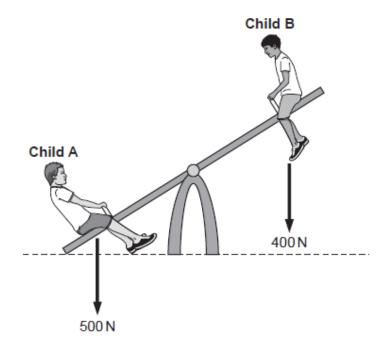


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Question Set 6

1 (a) Two children play on a seesaw.



Both children sit 2 m from the pivot

(i) Calculate the clockwise and anti-clockwise moments around the pivot when the seesaw is horizontal.

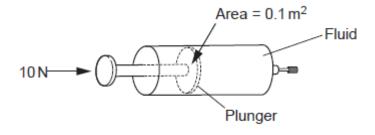
Clockwise moment =
$$\frac{400 \times 2}{500 \times 2} = \frac{800}{500}$$
 N m

Anti-clockwise moment = $\frac{500 \times 2}{500} = \frac{1000}{500}$ N m [3]

(ii) Calculate where Child A should sit to balance the seesaw.

$$\frac{800}{500} = \frac{8}{5} = 1.6$$
 Answer = 1.6 \tag{3}

(b) A student tries to compress the fluid in a sealed syringe with a force of 10 N.



The area of the end of the syringe is 0.1 m².

(i)	Calculate the pressure in the fluid $Pressure = \frac{F}{A} = \frac{10}{0.1} = 100$ $Answer = \frac{100}{0.1} = 100$
(ii)	Write down the direction of the force produced by the fluid on the plunger.

Perpendicular to the punger

[3]

[1]

Total Marks for Question Set 6: 10



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