

**The Physics of Energy, Explained Simply
&
The Physics of Energy For Beginners**

Kinetic Energy Questions - Answers

Equation: **KE** = $\frac{1}{2} mv^2$

m = mass (kg), v = velocity (m/s)

1. $KE = 0.5 \times 2 \text{ kg} \times (3 \text{ m/s})^2 = 9.0 \text{ J}$
2. $KE = 0.5 \times 800 \text{ kg} \times (20 \text{ m/s})^2 = 160000.0 \text{ J}$
3. $KE = 0.5 \times 100 \text{ kg} \times (5 \text{ m/s})^2 = 1250.0 \text{ J}$
4. $KE = 0.5 \times 25 \text{ kg} \times (4 \text{ m/s})^2 = 200.0 \text{ J}$
5. $KE = 0.5 \times 60 \text{ kg} \times (6 \text{ m/s})^2 = 1080.0 \text{ J}$
6. $KE = 0.5 \times 0.45 \text{ kg} \times (15 \text{ m/s})^2 = 50.62 \text{ J}$
7. $KE = 0.5 \times 10000 \text{ kg} \times (10 \text{ m/s})^2 = 500000.0 \text{ J}$
8. $KE = 0.5 \times 500 \text{ kg} \times (8 \text{ m/s})^2 = 16000.0 \text{ J}$
9. $KE = 0.5 \times 70 \text{ kg} \times (7 \text{ m/s})^2 = 1715.0 \text{ J}$
10. $KE = 0.5 \times 2.5 \text{ kg} \times (12 \text{ m/s})^2 = 180.0 \text{ J}$

