

Physics 211

Sections 1 & 70

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Lecture 13 (10/11/12)

Lecture 13 outline

- Announcements
- Work & energy
 - Constant force
 - Variable force example: spring
- Kinetic energy & work-energy theorem
- Potential energy
- Introduction to conservation of energy

Announcements

- Homework
 - Homework #6: due today 11:59PM
 - Homework #7: assigned today
- Reading: for Tuesday: Ch. 5 through Sec. 5.4
- Office hours
 - 10AM-11AM, 4PM-5PM today in MH-601B

Today
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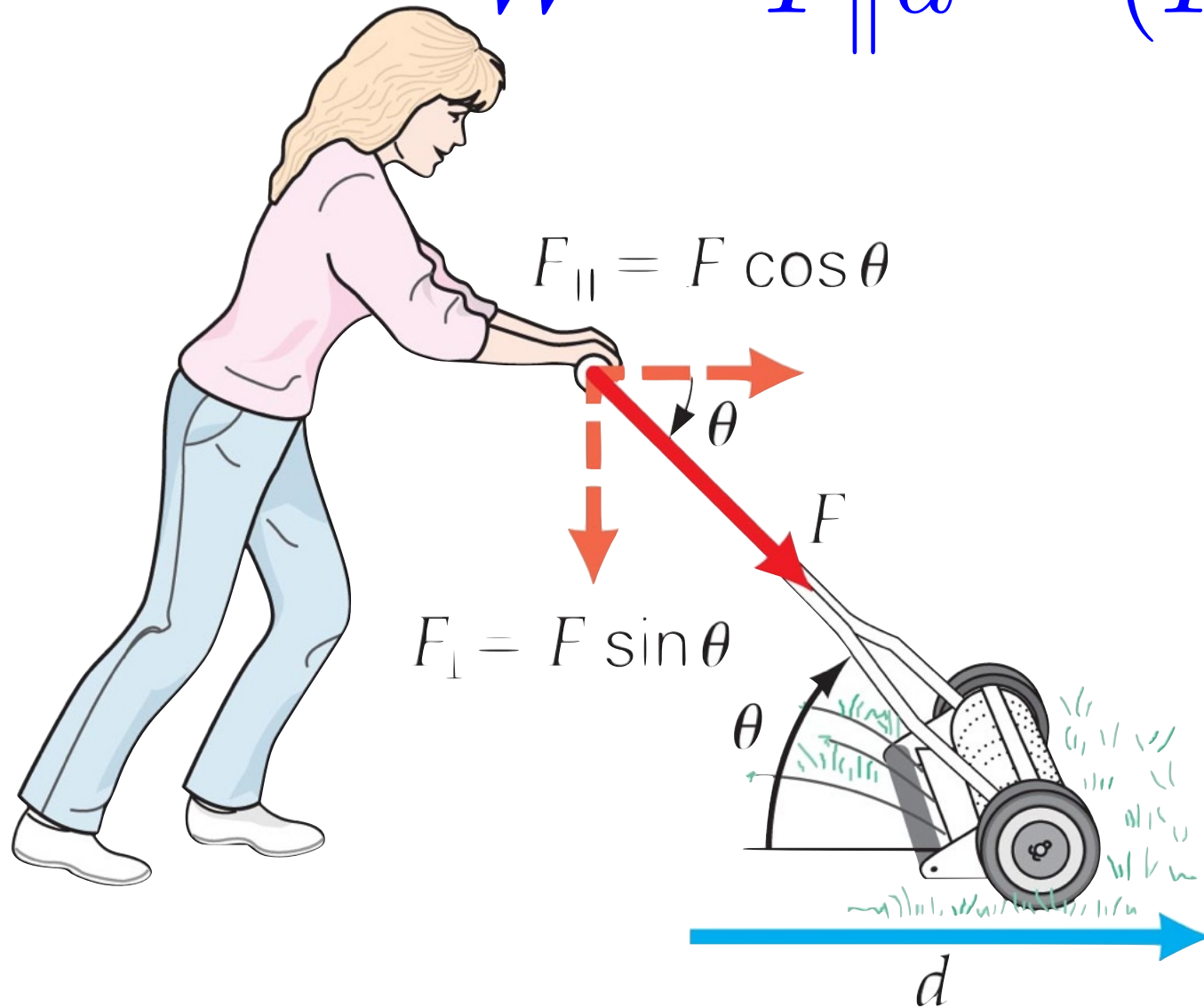
Sep 20	Force, laws of motion HW #3 due
Sep 25	Exam 1
Sep 27	Laws of motion, HW #4 due
Oct 2	Free body diagrams
Oct 4	Free body diagrams, friction, HW #5 due
Oct 9	Free body diagram practice & wrap-up
Oct 11	Work, energy, kinetic & potential energy HW #6 due
Oct 16	Kinetic & potential energy, conservation of energy
Oct 18	Conservation of energy, power, HW #7 due
Oct 23	Exam 2
Oct 25	Linear momentum, conservation of linear momentum, HW #8 due
Oct 30	Conservation of linear momentum, collisions
Nov 1	Center of mass, rockets, HW #9 due
Nov 6	Circular motion, gravitation
Nov 8	Gravitation, Kepler's laws
Nov 13	Special feature: temperature, heat, entropy HW #10 due
Nov 15	Exam 3
Nov 20	Fall Recess — No class

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Work (constant force)

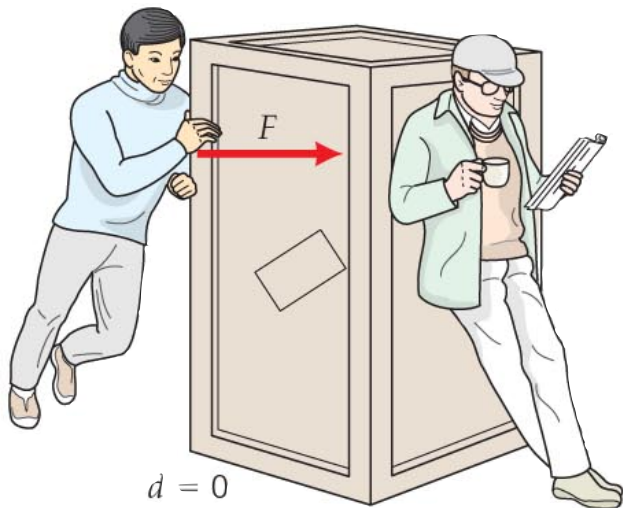
$$W = F_{\parallel} d = (F \cos \theta) d$$



