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Q-1 - 11487251

Which of the following is not the unit of energy ?

(A) calorie

(B) joule

(C) electron volt

(D) watt

CORRECT ANSWER: D

SOLUTION:

watt is a unit of power

Q-2 - 11745011

Newton - second is the unit of

- (A) Velocity
- (B) Angular momentum
- (C) Momentum
- (D) Energy

CORRECT ANSWER: C

SOLUTION:

Impulse = change in momentum $= F \times t$ So the unit of momentum will be equal to Newton–sec.

A suitable unit for gravitational constant is

(A) $kg - m \sec^{-1}$

(B) $Nm^{-1} \sec$

(C) Nm^2kg^{-2}

(D) $kgm \sec^{-1}$

CORRECT ANSWER: C

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Which of the following represents a volt?

(A) Joule/second

(B) watt/ampere

(C) watt/columb

(D) coulomb/joule

CORRECT ANSWER: B

SOLUTION:

$$\frac{\text{watt}}{\text{ampere}} = \text{volt}$$

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Q-5 - 15944392

Ampere - hour is a unit of

(A) Quantity of electricity

(B) Strength of electric current

(C) Power

(D) Energy

CORRECT ANSWER: A

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Q-6 - 11745025

Young's modulus of a material has the same unit as

(A) Pressure

(B) Strain

(C) Compressibility

(D) Force

CORRECT ANSWER: A

SOLUTION:

$$Y = \frac{\text{Stress}}{\text{Strain}} = \frac{\text{Force/Area}}{\text{Dimensionless}} \Rightarrow Y \equiv \text{Pressure}$$

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Q-7 - 9495300

A physical quantity is measured and the result is expressed as nu where u is the unit used and n is the numerical value. If the result is expressed in various units then

(A) $n \propto \text{size of } u$

(B) $n \propto u^2$

(C) $n \propto \sqrt{u}$

(D) $n \propto \frac{1}{u}$.

CORRECT ANSWER: D

Q-8 - 11487255

In $S = a + bt + ct^2$. S is measured in metres and t in seconds. The unit of c is

- (A) None
- (B) m
- (C) ms^{-1}
- (D) ms^{-2}

CORRECT ANSWER: D

SOLUTION:

ct^2 must have dimensions of LT^2 . Since S must have dimensions of L , c must have dimensions of $\frac{L}{T^2}$ i.e. LT^{-2} .

Q-9 - 11745032

If in a system the force of attraction between two point masses of 1 kg each situated 1 km apart is taken as a unit force and is called notwen (newton written in reverse order) If

$$G = 6.67 \times 10^{-11} N$$

$$- m^2 kg^{-2}$$

in SI units, the relation of newton and nowton is

(A)

$$1\text{notwen} = 6.67$$

$$\times 10^{-11}\text{newton}$$

(B)

$$1\text{newton} = 6.67$$

$$\times 10^{-17}\text{notwen}$$

(C)

$$1\text{notwen} = 6.67$$

$$\times 10^{-17}\text{newton}$$

(D)

$$1\text{newton} = 6.67 \\ \times 10^{-12}\text{notwen}$$

CORRECT ANSWER: C

SOLUTION:

If two point masses each of masses 1kg are seperated a distance 1m they experience a force 6.67×10^{-11} newton

We know , $F = G \frac{m_1 m_2}{r^2}$

$$1\text{notwen} = 6.67 \\ \times 10^{-11} \times \frac{(1\text{kg})^2}{(1\text{km})^2}$$

$$= 6.67 \times 10^{-11} \\ \times 10^{-6} \frac{(1\text{kg})^2}{(1\text{m})^2}$$

$$= 6.67 \times 10^{-11} \\ \times 10^{-6}\text{newton}$$

$$1 \text{ notwen} = 6.67 \\ \times 10^{-17} \text{ newton}$$

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Q-10 - 11487287

Two quantities A and B have different dimensions. Which mathematical operation given below is physically meaningful?

(A) $\frac{A}{B}$

(B) $A + B$

(C) $A - B$

(D) None

CORRECT ANSWER: A

SOLUTION:

Quantities having different dimensions can only be

divided or multiplied but they cannot be added or subtracted.

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Q-11 - 11295567

A force F is given by $F = at + bt^2$, where t is time. What are the dimensions of a and b ?

SOLUTION:

From the principle of dimensional homogeneity ,

$$[F] = [at]$$

\therefore

$$[a] = \left[\frac{F}{t} \right]$$

$$= \left[\frac{MLT^{-2}}{T} \right]$$

$$= [MLT^{-3}]$$

Similarly , $[F] = [bt^2]$

\therefore

$$\begin{aligned}[b] &= \left[\frac{F}{t^2} \right] \\ &= \left[\frac{MLT^{-2}}{T^2} \right] \\ &= [MLT^{-4}]\end{aligned}$$

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Q-12 - 15944477

Which pair has the same dimensions

- (A) Work and power
 - (B) Density and relative density
 - (C) Momentum and impulse
 - (D) Stress and strain
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CORRECT ANSWER: C

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Q-13 - 11295689

The frequency f of vibrations of a mass m suspended from a spring of spring constant k is given by $f = C m^x k^y$, where C is a dimensionless constant. The values of x and y are, respectively,

(A) $\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}$

(B) $-\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}$

(C) $\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}$

(D) $-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}$

CORRECT ANSWER: D

SOLUTION:

$f = C m^x k^y$. Writing dimensions on both sides.

$$[M^0 L^0 T^{-1}]$$

$$= M^x [M L^0 T^{-2}]^y$$

$$= [M^{x+y} T^{-2y}]$$

Comparing dimensions on both sides , we have

$$0 = x + y \text{ and } -1$$

$$= -2y \Rightarrow y = \frac{1}{2}, x$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2}$$

Aliter. Remembering that the frequency of oscillation of loaded spring is

$$f = \frac{1}{2\pi} \frac{\sqrt{k}}{m}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} (k)^{1/2} m^{-1/2}$$

$$\text{which gives } x = -\frac{1}{2} \text{ and } y = \frac{1}{2}$$

Q-14 - 18253634

The speed of light in vacuum is $3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$. How many nanosecond does it take to travel one metre in a vacuum?

