

Example Items

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STAAR PHYSICS REFERENCE MATERIALS



FORCE AND MOTION

$$\text{Average velocity} = \frac{\text{displacement}}{\text{change in time}} \qquad v_{\text{avg}} = \frac{\Delta d}{\Delta t}$$

$$\text{Acceleration} = \frac{\text{final velocity} - \text{initial velocity}}{\text{change in time}} \qquad a = \frac{v_f - v_i}{\Delta t}$$

$$\text{Acceleration} = \frac{(\text{final velocity})^2 - (\text{initial velocity})^2}{2(\text{displacement})} \qquad a = \frac{v_f^2 - v_i^2}{2\Delta d}$$

$$\text{Displacement} = \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{initial} \\ \text{velocity} \end{array} \right) \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{change} \\ \text{in time} \end{array} \right) + \frac{1}{2} (\text{acceleration}) \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{change} \\ \text{in time} \end{array} \right)^2 \qquad \Delta d = v_i \Delta t + \frac{1}{2} a \Delta t^2$$

$$\text{Centripetal acceleration} = \frac{(\text{tangential velocity})^2}{\text{radius}} \qquad a_c = \frac{v^2}{r}$$

$$\text{Net force} = (\text{mass})(\text{acceleration}) \qquad F_{\text{net}} = ma$$

$$\text{Work} = (\text{force})(\text{distance}) \qquad W = Fd$$

$$\text{Torque} = (\text{force})(\text{lever arm}) \qquad \tau = Fr$$

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

$$\text{Pythagorean theorem} \qquad a^2 + b^2 = c^2$$

GRAVITATIONAL, ELECTRICAL, AND MAGNETIC FORCES

$$\text{Force of gravitational attraction between 2 objects} = \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{universal} \\ \text{gravitation} \\ \text{constant} \end{array} \right) \left(\frac{\left(\begin{array}{l} \text{mass of} \\ \text{1st object} \end{array} \right) \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{mass of} \\ \text{2nd object} \end{array} \right)}{\left(\begin{array}{l} \text{distance between} \\ \text{centers of objects} \end{array} \right)^2} \right) \qquad F_g = G \left(\frac{m_1 m_2}{d^2} \right)$$

$$\text{Force between 2 charged particles} = \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{Coulomb's} \\ \text{constant} \end{array} \right) \left(\frac{\left(\begin{array}{l} \text{charge of} \\ \text{1st particle} \end{array} \right) \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{charge of} \\ \text{2nd particle} \end{array} \right)}{\left(\begin{array}{l} \text{distance between particles} \end{array} \right)^2} \right) \qquad F_{\text{electric}} = k_c \left(\frac{q_1 q_2}{d^2} \right)$$

$$\text{Electrical power} = (\text{voltage})(\text{current}) \qquad P = VI$$

$$\text{Current} = \frac{\text{voltage}}{\text{resistance}} \qquad I = \frac{V}{R}$$

$$\text{Equivalent resistance for resistors in series} \qquad R = R_1 + R_2 + R_3 + \dots$$

$$\text{Equivalent resistance for resistors in parallel} \qquad \frac{1}{R} = \frac{1}{R_1} + \frac{1}{R_2} + \frac{1}{R_3} + \dots$$

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ENERGY AND MOMENTUM

$$\text{Kinetic energy} = \frac{1}{2}(\text{mass})(\text{velocity})^2 \qquad KE = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$$

$$\text{Gravitational potential energy} = (\text{mass})\left(\frac{\text{acceleration}}{\text{due to gravity}}\right)(\text{height}) \qquad PE_g = mgh$$

$$\text{Elastic potential energy} = \frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{\text{spring}}{\text{constant}}\right)\left(\frac{\text{distance stretched}}{\text{or compressed}}\right)^2 \qquad PE_{\text{elastic}} = \frac{1}{2}kx^2$$

$$\text{Energy} = (\text{power})(\text{time}) \qquad E = Pt$$

$$\text{Work} = \text{change in kinetic energy} \qquad W = \Delta KE$$

$$\text{Mechanical energy} = \text{kinetic energy} + \text{potential energy} \qquad ME = KE + PE$$

$$\text{Law of conservation of energy} \qquad KE_i + PE_i = KE_f + PE_f$$

$$\text{Momentum} = (\text{mass})(\text{velocity}) \qquad p = mv$$

$$\text{Impulse} = (\text{force})(\text{change in time}) = (\text{mass})(\text{change in velocity}) \qquad J = F\Delta t = m\Delta v$$

$$\text{Law of conservation of momentum} \qquad m_1v_{1_i} + m_2v_{2_i} = m_1v_{1_f} + m_2v_{2_f}$$

$$\text{Heat gained or lost} = (\text{mass})\left(\frac{\text{specific}}{\text{heat}}\right)\left(\frac{\text{change in}}{\text{temperature}}\right) \qquad Q = mc_p\Delta T$$

