

**JEE and NEET CRASH COURSE**

# Work, Energy and Power



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# WORK

Work is said to be done by a force when the force produces a displacement in the body on which it acts in any direction except perpendicular to the direction of the force.

$$W = \int \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S} = \int F dS \cos\theta$$

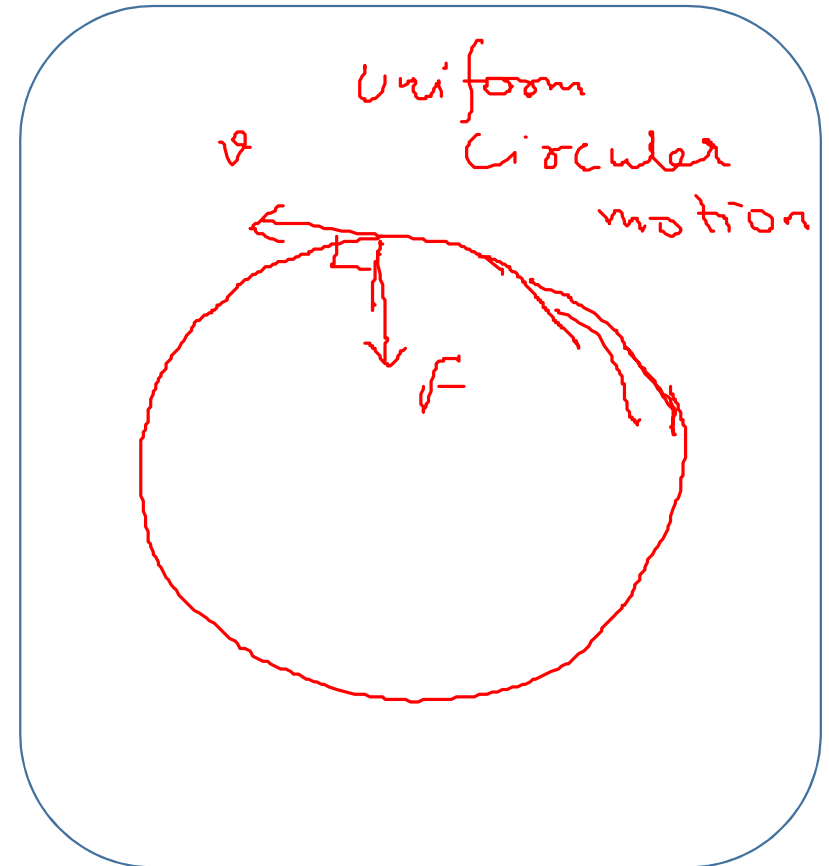
Dimension :  $M^1L^2T^{-2}$

SI UNIT : joule

C.G.S. UNIT : erg

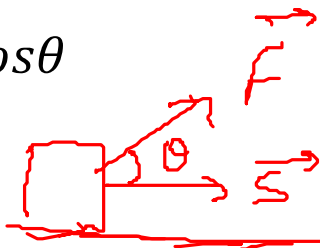
1 joule =  $10^7$  erg

Work is scalar quantity  
and can have +ve, -ve  
or zero value.



# Work done by Constant Force

$$W = \vec{F} \cdot \vec{S} = FS \cos \theta$$



If  $\vec{F} = F_x \hat{i} + F_y \hat{j} + F_z \hat{k}$  and  $\vec{s} = x \hat{i} + y \hat{j} + z \hat{k}$

then  $W = \vec{F} \cdot \vec{s} = F_x x + F_y y + F_z z$

$$\vec{S} = (x_2 - x_1) \hat{i} + (y_2 - y_1) \hat{j} + (z_2 - z_1) \hat{k}$$

$$\begin{aligned} W &= \int \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S} \\ &= \vec{F} \cdot \int d\vec{S} \\ &= \vec{F} \cdot \vec{S} \end{aligned}$$

## Example

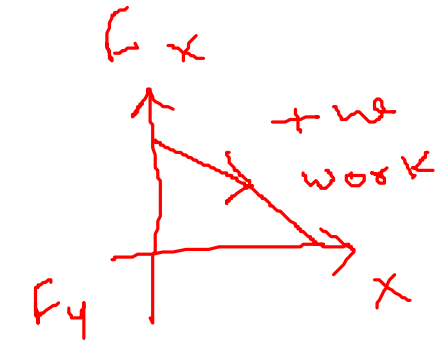
Calculate the amount of work done in raising a glass of water weighing 0.5 kg through a height of 20 cm. ( $g = 10 \text{ m/s}^2$ )

