

Unit 4: Practice Test (Skills 28-32)

2 Pt Questions

109. A bulldog on a skate board rides down a hill. As this happens the total mechanical energy of the system

- A) Increases
- B) Decreases
- C) Remains the same

110. The work done to accelerate a hovercraft down a hallway becomes.... [assume frictionless]

- A) potential energy (gravitational)
- B) elastic potential energy
- C) internal energy
- D) kinetic energy *causes change in v*

111. A force " F_s " is used to stretch a spring distance " x ". Which equation should be used to determine the work done on the spring?

- A) $\frac{x}{F_s}$
- B) $\frac{F_s}{x}$
- C) $F_s x$
- D) $\frac{F_s}{2} x$

$$W = \frac{F_s}{2} x$$



112. A monkey drops a banana off a cliff. At what point in the fall are the kinetic and potential energy equal?

- A) At the top
- B) At the bottom
- C) One quarter of the way down
- D) Half way down

113. As Superman flies upward at a **constant speed** of 30m/s his

*height ↑
v →*

- A) Kinetic energy remains the same and the potential energy increases
- B) ~~Kinetic energy~~ decreases and the potential energy increases
- C) Both potential and kinetic energy remains the same
- D) Both potential and kinetic energy decrease

114. Ski lift A carries a group of snowboarders with a collective mass of 250kg to an elevation of 500m in a time of 4 minutes. Ski lift B carries a mass of 500kg in skiers to an elevation of 250m in a time of 2 minutes. Compared to Ski lift A, Ski lift B

- A) Does the same work, but consumes twice the power
- B) Does the same work, but consumes half the power
- C) Does more work and consumes the same power
- D) Does more work and consumes half the power

A	B
m 250kg	500kg
(2A) 500m	250m h
(2A) 4m	2m = t
$W = 2mgh$	$W = 2mgh$
$P = \frac{2mgh}{4}$	$P = \frac{2mgh}{2}$

*2m same work
Small t big P*

115. The rate at which energy is consumed is measured in

- A) joules
- B) joules/second
- C) seconds
- D) meters/second

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116. Energy and work are classified as

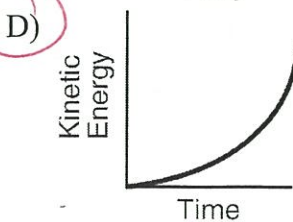
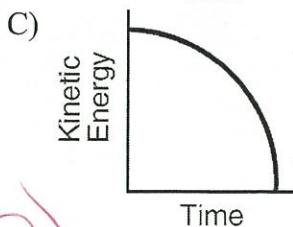
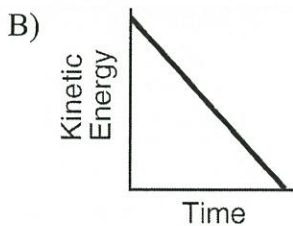
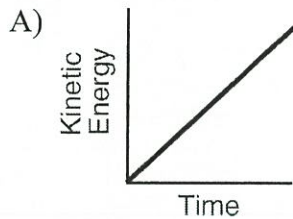
- A) Vector quantities
- ☒ B) Scalar quantities
- C) Energy is scalar and work is a vector

117. Which of the following is an appropriate unit for measuring potential energy?

- A) J/s
- B) $kg \frac{m}{s^2}$
- ☒ C) Nm
- D) N/m

118. An object falls freely near Earth's surface.

Which graph best represents the relationship between the object's kinetic energy and its time of fall

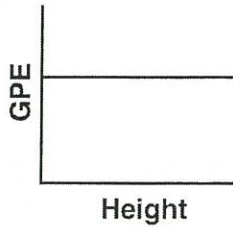


$$v_f = at$$
$$KE = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$$
$$KE = \frac{1}{2}m(v_f)^2$$

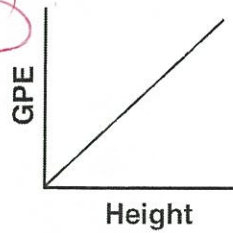
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119. Which graph represents the relationship between the gravitational potential energy (GPE) of an object near the surface of Earth and its height above the surface of Earth?