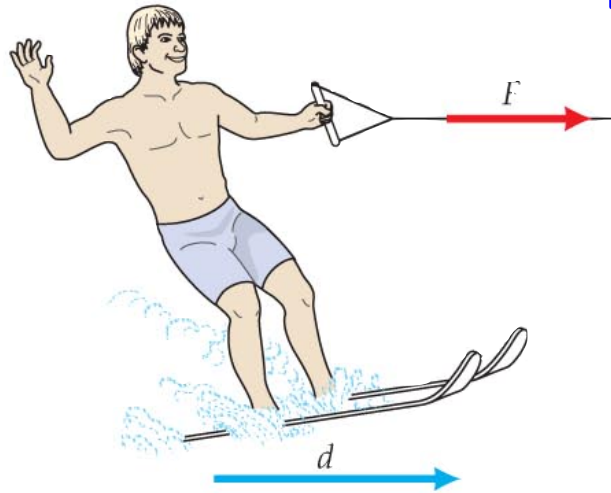
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Work (constant force)

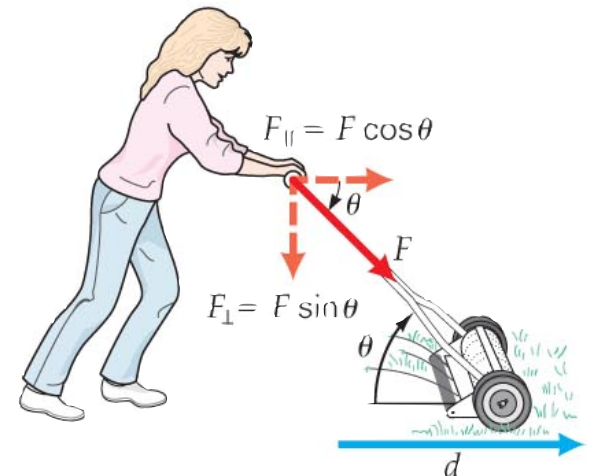
- Work: what's done when a force acts on an object as it moves through a distance
 - Net work: done by net force over displacement d
 - Done **only by force component \parallel to displacement**
 - Scalar, units: $\text{J} = \text{N} \cdot \text{m}$ $W = F_{\parallel} d = (F \cos \theta) d$



$$W = 0 \text{ if } d = 0$$



$$W = Fd$$



$$W = (F \cos \theta) d$$

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Question 5.1 To Work or Not to Work

Is it possible to do work on an object that remains at rest?

A

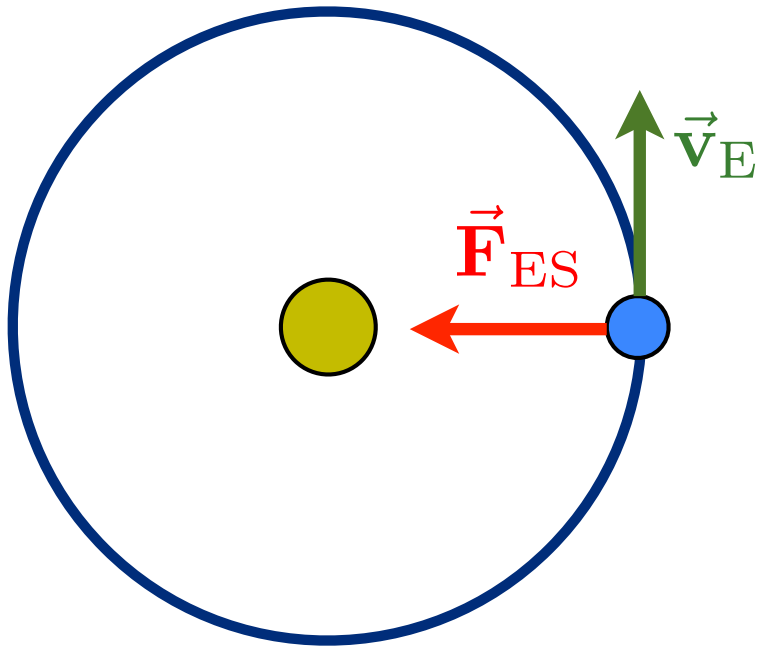
yes

B

no

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- If the earth orbits the sun in a circular orbit and tidal friction can be neglected, what is the work done on the earth by the sun?



A

$-W$

B

0

C

$+W$

D

not enough
information to know

Clicker question #48

Question 5.4 Lifting a Book

You lift a book with your hand in such a way that it moves up at constant speed. While it is moving, what is the *total work* done on the book?

A

$$mg \times \Delta r$$

B

$$F_{\text{HAND}} \times \Delta r$$

C

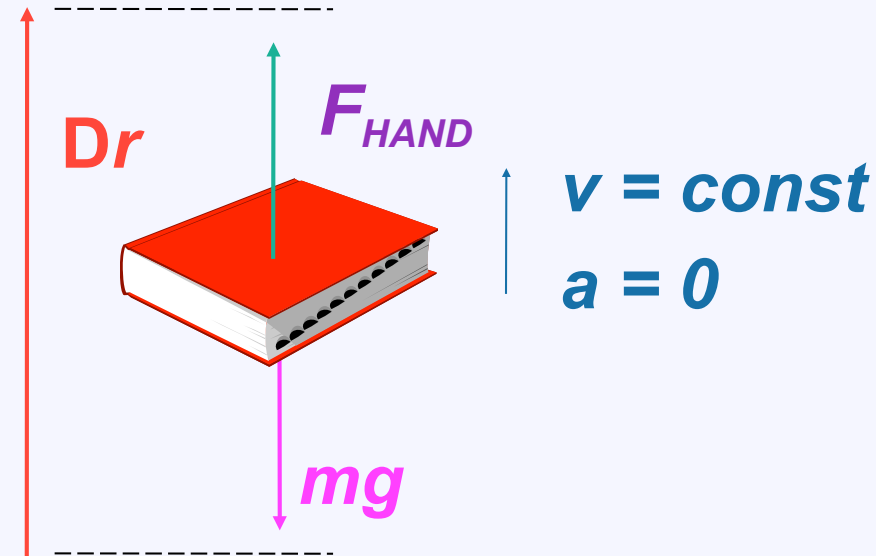
$$(F_{\text{HAND}} + mg) \times \Delta r$$

