

CEPAT – words to do with ‘fast’

* Is there a **fast** train (high-speed railway) between Jakarta and Bandung?

*Apakah ada kereta api **cepat** antara Jakarta dan Bandung?*

* Enzim dapat **mempercepat** reaksi kimia.

*Enzymes can **accelerate** / **speed up** chemical reactions.*

* Reaksi kimia dapat **dipercepat** dengan enzim.

*Chemical reactions can **be accelerated** / **sped up** with enzymes.*

* Mereka melebihi batas **kecepatan** di jalan tol.

*They exceeded the **speed** limit on the tollway.*

Notes

* **cepat** (adj): fast, quick

* **mempercepat** (v) to speed up (something), accelerate (sth.)

* **kecepatan** (n) speed

Practice. Say it in Indonesian. For each word in bold use a CEPAT word. (Be ready to choose between *mempercepat* and *dipercepat* as needed.)

1. S/he promised that development in Papua will **be accelerated**. [with ‘pembangunan’]

Dia berjanji bahwa pembangunan di Papua akan **dipercepat**.

2. I’m looking for **quick** and easy recipes. [with ‘resep’]

Saya mencari resep yang **cepat** dan mudah.

3. The **speed** of those particles approaches the **speed** of light. [with ‘partikel’]

Kecepatan partikel itu mendekati **kecepatan** cahaya.

4. They were asked to **speed up** the payment of subsidies to farmers. [with ‘pembayaran’]

Mereka diminta untuk **mempercepat** pembayaran subsidi kepada petani.

5. My teacher talks too **quickly**.

Guru saya berbicara (dengan) terlalu **cepat**.

6. How long can you run at maximum **speed**? [with ‘maksimal’]

Berapa lama kamu bisa berlari dengan **kecepatan** maksimal?

7. This is the best way to **speed up** the performance of a computer. [with ‘kinerja’]

Ini cara terbaik untuk **mempercepat** kinerja suatu komputer.

8. S/he can type **quickly**.

Dia bisa mengetik (dengan) **cepat**.

9. Which country has the fastest internet **speed** in the world?

Negara mana yang memiliki **kecepatan** internet tercepat di dunia?