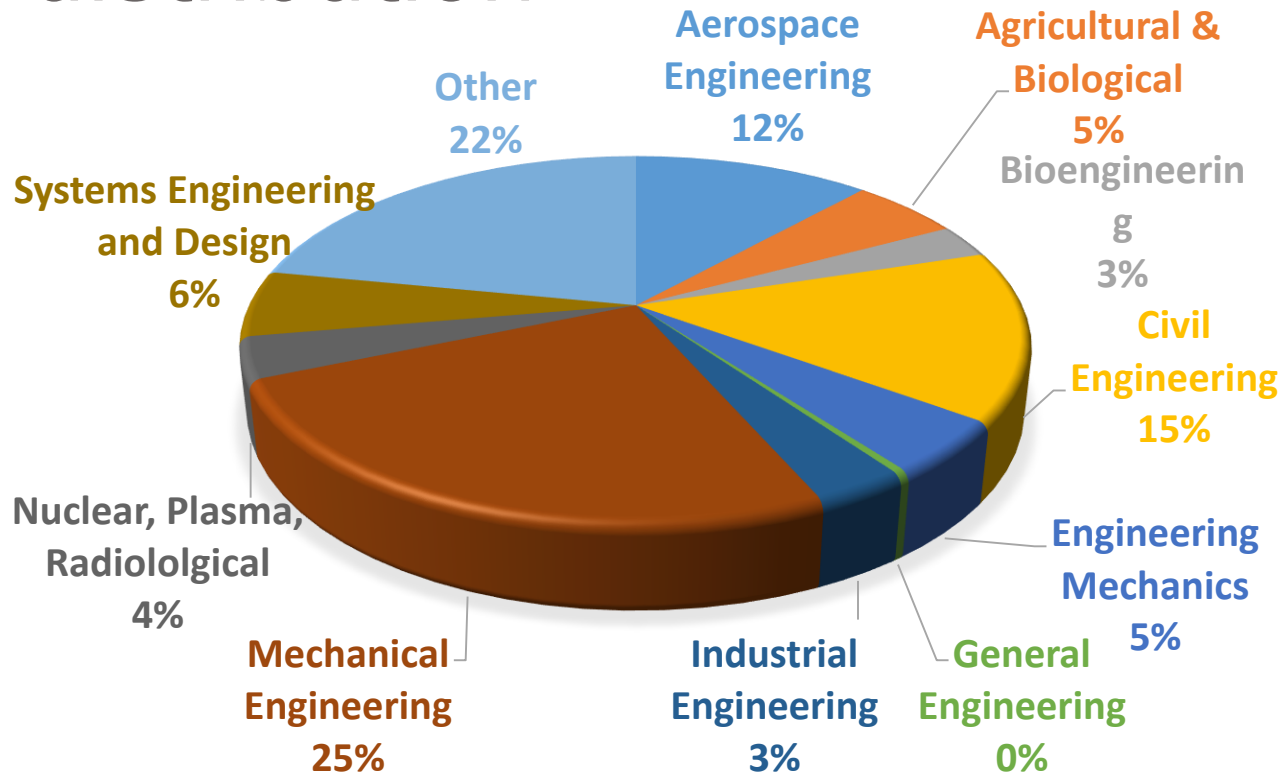


Statics - TAM 210 & TAM 211

Spring 2018

Course distribution



- Biochemistry
- Chemistry
- Computer Engineering
- Computer Science
- Electrical Engineering
- Engineering Physics
- Engineering Undeclared
- Geology
- Materials Science & Engr
- Math & Computer Science
- Mathematics
- Natural Resrcs & Environ
- Pre-Engineering
- Statistics & Computer Sci
- Technical Systems Managem
- Undeclared
- Urban Studies & Planning

