



# ORAL COMPREHENSION

## LISTENING

## THE MAGLEV

Level: Intermediate  
Gender: Male  
Accent: US English  
Length: 1:37



A) YOU ARE GOING TO HEAR A PODCAST DESCRIBING A JOURNEY ON THE WORLD'S FASTEST TRAIN, THE MAGLEV. THEN DECIDE IF THE STATEMENTS ARE TRUE OR FALSE.

- 1) They are still testing the Maglev.
- 2) The Maglev levitates above the ground.
- 3) It is a very quiet ride.
- 4) You can see beautiful views most of the way.
- 5) Not many people know about the Maglev.

	TRUE	FALSE
Q1		
Q2		
Q3		
Q4		
Q5		

B) LISTEN AGAIN AND COMPLETE THE FACT FILE WITH NUMBERS.

### FACT FILE

### THE MAGLEV

Year the Maglev will begin working: 6)

Height above the tracks: 7)

Maximum speed during test ride: 8)

Maglev's maximum speed: 9)

Duration of test ride: 10)