Work Done (H)

1. A ball is thrown vertically into the air.



Energy is transferred from a chemical store.

Where is the useful energy transferred to?

- **A** A gravitational store and a thermal store only.
- **B** A gravitational store only.
- **C** A gravitational store and a chemical store only.
- **D** A thermal store and a chemical store only.

Your answer

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2. A car has a mass of 1000 kg and a kinetic energy of 12 500 J.

Calculate its speed.

Use the equation: kinetic energy = $0.5 \times \text{mass} \times (\text{speed})^2$

Α	3.5	m /	s
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- **B** 5.0 m / s
- **C** 6.3 m / s
- **D** 25.0 m / s

Your answer

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3. A pump lifts 500 kg of water to a water tank at the top of a building.

The water gains 240 000 J of gravitational potential energy.

The gravitational field strength is 10 N/kg.

Use the equation: Potential energy = Mass × Height × Gravitational field strength

Calculate the height of the water tank.

- **A** 4.8 m
- **B** 48 m
- **C** 240 m
- **D** 480 m

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4. A car on a roller coaster is stationary at the top of a slope.

It has a weight of 6 500 N and a potential energy of 217 000 J.

Calculate how high above the ground it is.

answer:	. m	

5. Alex has two radiators in her home. They are filled with 10 kg of different liquids.

The radiators have different power ratings.



The heaters are turned on and the temperature of each rises by 40 °C in 1 680 seconds.

Use the data to show that the heaters take the same time to heat up.

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6. Josh says his ball is an amazing bouncer.

He says if you drop it from 200 cm it will bounce to a height of 250 cm.

Explain why this is not possible.

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7. A scientist uses different drivers to test the stopping distances of the same car.

Look at the results.

Driver	Speed (m/s)	Thinking distance (m)	Braking distance (m)
Α	8	6	6
В	16	13	24
С	32	24	96
D	16	12	22
E	8	5	6
F	32	30	120

Driver C travels at 32 m/s on the road and then stops. The car has a mass of 1200 kg.

i. Show that the kinetic energy stored by the car at 32 m/s is 614 000 J.

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ii. Describe what happens to the kinetic energy of the car as it brakes and stops.

______ [2] iii. The braking distance of the car is 96 m.

Calculate the braking force on the car.

Give your answer to 4 significant figures.

Answer = N [3] _____

8. A TV has a power rating of 0.2 kW.

Calculate the energy transferred, in kWh, if the TV is switched on for 4 hours.

Energy transferred = kWh [3]

- 70 Key thinking distance braking distance 60 50 40 Distance (m) 30 20 10 0 10 20 30 Speed (m/s)
- 9. The graph shows thinking and braking distances for a car at different speeds.

How does the speed affect the kinetic energy and braking distance of the car?

Use the graph in your answer.

[3].

10.

This question is about an electric kettle.

i. An electric kettle is filled with water, connected to the mains and switched on. The electricity for the kettle is generated in a coal-fired power station. Describe the energy transfer that occurs when the kettle is switched on. Include ideas about energy stores in your answer.

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ii. The mains supply has a potential difference of 230 V.

The kettle has a current of 5.0 A. The kettle is switched on for 2.0 minutes.

Calculate the total energy transferred to the kettle in 2.0 minutes.

Total energy transferred = J [4]

11. In the brakes of a car there are brake pads and a brake disc, as shown in Fig. 21.2.



When a car stops, energy transfers between stores.

The brake pads squeeze the brake disc and cause a friction force.

i. Explain how braking stops the car.

Include ideas about energy stores in your answer.

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ii. High speed cars have ventilated brakes with air holes in the disc, as shown in Fig. 21.3.



The air holes allow more air to circulate around the disc.

Suggest how these brakes can reduce braking distances.

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