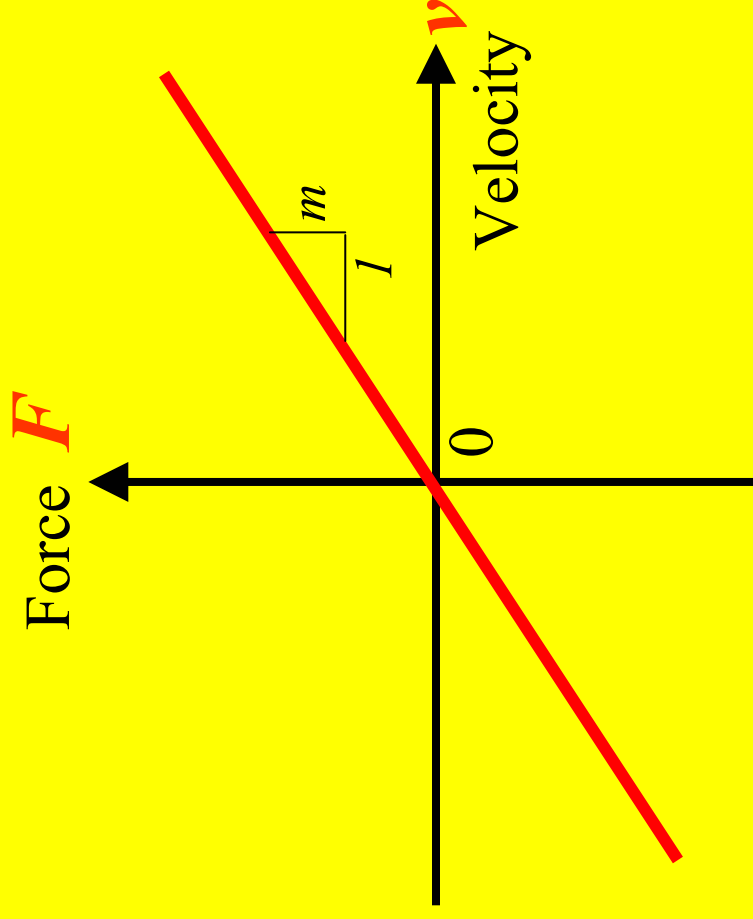


# Aristotle's Law of Motion

Force  $F$  acting on a body is proportional to its velocity  $v$  of motion;

