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Preface

This Learner's workbook has been written in line with the revised Physics syllabus for the new lower secondary curriculum. The revision questions, worksheets and activities of integration have been incorporated into this workbook. Through those activities of integration provided at the end of each chapter the learner is able to produce new knowledge, values and skills are required in the 21st century.

This has been done by providing a range of activities of integration which will enable the learner to research more through the internet in order to understand the applicability of knowledge learned at his or her respective school.

The learner is expected to be able to work as an individual, in pairs and groups according to the nature of the activities in order to be able to share learning experiences with their colleagues.

This Learner's workbook is one of the materials which are to be used to support the teaching and learning process of the new lower secondary curriculum.

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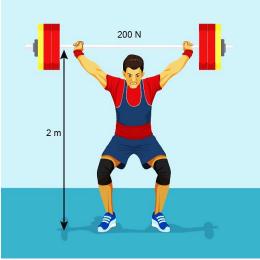
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Chapter 1

Work, energy and power





Key learning outcomes

By the end of this chapter, you should be able to;

- ✓ Know that the sun is our major source of energy and the different forms of energy.
- ✓ Know that energy can be changed from one form to another and understand the law of conservation of energy.
- ✓ Understand the positive and negative effects of solar energy.
- ✓ Understand the difference between renewable and non-renewable energy sources with respect to Uganda.
- ✓ Know and use the relationship work done, force and distance moved and time taken.
- ✓ Understand that an object may have energy due to its motion or its position and change between kinetic and positional potential energy.
- ✓ Know the mathematical relationship between positional potential energy and kinetic energy and use it in calculations.
- ✓ Understand the meaning of machines and explain how simple machines simplify work.
- ✓ Understand the principles behind the operation of simple machines.

Introduction

As we all know that without energy life would not exist on earth, the sun's energy for example is the sole reason why green plants can still exist together. The heat from the sun is the reason we have liquid water; animals wouldn't exist without plants as well. Other energy sources include wind, wood fuel, water, nuclear etc. we also shall cover work, power and simple machines.

Worksheet (Short Answer Questions)

ENERGY

This is the ability to do work. The SI unit of energy is joule (J).

♣ Renewable and non-renewable energy

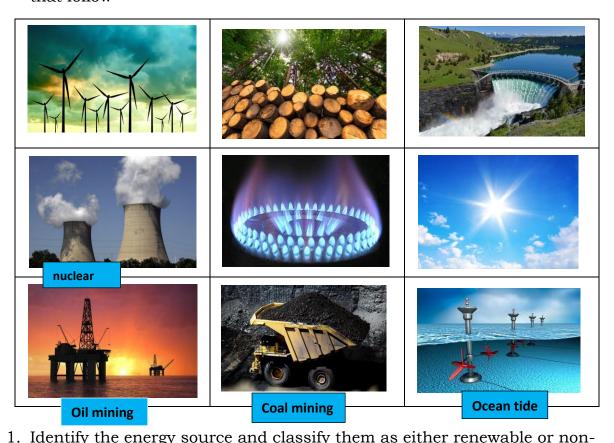
Renewable (Non-Exhaustible) sources of energy:

These are sources of energy which can be re-used to produce energy. They can be utilized repeatedly without and do not get used up.

Non-Renewable (Exhaustible) source of energy:

These are sources of energy which cannot be re-used to produce energy. They cannot be utilized repeatedly. They can get used up entirely.

1. The figure below contains various energy sources commonly used around the world to help people do work. Study it carefully and answer the questions that follow



renewable.

♣ Forms of energy

1. You are provided with the forms of energy and their meaning and you are required to match them accordingly.

FORMS OF ENERG	Y MEANING
♣ Heat	This is the form of energy produced by hot bodies and enables us to see
♣ Sound	♣ This is form of energy produced when unstable nucleus splits through nuclear fission or two light nuclei fuse together through nuclear fusion.
↓ Light	♣ This is a form of energy which is transferred from one point to another without causing any permanent displacement of medium itself. This form of energy causes a disturbance through the medium
♣ Electrical	♣ This is the form of energy that is transferred from region of high temperature to region of low temperature.
♣ Chemical	This is a form of energy produced when particles in the medium are set into vibrations. This form of energy is heard by the ear
♣ Nuclear	♣ This is a form of energy due to the flow of charges.
↓ wave	♣ This is a form of energy that can be converted to heat by burning.

