

Energy and Power

- **Condition for scientifically work to be done**

1. **There must be a displacement**
2. Displacement must be along the direction of applied force

- **When is no work done?**

1. **No displacement [No work is done in circular path]**
2. Displacement occurs perpendicularly to the applied force

Work = Force \times Displacement [along force direction]

$$W = F \times s \text{ [Unit – Joule, } 1 \text{ J} = 1 \text{ N} \times 1 \text{ m]}$$

- **Work-Energy Relationship:**
 - The ability to do work is called energy.
 - Energy of the body is equal to the amount of work it can do when its energy is released.
 - A Body possessing energy is only capable of doing work.

- **Potential energy:** A body possesses potential energy by virtue of its configuration or position.
- **Gravitational potential energy**

$$PE = mgh \text{ [} h \text{ = height of object from the earth surface]}$$

- **Elastic potential energy**

$$U = \frac{1}{2} kx^2 \text{ [Where } x \text{ = compression or elongation in the spring]}$$

- **Energy** : Capacity to do work is called energy.
- There are various form of energy e.g. heat energy, mechanical energy, nuclear energy, light energy etc.
- **Mechanical Energy**: It is caused by the motion or the position and configuration of the object.
- **Kinetic energy**: A body possesses kinetic energy by virtue of its motion.

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

- **Proof**

$$v^2 - u^2 = 2as$$

$$s = \frac{v^2 - u^2}{2a}$$

$$W = ma \times \frac{v^2 - u^2}{2a}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} m(v^2 - u^2)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} mv^2 \text{ [when } u = 0 \text{]}$$

The kinetic energy of the wind is used in windmills to generate electricity.

Relationship between kinetic energy and momentum

$$\text{K.E.} = \frac{1}{2} mv^2 = \frac{1}{2} m^2 \frac{v^2}{m} = \frac{1}{2} mK = 2mK \text{ (where } K = \text{Kinetic energy)}$$

- **Law of conservation of energy**
 - The total amount of energy in a system always remains constant.

$$mgh + \frac{1}{2}mv^2 = \text{constant}$$

Power: It is defined as rate of doing work.

$$P = \frac{W}{t} \text{ (Unit - Watt, } 1W = \frac{1J}{1s})$$

1Horse Power = 746Watts

For electric appliances,

power = voltage \times current

Energy consumed in time $t = \text{Power} \times \text{time}$.

Power is also defined as the product of force and average speed.

$P = F \times v$