Sol.  $W = \text{Force} \times \text{distance}$   
 $= mgh = 0.5 \times 10 \times 0.2 = 1 \text{ J}$

A hand-drawn diagram in red ink inside a rounded rectangle. It shows a rectangular object representing a glass of water. An upward-pointing arrow is labeled  $F = mg$ , and a downward-pointing arrow is labeled  $mg$ . To the left of the object, a vertical line with an arrowhead at the top is labeled  $20 \text{ cm}$ . Below the diagram, the following calculation is written in red ink:

$$W = F S$$
$$= 0.5 \times 10 \times \frac{20}{100}$$
$$= 1 \text{ J}$$

# Work done by Variable Force



$$W = \int \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S}$$



$$\vec{F} = F_x \vec{i} + F_y \vec{j} + F_z \vec{k}, \quad d\vec{s} = dx \vec{i} + dy \vec{j} + dz \vec{k}$$

$$W_{AB} = \int_A^B (F_x \vec{i} + F_y \vec{j} + F_z \vec{k}) \cdot (dx \vec{i} + dy \vec{j} + dz \vec{k})$$

$$= \int_{x_A}^{x_B} F_x dx + \int_{y_A}^{y_B} F_y dy + \int_{z_A}^{z_B} F_z dz$$

**NOTE:-** Area under force-displacement graph gives magnitude of work done by the force.

$$F(t)$$

$$a(t) = \frac{F(t)}{m}$$

$$v = \int a dt$$

$$= \int \frac{F}{m} dt$$

$$w = K_f - K_i$$

## Example

A force  $F = (10 + 0.5x)$  N acts on a particle in  $x$  direction, where  $x$  is in metre. Find the work done by this force during a displacement from  $x = 0$  to  $x = 2$ .

Sol.

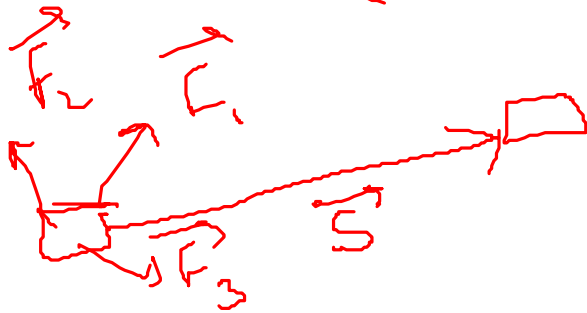
$$W = \int_{x=0}^{x=2} (10 + 0.5x) dx = \left[ 10x + \frac{0.5x^2}{2} \right]_0^2$$
$$= 10(2 - 0) + \frac{0.5}{2}(2^2 - 0) = 21$$

$$W = \int_0^2 \left( 10 + \frac{x}{2} \right) dx$$
$$= \left[ 10x + \frac{x^2}{4} \right]_0^2$$
$$= \left( 20 + \frac{4}{4} \right) - 0$$
$$= 21 \text{ J}$$

# Work done by Several Forces

When several forces acts on a body then the net work done on the body is the algebraic sum of work done by individual force.

$$W_{\text{net}} = \vec{F}_1 \cdot \vec{s}_1 + \vec{F}_2 \cdot \vec{s}_2 + \dots + \vec{F}_n \cdot \vec{s}_n$$
$$= (\vec{F}_1 + \vec{F}_2 + \dots + \vec{F}_n) \cdot \vec{s}$$



Net work done on system of bodies

$$W_{\text{net}} = W_1 + W_2 + \dots$$

$$= \vec{F}_1 \cdot \vec{s}_1 + \vec{F}_2 \cdot \vec{s}_2$$

+ ...



# Power

It is defined as the rate at which the body can do the work.

$$\text{Power} = \frac{\text{work}}{\text{time}} \quad \text{or} \quad P = \frac{W}{t}$$

This power  $P$  is also called average power.

