

Answer on Question #45664 – Physics – Electromagnetism

Question.

Points A and B each have an electric potential of +12 V. How much work would be required to take 3 C of positive charge from A to B?

- a. 0 J
- b. 3 J
- c. 9 J
- d. 36 J

Given:

$$\Delta U = 12 \text{ V}$$

$$q = 3 \text{ C}$$

Find:

$$W = ?$$

Solution.

By definition the work performed for moving the charge by the electric field is equal to:

$$W = q \cdot \Delta U$$

Calculate:

$$W = 3 \cdot 12 = 36 \text{ J}$$

So, it's answer d. 36 J.

Answer.

d. 36 J