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Books

The following textbook has a straightforward description of unstable and stable equilibria and how they differ:

Giancoli, Douglas C. *Physics for Scientist & Engineers with Modern Physics*. 4th Ed. Vol. 1. Upper Saddle River: Prentice Hall, 2008. ISBN 0-130-21517-1.

The following text book has a very good explanation of stability with respect of centre of mass and rotational motion:

Hewitt, P. *Conceptual Physics*. 6th Ed. New York City: HarperCollins, 1989. ISBN 0-673-39847-1.

Periodicals

The original paper describing the experimental setup for the dominoes of increasing size:

Whitehead, Lorne A. "Domino 'chain reaction'". *American Journal of Physics* 51, no. 2 (1983): 182.

Websites

This website contains an excellent explanation of centre of mass and stability of equilibria:

Colwell, Catharine H. "PhysicsLAB: Center of Mass" *PhysicsLAB*. Accessed 14 July 2011.
http://dev.physicslab.org/Document.aspx?doctype=3&filename=RotaryMotion_CenterMass.xml