

Inverse square law:

Gravity $F_g = \frac{GMm}{r^2}$ $6.67 \times 10^{-11} \frac{N \cdot m^2}{kg^2}$

Electrostatics $F_E = \frac{kQ_1Q_2}{d^2}$ $9.0 \times 10^9 \frac{N \cdot m^2}{C^2}$

Recall the accel due to gravity of the Earth at the moon's position
 on Earth 9.81, space station 9.7

$a_{cp} = \frac{v^2}{R}$

$v = \frac{2\pi R}{T} = \frac{2\pi(3.8 \times 10^8)}{2.55 \times 10^6} = 1022.1 \text{ m/s}$

$a_{cp} = \frac{(1022.1)^2}{7.38 \times 10^8} = 0.002725$

$2.55 \times 10^6 \text{ s}$

** The moon is almost exactly 60x further from Earth's center than you!*

$F_g = \frac{GMm}{R^2}$ $\Rightarrow \frac{GMm}{(60R)^2} = 9.81 \times \frac{1}{(60)^2} = 0.002725$

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