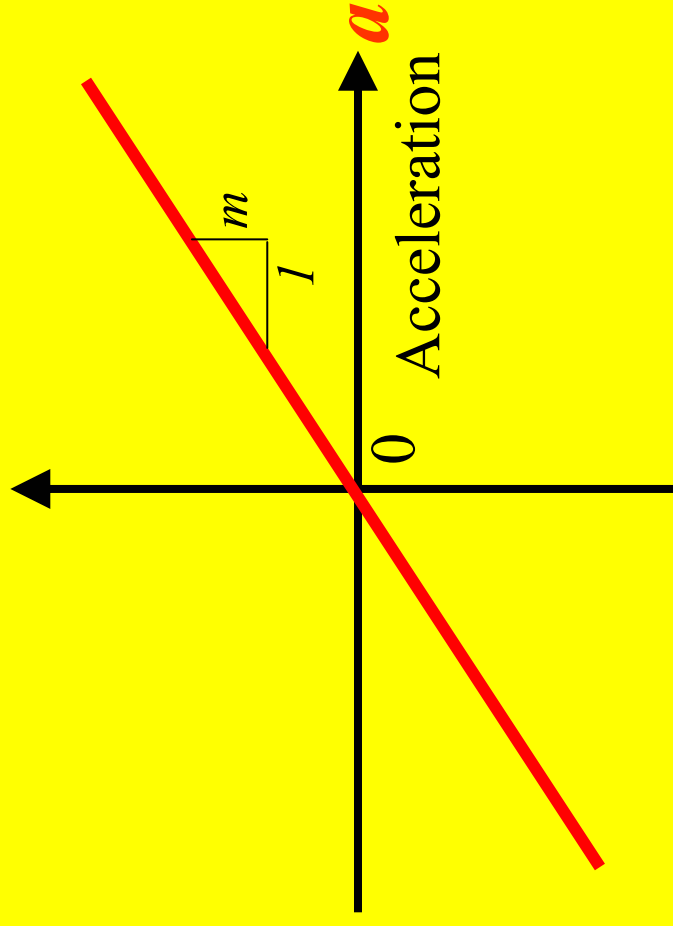
$$F = mv$$



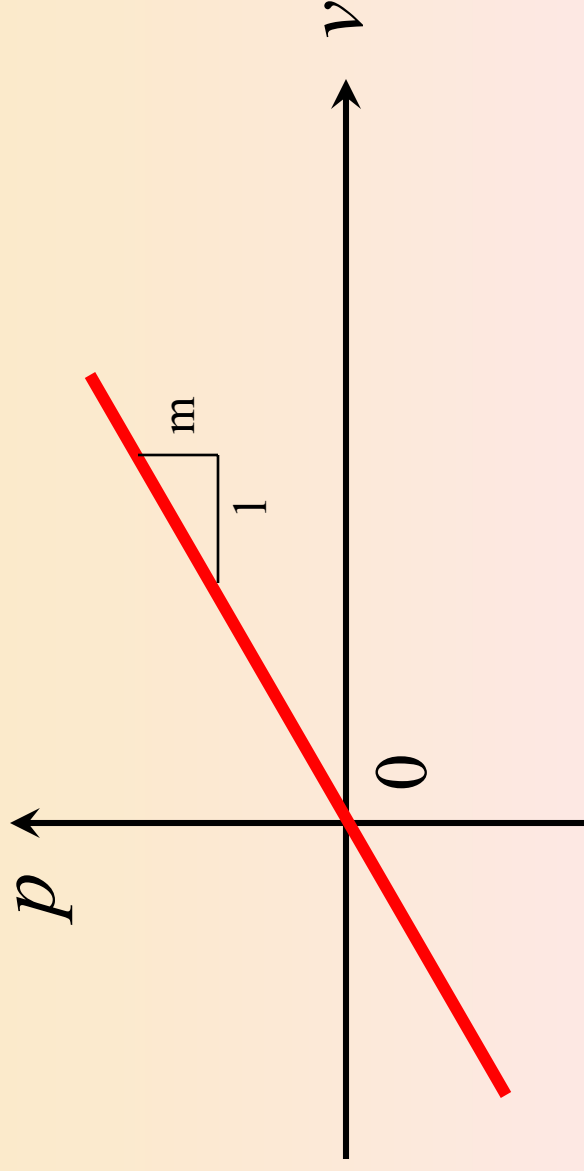
# Newton's Second Law

$$\mathbf{F} = m\mathbf{a}$$

Force  $\mathbf{F}$



# Corrected Newton's Second Law of Motion



$$p = m v$$

$$f = \frac{dp}{dt}$$

where  $p$  = momentum

$v$  = velocity

$f$  = force

# Einstein's Relativistic Law of Motion

$$p = \frac{m_0 v}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}}}$$

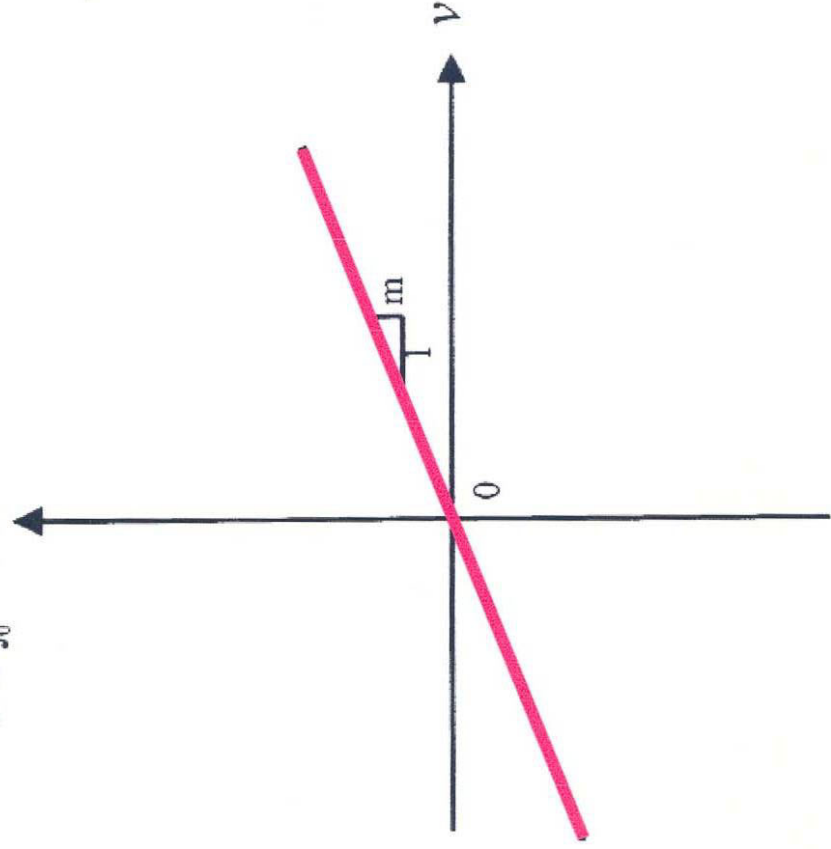