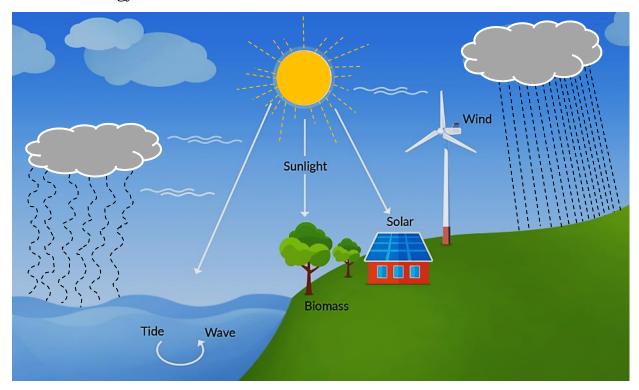
2. Study the picture in the table below and identify the form of energy, its real-life applications, and dangers it possesses to man and environment.

life applications, and Picture	Form of Energy	Applications	Dangers
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3.	in when the The enveronment of the	the last decade oil and gas deposits were discovered in the Albertine region western Uganda. During the world climate summit held in Egypt this year, a European union were against Uganda's plan to exploit the oil reserves. Bey believed that all new oil drilling should be stopped for the purposes of vironmental preservation. They also claim the world should stop using sil fuels and resort to cleaner energy sources which don't harm the vironment. What form of energy is oil and gas.
	. ,	As a physics student discuss the benefits this mineral discovery can bring to Uganda's economy.
	(c)	What dangers does this discovery pose to our natural environment?
		What possible solutions would you recommend the oil drilling company to enforce to preserve and protect the regional natural environment like water bodies, air, land, and vegetation
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♣ Solar energy

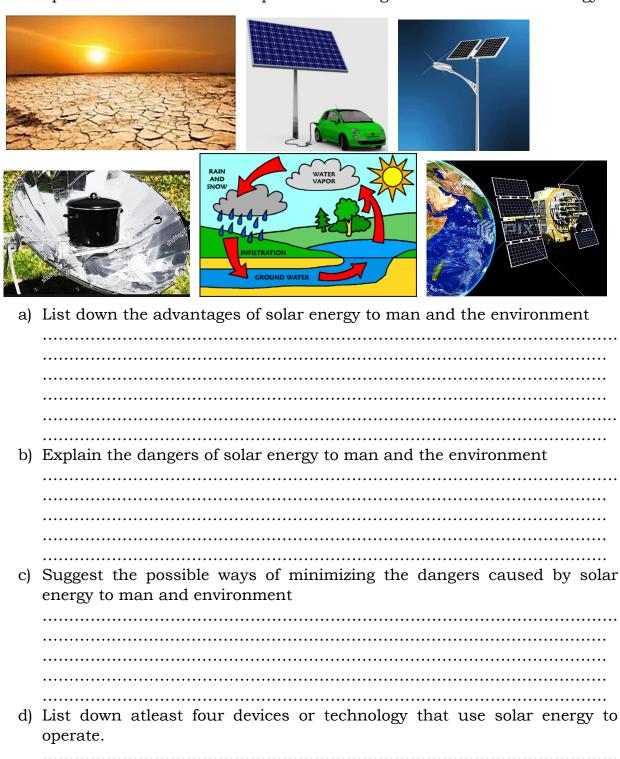
1. The figure below illustrates how the sun is the major source of energy on planet earth. Study it carefully and use it to help you explain and prove that the sun's energy is the main reason there is life on earth.



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a) Explain how the sun is the major source of energy on earth with the help

2. The pictures below show some positive and negative effects of solar energy.



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This is divided into two forms of energy namely

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- i) Kinetic energy.
- ii) Potential energy.

♣ kinetic energy

This is the energy possessed by a body due to its motion. It depends on the speed of the body.

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

where: $\mathbf{K.E}$ is kinetic energy, \mathbf{m} is mass of a body and \mathbf{v} is velocity of a body

♣ kinetic	energy	cal	lcu]	latio	ns
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1.	A body of mass 3kg moves with a speed of 30ms -1. Find its kinetic energy
2.	An object of volume 100cm³ and density 8gcm⁻³ moves with a speed of 10ms¹ . Find its kinetic energy
Γh	positional Potential energy is is the energy possessed by a body by virtue of its position in the gravitationa ld.
	P.E = mgh

Where **P.E** is potential energy, \mathbf{m} is mass, \mathbf{g} is acceleration due to gravity, \mathbf{h} is height above the ground level. where \mathbf{g} is $\mathbf{10ms^{-2}}$ on planet earth

♣ positional potential energy calculation 1. Find the potential energy of an object of mass 350g when it is 10m above the

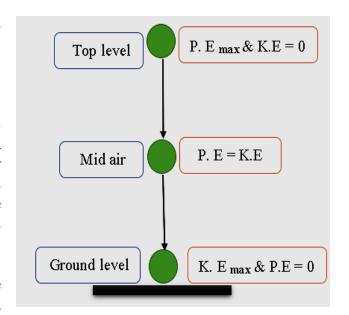
	ground.
2.	A 5kg mass falls from a height of 20m. Calculate the potential energy lost

♣ Relationship /Interchange between K.E and P.E

The transformation of energy between kinetic and potential energy can be seen in a body freely falling, a ball bouncing and can also be seen in a swinging pendulum.

Example and Illustration

- ✓ A mango on top of tree has maximum potential energy (P.E) because it is at maximum height. It has zero kinetic energy (K.E) because it is not moving
- ✓ When a mango starts to fall, its height above the ground level reduces so its potential energy also reduces since P. E=mgh. Its kinetic energy begins to increase because as the mango falls, its speed also increases.
- ✓ At midway its K. E=P.E
- ✓ Just As it is about to hit the ground its K.E is maximum because of maximum speed and P.E is zero because of zero height.



