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Review Classwork #8.

QUESTION: Using expressions for gravitational (Slide #3) and electric (Slide #5) forces, **calculate and compare the gravitational force of attraction and the electrostatic(electric) force of repulsion between two electrons in an atom.**

Step 1: Write the expressions for the forces here:

Step 2: Now **use the following values** in your calculations:

mass=MASS=mass of an electron= $9.1093837 \times 10^{-31}$ kg

charge=CHARGE=charge of an electron= 1.602×10^{-19} C (coulomb)

distance=approximate size of an atom= 10^{-10} m

Math hint (exponent handling rules): $10^{-a}=1/10^a$, $10^a \cdot 10^b=10^{(a+b)}$, $10^a/10^b=10^{(a-b)}$

After careful cancelling of all other units, you should obtain the **values for the forces in N (Newtons).** **Show your work!!!** And don't forget to **compare!**