

## CALIFORNIA STATE SCIENCE FAIR 2002 PROJECT SUMMARY

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**Project Number** 

J1542

## **Project Title**

# **Does Elevation Affect the Force of Gravity?**

## **Abstract**

## **Objectives/Goals**

The Purpose of science project was to see if the force of gravity could be tested and see a measure able difference in the force of gravity.

#### Methods/Materials

I traveled to 3 elevations 275,3990,7000. I timed and counted my pendulums occilations. Iused a Pendulum stopwach data sheet and thermomater

### **Results**

There was about a 25 second difference in the force of gravity. Gravity decreased at higher elevations.

#### **Conclusions/Discussion**

My hypothesis was correct the force of gravity decreaces at higher elevations.

Now, being finished with my project I have a better understanding of physics, gravity, and it's founders.

### **Summary Statement**

My project is about gravity.

#### Help Received

mom typed, grampa made board and pendulum with my help.