

1. Units and dimensions

$$n \propto \frac{1}{U} \quad \text{where } n = \text{number} \\ U = \text{unit}$$

$$n_1 U_1 = n_2 U_2$$

$$n_1 U = \text{constant}$$

Dimensional formulas:

$$1. \text{ Angle} = \frac{\text{length of arc}}{\text{radius}} = \frac{L}{L} = L^0 = \text{No dimensions}$$

$$1 \text{ Astronomical unit} = 10^{11} \text{ m}$$

$$2. \text{ Displacement} = L =$$

$$1 \text{ Light year (Ly)} = 10^{12} \text{ m}$$

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

$$1 \text{ Parsec (Pc)} = 10^3 \text{ m}$$

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

$$3. \text{ Density} = \frac{\text{mass}}{\text{volume}} = \frac{\text{kg}}{\text{m}^3} = ML^{-3}$$

$$4. \text{ Velocity} = LT^{-1}$$

$$5. \text{ Acceleration} = \text{Acceleration due to gravity (g)} = LT^{-2}$$

$$6. \text{ Momentum } p = mv = MLT^{-1}$$

$$7. \text{ Force (F)} = \frac{dp}{dt} = \frac{MLT^{-1}}{T} = MLT^{-2} = ma$$

$$8. \text{ Impulse (I)} = Ft = MLT^{-1}$$

$$9. \text{ Radius of gyration [K]} = L$$

$$10. \text{ Moment of inertia [I]} = Mk^2 \\ = ML^2$$

$$11. \text{ Torque } T = F \times \perp \text{ distance}$$

$$= MLT^{-2} \times L$$

$$= ML^2T^{-2}$$

$$12. \text{ Angular momentum (mvr)} = ML^2T^{-1}$$

$$13. \text{ Frequency (v)} = T^{-1}$$

$$14. \text{ Planck's constant (h)} = \frac{E}{v} \Rightarrow ML^2T^{-1}$$

$$15. \text{ Work (W)} = Fs \Rightarrow ML^2T^{-2}$$

$$16. \text{ Energy (E)} = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 \text{ (or) } mgh \Rightarrow ML^2T^{-2}$$

$$17. \text{ Power (P)} = \frac{\text{Work}}{\text{time}} = ML^2 T^{-3}$$

$$18. \text{ Spring constant (K)} = F/x \Rightarrow MT^{-2}$$

$$19. \text{ Pressure} = \frac{\text{Force}}{\text{Area}} = ML^{-1} T^{-2}$$

$$20. \text{ Velocity gradient} = \frac{dv}{dx} = \frac{LT^{-1}}{L} = T^{-1}$$

$$21. \text{ Surface tension (T)} = \frac{F}{l} = \frac{MLT^{-2}}{L} = MT^{-2}$$

$$22. \text{ Radiant Power (P)} = \sigma A \epsilon T^4 \Rightarrow \sigma = MT^{-3} \theta^{-4}$$

$$23. \text{ Thermal resistance } R = \frac{L}{KA} \Rightarrow M^{-1} L^2 T^3 \theta$$

$$24. \text{ Angular velocity (W)} = \frac{\theta}{t} \Rightarrow T^{-1}$$

$$25. \text{ Propagation constant } k = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} = L^{-1}$$

$$26. \text{ Charge (q)} = It = IT$$

$$27. \text{ Electric field intensity [E]} = \frac{F}{q} = MLT^{-3} I^{-1}$$

$$28. \text{ Electric flux } \phi = EA \Rightarrow ML^3 T^{-3} I^{-1}$$

$$29. \text{ Linear charge density } (\lambda) = \frac{\text{charge}}{\text{length}} = L^{-1} I T$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{30. Areaal charge density} \\ \text{(\sigma)} \\ \text{surface charge density} \end{array} \right\} \sigma = \frac{\text{charge}}{\text{area}} = L^{-2} T I$$

