

Units and Dimensions

① Physical quantities → Can be measured.

Classification

Based on direction

vector

- Both
- eg:- Displacement

Scalars

- Only magnitude
- eg:- Distance

Based on dependancy

Derived

- eg:- m/s
- m/s^2
- Force.

Fundamental

- eg:- length
- mass
- mole.

Physical Quantity = N.U

No.

Unit

Properly

→ $5m = 500cm$

then $n_1 u_1 = n_2 u_2$

when $u_1 > u_2$

② System of unit

length

mass

time

MKS

→

meter

kilogram

Second

CGS

→

cm

gram

Second

FPS

→

foot

Pound

Second

SI

→

universal System of unit

③ Dimension To represent physical quantity

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Velocity} &\rightarrow \text{m/s} \quad (\text{m}^1 \text{s}^{-1}) \\ \text{Acceleration} &\rightarrow \text{m/s}^2 \quad (\text{m}^1 \text{s}^{-2}) \end{aligned}$$

Dimensional formula

④ Unit Conversion

$$\text{density} \quad \frac{0.8 \text{ kg}}{\text{m}^3} = \frac{0.8 \times 1000 \text{ g}}{(100 \text{ cm})^3} = 0.0008 \text{ g cm}^3$$

$$\begin{aligned} 1 \text{ N} &= \frac{1 \text{ kg m}}{\text{s}^2} = \frac{1 \times 1000 \text{ g} \times 100 \text{ cm}}{\text{s}^2} \\ &= 10^5 \text{ g cm s}^{-2} \\ &= 10^5 \text{ dyne} \end{aligned}$$

⑤ Rules of Dimensional Analysis.

$$5 \text{ kg} + 2 \text{ kg} = 7 \text{ kg} \quad \checkmark$$

$$U_1 + U_2 = U_3$$

$$5 \text{ kg} + 2 \text{ kg} = 7 \text{ g} \quad \times$$

U_1, U_2, U_3 ∈ Same unit or should have same dimensional formula.

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \sin(\theta) \\ \cos(\theta) \\ \cot \theta \\ \log \theta \end{array} \right\} \text{Dimensionless}$$

Application of dimensional Analysis.

1. Set of physical quantity can be treated as fundamental no.

Q Which of the following can be treated as set of fundamental physical quantity.

(a) Length, velocity, time. $\times$ velocity = $\frac{\text{length}}{\text{time}}$

(b) Momentum, mass, velocity $\times$ momentum = mass $\times$ velocity

(c) Force, mass, velocity $\checkmark$

(d) Momentum, time, frequency $\times$ frequency = $\frac{1}{\text{time}}$

(e) Force, mass, acceleration $\times$ Force = mass $\times$ acceleration

(f) Energy, mass, velocity $\times$ Energy = mv^2

2. Relation between different physical quantity:-

Q If displacement depend upon acceleration and time then find the relation bet. displacement, acceleration and time.

$$\text{displacement (s)} \propto (\text{acceleration}) \cdot (\text{time})^2$$

~~is it p2~~

$$[m_1' n_1'] \propto [m_1' n_1 - 2] [m_1' n_1']^2$$

$$m_1' n_1 \propto m_1' n_1 - 2 \quad m_1' n_1^2$$

$$1 \neq \beta$$

$$0 \neq -2\beta + 9$$

$$0 \neq -2 \times 1 + 9$$

$$0 \neq -2 + 9$$

$$9 \neq 2.$$

$$\boxed{\beta \neq 1}$$

$$\boxed{9 \neq 2.}$$

③ Check the correctness of given eq.

$$F \propto \rho A v^2$$

F is force
 ρ is density
 A is Area
 v is velocity.

$$LHS = [m_1' L^1 T^{-2}]$$

$$RHS = [m_1^{-3}] [L^3] [L T^{-1}]^2$$

$$[m_1 L T^{-2}]$$

$$LHS \neq RHS.$$

④ Convert the unit of physical quantity with the help of dimensional analysis.

$$1 \text{ km} = 1000 \text{ m}$$

PQ is not constant.

$\Downarrow$

$$n \propto \frac{1}{Q}$$

$\uparrow y \propto \downarrow x$ $\rightarrow$ Inverse proportion

$\downarrow y \propto \frac{1}{Q} \downarrow \uparrow$
 $\downarrow$ Directly proportion

$$1 \text{ J} = \frac{\text{kg} \cdot \text{m}^2}{\text{s}^2}$$

$$\frac{1 \text{ kg} \cdot \text{m}^2}{\text{s}^2} = n_2 \frac{(\text{g}) \cdot \text{cm}^2}{\text{s}^2}$$

$$\frac{(1000 \text{ g}) (100 \text{ cm})^2}{\cancel{\text{s}^2}} = n_2 \frac{(\cancel{\text{g}}) (\cancel{\text{cm}})^2}{\cancel{\text{s}^2}}$$

$$n_2 = \frac{100000000}{10^7}$$

Formula $n_1 u_1 = n_2 u_2$