FORCE

SECTION 5.1

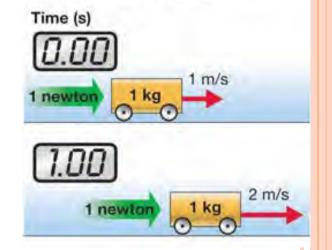
OA push or a pull that one body exerts on another.

 Forces can increase or decrease the speed of a moving object.

 Forces can also change the direction in which an object is moving.

Units of Force

SI unit of force = newton



• One newton (N) is the force it takes to change the speed of a 1kg mass by 1 m/s in 1 second.

 \circ 1 pound = 4.448 newtons

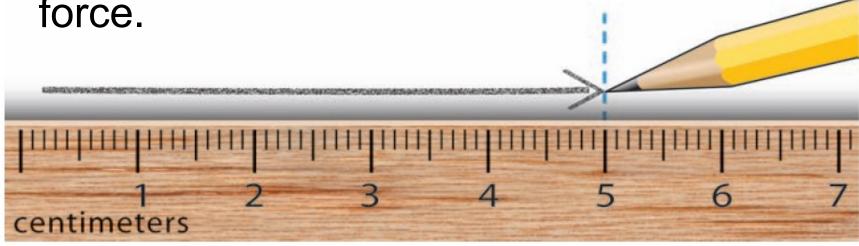
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5.1 Drawing a force vector

 The arrow points in the direction of the force.



 The length of the line is proportional to the amount of force.

