

WORK-ENERGY-POWER

- 1 (a) The boxes on the left contain the names of some sources of energy. The boxes on the right contain properties of some sources of energy.

Draw **two** straight lines **from each box** on the left to the two boxes on the right which describe that source of energy.

	renewable
solar energy	
	not renewable
	polluting
natural gas	
	not polluting

[2]

- (b) Coal-fired power stations are polluting.

State an advantage of using coal as a source of energy.

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.....[1]

- (c) A coal-fired power station generates electricity at night when it is not needed.

Some of this energy is stored by pumping water up to a mountain lake. When there is high demand for electricity, the water is allowed to flow back through turbines to generate electricity.

On one occasion, 2.05×10^8 kg of water is pumped up through a vertical height of 500 m.

- (i) Calculate the weight of the water.

weight =[1]

(ii) Calculate the gravitational potential energy gained by the water.

energy gained =[2]

(iii) The electrical energy used to pump the water up to the mountain lake is 1.2×10^{12} J. Only 6.2×10^{11} J of electrical energy is generated when the water is released.

Calculate the efficiency of this energy storage scheme.

efficiency =[2]

[Total: 8]

MARKING SCHEME:

- (a) lines from solar energy to boxes 1 AND 4 only B1
lines from natural gas to boxes 2 AND 3 only B1
- (b) (relatively) cheap OR widely available OR can be used on a large scale B1
OR always available
- (c) (i) $2.05 \times 10^9 \text{ N}$ B1
- (ii) use of mgh OR weight $\times h$ C1
 $1.03 \times 10^{12} \text{ J}$ NOT ecf from (i) A1
- (iii) output energy \div input energy OR $6.2 \times 10^{11} \div 1.2 \times 10^{12}$ C1
0.52 OR 52% A1

[Total: 8]

2 Fig. 1.1 shows a car on a roller-coaster ride.

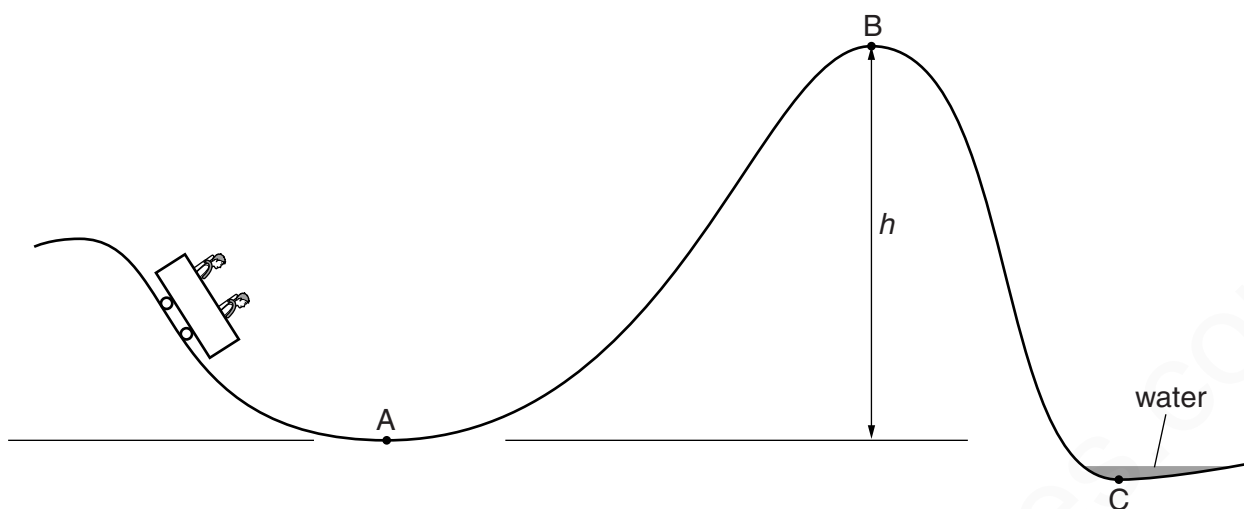


Fig. 1.1

mass of car = 600 kg
kinetic energy of car at point A = 160 kJ

(a) Calculate the speed of the car at A.

speed = [3]

(b) As the car travels from A to B, it loses 40 kJ of energy due to friction.