Course distribution

Required	TAM 210	TAM 211	Other	TAM 210	TAM 211
Aerospace Engineering	31	1	Biochemistry		1
Agricultural & Biological	12	3	Chemistry		1
Bioengineering	2	6	Computer Engineering		2
Civil Engineering		41	Computer Science		1
Engineering Mechanics	1	12	Electrical Engineering		3
General Engineering		1	Engineering Physics	3	1
Industrial Engineering		9	Engineering Undeclared	4	2
Mechanical Engineering	67	2	Geology	1	
Nuclear, Plasma, Radiological	9	1	Materials Science & Engr	1	1
Systems Engineering and Design	1	15	Math & Computer Science	1	
			Mathematics		1
			Natural Resrcs & Environ	1	1
			Pre-Engineering	2	5
			Statistics & Computer Sci		1
			Technical Systems Managem	1	
			Undeclared	2	23
			Urban Studies & Planning		1

If you registered for TAM 210 and are in any major with a blue box, you may want to reconsider your decision and register for TAM 211

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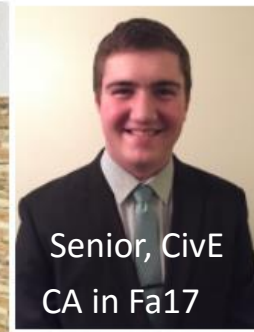
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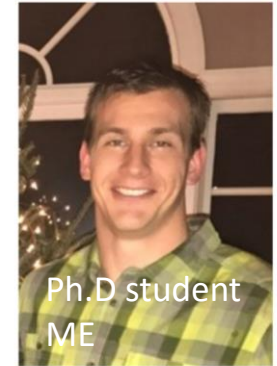
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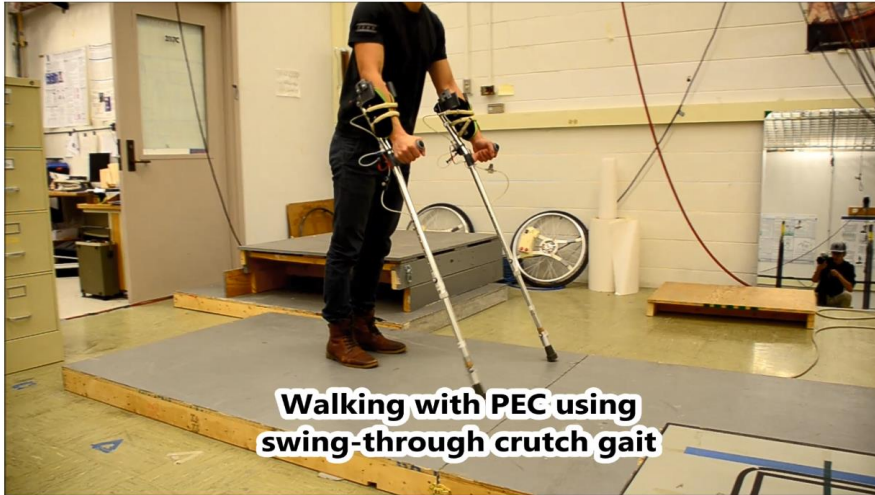
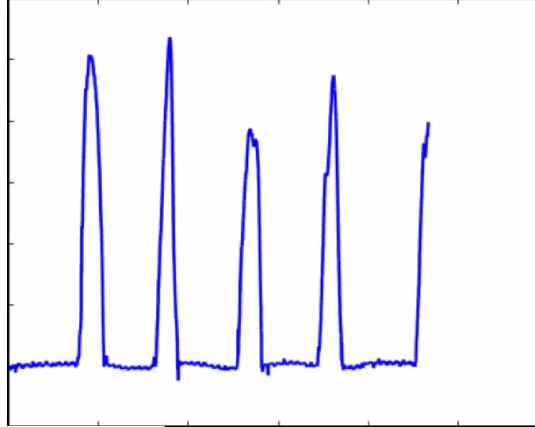
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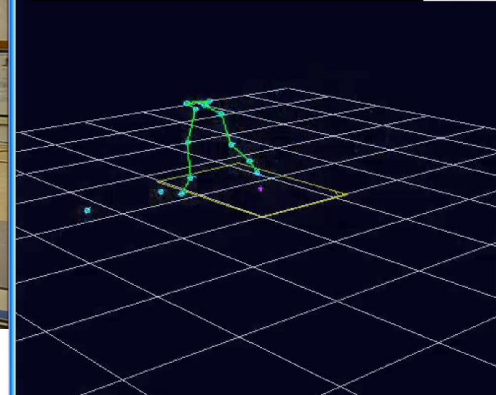
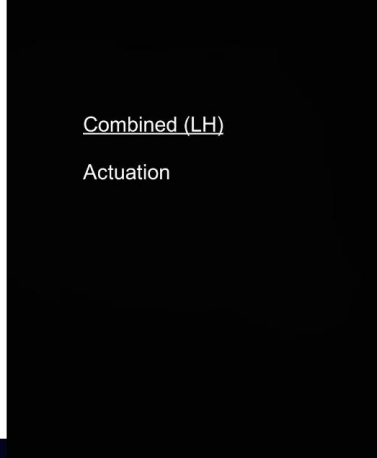
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Assistive device development
Locomotion biomechanics