WAVES AND LIGHT

$$\text{Velocity} = (\text{frequency})(\text{wavelength}) \qquad v = f\lambda$$

$$\frac{1}{\text{Focal length}} = \frac{1}{\text{distance to image}} + \frac{1}{\text{distance to object}} \qquad \frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{d_i} + \frac{1}{d_o}$$

$$\text{Energy} = (\text{mass})(\text{speed of light})^2 \qquad E = mc^2$$

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CONSTANTS AND CONVERSIONS

$$c = \text{speed of light} = 3.00 \times 10^8 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

$$g = \text{acceleration due to gravity} = 9.8 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}^2}$$

$$G = \text{universal gravitation constant} = 6.67 \times 10^{-11} \frac{\text{N} \cdot \text{m}^2}{\text{kg}^2}$$

$$k_C = \text{Coulomb's constant} = 8.99 \times 10^9 \frac{\text{N} \cdot \text{m}^2}{\text{C}^2}$$

$$m_E = \text{mass of Earth} = 5.97 \times 10^{24} \text{ kg}$$

$$r_E = \text{radius of Earth} = 6.37 \times 10^6 \text{ m}$$

$$\text{newton (N)} = \frac{\text{kg} \cdot \text{m}}{\text{s}^2}$$

$$\text{joule (J)} = \text{N} \cdot \text{m}$$

$$\text{watt (W)} = \frac{\text{J}}{\text{s}} = \frac{\text{N} \cdot \text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

$$\text{hertz (Hz)} = \frac{\text{cycle}}{\text{s}}$$

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PERIODIC TABLE OF THE ELEMENTS

1 1A		2 2A		3 3B		4 4B		5 5B		6 6B		7 7B		8 8B		9 9		10 10		11 1B		12 2B		13 3A		14 4A		15 5A		16 6A		17 7A		18 8A																																																																																																																																																																									
1	H 1.008 Hydrogen	2	He 4.003 Helium	3	Li 6.941 Lithium	4	Be 9.012 Beryllium	5	B 10.812 Boron	6	C 12.011 Carbon	7	N 14.007 Nitrogen	8	O 15.999 Oxygen	9	F 18.998 Fluorine	10	Ne 20.180 Neon	11	Na 22.990 Sodium	12	Mg 24.305 Magnesium	13	Al 26.982 Aluminum	14	Si 28.086 Silicon	15	P 30.974 Phosphorus	16	S 32.066 Sulfur	17	Cl 35.453 Chlorine	18	Ar 39.948 Argon	19	K 39.098 Potassium	20	Ca 40.078 Calcium	21	Sc 44.956 Scandium	22	Ti 47.867 Titanium	23	V 50.942 Vanadium	24	Cr 51.996 Chromium	25	Mn 54.938 Manganese	26	Fe 55.845 Iron	27	Co 58.933 Cobalt	28	Ni 58.693 Nickel	29	Cu 63.546 Copper	30	Zn 65.38 Zinc	31	Ga 69.723 Gallium	32	Ge 72.64 Germanium	33	As 74.922 Arsenic	34	Se 78.96 Selenium	35	Br 79.904 Bromine	36	Kr 83.798 Krypton	37	Rb 85.468 Rubidium	38	Sr 87.62 Strontium	39	Y 88.906 Yttrium	40	Zr 91.224 Zirconium	41	Nb 92.906 Niobium	42	Mo 95.96 Molybdenum	43	Tc (98) Technetium	44	Ru 101.07 Ruthenium	45	Rh 102.906 Rhodium	46	Pd 106.42 Palladium	47	Ag 107.868 Silver	48	Cd 112.412 Cadmium	49	In 114.818 Indium	50	Sn 118.711 Tin	51	Sb 121.760 Antimony	52	Te 127.60 Tellurium	53	I 126.904 Iodine	54	Xe 131.294 Xenon	55	Cs 132.905 Cesium	56	Ba 137.328 Barium	57	La 138.905 Lanthanum	58	Ce 140.116 Cerium	59	Pr 140.908 Praseodymium	60	Nd 144.242 Neodymium	61	Pm (145) Promethium	62	Sm 150.36 Samarium	63	Eu 151.964 Europium	64	Gd 157.25 Gadolinium	65	Tb 158.925 Terbium	66	Dy 162.50 Dysprosium	67	Ho 164.930 Holmium	68	Er 167.259 Erbium	69	Tm 168.934 Thulium	70	Yb 173.055 Ytterbium	71	Lu 174.967 Lutetium	72	Hf 178.49 Hafnium	73	Ta 180.948 Tantalum	74	W 183.84 Tungsten	75	Re 186.207 Rhenium	76	Os 190.23 Osmium	77	Ir 192.217 Iridium	78	Pt 195.085 Platinum	79	Au 196.967 Gold	80	Hg 200.59 Mercury	81	Tl 204.383 Thallium	82	Pb 207.2 Lead	83	Bi 208.980 Bismuth	84	Po (209) Polonium	85	At (210) Astatine	86	Rn (222) Radon	87	Fr (223) Francium	88	Ra (226) Radium	89	Ac (227) Actinium	90	Th 232.038 Thorium	91	Pa 231.036 Protactinium	92	U 238.029 Uranium	93	Np (237) Neptunium	94	Pu (244) Plutonium	95	Am (243) Americium	96	Cm (247) Curium	97	Bk (247) Berkelium	98	Cf (251) Californium	99	Es (252) Einsteinium	100	Fm (257) Fermium	101	Md (258) Mendelevium	102	No (259) Nobelium