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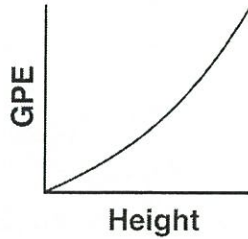


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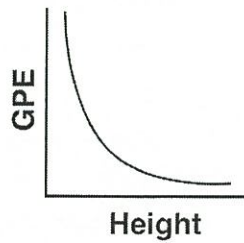


$$PE = mgh$$

C)



D)



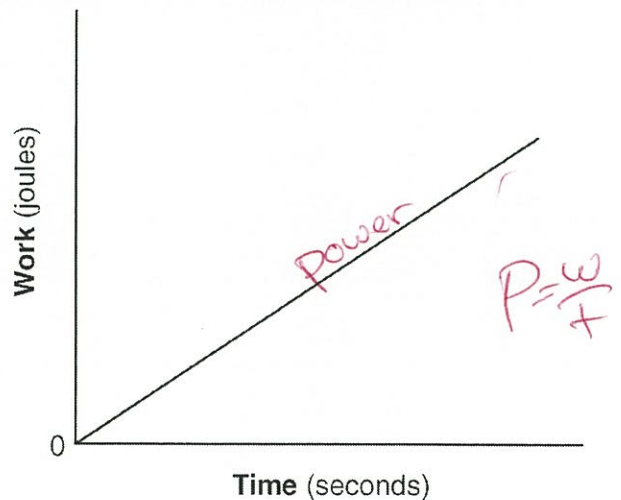
120. When a force moves an object over a rough, horizontal surface at a constant velocity, the work done against friction produces an increase in the object's

- A) weight B) momentum
C) potential energy D) internal energy

121. The graph below represents the relationship between the work done by a student running up a flight of stairs and the time of ascent.

What does the slope of this graph represent?

Work vs. Time

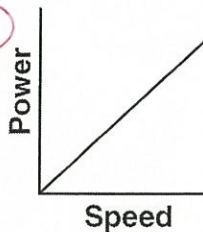


- A) impulse B) momentum
C) speed D) power

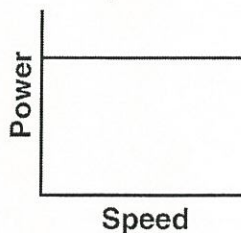
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122. Which graph best represents the relationship between the power required to raise an elevator and the speed at which the elevator rises?

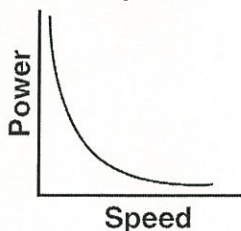
A)



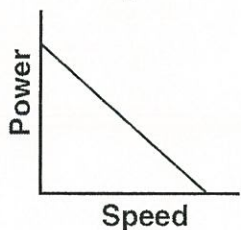
B)



C)

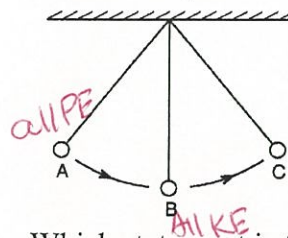


D)



$P = Fv$

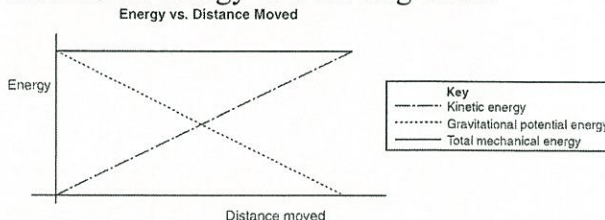
123. The diagram below shows three positions, A, B, and C, in the swing of a pendulum, released from rest at point A. [Neglect friction.]



Which statement is true about this swinging pendulum?

- A) The potential energy at A equals the kinetic energy at C.
- B) The speed of the pendulum at A equals the speed of the pendulum at B.
- C) The potential energy at B equals the potential energy at C.
- ☒ D) The potential energy at A equals the kinetic energy at B.

124. The graph below represents the kinetic energy, gravitational potential energy, and total mechanical energy of a moving block.



Which best describes the motion of the block?

- A) accelerating on a flat horizontal surface
- B) sliding up a frictionless incline
- ☒ C) falling freely
- D) being lifted at constant velocity

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125. The force of attraction between a cow with mass m_c and a "moon" with mass m_m is 900N when separated by a distance of "r". If the distance were changed to $3r$, what would be the new force between the cow and the moon?

- A) 300N B) 8100N
C) 100N D) 2700N

Review

$$r \times 3 \quad F_g \div 9$$

126. Tyrannosaurus Flex uses his tail to launch watermelons across a ravine into a pile of sand. As the speed of the launched watermelons doubles, the distance required to stop the watermelons if the force is held constant will be

- A) doubled B) one-half
C) quadrupled D) one-fourth

$$Fd = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$$
$$d = \frac{\frac{1}{2}mv^2}{F}$$

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127. Groot lifts Rocket Raccoon's mass of 20kg to a height of 10m on Planet X giving Rocket a total gravitational potential energy of 1500J. What is the gravitational field strength on Planet X?