(A) 8 ns

(B) $\frac{10}{3} \text{ ns}$

(C) 3.34 ns

(D) none of these

SOLUTION:

(b)

$$t = \frac{s}{v} = \frac{1}{3 \times 10^8}$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \times 10^{-8} \text{ s}$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{10^{-8}}{10^{-9}} ns$$

$$= \frac{10}{3} ns$$

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Q-15 - 18253652

1 revolution is equivalent to 360. The value of 1 revolution per minute is

- (A) $2\pi rad / s$
- (B) $0.104 rad / s$
- (C) $3.14 rad / s$
- (D) None of these

SOLUTION:

(b)

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \frac{1}{\text{rev}} / (\text{min}) \\
 &= \frac{1 \times 2\pi \text{rad}}{60\text{s}} \\
 &= \frac{\pi}{30} \text{rad} / \text{s} \\
 &= 0.1047 \text{rad} / \text{s}
 \end{aligned}$$

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Q-16 - 18253664

If $\Delta H = mL$, where m is mass of body.

ΔH = total thermal energy supplied to the body

L = latent heat of fusion.

Find the dimensions of latent of fusion.

(A) $[ML^2T^{-2}]$

(B) $[L^2T^{-2}]$

(C) $[M^0L^0T^{-2}]$

$$(D) [ML^0T^{-1}]$$

SOLUTION:

(b)

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta H &= mL : [L] \\ &= \frac{[ML^2T^{-2}]}{[M]} \\ &= [L^2T^{-2}]\end{aligned}$$

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Q-17 - 11487322

The mean time period of second's pendulum is 2.00 s and mean absolute error in the time period is 0.05s. To express maximum estimate of error, the time period should be written as

(A) $(2.00 \pm 0.01)s$

(B) $(2.00 \pm 0.025)s$

(C) $(2.00 \pm 0.05)s$

(D) $(2.00 \pm 0.10)s$

CORRECT ANSWER: C

SOLUTION:

Mean time period $T = 2.00\text{sec}$

and Mean absolute error $= \Delta T = 0.05 \text{ sec}$

To express maximum estimate of error, the time period should be written as $(2.00 \pm 0.05) \text{ sec}$

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Q-18 - 10955001

The significant figures in the number 6.0023 are

(A) 2

(B) 5

(C) 4

(D) 3

CORRECT ANSWER: B

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Q-19 - 10955002

The length and breadth of a metal sheet are 3.124m and 3.002m respectively. The area of this sheet upto correct significant figure is

(A) $9.378m^2$

(B) $9.37m^2$

(C) $9.4m^2$

(D) None of these

CORRECT ANSWER: A

SOLUTION:

$$A = l \times b = 3.124 \\ \times 3.002$$

$$= 9.378248m^2$$

$$= 9.378m^2.$$

(rounding off to four significant digits)

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Q-20 - 10955004

If error in measurement of radius of a sphere is 1%, what will be the error in measurement of volume?

(A) 0.01

(B) $\frac{1}{3}\%$

(C) 0.03

(D) None of these

CORRECT ANSWER: C

SOLUTION:

$$V = \frac{4}{3}\pi R^3$$

$$\therefore (\% \text{ error in } V) = 3(\% \text{ error in } R)$$

$$= 3(1\%)$$

$$= 3\%$$

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Q-21 - 10955005

The density of a cube is measured by measuring its mass and length of its sides. If the maximum error in the measurement of mass and length are 4% and 3% respectively, the maximum error in the measurement of density will be

(A) 0.07

(B) 0.09

(C) 0.12

(D) 0.13

CORRECT ANSWER: D

SOLUTION:

$$\rho = \frac{m}{V} = \frac{m}{l^3} = ml^{-3}$$

\therefore Maximum % error in $\rho = (\% \text{ error in } m) + 3(\% \text{ error in } l)$.

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Q-22 - 18253672

The work done by a battery is $W = \varepsilon \Delta q$, where $\Delta q =$ charge transferred by battery $\varepsilon =$ emf of the battery. What are dimensions of emf of battery?

$$(A) [A^{-2} M^0 L^0 T^{-2}]$$

$$(B) [A^{-2} M L^2 T^{-3}]$$

$$(C) [A^0 M^2 T^{-3}]$$

$$(D) [A^{-1} M L^2 T^{-3}]$$

SOLUTION:

$$(d) W = \varepsilon \Delta q$$

$$\Rightarrow \varepsilon = \frac{W}{q}$$

$$= \frac{[M L^2 T^{-2}]}{[M^0 L^0 A T]} \Rightarrow [\varepsilon]$$

$$= [M L^2 A^{-1} T^{-3}]$$

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Q-23 - 11745101

If

$X = A \times B$ and ΔX
 ΔA and ΔB

are maximum absolute error in X , A and B respectively, then the maximum relative in X is given by

(A) $\Delta X = \Delta A + \Delta B$

(B) $\Delta X = \Delta A - \Delta B$

(C) $\frac{\Delta X}{X} = \frac{\Delta A}{A} - \frac{\Delta B}{B}$

(D) $\frac{\Delta X}{X} = \frac{\Delta A}{A} + \frac{\Delta B}{B}$

CORRECT ANSWER: D

SOLUTION:

When two quantities are multiplied, their maximum relative errors are added up

Hence $\frac{\Delta X}{X} = \frac{\Delta A}{A} + \frac{\Delta B}{B}$

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A physical relation is $\varepsilon = \varepsilon_0 \varepsilon_r$

where $\varepsilon =$ electric permittivity of a medium

$\varepsilon_0 =$ electric permittivity of vacuum

$\varepsilon_r =$ relative permittivity of medium

What are dimensions of relative permittivity?

