**Class – X Concise Physics Solutions-II**

**Chapter- 2 Work Energy and Power**

**Exercise 2A.**

1. Work is said to be done only when the force applied on a body makes the body move. It is a scalar quantity.
2. (i) When force is in direction of displacement, then work done , W = FxS

(ii) When force is at an angle http://cdn.topperlearning.com/topper/bookquestions/188292_image002.gif to the direction of displacement, then work done, W= F S coshttp://cdn.topperlearning.com/topper/bookquestions/188292_image002.gif

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(b)

(i)For zero work done, the angle between force and displacement should be 90o as cos 90o=0

W =FScos90o= FSx0=0

(ii)For maximum work done, the angle between force and displacement should be 0o as cos0o=1

Hence, W=FScos 0o=FS

1. Two conditions when the work done is zero are:

(i)When there is no displacement (S=0) and,

(ii)When the displacement is normal to the direction of the force ( theta=90o).

1. (i) If the displacement of the body is in the direction of force, then work done is positive.

Hence, W= F x S

For example: A coolie does work on the load when he raises it up against the force of gravity. The force exerted by coolie (=mg) and displacement, both are in upward direction.

(ii)If the displacement of the body is in the direction opposite to the force, then work done is negative.

Hence, W =- F x S

For example: When a body moves on a surface, the force of friction between the body and the surface is in direction opposite to the motion of the body and so the work done by the force of friction is negative.

1. Work is done against the force.
2. When a body moves in a circular path, no work is done since the force on the body is directed towards the centre of circular path (the body is acted upon by the centripetal force), while the displacement at all instants is along the tangent to the circular path, i.e., normal to the direction of force.
3. Work done by the force of gravity (which provides the centripetal force) is zero as the force of gravity acting on the satellite is normal to the displacement of the satellite.
4. Work is done only in case of a boy climbing up a stair case.
5. When a coolie carrying some load on his head moves, no work is done by him against the force of gravity because the displacement of load being horizontal, is normal to the direction of force of gravity.
6. Force applied by the fielder on the ball is in opposite direction of displacement of ball. So, work done by the fielder on the ball is negative.
7. When a coolie carries a load while moving on a ground, the displacement is in the horizontal direction while the force of gravity acts vertically downward. So the work done by the force of gravity is zero.
8. S.I unit of work is Joule.

C.G.S unit of work is erg.

Relation between joule and erg :

1joule= 1N x 1m

But 1N =105dyne

And 1m=100 cm= 102cm

Hence, 1 joule= 105dyne x 102cm

=107dyne x cm=107erg

Thus, 1 Joule= 107 erg

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1. Let a body of mass m fall down through a vertical height h either directly or through an inclined plane e.g. a hill, slope or staircase. The force of gravity on the body is F=mg acting vertically downwards and the displacement in the direction of force (i.e., vertical) is S=h. Therefore the work done by the force of gravity is

W= FS =mgh

1. Let a boy of mass m climb up through a vertical height h either through staircase of using a lift. The force of gravity on the boy is F=mg acting vertically downwards and the displacement in the direction opposite to force (i.e., vertical) is S=-h. Therefore the work done by the force of gravity on the boy is

W= FS =-mgh

or,the work W=mgh is done by the boy against the force of gravity.

1. The energy of a body is its capacity to do work. Its S.I unit is Joule (J).
2. eV measures the energy of atomic particles.

1eV= 1.6 x 10-19J

1. 1 J = 0.24 calorie
2. Calorie measures heat energy.

1calorie = 4.18 J

1. 1kWh is the energy spent (or work done) by a source of power 1kW in 1 h.

1kWh = 3.6 x 106J

1. The rate of doing work is called power. The S.I. unit of power is watt (W).
2. Power spent by a source depends on two factors:

(i) The amount of work done by the source, and

(ii) The time taken by the source to do the said work.

Example: If a coolie A takes 1 minute to lift a load to the roof of a bus, while another coolie B takes 2 minutes to lift the same load to the roof of the same bus, the work done by both the coolies is the same, but the power spent by the coolie A is twice the power spent by the coolie B because the coolie A does work at a faster rate.



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| Work | Power |
| 1. Work done by a force is equal to the product of force and the displacement in the direction of force. | 1. Power of a source is the rate of doing work by it. |
| 2. Work done does not depend on time. | 2. Power spent depends on the time in which work is done. |
| 3. S.I unit of work is joule (J). | 3. S.I unit of power is watt (W). |



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| Energy | Power |
| 1. Energy of a body is its capacity to do work. | 1. Power of a source is the energy spent by it in 1s. |
| 2. Energy spent does not depend on time. | 2. Power spent depends on the time in which energy is spent. |
| 3. S.I unit of energy is joule (J). | 3. S.I unit of power is watt (W). |

1. S.I unit of power is watt (W).

If 1 joule of work is done in 1 second, the power spent is said to be 1 watt.