**Walking with PEC using
swing-through crutch gait**



Sleepy?? Distracted???



<http://kevinspear.com/>



Course website

MAIN PAGE - <https://courses.engr.illinois.edu/tam210/>

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Welcome to the official course website for TAM 210/11 at UIUC this Spring 2018.

The faculty, graduate teaching assistants (TAs), and undergraduate course assistants (CAs) involved in all of the TAM 2xx courses (TAM 210/211, 212, 251) continue to work to improve the student experience in these very large introductory courses. TAM 210/211 in particular has always been a very difficult transition course for students in their early semesters of college. This course is challenging because students are exposed to multiple online teaching platforms (Prairie Learn, Mastering Engineering, Piazza, CBTF), multiple requirements in terms of frequent tutorials, homework assignments, written assignments, quizzes, structured worksheets in Discussion sections that require working with a team of people, and the need for good personal time management skills. It is one of the first of many rigorous courses that undergraduate engineering students will experience in their time at Illinois. Our goal as educators is to help our undergraduate students to achieve academic success and graduate as engineers. We train our undergraduate students to learn broad fundamental engineering knowledge that will allow them to have enough background to directly address, or know where to look for answers to address, the technological challenges of today and the future. Engineering is not about memorization; it is about being a problem solver, using one's general knowledge, and applying it to new areas.

The key to succeeding in TAM 210/211, or any class, is to practice the material **before** the time for assessment (quiz or exam). This course has many opportunities to practice; use them to your advantage. Ask for help from the instructional staff, the CARE center in Grainger Library, or your friends (but do not just copy your friends answers - that is not practicing the material).

NOTE: This website is always under construction!! Feel free to peruse, wander, and learn a bit about what's coming up this Spring, but dates/times/assignments etc. are subject to change. If you have any questions, feel free to drop us a line at the discussion forum on Piazza (see link below).

As well as the pages on this website, this course uses:

- Online homework via [Mastering Engineering](#)
- Online homework via [PrairieLearn](#)
- Discussion forum on [Piazza](#)
- Gradebook on [Compass](#)
- Computerized Testing Facility [exam reservation](#)
- Computerized Testing Facility [instructions](#)

Course communication

Piazza: <https://piazza.com/class/j62o5jknmj61p8>

ALL communication in the course will be via Piazza

- Open discussion of questions from class: if there's something you don't understand, chances are other people don't, and someone else may have the answer.
- Regularly checked by TAs, CAs and Profs.

