

## Lesson 2 Using Machines

**Predict** three facts that will be discussed in Lesson 2 after reading the headings. Record your predictions in your Science Journal.

### Main Idea

**What is a machine?**

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**How do machines make work easier to do?**

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### Details

**Distinguish** the functions of machines.

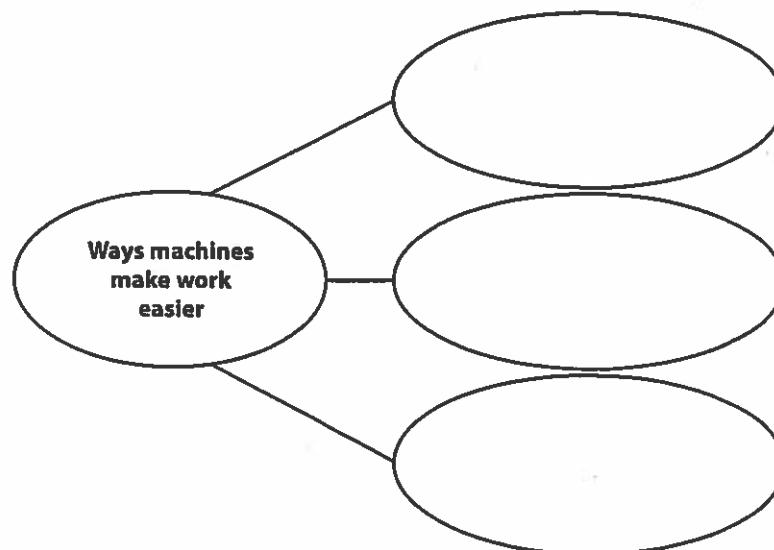
Machines Do	Machines Do Not

**Organize** details about input work and output work.

Input work ( $W_{in}$ )		
	$\times$	

Output work ( $W_{out}$ )		
	$\times$	

 **Cite** 3 ways machines make work easier.



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**What is mechanical advantage?**

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### Details

 **Analyze** ways in which machines make work easier.

Change	Input Work	Output Work
Make the output force greater than the input force	Drawing:	Drawing:
	A smaller force over a longer distance converts to →	
Make the output distance greater than the input distance.	Drawing:	Drawing:
	A greater force over a shorter distance converts to →	
Make the direction of the output force different from the direction of the input force	Drawing:	Drawing:
	Force and distance remain the same, but →	

 **Define** mechanical advantage.

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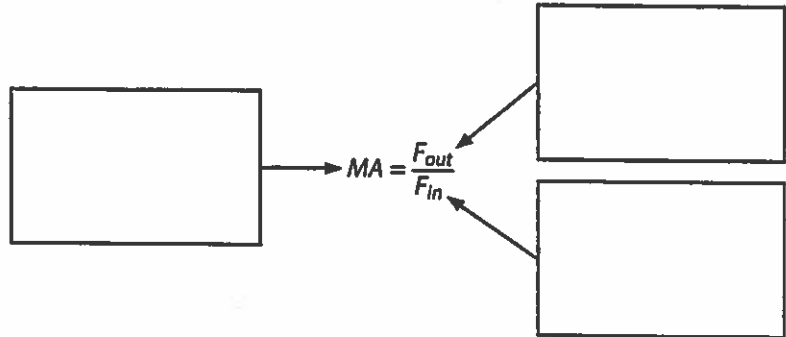
**What is efficiency?**

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 **Identify** components of the mechanical advantage equation. Include the units for the  $F$  variables.



**Complete** the statement about mechanical advantage. Use the symbol  $>$  or  $<$ .

$MA > 1$	means that	output force _____	input force
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**Define** efficiency, and complete the efficiency equation.

Efficiency: \_\_\_\_\_

$$\text{efficiency} = \frac{\boxed{\phantom{000000}}}{\boxed{\phantom{000000}}} \times \boxed{\phantom{000000}}$$

 **Explain** the effect of friction on the efficiency of a machine.

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 **Analyze It** Explain why a machine that has an output force less than its input force can still be useful. Give an example.

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