1. Horse power is another unit of power, largely used in mechanical engineering. It is related to the S.I unit watt as :

1 H.P =746 W

1. Watt (W) is the unit of power, while watt hour (Wh) is the unit of work, since power x time = work.
2. a. Energy is measured in kWh

b. Power is measure in kW

c. Energy is measured in Wh

d. Energy is meaused in eV

Concept insight: Energy has bigger units like kWh (kilowatt hour) and Wh (watt hour). Similarly bigger unit of power is kW (kilo watt).

The energy of atomic particles is very small, and hence, it is measured in eV (electron volt).

**MCQ.**

1. 746 W
2. The unit kWh is the unit of energy.

**Exercise 2B.**

1. Two forms of mechanical energy are:

(i) Kinetic energy

(ii) Potential energy

1. Elastic potential energy is possessed by wound up watch spring.
2. (a)Kinetic energy (K)

(b)Potential energy (U)

(c)Kinetic energy (K)

(d)Potential energy (U)

(e)Kinetic energy (K)

(f)Potential energy (U)

1. When the string of a bow is pulled, some work is done which is stored in the deformed state of the bow in the form of its elastic potential energy. On releasing the string to shoot an arrow, the potential energy of the bow changes into the kinetic energy of the arrow which makes it move.

1. Potential energy: The energy possessed by a body by virtue of its specific position (or changed configuration) is called the potential energy.

Different forms of P.E. are as listed below:

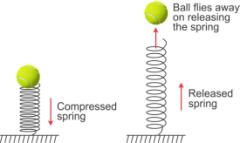
(i) Gravitational potential energy: The potential energy possessed by a body due to its position relative to the centre of Earth is called its gravitational potential energy.

Example: A stone at a height has gravitational potential energy due to its raised height.

(ii) Elastic potential energy: The potential energy possessed by a body in the deformed state due to change in its configuration is called its elastic potential energy.

Example: A compressed spring has elastic potential energy due to its compressed state.

1. The compressed spring has elastic potential energy due to its compressed state. When it is released, the potential energy of the spring changes into kinetic energy which does work on the ball if placed on it and changes into kinetic energy of the ball due to which it flies away.



1. Gravitational potential energy is the potential energy possessed by a body due to its position relative to the centre of earth.

For a body placed at a height above the ground, the gravitational potential energy is measured by the amount of work done in lifting it up to that height against the force of gravity.

Let a body of mass m be lifted from the ground to a vertical height h. The least upward force F required to lift the body (without acceleration) must be equal to the force of gravity (=mg) on the body acting vertically downwards. The work done W on the body in lifting it to a height h is

W= force of gravity (mg) x displacement (h)

=mgh

This work is stored in the body when it is at a height h in the form of its gravitational potential energy.

Gravitational potential energy U= mgh

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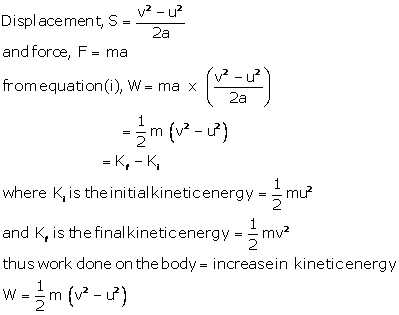
Gravitational potential energy U= mgh

1. Potential energy is possessed by the body even when it is not in motion. For example: a stone at a height has the gravitational potential energy due to its raised position.
2. A body in motion is said to possess the kinetic energy. The energy possessed by a body by virtue of its state of motion is called the kinetic energy.
3. Kinetic energy =http://cdn.topperlearning.com/topper/bookquestions/188345_image051.gif
4. According to the work-energy theorem, the work done by a force on a moving body is equal to the increase in its kinetic energy.
5. Body of mass m is moving with a uniform velocity u. A force is applied on the body due to which its velocity changes from u to v and produces an acceleration a in moving a distance S. Then,

Work done by the force= force x displacement

W = F x S ---------(i)

From relation : v2 = u2+2 a S



1. Kinetic energy, http://cdn.topperlearning.com/topper/bookquestions/188348_image055.gifwhere p is the momentum.

Both the masses have same momentum p. The kinetic energy, K is inversely proportional to mass of the body.

Hence light mass body has more kinetic energy because smaller the mass, larger is the kinetic energy.