Atomic number — 14
Symbol — **Si**
Atomic mass — 28.086
Name — Silicon

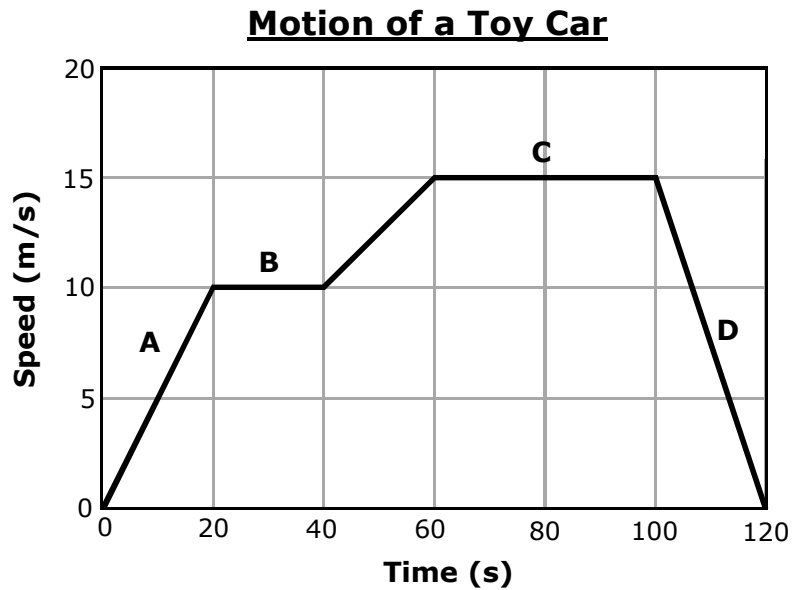
Mass numbers in parentheses are those of the most stable or most common isotope.

Lanthanide Series
Actinide Series

EXAMPLE ITEMS IPC, Sem 2



Use the graph to answer the next question.



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During which segment of the car's motion is its speed greatest?

- A A
- B B
- C C
- D D

2

Which statement is an example of the Law of Conservation of Energy?

- A Appliances are turned off when they are not being used.
- B Gasoline is stored in the trunk of a car.
- C The speed of a falling object increases with time.
- D The charge on an electron never changes.

