## More on Speed

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1. The table below shows some Olympic Track records. Calculate the average speed
for each event:

|  | MEN |  | Date | Time | Time <br> $($ seconds $)$ |
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| Event <br> Distance | Record held by: | Average Speed <br> $\left(\mathrm{ms}^{-1}\right)$ |  |  |  |
| 100 metres | Donavan Bailey | $27 / 7 / 96$ | 9.84 seconds |  |  |
| 200 metres | Michael Johnson | $1 / 8 / 96$ | 19.32 seconds |  |  |
| 400 metres | Michael Johnson | $29 / 7 / 96$ | 43.49 seconds |  |  |
| 800 metres | Vebjorn Rodal | $31 / 7 / 96$ | 1 min 42.58 sec |  |  |
| 1500 metres | Noah Ngeny | $29 / 9 / 00$ | 3 min 32.07 sec |  |  |


|  | WOMEN <br> Event <br> Distance |  | Record held by: | Date | Time |
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| 100 metres | Florence Griffith Joyner | $25 / 9 / 88$ | 10.62 seconds | Time <br> $($ seconds $)$ | Average Speed <br> $\left(\mathrm{ms}^{-1}\right)$ |
| 200 metres | Florence Griffith Joyner | $29 / 9 / 88$ | 21.34 seconds |  |  |
| 400 metres | Marie-Jose Perec | $29 / 7 / 96$ | 48.25 seconds |  |  |
| 800 metres | Nadezhda Olizarenko | $27 / 7 / 80$ | 1 min 53.43 sec |  |  |
| 1500 metres | Paula Ivan | $1 / 10 / 88$ | $3 \min 53.96 \mathrm{sec}$ |  |  |

2. Complete the column graph showing the average speeds for MEN and WOMEN in each event. Each column will need to be coloured in using a different colour and a key will need to be indicated.