D

zero



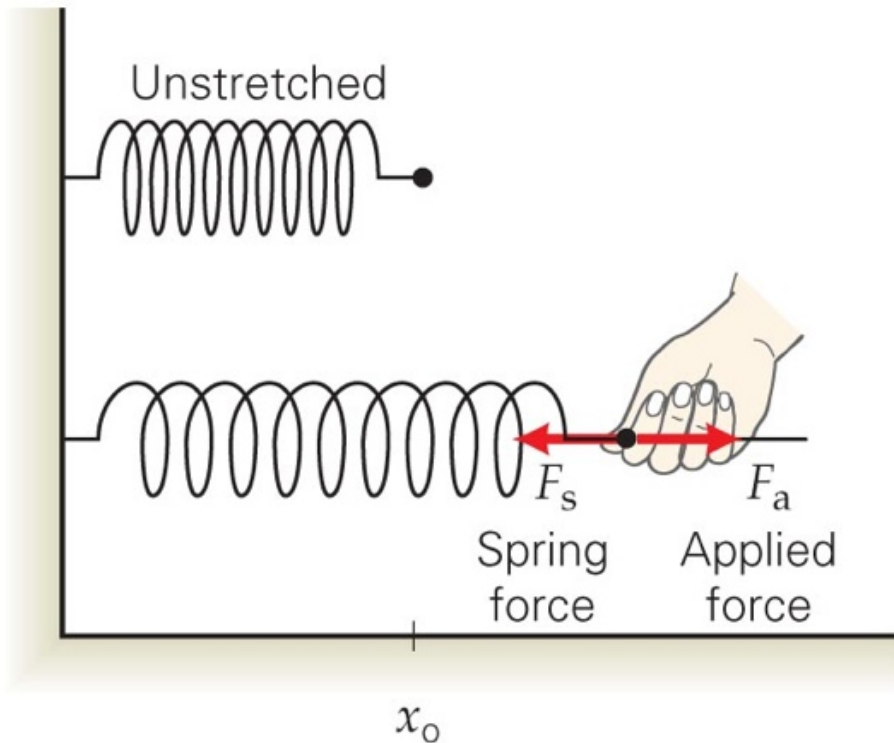
none of ABCD



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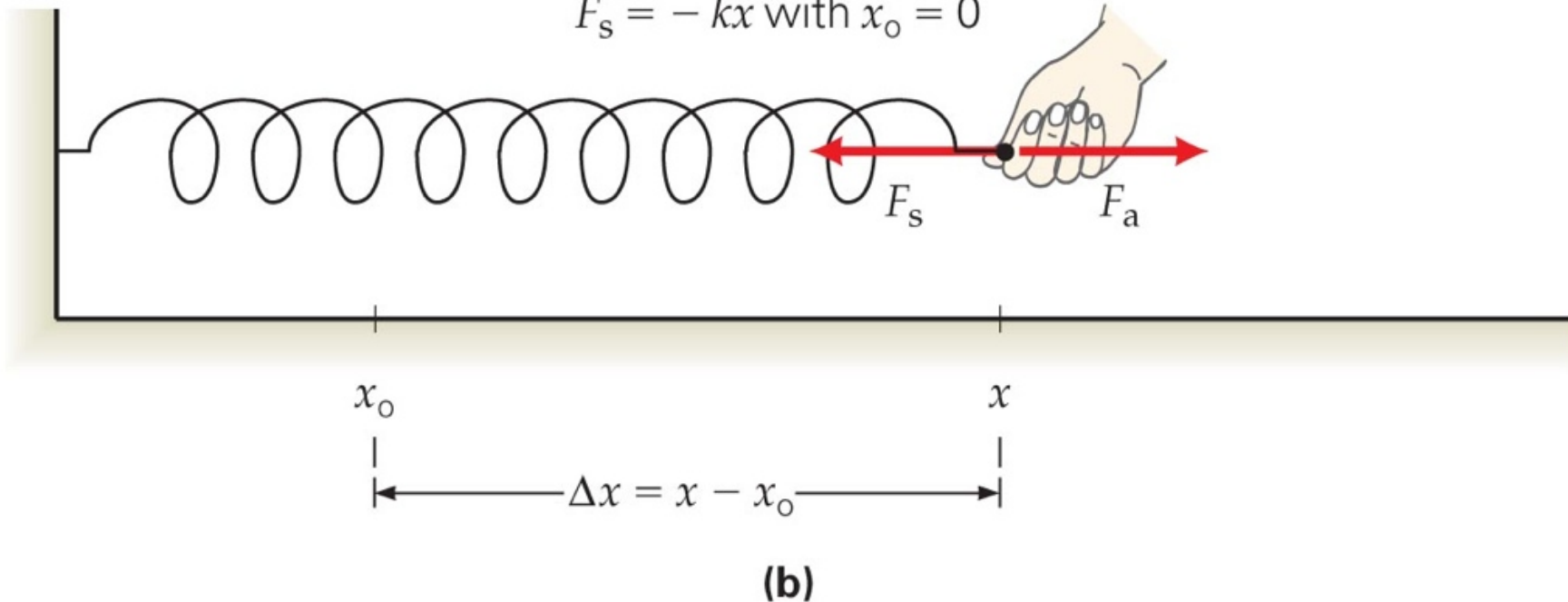
Spring force



