## Particle Motion (along *x*-axis or *y*-axis)

When you read	Think	See
Initially		Position vs. Time  Velocity vs. Time  X  V  t  t  t
Particle is at rest  OR  Particle is not moving		Position vs. Time  Velocity vs. Time  X  V  T
Particle is moving right (forward)		Position vs. Time  Velocity vs. Time  X  V  t  t  t
Particle is moving left (backward)		Position vs. Time  Velocity vs. Time  X  V

When you read	Think	See
Particle changes direction		Position vs. Time  t  X  V  t  t  t  t  t  t  t  t  t  t  t  t
Velocity at $t = a$		
Average Velocity on [a, b]		Position vs. Time  X  I
Velocity is increasing		Velocity vs. Time  Acceleration vs. Time  V  Acceleration vs. Time  t  t  t
Velocity is decreasing		Velocity vs. Time  Acceleration vs. Time  The state of th

When you read	Think	See
Acceleration at $t = c$		
Average acceleration on $[c, d]$		Velocity vs. Time  V  t
Speed		Velocity vs. Time  V   v   t  t
Speed is increasing (particle is speeding up)		Velocity vs. Time  Acceleration vs. Time  V  a  t  t  t  t  t  t  t  t  t  t  t  t
Speed is decreasing (particle is slowing down)		Velocity vs. Time  Acceleration vs. Time  V  a  t  t  t  t  t  t  t  t  t  t  t  t