

NO Reading assignment

H.W Due today

Grp 6 on D2L

EXAM 2 Monday 7:30 A.M - 9:20 A.M

Chp 4-5 only

16 Questions 1 free

Exact same format as exam 1

* DST Sunday

spring forward \rightarrow clocks 1 hour ahead

Interactive Question

A weightlifter lifts a heavy weight over his head and then sets it back down. The work that the weightlifter does on the bar is:

- A) Greater than 0 since he applies a force in the direction of the displacement
- B) Equals 0 since the change in Kinetic Energy = 0
- C) Equals 0 since he does not apply any force while lifting the bar
- D) Less than 0 since the force he applies is opposite in direction to the displacement
- E) Equals 0 since the work he does in lifting the bar up is equal and opposite to the work he does setting it down

WE found a relationship between
work and kinetic energy

$$W_{net} = \Delta K$$

2 forms of energy, kinetic and
potential

→ Relationship between work
and potential energy

Gravity

Suppose I raise a ball to a height $h = y_f - y_i$

How much work has been done by me on the ball?

$$W = Fd \cos \theta$$

$$W_{ME} = mgh = mg(y_f - y_i)$$

$$\Delta K = 0 \text{ so net work} = 0$$

Only me and gravity are doing work on the ball and net work = 0

so work done by gravity must be equal and opposite to work I have done.

$$W_{me} = mgh = mg(y_f - y_i)$$

therefore

$$W_b = -mgh = mg(y_i - y_f)$$

$$W_b = mgy_i - mgy_f$$

$$= u_i - u_f$$

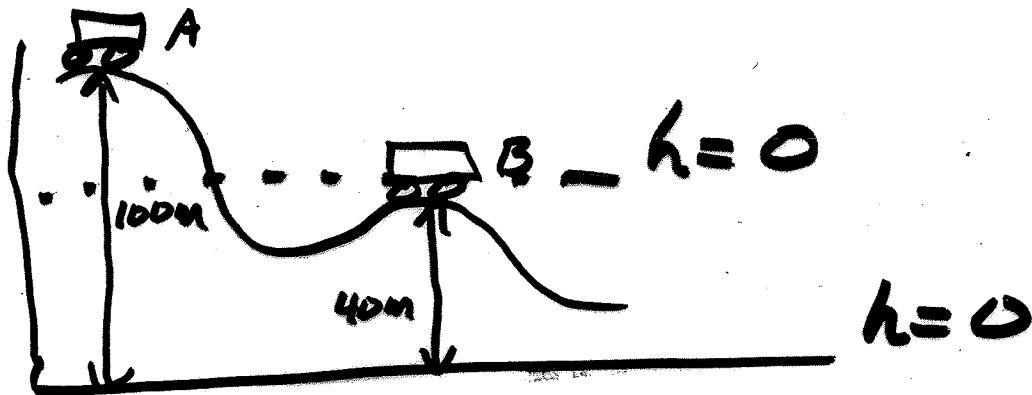
Define as
potential energy
(u)

$$u_b = mgh$$

Define $\Delta u = u_f - u_i$

$$W_b = -\Delta u$$

ex) A rollercoaster car slides down a frictionless track



What is the change in potential energy of the car if it has a mass of 100 kg?

$$A) U_A = mgh_A = (100 \text{ kg} \times 9.8 \text{ m/s}^2 \times 100 \text{ m})$$
$$\boxed{98,000 \text{ J}}$$

$$B) U_B = mgh_B = (100 \text{ kg} \times 9.8 \text{ m/s}^2 \times 40 \text{ m})$$
$$\boxed{39,200 \text{ J}}$$