The car just manages to roll over the crest of the hill at B.

Calculate the height h .

height h = [2]

- (c) At C, the car is slowed down by a shallow tank of water and the kinetic energy of the car is reduced to zero.

Make **three** suggestions for what happens to this kinetic energy.

1.

2.

3.

[3]

[Total: 8]

- (a) $\frac{1}{2} mv^2$ C1
correct rearrangement to find v/v^2 C1
23 m/s A1 [3]
bald 0.73 scores first two marks
- (b) use of mgh (= 160 000 – 40 000 = 120 000 J) C1
 $h = 20$ m A1 [2]
- (c) any three points from:
KE of water
PE of water
sound
heat/friction
Award one mark for each correct point B3 [3]

- 3 Fig. 1.1 shows a simple pendulum being used by a student to investigate the energy changes at various points in the pendulum's swing.

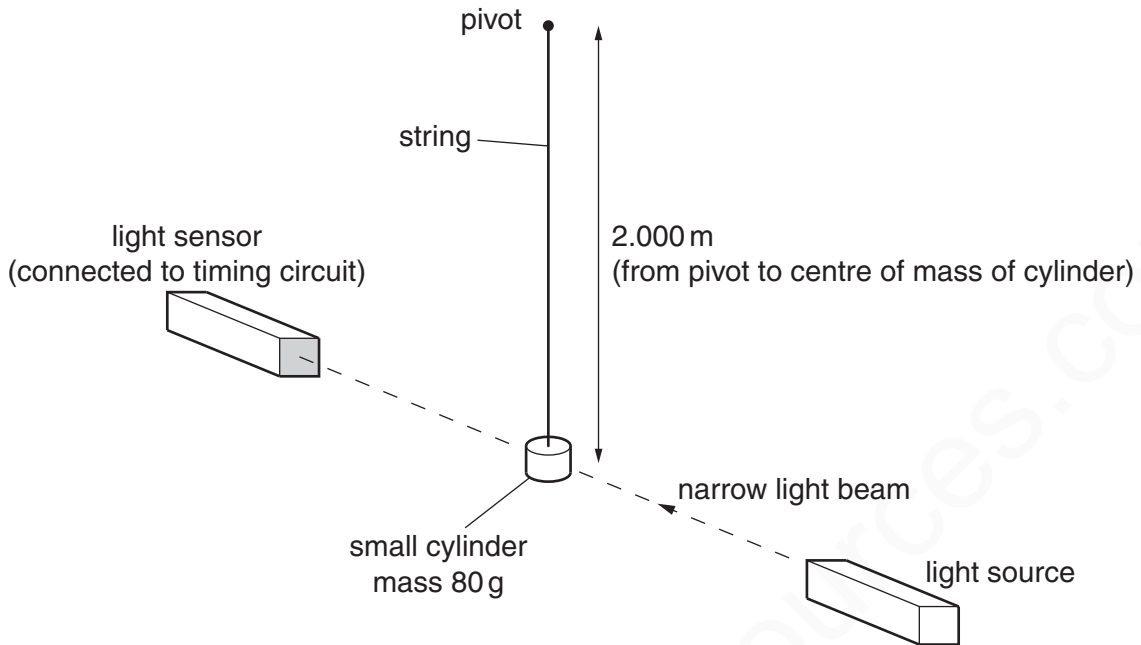


Fig. 1.1

- (a) When the string is displaced by a small angle from the vertical, the height of the cylinder changes so that its centre of mass is now 1.932 m below the pivot. Determine the gravitational potential energy gained by the cylinder. Use $g = 10 \text{ m/s}^2$.

gravitational potential energy gained = [3]

- (b) The cylinder is released from the displaced position in (a). Calculate the expected speed of the cylinder when the string is vertical.

expected speed = [2]

(c) As the string passes through the vertical, the narrow beam of light is interrupted by the cylinder for 22 ms. The cylinder has a diameter of 2.5 cm.