(A) $[ML^2T^{-2}]$

(B) $[M^0L^2T^{-3}]$

(C) $[M^0L^0T^0]$

(D) $[M^0L^0T^{-1}]$

SOLUTION:

$$(c) \varepsilon = \varepsilon_0 \varepsilon_r \Rightarrow \varepsilon_r = \frac{\varepsilon}{\varepsilon_0}$$

Relative permittivity is the ratio of ε and ε_0 hence it is dimensionless .

i.e. $[M^0L^0T^0]$

Q-25 - 12929037

The resistance of metal is given by $V = IR$, The voltage in the resistance is $V = (8 \pm 0.5)V$ and current in the resistance is $I = (2 \pm 0.2)A$, the value of resistance with its percentage error is

(A) $(4 \pm 16.25 \%) \Omega$

(B) $(4 \pm 2.5 \%) \Omega$

(C) $(4 \pm 0.04 \%) \Omega$

(D) $(4 \pm 1 \%) \Omega$

CORRECT ANSWER: A

SOLUTION:

$$R = \frac{V}{I}, 100 \times \frac{\Delta R}{R}$$

$$= \left[\frac{\Delta V}{V} + \frac{\Delta I}{I} \right]$$

$$\times 100$$

$$\text{Resistance} = \left[R \pm \frac{\Delta R}{R} \times 100 \right]$$

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Q-26 - 10955006

Percentage error in the measurement of mass and speed are 2% and 3% respectively. The error in the measurement of kinetic energy obtained by measuring mass and speed will be

(A) 0.12

(B) 0.1

(C) 0.08

(D) 0.05

CORRECT ANSWER: C

SOLUTION:

$$K = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$$

\therefore % error in $K = (\% \text{ error in } m) + 2(\% \text{ error in } v)$).

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Q-27 - 11762053

If the dimension of a physical quantity are given by $M^a L^b T^c$, then the physical quantity will be

(A) force, if $a = 0$, $b = -1$, $c = -2$

(B) pressure, if $a = 1$, $b = -1$, $c = -2$

(C) velocity, if $a = 1$, $b = 0$, $c = -1$

(D) acceleration, if $a = 1$, $b = 1$, $c = -2$

CORRECT ANSWER: (B)

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Pressure} &= \frac{\text{force}}{\text{area}} = \\ &= \frac{MLT^{-2}}{L^2} \\ &= [M^1 L^{-1} T^{-2}]\end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore a = 1, b = -1, c = -2$$

Choice (b) is correct.

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Q-28 - 10058358

The dimension of $\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\epsilon_0 E^2$ (ϵ_0 : permittivity of free space, E electric field)

(A) (a) MLT^{-1}

(B) (b) ML^2T^2

(C) (c) $ML^{-1}T^{-2}$

(D) (d) ML^2T^{-1}

CORRECT ANSWER: C

SOLUTION:

(c) Note : here $\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\epsilon_0 E^2$ represents energy per unit volume.

$$\begin{aligned} [\epsilon_0] [E^2] &= \frac{[Energy]}{[Volume]} \\ &= \frac{ML^2T^{-2}}{L^3} \\ &= ML^{-1}T^{-2} \end{aligned}$$

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The density of material in CGS system of mass is $4gcm^3$ in a system of unit in which unit of length is $10cm$ and unit of mass is $100g$ the value of density of material will be

(A) 0.4

(B) 40

(C) 400

(D) 0.04

CORRECT ANSWER: B

SOLUTION:

Mass

$$M = \rho V \Rightarrow \rho = \frac{M}{V}$$
$$= \frac{M}{L^3}$$

We are given $\rho = 4g / cm^3$

If unit of mass is $100g$ and the unit distance is $10cm$

$$= \frac{4 \left(\frac{100g}{100} \right)}{\left(\frac{10}{10} cm \right)^2}$$
$$= \frac{\left(\frac{4}{100} \right) (100g)}{\left(\frac{1}{10} \right)^3 (10g)}$$

$$= 40gcm^{-1}$$

$$\left(\frac{M_1}{M_2} \right) \left(\frac{L_1}{L_2} \right)^{-3}$$

$$= 4 \left(\frac{1}{100} \right) \left(\frac{1}{10} \right)^{-3}$$

$$= 40$$

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Q-30 - 11745201

In an experiment four quantities a,b,c and d are measure with

percentage error 1 % , 2 % , 3 % ,and 4 % respectively quantity is P

is calculate as follow

$$P = \frac{a^3 b^2}{cd} \text{ \% error in } P \text{ is}$$

(A) 14 %

(B) 10 %

(C) 7 %

(D) 4 %

CORRECT ANSWER: A

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned} P &= \frac{a^3 b^2}{cd} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{\Delta P}{P} \times 100 \\ &= 3 \left(\frac{\Delta a}{a} \times 100 \right) \\ &\quad + 2 \left(\frac{\Delta b}{b} \times 100 \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\left(\frac{\Delta c}{c} \times 100\right) + \left(\frac{\Delta d}{d} \times 100\right)$$

$$= 3 \times 1 + 2 \times 2 + 3 + 4$$

$$= 3 + 4 + 3 + 4 = 14\%$$

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Q-31 - 10955173

Using

mass(M), *length*(L),

time(T)

and current(A) as fundamental quantities the dimension of

permeability is

(A) $[M^{-1}LT^{-2}A]$

(B) $[ML^{-2}T^{-2}A^{-1}]$

(C) $[MLT^{-2}A^{-2}]$

(D) $[MLT^{-1}A^{-1}]$

CORRECT ANSWER: C

SOLUTION:

$$B = \frac{\mu_0}{2\pi} \frac{i}{r}$$

but $B = \frac{F}{il} (F = ilB):.$

$$\frac{F}{il} = \frac{\mu_0}{2\pi} \frac{i}{r}$$

$$[\mu_0] = \left[\frac{F}{i^2} \right]$$

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The speed of light (c), gravitational constant (G) and plank's constant (h) are taken as fundamental units in a system. The dimensions of time in this new system should be.

(A) $G^{1/2} h^{1/2} c^{1/2}$

(B) $G^{1/2} h^{1/2} c^{1/2}$

(C) $G^{1/2} h^{1/2} c^{-3/2}$

(D) $G^{1/2} h^{1/2} c^{1/2}$

CORRECT ANSWER: A

SOLUTION:

According to the method of dimensional analysis the dimension of each term on both sides of an equation must be same.

$$\text{Time} \propto c^x G^y h^z$$

$$\Rightarrow T = k c^x G^y h^z$$

Putting the dimensions in above relation

$$\Rightarrow [M^0 L^0 T^1]$$

$$= [LT^{-1}]^x$$

$$[M^{-1} L^3 T^{-2}]^y$$

$$[ML^2 T^{-1}]^z$$

$$\Rightarrow [M^0 L^0 T^1]$$

$$=$$

$$[M^{-y+z} L^{x+3y+2z} T^{x-2y-z}]$$

Comparing the powers of M , L and T

$$-y + z = 0 \dots(i)$$

$$x + 3y + 2z = 0 \dots(ii)$$

$$-x - 2y - z = 1 \dots(iii)$$

On solving Eqs. (i), (ii) and (iii)

$$x = -\frac{5}{2}, y = z = \frac{1}{2}$$

Hence, dimensions of time are $[G^{1/2} h^{1/2} c^{-5/2}]$.