A) 9.8 N/kg B) 5 N/kg
C) 1000 N/kg D) 7.5 N/kg

$$PE = mgh$$

$$1500 = (20)(g)(10)$$

$$g = 7.5 \text{ N/kg}$$

128. A 4kg sloth climbs slowly from a 2m high limb to a 5m high limb over a period of 12 hours. How much potential energy was gained by the sloth?

A) $1.8 \times 10^{-3} \text{ J}$ B) 8 J
C) 118 J D) 78.4 J

$$PE = mgh = (4\text{kg})(9.8\text{m/s}^2)(3\text{m}) = 117.6\text{J}$$

129. Captain America jumps on a spring with a spring constant of 240 newtons per meter, the spring is compressed 5 meter. How much energy is stored in the spring?

A) $7.5 \times 10^3 \text{ J}$ B) $3 \times 10^3 \text{ J}$
C) $1.2 \times 10^2 \text{ J}$ D) $1.5 \times 10^3 \text{ J}$

$$K = 240 \text{ N/m}$$

$$x = 5\text{m}$$

$$PE_s = ?$$

$$PE_s = \frac{1}{2} kx^2$$

$$PE_s = 3000\text{J}$$

130. A monkey named Abu drops a 3kg shiny trinket from a height of 20m. What are the approximate kinetic and potential energy of the trinket after it has fallen 15m?

A) PE = 441J ; KE = 147J
B) PE = 588J ; KE = 0 J
C) PE = 588J ; KE = 441J
D) PE = 147J ; KE = 441J

	20m	15m	5m
PE	588J	588J	588J
KE	0	147J	441J

131. A horizontal force of 40 Newtons pushes a block along a level table at a constant speed of 2 meters per second. How much work is done on the block in 3 seconds?

A) 80 J B) 120 J
C) 480 J D) 240 J

$$F = 40\text{N}$$

$$v = 2\text{m/s}$$

$$t = 3\text{s}$$

$$W = Fd = Fvt$$

$$= (40\text{N})(2\text{m/s})(3\text{s})$$

132. A 0.2 kg mouse runs up a clock to a height of 2 m and slides down a piece of wood back to the base. The mouse has 1J of kinetic energy when he reaches the base. How much work was done against friction during the slide?

A) 3 J B) 1 J
C) 2 J D) 0.3 J

$$Q = PE_{\text{top}} - KE_{\text{bottom}}$$

$$3.9\text{J} - 1\text{J} = 2.9\text{J}$$

133. If Optimus Prime does $2 \times 10^5 \text{ J}$ of work in 2 seconds to launch Bumblebee into the air, the power developed is

A) $2 \times 10^5 \text{ watts}$ B) $4 \times 10^5 \text{ watts}$
C) $1 \times 10^5 \text{ watts}$ D) 1 watt

$$P = \frac{W}{t} = \frac{2 \times 10^5}{2\text{s}}$$

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134. Raphael the ninja turtle swings his 80kg mass on a rope like a pendulum. Raphael's maximum velocity at the bottom of the swing is 20 m/s. What is the maximum height of the pendulum's swing?

- A) 80 m B) 392 m
C) 20 m D) 4m

$$\begin{aligned} PE_{\text{top}} &= KE_{\text{bottom}} \\ mgh &= \frac{1}{2}mv^2 \\ (9.81\text{m/s}^2)h &= \frac{1}{2}(20\text{m/s})^2 \\ h &= 20\text{m} \end{aligned}$$

135. A 25-gram frog falls from the ledge of a stream bank 0.90 meter above a creek. If the frog has 0.20 joule of kinetic energy when it hits the water, what is the total amount of energy converted into internal (thermal) energy during the frog's fall?

- A) 0.02 J B) 0.22 J
C) 2.2 J D) 220 J

136. How much work is done by a 500kg Orca whale as it speeds up from 10m/s to 12m/s?

- A) 1800J B) 11000J
C) 19800J D) 3600J

$$\begin{aligned} W &= \Delta KE \\ &= \frac{1}{2}m(v_f^2 - v_i^2) \\ &= \frac{1}{2}(500\text{kg})(12\text{m/s}^2 - 10\text{m/s}^2) \end{aligned}$$