## 10.1 WORK

- 1. Together, two students exert a force of 825 N in pushing a car a distance of 35 m.
  - a. How much work do the students do on the car?
  - b. If the force was doubled, how much work would they do pushing the car the same distance?
- 2. During a tug-of-war, team A does 2.20105 J of work in pulling team B 8.00 m. What force was team A exerting?
- 3. A rock climber wears a 7.5-kg backpack while scaling a cliff. After 30.0 min, the climber is 8.2 m above the starting point.
  - a. How much work does the climber do on the backpack?
  - b. If the climber weighs 645 N, how much work does she do lifting herself and the backpack?
- 4. A rope is used to pull a metal box a distance of 15.0 m across the floor. The rope is held at an angle of 46.0° with the floor, and a force of 628 N is applied to the rope. How much work does the force on the rope do?
- 5. A wagon is pulled by a force of 38.0 N exerted on the handle at an angle of 42.0° with the horizontal. If the wagon is pulled in a circle of radius 25.0 m, how much work is done?
- 6. Lawn Mower Shani is pushing a lawn mower with a force of 88.0 N along a handle that makes an angle of 41.0° with the horizontal. How much work is done by Shani in moving the lawn mower 1.2 km to mow the yard
- 7. The graph in **Figure 10-22** shows the force and displacement of an object being pulled. Calculate the work done to pull the object 7.0 m.



- 8. John pushes a crate across the floor of a factory with a horizontal force. The roughness of the floor changes, and John must exert a force of 20 N for 5 m, then 35 N for 12 m, and then 10 N for 8 m.
  - a. Draw a graph of force as a function of distance.
  - b. Find the work John does pushing the crate.

## 10.2 KINETIC ENERGY AND THE WORK-ENERGY THEOREM

- 9. A 1600-kg car travels at a speed of 12.5 m/s. What is its kinetic energy?
- 10. A racing car has a mass of 1525 kg. What is its kinetic energy if it has a speed of 108 km/h?
- 11. Shawn and his bike have a combined mass of 45.0 kg. Shawn rides his bike 1.80 km in 10.0 min at a constant velocity. What is Shawn's kinetic energy?
- 12. In the 1950s, an experimental train, which had a mass of 2.50 x  $10^4$  kg, was powered across a level track by a jet engine that produced a thrust of 5.00 x  $10^5$  N for a distance of 509 m.
  - a. Find the work done on the train.
  - b. Find the change in kinetic energy.
  - c. Find the final kinetic energy of the train if it started from rest.
  - d. Find the final speed of the train if there had been no friction.
- 13. A 14,700-N car is traveling at 25 m/s. The brakes are applied suddenly, and the car slides to a stop. The average braking force between the tires and the road is 7100 N. How far will the car slide once the brakes are applied?
- 14. A 15.0-kg cart is moving with a velocity of 7.50 m/s down a level hallway. A constant force of 10.0 N acts on the cart, and its velocity becomes 3.20 m/s.
  - a. What is the change in kinetic energy of the cart?
  - b. How much work was done on the cart?
  - c. How far did the cart move while the force acted?
- 15. A comet with a mass of 7.85 x 10<sup>11</sup> kg strikes Earth at a speed of 25.0 km/s. Find the kinetic energy of the comet in joules, and compare the work that is done by Earth in stopping the comet to the 4.2 x 10<sup>15</sup> J of energy that was released by the largest nuclear weapon ever built.

## 10.3 POWER

- 16. A force of 300.0 N is used to push a 145-kg mass 30.0 m horizontally in 3.00 s. a. Calculate the work done on the mass. b. Calculate the power developed.
- 17. A cyclist exerts a force of 15.0 N as he rides a bike 251 m in 30.0 s. How much power does the cyclist develop?
- 18. A lawn roller is pushed across a lawn by a force of 115 N along the direction of the handle, which is 22.5° above the horizontal. If 64.6 W of power is developed for 90.0 s, what distance is the roller pushed?
- 19. An engine moves a boat through the water at a constant speed of 15 m/s. The engine must exert a force of 6.0 kN to balance the force that the water exerts against the hull. What power does the engine develop?
- 20. A 120-kg lawn tractor, shown in **Figure 10-17**, goes up a 21° incline that is 12.0 m long in 2.5 s. Calculate the power that is developed by the tractor.



Figure 10-17

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UNIT 10 PRACTICE PROBLEMS

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