MOMENTUM AND ENERGY QUIZ REVIEW KEY

Instructions: Show your work completely in your journal when answering the following questions.

- 1. Define the following (conceptual definition and equation):
 - a. Momentum

Momentum is similar to inertia in motion; $p = m \cdot v$

b. Impulse

Impulse is a force applied over a time interval; $I = F \Delta t = \Delta p$

c. Conservation of Momentum

The momentum of a system before an event is equal to momentum afterward.

$$p_{before} = p'_{after}$$

d. Kinetic Energy

Energy due to motion; $E_K = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$

- e. Potential Energy Energy due to position/location; $E_P = mgh$
- f. Mechanical Energy Energy due to motion or location of a physical body; $ME = E_K + E_P$
- g. Conservation of Energy

Mechanical energy of a system remains constant before and after an event; $E_{K1} + E_{P1} = E'_{K2} + E'_{P2}$

h. Elastic Collision

A collision where objects bounce off each other undamaged; $m_1v_1 + m_2v_2 = m_1v'_1 + m_2v'_2$

i. Inelastic Collision

A collision where objects bounce off and each is damaged OR objects collide and stick together;

 $m_1v_1 + m_2v_2 = (m_1 + m_2) v'$

- 2. What is the kinetic energy for the following objects?
 - a. A 65 kg runner moving with a speed of 7.0 $^{\rm m}/_{\rm S}$

$$E_{K} = \frac{1}{2}mv^{2} = \frac{1}{2}(65 \text{ kg})(7.0 \text{ m/s})^{2}$$
$$E_{K} = 1600 \text{ J}$$

b. A 2.0 million kg space shuttle with a launch speed of 44 $^{\rm m}/_{\rm S}$

$$E_{K} = \frac{1}{2}mv^{2} = \frac{1}{2}(200000 \text{ kg})(44 \text{ m/s})^{2}$$
$$E_{K} = 1.9 \times 10^{9} \text{ J}$$

c. A 5.0 kg bowling ball moving with a speed of 9.5 $^{\rm m}/_{\rm S}$

$$E_K = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 = \frac{1}{2}(5.0 \text{ kg})(9.5 \text{ m/}_S)^2$$
$$E_K = 230 \text{ J}$$

d. A 75 kg skier at rest

$$E_{K} = \frac{1}{2}mv^{2} = \frac{1}{2}(75 \text{ kg})(0 \text{ m/s})^{2}$$
$$E_{K} = 0 \text{ J}$$

- 3. What is the potential energy for the following objects?
 - a. A 0.50 kg orange sitting on a shelf 2.0 meters off the ground

$$E_P = mgh = (0.50 \text{ kg}) (9.80 \text{ m/}_{\text{S}^2}) (2.0 \text{ m})$$

 $E_P = 9.8 \text{ J}$

b. A 68 kg snowboarder sitting on a ramp 15 meters high

$$E_P = mgh = (68 \text{ kg}) (9.80 \text{ m}/_{\text{S}^2}) (15 \text{ m})$$

 $E_P = 1.0 \times 10^4 \text{ J}$

c. A 1200 kg car parked in a garage 6 stories up (21 meters)

$$E_P = mgh = (1200 \text{ kg}) (9.80 \text{ m}/_{\text{S}^2}) (21 \text{ m})$$

 $E_P = 2.5 \times 10^5 \text{ J}$

d. A 16 kg box sitting on the floor

$$E_P = mgh = (16 \text{ kg}) \left(9.80 \text{ m}/_{\text{S}^2}\right) (0 \text{ m})$$
$$\boxed{E_P = 0 \text{ J}}$$

- 4. You decide to apply your vast knowledge of physics to baseball. You swing the bat and, oops, it's a pop up. The 0.145 kg ball starts straight up off the bat at 35 m/s.
 - a. How much kinetic energy does the ball have initially? At the top?

$$E_{K(1)} = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 = \frac{1}{2}(0.145 \text{ kg})(35 \text{ m/}_{\text{S}})^2$$
$$E_{K(1)} = 89 \text{ J}$$
$$E'_{K(2)} = 0 \text{ J}$$

b. At the top, what is the ball's potential energy?

$$E_{K1} + E_{P1} = E'_{K2} + E'_{P2} \sim 89 \text{ J} + 0 = 0 + E'_{P2}$$

 $E'_{P2} = 89 \text{ J}$

c. The catcher catches the ball. Just before it hits, what is the ball's kinetic energy? Potential energy?