Q-33 - 11487332

A wire has a mass $0.3 \pm 0.003g$, radius $0.5 \pm 0.005mm$ and length $6 \pm 0.06cm$. The maximum percentage error in the measurement of its density is

(A) 1

(B) 2

(C) 3

(D) 4

CORRECT ANSWER: D

SOLUTION:

$$\text{Density, } \rho = \frac{M}{V} = \frac{M}{\pi r^2 L}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\Delta \rho}{\rho} = \frac{\Delta M}{M}$$

$$+ 2 \frac{\Delta r}{r} + \frac{\Delta L}{L}$$

$$= \frac{0.003}{0.3} + 2$$

$$\times \frac{0.005}{0.5} + \frac{0.06}{6}$$

$$= 0.01 + 0.02 + 0.01$$

$$= 0.04$$

percentage error

$$= \frac{\Delta \rho}{\rho} \times 100$$

$$= 0.04 \times 100 = 4 \%$$

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Q-34 - 11295655

A physical quantity x depends on quantities y and z as follows :

$x = Ay + B \tan(Cz)$, where A , B and C are constants. Which of the followings do not have the same dimensions?

(A) x and B

(B) C and z^{-1}

(C) y and B/A

(D) x and A

CORRECT ANSWER: D

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}[x] &= [Ay] = [B] \Rightarrow [y] \\ &= [B/A]\end{aligned}$$

Also, $[x] \neq [A]$ and $[Cz] = \text{dimensionless}$
 $\Rightarrow [C] = [z^{-1}]$

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The energy stored in an electric device known as capacitor is given

by $U = \frac{q^2}{2C}$

where $U =$ energy stored in capacitor

$C =$ capacity of capacitor

$q =$ charge on capacitor

Find the dimensions of capacity of the capacitor

(A) $[A^2 M^{-1} L^{-3} T^4]$

(B) $[A M^{-1} L^{-2} T^4]$

(C) $[A^2 M^{-1} L^{-2} T^4]$

(D) $[A^0 M^0 L^{-2} T^4]$

CORRECT ANSWER: C

SOLUTION:

$$(a) U = \frac{q^2}{2C}$$

$$\therefore C = (q^2)/(2U) \therefore [C] = ([AT]^2)/([ML^2T^{-2}]) =$$

$$[A^2M^{-1}L^{-2}T^4]$$

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Q-36 - 18253680

Find the dimension of $\frac{R}{L}$

Here R = electric resistance

L = self inductance

(A) $[T^{-2}]$

(B) $[T^{-1}]$

(C) $[ML^{-1}]$

(D) $[T]$

SOLUTION:

(b) $\because \frac{L}{R}$, time constant

$$\therefore \frac{[L]}{[R]} = [T] \Rightarrow \frac{[R]}{[L]} = [T^{-1}]$$

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Q-37 - 18253690

The optical path difference is defined as $\Delta x = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda}$.

What are dimensions of optical path difference?

(A) $[M^0 L^{-1} T^0]$

(B) $[M^1 L^1 T^0]$

(C) $[ML^0 T^1]$

(D) $[ML^{-2} T^2]$

SOLUTION:

(a)

Q-38 - 11745259

If momentum (p), area (A) and time(t) are taken to be fundamental quantities then energy has the dimensional formula

(A) $[p^1 A^{-1} t^{-1}]$

(B) $[p^2 A^1 t^1]$

(C) $[p^1 A^{1/2} t^1]$

(D) $[p^1 A^{1/2} t^{-1}]$

CORRECT ANSWER: D

SOLUTION:

Let energy $E = kp^a A^b t^c$ (i)

where k is a dimensionless constant proportionality

equating dimension on both sides of (i) we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 & [ML^2T^{-2}] \\
 &= [MLT^{-1}]^a \\
 & [M^0L^2T^0]^b [M^0L(0)T \\
 &]^c
 \end{aligned}$$

$$[L] = [M^a L^{a+2b} T^{a+c}]$$

Applying the principle of homogeneity of dimensions we get

$$a = 1 \dots (ii)$$

$$a + 2b = 2 \dots (iii)$$

$$-a + c = -2 \dots (iv)$$

On solving eqs (ii), (iii) and (iv) we get

$$a = 1, b = \frac{1}{2}, c = -1$$

$$\therefore [E] = [p^1 A^{1/2} c^{-2}]$$

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A student writes four different expression for the displacement y in a period motion

$$y = a \sin \frac{2\pi r}{T}$$

$$y = a \sin vt$$

$$y = \frac{a}{t} \sin \frac{t}{a}$$

$$y = \frac{a}{\sqrt{2}} \left[\sin, \frac{2\pi r}{T} + \cos, \frac{2\pi r}{T} \right]$$

where a is maximum displacement , x is the speed and T is the time period then dimensionally.

(A) 1 and 2 are wrong

(B) 2 and 3 are wrong

(C) 3 and 4 are wrong

(D) 4 and 1 are wrong

CORRECT ANSWER: B

SOLUTION:

Since LHS is displacement, so RHS should have dimensions of displacement. Also argument of a trigonometric function should be dimensions in equation (2) argument is not dimensions and in equation (3) a/T has not the dimensions of displacement.

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Q-40 - 11295605

In an experiment, the following observations were recorded:

$$\begin{aligned} L &= 2.820m, M = 3.00kg, l \\ &= 0.087cm, \text{diameter}, D \\ &= 0.041cm \end{aligned}$$

. Taking $g = 9.81ms^{-2}$ and using the formula, $Y = \frac{4Mg}{\pi D^2 l}$, find the maximum permissible error in Y .

SOLUTION:

$Y = \frac{4MgL}{\pi D^2 l}$. So maximum permissible error in Y

$$\frac{\Delta Y}{Y} \times 100 = \left(\frac{\Delta M}{M} \right.$$

$$+ \frac{\Delta g}{g} + \frac{\Delta L}{L}$$

$$+ \frac{2\Delta D}{D} + \frac{\Delta l}{l} \Bigg)$$

$$\times 100$$

$$= \left(\frac{1}{300} + \frac{1}{9.81} \right.$$

$$+ \frac{1}{9820} + 2 \times \frac{1}{41}$$

$$+ \frac{1}{87} \Bigg) \times 100$$

$$= 0.065 \times 100 = 6.5\%$$

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If there is a positive error of 50 % in the measurement of velocity of a body , find the error in the measurement of kinetic energy.

