

**Physics Learning Targets Ch. 9 - Velocity**

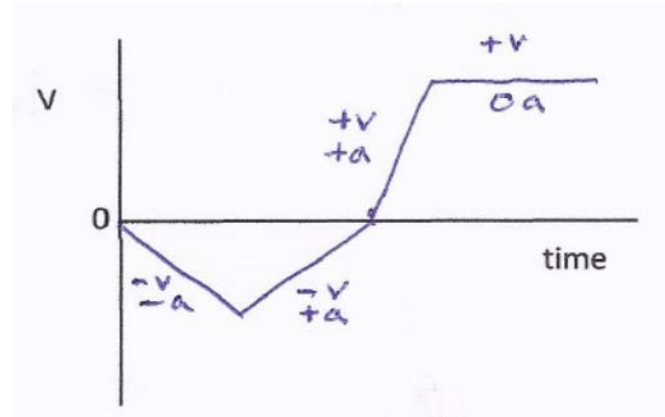
Learning Target	My Understanding...			
	Just beginning	Minimal (I've got work to do)	Almost there	I've got it!
<i>I can explain the relationship between velocity, time interval and acceleration.</i>				
1. I can explain acceleration and give examples of positive, negative and zero acceleration and I understand velocity-time graphs.				
2. I can calculate change in velocity, initial velocity, final velocity, time interval or acceleration using the formula $a = \Delta v / \Delta t$				

**Vocabulary**

<b>Acceleration</b>	<b>Change in velocity</b>
<b>Positive acceleration</b>	<b>Negative acceleration</b>
<b>deceleration</b>	<b>Zero acceleration</b>

**Answers for Pretest – Don't peek!**

1.  $+1.5 \text{ m/s}^2$
2.  $-12.5 \text{ m/s}^2$
- 3.
4.  $5 \text{ m/s [N]}$  object speeds up while moving north
5.  $+6 \text{ m/s}$  object slows down while moving in positive direction
6.  $-14 \text{ m/s}$  object speeds up going west
7.  $0 \text{ m/s}$  object slows down while moving south and comes to a stop
8.  $0 \text{ m/s}$  object maintains a constant velocity while moving east
9.  $+320 \text{ m/s}^2$
10.  $4 \text{ s}$
11.  $64 \text{ m/s [E]}$
12.  $+5.4 \text{ m/s}$  or  $5.4 \text{ m/s [up]}$
- 13a.  $+8 \text{ m/s}$  or  $8 \text{ m/s [N]}$
- b.  $+2.7 \text{ m/s}^2$  or  $2.7 \text{ m/s}^2 \text{ [N]}$
- c.  $v = +8 \text{ m/s}$  or  $8 \text{ m/s [N]}$   $a = 0 \text{ m/s}$
- d.  $-8 \text{ m/s}$  or  $8 \text{ m/s [S]}$
- e.  $-4 \text{ m/s}^2$  or  $4 \text{ m/s}^2 \text{ [S]}$
- f.  $-4 \text{ m/s}^2$  or  $4 \text{ m/s}^2 \text{ [S]}$



g. object at rest begins to speed up while moving north for 3 s. At 3 s the object stops accelerating and maintains a constant speed of  $8 \text{ m/s [N]}$ . At 5 s the object begins to slow down while moving north and then stops at 7 s. The object then moves south for 2 s.

14. a) speeding up b) slowing down c) slowing down d) speeding up