

In class activity: write your name on the back of the sheet in large letters.

### Compute the impulse of the car stopping

Write the impulse equation.

$$Ft = \Delta mv \text{ or } Ft = m\Delta v$$

Below it, identify the units of each variable.  $N \cdot s = (kg) \cdot \left(\frac{m}{s}\right)$

Mass of 1000 kg

Initial velocity is  $50 \frac{m}{s}$

Stops in 0.1 second

What is the stopping force? 
$$\frac{(1000 \text{ kg}) \cdot \left(50 \frac{m}{s}\right)}{0.1 \text{ s}} = 500,000 \text{ N}$$

Same car, same speed, stops in 10 seconds

What is the stopping force? 
$$\frac{(1000 \text{ kg}) \cdot \left(50 \frac{m}{s}\right)}{10 \text{ s}} = 5,000 \text{ N}$$

That's impulse!!

### Conservation of momentum

Write the equation for momentum

$$\text{momentum} = m \cdot v$$

Below it, identify the units of each variable.

$$(kg) \cdot \left(\frac{m}{s}\right)$$

Initial velocity of each is zero.

Mass of cannon = 1000 kg. Mass of cannonball is 10 kg.

Velocity of cannonball =  $150 \frac{m}{s}$  to the right

What is velocity of cannon? 
$$\frac{(10 \text{ kg}) \cdot \left(150 \frac{m}{s}\right)}{1000 \text{ kg}} = 1.5 \frac{m}{s}$$

## Work

Write equation for work:  $\text{Work} = \text{Force} \times \text{distance} = F \cdot d$

Below it, identify the units of each variable.  $\text{N m}$ , or

$$(\text{kg}) \cdot \left(\frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}^2}\right) \cdot \text{m} = \frac{\text{kg} \cdot \text{m}^2}{\text{s}^2} = \text{Joules}$$

What are the base units of JOULE see above

How much work is done when woman lifts 2 kg barbell 2 m?

(remember: 2 kg is mass, not the force of weight)—so you need the

acceleration of gravity in the calculation!!  $\left(10 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}^2}\right)$

$$(2 \text{ kg}) \cdot \left(10 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}^2}\right) \cdot 2 \text{ m} = 40 \text{ Joules}$$

## Gravitational potential energy

Write the equation for gravitational potential energy:  $E_p = m \cdot g \cdot h$

Below it, identify the units of each variable  $\cdot (\text{kg}) \cdot \left(\frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}^2}\right) \cdot \text{m}$

Write an equation for the gravitational potential energy for a pile driver ram. Calculate its potential energy

The ram has a mass of 10000 kg. It is raised 10 m.

$$(10000 \text{ kg}) \cdot \left(10 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}^2}\right) \cdot 10 \text{ m} = 1,000,000 \text{ J}$$

## Kinetic energy of motion

Write the equation for kinetic energy  $E_k = \frac{1}{2} m \cdot v^2$

Below it, identify the units of each variable.  $(\text{kg}) \cdot \left(\frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}\right)^2 = \frac{\text{kg} \cdot \text{m}^2}{\text{s}^2}$

Using the pile driver ram from the previous calculation, could the velocity be found if it expended all the potential energy gained upon working against gravity?

YES, rewrite  $E_k$  equation solved for velocity, substitute in the values

$$v = \sqrt{\frac{2 \cdot E_k}{m}} = \sqrt{\frac{2 \cdot 1,000,000 \frac{\text{kg} \cdot \text{m}^2}{\text{s}^2}}{10 \text{ kg}}} = \sqrt{200,000 \frac{\text{m}^2}{\text{s}^2}} = 447 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

Remember:

$$1,000,000 \text{ J} = 1,000,000 \frac{\text{kg} \cdot \text{m}^2}{\text{s}^2}$$