

• **Step 1**: Fasten the paper towel to the floor. It should be as flat as possible-no hills or ripples



• Step 2: Aim the car so that it will run the length of your paper towel. Turn it on and give it a few trial runs to check the alignment.

• Step 3: Practice using the stopwatch. For this experiment, the stopwatch operator needs to call out something like, "Go!" at each one-second interval.

Go!

• Step 4: *Practice* the task.



• **Step 5**: Perform the task.



• **Step 6**: Repeat the task. Complete three different trials, marking each trail with a different color.

Go!

• Measure the distance from the start line to the marks for each of your trials. Record your data on the front of your paper.



• Step 7: Calculate the Average distance for each second and record it in the table on the back of your paper

Time Seconds	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Distance cm									

• **Step 8**: Make a plot of Average distance vs. time on the graph paper.