1. The three forms of kinetic energy are:

(i) Translational kinetic energy- example: a freely falling body

(ii) Rotational kinetic energy-example: A spinning top.

(iii) Vibrational kinetic energy-example: atoms in a solid vibrating about their mean position.



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| Potential energy (U) | Kinetic energy (K) |
| 1. The energy possessed by a body by virtue of its specific position or changed configuration is called potential energy. | 1. The energy possessed by a body by virtue of its state of motion is called the kinetic energy. |
| 2. Two forms of potential energy are gravitational potential energy and elastic potential energy. | 2. Forms of kinetic energy are translational, rotational and vibrational kinetic energy. |
| 3. Example: A wound up watch spring has potential energy. | 3. For example: a moving car has kinetic energy. |

1. (a) Motion.

(b) Position.

1. Yes, when force is normal to displacement, no transfer of energy takes place.
2. Kinetic energy.
3. When water falls from a height, the potential energy stored in water at a height changes into the kinetic energy of water during the fall. On striking the ground, a part of the kinetic energy of water changes into the heat energy due to which the temperature of water rises.
4. The six different forms of energy are:

      1.Solar energy

      2.Heat energy

      3.Light energy

      4.Chemical or fuel energy

      5.Hydro energy

      6.Nuclear energy

1. (a) Potential energy of wound up spring converts into kinetic energy.

(b) Chemical energy of petrol or diesel converts into mechanical energy (kinetic energy)

(c) Kinetic energy to potential energy

(d) Light energy changes into chemical energy

(e) Electrical energy changes into chemical energy

(f) Chemical energy changes into heat energy

(g) Chemical energy changes into heat and light energy

(h) Chemical energy changes into heat, light and sound energy

1. (a) Electrical energy into sound energy

(b) Heat energy into mechanical energy

(c) Sound energy into electrical energy

(d) Electrical energy to mechanical energy

(e) Electrical energy into light energy

(f) Chemical energy to heat energy

(g) Light energy into electrical energy

(h) Chemical energy into heat energy

(i) Chemical energy into electrical energy

(j) Chemical energy to mechanical energy

(k) Electrical energy into heat energy

(l) Light energy into electrical energy

(m) Electrical energy into magnetic energy.

**MCQ.**

1. Potential energy

Hint: P.E. is the energy possessed by a body by virtue of its position.

1. Chemical to electrical

Hint: When current is drawn from an electric cell, the chemical energy stored in it changes into electrical energy.

**Exercise 2C.**

1. Two characteristics which a source of energy must have are as listed below:

 i. It should provide an adequate amount of useful energy at a steady rate over a longer period of time.

 ii. It should be safe and convenient to use and economical.

1. Sources of energy are classified as shown below:

1. Renewable or non-conventional sources

2. Non-renewable or conventional sources

The above classification is done on the basis of availability of the energy sources.



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| Renewable sources | Non-renewable sources |
| 1. These are the sources from which energy can be obtained continuously over a very long period of time. | 1. These are the sources from which energy cannot be continuously obtained over a very long period of time. |
| 2.They are the non-conventional sources. | 2. They are the conventional sources. |
| 3.These resources can be regenerated. | 3. These resources cannot be regenerated. |
| 4.These are the natural sources which will not get exhausted. | 4. These are the natural sources which would soon deplete. |
| 5.Examples: solar energy, wind energy ,nuclear energy etc. | 5. Examples: coal, petroleum and natural gas. |



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| Renewable sources | Non-renewable sources |
| Wood | Coal |
| Water | Diesel |
| Wind | Oil |

1. A tree usually takes more than 15 years to grow fully; therefore renewal of wood as energy source takes a long time. Further, the cutting of trees on a large scale causes depletion of forests which results in environmental imbalance. Hence use of wood as a fuel must be avoided.
2. Five renewable sources of energy:

1. Sun

2. Wind

3. Flowing water

4. Bio-mass

5. Tides

Three non-renewable sources of energy:

1. Coal

2. Petroleum

3. Natural gas

1. (i) Tidal energy: The energy possessed by rising and falling water in tides is known as tidal energy.

Dams are constructed across a narrow opening to the sea to harness tidal energy and produce electricity. However, it is not a major source of energy as the rise and fall of seawater during tides is not enough to generate electricity on a large scale.

(ii)Ocean energy: Water in the oceans possesses energy in two forms:

(a) Ocean thermal energy- The energy available due to the difference in temperature of water at the surface and at deeper levels of ocean is called the ocean thermal energy. This energy is harnessed for producing electricity by a device called ocean thermal energy conversion power plant (OCTEC power plant).

