

3HW - Challenging Extra Practice Quantitative Energy Analysis of a Bungee Jump

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$$E_{\text{Total before}} = E_g + E_k + E_e = E_{\text{Total after}}$$

$$E_g = mgh$$

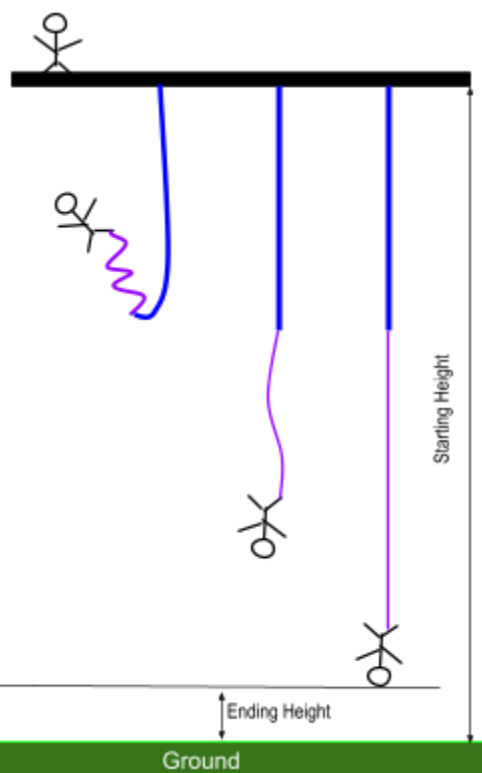
$$E_k = \frac{1}{2} m v^2$$

$$E_e = \frac{1}{2} k d^2$$

$$g = 10 \text{ N/kg}$$

1. A jumper with a mass of 0.4 kg is on top of a 6 meter tall platform. The bungee cord has a spring constant of $k = 20 \text{ N/m}$.

- A) Fill in the missing bar charts below.
 B) Calculate the missing E_g at each point.
 C) Determine the missing E_k and E_e at each point.



System Component:	Jumper	Bungee Cord	Total System
Position 1: (6 m)	<div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 40px; width: 100%;"></div>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 40px; width: 100%;"></div>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 40px; width: 100%;"></div>
	E_g E_k	E_e	E_{Total}
Position 2: (4 m)	<div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 40px; width: 100%;"></div>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 40px; width: 100%;"></div>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 40px; width: 100%;"></div>
	E_g E_k	E_e	E_{Total}
Position 3: (1.5 m)	<div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 40px; width: 100%; background-color: #90EE90; position: relative;"><div style="position: absolute; top: 0; left: 0; width: 100%; height: 100%; background-color: #FF0000; opacity: 0.5;"></div></div>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 40px; width: 100%; background-color: #0000FF; position: relative;"><div style="position: absolute; top: 0; left: 0; width: 100%; height: 100%; background-color: #FF0000; opacity: 0.5;"></div></div>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 40px; width: 100%;"></div>
	E_g E_k	E_e	E_{Total}
Position 4: (0.5 m)	<div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 40px; width: 100%;"></div>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 40px; width: 100%;"></div>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 40px; width: 100%;"></div>
	E_g E_k	E_e	E_{Total}

$E_g =$

$E_k =$

$E_e =$

$E_g =$

$E_k =$

$E_e =$

$E_g =$

$E_k =$

$E_e =$

stretch = 0.5 m

$E_g =$

$E_k =$

$E_e =$

- E) Determine the stretch at Position 4 (ending height) and clearly communicate your calculations:

F) *Challenge Question:* In reality, some of the energy during a bungee jump is lost to thermal energy. If 20% of the energy during the fall transfers to thermal energy in the spring argue from your predicted data what will change in the jump. (Use the extra bar chart provided as a tool to assist your thinking)

New bar chart for position 4

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E_g	E_k	E_{Total}