SOLUTION:

$$\text{Kinetic energy , } E = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$$

∴

$$\frac{\Delta E}{E} \times 100 = \left(\frac{\Delta m}{m} + \frac{2\Delta v}{v} \right) \times 100$$

Here

$$\Delta m = 0 \text{ and } \frac{\Delta v}{v} \times 100 = 50 \%$$

∴

$$\frac{\Delta E}{E} \times 100 = 2 \times 50$$
$$= 100 \%$$

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Q-42 - 11487331

A physical quantity A is related to four observable a, b, c and d as follows, $A = \frac{a^2 b^3}{c \sqrt{d}}$, the percentage errors of measurement in a, b, c and d are 1 %, 3 %, 2 % and 2 % respectively. What is the percentage error in the quantity A ?

(A) 12 %

(B) 7 %

(C) 5 %

(D) 14 %

CORRECT ANSWER: D

SOLUTION:

Percentage error in A

$$= \left(2 \times 1 + 3 \times 3 + 1 \times 2 + \frac{1}{2} \times 2 \right) \% \\ = 14 \%$$

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Q-43 - 11487319

The period of oscillation of a simple pendulum is given by

$$T = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{l}{g}}$$

where l is about 100 cm and is known to have 1 mm

accuracy. The period is about 2 s. The time of 100 oscillation is measured by a stop watch of least count 0.1 s. The percentage error in g is

(A) 0.1 %

(B) 1 %

(C) 0.2 %

(D) 0.8 %

CORRECT ANSWER: C

SOLUTION:

$$T = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{l}{g}} \Rightarrow T^2 = \frac{4\pi^2 l}{g} \Rightarrow g = \frac{4\pi^2 l}{T^2}$$

Here % error is

$$l = \frac{1\text{mm}}{100\text{cm}} \times 100 = \frac{0.1}{100} \times 100 = 0.1\%$$

and % error is

$$T = \frac{0.1}{2 \times 100} \times 100$$

$$= 0.05 \%$$

$$\% \text{ error is } g = \% \text{ error in } l + 2(\% \text{ error in } T)$$

$$= 0.1 + 2 \times 0.05$$

$$= 0.2 \%$$

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Q-44 - 11745129

The focal f to a mirror is given by $\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{u} + \frac{1}{v}$ where u and v represent object and image distance respectively then

$$(A) \frac{\Delta f}{f} = \frac{\Delta u}{u} + \frac{\Delta v}{v}$$

$$(B) \frac{\Delta f}{f} = \frac{\Delta u}{v} + \frac{\Delta v}{u}$$

(C)

$$\frac{\Delta f}{f} = \frac{\Delta u}{u} + \frac{\Delta v}{v}$$

$$- \frac{\Delta(u + v)}{u + v}$$

(D)

$$\frac{\Delta f}{f} = \frac{\Delta u}{u} + \frac{\Delta v}{v}$$

$$+ \frac{\Delta u}{u + v} + \frac{\Delta v}{u + v}$$

CORRECT ANSWER: D

SOLUTION:

$$f = \frac{uv}{u + v}, \frac{\Delta f}{f}$$

$$= \frac{\Delta u}{u} + \frac{\Delta v}{v}$$

$$+ \frac{\Delta(u + v)}{u + v}$$

$$= \frac{\Delta u}{u} + \frac{\Delta v}{v}$$

$$+ \frac{\Delta u}{u + v} + \frac{\Delta v}{u + v}$$

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Q-45 - 11745130

For a cubical block, error in measurement of sides is $\pm 1\%$ and error in measurement of mass is $\pm 2\%$ then maximum possible error in density is

(A) 1%

(B) 5%

(C) 3%

(D) 7%

CORRECT ANSWER: D

SOLUTION:

$$\rho = \frac{m}{V} = \frac{m}{t^2}$$

Given

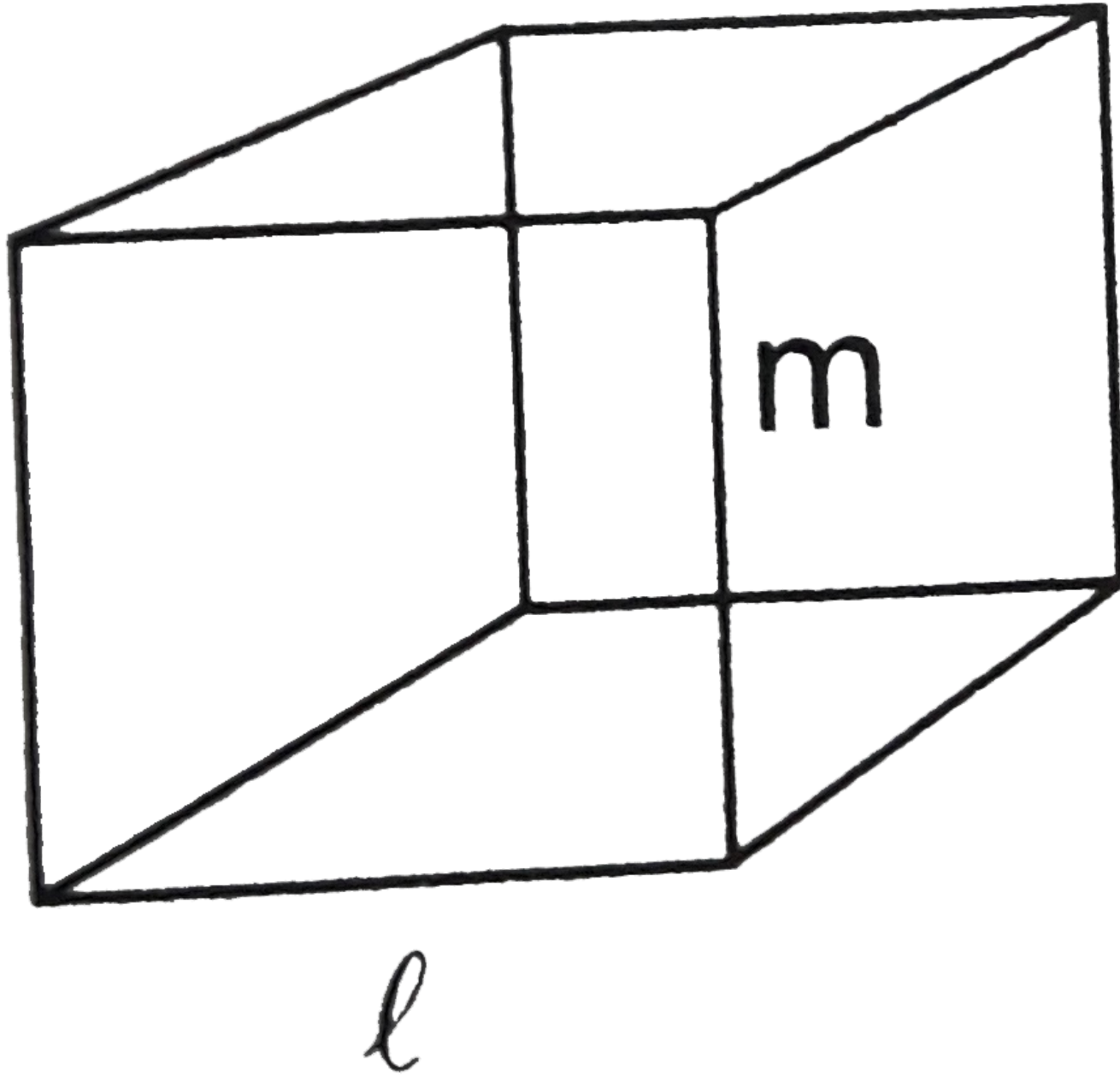
$$\frac{\Delta m}{m} = 2 \% = \pm 2 \times 10^{-2}$$