**Instantaneous power ( $P$ )**

$$P = \frac{dW}{dt} \quad \text{or} \quad P = \frac{\vec{F} \cdot d\vec{s}}{dt} \quad (\because dW = \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{s})$$

$$\text{or} \quad P = \vec{F} \cdot \frac{d\vec{s}}{dt} \quad \text{or} \quad \boxed{P_t = \vec{F} \cdot \vec{v}} \quad N - m/s$$

$$\text{Dimensions : } [M^1L^2T^{-3}] \quad \text{SI UNIT : watt} = \frac{\text{joule}}{\text{second}}$$

Bigger UNITS of power :

$$1 \text{ kilo watt (kW)} = 1000 \text{ watt} = 10^3W$$

$$1 \text{ mega watt} = 1000,000 \text{ watt or } 1MW = 10^3kW = 10^6W$$

$$1 \text{ horse power (h.p.)} = 746 W$$



# Important Points

The slope of work–time graph gives the instantaneous power.

$$\text{slope} = \tan\theta = \frac{dW}{dt} = P$$

Area under power–time graph gives the work done.

$$\text{Area under power–time graph} = \int P dt = W$$

The efficiency  $\eta$  of a machine  $\eta = \frac{\text{work done}}{\text{energy input}}$

## Example

A pump can take out 7200 kg of water per hour from a well 100 m deep. Calculate the power of the pump, assuming that its efficiency is 50%. ( $g = 10 \text{ m/s}^2$ )

Sol.

$$\text{Output power} = \frac{mgh}{t} = \frac{7200 \times 10 \times 100}{3600} = 2000 \text{ W}$$

$$\text{Efficiency } \eta = \frac{\text{output power}}{\text{input power}}$$

$$\text{Input power} = \frac{\text{output power}}{\eta} = \frac{2000 \times 100}{50} = 4 \text{ kW}$$

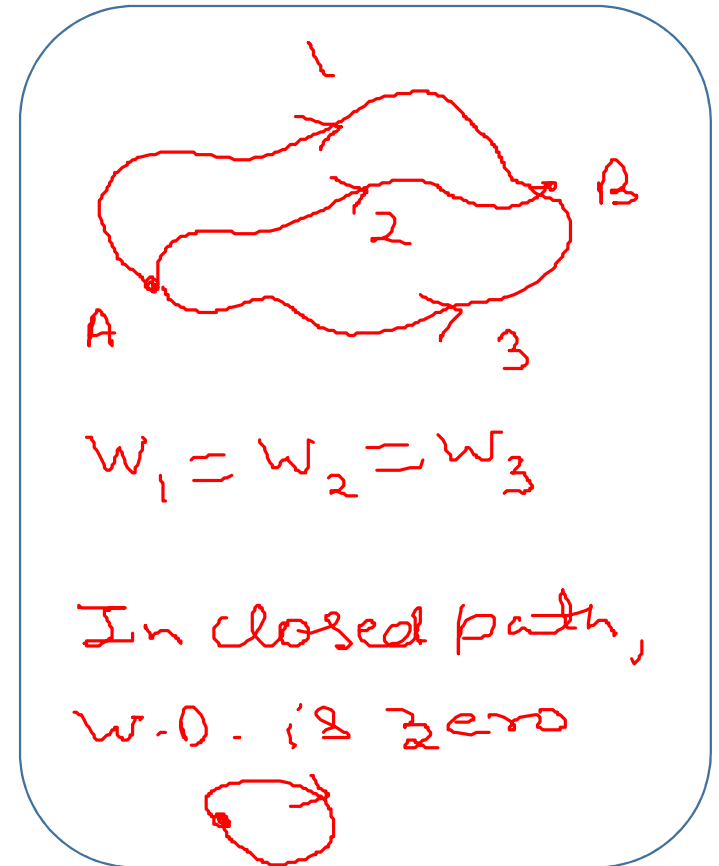
$$\begin{aligned} P_{o/p} &= \frac{\text{Work}}{\text{time}} \\ &= \frac{mgh}{t} \\ &= \frac{7200 \times 10 \times 100}{3600 \text{ s}} \\ &= 2000 \text{ W} \\ \frac{P_o}{P_I} &= \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow P_I = 4 \text{ kW} \end{aligned}$$

# Conservative Force

A force is said to be conservative if work done by the force on a particle moving between two points does not depend on the path taken by the particle.