$$F_s = -k\Delta x$$

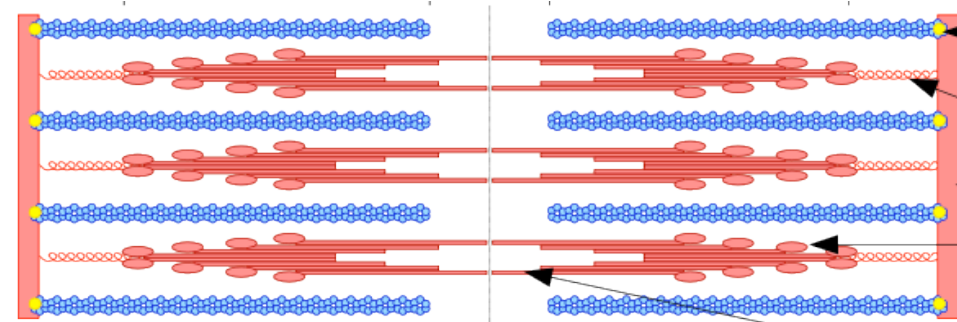
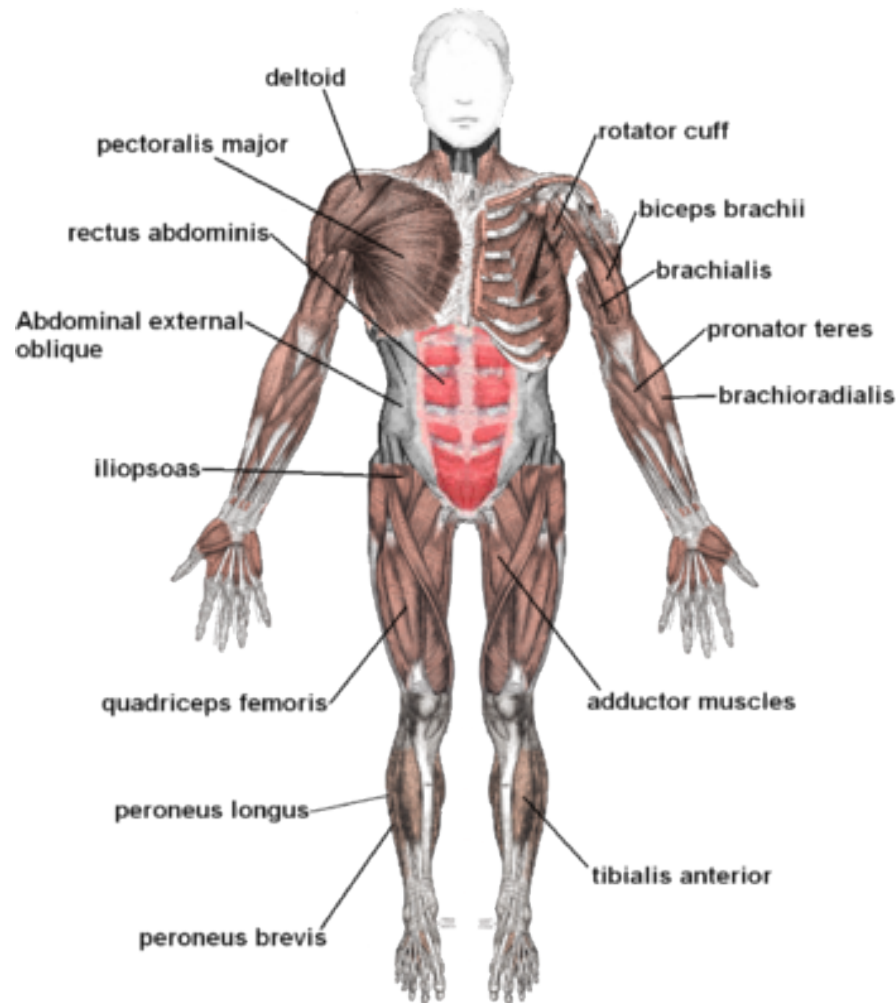
(a)