(b) Oceanic waves energy- The kinetic energy possessed by fast moving oceanic (or sea) waves is called oceanic waves energy. Though models have been made to generate electricity from oceanic waves, but so far it has not been put to practical use.

(iii) Geo thermal energy: The heat energy possessed by the rocks inside the Earth is called geothermal energy.

The hot rocks present at the hot spots deep inside the Earth, heat the underground water and turn it into steam. This steam is compressed at high pressure between the rocks. Holes are drilled deep into the Earth up to the hot spots to extract the steam through pipes, which is utilized to rotate the turbines connected to the armature of an electric generator to produce electricity.

1. Sun is the main source of energy on earth.
2. The energy obtained from sun is called the solar energy. A solar power plant is a device in which heat energy of sun is used to generate electricity. It consists of a large number of concave reflectors, at the focus of which there are black painted water pipes. The reflectors concentrate the heat energy of the sun rays on the pipes due to which water inside the pipes starts boiling and produces steam. The steam thus produced is used to rotate a steam turbine which drives a generator producing electricity.

1. A solar cell is an electrical device that converts light energy directly into electricity with the help of photovoltaic effect. Solar cells are usually made from semiconductors like silicon and gallium with some impurity added to it. When sunlight is made incident on a solar cell, a potential difference is produced between its surface, due to which a current flows in the circuit connected between the opposite faces of the semiconductor.

Two uses of solar cells are as listed below:

 i. They do not require maintenance and last over a long period of time at zero running cost.

 ii. They are very useful for remote, inaccessible and isolated places where electric power lines cannot be laid.

Solar cell produces d.c. (direct current).

One disadvantage of solar cell is listed below:

(i) The initial cost of a solar panel is sufficiently high.

1. Advantages of using solar panels:

      1.They do not cause any pollution in the environment.

      2.Running cost of solar panel is almost zero.

      3.They last over a long period of time.

      4.They do not require any maintenance.

       5.They are suitable for remote and inaccessible places where electricity power lines cannot be laid.

      Disadvantages of using solar panels:

       1.The initial cost of a solar panel is sufficiently high.

       2.The efficiency of conversion of solar energy to electricity is low.

       3.A solar panel produces d.c. electricity which cannot be directly used for many household purposes.

1. The kinetic energy of the moving large masses of air is called the wind energy. Wind energy is used in a wind generator to produce electricity by making use of wind mill to drive a wind generator.

At present in India, more than 1025MW electric power is generated using the wind energy.

1. Advantages of using the wind energy:

       1.It does not cause any kind of pollution.

       2.It is an everlasting source.

     Disadvantages of using wind energy:

       1.The establishment of a wind farm is expensive.

       2.A large area of land is needed for the establishment of a wind farm.

1. The kinetic energy possessed by the flowing water is called the water or hydro energy. Principle of a hydroelectric power plant is that the water flowing in high altitude rivers is collected in a high dam (or reservoir). The water from dam is then allowed to fall on a water turbine which is located near the bottom of the dam. The shaft of the turbine is connected to the armature of an electric generator or dynamo.

At present only 23% of the total electricity is generated by the hydro energy.

1. Advantages of producing the hydro electricity:

     1.It does not produce any environmental pollution.

     2.It is a renewable source of energy.

     Disadvantages of producing hydroelectricity:

     1.Due to the construction of dams over the rivers, plants and animals of that place get destroyed or killed.

     2.The ecological balance in the downstream areas of rivers gets disturbed.

2. At present only about 3% of the total electrical power generated in India is obtained from the nuclear power plants.

Tarapur in Maharahtra and Narora in Uttar Pradesh are the places where electricity is produced by use of nuclear energy.

1. Advantages of using nuclear energy:

       1.A very small amount of nuclear fuel can produce a tremendous amount of energy.

       2.Once the nuclear fuel is loaded into nuclear power plant, it continues to release energy for several years.

       Disadvantages of using nuclear energy:

      1.It is not a clean source of energy because very harmful nuclear radiations are produced in the process.

      2.The waste causes environmental pollution.

1. (a)Light energy into electrical energy

(b)Mechanical energy into electrical energy.

(c)Mechanical energy into electrical energy.

(d)Nuclear energy(or heat energy) into electrical energy.

1. Four ways for the judicious use of energy:

(a)The fossil fuels such as coal, petroleum, natural gas should be used only for the limited purposes when there is no other alternative source of energy available.

(b)The wastage of energy should be avoided.

(c)Efforts must be made to make use of energy for community or group purposes.

(d)The cutting of trees must be banned and more and more new trees must be roped to grow.

