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### **OBJECTIVE TYPE QUESTIONS**

- 1) A force  $F$  is given by  $F = at + bt^2$ , where  $t$  is time. What are the dimensions of  $a$  and  $b$ ?
  - (a)  $[MLT^{-1}]$  and  $[MLT^0]$
  - (b)  $[MLT^{-3}]$  and  $[ML^2T^4]$
  - (c)  $[MLT^{-4}]$  and  $[MLT^1]$
  - (d)  $[MLT^{-3}]$  and  $[MLT^{-4}]$
- 2) In a system of units if force ( $F$ ), acceleration ( $A$ ) and time ( $T$ ) are taken as fundamental units then the dimensional formula of energy is
  - (a)  $[FA^2T]$
  - (b)  $[FAT^2]$
  - (c)  $[FA^2T]$
  - (d)  $[FAT]$
- 3) The acceleration due to gravity is  $9.80 \text{ m/s}^2$ . What is its value in  $\text{ft/s}^2$ 
  - (a)  $32.4 \text{ ft/s}^2$
  - (b)  $28.4 \text{ ft/s}^2$
  - (c)  $20.4 \text{ ft/s}^2$
  - (d)  $3.24 \text{ ft/s}^2$
- 4) The dimensional representation of Planck's constant is same as that of: [TIFR 2014]
  - (a) Angular momentum
  - (b) Momentum
  - (c) Torque
  - (d) Energy
- 5) Which of the following pairs of physical quantities does not have same dimensional formula?
  - (a) Work and torque.
  - (b) Angular momentum and Planck's constant.

- (c) Tension and surface tension.  
 (d) Impulse and linear momentum.
- 6) rad / s is the unit of  
 (a) Angular displacement  
 (b) Angular velocity  
 (c) Angular acceleration  
 (d) Angular momentum
- 7) On the basis of dimensions, decide which of the following relations for the displacement of a particle undergoing simple harmonic motion is not correct:  
 (a)  $y = a \sin (2\pi t/T)$   
 (b)  $y = a \sin vt.$   
 (c)  $y = (a/T) \sin (t/a)$   
 (d)  $y = a\sqrt{2} [\sin(2\pi t/T) - \cos(2\pi t/T)]$
- 8) The displacement of particle moving along x-axis with respect to time is  $x=at+bt^2 -ct^3$ . The dimension of c is  
 (a)  $[LT^{-2}]$   
 (b)  $[T^{-3}]$   
 (c)  $[LT^{-3}]$   
 (d)  $[T^{-3}]$
- 9) The dimensional formula  $[ML^2T^{-2}]$  represents  
 (a) momentum  
 (b) energy  
 (c) acceleration  
 (d) force.
- 10) If the units of length and force are increased four times, then the unit of energy will  
 (a) increase 8 times  
 (b) increase 16 times  
 (c) decreases 16 times  
 (d) increase 4 times

### **SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS**

- 11) Give an example of  
 (a) a physical quantity which has a unit but no dimensions.  
 (b) a physical quantity which has neither unit nor dimensions.  
 (c) a constant which has a unit.  
 (d) a constant which has no unit.
- 12) The velocity of a particle is given in terms of time t by the equation  $v = at + b/(t + c)$ . What are the dimensions of a, b and c?

- 13) Write the S.I & C.G.S units of the following physical quantities- (a) Force (b) Work
- 14) What are the uses of dimensions?
- 15) Explain different types of system of units.
- 16) Write the dimensional formula of the following physical quantity - (i) Momentum (ii) Power (iii) Surface Tension (iv) Strain

### **LONG ANSWER QUESTIONS**

- 17) The centripetal force  $F$  acting on a particle moving uniformly in a circle may depend upon mass ( $m$ ), velocity ( $v$ ), and radius ( $r$ ) of the circle. Derive the formula for  $F$  using the method of dimensions. **(JEE MAIN)**
- 18) Check the accuracy of the following relations:  
 (i)  $E = mgh + \frac{1}{2} mv^2$   
 (ii)  $v^3 - u^2 = 2as^2$
- 19) Using Principle of Homogeneity of dimensions, check the correctness of equation,  $h = \frac{2Td}{rg \cos \theta}$ , where  $h$  is height,  $T$  is surface tension,  $d$  is density,  $r$  is radius and  $g$  is acceleration due to gravity.
- 20) In the gas equation  $(P + a/V^2)(V - b) = RT$ , where  $T$  is the absolute temperature,  $P$  is pressure and  $V$  is volume of gas. What are dimensions of  $a$  and  $b$ ?
- 21) Check the correctness of the following formulae by dimensional analysis.  
 (i)  $F = mv^2/r$   
 (ii)  $t = 2\pi\sqrt{l/g}$   
 Where all the letters have their usual meanings.
- 22) Check the correctness of the relation  $\lambda = h/mv$ ; where  $\lambda$  is wavelength,  $h$ - Planck's constant,  $m$  is mass of the particle and  $v$  - velocity of the particle.
- 23) The volume of a liquid flowing out per second of a pipe of length  $l$  and radius  $r$  is written by a student as  

