

THE LEAGUE OF SI SUPERHEROES

MONSIEUR KILOGRAM

UNIT OF MASS
SYMBOL: **kg**

THIS IS GOING TO
BE MASSIVE!



WITH HIS IMMENSELY STRONG
ARMS, MONSIEUR KILOGRAM
IS THE MASTER OF MASS.

THE KILOGRAM IS A CYLINDER OF SPECIAL METAL
THAT SERVES AS THE WORLD'S MASS STANDARD.

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There are seven SI superheroes, each one representing a different measurement unit. SI stands for *Le Système International d'Unités* (French for "International System of Units"). The SI is also known as the metric system.