$$f = \frac{dp}{dt}$$

where

$p$  = momentum

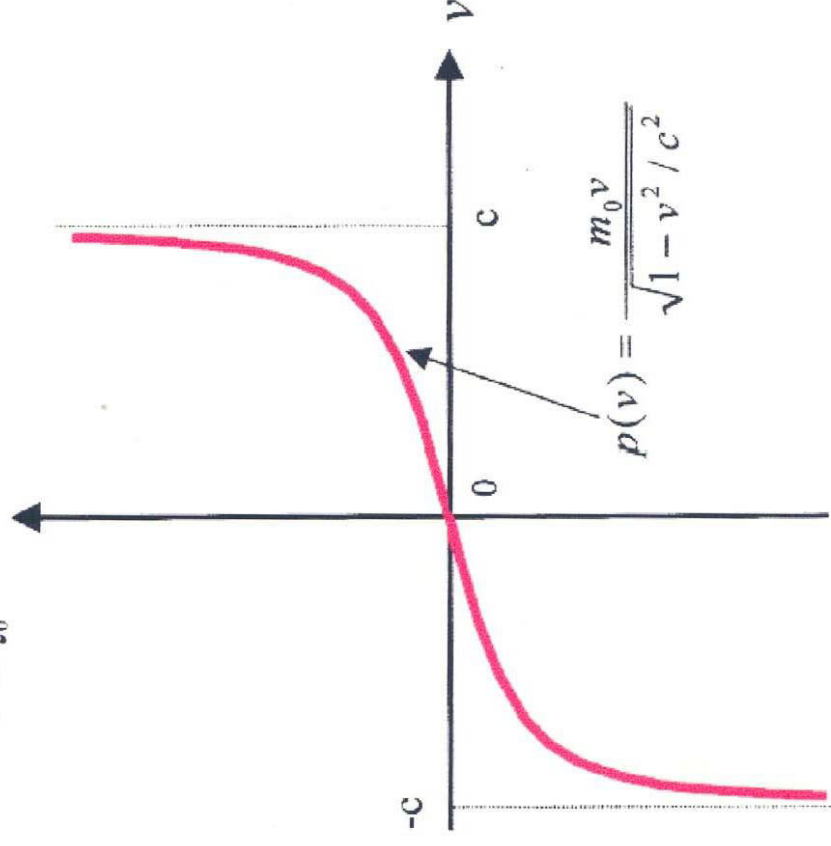
$f$  = force

$$p \triangleq \int_0^t F(\tau) d\tau = F^{(-1)}$$



(a)

$$p \triangleq \int_0^t F(\tau) d\tau = F^{(-1)}$$



(b)

**Aristotle's mechanics** survived for thousands of years until they were displaced by **Newton's**. **Newton's theories of motion** lasted hundreds of years until they were displaced by Einstein's. We've lived with **general relativity** for less than a century.