Question #72941, Physics / Other

A printing press weighing 9500 newtons was pulled up an incline 1.00 m long and 2.00 m high in 2.00 minutes. The force used to overcome friction was 250 N. Calculare:

- (a) Total work input.
- (b) Total work output
- (c) Potencial energy added
- (d) Efficiency
- (e) Power generated (bases on work input)

Solution

(a)
$$W_{in} = \Delta E_{gp} + W_f = mg\Delta h + f\sqrt{d^2 + h^2}$$
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$$W_{in} = 9500 \times 2.0 + 250\sqrt{1^2 + 2^2} = 19559 \text{ J}$$

- (b) $W_{out} = \Delta E_{gp} = mg\Delta h$;
- $W_{out} = 9500 \times 2.0 = 19000 \, \text{J}$
- (c) 19000 J

(d)
$$k = \frac{W_{out}}{W_{in}} = \frac{19000}{19559} = 0.97$$

(e)
$$P = \frac{W_{in}}{\Delta t} = \frac{19559}{120} = 163 \,\mathrm{W}$$

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