Therefore; Gain in K. E = Loss in P. E.

$$\frac{1}{2}mv^2 = mgh$$

The above illustration shows that energy is conserved. Mechanical energy is continually transformed between kinetic and potential energy

♣ Calculations of P.E and K.E

L.	A bloo	ck of mass 2 kg falls freely from rest through a distance of 3m.
	i)	Find the K.E of the block. (Ans: =60J)
	ii)	Potential energy (Ans: =60J)

	iii)	The velocity with which the body hits the ground.
2.	it hits	y of mass 5kg falls freely through 3m . Calculate the velocity with which s the ground.
3.	A stor	ne of 150g is dropped from a height of 80m . Calculate the; Kinetic energy when it is 50m above the ground.
	(ii)	Its velocity when its 50m above the ground.
4.	it hits	Og body falls from a height of 0.2m . Find the kinetic energy just before a the ground
5.	is its	has a mass of 5 kg and is placed on the edge of a table 1 m tall. What gravitational potential energy? If the ball is pushed over the edge what the kinetic energy of the ball be one-third of the way to the ground?

6.		achine to complete a task at hand.
	a)	Machine A performs 900 J of work when supplied with 1000 J of energy.
	h)	Machine B performs 800 J of work when supplied with 900 J of energy. Which machine wastes less energy?
	υj	which machine wastes less thergy:
	c)	In part (a) above machine A performs the work in one hour and machine B performs working 45 minutes. Which machine gives the greater power output?
	d)	Why is it important to determine the efficiency of a machine?
	e)	Why is there no machine 100% efficient in the whole world?
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	f)	How would you improve on the efficiency of a machine?
7.	A 1	ball is released from rest and rolls down a track from the position shown.
	Wl	hat is the furthest position the ball could reach and why?
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	her	ne B
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Energy transformations and law of conservation of energy

It states that energy can neither be created nor destroyed but changes from one form to another

As energy is changed from one form or state to another, an energy converter (Device) is required to ease the conversion. Examples of such devices are shown in the table below.

The devices listed in second table carry out the energy transformations like

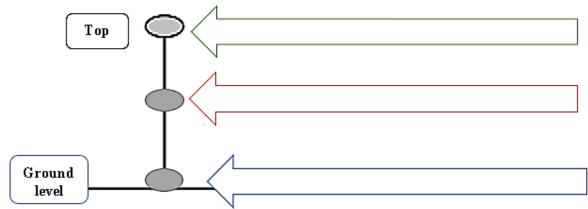
Chemical to electrical	Light to electrical	Electrical to light
Sound to electrical	Kinetic to electrical	Electrical to heat
Electrical to sound	Electrical to kinetic	Heat to electrical

In each case you are required to identify the energy changes that occurs in each device shown below. (Use the table above to aid you answer the table below

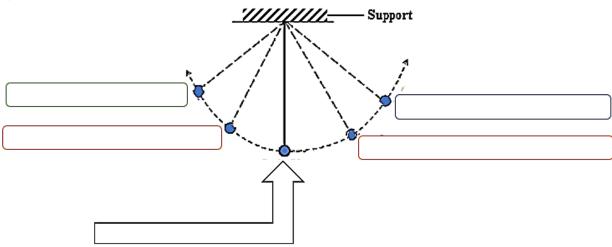


State the energy transformations for;

a) For a body falling freely.



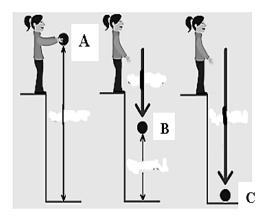
b) For a freely swinging pendulum



c)	When lighting a match box

- d) When a boy compresses the spring
- e) When lighting a lamp connected to a battery
- f) Catapult pulled by a person to propel a stone

g) In the following diagram, suppose that the girl drops a ball with a mass of 2 kg from a height of 6 m.



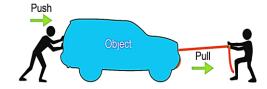
State and explain the energy	changes	the ball	goes	through
in positions;				

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WORK



This is the product of force and distance moved in the direction of force.

OR work is done when the point of application of force moves in the direction of force. The SI unit of work is a **joule** (J).

A **joule** is the work done when a force of 1N moves a body through a distance of 1m in the direction of force.