## Examples

1. Gravitational force
2. Elastic force in a stretched or compressed spring
3. Electrostatic force



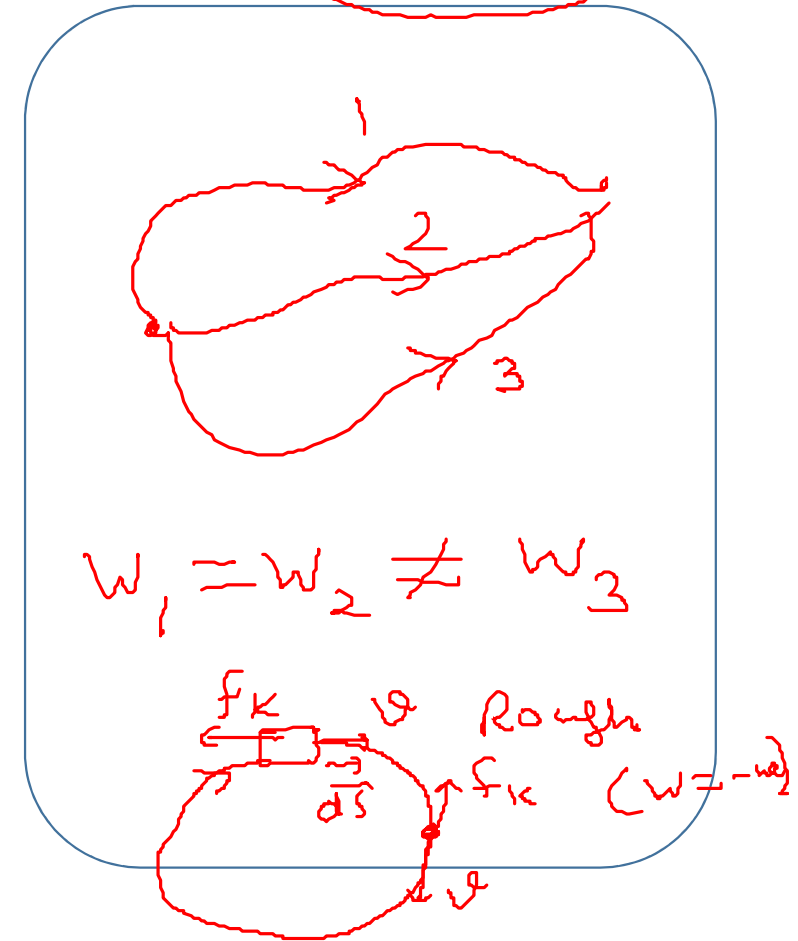
# Non-Conservative Force

$$W = \vec{F} \cdot \vec{S}$$

A force is said to be non conservative, if work done or against the force in moving a body from one position to another, depends on the path.

## Examples

1. The velocity dependent forces such as : air resistance and viscous force
2. Retarding forces such as friction force and drag force.



# Energy

Energy is defined as the internal capacity for doing work.

When we say that a body has energy it means that it can do work.

Energy is a scalar quantity

Dimensions :  $[M^1L^2T^{-2}]$

S I UNIT : joule

Other units 1 erg =  $10^{-7}$  joule

1 eV =  $1.6 \times 10^{-19}$  joule

1 unit

↓

1 kWh =  $36 \times 10^5$  joule = 3.6 MJ

1 cal = 4.2 joule  
= 4.18 J

# Kinetic Energy

If a particle of mass  $m$  is moving with velocity ' $v$ ' (much less than the velocity of the light) then the kinetic energy K.E. is given by

$$\text{K.E.} = \frac{1}{2} mv^2$$

1. It is always non negative
2. depends on the frame of reference

Relation between K.E. ( $K$ ) and linear momentum ( $p$ ) :

*For particles*

$$p = mv$$

$$K = \frac{p^2}{2m}$$

and  $K = \frac{1}{2} mv^2 = \frac{1}{2m} (m^2v^2) = \frac{p^2}{2m}$

or

$$p = \sqrt{2mK}$$

$$\vec{v}^2 = \vec{v} \cdot \vec{v} = v^2$$

# Work Energy Theorem

According to this theorem work done by net force on a body is equal to change in its kinetic energy.

$$W = \Delta KE \quad \text{or}$$

$$W = \frac{1}{2}mv_2^2 - \frac{1}{2}mv_1^2 = K_f - K_i$$

W.D. by  
all forces

## Example



A bullet weighing 10 g is fired with a velocity 800 m/s. After passing through a mud wall 1m thick, its velocity decreases to 100 m/s. Find the average resistance offered by the mud wall.