The screenshot shows the Piazza interface for the TAM 210/211 course. The top navigation bar includes the Piazza logo, course name, and tabs for Q & A, Resources, Statistics, and Manage Class. The user profile for Gabriel Juarez is visible in the top right. The main content area is divided into a left sidebar with pinned posts and a main right pane showing a specific note. The pinned posts include: 'Written Assignment 1 Posted' (1/20/16), 'Introductory Matlab Office H...' (1/20/16), 'Mastering Engineering Course ID' (1/19/16), and 'Welcome to TAM 210/211' (1/18/16). The main note, titled 'Introductory Matlab Office Hour/Clinic this Friday', is dated 1/20/16 and has 159 views. The note text reads: 'Hi everyone - As part of the TAM sequence, we are strongly encouraging students to become comfortable using Matlab to solve mechanics problems. However, we know that some students enter the TAM sequence with limited exposure to using Matlab for engineering (or none at all), so we have arranged an informal clinic/office hour for Matlab **Friday (1/22) in 1001 MEL between 9am and 5pm**. TAs from all three TAM 2XX courses will be there throughout this time period to answer questions and help you become acquainted with using Matlab. If you have other questions about Matlab (e.g., downloading from WebStore), you can always post them on Piazza as well!' The note is pinned and has 0 'good notes'. Below the note, there is a section for 'followup discussions' with a prompt to 'Start a new followup discussion'.

Grade distribution for TAM 210 & 211

In class i-Clickers: 3%

Discussion group activity: 8%

Online Tutorial (Mastering Engrg): 6%

Online Homework (PrairieLearn): 10%

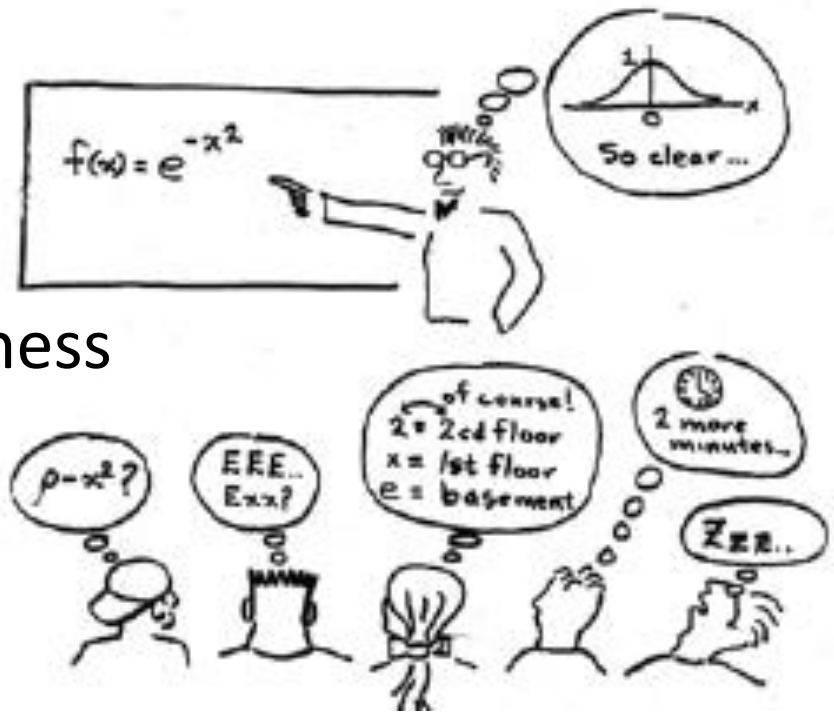
Written Assignments: 8%

Quizzes (@ CBTF): 40%

Exam (April 5, 7-9pm): 25%

i-Clickers

- Used for in-class assessment
- 50% participation, 50% correctness
- Register your i>clicker on **Compass2g**



Links for Mastering Engineering & PrairieLearn

http://www.pearsoncustom.com/il/ui_eng_mech_statics

<https://prairielearn.engr.illinois.edu/>

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Online homework via [Mastering Engineering](#)

Online homework via [PrairieLearn](#) (PL)

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	W	Jan 17	Lecture 1 Introduction and general principles	Chapter 1	Quiz 0 (practice) in PrairieLearn	Disc Intrc
			Lecture 2	Chapter 2		

Online Homework in PrairieLearn

<https://prairielearn.engr.illinois.edu/>

- Provides instant feedback
- Infinite number of attempts to help with learning
- Complete by 11:59 pm of due date (generally Tuesday)
- **Completion of 1st tutorial is due this Sunday January 21**
- Not trying to solve problems on your own and copying others answers will make taking quizzes ∞ more difficult!