 $workdone = force \times distance moved in the direction of force$

If the body is projected vertically the force acting is the weight of the body Force = Weight = mg

 $workdone = F \times d = mgd$

Calculations of work done

 An object is pulled through a distance of 2 m by a force of 55 N on the first day. The same object is again pulled through a distance of 20 cm by a force of 1500 N on the second day. Calculate the work done on;

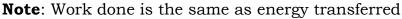
1)	First day
ii)	Second day

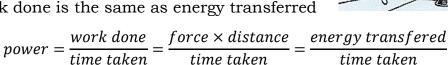
	(iii)	On which day was much work done? And why do you think so?
	(iv)	Explain the factors that determine the amount of work done on any given day from the results obtained above
2.		etimes work is not done even if there is an applied force. Describe some tions when this is so.
3.		ne is used to raise 20 tonnes of concrete to the top floor of a building high. Calculate the total work done by the crane.
4.	A ma	n of mass 70 kg runs up a staircase of 20 stairs , each of vertical height n . Find the work done against gravity.
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5.	The f	igure bellow shows a 50kg bale of hay being pulled up an inclined plane a force of 200N.
	↑ 1.5m ↓	200N 5m
	(i)	Calculate the work done by the force If the bale moves down the incline a distance of 5m .
	(ii)	If the bale moves up the incline a distance of 5m , Calculate the work done by the force
	(iii)	Explain your answer.
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POWER

Power is the rate of doing work. Or

Power is the rate of transfer of energy.





$$power = force \times \frac{distance}{time} = force \times velocity = F.V$$

The S.I unit of power is **watt** (W).

Other units of power include

kilowatt (kW) and megawatt (MW).

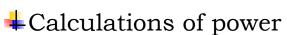
1kW = 1,000W

1MW = 1,000,000W

1W=1Js-1 where Js-1 stands for joule per second

A watt is the rate of transfer of energy of one joule per

Or it is the rate of doing work of 1 joule in one second.



l.	An engine raises 20kg of water through a height of 50m in 10 seconds Calculate the power of the engine.
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2.	An electric bulb is rated 100W . How much electrical energy does the bulb consume in 2hours .

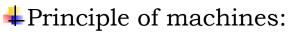


3.	A man uses an electric motor whose power output is 3000W for 1hour . If the motor consumes 1.44×10⁷ J of electricity in that time, find the efficiency of the motor.
4.	What is the power of the crane which can lift a box of mass 1000kg vertically through a height of 15m in 40 seconds?
_	A how whose mose is 60ths on min up a flight of 29 stone each 25 cm high
ა.	A boy whose mass is 60kg can run up a flight of 28 steps each 25 cm high in 56 seconds . Calculate the power developed by the boy.
6	A pump raises 100kg of water through a height of 30m in 10s . What is the
٠.	power developed by the pump
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7.	A 50kg girl runs up a staircase of 50 steps each step is 15cm in height in 5s . Find
	i. Work done against gravity by the girl
	Down shound to min
	ii. Power, she used to run
8.	How much power is required to accelerate a 1000kg car from rest to 26.7m/s in 8s ?

9. A crane lifts 4 bricks per m : that is expended if each bridge	_	eight of 150cm . Find t	he power
MACHINES • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	4		

A machine is a device on which a force applied at one point, is used to overcome a force at another point. **OR**

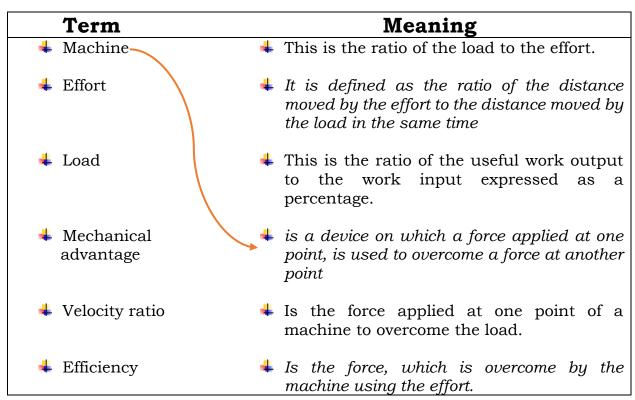
A machine is a device, which simplifies works by magnifying the effort.



It states that a small force (effort) moves over a large distance to produce a bigger force that moves the load over a small distance.

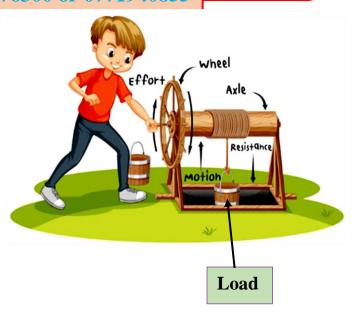
♣Terms used in simple machines

The table below represents terms commonly used in machines and their meanings. Match the term used to its respective meaning



♣Formulars used

- **✓** Work in put = Effort × Effort distance
- ✓ Work out put = Load × Load distance
- ✓ $Efficiency = \frac{work \ out \ put}{work \ in \ put} \times 100\%$
- ✓ Mechanical advantage $(M.A) = \frac{Load}{Effort}$
- ✓ velocity ratio $(V.R) = \frac{distance\ moved\ by\ effort}{distance\ moved\ by\ load}$
- ✓ Efficiency = $\frac{M.A}{V.R} \times 100\%$



♣Types of simple machines

The figure below shows the commonly used simple machines. Identify, write the name and use of each machine shown below.