Sol.

Work done by the average resistance offered by the wall  
= change in K.E. of the bullet.

$$F s = \frac{1}{2} m v^2 - \frac{1}{2} m u^2$$

$$\Rightarrow F = \frac{m(v^2 - u^2)}{2s} = \frac{0.01(100^2 - 800^2)}{2 \times 1} = -3150 \text{ N}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Resistance offered} = 3150 \text{ N}$$

$$\begin{aligned} W_{\text{wall}} &= \Delta K = K_f - K_i \\ -F_{\text{avg}} \cdot S &= \frac{1}{2} m (100)^2 - \frac{1}{2} m (800)^2 \\ -F_{\text{avg}} &= \frac{1}{2} m (100)^2 (1 - 64) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{10}{1000} \times 10000 \times (-63) \\ F_{\text{avg}} &= \frac{6300}{2} \\ &= 3150 \text{ N} \end{aligned}$$



# Potential Energy (P.E.)

Definition 1:- Potential energy is the internal capacity of doing work of a system by virtue of its configuration.

Definition 2:- The energy which a body has by virtue of its position or configuration in a conservative force field.

Mathematical Definition:- Change in potential energy is negative of work done by internal conservative forces.

$$\Delta U = U_f - U_i = -W_{\text{internal conservative forces}}$$

**NOTE:-**  $W_{\text{internal conservative forces}} = U_i - U_f$

$\Delta U = U_f - U_i$

$= -W_{\text{int. cons. forces}}$

$W_{\text{grav.}} = U_i - U_f$

$W_{\text{spring}} = U_i - U_f$

$W_{\text{electro.}} = U_i - U_f$

# Potential energy in different conservative fields

(a) Gravitational P.E.:-

Near the surface of earth assuming zero P.E. at earth's surface

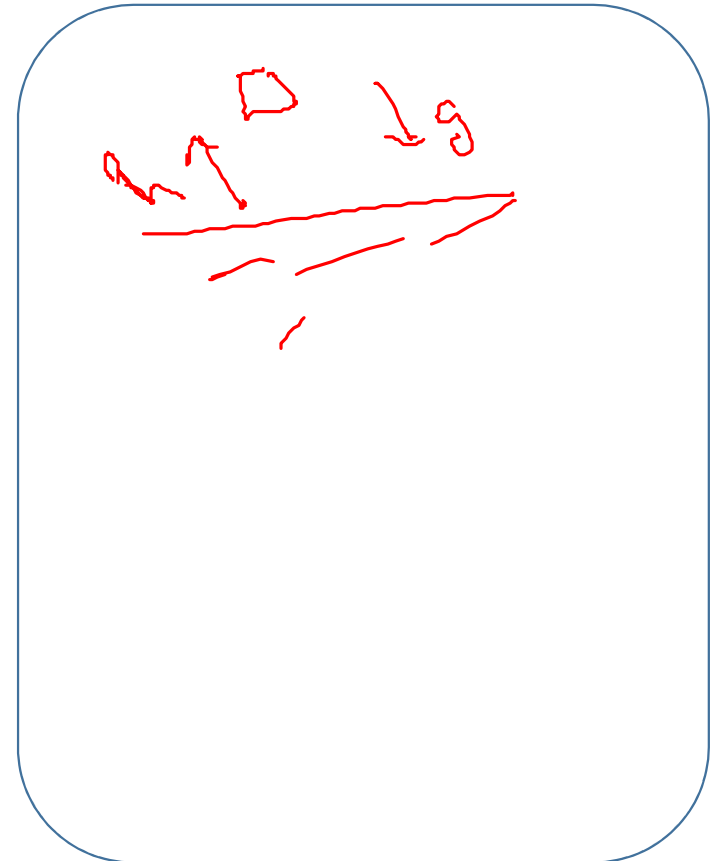
$$U = mgh$$

(b) Spring P.E.:-

$$U = \frac{1}{2}kx^2$$

where,  $x$  is extension or compression in the spring

Work done by spring force =  $U_i - U_f$



## Example

Find out work done by applied force to slowly extend the spring from  $x$  to  $2x$ .