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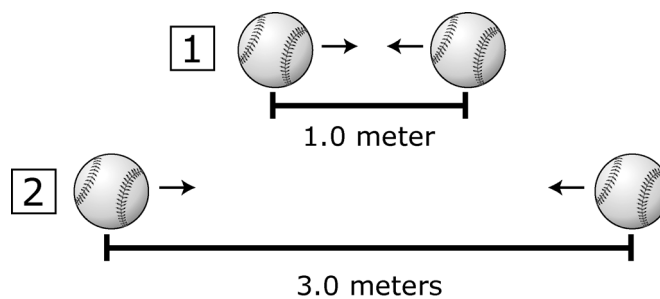
Cold-blooded animals, like lizards, raise their body temperature by basking on rocks in the Sun. The types of heat transfer used to warm cold-blooded animals are —

- A radiation from the rocks and conduction from the Sun
- B conduction from the rocks and radiation from the Sun
- C convection from the rocks and radiation from the Sun
- D conduction from both the Sun and the rocks

EXAMPLE ITEMS IPC, Sem 2



Use the illustration to answer the next question.



4 Which statement best describes the gravitational forces of the two situations in the illustration?

- A** The gravitational force in situation 1 is three times greater than in situation 2.
- B** The gravitational forces are equal in both situations.
- C** The gravitational force in situation 1 is nine times greater than in situation 2.
- D** The gravitational force is zero in both situations.

5 Two protons are located near each other. Which statement about the forces acting on them is true?

- A** Since the electrical force between them is repulsive, and the gravitational force is less attractive, the protons repel each other.
- B** Since the electrical force between them is attractive, and the gravitational force is more repulsive, the protons repel each other.
- C** Since the electrical force between them is repulsive, and the gravitational force is more attractive, the protons attract each other.
- D** Since the electrical force between them is repulsive, and the gravitational force is equally attractive, the protons do not attract or repel each other.

6 An airplane flying northeast from Dallas to New York travels 1730 km in 4.3 hours. What is the airplane's speed?

- A** 4.3 km/hr
- B** 402.3 km/hr
- C** 1730 km/hr
- D** 7439 km/hr

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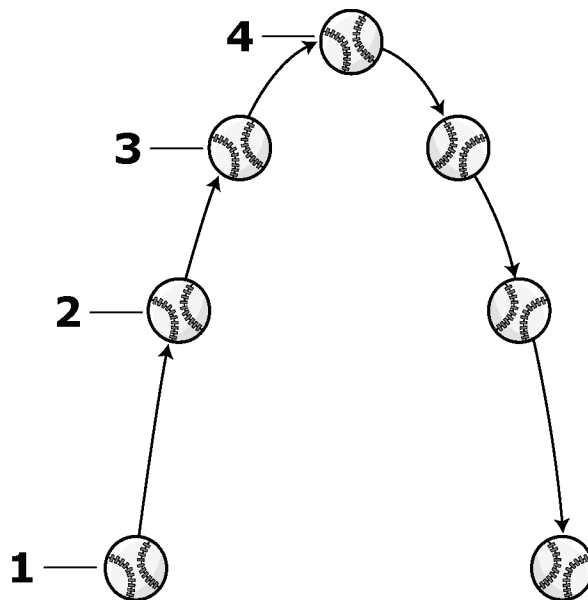
7 Based on the concept of conservation of momentum, when an automobile and a truck collide, the total momentum —

- A** decreases
- B** increases
- C** stays the same
- D** depends on whether the collision is elastic or inelastic

8 Which object possesses chemical potential energy?

- A** Slinky
- B** Car battery
- C** Roller coaster
- D** Basketball

9 A ball is thrown into the air and follows the trajectory shown.



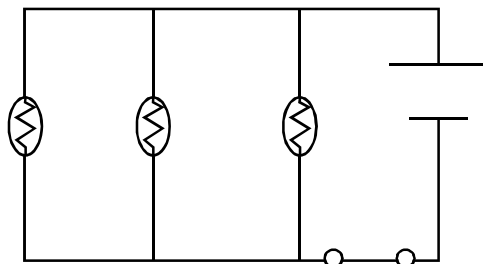
Which statement about the kinetic energy of the ball is true?

- A** The kinetic energy at points 1, 2, 3 and 4 are all equal.
- B** The kinetic energy at points 1 and 4 are equal, but the kinetic energy at locations 2 and 3 are not equal.
- C** The kinetic energy is greatest at point 4.
- D** The kinetic energy is greatest at point 1.

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Use the circuit to answer the next question.



