

What is energy?

Energy gives an object the ability to exert a force

Ex: I lift this book what happens?

① I exert an upward force which changes the momentum of the book & moves it

② How am I able to exert this force?

The muscles in my arm expand & contract to pull my arm

③ What gives my muscles the "power" to move in this way?

The cells in my body have used chemical reactions to convert food into energy

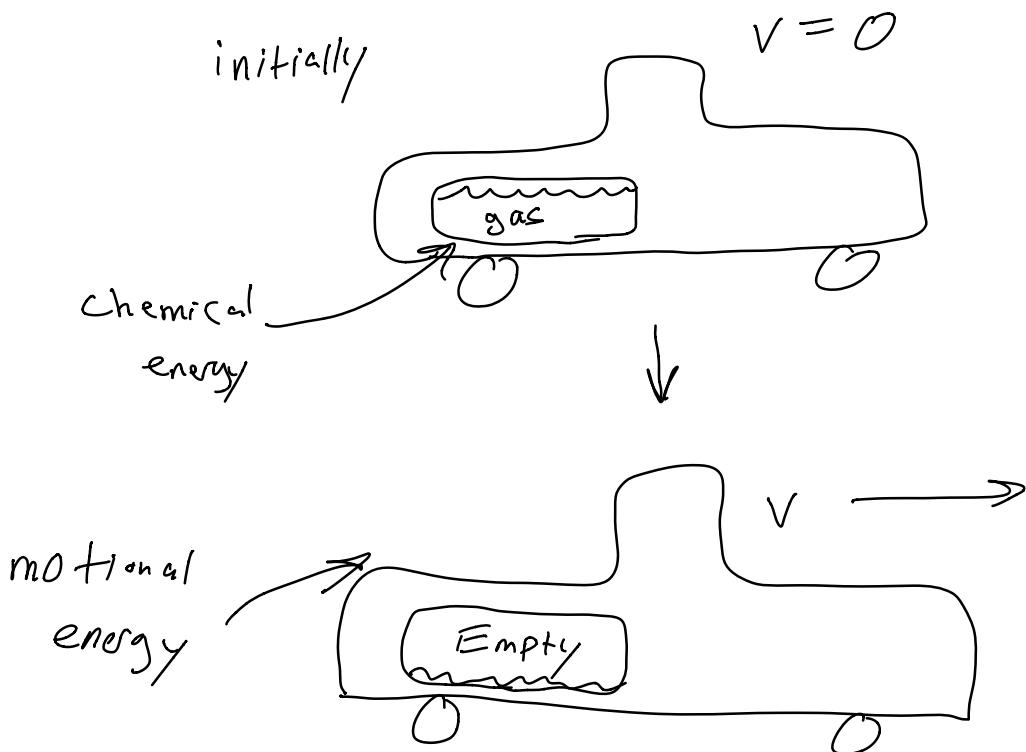
- Energy gives my body the ability to move & exert force (calories)
- Your car uses a chemical rxn to convert gasoline into energy, which it needs in order to force the wheels to turn

Etc. We have some intuition about energy; in this chapter we want to formalize it

- most important thing to know about energy
 - like momentum, it cannot be created or destroyed
 - It can move or change form, but the total amount is constant

The total amount of energy in the universe is constant

- We talk about cars "consuming energy"
Really, it just transforms

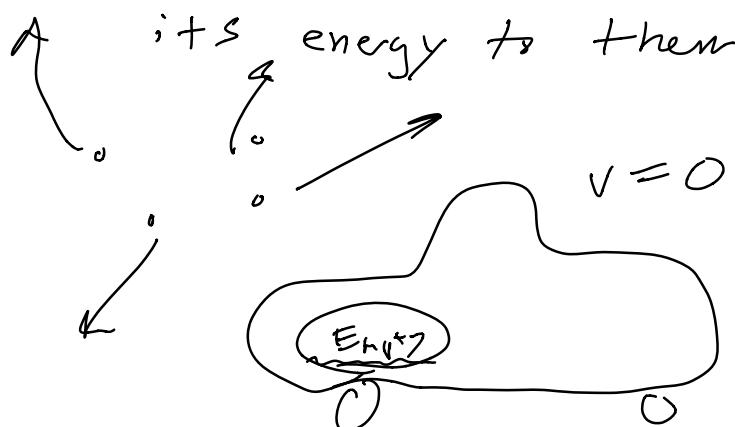


motional energy of moving car
with empty tank

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chemical energy of full tank

- Car gradually slows down because it collides w/ trillions of air molecules & transfers



Fundamental Principle: Energy Conservation

$$\Delta E_{\text{universe}} = 0$$

$$\boxed{\Delta E_{\text{system}} + \Delta E_{\text{surr}} = 0}$$

If the energy of our system changed,
then so did the energy of surroundings

$$\Delta E_{\text{sys}} = (\text{Energy inputs from Surroundings})$$

+ or -

Car (system) lost energy (slowed down)
so surroundings (Earth, air, road)
gained an equal amount
of energy

What is the "motional" energy of a car?