Quiz 0 (Practicing sample format)

- Familiarize students with CBTF quiz format
 - Max points per question decreases with increasing attempts
 - Finding attached help documents
- Complete in PrairieLearn
 - Not graded

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	F	Jan 19	Lecture 2 Force vectors - Cartesian vectors	Chapter 2 Vectors help 1 Vectors help 2		
2	M	Jan 22	Lecture 3 Cartesian vectors, unit vectors	Chapter 2	Quiz 0 (practice) in PrairieLearn	Worksh
	W	Jan 24	Lecture 4 Force along line; Projections; Cross product	Chapter 2 Cross product help		
				Chapter 3		

Online computational software

- No personal calculators allowed in CBTF
- Need to be able to do calculations during quizzes
- Available options in CBTF: MATLAB, Mathematica, and *online simple calculator (not recommended)*
- *While solving PL HW, practice using one of these online options so you can become efficient.*
- Most UIUC COE students know (or will learn) MATLAB
- Course website has MATLAB help documents (References)
- TAs will offer MATLAB training/refresher sessions
 - Next week in evenings, 1 hour each
 - EWS Location/Day/Time: TBA

Grade distribution

Final grades: The total score s corresponds to final grades as follows.

97% $s < 100%$	A+	92% $s < 97%$	A	89% $s < 92%$	A-
86% $s < 89%$	B+	82% $s < 86%$	B	79% $s < 82%$	B-
76% $s < 79%$	C+	72% $s < 76%$	C	69% $s < 72%$	C-
66% $s < 69%$	D+	59% $s < 66%$	D	55% $s < 59%$	D-
$s < 55%$	F				

Grades: on [Compass2g](#)

- Any errors in grade reporting on Compass **must be reported within 2 weeks** of the due date or by the last day of class, whichever is earlier.
- Missing grade for discussion section or a written report, contact appropriate TA (personally or via Piazza).
- Missing grade from online tutorial or homework, exam, or i>clicker, contact the instructor (via Piazza).

Support for students:

- [Piazza](#) posts (everyday, reasonable working hours)
- [CARE Center in Grainger Library](#)
- Prof. Hsiao-Wecksler's Office Hours:
 - MWF 9:30-10:30 am in 154 MEB, or by appointment
- TA Office hours (429 Grainger) – starting Friday Jan 19
 - See course website ([Info webpage](#))
 - Monday, Tuesday, Friday 4-9 pm

How to make the most from lecture...

- Attend!
- Use technology - bring your tablets, laptops, etc.
- Traditional technology - Bring paper and pencil/pen
- Participate
 - Ask questions
 - Be prepared to answer questions
 - I don't know is ok too!
- Develop good time management skills

- Any questions?