$$v = \frac{\pi Pr^4}{8 \eta l}$$
 where  $P$  is the pressure difference between the two ends of the pipe and  $\eta$  is coefficient of viscosity of the liquid having dimensional formula  $[ML^{-1} T^{-1}]$ . Check whether the equation is dimensionally correct.
- 24) In the expression  $P = El^2 m^{-5} G^{-2}$ ,  $E$ ,  $m$ ,  $l$  and  $G$  denote energy, mass, angular momentum and gravitational constant, respectively. Show that  $P$  is a dimensionless quantity.

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1	$[MLT^{-3}]$ and $[MLT^{-4}]$
2	$[FAT^2]$
3	$32.4 \text{ ft/s}^2$
4	Angular momentum
5	Impulse and linear momentum.
6	Angular velocity
7	$y = a \sin vt.$ $y = (a/T) \sin (t/a)$
8	$[LT^{-3}]$
9	energy
10	increase 16 times
11	a) Angle b) Strain, relative density etc. c) Gravitational constant, Plank's constant d) Avogadro number
12	$v = at + b/(t + c)$ Two entities can only be added if their dimensions are same $\Rightarrow [c]=[T]$ $[at]=[v]=[LT^{-1}]$ $\Rightarrow [a]=[T][LT^{-1}]=[LT^{-2}]$ $[T][b]=[LT^{-1}]$ $\Rightarrow [b]=[L]$
13	S.I unit of force:- Newton (Kg. m /s <sup>2</sup> ) CGS unit of force:- Dyne (g. cm /s <sup>2</sup> ) S.I unit of work:- Joule (N-m) or Newton-meter. CGS unit of work:- Erg (dyne-cm) or Dyne-centimetre
14	Uses of dimensional analysis To check the correctness of a physical relation To convert the value of a physical quantity from one system to another. To derive relation between various physical quantities.
15	Explain the following in detail: Fundamental units: MKS, CGS and FPS system Derived units Supplementary units
16	Momentum = mass $\times$ velocity = $[MLT^{-1}]$ Power = work/time = $[ML^2 T^{-3}]$ Surface tension = Force/length = $[ML^0T^{-2}]$

	Strain = (ratio) = dimensionless
17	<p>Let <math>F=k(m)^x(v)^y(r)^z</math></p> <p>Here, k is a dimensionless constant of proportionality. Writing the dimensions of RHS and LHS in Eq. (i), we have</p> $[MLT^2]=[M]^x[LT^{-1}]^y[L]^z = [M^xL^{y+z}T^{-y}]$ <p>Equation the powers of M, L and T of both sides, we have,</p> $x=1, y=2 \text{ and } y+z=1$ <p>or <math>z=1-y=-1</math></p> <p>Putting the values in Eq. (i), we get</p> $F=kmv^2r^{-1}=kmv^2/r$ $F=mv^2/r \text{ (where } k=1)$
18	<p>i) <math>E = mgh + \frac{1}{2} mv^2</math></p> <p>Here, dimensions of the term on L.H.S. Energy, <math>E = [M^1L^2T^{-2}]</math></p> <p>Dimensions of the terms on R.H.S,</p> <p>Dimensions of the term, <math>mgh = [M] \times [LT^{-2}] \times [L] = [M^1L^2T^{-2}]</math></p> <p>Dimensions of the term, <math>\frac{1}{2} mv^2 = [M] \times [LT^{-1}]^2 = [M^1L^2T^{-2}]</math></p> <p>Thus, dimensions of all the terms on both sides of the relation are the same, therefore, the relation is dimensionally correct.</p> <p>(ii) The given relation is, <math>v^3 - u^2 = 2as^2</math></p> <p>Dimensions of the terms on L.H.S <math>v^3 = [LT^{-1}]^3 = [M^0L^3T^{-3}]</math></p> $u^2 = [LT^{-1}]^2 = [M^0L^2T^{-2}]$ <p>Dimensions of the terms on R.H.S <math>2as^2 = [LT^{-2}] \times [L]^2 = [M^0L^3T^{-2}]</math></p> <p>The dimensions of all the terms on both sides are not same; therefore, the relation is dimensionally not correct.</p>
19	<p>The given formula is, <math>h = 2Td /rg\text{Cos}\theta</math>.</p> <p>Dimensions of term on L.H.S Height (h) = <math>[L^1]</math></p> <p>Dimensions of terms on R.H.S</p> <p>T= surface tension = <math>[M^1L^0T^{-2}]</math></p> <p>D= density = <math>[M^1L^{-3}T^0]</math></p> <p>r =radius = <math>[L^1]</math></p> <p>g = <math>[L^1T^{-2}]</math></p> <p>Cos<math>\theta</math> = no dimensions</p> <p>So, Dimensions of <math>2Td/rg\text{Cos}\theta = [M^1L^0T^{-2}] \times [M^1L^{-3}T^0] / [L^1] \times [L^1T^{-2}]</math></p> $]= [M^2L^{-5}T^0]$ <p>Dimensions of terms on L.H.S are not equal to dimensions on R.H.S. Hence, formula is dimensionally not correct.</p>
20	<p>Like quantities are added or subtracted from each other i.e.,</p> <p><math>(P + a/V^2)</math> has dimensions of pressure = <math>[ML^{-1}T^{-2}]</math></p> <p>Hence, <math>a/V^2</math> will be dimensions of pressure = <math>[ML^{-1}T^{-2}]</math></p>

