Conservation of Energy

- 20. An object has 100 J of gravitational energy while sitting atop of a table (relative to the floor). If a student knocks the object off the table how much kinetic energy does the object have right before it hits the floor?
- 21. If the object mentioned above has a mass of 2 kg, what is its speed right before it hits the ground?
- 22. A 250 kg roller coaster goes over the first hill 30 meters high. How fast is it moving at the bottom of this hill (neglect friction)?
- 23. In the problem above how fast would the roller coaster be moving if it was pushed with a 5 N force for .25 meters at the top of the hill?
- 24. A 20 kg cart is moving at 10 m/s rolls up an incline. Neglecting friction, how high up the incline is the cart going to rise?
- 25. A 10 kg wood crate is slide across a wood floor with an initial velocity of 2 m/s. How far along the floor is the crate going to travel?
- 26. A 5 kg mass, starting 3 meters vertically above the ground, slides down an incline and compresses a spring a distance of .2 meters. Determine the spring constant of the spring.
- 27. A 2 kg mass, starting 5 meters vertically above the ground, slides down a frictionless incline. It hits a spring with a spring constant 2,000 N/m. Determine the maximum compression of the spring?