Technique Primer

The balance – making mass measurements

The Balance

Several top loading balances, precise to ± 0.001 g, are available for your use in the laboratory. A balance is used to make mass measurements of solid and liquid chemicals.

Check out this video about how to use balance properly:

http://www.youtube.com/watch?feature=endscreen&v=
cG6QrqS4ruQ&NR=1



Figure 1: Analytical balance.