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1. Sun
2. Sun

**Exercise 2D.**

1. According to the law of conservation of energy, energy can neither be created nor can it be destroyed. It only changes from one form to another.
2. According to the law of conservation of mechanical energy, whenever there is an interchange between the potential energy and kinetic energy, the total mechanical energy (i.e., the sum of kinetic energy K and potential energy U) remains constant i.e., K + U = constant when there are no frictional forces.

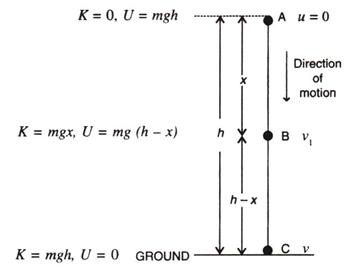
Mechanical energy is conserved only when there are no frictional forces for a given system (i.e. between body and air). Thus, conservation of mechanical energy is strictly valid only in vacuum, where friction due to air is absent.

1. Motion of a simple pendulum and motion of a freely falling body.
2. Kinetic energy of the body changes to potential energy when it is thrown vertically upwards and its velocity becomes zero.
3. (a) Potential energy

(b) Potential energy and kinetic energy

(c) Kinetic energy

1. Let a body of mass m be falling freely under gravity from a height h above the ground (i.e., from position A). Let us now calculate the sum of kinetic energy K and potential energy U at various positions, say at A (at height h above the ground), at B (when it has fallen through a distance x) and at C (on the ground).



(i)At the position A (at height h above the ground):

Initial velocity of body= 0 (since body is at rest at A)

Hence, kinetic energy K =0

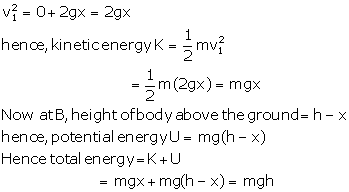
Potential energy U = mgh

Hence total energy = K + U= 0 + mgh =mgh-----(i)

(ii) At the position B (when it has fallen a distance x):

Let v1be the velocity acquired by the body at B after falling through a distance x. Then u=0, S =x, a=g

From equation v2= u2+2aS



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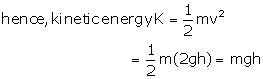
(iii) At the position C (on the ground):

Let the velocity acquired by the body on reaching the ground be v. Then u=0, S=h, a=g

From equation: v2= u2+2aS

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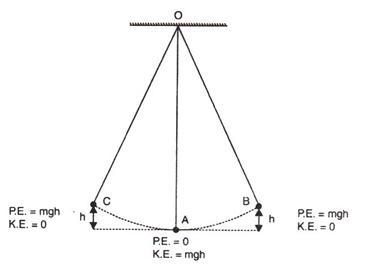


And potential energy U=0 (at the ground when h=0)

Hence total energy= K+U= mgh + 0=mgh ------(iii)

Thus from equation (i), (ii) and (iii), we note that the total mechanical energy i.e., the sum of kinetic energy and potential energy always remain constant at each point of motion and is equal to initial potential energy at height h.

1. When the bob swings from A to B, the kinetic energy decreases and the potential energy becomes maximum at B where it is momentarily at rest.



From B to A, the potential energy again changes into the kinetic energy and the process gets repeated again and again.

Thus while swinging, the bob has only the potential energy at the extreme position B or C and only the kinetic energy at the resting position A. At an intermediate position (between A and B or between A and C), the bob has both the kinetic energy and potential energy, and the sum of both the energies (i.e., the total mechanical energy) remains constant throughout the swing.

1. (a)At position A, pendulum has maximum kinetic energy and its potential energy is zero at its resting position. Hence, K=mgh and U= 0.

(b)At B, kinetic energy decreases and potential energy increases. Hence, K= 0 and U=mgh

(c)At C also, kinetic energy K= 0 and potential energy U=mgh.

1. The gradual decrease of useful energy due to friction etc. is called the degradation of energy.

     Examples:

     1. When we cook food over a fire, the major part of heat energy from the fuel is radiated out in the atmosphere. This radiated energy is of no use to us.

     2. When electrical appliances are run by electricity, the major part of electrical energy is wasted in the form of heat energy.

**MCQ.**

1. Potential energy of the ball at the highest point is *mgh*.

Hint: At the highest point, the ball momentarily comes to rest and thus its kinetic energy becomes zero.

1. The sum of its kinetic and potential energy remains constant throughout the motion.Hint: In accordance with law of conservation of mechanical energy, whenever there is an interchange between the potential energy and kinetic energy, the total mechanical energy remains constant.