(i) Calculate the actual speed of the cylinder.

actual speed =

(ii) Suggest how the difference between the actual and expected speeds could occur.

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[3]

[Total: 8]

-----Marking Scheme-----

- (a) $\Delta h = 0.068 \text{ m}$ C1
use of mgh C1
 0.054 J/Nm A1 [3]
- (b) $\frac{1}{2}mv^2 = \text{candidate's (a)}$ C1
 1.2 m/s ecf from (a) A1 [2]
- (c) (i) use of distance \div time C1
 $= 1.1 \text{ m/s}$ A1
- (ii) air or wind resistance / friction / heat / thermal energy
OR correct mention of experimental error e.g. width of cylinder B1 [3]

4 Fig. 3.1 shows a water turbine that is generating electricity in a small tidal energy scheme.

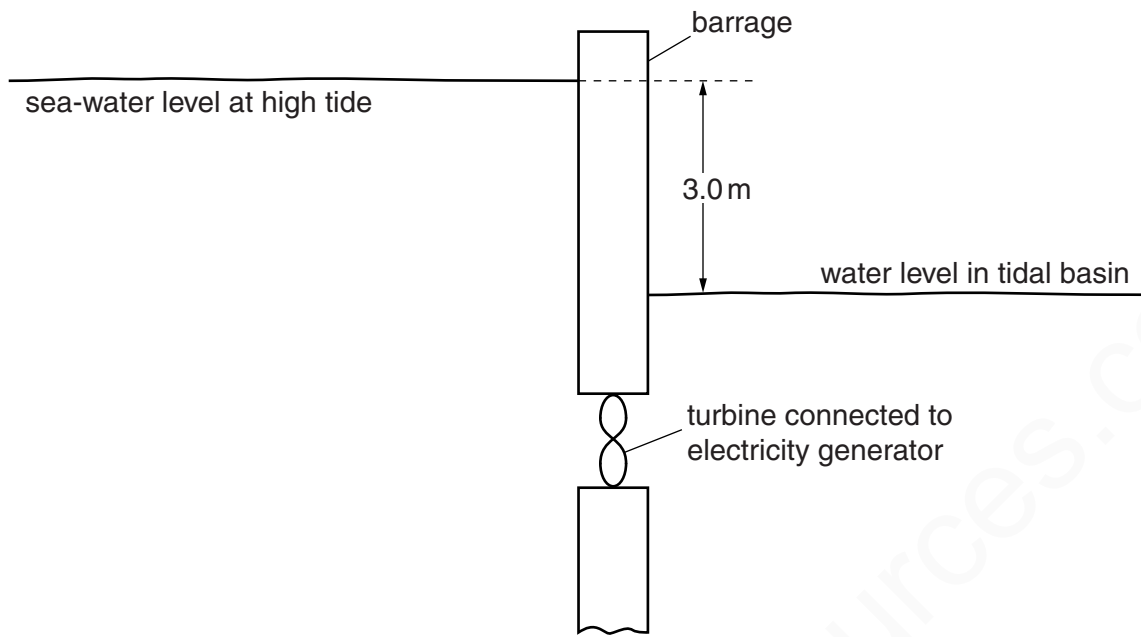


Fig. 3.1

At high tide, 1.0m^3 of sea-water of density 1030kg/m^3 flows through the turbine every second.

- (a) Calculate the loss of gravitational potential energy when 1.0m^3 of sea-water falls through a vertical distance of 3.0m .

loss of gravitational potential energy = [3]

- (b) Assume that your answer to (a) is the energy lost per second by the sea-water passing through the turbine at high tide. The generator delivers a current of 26A at 400V .

Calculate the efficiency of the scheme.

efficiency =% [3]

(c) At low tide, the sea-water level is lower than the water level in the tidal basin.

(i) State the direction of the flow of water through the turbine at low tide.

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(ii) Suggest an essential feature of the turbine and generator for electricity to be generated at low tide.