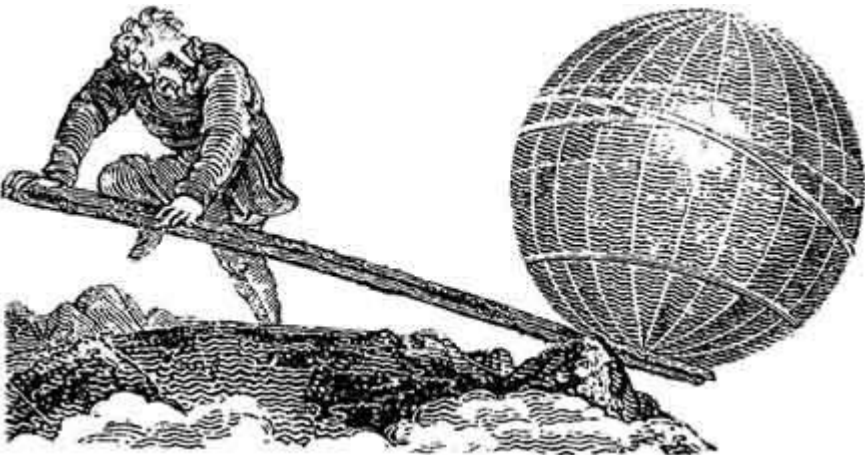
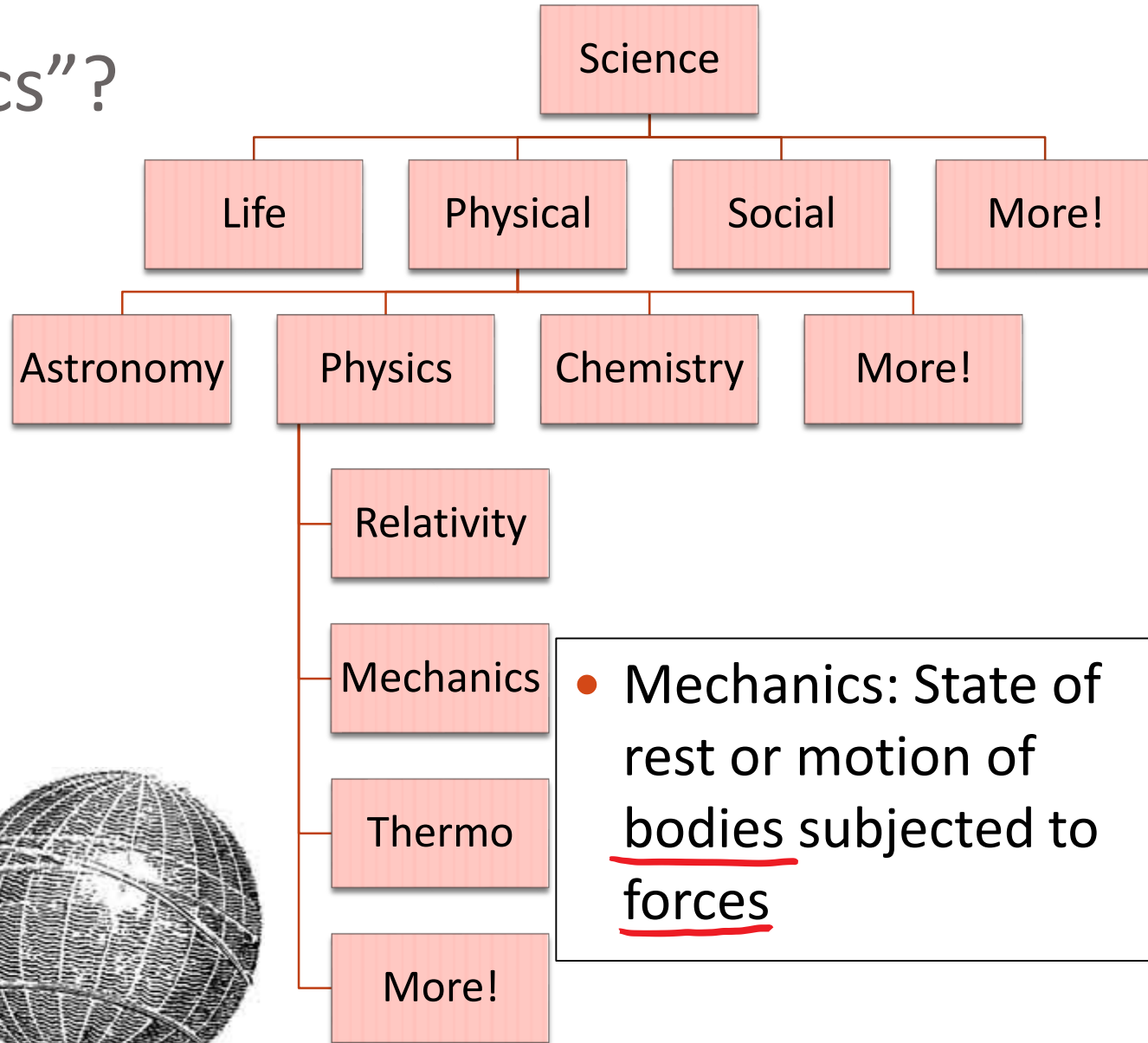
Chapter 1: General Principles