Sol.

$$\begin{aligned}W_{\text{applied force}} &= -W_{\text{spring force}} \\ &= U_f - U_i \\ &= \frac{1}{2}k(2x)^2 - \frac{1}{2}kx^2 \\ &= \frac{3}{2}kx^2\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}W_{\text{app. force}} + W_{\text{s.f.}} &= \Delta K \\ W_A + (U_i - U_f) &= 0 \\ W_{A.F.} &= U_f - U_i \\ &= \frac{1}{2}k(2x)^2 - \frac{1}{2}kx^2 \\ &= \frac{3}{2}kx^2\end{aligned}$$

# Relation between force and P.E.

## Force from P.E.

$$\text{If } U(r); \quad F = -\frac{dU}{dr}$$

If  $U(x, y, z)$

$$\vec{F} = -\left[ \frac{\partial U}{\partial x} \vec{i} + \frac{\partial U}{\partial y} \vec{j} + \frac{\partial U}{\partial z} \vec{k} \right]$$

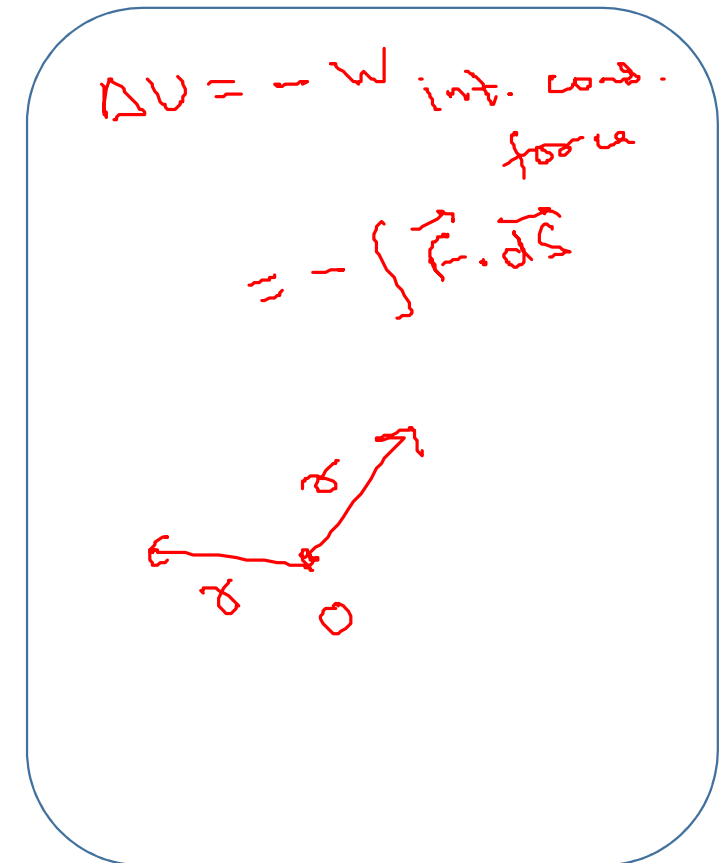
$\frac{\partial U}{\partial x}$  - Partial differentiation of  $U$  w.r.t.  $x$  (keeping  $y, z$  constant)

$\frac{\partial U}{\partial y}$  - Partial differentiation of  $U$  w.r.t.  $y$  ( $x, z$  constant)

$\frac{\partial U}{\partial z}$  - Partial differentiation of  $U$  w.r.t.  $z$  ( $x, y$  constant)

## P.E. from Force

$$U = -\int \vec{F} \cdot \vec{dr} = -\int (F_x dx + F_y dy + F_z dz)$$



## Example

The potential energy of a particle in a space is given by  $U = x^2 + y^2$ .

Find the force associated with this potential energy.

Sol.

$$F_x = \frac{-\partial U}{\partial x} = -[2x + 0] = -2x$$

$$F_y = \frac{-\partial U}{\partial y} = -(2y + 0) = -2y$$

$$\vec{F} = -2x\hat{i} - 2y\hat{j}$$

Handwritten derivation of the force vector:

$$F_x = -\frac{\partial U}{\partial x} = -(2x) = -2x$$
$$F_y = -\frac{\partial U}{\partial y} = -2y = -2y$$
$$\vec{F} = F_x\hat{i} + F_y\hat{j}$$
$$= -2x\hat{i} - 2y\hat{j}$$
$$= -2(x\hat{i} + y\hat{j})$$

## Example

Find out the potential energy of given force  $\vec{F} = -2x\hat{i} - 2y\hat{j}$ .

