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Q) How is work related to energy?

ans → Work is nothing but the force. Energy is always transferred to an object for motion. This transfer of energy is done when force is applied; therefore we can say that work is related to energy.

Q) What is potential energy? State its unit.

ans → Potential energy is the energy possessed by an object due to its state of rest or motion.

⇒ S.I. unit of P.E is Joules (J).

Q) Give one example of a body that has potential energy in each of the following:

a) Due to its position at a height

ans → Position at a height stores gravitational potential energy.

e.g. = A rock lying on the top of hill.

b) due to its elongated stretched state.

ans → rubber band.

④ State two factors on which the potential energy of a body at a certain height above the ground depends.

Ans: Gravity and Potential energy of a body at a certain height depends on mass of the body and height from ground.

⑤ A body of mass m is moved from ground to a height. If force of gravity on mass of 1 kg is g newton, find the potential energy in lifting the body.

a) Find the force needed to lift the body.

Sol: Force of gravity on 1 kg body = g newton
" on m kg body = $(g \times m)$ newton

b) Find the work done in lifting the body.

Sol: Work done = Force \times distance moved
= $(g \times m) \times h$
= mgh

c) Find the potential energy stored in the body.

Sol: P.E = mgh
∴ The work done is stored in body as potential energy.



Q) Name the type of energy (Kinetic or potential) possessed by the following :

- a) A moving cricket ball = Kinetic energy
- b) A stone at rest on top of building. = Potential energy
- c) A compressed spring = Potential energy
- d) A moving bus = Kinetic energy
- e) A bullet fired from gun = Kinetic energy
- f) Water flowing in a river = Kinetic energy
- g) A stretched rubber band. Potential energy.