

TABLE: SELECTED DIMENSIONAL EQUIVALENTS

Length	1 m = 3.280 ft 0 39.37 in 1 cm = 10^{-2} m = 0.394 in = 0.038 ft 1 mm = 10^{-3} m 1 micron (μm) = 10^{-10} m 1 Angstrom (Å) = 10^{-10} m
Time	1 hr = 3600 sec = 60 min 1 milisec = 10^{-3} sec 1 microsec (μsec) = 10^{-6} sec 1 nanosec (nsec) = 10^{-9} sec
Mass	1 kg = 1000 gr = 2.2046 lbm = 6.8521×10^{-2} slugs 1 slugs = 1 lbf.sec 2 /ft = 32.174 lbm 1 amu = 1.66×10^{-27} kg
Force	1 newton = 1 kg.m/sec 2 1 dyne = 1 gr.cm/sec 2 1 lbf = 4.448×10^5 dyne = 4.448 newtons
Energy	1 joule = 1 kg.m 2 /sec 2 = 0.239 cal = 0.738 ft.lb = 2.78×10^{-7} kwh 1 joule = 10^7 erg 1 Btu = 778.18 ft.lbf = 1.055×10^{15} erg = 252 cal 1 cal = 4.186 joule 1 erg = 1 gr.cm 2 /sec 2 1 eV = 1.602×10^{-19} joules = 160×10^{-12} erg
Power	1 Watt = 1 kg.m 2 /sec 3 = 1 joule/sec 1 hp = 550 ft.lbf/sec 1 hp = 2545 Btu/hr = 746 Watts 1 kWatt = 1000 Watts = 3413 Btu/hr
Pressure	1 atm = 14.696 lbf/in 2 = 760 torr 1 mmHg = 0.01931 lbf/in 2 = 1 torr 1 dyne/cm 2 = 145.04×10^{-7} 1 bar = 14.504 lbf/in 2 = 10^6 dynes/cm 2 1 micron (μ) = 10^{-6} mHg = 10^{-3} mmHg 1 pascal (Pa) = 1 N/m 2 = 1 kg/(m.s 2) 1 hPa = 1 mb 1 hPa = 100 Pa
Volume	1 gal = 0.13368 ft 3 1 liter = 1000.028 cm 3
Temperature	1 °K = 1 °C = 1.8 °F = 1.8 °R 0 °C corresponds to 32 °F, 273.16 °K, and 491.69 °R 1 eV = 11600 °K
Magnetic Quantities	1 Gauss = $1 \text{ g}^{1/2}/\text{cm}^{1/2}.\text{sec}$ 1 Gauss = 10^3 coul/m.sec for M 1 Gauss = $(1/4\pi) \times 10^3$ coul/m.sec for H 1 Gauss = 10^{-4} Tesla for B 1 Tesla = 1 kg/coul.sec 1 Tesla = 1 kg/A.sec 2 1 nT = 10^{-9} Tesla 1 nT = 10^{-5} Gauss 1 gamma = 1 g = 1 nT Magnetic Flux: $\phi_B = \int \vec{B} \bullet dA$, 1 Weber = 1 kg.m 2 /coul.sec $ \vec{B} = \text{kg/sec.coul}$
Electrical Quantities	E-potential: $\epsilon, d\epsilon = \vec{E} \bullet dl$, 1 volt = 1 kg.m 2 /coul.sec 2 $ \vec{E} = \text{kg.m/coul.sec}$ Current Density: coul/m 2 .sec Current: coul/sec Resistance (R): 1 ohm = 1 kg.m 2 /coul 2 .sec

