

- 1 A small ball at the bottom of a frictionless slope is projected up the slope with speed u , as shown in Fig. 1.1.

The slope has a height of 4.0 m and makes an angle of 30° to the horizontal ground.

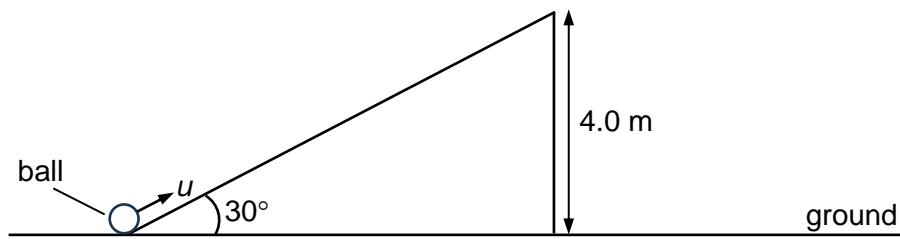


Fig. 1.1

- (a) In one instance, $u = 7.0 \text{ m s}^{-1}$.

- (i) Calculate the maximum distance s_0 from the bottom of the slope that the ball reaches.

$$s_0 = \dots \text{ m} \quad [2]$$

- (ii) As the ball moves up the slope from the bottom, draw on Fig. 1.2 the variation with distance s travelled by the ball from the bottom of the slope of its

1. kinetic energy (label as E_K),
2. potential energy (label as E_P).

Potential energy at the bottom of the slope is zero.

[2]



Fig. 1.2

- (b) In another instance, $u = 14.0 \text{ m s}^{-1}$.

The ball travels to the top of the slope, leaves the slope and hits the ground.

- (i) Show that the speed of the ball at the top of the slope is 10.8 m s^{-1} .

[1]

- (ii) Calculate the horizontal distance travelled by the ball after it leaves the slope.

distance = m

[3]