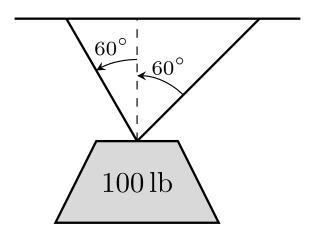
Exercise 1 Consider a weight of 100 lb hanging from two chains:



Find the magnitude of the force applied to each chain.

Magnitude of the force on the left chain $= \boxed{100}$ lb

Magnitude of the force on the right chain $= \boxed{100}$ lb