$$31. \text{ Electric potential } V = W/q \Rightarrow ML^2 T^{-3} I^{-1}$$

$$32. \text{ Capacity [C]} = q/V = M^{-1} L^{-2} T^4 I^2$$

$$33. \text{ Current [I]} = q/t = I \text{ (or) } A$$

$$34. \text{ Resistance (R)} = \frac{V}{I} = ML^2 T^{-3} I^{-2}$$

$$35. \text{ Conductivity } \sigma = 1/\rho$$

$$35. \text{ Resistivity } \rho = \frac{RA}{L} = ML^3 T^{-3} I^{-2}$$

$$36. \text{ Pole strength [M]} = IL$$

37. Magnetic moment $[M] = I L \times L = I L^2$

38. Magnetic field induction $(B) = \frac{F}{\vec{il}} = M T^{-2} I^{-1}$

39. Magnetic field intensity $[H] = \frac{B}{\mu_0} \Rightarrow M^2 L T^{-4} I^{-3}$

40. Magnetic flux $[\phi] = BA$
 $= M L^2 T^{-2} I^{-1}$

41. Self inductance $[L] = \frac{2U}{I^2} = M L^2 T^{-2} I^{-2}$

42. Mutual inductance $[M] = M L^2 T^{-2} I^{-2}$

43. Rydberg constant $[R_H] \propto 1/\lambda \Rightarrow L^{-1}$

44. Boltzmann constant $[K] = \frac{PV}{NT} \Rightarrow M L^2 T^{-2} \theta^{-1}$
 permeability $\frac{NT}{A^2} = M L T^{-2} A^{-2}$

Negative powers in mass

1. Universal gravity constant $(G) = \frac{F d^2}{m_1 m_2} = M^{-1} L^3 T^{-2}$

2. Thermal resistance $[R] = \frac{J}{KA} = M^{-1} L^{-2} T^3 \theta$

3. Electric permittivity $[K] = \frac{q_1 q_2}{4\pi F d^2} = M^{-1} L^{-3} T^4 I^2$

4. Capacity $[C] = q/V = M^{-1} L^{-2} T^4 I^2$

5. Conductance $[G] = 1/R = M^{-1} L^{-2} T^3 I^2$

6. Conductivity $\sigma = 1/\rho \Rightarrow M^{-1} L^{-3} T^3 I^2$

Coefficients:

1. Coefficient of friction $\mu = \frac{\text{frictional force}}{\text{normal force}} = 0$
 = No dimensions

2. Coefficient of restitution $e = \frac{V_2 - V_1}{U_1 - U_2} = 0 = \text{No dimensions}$

3. Coefficient of viscosity $\eta = \frac{F}{A \frac{dv}{dx}} \Rightarrow M L^{-1} T^{-1}$

4. Coefficient of linear expansion $\alpha = \frac{l_2 - l_1}{l_1 (t_2 - t_1)} = \theta^{-1}$

5. Coefficient of areal expansion $\beta = \frac{A_2 - A_1}{A_1(t_2 - t_1)} = \theta^{-1}$

6. Coefficient of volume expansion $\gamma = \frac{V_2 - V_1}{V_1(t_2 - t_1)} = \theta^{-1}$

7. Coefficient of apparent expansion $\gamma_a = \frac{V_2 - V_1}{V_1(t_2 - t_1)} = \theta^{-1}$

8. Coefficient of areal expansion $\gamma_p = \frac{V_2 - V_1}{V_1(t_2 - t_1)} = \theta^{-1}$

9. Coefficient of thermal constant $[K] \Rightarrow \frac{ML^2T^{-2}}{T} = [K]K\theta$
 $[K] = MLT^{-3}\theta^{-1}$

10. Refractive index $[M] = 1 = \text{No dimensions}$

11. Magnification $[m] = \text{No dimensions}$

$\rightarrow 1 \text{ gm/cc} = 1000 \text{ kg/m}^3$

Magnetic flux $\phi_B = ML^2T^{-2}A^{-1}$ $[A = I]$

\Rightarrow Trigonometric eqns. are dimensionless quantities.

Ex: $\sin \theta$, $\cos \theta$, etc.

$e^x \rightarrow x$ is dimensionless quantity.

$\frac{\Delta y}{y} \rightarrow \text{relative error, } \frac{\Delta y}{y} \times 100 \rightarrow \%$ error

$Z = \frac{x^a y^b}{p^c} \Rightarrow \frac{\Delta Z}{Z} = \pm \left(a \frac{\Delta x}{x} + b \frac{\Delta y}{y} + c \frac{\Delta p}{p} \right) \rightarrow \text{always +ve.}$

$\Delta R = \pm R^2 \left[\frac{\Delta R_1}{R_1^2} + \frac{\Delta R_2}{R_2^2} \right]$

Screw gauge - pitch = distance moved
no. of rotations

$L.C = \frac{\text{pitch}}{\text{total no. of C.S}}$

$T.R = M.S.R + C.S \times R \times L.C$

Vernier caliper -

10 V.C.D coincides with 9 M.S.D only

$1 \text{ V.S.D} = \left(\frac{N-1}{N} \right) \text{ M.S.D}$

$L.C = \text{M.S.D} / N \approx 1 \text{ M.S.D} / 10$

$T.R = \text{M.S.R} + \text{V.C} \times L.C$ - zero error