10

There will be no transfer of electrical energy in this parallel circuit when —

- A one bulb burns out in the circuit
- B the switch in the circuit is opened
- C two bulbs are removed from the circuit
- D the switch is replaced with a fourth bulb

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The bending of waves as they pass through an opening is the definition of —

- A reflection
- B refraction
- C diffusion
- D diffraction

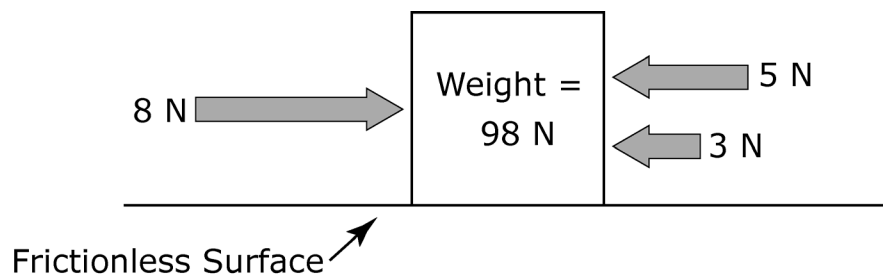
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Which sequence of energy conversions is used to produce electrical power?

- A Chemical Energy from fossil fuels → Heat Energy → Mechanical Energy → Electrical Energy
- B Radiant Energy from the Sun → Mechanical Energy → Heat Energy → Electrical Energy
- C Nuclear Energy from atomic nucleus → Chemical Potential Energy → Heat Energy → Electrical Energy
- D Wind Energy from the motion of air → Heat Energy → Chemical Potential Energy → Electrical Energy

EXAMPLE ITEMS IPC, Sem 2

- 13** A box is resting on a frictionless surface. Three forces are then applied to the box as shown in the figure.



What (if anything) does the box do?

- A** It does not move because the net force on the box is zero.
 - B** It does not move because the weight of the box is greater than any of the forces.
 - C** It accelerates to the right because the force on the left is greater than either of the forces on the right.
 - D** It accelerates to the left because there are two forces pushing it to the left and only one force pushing it to the right.
- 14** An electric current flows through a long straight piece of wire. This results in a(n) —
- A** magnetic field in the space outside the wire
 - B** electric field in the space outside the wire
 - C** magnetic field inside the wire but not outside the wire
 - D** magnetic and an electric field inside the wire but not outside the wire
- 15** Identical boxes A and B, each weighing 100 N, are resting on a frictionless floor. Box A is pulled by a rope with a force of 50 N. Box B is pushed by a steel rod with a force of 50 N. How do the motions of the two boxes compare?

- A** B accelerates faster than A, because steel is stronger than rope.
- B** Neither box accelerates, because 50 N is not enough force to accelerate a 100 N box.
- C** They both accelerate at the same rate, because the forces on them are equal.
- D** A accelerates faster than B, because a pulling force is stronger than a pushing force.

EXAMPLE ITEMS IPC Key, Sem 2

Item#	Key	SE	Process Skills	SE Justification
1	C	IPC.4B	2D	Measure and graph distance and speed as a function of time using moving toys.
2	C	IPC.5D	--	Investigate the law of conservation of energy.
3	B	IPC.5E	2E	Demonstrate the movement of thermal energy through solids and gases by conduction and radiation such as in weather and living systems.
4	C	IPC.4F	2D	Describe the gravitational attraction between objects of masses at different distances.
5	A	IPC.4G	2E	Examine electrical force as a universal force between any two charged objects and compare the relative strength of the electrical force and gravitational force.
6	B	IPC.4A	2D	Calculate an object's motion in terms of speed.
7	C	IPC.4E	--	Apply the concept of conservation of momentum using action and reaction forces.
8	B	IPC.5B	--	Demonstrate common forms of potential energy, including chemical, such as batteries.
9	D	IPC.5A	2D	Recognize that objects and substances in motion have kinetic energy.
10	B	IPC.5F	2E	Evaluate the transfer of electrical energy in parallel circuits.
11	D	IPC.5G	--	Explore the behaviors of energy transferred by waves, including waves on water as they bend around corners.
12	A	IPC.5H	--	Analyze energy conversions such as those from radiant, nuclear, fossil fuels and the movement of the water or wind.
13	A	IPC.4C	2D	Investigate how an object's motion changes only when a net force is applied, including equipment such as classroom objects
14	A	IPC.5C	--	Demonstrate that moving electric charges produce magnetic forces.
15	C	IPC.4D	--	Assess the relationship between force, mass, and acceleration, noting the relationship is independent of the nature of the force.