

CHAPTER

4

# Study Guide

## Forces in One Dimension

### Vocabulary Review

Write the term that correctly completes the statement. Use each term once.

agent	force	Newton's second law
apparent weight	free-body diagram	Newton's third law
contact force	gravitational force	normal force
drag force	inertia	system
equilibrium	interaction pair	tension
external world	net force	terminal velocity
field force	Newton's first law	weightlessness

1. external world Everything surrounding a system that exerts forces on it is the \_\_\_\_\_.
2. gravitational force The attractive force that exists between all objects with mass is the \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Newton's First Law "An object that is at rest will remain at rest, and an object that is moving will continue to move in a straight line with constant speed, if and only if the net force acting on the object is zero." This sentence is a statement of \_\_\_\_\_.
4. force An action exerted on an object that causes a change in motion is a(n) \_\_\_\_\_.
5. field force A force that is exerted without contact is a(n) \_\_\_\_\_.
6. interaction pair Two forces that are in opposite directions and have equal magnitudes are a(n) \_\_\_\_\_.
7. tension A force exerted by any segment of a rope or string on an adjoining segment is \_\_\_\_\_.
8. net force The vector sum of two or more forces acting on an object is the \_\_\_\_\_.
9. equilibrium The net force on an object in \_\_\_\_\_ is zero.
10. drag force A force exerted by a fluid on an object moving through the fluid is a(n) \_\_\_\_\_.
11. Newton's Second Law "The acceleration of a body is directly proportional to the net force on it and inversely proportional to its mass." This sentence is a statement of \_\_\_\_\_.
12. apparent weight The force exerted on a scale by an object and other forces acting upon the object is the \_\_\_\_\_.

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13. contact force A force that acts on an object by touching it is a(n) \_\_\_\_\_.
14. Newton's Third law "The two forces in an interactive pair act on different objects and are equal in magnitude and opposite in direction." This sentence is a statement of \_\_\_\_\_.
15. normal force A perpendicular contact force exerted by a surface on another object is a(n) \_\_\_\_\_.
16. system A defined object or group of objects is a(n) \_\_\_\_\_.
17. inertia The tendency of an object to resist changes in its motion is \_\_\_\_\_.
18. agent The specific, identifiable cause of a force is the \_\_\_\_\_.
19. free body diagram In a(n) \_\_\_\_\_, a dot represents an object and arrows represent each force acting on it, with their tails on the dot and their points indicating the direction of the force.
20. terminal velocity The constant velocity that a falling object reaches when the drag force equals the force of gravity is its \_\_\_\_\_.
21. weightlessness When an object's apparent weight is zero, the object is in a state of \_\_\_\_\_.

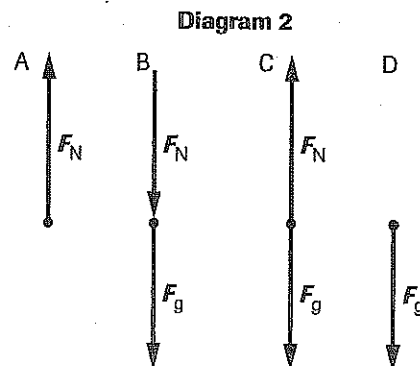
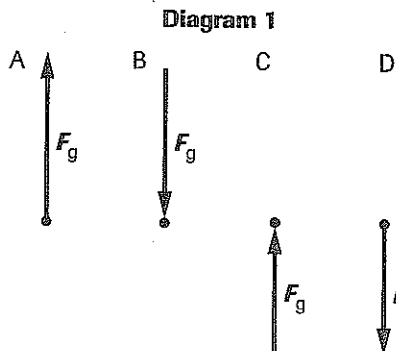
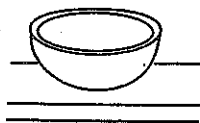
## Section 4.1

## Force and Motion

In your textbook, read about Newton's first and second laws and combining forces on pages 92–95. For each statement below, write true or false.

1. T Newton's second law can be written as the equation  $a = F_{\text{net}}/m$ .
2. F In the ideal case of zero resistance, a ball rolling on a level surface will accelerate. *will roll at a constant velocity*
3. T The acceleration of an object and the net force acting on it are proportional.
4. F Force and acceleration are scalar quantities. *vector*
5. T Gravity is a field force.
6. F When the net forces acting on an object sum to zero then the object is accelerating.
7. F According to Newton's first law, an object that is moving will continue to move in a straight line and at a constant speed if and only if the net force acting on it is greater than zero.
8. T Acceleration is a change in velocity caused by an unbalanced force.

In your textbook, read about free-body diagrams and equilibrium on pages 89 and 95, respectively. Refer to the diagrams below to answer questions 9–16. Circle the letter of the choice that best completes the statement or answers the question.