	$a = [ML^{-1}T^{-2}] [\text{volume}]^2 = [ML^{-1}T^{-2}] [L^3]^2$ $a = [ML^{-1}T^{-2}] [L^6] = [ML^5T^{-2}]$ Dimensions of $a = [ML^5T^{-2}]$ (V – b) have dimensions of volume i.e., b will have dimensions of volume i.e., $[L^3]$
21	<p><b><math>F = mv^2/r</math></b>  Dimensions of the term on L.H.S  Force, <math>F = [M^1L^1T^{-2}]</math>  Dimensions of the term on R.H.S  <b><math>mv^2/r = [M^1][L^1T^{-1}]^2 / [L] = [M^1L^1T^{-2}]</math></b>  The dimensions of the term on the L.H.S are equal to the dimensions of the term on R.H.S. Therefore, the relation is dimensionally correct.</p> <p><b><math>t = 2\pi\sqrt{l/g}</math></b>  Here, Dimensions of L.H.S, <math>t = [T^1] = [M^0L^0T^1]</math>  Dimensions of the terms on R.H.S Dimensions of (length) = <math>[L^1]</math>  Dimensions of <math>g = [L^1T^{-2}]</math>  <math>2\pi</math> being constant have no dimensions.  Hence, the dimensions of terms <math>2\pi\sqrt{l/g}</math> on R.H.S  <math>= ([L^1] / [L^1T^{-2}])^{1/2} = [[T^1]] = [M^0L^0T^1]</math>  Thus, the dimensions of the terms on both sides of the relation are the same  Therefore, the relation is dimensionally correct.</p>
22	$\lambda = h/mv$ Where: h = Planck's constant m = mass v = Velocity $\lambda$ = wavelength $[\lambda] = [L]$ $[h] = [\text{angular momentum}] = [L][\text{linear momentum}] = [L][M][\text{velocity}]$ $= [L][M][L/T]$ $[v] = [L/T]$ So we now have $[L] = [L][M][\text{velocity}] / ([M][\text{velocity}])$ which simplifies to $[L] = [L]$ which means the equation is dimensionally correct
23	Dimension $V = \text{Volume per second} = V/T = [L^3T^{-1}]$ Dimension of $P = F/A = [MLT^{-2}] / [L^2] = [ML^{-1}T^{-2}]$ Dimension of $r = [L]$ Dimension of $\eta = [ML^{-1}T^{-1}]$ Dimension of $l = [L]$ $\therefore$ Dimension of R.H.S. $= [ML^{-1}T^{-2}][L^4] / ([ML^{-1}T^{-1}][L]) = [M^0L^3T^{-1}]$ Dimension of L.H.S. $V = [M^0L^3T^{-1}]$ As dimensions of both sides are equal. Therefore, the equation is

	dimensionally correct.
24	<p>Expression is <math>P = El^2m^{-5}G^{-2}</math>  where E is energy <math>[E]=[ML^2T^{-2}]</math>,  m is mass <math>[m]=[M]</math>  l is angular momentum <math>[L]=[ML^2T^{-1}]</math>,  G is gravitational constant <math>[G]=[M^{-1}L^3T^{-2}]</math>  Substituting dimensions of each physical quantity in the given expression,  <math>[P]= [ML^2T^{-2}] [ML^2T^{-1}]^2 [M]^{-5} [M^{-1}L^3T^{-2}]^{-2}</math>  <math>= [M^{1+2-5+2} L^{2+4-6} T^{-2-2+4}]</math>  <math>= [M^0 L^0 T^0]</math>  This shows that P is a dimensionless quantity.</p>

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