$$\frac{\Delta l}{l} = \pm 1 \% = \pm \times 10^{-2}$$

$$\frac{\Delta \rho}{\rho} = \frac{\Delta m}{m} + 3 \times 10^{-2}$$

$$= 2 \times 10^{-2} + 3 \times 10^{-2}$$

$$= 5 \times 10^{-2} = 5 \%$$



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Q-46 - 18253703

A resistor of $10k\Omega$ has a tolerance of 10% and another resistor of $20k\Omega$ has a tolerance of 20 %. The tolerance of the series combination is nearly

(A) 10 %

(B) 20 %

(C) 15 %

(D) 17 %

SOLUTION:

(d)

$$\begin{aligned} r_1 &= 10k\Omega, \Delta r_1 \\ &= \frac{10}{100} \times 10 = 1k\Omega \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} r_2 &= 20k\Omega, \Delta r_2 \\ &= \frac{20}{100} \times 20 = 4k\Omega \end{aligned}$$

Maximum tolerance

$$\begin{aligned} &= \Delta r_1 = \Delta r_2 = 1 \\ &+ 4 = 5 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} r_1 + r_2 &= 10 + 20 \\ &= 30k\Omega \end{aligned}$$

% age of tolerance

$$= \frac{5}{30} \times 10 = 16.67$$

$$\% = 17 \%$$

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Q-47 - 18253706

A physical quantity is given by $X = [M^a L^b T^c]$. The percentage error in measurement of M , L and T are α , β , γ respectively. Then the maximum % error in the quantity X is

(A) $a\alpha + b\beta + c\gamma$

(B) $a\alpha + b\beta - c\gamma$

(C) $\frac{a}{\alpha} + \frac{b}{\beta} + \frac{c}{\gamma}$

(D) None of the above

SOLUTION:

(a) $X = [M^a L^b T^c]$

Maximum percentage error $= a\alpha + b\beta + c\gamma$

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Q-48 - 18253636

The time between human heart beat is $8 \times 10^{-1} s$. How many heart beats are measured in one minute.

(A) 75

(B) 60

(C) 82

(D) 64

SOLUTION:

(a)

$$\begin{aligned}
 n &= \frac{1}{8 \times 10^{-1} s} \\
 &= \frac{1 \text{ minute}}{8 \times 10^{-1} s} \\
 &= \frac{60 s}{8 \times 10^{-1} s} = \frac{600}{8} \\
 &= 75
 \end{aligned}$$

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Q-49 - 18253659

The expression for centripetal force depends upon mass of body, speed of the body and the radius of circular path. Find the expression for centripetal force.

(A) $F = \frac{mv^2}{2r^3}$

(B) $F = \frac{mv^2}{r}$

(C) $F = \frac{mv^2}{r^2}$

(D) $F = \frac{m^2 v^2}{2r}$

SOLUTION:

$$(b) F = m^a v^b r^c$$

$$[MLT^{-2}]$$

$$= [ML^0T^0]^a$$

$$[M^0LT^{-1}]^b [M^0LT^0]^c$$

$$[MLT^{-2}]$$

$$= [M^a L^{b+c} T^{-b}]$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 1, b + c = 1 \text{ and } b = 2$$

$$2 + c = 1 \text{ and } c = -1$$

$$F = mv^2 r^{-1} \Rightarrow F$$

$$= \frac{mv^2}{r}$$

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Q-50 - 18253660

The maximum static friction on a body is $F = \mu N$.

Here $N =$ normal reaction force on the body.

$\mu =$ coefficient of static friction. The dimension of μ is

(A) $[MLT^{-2}]$

(B) $[M^0L^0T(0)\theta^{-1}]$

(C) dimensionless

(D) none of these

SOLUTION:

$$(c) \because F = \mu N \therefore \mu = \frac{F}{N}$$

$$: [\mu] = \left[\frac{F}{N} \right]$$

$$= \frac{[MLT^{-2}]}{[MLT^{-2}]} =$$

dimensionless

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The magnetic force on a point moving charge is $F = q(v \times B)$.

