

Physics.

"Dimensional Equation"

* Lecture 1 *

M
↓
mass

L
↓
length

T
↓
time

* $\text{Velocity} = \frac{x}{t} = \frac{L}{T} = LT^{-1}$

* $\text{Area} = L^2$

* $\text{acceleration} = \frac{v}{t} = \frac{LT^{-1}}{T} = LT^{-2}$

* $\text{Volume} = L^3$

* $\text{Force} = ma = MLT^{-2}$

* $\text{Density} = ML^{-3}$

$$V = V_0 + \frac{1}{2}at$$

- Dimensional equation of L.H.S. = LT^{-1}
- Dimensional equation of R.H.S. = $\frac{L}{T} + LT^{-2} \cdot T = LT^{-1} + LT^{-1} = LT^{-1}$

∴ D. equation of L.H.S. = D. equation of R.H.S.
∴ The equation is correct.

$$x = V_0t + \frac{1}{2}at^2$$

- Dimensional equation of L.H.S. = L
- Dimensional equation of R.H.S. = $\frac{L}{T} \cdot T + LT^{-2} \cdot T^2 = L + L = L$

∴ D. equation of L.H.S. = D. equation of R.H.S. ∴ The equation is correct.

$$V^2 = V_0^2 + 2ax$$

- Dimensional equation of L.H.S. = $L^2 T^{-2}$
 - Dimensional equation of R.H.S. = $L^2 T^{-2} + LT^{-2} L^2 = L^2 T^{-2} + L^3 T^{-2}$

\therefore D. equation of L.H.S. \neq D. equation of R.H.S.
 \therefore The equation isn't correct.

- If the equation is correct, find B, C

- Dimensional equation of L.H.S. = LT^{-1}
 - Dimensional equation of R.H.S. = $LB + CT$

$\therefore LT^{-1} = LB + CT$, $\therefore B = T^{-1}$, $C = LT^{-2}$

$$l \propto m^x l^y g^z$$

$\Rightarrow \frac{l}{1} = \text{Const. } m^x l^y g^z$
 $\frac{l}{1} = M^x L^y (LT^{-2})^z$
 $\frac{l}{1} = M^x L^{y+z} T^{-2z}$

$\therefore M^0 L^1 T^0 = M^x L^{y+z} T^{-2z}$

$\therefore -2z = 1$, $\therefore z = -\frac{1}{2}$

, $x = 0$

, $y + z = 0$, $\therefore y - \frac{1}{2} = 0$, $\therefore y = \frac{1}{2}$

$\therefore l = \text{Const. } l^{\frac{1}{2}} g^{-\frac{1}{2}}$

$$* \text{Pressure} = \frac{F}{A} = \frac{MLT^{-2}}{L^2} = ML^{-1}T^{-2}$$

$$P \propto h^x j^y g^z$$

$$\Rightarrow P = \text{Const. } h^x j^y g^z$$

$$ML^{-1}T^{-2} = L^x \left(\frac{M}{L^3}\right)^y (LT^{-2})^z$$

$$ML^{-1}T^{-2} = (L)^{-3y+x} M^y L^z T^{-2z}$$

$$ML^{-1}T^{-2} = (L)^{-3y+x+z} M^y T^{-2z}$$

$$\therefore -2z = -2 \rightarrow z = 1$$

$$\rightarrow y = 1$$

$$\therefore -3y + x + z = -1$$

$$-3 + x + 1 = -1 \Rightarrow x = 1$$

$$\therefore P = \text{Const. } h j g$$

$$P \propto F^x A^y$$

$$\Rightarrow P = \text{Const. } F^x A^y$$

$$ML^{-1}T^{-2} = (MLT^{-2})^x (L^2)^y$$

$$ML^{-1}T^{-2} = M^x L^{2y+x} T^{-2x}$$

$$\therefore x = 1$$

$$\therefore 2y + x = -1 \quad \therefore 2y + 1 = -1 \quad \therefore y = -1$$

$$\therefore P = \text{Const. } F A^{-1}$$