$$F_s = -k\Delta x = -k(x - x_0)$$
$$F_s = -kx \text{ with } x_0 = 0$$

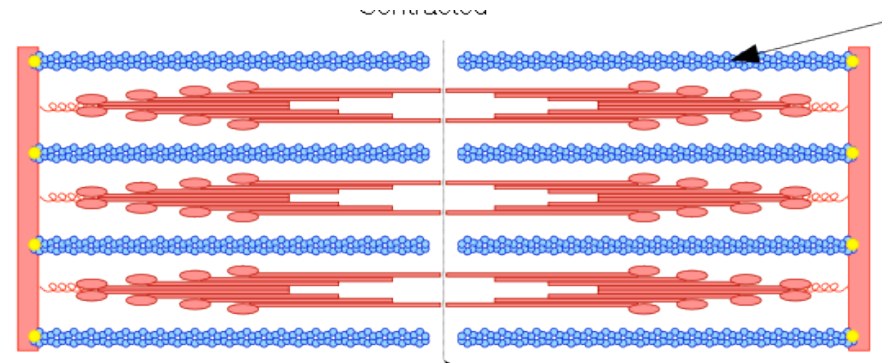


Examples: springs

- Real-life spring
- Example: muscles



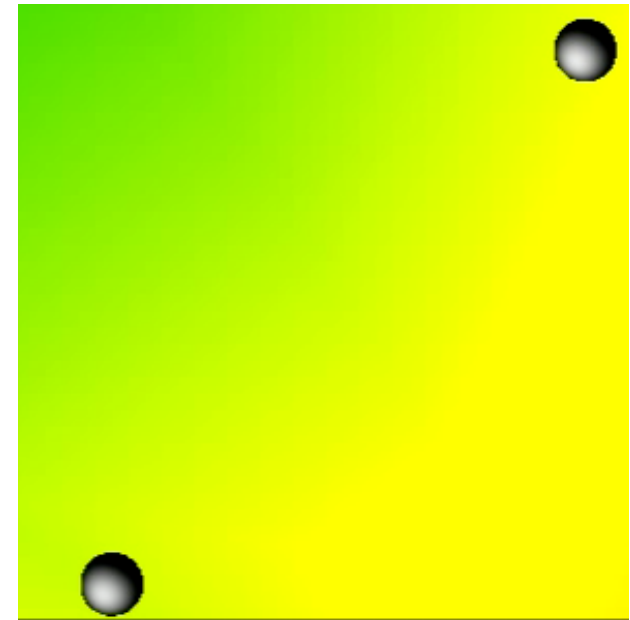
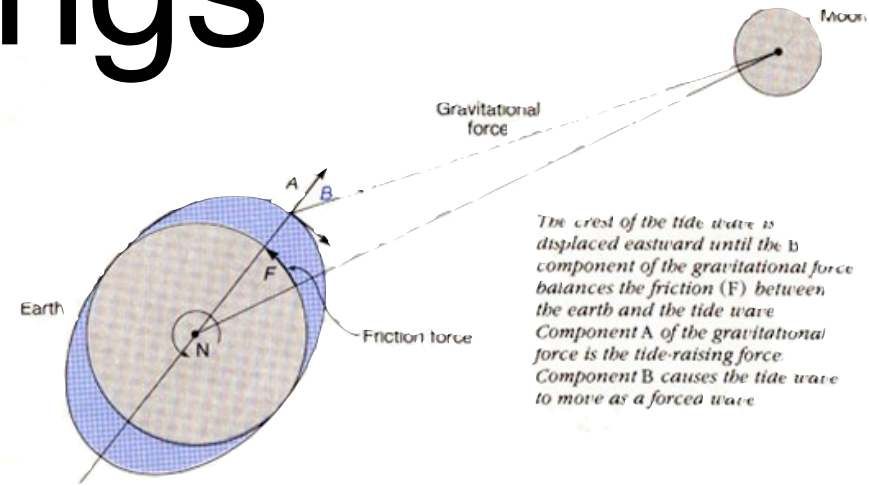
Relaxed muscle



Contracted muscle

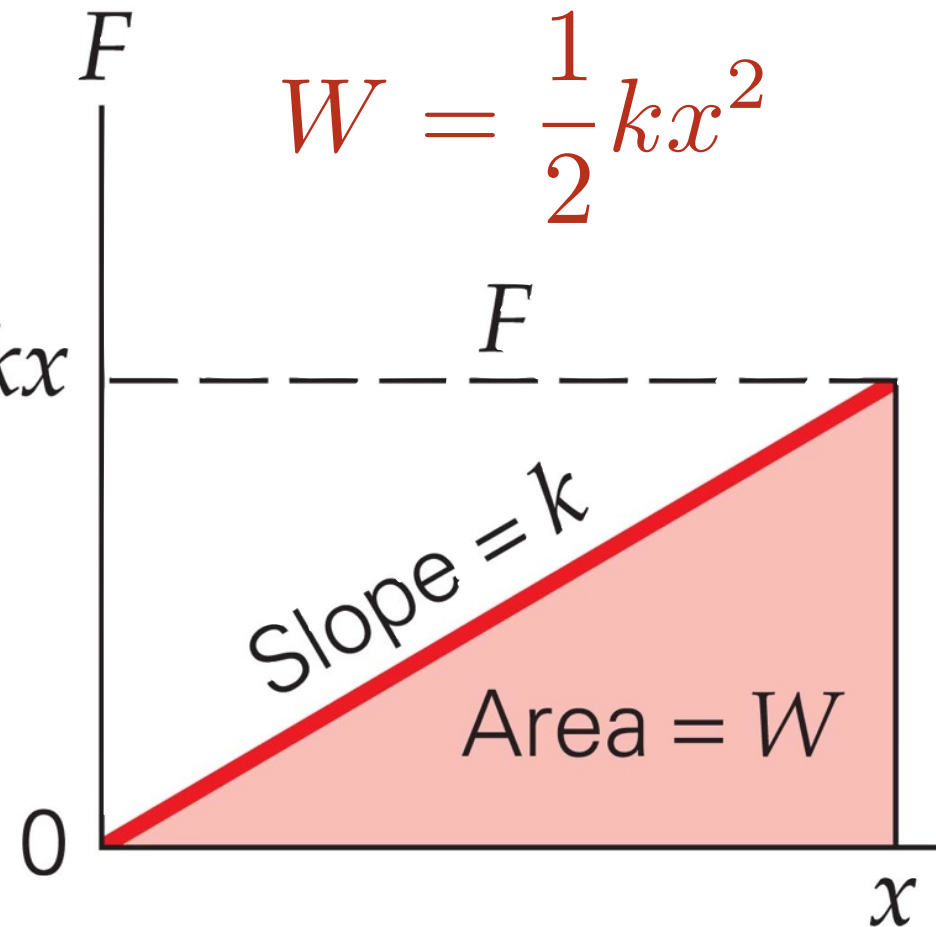
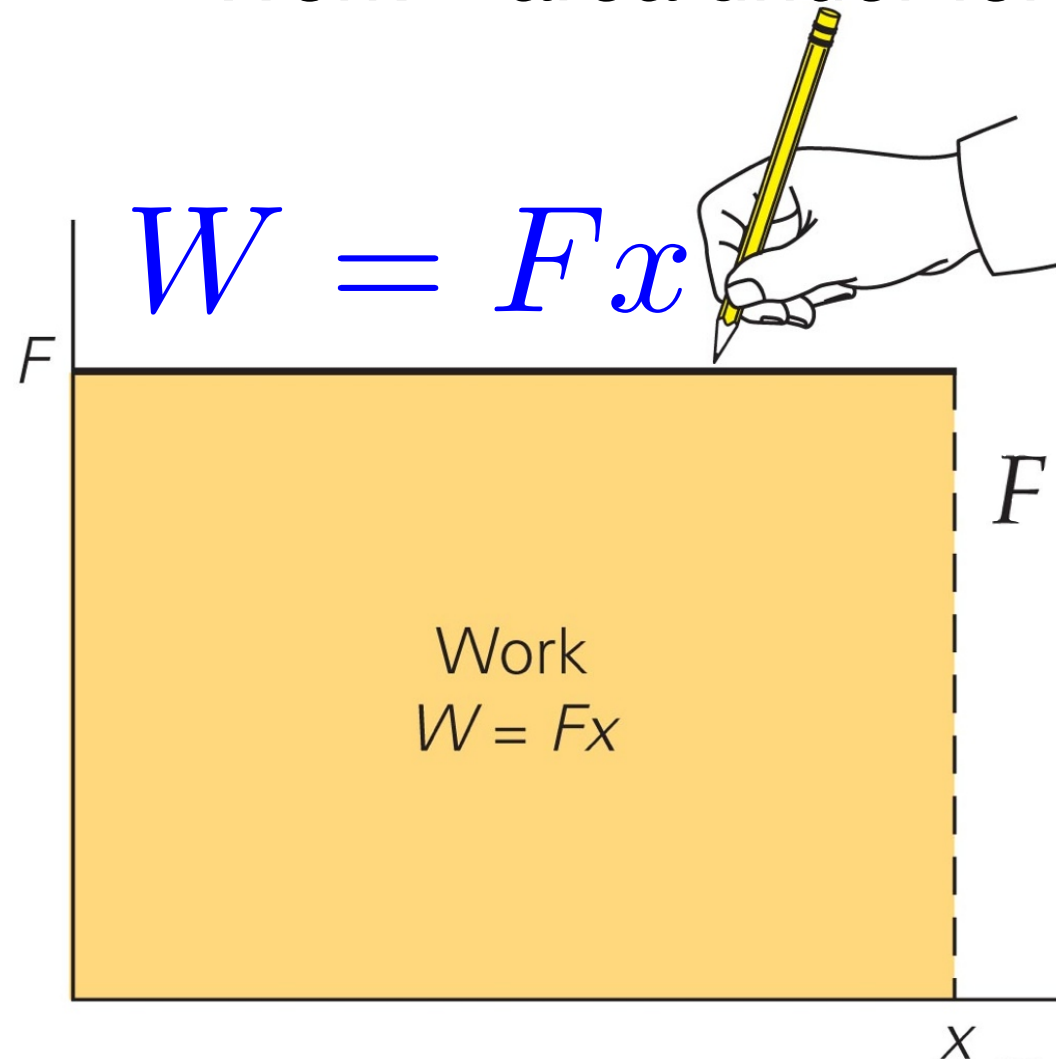
Examples: springs