Kinetic energy is conserved in an elastic collision. Thus:

$$E_K = 89 \text{ J}$$
$$E_P = 0 \text{ J}$$

- 5. You go next door from the baseball field and find the local pool. You climb up onto the 10. m platform to take a dive. If your mass is 50. kg:
 - a. What is the change in potential energy when you climb up there?

$$\Delta E_P = E_{P(2)} - E_{P(1)} = mgh_2 - mgh_1 = (50 \text{ kg}) (9.80 \text{ m/}_{\text{S}^2}) (10 \text{ m}) - 0$$
$$\Delta E_P = 4900 \text{ J}$$

b. You jump. How fast are you going just before striking the water 10. m below?

$$E_{K1} + E_{P1} = E'_{K2} + E'_{P2} \sim 0 + 4900 \text{ J} = E'_{K2} + 0$$
$$E'_{K2} = 4900 \text{ J}$$
$$E'_{K(2)} = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 \sim 4900 \text{ J} = \frac{1}{2}(50 \text{ kg})v^2$$
$$\boxed{v = 14 \text{ m/s}}$$

6. A world-class Olympic athlete starts from rest on top of a 100. meter hill, skis down the incline and makes a world-record setting jump. If she has a mass of 55 kg, use the information given in the diagram to fill in the missing information.



Point A:

$$E_{P} = mgh = (55 \text{ kg}) \left(9.80 \text{ m}/_{\text{S}^{2}}\right) (100 \text{ m}) = 53,900 \text{ J}$$
$$E_{K} = \frac{1}{2}mv^{2} = 0 \text{ J}$$
$$ME = E_{K} + E_{P} = 53,900 \text{ J}$$

Point C:

$$ME = constant = \underline{53,900 \text{ J}}$$
$$E_P = mgh = (55 \text{ kg}) (9.80 \text{ m}/_{S^2}) (30 \text{ m}) = \boxed{16,170 \text{ J}}$$
$$ME = E_K + E_P \sim E_K = ME - E_P = 53900 \text{ J} - 16170 \text{ J} = \boxed{37,730 \text{ J}}$$

Point D:

$$ME = constant = \underline{53,900 \text{ J}}$$
$$\underline{E_K} = 22,000 \text{ J}$$
$$ME = E_K + E_P \sim E_P = ME - E_K = 53900 \text{ J} - 22000 \text{ J} = \boxed{31,900 \text{ J}}$$
$$E_P = mgh \sim h = \frac{E_P}{mg} = \frac{31900 \text{ J}}{(55 \text{ kg}) (9.80 \text{ m/}_{\text{s}^2})} = \boxed{59 \text{ m}}$$

Point E:

$$ME = constant = \underline{53,900 \text{ J}}$$
$$\underline{E_P = 0 \text{ J}}$$
$$ME = E_K + E_P \sim E_K = \boxed{53,900 \text{ J}}$$

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b. Calculate her velocity at points B and C

Point B (equivalent to point D since they're at the same height!):

$$E_{K} = \frac{1}{2}mv^{2} = 22,000 \text{ J}$$
$$v_{B} = \sqrt{\frac{2E_{K(B)}}{m}} = \sqrt{\frac{2(22000 \text{ J})}{(55 \text{ kg})}}$$
$$v_{B} = 28 \text{ m/s}$$

Point C:

$$E_{K} = \frac{1}{2}mv^{2} = 37,730 \text{ J}$$
$$v_{C} = \sqrt{\frac{2E_{K(C)}}{m}} = \sqrt{\frac{2(37730 \text{ J})}{(55 \text{ kg})}}$$
$$v_{C} = 37 \text{ m/s}$$

7. Use the law of conservation of energy to fill in the blanks at the various marked positions for a 1000. kg roller coaster car.



E.
$$E_K = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 = 200,000 \ \ v_B = \sqrt{\frac{2E_{K(B)}}{m}} = \sqrt{\frac{2(250000 \text{ J})}{(1000 \text{ kg})}} \ \ v_B = 22 \text{ m}/\text{s}$$

F. $ME = E_K + E_P \ \ E_K = 450,000 \text{ J}$
G. $E_P = mgh \ \ E_P = 0 \text{ J}$
H. $E_K = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 = 400,000 \ \ v_B = \sqrt{\frac{2E_{K(B)}}{m}} = \sqrt{\frac{2(450000 \text{ J})}{(1000 \text{ kg})}} \ \ v_B = 30. \text{ m}/\text{s}$