Here $q =$ electric charge

$v =$ velocity of the point charge

$B =$ magnetic field

The dimensions of B is

(A) $[AMLT^{-1}]$

(B) $[A^{-1}MLT^{-2}]$

(C) $[A^{-1}MT^{-2}]$

(D) none of these

SOLUTION:

(c) $\because F = qv \times B$ or $F = qvB \sin \theta$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \therefore [B] &= \left[\frac{F}{qv} \right] \\
 &= \frac{[MLT^{-2}]}{[ATLT^{-1}]} \\
 &= [A^{-1}MT^{-2}]
 \end{aligned}$$

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Q-52 - 11745133

The equation of stationary wave is $y = A \sin kt \cos \omega$, where y and x in second choose the correct option

- (A) the dimensions of A and k are same
- (B) the dimensions of A , k and ω are same
- (C) the dimensions of k and ω are same
- (D) the dimensions of (kx) and (ω) are same

CORRECT ANSWER: D

SOLUTION:

kx and ωt have dimensions of angle (i.e. $[M^0 L^0 T^0]$)

Hence kt and ωt both are dimensionless

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Q-53 - 11487301

If the speed v of a particle of mass m as function of time t is given

by $v = \omega A \sin \left[\left(\frac{\sqrt{k}}{m} \right) t \right]$, where A has dimension of length.

(A) the argument of trigonometric function must be a dimensionless quantity

(B) Dimensional formula of ω is LT^{-1}

(C) Dimensional formula of k is MLT^{-2}

(D) Dimensional formula of $\sqrt{\frac{k}{m}}$ is T

CORRECT ANSWER: A

SOLUTION:

Plane angle is dimensionless

$$[WA] = [v]$$

$$[W]L = LT^{-1}$$

$$[W] = T^{-1}$$

$$\left[\sqrt{\frac{k}{m}} t \right] = 1$$

$$k = \frac{m}{t^2} = MT^{-2}$$

$$\left(\sqrt{\frac{k}{m}} = \{t\} = 1 \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}} = T^{-1}$$

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Q-54 - 10955182

A quantity X is given by $\epsilon_p L \frac{\delta V}{\delta t}$, where ϵ_p is the permittivity of

free space , L is a length , δV is a potential difference and δt is a time interval . The dimensional formula for X is the same as that of

(A) resistance

(B) charge

(C) voltage

(D) current

CORRECT ANSWER: D

SOLUTION:

$$C = \frac{\Delta q}{\Delta V} = \frac{\epsilon_0 A}{d}$$

$$\text{or } \epsilon_0 = \frac{A}{L} = \frac{\Delta q}{\Delta V}$$

$$\text{or } \epsilon_0 = \frac{(\Delta q)L}{A(\Delta V)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} X &= \epsilon_0 L \frac{\Delta V}{\Delta t} \\ &= \frac{(\Delta q)L}{A(\Delta V)} L \frac{\Delta V}{\Delta t} \end{aligned}$$

but $[A] = [L^2]$

$$\therefore X = \frac{\Delta q}{\Delta t} = \text{current}$$

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Q-55 - 11745147

v , T , ρ and λ denote ,surface tension, mass density and wavelength, respectively In an experiment v depends on T , p and λ respectively .The value of v is proportional to

(A) $\sqrt{(T)/(\lambda)}$

(B) $\sqrt{\frac{T}{p\lambda}}$

(C) $\sqrt{\frac{\lambda}{pT}}$

(D) $\sqrt{(T)/(p\lambda)}$

CORRECT ANSWER: B

SOLUTION:

$$v = KT^a p \rho^b \lambda^c$$

$$LHS = [M^0 L T^{-1}]$$

$$\begin{aligned} RHS &= [M^0 L T^{-1}] \\ &= [M T^{-2}]^a [M L^{-3}]^b \\ &\quad [L]^c \end{aligned}$$

$$= [M^{a+b} L^{-3b+c} T^{-2a}]$$

According to homogeneity principal

LHS - RHS

$$\begin{aligned} &[M^0 L T^{-1}] \\ &= [M^{a+b} L^{-3b+c} T^{-2a}] \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore a + b = 0$$

$$\therefore a = -b \dots (i)$$

$$-3b + c = 1 \dots (\text{ii})$$

$$-2a = -1 \dots (\text{iii})$$

$$\therefore c = \frac{-1}{2}$$

$$b = -a = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$-3b + c = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow -3\left(\frac{-1}{2}\right)$$

$$\therefore v = KT^a \rho^b \lambda^c$$

$$= KT^{\frac{1}{2}} \rho^{-\frac{1}{2}} \lambda^{-\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$= K \sqrt{\frac{T}{\rho \lambda}}$$

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Q-56 - 11745157

A person measures two quantities as

$$A = 1.0m \pm 0.2m, B = 2.0m \pm 0.2m$$

We should report correct value for \sqrt{AB} as

(A) $1.4m \pm 0.4m$

(B) $1.41m \pm 0.15m$

(C) $1.4m + 0.3m$

(D) $1.4m \pm 0.2m$

CORRECT ANSWER: D

SOLUTION:

Given

$$\begin{aligned} A &= 1.0m \pm 0.2m, B \\ &= 2.0m \pm 0.2m \end{aligned}$$

Let

$$\begin{aligned} V &= \sqrt{AB} \\ &= \sqrt{(1.0)(2.0)} \\ &= 1.414m \end{aligned}$$

Rounding off to two significant digit $Y = 1.4m$

$$\frac{\Delta Y}{Y} = \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{\Delta A}{A} + \frac{\Delta B}{B} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{0.2}{1.0} + \frac{0.2}{2.0} \right]$$

$$= \frac{0.6}{2 \times 2.0}$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta Y = \frac{0.6Y}{2 \times 2.0}$$

$$= \frac{0.6 \times 1.4}{2 \times 2.0} = 0.20$$

Rounding off to one significant digit Thus correct value
for

$$\sqrt{AB} = r + \Delta r = 1.4 \pm 0.2m$$

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A student measures the time period of 100 oscillations of a simple pendulum four times. The data set is 90 s, 91 s, 95 s, and 92 s

. If the minimum division of the stopwatch is 1 s, then the reported mean time should be:

(A) (a) $92 \pm 1.8 \text{ s}$

(B) (b) $92 \pm 3 \text{ s}$

(C) (c) $92 \pm 2 \text{ s}$

(D) (d) $92 \pm 5.0 \text{ s}$

CORRECT ANSWER: A

SOLUTION:

(a)

$$\Delta T = \frac{(|\Delta T_1| + |\Delta T_2| + |\Delta T_3| + |D|)}{4} < aT_4)$$

$$= \frac{2 + 1 + 3 + 0}{4}$$

$$= 1.5$$

As the resolution of measuring clock is 1.5 therefore the mean time should be 92 ± 1.5

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Q-58 - 10058416

The period of oscillation of a simple pendulum is $T = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{L}{g}}$.

