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MCHS Honors Physics 2014-2015

**Newton's Second Law 1**

**Answer all questions on a separate sheet of paper.**

1. A little boy pushes a wagon with his dog in it. The mass of the dog and wagon together is 45 kg. The wagon accelerates at  $0.85 \text{ m/s}^2$ . What force is the boy pulling with?
2. A 1650 kg car accelerates at a rate of  $4.0 \text{ m/s}^2$ . How much force is the car's engine producing?
3. A 68 kg runner exerts a force of 59 N. What is the acceleration of the runner?
4. A crate is dragged across an ice covered lake. The box accelerates at  $0.08 \text{ m/s}^2$  and is pulled by a 47 N force. What is the mass of the box?
5. 3 women push a stalled car. Each woman pushes with a 425 N force. What is the mass of the car if the car accelerates at  $0.85 \text{ m/s}^2$ ?
6. A tennis ball, 0.314 kg, is accelerated at a rate of  $164 \text{ m/s}^2$  when hit by a professional tennis player. What force does the player's tennis racket exert on the ball?
7. In an airplane crash a woman is holding an 8.18 kg baby. In the crash the woman experiences a horizontal de-acceleration of  $88.2 \text{ m/s}^2$ . How many g's is this de-acceleration? How much force must the woman exert to hold the baby in place?
8. When an F-14 airplane takes-off an aircraft carrier it is literally catapulted off the flight deck. The plane's final speed at take-off is 68.2 m/s. The F-14 starts from rest. The plane accelerates in 2 seconds and has a mass of 29,545 kg. What is the total force that gets the F-14 in the air?