-Rope Groove		
Name	Name	Name
use	Use	Use
	A SHARWAY AND A	Effort Load Fulcrum
Name	Name	Name
Use	Use	Use
Effort Load		wheel
Name	Name	Name
use	Use	Use

Levers

A lever is a rigid body is free to turn about a fixed point. The fixed point at which the lever turns is called the <u>pivot</u> or <u>fulcrum</u>

Classes of levers and examples

There are three classes of levers namely;

- > First class lever.
- > Second class lever.
- > Third class lever

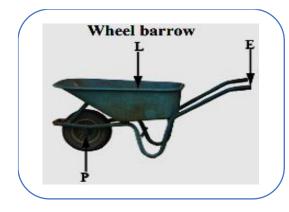
1 st class	2 nd class	3 rd class
Pivot is between	Load is between	Effort is between
load and effort	pivot and effort	load and pivot

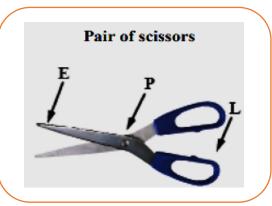
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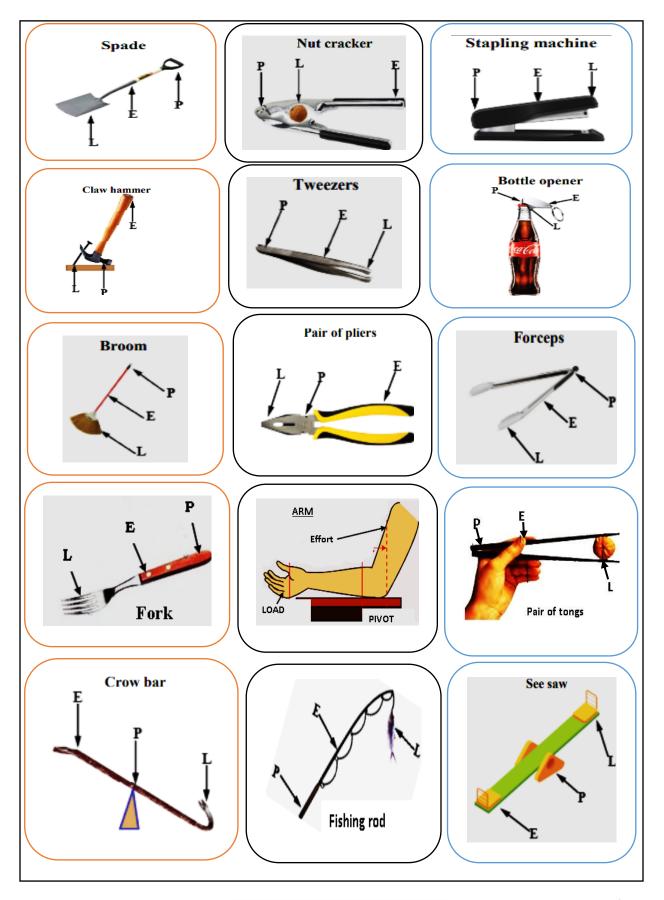
2. Using a well labeled diagram draw an illustration of a lever

3.	From your illustration above explain briefly the meaning of a simple machine called lever

4. The table below contains real life images of machines that fall under levers. Where **P**, **L**, and **E** represent points of application of pivot, load and effort respectively. You are required to classify the levers according to their respective classes, 1st, 2nd, and 3rd.

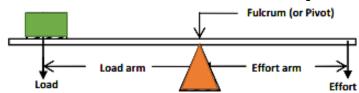






NOTE:

- ❖ Load arm is the distance of the load from pivot.
- **.** Effort arm is the distance of effort from pivot.



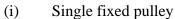
- ❖ Hence, a lever system is more efficient compared to other machines.
- 5. A lever was used to overcome a load of **500N** by applying an effort of **100N**. Find the **M.A** of the lever
 6. A lever is used to overcome a load of 2000N. If the M.A 2. Calculate the
 - effort applied
- 7. A machine of V.R 5 is used to raise load of weight 200N using an effort of 50N;
 - a) Calculate the M.A
 - b) The efficiency of the machine

8. A machine which is **75**% efficient uses an effort of **100N** to lift a load of **300N**. Find the velocity ratio of the machine

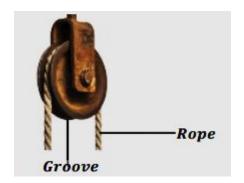
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Pulleys

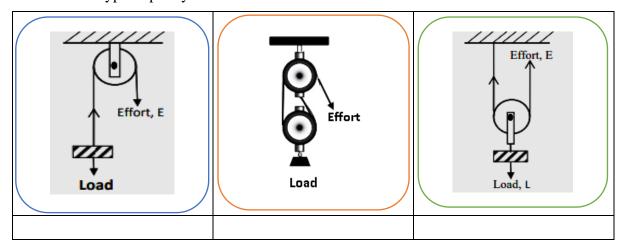
A Pulley is a wheel with a grooved rim on which a rope passes. There are three types of pulley systems and these are;



- (ii) Single movable pulley
- (iii) Block and tackle pulley



1. You are provided with three types of below shown in the figure below. You are required to **name** each type of pulley shown below.



