Work & Kinetic Energy

For questions 1-2, refer to the following statements.

- I. A parent lifts an 8.0 kg baby from the ground to a height of 1.3 meters.
- II. She then holds the baby and carries it a horizontal distance of 5.2 meters.
- III. She then sets the baby back down on the ground again.
- 1. During which of the actions described above is the work done by the mother on the baby positive?
- 2. During which of the actions described above does the mother do no work?
- 3. A 950-kg car moves with a speed of 37 m/s. What is its kinetic energy?
- 4. An 875-kg compact car speeds up from 22.0 m/s to 44.0 m/s while passing another car.
 - a) What were its initial and final energies?
 - b) How much work was done on the car to increase its speed?
- 5. A rifle can shoot a 0.0042-kg bullet at a speed of 965 m/s.
 - a) Find the kinetic energy of the bullet as it leaves the rifle.
 - b) What work is done on the bullet if it starts from rest?
 - c) If the work is done over a distance of 0.75 m, what is the force on the bullet?
- 6. A 50.0 kg diver steps off a diving board and drops straight down into the water. The water provides an upward average force of 1500 N. The diver comes to rest 5.0 m below the water.
 - a. How much work was done to stop the diver under water?
 - b. How much kinetic energy did the diver possess at the water's surface?
 - c. Use this information to determine the distance between the diving board and the water.