9. The agent of  $F_N$  is d.
- a. the bowl  
b. Earth  
c. friction  
d. the shelf
10. The agent of  $F_g$  is b.
- a. the bowl  
b. Earth  
c. friction  
d. the shelf
11. What part of Diagram 2 best represents the bowl in equilibrium?
- a. A  
b. B  
c. C  
d. D
12. Which part of Diagram 1 best represents the weight force of the bowl sitting on a shelf?
- a. A  
b. B  
c. C  
d. D
13.  $F_N$  is a symbol that represents the \_\_\_\_\_ force.
- a. friction  
b. tension  
c. normal  
d. weight
14. The magnitude of the net force on the bowl in equilibrium is \_\_\_\_\_.
- a.  $F_N$   
b.  $F_g$   
c. 0  
d.  $2F_g$
15. Which of these is true when the bowl is in equilibrium?
- a.  $F_N = F_g$   
b.  $F_N \geq F_g$   
c.  $F_N > F_g$   
d.  $F_N < F_g$

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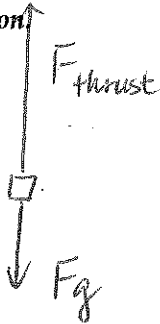
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16. Which part of Diagram 2 best represents the bowl if it falls off the shelf?

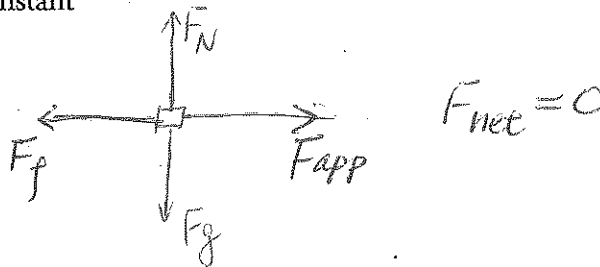
- a. A
- b. B
- c. C
- d. D

Draw a free-body diagram of each situation

17. A rocket immediately after vertical liftoff



18. A penny sliding at constant velocity on a desktop



19. A penny immediately after sliding off a desktop



## Section 4.2 Using Newton's Laws

In your textbook, read about mass, weight, and apparent weight on pages 96–98. For each term on the left, write the letter of the matching item.

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|----------|---|--------------------------|
| <u>c</u> | 1. name of gravitational force acting on object                       | a. g                     |
| <u>d</u> | 2. magnitude of acceleration due to gravity                           | b. newton                |
| <u>a</u> | 3. symbol for the acceleration due to gravity                         | c. weight                |
| <u>g</u> | 4. symbol for the force due to gravity                                | d. 9.80 m/s <sup>2</sup> |
| <u>f</u> | 5. expression for the weight of an object                             | e. weightlessness        |
| <u>b</u> | 6. unit of force  | f. mg                    |
| <u>h</u> | 7. property of an object that does not vary from location to location | g. F <sub>g</sub>        |
| <u>e</u> | 8. having an apparent weight of zero                                  | h. mass                  |

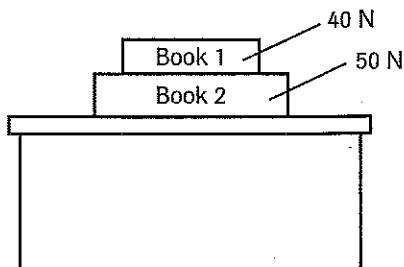


17. more A light object with a large surface area is *less* affected by the drag force than a more compact object is when both objects are falling.
18. the drag force equals the force of gravity The terminal velocity of a falling object is reached when *the object impacts on a surface*.

### Section 4.3 Interaction Forces

In your textbook, read about interaction pairs on pages 102–104.

Refer to the diagram below to complete Table 1.



Force	Magnitude	Direction
$F_{\text{book 1 on book 2}}$	40 N	down
$F_{\text{book 2 on book 1}}$	40 N	up
$F_{\text{book 2 on desktop}}$	50 N	down
$F_{\text{desktop on book 2}}$	50 N	up
$F_{\text{books 1 and 2 on desktop}}$	90 N	down
$F_{\text{desktop on books 1 and 2}}$	90 N	up

In your textbook, read about tension on pages 105–106.

For each statement below, write true or false.

- F A book lying on a table involves tension.
- T A chandelier hanging from a ceiling involves tension.
- T Two teams participating in a tug-of-war involves tension.
- F An automobile moving along a road involves tension.
- T An elevator moving in a building shaft involves tension.
- F A basketball passed from one player to another involves tension.
- T A horse pulling a cart involves tension.
- T A truck towing a boat behind it involves tension.
- T Water skiing involves tension.
- T A trapeze act involves tension.
- F Paddling a canoe involves tension.
- T Parachuting involves tension.