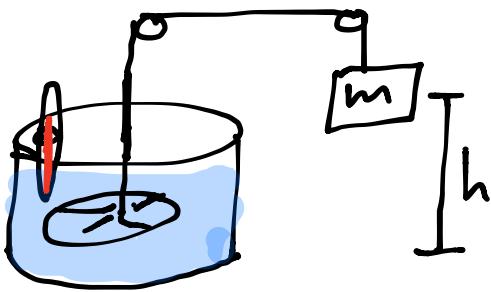


Conservation of Energy Notes

Joule's Experiment



Falling mass converts PE into KE.
KE is transferred to the water

After the water settle they find the temp has ↑.

The increase in thermal E = the decrease in PE.

Shows that energy can transform from one type to another.

Energy can be transferred between objects.

Conservation of Energy -
the total energy of a closed system remains constant.

Mechanical Energy - the sum of an object's potential + kinetic energy.

- symbol = E $E = KE + PE_G + PE_s$

Conservation of Energy formula

$$E = E_0$$

rewrite as:

$$KE + PE_G + PE_s = KE_0 + PE_{G0} + PE_{s0}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & KE = 1J \\ & PE = 99J \\ & E = 100J \end{aligned}$$

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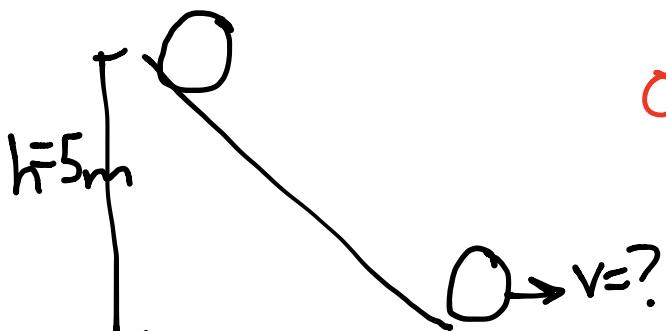
$$\begin{aligned} & KE = 100J \\ & PE = 0J \\ & E = 100J \end{aligned}$$

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$KE = 0J$ $PE_s = 10J$ $KE = 10J$

$PE_s = 0J$

We can use C.G.E to find the v or h of an object.



$$\cancel{PE + KE = PE_0 + KE_0}$$

$\circlearrowleft \text{final } h = 0\text{m} \quad \downarrow \quad \circlearrowleft \text{initial } v = 0\text{m/s}$

$$KE = PE_0$$

Substitute $KE = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$
 $PE = mgh$

$$\frac{1}{2}mv^2 = mgh_0$$

Solve for v

$$\frac{1}{2}v^2 = gh_0$$

$$v^2 = 2gh_0$$

$$v = \sqrt{2gh_0}$$

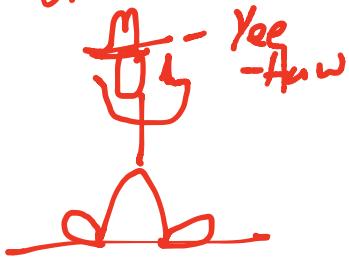
$$v = \sqrt{2 \cdot 9.8 \cdot 5}$$

$$v = 9.9\text{m/s}$$

Here's the formulas on eqn sheet

$$PE_G = mgh \quad KE = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 \quad PE_s = \frac{1}{2}kx^2$$

A cowboy fires a bullet straight up at a speed of 300 m/s . The bullet leaves the gun at $h = 2 \text{ m}$. What is the max height of the bullet?



$$\text{At } h = 0: KE + PE = KE_0 + PE_0$$

$$mgh = \frac{1}{2}mv_0^2 + mgh_0$$

$$h = \frac{v_0^2}{2g} + h_0$$

$$h = \frac{300^2}{19.6} + 2 \Rightarrow h = 45.94 \text{ m}$$