$$U_A - U_B = \boxed{58,800 \text{ J}}$$

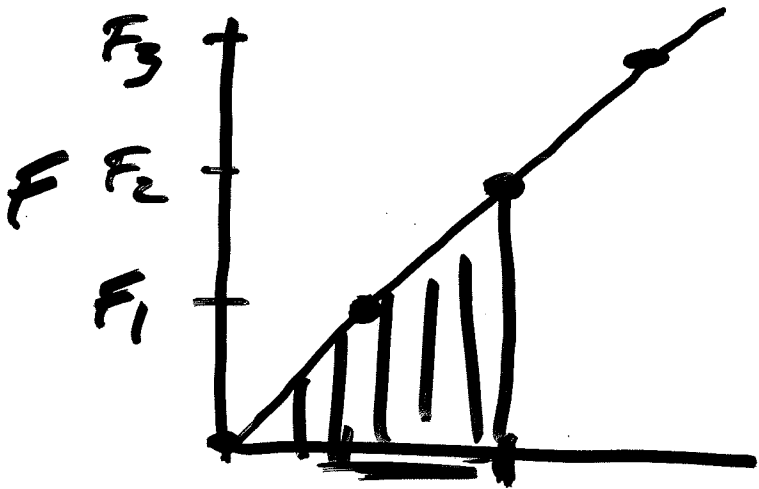
$$U_A = mg \cdot 60 \text{ m} = 58,800 \text{ J}$$

$$U_B = mg \cdot 0 = 0 \text{ J}$$

$$U_A - U_B = \boxed{58,800 \text{ J}}$$

Spring

$$y = mx + b$$

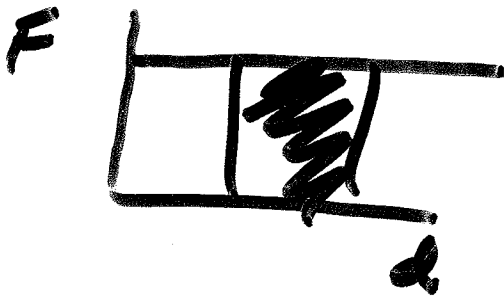


x distance stretched

$$F = kx$$

k = slope

Spring constant



Area under curve
= F · d = work

$$\text{Area of triangle} = \frac{1}{2} bh$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}(x)(kx) = \frac{1}{2}kx^2$$

$$\text{work} = \frac{1}{2}kx^2$$

potential energy of a spring
 $\frac{1}{2}kx^2$

Gravity

Work done in a gravitational field does not depend on path taken.

⇒ Gravitational potential energy is always the same at the same height regardless of path taken

If work done is independent of path taken → conservative force

Spring, gravity → conservative

Friction → not conservative

$$W_{\text{net}} = \Delta K = W_c + W_{nc}$$

we found earlier $W_c = -\Delta U$
(gravity)

$$\Delta K = -\Delta U + W_{nc}$$

$$\underline{W_{nc} = \Delta K + \Delta U}$$

if we only have conservative forces $W_{nc} = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta K + \Delta U = 0$$

$$\frac{1}{2}mv_f^2 - \frac{1}{2}mv_i^2 + U_f - U_i = 0$$

$$\frac{1}{2}mv_f^2 + U_f - \left(\frac{1}{2}mv_i^2 + U_i\right) = 0$$

Total Energy = kinetic + potential

$$E_f = K_f + U_f \quad E_i = K_i + U_i$$

$$E_f - E_i = 0 \Rightarrow E_f = E_i$$

Energy is conserved
(mechanical)

Potential Energy

Potential of an object to do work

→ spring

→ Gravity

For Gravity

→ No absolute scale for potential energy. Something that is higher has a higher potential energy than something that is lower

Interactive Question

Two marbles, one twice as heavy as the other, are dropped to the ground from the roof of a building. Just before hitting the ground, the heavier marble has

- A) as much kinetic energy as the lighter one.
- B) twice as much kinetic energy as the lighter one.
- C) half as much kinetic energy as the lighter one.
- D) four times as much kinetic energy as the lighter one.
- E) impossible to tell.

Interactive Question

In which system is there a decrease in potential energy?

- A) A boy stretches a spring.
- B) A child slides down a sliding board.
- C) A crate rests at the bottom of an inclined plane.
- D) A car ascends up a steep hill.
- E) More than one of the above