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There is no difference.

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The line that is holding the most weight, which it to say the top one.



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Assuming the system isn't accelerating up or down, the DIFFERENCE in the tensions would simply be equal to the weight of the top mass.



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