

# Constant Velocity Particle (CVP) Unit Objectives

What you should know and be able to do by the end of the unit.

1. You should be able to determine the **average velocity** of an object in two ways:
  - a. determining the **slope** of an **x vs. t** graph.
  - b. using the equation  $v = \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta t}$
2. You should be able to determine the **displacement** of an object in two ways:
  - a. finding the area under a **v vs. t** graph.
  - b. using the equation  $\Delta x = vt$
3. Given an **x vs. t** graph, you should be able to:
  - a. describe the motion of the object (starting position, velocity)
  - b. draw the corresponding **v vs. t** graph
  - c. draw a motion map for the object.
  - d. determine the velocity of the object.
  - e. write the mathematical model (equation) that describes the motion.
4. Given a **v vs. t** graph, you should be able to:
  - a. describe the motion of the object (direction of motion, how fast)
  - b. draw the corresponding **x vs. t** graph
  - c. determine the displacement of the object (area under curve).
  - d. draw a motion map for the object.
  - e. write a mathematical model (equation) that describes the motion.
5. Given a **motion map**, you should be able to:
  - a. describe the motion of the object (starting position, velocity)
  - b. draw the corresponding **x vs. t** graph.
  - c. draw the corresponding **v vs. t** graph .
  - d. determine the displacement of the object.
  - e. determine the average velocity of the object.
  - f. write a mathematical model to describe the motion.

## Additional Study Hints:

Look over all your worksheets, questions of the day, and quizzes.  
Make an **x vs. t** graph and see if you can draw the **v vs. t** graph.  
Form a study group and review together and quiz each other.