We call this the "kinetic" energy

For a particle w/ mass m +
velocity \vec{v}

$$K = \frac{1}{2} m v^2$$

$v = |\vec{v}|$
Energy of motion

Relativity: $E_{tot+g1} = \gamma mc^2$

c = speed of light (3×10^8 m/s)

$$\gamma = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - (\frac{v}{c})^2}}$$

$$E_{rest+} = E(v=0) = mc^2$$

$$E_{rest+} = mc^2$$

$$E_{kin} = \gamma mc^2 - mc^2$$

$$E_{kin} \approx \frac{1}{2}mv^2, \quad v \ll c$$

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

So: If car moves @ $v = 30$ m/s
+ $m = 1100$ kg

$$K = \frac{1}{2} (1100 \text{ kg}) (30 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}})^2$$

$$K = 495,000 \text{ kg} \left(\frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}\right)^2$$

$$1 \text{ Joule (J)} = 1 \text{ kg} \left(\frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}\right)^2$$

$$1 \text{ L} = 495,000 \text{ J}$$

$$1 \text{ Calorie} = 4184 \text{ J}$$

Ex: Pulling a ^{3kg} block, & I increase the force so that the block's speed increases from 4 m/s to 5 m/s, what is the change in chemical energy in my body?

System: me + block

$$\Delta E_{(me+block)} = 0$$

$$E_i = E_{me,i} + \frac{1}{2} (3\text{kg}) (4 \text{ m/s})^2$$

$$E_f = E_{me,f} + \frac{1}{2} (3\text{kg}) (5 \text{ m/s})^2$$

$$\Delta E = \Delta E_{me} + 13.5 \text{ J} = 0$$

$$\Delta E_{me} = -13.5 \text{ J}$$

Chemical energy left my body & transformed into ^{Kinetic} energy

We have said "Energy is the ability to exert force"

Not exactly, let's formalize

- Compare to momentum

momentum: ability to resist force

(greater momentum, more force required to change motion)

$$\Delta \vec{p} = \vec{F} \Delta t$$

$$\Delta E = ?$$

$$\Delta E = \frac{1}{2} m v_f^2 - \frac{1}{2} m v_i^2$$

$$v_i = v$$

$$v_f = v + \Delta v$$

$$\Delta E = \frac{1}{2} m (v + \Delta v)^2 - \frac{1}{2} m v^2$$

$$\frac{dE}{dv} = \lim_{\Delta v \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1}{2} m (v + \Delta v)^2 - \frac{1}{2} m v^2}{\Delta v}$$

$$\Delta E \rightarrow \frac{dE}{dv} (\Delta v)$$

$$\frac{dE}{dv} = \frac{d}{dv} \left(\frac{1}{2} mv^2 \right) \\ = mv$$

$$\Delta E = mv \Delta v$$

$$\Delta v = \frac{\Delta p}{m}$$

$$\Delta E = mv \frac{\Delta p}{m} = v \Delta p = v F \Delta t$$

$$v \Delta t = \Delta x$$

$$\Delta E = F \cdot \Delta x$$

Change in energy = "work"

Force \times time $\rightarrow \Delta p$

Force \times displacement $\rightarrow \Delta E$

Work = force \times displacement

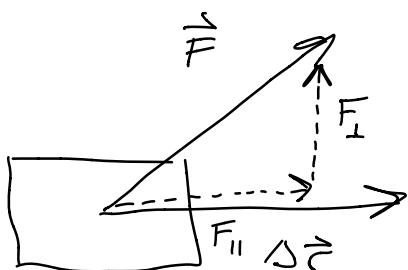
units?

$$N \cdot m = kg \frac{m}{s^2} m = kg \left(\frac{m}{s}\right)^2 = J \quad \checkmark$$

Work = force \times displacement

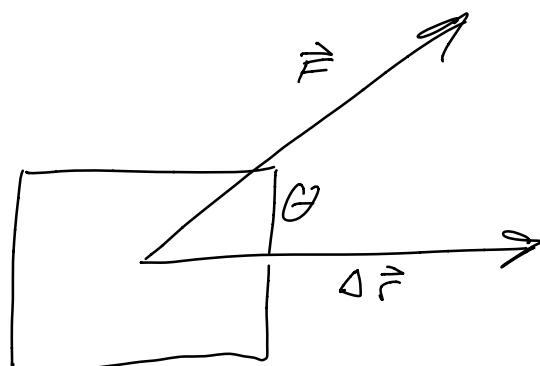
- But W is a scalar, \vec{F} & $\Delta\vec{r}$ are both vectors
- How do we multiply \vec{F} & $\Delta\vec{r}$ together?