- Disturbed black-hole horizon
 - Inside horizon, gravity so strong even light can't escape
 - 2 black holes: raise tides on each other
 - When deformed, horizon oscillates like a mass on a spring (same equation!)
 - Movie: simulated, deformed horizons



Work: variable force

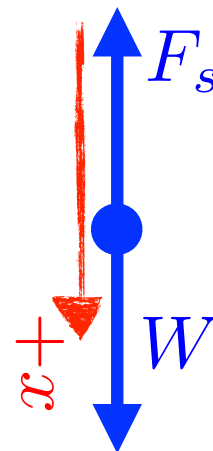
- Work = area under force vs. displacement curve



Ex. 5.4

- Mass m_1 hung on an unstretched spring, which comes to rest distance Δx below start ($x=0$). Mass m_2 added; where are masses at rest then?

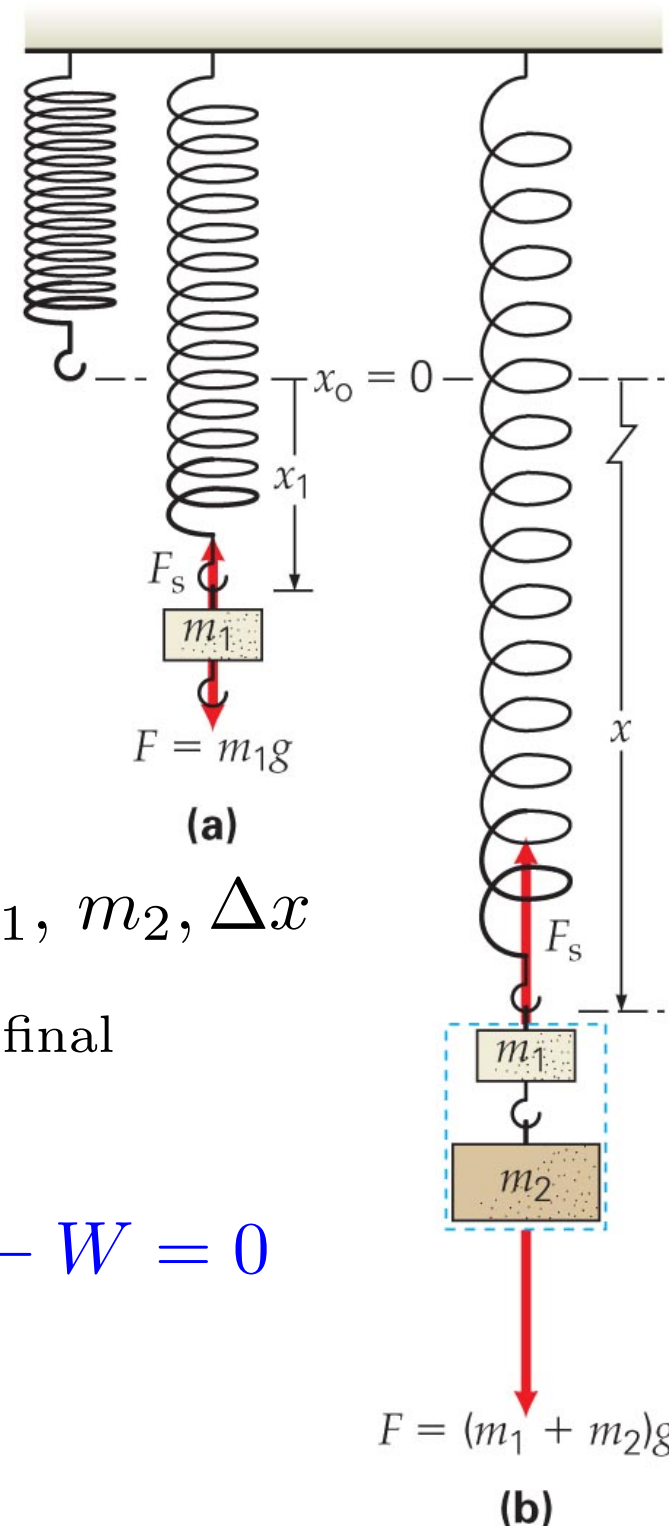
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2. Draw a sketch = space diagram
3. Given? Goal?
4. Brainstorm: 2nd law + friction
 - 4a. For each body, draw a free-body diagram
 - 4b. Write equations