Sol.

$$dU = -dW$$

$$\int dU = \int -(-2x\hat{i} - 2y\hat{j}) \cdot (dx\hat{i} + dy\hat{j})$$

$$\int dU = \int 2x dx + \int 2y dy$$

$$\therefore U = x^2 + y^2 + C$$

$$\begin{aligned} U &= - \int (F_x dx + F_y dy) \\ &= - \int (-2x dx - 2y dy) \\ &= x^2 + y^2 + C \\ U &= x^2 + y^2 + C \end{aligned}$$

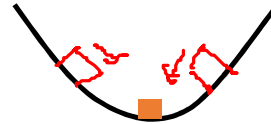
# Equilibrium

Equilibrium means;  $F_{\text{net}} = 0$

## Types of Equilibrium

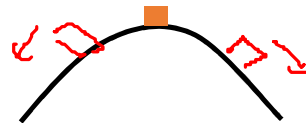
### (a) Stable equilibrium

If on slight displacement from equilibrium position a body has tendency to regain its original position.



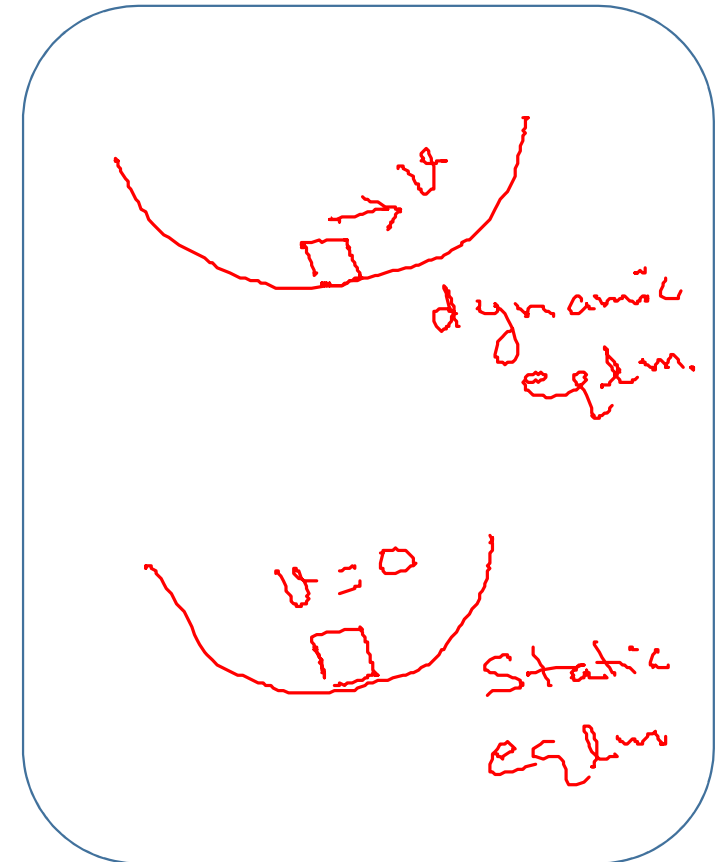
### (b) Unstable equilibrium

If on slight displacement from equilibrium position body moves in the direction of displacement.



### (c) Neutral equilibrium

If on slight displacement from equilibrium position a body has no tendency to come back to original position or to move in the direction of displacement.



# Mechanical Energy

Sum of kinetic and potential energy

$$M.E. = K.E. + P.E.$$

- Scalar quantity
- S.I. Unit : Joule
- Depends on frame of reference
- $M.E. \geq P.E.$

$$K.E. \geq 0$$

$$M.E. \geq P.E.$$

Can be +ve, -ve or  
zero.



# Law of Conservation of Mechanical Energy

If work done by non-conservative forces and external forces is zero, then M.E. of system will remain conserved.

$$ME_{\text{initial}} = ME_{\text{final}}$$

$$KE_{\text{initial}} + PE_{\text{initial}} = KE_{\text{final}} + PE_{\text{final}}$$