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Main goals and learning objectives

- Introduce the basic ideas of *Mechanics*
- Give a concise statement of Newton's laws of motion and gravitation
- Review the principles for applying the SI system of units
- Examine standard procedures for performing numerical calculations
- Outline a general guide for solving problems

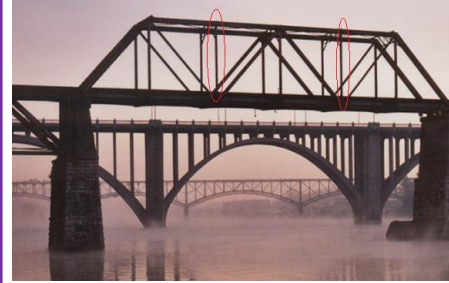
What is “statics”?



Mechanics

Mechanics is a branch of the physical sciences that is concerned with the **state of rest or motion of bodies** that are subjected to the **action of forces**

TAM 210/211 Rigid Bodies TAM 212



Statics



Dynamics

Deformable Bodies



Solid
Mechanics
TAM 251

Fluid



Compressible
and
incompressible

Which forces?



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- Mechanics: State of rest or motion of bodies subjected **to forces**

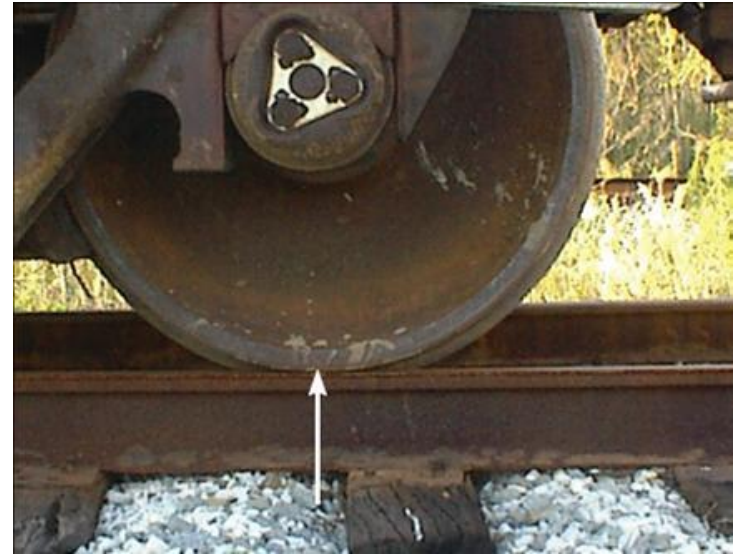
Fundamental concepts

Basic quantities:

- Length
- Time
- Mass
- Force

Idealizations:

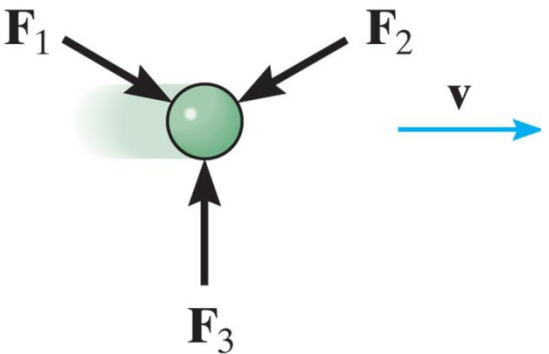
- Particle: Has mass, size is negligible
- Rigid Body:
Have mass & size, shape stays the same
(no deformation)
- Concentrated Force:
Force applied @ point



Understanding and applying these things allows for amazing achievements in engineering!

