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**Units & Measurements**

**Topics to be covered:**

1. System of units.
2. Dimensional analysis
3. Errors in measurement
4. Screw gauge and vernier callipers

**Physical quantities:**

$$Q = nxu$$

Example-

$$'M' \rightarrow 5 \text{ kg} = 5000 \text{ gm} \rightarrow n_1u_1 = n_2u_2$$

**System of units:**

System	Length	Mass	Time
FPS	foot	pound	second
CGS	centimeter	gram	second
MKS	meter	kilogram	second

**Fundamental and derived quantities:**

Quantity	Dimension	Unit	Symbol
length	L	Meter	m
Mass	M	Kilogram	kg
Time	T	Second	s
Current	I	Ampere	A
Temperature	$\theta$	Kalvin	K
Amount of substance	N	Mole	mol
Luminous intensity	J	Candela	cd
Plane angle	-	Radian	
Solid angle	-	Steradian	

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### **Derived quantities:**

Velocity = displacement/time

Acceleration = change in velocity/time

### **Dimensions:**

Area = (length)<sup>2</sup>

$$[A] = [L]^2 = [M^0 L^2 T^0]$$

Velocity = displacement/time

$$[V] = [L]/[T] = [L^1 T^{-1}]$$

\*  $A = B + C, \quad [B] = [C] = [A]$

\*  $A = (B \times C) / D, \quad [A] = [BC/D]$

\*  $e^x, \log x, \sin x, Q^x \rightarrow X$  is dimensionless

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## **Units & Measurements 2**

### **Conversion of unit:**

$$n_1 u_1 = n_2 u_2$$

Example:  $e = 2 \text{ gm} / \text{cm}^3$  convert into Mks system?

Convert 1 joule into different unit having base unit of mass, length and time as 10 gm, 5m and 20