$$F_s - W = 0$$

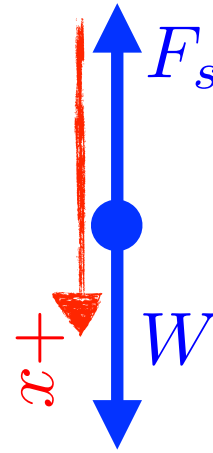
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Goal: Δx_{final}



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5. Calculate
6. (Plug in numbers)
7. Is answer reasonable?



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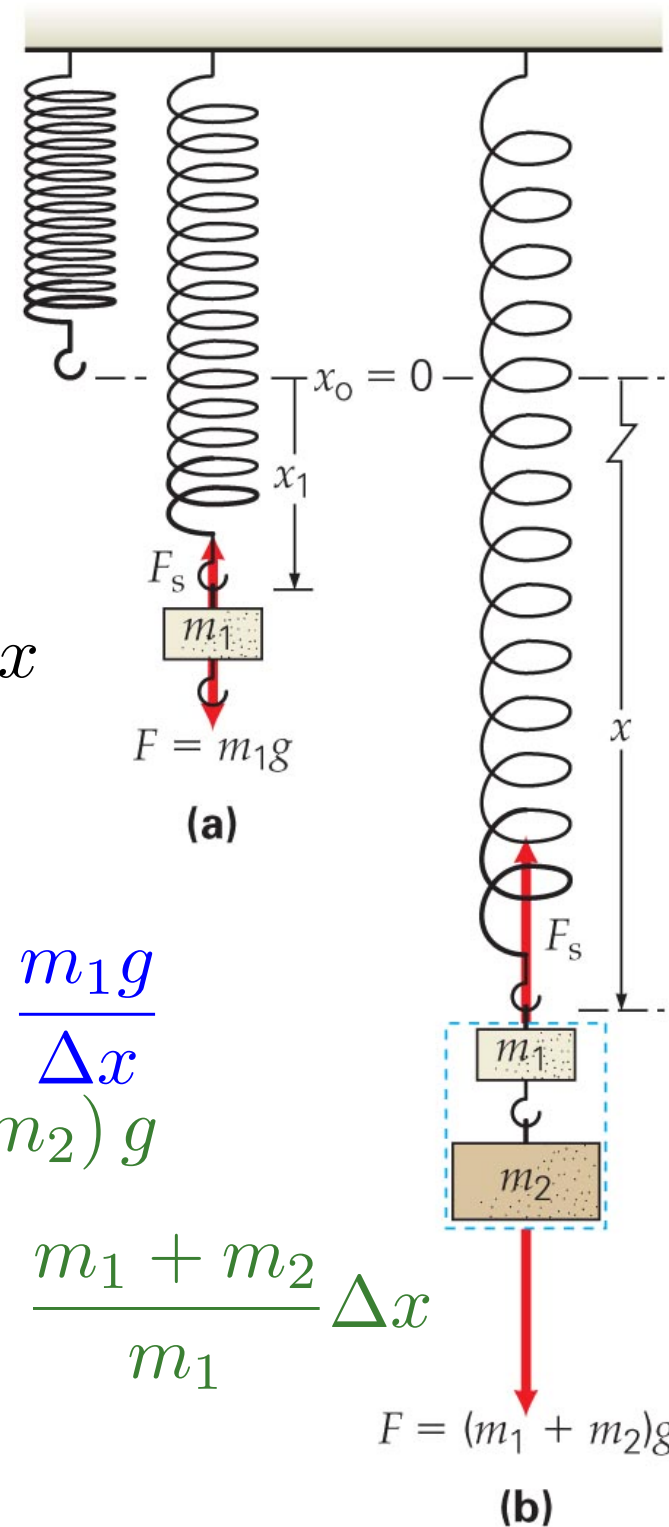
Goal: Δx_{final}

$$F_s - W = 0$$

$$k\Delta x = m_1 g \quad k = \frac{m_1 g}{\Delta x}$$

$$k\Delta x_{\text{final}} = (m_1 + m_2) g$$

$$\Delta x_{\text{final}} = \frac{(m_1 + m_2) g}{k} = \frac{(m_1 + m_2) g}{m_1 g} \Delta x = \frac{m_1 + m_2}{m_1} \Delta x$$



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Energy

Convert $\sim 5 \times 10^8$ J
electrical energy to
sound, light, thermal,
...

- Energy
 - Many forms: sound, kinetic (motion), gravitational, light, thermal, elastic, electrical, chemical, nuclear, mass...
 - Scalar (units: $\text{J} = \text{N} \cdot \text{m}$)
 - Can move energy & change its form
 - **Impossible to create or destroy energy**
 - Why? Emmy Noether 1915:
Because laws of physics are the same at all times.



