

## 10% Of A Balloon

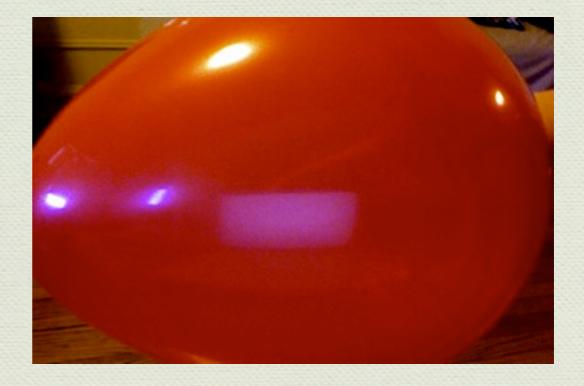
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# What's and Why's

- Applying pressure to the balloon until it pops.
- Finding out how much weight can a balloon withstand!
- Dislike for loud noises (Like balloons popping, not explosions, they are cool!)

#### Test One Balloon Information

- 33 cm height.
- ♠ 23 cm width.
- Ordinary "Happy Birthday" Balloon.



# What experiment?



- Apply pressure on the top of the balloon
- ◆ SAT books = 1.5 kg (~15n, exactly 14.715n)
- Force applied from top, exactly the same force applied from bottom.

# First Experiment

- ♣ First weight: 1.5 kg not enough
- Second weight: 3 kg not enough
- Third weight: 4.5 kg not enough, balloon flew out.
- Fourth weight: 5.5 kg not enough!
- Fifth weight: 7.7 kg –Not enough
- Sixth weight: 9.9 kg Not enough
- Seventh weight 18.45 kg Not enough
- Eighth weight: 23.5 kg Balloon popped.

#### Test Two Balloon Information

- 42 cm height
- ⋄ 30 cm width





# Second Experiment

- First weight: 5.5 kg not enough
- Second weight: 9.9 kg not enough
- Third weight: 15.3 kg Balloon popped.

#### Conclusion

The more volume, the easier to pop.

## Explanation (if larger then...)

- Less space for air to travel.
- More air inside.
- Material (rubber) more stretched, thus thinner.

# The secret test/Future conciderations (more data required for calculations)

- Same balloon statistics as in dataset one.
- Mass dropped from a height.
- 1m height.
- Mass: 5.5 kg.
- Time?
- \*\* Balloon pops (more then 230n, but less then 500 n)

#### The hero balloon!

- This balloon survived me stepping on it, with full force
  - +weight of my leg 7 times.
- 29 cm height
- ♠ 20 cm width
- Give him a round of applause.



## The end

More?



