

Physics 112

Tuesday Nov 21st

Potential Energy

Energy that is stored by an object.

$$Eg = PE = mgh$$

PE \rightarrow Joules (J)

m \rightarrow kg

g \rightarrow 9.81 m/s²

h \rightarrow height (m)

Example:

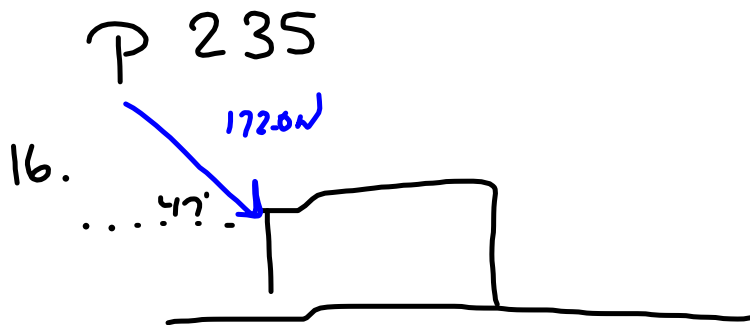
You are about to drop a 3.0 kg rock from a height of 0.68 m onto the ground. Calculate the potential energy of the rock at this height.

$$\begin{aligned} PE &= mgh \\ &= 3.0 \text{ kg} \times 9.81 \text{ m/s}^2 \times 0.68 \text{ m} \\ &= 2.0 \times 10^1 \text{ J} \end{aligned}$$

The rock has
 $2.0 \times 10^1 \text{ J}$ of
potential energy.

Green Text

P	235	16,17
P	238	19,20,21
P	245	22,24
P	250	27,29



$$F_x = 172.0\text{ N} (\cos 47^\circ)$$
$$= 117.3\text{ N} \rightarrow$$

$$d = 16\text{ m} \rightarrow$$

$$W = Fd$$

$$= 117.3\text{ N} \times 16\text{ m}$$

$$W = 1877\text{ N}\cdot\text{m}$$

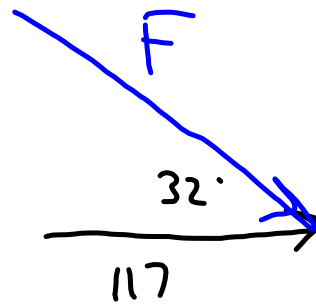
$$17. \quad W = 2690 \text{ J}$$
$$d = 23.0 \text{ m}$$

$$W = Fd$$

$$\frac{W}{d} = F$$

$$\frac{2690 \text{ J}}{23.0 \text{ m}} = F$$

$$117 \text{ N} = F$$



$$\cos 32 = \frac{117}{F}$$

$$F = \frac{117}{\cos 32} = 138 \text{ N}$$

P238

$$19. \quad v = 145 \text{ km/h} \rightarrow 40.3 \text{ m/s}$$

$$KE = \frac{1}{2} m v^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (0.100 \text{ kg}) (40.3 \text{ m/s})^2$$

$$KE = 81.2 \text{ J}$$

20.

$$KE = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$$

$$m = \frac{2KE}{v^2} = \frac{2(4.5)}{0.95^2}$$

$$= \frac{9}{0.9025}$$

$$m = 1.0 \times 10^1 \text{ kg}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 21. \quad KE &= \frac{1}{2} mv^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (69 \text{ kg}) (7.25 \text{ m/s})^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$KE = 1810 \text{ J}$$

p 245

$$22. \quad m = 6.30 \text{ kg}$$

$$d = 20.0 \text{ m}$$

$$F = 30.0 \text{ N}$$

Velocity after 13.9 m

$$W = Fd$$

$$= 30.0 \text{ N} \times 13.9 \text{ m}$$

$$= 417 \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}$$

or

$$417 \text{ J}$$

$$W = \Delta KE$$

$$= KE_2 - KE_1$$

$$W = KE_2 - 0$$

$$W = KE_2$$

$$417 = \frac{1}{2} (6.30) v^2$$

$$132.4 = v^2$$

$$11.5 \text{ m/s} = v$$

$$24. \quad m = 0.5 \text{ kg}$$

$$v_1 = 0 \text{ m/s}$$

$$v_2 = 1.2 \text{ m/s}$$

$$KE_1 = \frac{1}{2} (0.5) 0^2$$

$$= 0 \text{ J}$$

$$KE_2 = \frac{1}{2} (0.5) (1.2)^2$$

$$= 0.36 \text{ J}$$

$$W = \Delta KE$$

$$W = KE_2 - KE_1$$

$$W = 0.36 \text{ J} - 0 \text{ J}$$

$$W = 0.36 \text{ J}$$

$$W = Fd$$

$$0.36 = F (0.1 \text{ m})$$

$$3.6 \text{ N} = F$$

P 250

$$\begin{aligned} 27. \quad PE &= mgh \\ &= 4.45 \text{ kg} \times 9.81 \text{ m/s}^2 \times 2.0 \text{ m} \\ PE &= 87 \text{ J} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 29. \quad PE &= mgh & h &= \frac{PE}{mg} = \frac{12.0 \text{ J}}{0.30 \text{ kg} \times 9.81 \text{ m/s}^2} \\ & & h &= \frac{12.0}{2.94} \\ & & h &= 4.08 \text{ m} \end{aligned}$$