

- 2 As part of the 1945 Manhattan project, the United States Army tested the first-of-its-kind nuclear weapon in New Mexico.

The explosion resulted in a radiant, hemispherical blast wave of radius  $R$  which could be modelled using

$$R = s \left( \frac{Et^2}{\rho} \right)^{0.2}$$

where  $E$  = energy released due to explosion,  
 $t$  = time elapsed after detonation,  
 $\rho$  = density of air.

What is the SI unit of the quantity  $s$ ?

- A (dimensionless)
- B  $\text{m}^{0.2}$
- C  $\text{J}^{0.2} \text{m}^{-0.2} \text{s}^{0.4} \text{kg}^{-0.2}$
- D  $\text{J}^{-1} \text{m}^2 \text{s}^{-2} \text{kg}$