PHYSICAL CONSTANTS

Avogadro's Number	$N = 6.025 \times 10^{23} / \text{g.mole}$
Bolzman's Constant	$k = 1.38 \times 10^{-23} \text{ joule} / {}^\circ\text{K}$
Stefan Boltzmann Constant	$\sigma = 5.7 \times 10^{-5} \text{ erg/cm}^2 \cdot \text{sec.} {}^\circ\text{K}^4$ $\sigma = 5.67 \times 10^{-8} \text{ joule/m}^2 \cdot \text{sec.} {}^\circ\text{K}^4$
Gas Constant	$R = 1545.33 \text{ ft.lbf/lb.mole.} {}^\circ\text{R}$ $R = 8.317 \text{ joule/g.mole.} {}^\circ\text{K}$ $R = 1.986 \text{ Btu/lb.mole.} {}^\circ\text{R}$ $R = 1.986 \text{ cal/g.mole.} {}^\circ\text{K}$
Planck's Constant	$h = 6.625 \times 10^{-34} \text{ joule.sec}$
Biot-Savart Constant	$1/4\pi\epsilon_0 = 8.987 \times 10^9 \text{ kg.m}^3/\text{coul}^2 \cdot \text{sec}^2$ $\mu_0/4\pi = 1.000 \times 10^{-7} \text{ kg.m/coul}^2$
Electronic Charge	$e = -1.6021 \times 10^{-19} \text{ coul}$
Proton Mass	$m_p = 1.67 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$
Electron Mass	$m_e = 9.1 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}$
Speed of Light	$c = 2.998 \times 10^8 \text{ m/sec}$
Newton's Constant	$g_c = 32.174 \text{ ft.lbm/lbf.sec}^2$
Gravitational Constant	$k_G = 6.67 \times 10^{-11} \text{ m}^3/\text{kg.sec}^2$
Wienn's Constant	$c = 0.28 \text{ cm.} {}^\circ\text{K}$
Sun-Earth Distance	$1 \text{ AU} = 1.5 \times 10^8 \text{ km}$
Solar Constant for Earth	$I_o = 1.94 \text{ cal/cm}^2 \text{ min}$ $I_o = 1370 \text{ Watt/m}^2$
Sun's Radius	$R_{\text{sun}} = 7 \times 10^5 \text{ km}$
Sun's Mass	$M_{\text{sun}} = 2 \times 10^{30} \text{ kg}$
Sun's Surface Temperature	$T = 6000 \text{ } {}^\circ\text{K}$
Sun's Luminosity	$L = 4 \times 10^{26} \text{ Watt}$
Earth's Radius	$R_{\text{Earth}} = 6378 \text{ km}$
Earth's Albedo	A or $\alpha = \% 33$ or 0.33
Magnetic Field at the Earth's Equator	$B_o = 0.36 \text{ Gauss (CGS)}$ $B_o = 0.3 \times 10^{-4} \text{ Tesla (MKS)}$
μ_0	$\mu_0 = 4\pi \times 10^{-7} \text{ (MKS, Henry/m, or kg.m/coul}^2)$ Henry = $\text{kg.m}^2/\text{coul}^2$
R : Universal Gas Constant	
R^* : Specific Gas Constant	
$R^* = (Rx10^3)/M$, M = 29 amu for Air	
$R^* = (8.317 \times 10^3)/29 = 286$ (MKS)	
$P = \rho R^* T$ or $PV = RT$	

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UNITS, CONVERSIONS, AND ABBREVIATIONS

LENGTH

1 kilometer (km)	= 1000 meters (m)
	= 3281 feet (ft)
	= 0.62 mile (mi)
1 mile (mi)	= 5280 feet (ft)
	= 1609 meters (m)
	= 1.61 kilometers (km)
1 centimeter (cm)	= 0.39 inch (in.)
	= 0.01 meter (m)
1 inch (in.)	= 2.54 cm
	= 0.08 ft
1 meter (m)	= 100 cm
	= 3.28 ft
	= 39.37 in.
1 micrometer (μm)	= 0.0001 cm
	= 0.000001 m

AREA

1 square centimeter (cm^2)	= 0.15 in. ²
1 square inch (in. ²)	= 6.45 cm^2
1 square meter (m^2)	= 10.76 ft ²
1 square foot (ft ²)	= 0.09 m ²

VOLUME

1 cubic centimeter (cm^3)	= 0.06 in. ³
1 cubic inch (in. ³)	= 16.39 cm^3
1 liter (l)	= 1000 cm ³

SPEED

1 knot	= 1.15 mph
	= 0.51 mps
	= 1.85 kph
1 mile per hour (mph)	= 0.87 knot
	= 0.45 mps
	= 1.61 kph
1 kilometer per hour (kph)	= 0.54 knot
	= 0.62 mph
	= 0.28 mps
1 meter per second (mps)	= 1.9 knots
	= 2.2 mph
	= 3.6 kph

MASS

1 gram (g)	= 0.035 ounce
	= 0.002 lb
1 kilogram (kg)	= 1000 g
	= 2.2 lb

ENERGY

1 joule (J)	= 0.239 cal
1 calorie (cal)	= 4.187 J

PRESSURE

1 millibar (mb)	= 1000 dynes/cm ²
	= 0.75 millimeter of mercury
	= 0.03 inch of mercury
	= 0.01 pound per square
	inch (psi)
	= 100 pascals (Pa)
1 standard atmosphere	= 1013.25 mb
	= 760 millimeters of
	mercury
	= 29.92 inches of
	mercury
	= 14.7 psi