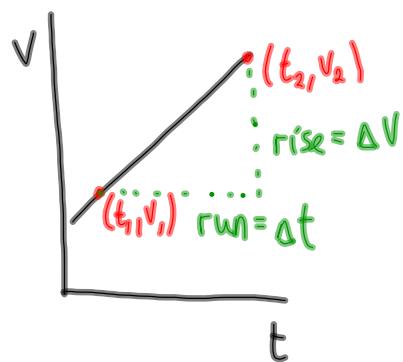


## Acceleration & Velocity-Time Graphs

### Constant Acceleration



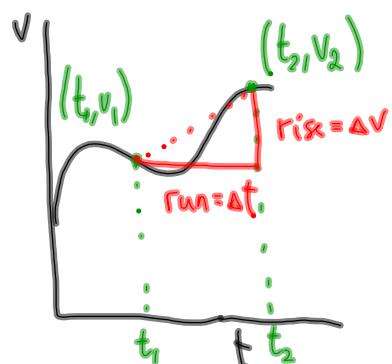
$$\text{Slope} = \frac{\text{rise}}{\text{run}}$$

$$\text{Slope} = \frac{\Delta v}{\Delta t}$$

Also: slope = acceleration  
(see Logger Pro graph)

$$\therefore \vec{a} = \frac{\vec{\Delta v}}{\Delta t}$$

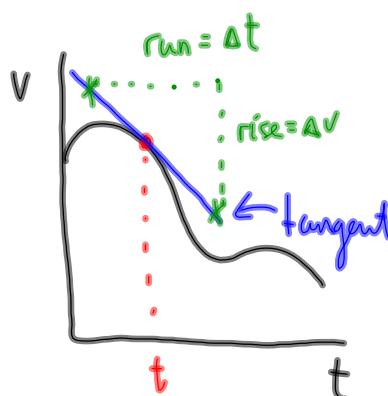
### Non-constant Acceleration



$$\text{Slope} = \frac{\Delta v}{\Delta t}$$

$$\vec{a}_{\text{ave}} = \frac{\vec{\Delta v}}{\Delta t}$$

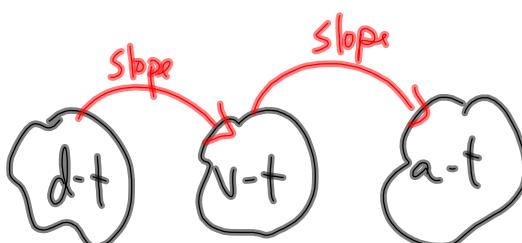
Average Acceleration is the slope of the line joining two points on  $v-t$  graph



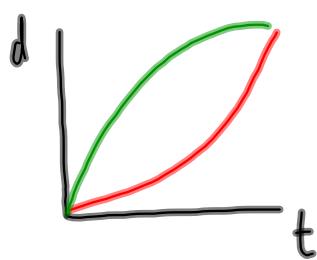
$$\text{Slope} = \frac{\Delta v}{\Delta t}$$

$$\vec{a}_{\text{inst}} = \frac{\vec{\Delta v}}{\Delta t}$$

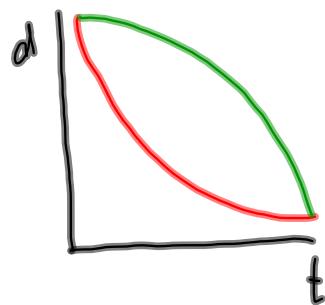
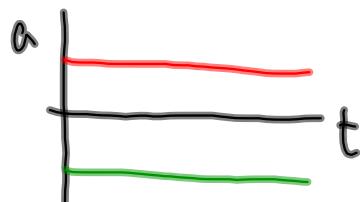
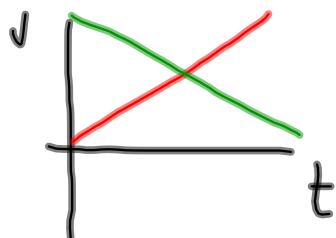
Instantaneous Acceleration is the slope of the tangent drawn at  $t$  on a  $v-t$  graph



