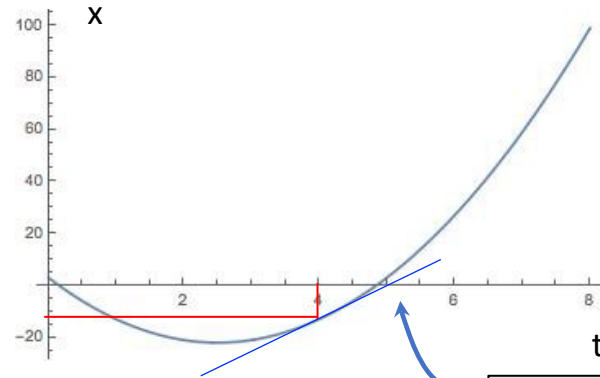
What are its position and velocity at $t = 4$ s?

$$x(t) = 3 - 20t + 4t^2$$

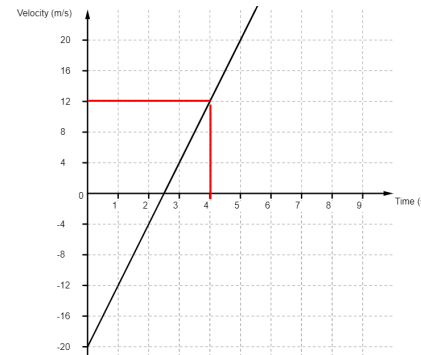
$$x(4) = 3 - 20 \cdot 4 + 4 \cdot 4^2 = -13 \text{ m}$$

$$v(t) = -20 + 8t$$

$$v(4) = -20 + 8 \cdot 4 = 12 \text{ m/s}$$



slope of tangent
line is
instantaneous
velocity at $t=4$ s



Summary

Position $x(t)$	Velocity $v(t)$	Acceleration $a(t)$	Description
$x(t) = x_0$	$v(t) = 0$	$a(t) = 0$	Constant position
$x(t) = x_0 + v_0 t$	$v(t) = v_0$	$a(t) = 0$	Constant velocity
$x(t) = x_0 + v_0 t + (1/2) a_0 t^2$	$v(t) = v_0 + a_0 t$	$a(t) = a_0$	Constant acceleration

$a(t) = \frac{dv}{dt} \longleftrightarrow v(t) = v_0 + \int_{t_0}^t a(t') dt'$

$v(t) = \frac{dx}{dt} \longleftrightarrow x(t) = x_0 + \int_{t_0}^t v(t') dt'$

$v(t) = v_0 + a(t - t_0)$

$x(t) = x_0 + v_0(t - t_0) + a(t - t_0)^2 / 2$