

The Primary Stage of Grades (4-5)
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Subject: Science

Unit 7: Effects of Forces

Worksheet 2: Mass and Weight

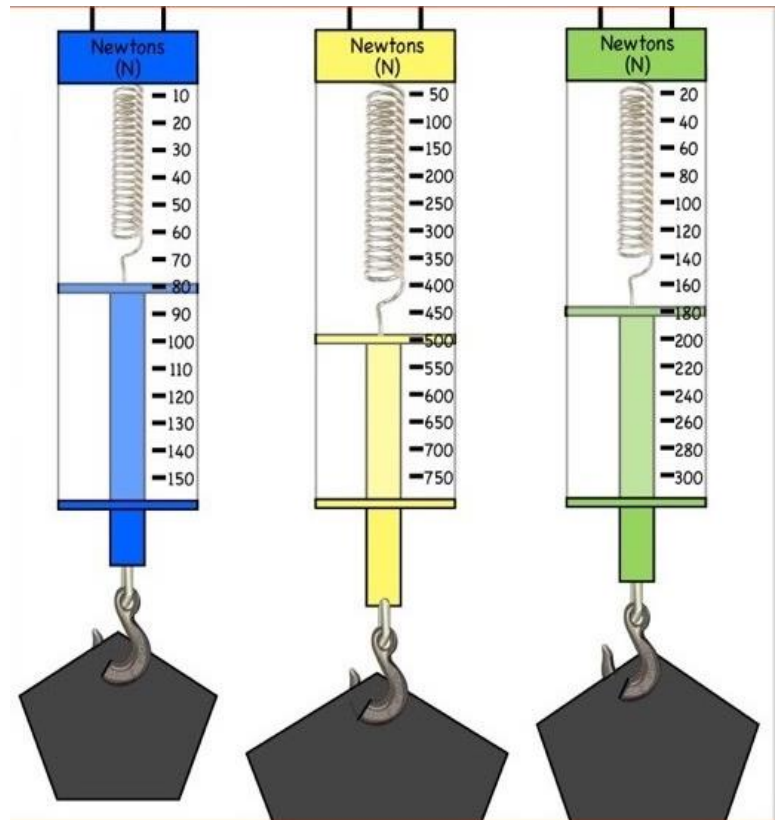
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Objective/s:

- Calculate the weight of different objects on Earth.
- Understand that the mass of an object stays the same on any planet, but weight changes.

Q1: Read the weight shown on each of the following force meters:



80 N

500 N

180 N

Read the weight measurements on each force meter :

Calculate the mass for each object:

$80 \div 10 = 8 \text{ Kg}$

$500 \div 10 = 50 \text{ Kg}$

$180 \div 10 = 18 \text{ Kg}$

Question 2: An astronaut has a mass of 60 Kg.

Answer the following questions regarding the astronaut's mass and weight:

a) What **device** did the astronaut use to measure his **mass**?

.....A Balance/ Scale.....

b) What is the astronaut **weight** on Earth?

...Weight on Earth = Mass \times 10 = 60 \times 10 = 600 N.....

The astronaut travelled to the moon. On the moon, gravity is **weaker** than Earth.

What would be the astronaut **mass on the moon**? 60 Kg

c) Will the astronaut **weight** be more or less on the moon? Less.....

d) What would be the astronaut's **mass on Jupiter**? 60 Kg



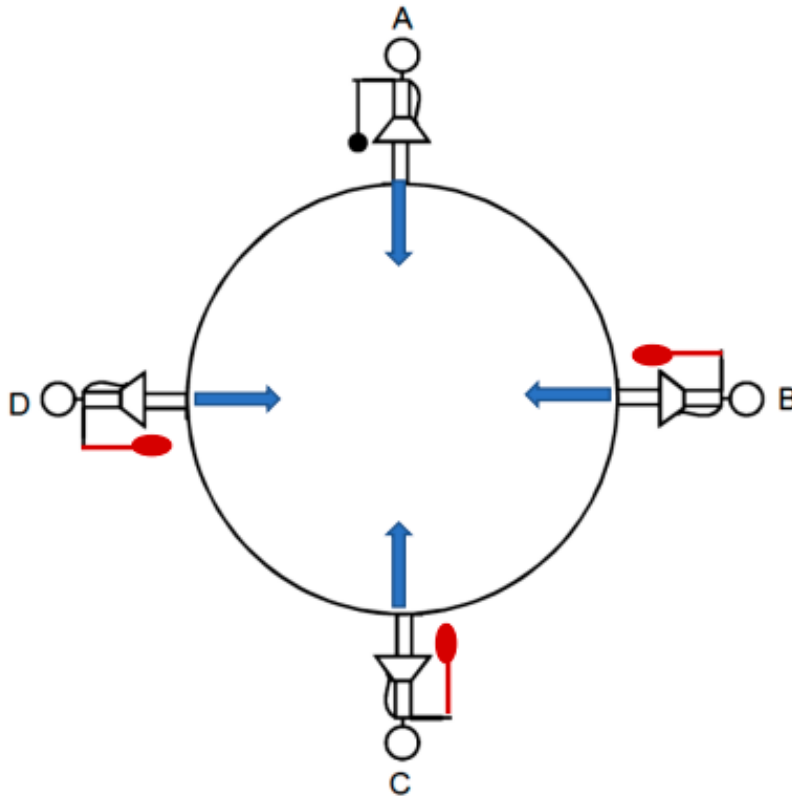
Question 3:

Complete the following table: Knowing that:

- On Earth, each 1 Kg is pulled by a gravitational force of 10 N.
- So: **Weight on Earth = Mass × 10**
- Gravity on the moon is **weaker** than Earth, it equals to 1/6 of gravity on Earth.

Object	Mass on Earth	Weight on Earth	Mass on the moon	Weight on the moon (not included in the exam)	Mass on Jupiter
A bag of flour	3 Kg	$3 \times 10 = 30 \text{ N}$	3 Kg	$= \frac{1}{6} \times 30 = 5 \text{ N}$	3 Kg
A Chair	6 Kg	$6 \times 10 = 60 \text{ N}$	6 Kg	$= \frac{1}{6} \times 60 = 10 \text{ N}$	6 Kg
A Brick	12 Kg	$12 \times 10 = 120 \text{ N}$	12 Kg	$= \frac{1}{6} \times 120 = 20 \text{ N}$	12 Kg
A boy	30 Kg	$30 \times 10 = 300 \text{ N}$	30 Kg	$= \frac{1}{6} \times 300 = 50 \text{ N}$	30 Kg
A car	180 Kg	$180 \times 10 = 1800 \text{ N}$	180 Kg	$= \frac{1}{6} \times 1800 = 300 \text{ N}$	180 Kg

Q4: Lisa drew a picture of herself standing at four different positions on the Earth,



- (a) (i) Draw an arrow at **each** of the four positions to show the direction of the force of gravity on Lisa.
- (ii) The drawing at position A shows Lisa holding a ball on a string. Draw the ball and string in positions B, C and D.

Q5: In some Science fiction stories, there are humans living on Mars. Gravity is weaker on Mars than on Earth.

Tick (✓) True or False for the following statements.

Statement	True	False
The mass of someone would be less on Mars than on Earth.		✗
The weight of someone would be less on Mars than on Earth.	✗	
Mass and weight would be both the same on Mars and Earth.		✗
Mass is measured in Newtons.		✗
Weight is measured in Kilograms.		✗