- b) Which of the three pulley types shown do you think is the most efficient for;
 - (i) Raising a flag.....
 - (ii) For raising heavy loads in lifts.....
 - (iii) For Lifting building materials during construction.....
 - (iv) For raising heavy loads in cranes.....
 - (v) For lifting wrecked vehicles off the road using breakdown vehicles.

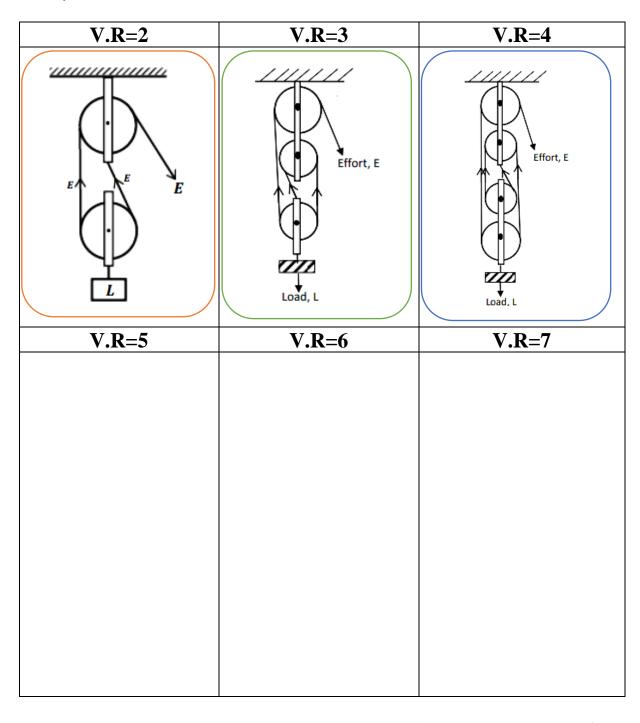
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c) For a single fixed pulley $\mathbf{M}.\mathbf{A} = \frac{\mathbf{Load}}{\mathbf{Effort}} = \mathbf{1}$ since load = effort $\mathbf{V}.\mathbf{R} = \frac{effort\ distance}{load\ distance} = 1$ because load distance = effort distance

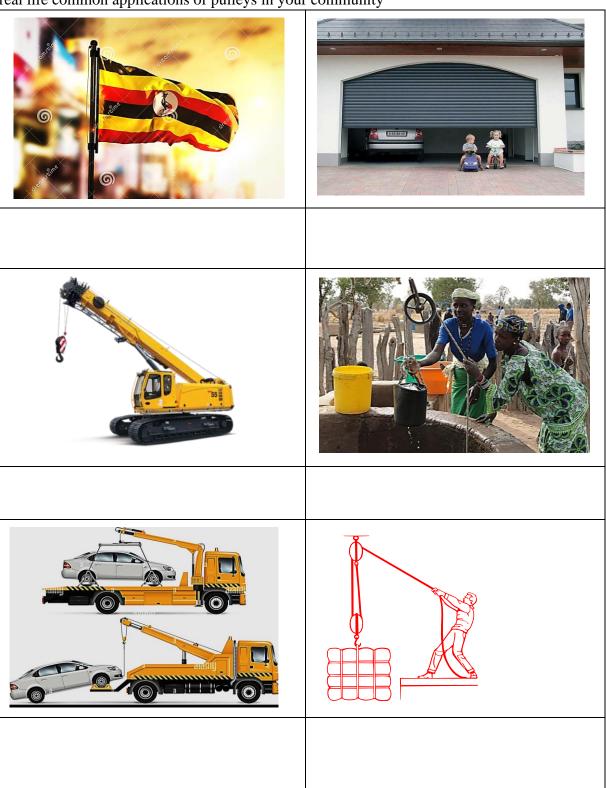
However, in practice the mechanical advantage and Velocity ratio of a single fixed pulley is less than one. State any two reasons why.

d)	Explain why a construction worker would prefer to use block and tackle pulley while lifting
	blocks on the fifth floor of the building?

2. The table below shows some examples of block and tackle pulley systems and their respective velocity ratio, (V.R), Effort (E), and Load (L). **COMPLETE** the table below.



3. Below are some applications of pulley systems in your community. Identify and State any four real life common applications of pulleys in your community



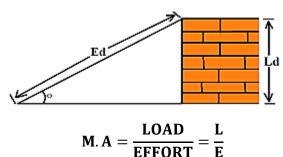
4. In an experiment to show the variation of mechanical advantage or efficiency of pulley system with the load the graph shown below is plotted a) Explain the shape of the graph **Efficiency** 100% b) State the reasons why the efficiency of a pulley system is always less than 100% 5. In a construction site, an effort of **50N** is required to raise a load of **200N** using a pulley system of velocity ratio 5. a) Draw a diagram to show the pulley system. b) Find the efficiency of the system. b) Calculate the work wasted when the load is raised through **120cm**. c) Give two reasons why the efficiency of the above pulley is less than 100%.

d) State three ways how you can possibly increase on the efficiency of the above pulley system?