Examples of energy

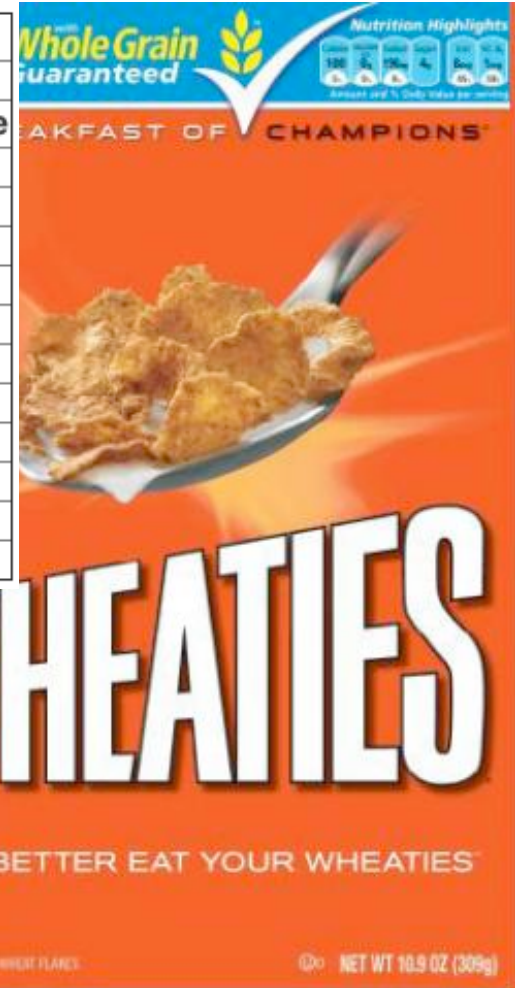


100 J/s 27 J/s

Equally bright

1 Watt = 1 J/s

Wheaties Basic Nutrition		
Serving Size		27 grams
Nutrition Fact	Amount	% Daily Value
Calories	100	-
Calories from Fat	5	-
Total Fat	0 grams	1%
Saturated Fat	0 grams	0%
Trans Fat	0 grams	-
Cholesterol	0 milligrams	0%
Sodium	190 milligrams	8%
Total Carbohydrates	22 grams	8%
Fiber	3 grams	12%
Sugars	4 grams	-
Protein	2 grams	4%



Humans use:
~2000 Cal/day

1 Cal = 4184 J

Brain uses 1/5 of that
= 400 Cal/day
= 20 J / s = 20 Watt

Kinetic energy & work

- Kinetic energy = $K = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$
energy of motion

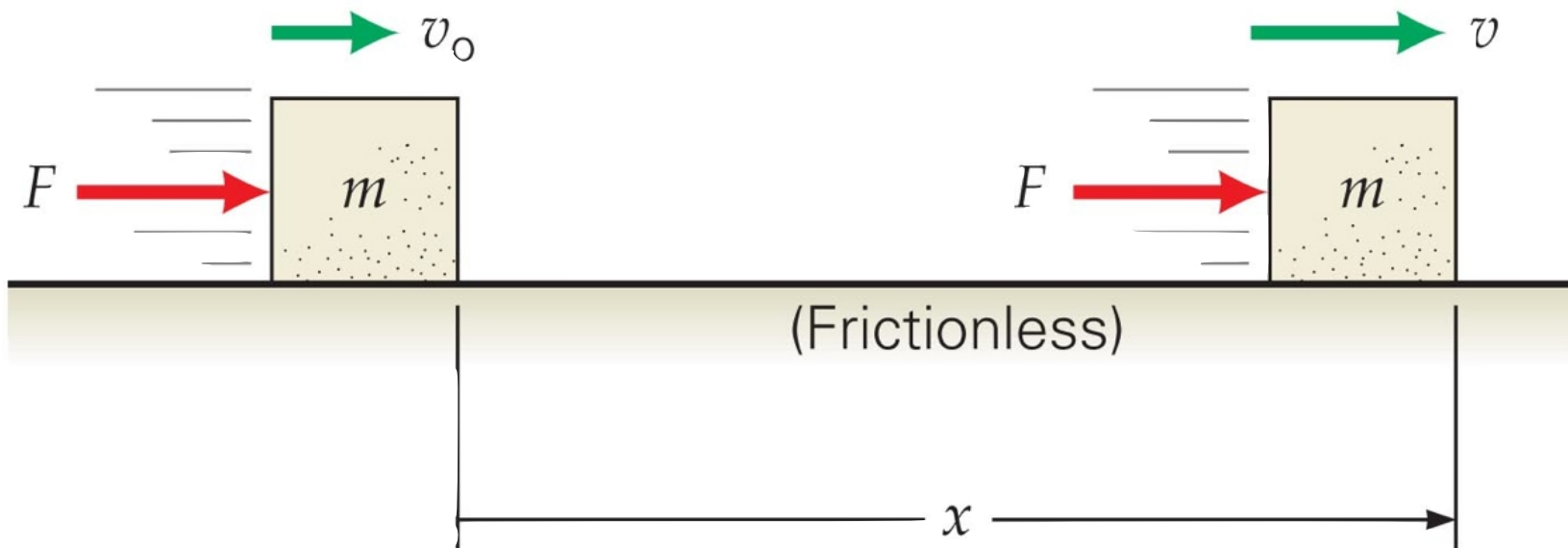
- Work energy theorem

$$W_{\text{net}} = \Delta K$$

$$W = K - K_o = \Delta K$$

$$K_o = \frac{1}{2}mv_o^2$$

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



$$W = Fx$$

Clicker question #50

Question 5.5a Kinetic Energy I



By what factor does the kinetic energy of a car change when its speed is tripled?

A

no change at all

B

factor of 3

C

factor of 6

D

factor of 9

factor of 12

Clicker question #51

Question 5.6b Free Fall II

Two stones, one twice the mass of the other, are dropped from a cliff. Just before hitting the ground, what is the final speed of the heavy stone compared to the light one?

- | | |
|---|--------------------|
| A | quarter as much |
| B | half as much |
| C | the same |
| D | twice as much |
| | four times as much |

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the same

twice as much

four times as much

Clicker question #49

Question 5.2a Friction and Work I



A box is being pulled
across a rough floor at
a constant speed.
What can you say
about the work done
by friction?

A

friction does no work at all

B

friction does negative work

C

friction does positive work