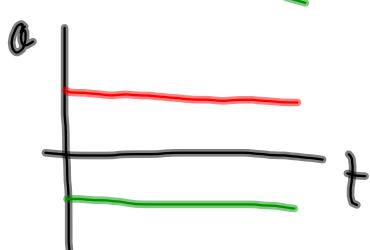
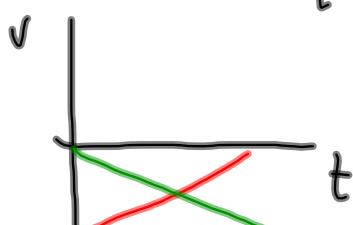
## Kinematics Graphs



- speeding up steadily going away  $\oplus$   $+ \text{acc}$
- slowing down steadily going away  $\ominus$   $- \text{acc}$



- steadily slowing down going towards  $\ominus$   $+ \text{acc}$
- steadily speeding up going towards  $\oplus$   $- \text{acc}$



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$$\vec{V}_1 = 0 \text{ m/s} \text{ (implied)}$$

$$\vec{V}_2 = ?$$

$$\vec{a} = 5,2 \text{ m/s}^2 \text{ [downhill]}$$

$$\Delta t = 8,5 \text{ s}$$

$$\vec{a} = \frac{\vec{v}_2 - \vec{v}_1}{\Delta t}$$

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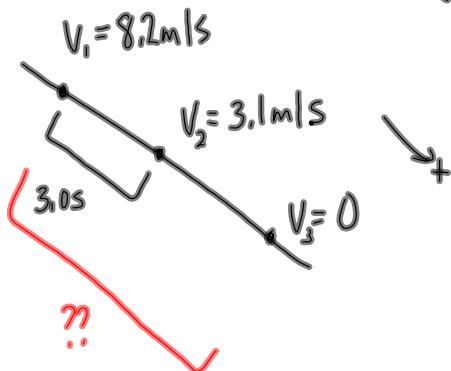
$$\vec{a} \Delta t = \vec{v}_2 - \vec{v}_1$$

$$\boxed{\vec{v}_2 = \vec{v}_1 + \vec{a} \Delta t}$$

$$\vec{v}_2 = 0 \text{ m/s} + \left( 5,2 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}^2} \text{ [downhill]} \right) (8,5 \text{ s})$$

$$\vec{v}_2 = 44,2 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} \text{ [downhill]}$$

$$\boxed{\vec{v}_2 = 44 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} \text{ [downhill]}}$$

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Find the acceleration:

$$\vec{a} = \frac{\Delta \vec{v}}{\Delta t} \quad (\text{downhill is } \oplus)$$

$$a = \frac{V_2 - V_1}{\Delta t}$$

$$a = \frac{3.1 \text{ m/s} - 8.2 \text{ m/s}}{3.0 \text{ s}}$$

$$a = \frac{-5.1 \text{ m/s}}{3.0 \text{ s}}$$

$$a = -1.7 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$\vec{a} = -1.7 \text{ m/s}^2 \text{ [downhill]}$$

$$\vec{a} = \frac{\Delta \vec{v}}{\Delta t}$$

$$a = \frac{V_2 - V_1}{\Delta t}$$

$$a \Delta t = V_2 - V_1$$

$$\Delta t = \frac{V_2 - V_1}{a}$$

$$\Delta t = \frac{0 - 8.2 \text{ m/s}}{-1.7 \text{ m/s}^2}$$

$$\boxed{\Delta t = 4.8 \text{ s}}$$

$$\frac{\text{m/s}}{\text{m/s}^2} = \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} \div \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}^2}$$

$$= \frac{\cancel{\text{m}}}{\cancel{\text{s}}} \cdot \frac{\cancel{\text{s}}^2}{\cancel{\text{m}}} \\ = \text{s}$$

To Do

① p73 | 24 + 25 (do not calc vave for #25)

② pp|80

③ Chapter 2 and Chapter 3 (up to p80) - READ

④ Calculator Pad Questions.