Answer: Not all of the force does work, just the component parallel to $\Delta\vec{r}$



only $F_{||}$ does work

$$W = F_{||} |\Delta\vec{r}|$$



$$W = |\vec{F}| \cos\theta |\Delta\vec{r}|$$

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This is an example of a more general vector operation

- we know how to: add/sub

mult by scalars

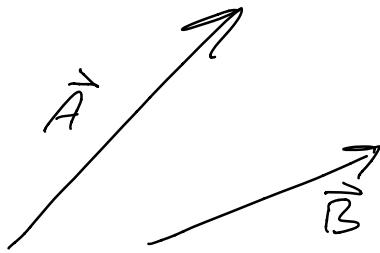
How can we multiply two vectors?

\vec{A} times \vec{B}

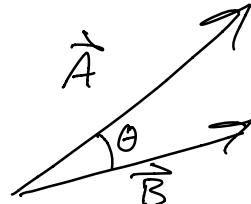
One way: the dot product

$$\vec{A} = (a_x, a_y, a_z)$$

$$\vec{B} = (b_x, b_y, b_z)$$



$$\boxed{\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B} = |\vec{A}| |\vec{B}| \cos \theta}$$



What is $\hat{x} \cdot \hat{y}$?



$$= |\hat{x}| |\hat{y}| \cos(90^\circ) = 0$$

$$\hat{x} \cdot \hat{y} = 0$$

$$\hat{x} \cdot \hat{x} = \cos(0) = 1$$

$$\hat{z} \cdot \hat{y} = \hat{z} \cdot \hat{x} = 0$$

$$\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B} = (a_x, a_y) \cdot (b_x, b_y)$$

$$= (a_x \hat{x} + a_y \hat{y}) \cdot (b_x \hat{x} + b_y \hat{y})$$

$$= a_x \hat{x} \cdot b_x \hat{x} + a_x \hat{x} \cdot b_y \hat{y}$$

$$+ a_y \hat{y} \cdot b_x \hat{x} + a_y \hat{y} \cdot b_y \hat{y}$$

$$= a_x b_x + a_y b_y$$

$$\vec{A} = \langle a_x, a_y, a_z \rangle, \vec{B} = \langle b_x, b_y, b_z \rangle$$

$$\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B} = a_x b_x + a_y b_y + a_z b_z$$

$$\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B} = |\vec{A}| |\vec{B}| \cos \theta$$

Take the component of \vec{A} which is \parallel to \vec{B} , & multiply it by $|\vec{B}|$

- Notes about dot product:

- Is a scalar!

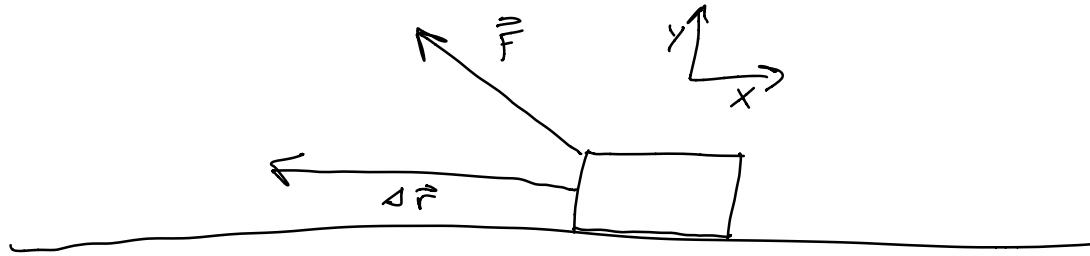
- Is commutative ($\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B} = \vec{B} \cdot \vec{A}$)

So: If a force \vec{F} is being applied over a displacement of $\Delta \vec{r}$, then

$$W = \vec{F} \cdot \Delta \vec{r}$$

constant Force

Ex: How much work to pull a block w/ const force?

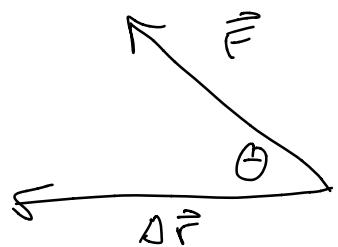


$$\vec{F} = -0.3\hat{x} + 0.25\hat{y} \quad ((-0.3, 0.25, 0))$$

$$\Delta \vec{r} = -1.5\hat{x}$$

$$W = \vec{F} \cdot \Delta \vec{r} = (-0.3N)(-1.5m) + (0.25N)(0)$$

$$W = 0.45 \text{ J}$$



would get the same answer if we found

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \text{then} \quad W = |\vec{F}| |\delta \vec{r}| \cos \theta$$