

# Mass and Weight

1. Find the weights of these objects:

- 1800 kg car
- 0.12 kg baseball

(a)  $m = 1800 \text{ kg}$  |  $W = m \cdot g$   
 $W = ?$  |  $W = 1800 \text{ kg} \cdot 9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$   
 $W = 17640 \text{ N}$

2. Find the masses of these objects:

- 14 N box
- 680 N girl

(a)  $W = 14 \text{ N}$  |  $m = \frac{W}{g}$   
 $m = ?$  |  $m = \frac{14 \text{ N}}{9.8 \text{ m/s}^2} = 1.4 \text{ kg}$

3. A 75 kg astronaut travels to the moon. What is his weight...

- on earth?
- on the moon, where  $g = 1.6 \text{ m/s}^2$ ?

a)  $m = 75 \text{ kg}$  |  $W = m \cdot g$   
 $W = ?$  |  $W = 75 \text{ kg} \cdot 9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$   
 $W = 735 \text{ N}$

b)  $m = 75 \text{ kg}$  |  $W = m \cdot g$   
 $g = 1.6 \text{ m/s}^2$  |  $W = 75 \text{ kg} \cdot 1.6 \text{ m/s}^2$   
 $W = ?$  |  $W = 75 \text{ kg} \cdot 1.6 \text{ m/s}^2$   
 $W = 120 \text{ N}$