6.		he distance m	oved by the effort is 15m , calculate ne on the load.	ngh a height of 2.5m using a pulley system.
	b)	the work do	ne by the effort.	
	c)	Efficiency o	f the pulley system.	
7.	Th	ne effort requir	red to raise a load of 100N is 40N a	ns shown below.
		40N	Calculate; a) Mechanical advantage.	c) Work done on the load if it is raised through a distance of 6m .
	[100N	b) Efficiency	
8.	blo	cks of mass		tio of 5 and 60 % efficiency is used to a lift 2m in a certain construction site in jinja

Inclined plane

An inclined plane is a smooth flat rigid surface slanted at an angle to the horizontal. Also, it's called ramp



Where:

- ❖ Distance moved by load= vertical height =**Ld**
- ❖ Distance moved by Effort =slanted height=**Ed**

$$V.R = \frac{EFFORT\ DISTANCE}{LOAD\ DISTANCE} = \frac{Ed}{Ld}$$

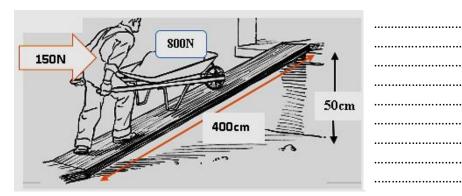
1. A force of 600 N is used to move a load of 3000 N up an inclined plane. Given that the slanted height and vertical height of the plane are 18 m and 3m respectively.

Find a) Velocity ratio of the plane

b) Mec	hanical	adva	antage
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b) Mechanical advantagec) Efficiency of the plane	300 N		$\overline{\uparrow}$
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2. A loaded wheelbarrow weighting 800 N is pushed up an inclined plane by a force of 150 N parallel to the plane, if the plane rises 50 cm for every 400 cm length of the plane. Find the velocity ratio, mechanical advantage and efficiency



3.		e inclined planes are commonly used in real life
It tl	Wheel and axle It consists of two wheels of different radii the same axis. The effort is applied to the wheel and a strict attached to the axle raises the load	ii on Wheel Axis of rotation
1.		$\frac{2\pi R}{2\pi r} = \frac{R}{r} = \frac{\text{Radius of the wheel}}{\text{Radius of the axle}}$ All system, which uses an effort of 200N to raise a load
1.	of 1000N using an axle of radius 5cm and Calculate the; (i) velocity ratio (ii) Efficiency of the system	

2. A common windlass is used to raise a load of **480N** by an application of an effort **200N** at right angles to the handle. If the handle has a radius of **33cm** from the axis and the radius of the axle is **11cm**

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	calcul	late;					200N
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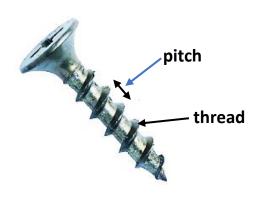
Screws

A screw is a nail or bolt with threadlike windings. It is like a spiral stair case. The screw is used for the purpose of holding things together.

Pitch: This is the distance between any two successive threads of a screw.

NOTE

In order to use a screw, a screw driver or brace or screw jack is used to drive screws in and out of the material.



$$V.\,R = \frac{\text{Effort distance}}{\text{Load distance}} = \frac{\text{circumference of the handle}}{\text{pitch}} = \frac{2\pi R}{\text{pitch}}$$

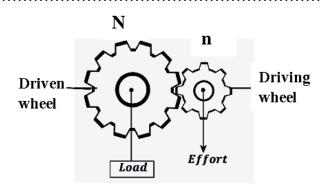
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2.		if an effort of 5N is applied on the	ong. The screw jack is used to drive a screw of pitch he jack to move a screw of 15N, R=12cm 15N
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3. Identify and name any three real life applications of the knowledge of screws.

Gear systems

A gear is a device consisting of a set of **toothed wheels** that control the movement (speed) of a machine.

- ♣ If the effort is applied on a small gear, it drives a large gear which has a load attached on it.
- ♣ A large **V.R** is obtained only when the **effort** is applied on a **small gear** so that it drives the large gear.





$$V.\,R = \frac{Number\ of\ teeth\ in\ driven\ wheel}{Number\ of\ teeth\ in\ driving\ wheel} = \frac{N}{n}$$

 In a gear system, the number of teeth on the driving wheel is 10 and the teeth on the driven wheel are 40. If the system is able to lift a load of 300N with an effort of 100N.
 Find;

(i) V.R (ii) M.A

(iii) Efficiency

2. A bicycle has a chain wheel with **32** teeth, and the driven wheel has **80** teeth. If the efficiency

is **88%**, find the;

- (i) Velocity ratio.
- (ii) Mechanical advantage.