Measured value of L is 20.0cm known to 1mm accuracy and time for 100 oscillation of the pendulum is found to be 90s using a wrist

watch of 1s resolution. The accuracy in the determination of g is :

(A) (a) 1 %

(B) (b) 5 %

(C) (c) 2 %

(D) (d) 3 %

CORRECT ANSWER: D

SOLUTION:

$$(d) \text{ As, } g = 4\pi^2 \frac{l}{T^2}$$

So,

$$\frac{\Delta g}{g} \times 100 = \frac{\Delta l}{l} \times 100 + 2 \frac{\Delta T}{T} \times 100$$

$$= (0.1)/(20) \times 100 + 2 \times (1)/(90) \times 100 = 2.72 \sim 3\%$$

3%

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Q-59 - 11745248

If unit of mass become 2 times the unit of length becomes 4 time and the unit of time in the unit of Plank's Due to the unit of plank's constant because n time The value of n is

(A) 3

(B) 5

(C) 6

(D) 8

CORRECT ANSWER: D

SOLUTION:

The unit of plank's constant is joule second or kgm^2 per second

(unit of mass)

$$\frac{(\text{unit of length})^2}{(\text{unit of time})}$$

$$= \frac{2 \times 4^2}{4} = 8 \text{ times}$$

$$\therefore n = 8$$

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Q-60 - 11295544

The relative density of material of a body is found by weighting it first in air and then in water . If the weight in air is $(5.00 \pm 0.05)N$ and the weight in water is $(4.00 \pm 0.05)N$. Find the relative density along with the maximum permissible percentage error.

SOLUTION:

$$\text{Weight in air} = (5.00 \pm 0.05)N$$

$$\text{weight in water} = (4.00 \pm 0.05)N$$

$$\text{Loss of weight in water} = (1.00 \pm 0.1)N$$

Now relative density

$$= \frac{\text{weight in air}}{\text{weight loss in water}}$$

$$\text{i.e., } RD = \frac{5.00 \pm 0.05}{1.00 \pm 0.1}$$

Now relative density with maximum permissible error

$$= \frac{5.00}{1.00} \pm \left(\frac{0.05}{5.00} + \frac{0.1}{1.00} \right) \times 100$$

$$= 5.0 \pm (1 + 10) \%$$

$$= 5.0 \pm 11 \%$$

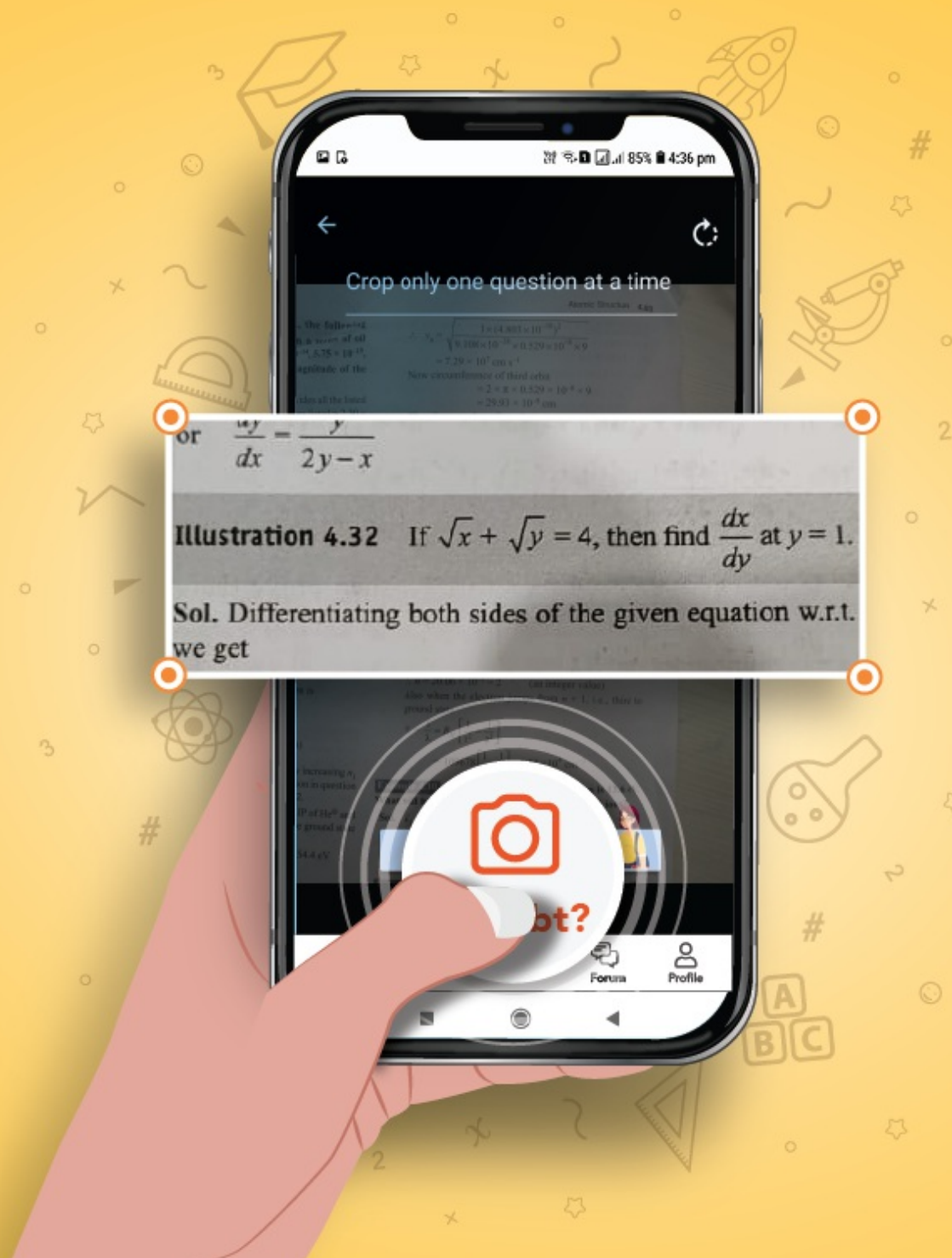
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