

Semester 2 Equation Sheet

Energy: m-mass (kg), v-velocity (m/s), h-height (m), Δx -displacement (m)

Kinetic energy (the energy of an object in motion):

$$E_k = (1/2)(m)(v)^2$$

Gravitational potential energy (the energy an object possesses due to its position):

$$E_{gp} = (m)(g)(h), \quad g = 9.81(\text{N}) / (\text{kg})$$

Elastic potential energy (the energy stored in a deformed object that can return to its original shape):

$$E_{el} = (1/2)(k)(\Delta x)^2, \quad k\text{-spring constant (N) / (m)}$$

Impulse/Momentum: p- momentum ((kg(m/s))), m-mass (kg), v-velocity (m/s)

$$p = (m)(v), \quad \Delta p = (m)(\Delta v), \quad \Delta p = (F_{\text{net}})(\Delta t)$$

Conservation of momentum:

$$(m_1)(v_{1i}) + (m_2)(v_{2i}) = (m_1)(v_{1f}) + (m_2)(v_{2f})$$

Law of Universal Gravitation: F_g -gravitational force (N), m-mass (kg), r-distance between centers of the masses (m)

$$F_g = ((G)(m_1)(m_2)) / ((r)^2), \quad G = 6.67 \times 10^{-11} (\text{N} \cdot \text{m}^2) / (\text{kg}^2)$$

Static Electricity: F_e -electric force (N), q-quantity of charge (C), r-distance between the charges (m)

$$F_e = ((k)(q_1)(q_2)) / ((r)^2), \quad k = 8.99 \times 10^9 (\text{N} \cdot \text{m}^2) / (\text{C}^2)$$

Current Electricity: I-current (A), V-voltage (V), R-resistance (Ω), P-power (W)

$$I = (V) / (R), \quad P = (I)(V)$$

Waves: v-velocity (m/s), λ -wavelength (m), f-frequency (Hz = cycles / s)

$$v = (f)(\lambda)$$