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SD Theory of Machines

Wheel and Axle – SD-1.50

PROVIDES STUDENTS WITH AN INTRODUCTION TO MECHANICS OF WHEEL AND AXLE



The dual diameter wheel has an axle supported on simple pivots in a sturdy wall mounting bracket. Each wheel has a cord wrapped around its periphery.

The cords can be wrapped in either direction around each wheel. A load hanger is added to each cord allowing loading of the wheels using the calibrated weights set provided.

Experimental content

- Experimental determination of velocity ratio and comparison with calculated value
- Determination of variation with load of effort
- Determination of variation with load of efficiency

Related laws

- Velocity Ratio
- Mechanical Advantage
- ► Effort
- Effort of Friction
- Efficiency
- Simple Machines

Requirements

Scale

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Recommended suspension height not to exceed 1.5 metres

Essential accessories/equipment

SV100: Bench Mounted Frame

Features / benefits

- ► Wall mounted apparatus
- Can be mounted to SV100 Bench Mounted Frame
- Introduction to mechanics of wheel and axle
- ► 'Effort' and 'Efficiency' investigated
- One assembly; two wheels; two diameters
- Full set of weights and hangers supplied

Overall dimensions

Length	0.17m	
Width	0.11m	
Height	0.15m	
Packed and crated shipping specifications		
Volume	0.02m ³	
Gross weight	5kg	

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Technical specification

Large wheel diameter: Ø150mm

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- Small wheel diameter: Ø75mm
 - Maximum recommended load: 200N
- ► Weights set: 1 x 0.1N, 2 x 0.2N, 1 x 0.5N, 1 x 1N,

2 x 2N, 2 x 5N, 2 x 10N, 2 x 20N

Ordering specification

- ▶ 1 x SD-1.50 assembled
- ▶ 1 x Load hanger
- ▶ 1 x 0.1N, 2 x 0.2N, 1 x 0.5N, 1 x 1N weights
- 2 x 2N, 2 x 5N, 2 x 10N, 2 x 20N weights
- 1 x Tape measure
- Spare cord
- Instruction manual
- Test sheet

Ordering codes

- **SD-1.50** Wheel and Axle
- **SV100** Bench Mounted Frame

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