

# You and Physics

## S1178

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## Forces

Newton's Third Law: For every action there is an \_\_\_\_\_ and  
reaction!

Newton's Second Law: relates an objects mass and acceleration and applied force by this  
equation.

Force = mass  $\times$  acceleration

$$F = ma$$

Are you pulling or pushing your partner?

Is your partner pulling or pushing you?

## Gravity

Force due to gravity =  $\frac{\text{Gravitational constant} \times \text{Mass} \times \text{mass}}{(\text{distance between Mass and mass})^2}$

$$F = \frac{GMm}{r^2}$$

define:  $g_{Earth} = \frac{GM_{Earth}}{R_{Earth}^2}$

What is  $g_{Earth}$ ?  $g_{Earth} =$  \_\_\_\_\_ ?

$$F = m \times g_{Earth}$$

# Spin

$$\text{Potential Energy} = \frac{1}{2}(\text{moment of inertia}) \times (\text{angular velocity})^2$$

$$T = \frac{1}{2}I\omega^2$$

$$\text{Angular Momentum} = (\text{moment of inertia}) \times (\text{angular velocity})$$

$$L = I\omega$$

$$\text{Moment of Inertia of upright professor with arms tucked in} = 30,000,000 \frac{lb}{ft^2}$$

$$\text{Moment of Inertia of upright professor with arms sticking out of side} = 110,000,000 \frac{lb}{ft^2}$$

When does the professor spin faster with his arms out or his arms tucked in given the same amount of energy?

# Sound

$$\text{frequency you hear} = \left(1 - \frac{\text{velocity of ambulance} - \text{velocity of you}}{\text{velocity of sound}}\right) \times (\text{Original ambulance frequency})$$

$$f = \left(1 - \frac{v_a - v_y}{v_s}\right) f_0$$

$$f_0 = 330Hz = 330 \frac{1}{\text{second}}$$

What's the speed of sound?  $v_s =$  ?

Is the frequency, pitch, higher or lower when the ambulance comes toward you ?

Is the frequency, pitch, higher or lower when the ambulance goes away you ?