

The amount of work done in blowing up a soaps bubble of radius 2cm is (given surface tension of soap solution = 4×10^{-2} N/m)

The work done in blowing up a soaps bubble equals surface energy of bubble:

$$A = E_s = \gamma_s S$$

where γ_s - surface tension, $S = 4\pi r^2$ - area of the bubble, r - radius of the bubble

Therefore:

$$A = 4\pi r^2 \gamma_s = 4 * 3.14 * (0.02 \text{ m})^2 * 4 * 10^{-2} \frac{\text{N}}{\text{m}} = 2 * 10^{-4} \text{ J}$$

Answer: $2 * 10^{-4} \text{ J}$