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UNIT 3 WORKSHEET 1: Force Diagrams

In each of the following situations, represent the object with a particle. Sketch all the forces acting upon the object, making the length of each vector represent the magnitude of the force.

Original Diagram	Useful Free Body Diagram	AP Exam Free Body Diagram
1. Object lies motionless.		
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2. Object slides at constant speed without friction		
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3. Object slows due to kinetic friction.		
4. Object slides without friction.		
5. Static friction prevents sliding.		

Original Diagram	Useful Free Body Diagram	AP Exam Free Body Diagram
6. An object is suspended from the ceiling.		
7. An object is suspended from the ceiling.		
8. The object is motionless.		
9. The object is motionless.		
10. The object is motionless.		

Original Diagram	Useful Free Body Diagram	AP Exam Free Body Diagram
11. The object is pulled by a force parallel to the surface and doesn't move.		
12. The object is pulled by a force at an angle to the surface & moves at a constant velocity.		
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13. The object is pulled upward at constant speed.		
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14. The object is pushed by a force applied donward at an angle and doesn't move.		
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15. The object is falling (no air resistance).		
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Original Diagram	Useful Free Body Diagram	AP Exam Free Body Diagram
16. The object is falling at constant (terminal) velocity.		
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17. The ball is rising in a parabolic trajectory.		
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18. The ball is at the top of a parabolic trajectory.		
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