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[2]

[Total: 8]

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-----MARKING SCHEME-----

- (a) (mass flow rate =) 1030 (kg/s) C1
use of mgh C1
loss of GPE = $1030 \times 10 \times 3 = 30\,900$ J or Nm ecf from 1st line A1 [3]
- (b) output power = $(26 \times 400 =) 10\,400$ (W) C1
efficiency = output (power)/input (power) with/without 100
OR= output/input with/without 100 OR any numbers
that clearly show relationship the correct way up is intended C1
efficiency = $(100 \times 10\,400/30\,900 =) 33.7\%$ at least 2 s.f. A1 [3]
allow ecf from (a) and 1st line of (b)
- (c) (i) from basin/to sea/from right/to left B1
- (ii) turbine design allows rotation in both directions
OR meaningful comment on change of pitch
OR generator works when rotating in either direction B1 [2]
- [Total: 8]**

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An electric pump is used to raise water from a well, as shown in Fig. 3.1.

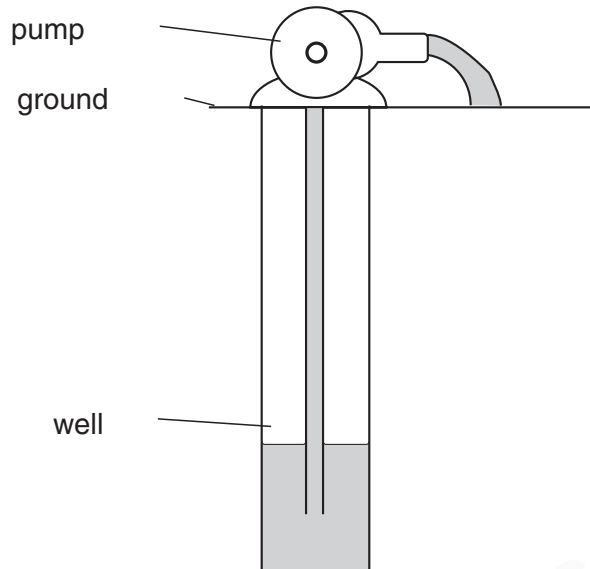


Fig. 3.1

- (a) The pump does work in raising the water. State an equation that could be used to calculate the work done in raising the water.

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- (b) The water is raised through a vertical distance of 8.0 m. The weight of water raised in 5.0 s is 100 N.

- (i) Calculate the work done in raising the water in this time.

work done =[1]

- (ii) Calculate the power the pump uses to raise the water.

power =[1]

- (iii) The energy transferred by the pump to the water is greater than your answer to (i). Suggest what the additional energy is used for.

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-----Marking Scheme-----

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| (a) | work = force x distance | C1 | |
| | = force of gravity/weight x (vertical) distance/height | A1 | 2 |
| (b) | (i) work = $(100 \times 8) = 800 \text{ J}$ | A1 | |
| | (ii) power = $(800/5) = 160 \text{ W}$ | A1 | 2 |
| | (iii) increases the k.e. of the water (ignore heat/sound) | B1 | 1 |
| | | | [5] |

6 A student wishes to work out how much power she uses to lift her body when climbing a flight of stairs.

Her body mass is 60 kg and the vertical height of the stairs is 3.0 m. She takes 12 s to walk up the stairs.

(a) Calculate

(i) the work done in raising her body mass as she climbs the stairs,

work = [2]

(ii) the output power she develops when raising her body mass.

power = [2]

(b) At the top of the stairs she has gravitational potential energy.

Describe the energy transformations taking place as she walks back down the stairs and stops at the bottom.

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..... [2]

[Total: 6]

-----Marking Scheme-----

- (a) (i) work done = force x dist or 600×3 or 60×3 or fd or mgh C1
work = 1800 J c.a.o. accept j or Nm for unit A1 [2]
- (ii) power = work/time or $1800/12$ e.c.f. C1
power = 150 W e.c.f. accept J/s or NM/s for unit A1 [2]
- (b) P.E. decreases/transformed (ignore mention of KE) C1
all the decrease becomes heat (ignore mention of sound) A1 [2]

[Total: 6]