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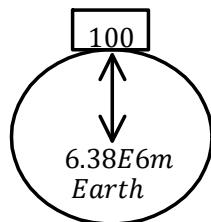
$$E_{p\infty} = -\frac{GMm}{r}$$

P12 - 7.1 - Fg Ep Notes

F_g : The Gravitational Force between any two Objects anywhere in the Universe. (Newton)

E_p : The Potential Energy a massive object has in relation to another due to gravity. (Joules)

Distance from Earth



$$F_g = \frac{Gm_1 m_2}{r^2}$$

$$g = \frac{GM}{r^2}$$

$$F_g = \frac{6.67 \times 10^{-11} (5.98 \times 10^{24}) (100)}{(6.38 \times 10^6)^2}$$

$$F_g = 979.9 \text{ N}$$

$$F_g = mg$$

$$F_g = 100 \times 9.8$$

$$F_g = 980 \text{ N}$$

$$E_p = gmr$$

$$W = mgh$$

$$\text{Obviously:}!!$$

$$mgh = E_{pf} - E_{pi}; r < 10000 \text{ m}$$

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$$F_g = 907.4 \text{ N}$$

$$E_p = -\frac{GMm}{r}$$

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$$F_g = 4.92E-4 \text{ N}$$

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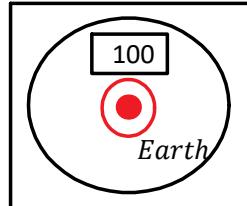
$$F_g = \frac{6.67 \times 10^{-11} (5.98 \times 10^{24}) (100)}{(6.38 \times 10^6 + \infty)^2}$$

$$F_g = 0 \text{ N}$$

$$E_{p\infty} = -\frac{GMm}{r}$$

$$E_{p\infty} = -\frac{6.67 \times 10^{-11} (5.98 \times 10^{24}) (100)}{6.38 \times 10^6 + \infty}$$

$$E_{p\infty} = 0 \text{ J}$$



Near Centre

$$F_g \approx \infty N$$

Surface

$$F_g = 980 \text{ N}$$

Far Away

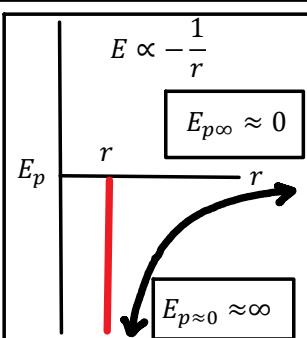
$$F_g \approx 0.0005 \text{ N}$$

At Infinity

$$F_g \approx 0 \text{ N}$$

Weaker

E_p : Farther from Earth less negative!



Near Centre

$$E_p \approx -\infty \text{ J}$$

Surface

$$E_p \approx -6E9 \text{ J}$$

Far Away

$$E_p \approx -3E6 \text{ J}$$

At Infinity

$$E_p \approx 0 \text{ J}$$