3.	Identif	dentify any four machines where gears are commonly applied in your community.	
4.		explain what would happen to the speed of the racing bicycle when; The number of teeth on the chain of the driven wheel is increased	
	(ii)	The number of teeth on the chain of the driving wheel is increased	
Is a	a machi	ne that is sharp on one end and blunt on the opposite end. a wedge is often attached to a make it easier to use.	
1.	Briefly	explain why a sharp axe is easier to use to chop wood compared to a blunt one.	
2.		ased an axe with a long handle to chop firewood whereas Mohammed opted for a short axe instead. Which of the two people used the best understanding of simple machines?	
3.	Name	any other three examples of wedges commonly used in your community besides an axe	

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TASK

- a) As a physics student discuss what form of energy is oil and gas are and what are the benefits this mineral can bring to Uganda's economy?
- b) What dangers does this discovery pose to our natural environment
- c) What possible solutions would you recommend the oil drilling company to enforce to preserve and protect the regional natural environment like water bodies, air, land, and vegetation

SCENARIO

One day Ainebyona happen to have no transport fare to go home but as he was walking along the highway, a truck driver who happens to be a good Samaritan stopped and offered him a lift. Ainebyona was so happy, however the happiness was short lived when they reached a point where rain had damaged the road creating a small raise on the road surface that the vehicle engine was not powerful enough to climb. They stopped for a moment and wondered how they were going to solve this problem. On their truck were strong long pieces of wood, a spade and hard-core stones.

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TASK

As you passed by you found them still struggling to pass over the raised road surface, explain to them what simple machine they need to design to help them solve this problem. (Include the steps taken to make the machine and how the machine works. Include a well labelled illustration)

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TASK

As a physics student, write a short, brief and clear proposal to the international body of environmental protection on the best possible energy sources you think will help the world heal from human encroachment and greed.

Before you conclude your proposal also briefly explain the energy sources that you feel should be phased out or banned for the better future of our planet.

SCENARIO

This year just like it has happened in the past, Karamoja region suffered from hunger as a result of prolonged sunny season which hindered crop production in Uganda overall. This time round many people lost their lives due to the hunger and poverty in this semi desert region of Uganda. This prolonged sunny season has also contributed to increased prices of food stuff most especially matooke and posho flour which has become a big problem to many schools which mainly rely on posho as the main food served in Ugandan schools.

We may pray to God and curse the sun but we should also remember that Uganda is still blessed with the largest lake in Africa, the longest river in the world and many other water bodies. The question that bothers me is whether we should still keep on blaming the sun's energy as the cause of problems or we should embrace new better ways of solving existing problem with the available solutions at hand.

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TASK

As a concerned, patriotic Ugandan, write a proposal to the ministry of disaster preparedness of Uganda on how best we can solve this problem of prolonged drought using the available resources Uganda is blessed with, including the sun's energy itself as part of this solution.

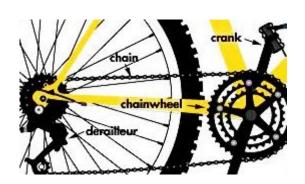
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Bicycles have been used in Uganda over the years for activities such as transportation, physical exercise, leisure and cross-country games. Bicycle cross-country racing is a common game in Uganda and the world overall. The games are not only for fun but it is also a money-making business across the world. The winners always go home with not just a trophy but money as well to win in these cycling races the best made and serviced bicycles always determines the winners besides other factors at play. This year your friend is going to participate in the race and he needs your help to help to win the race.

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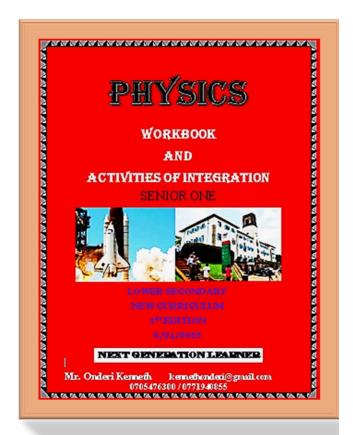


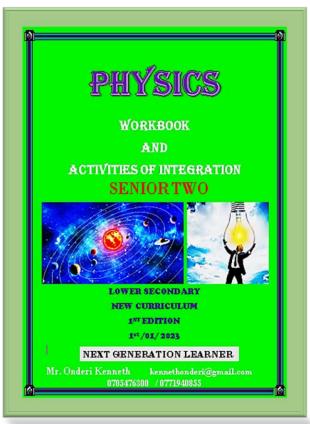


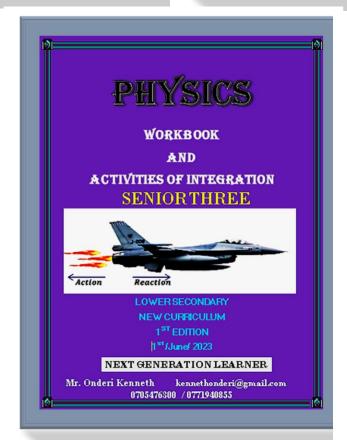


TASK

- a) Using knowledge of simple machines explain the scientific facts about how a bicycle operates and name some parts of the bicycle that can determine the efficiency of the bicycle.
- b) Explain the adjustments you need to make on his bicycle in order to increase on his chances of winning the competition.
- c) What other recommendations would you offer to your friend to enable him win the racing competition?







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