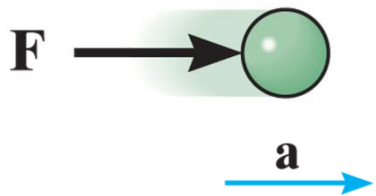
Newton's laws of motion

First law: *An object remains at rest or moves with constant velocity in a straight line unless acted upon by a net force.*

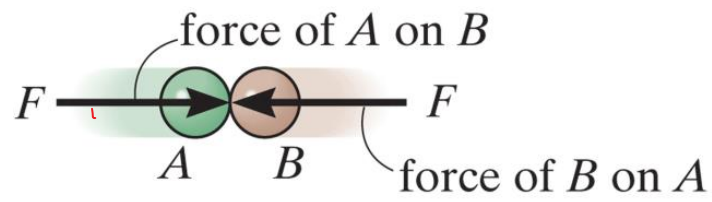


Second law: a particle acted upon by an unbalanced force F experiences an acceleration a that is proportional to the particle mass m :

$$F = ma$$



Third law: the mutual forces of action and reaction between two particles are equal, opposite and colinear.



Newton's law of gravitational attraction

The mutual **force F of gravitation** between two particles of mass m_1 and m_2 is given by:

$$F = \frac{G m_1 m_2}{r^2}$$

G is the universal constant of gravitation (small number)
 r is the distance between the two particles

Weight is the force exerted by the earth on a particle at the earth's surface:

$$W = m \left(\frac{G m_e}{r_e^2} \right) = mg$$

M_e is the mass of the earth

r_e is the distance between the earth's center and the particle near the surface

g is the acceleration due to the gravity



Figure: 01_PH003
The astronaut's weight is diminished, since she is far removed from the gravitational field of the earth.

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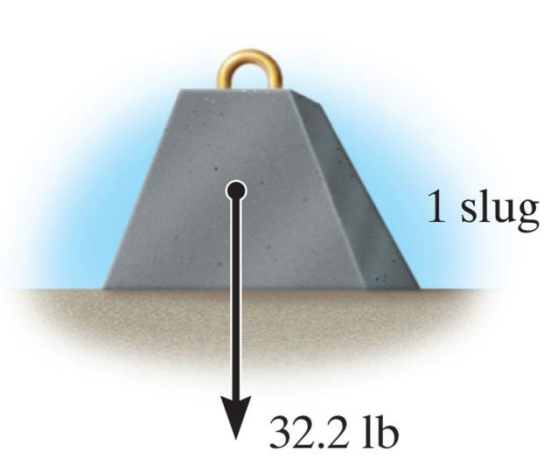
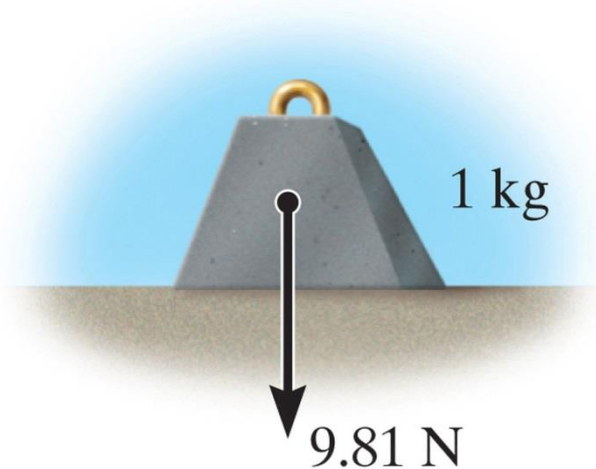
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Units

TABLE 1-1 Systems of Units				
Name	Length	Time	Mass	Force
International System of Units SI	meter	second	kilogram	newton*
	m	s	kg	$\frac{\text{N}}{\left(\frac{\text{kg} \cdot \text{m}}{\text{s}^2}\right)}$
U.S. Customary FPS	foot	second	slug*	pound
	ft	s	$\left(\frac{\text{lb} \cdot \text{s}^2}{\text{ft}}\right)$	lb

*Derived unit.

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$$G = 66.73 \times 10^{-12} \frac{m^3}{kg \cdot s^2}$$

$$g = 9.81 \frac{m}{s^2}$$

$$g = 32.2 \frac{ft}{s^2}$$