## MKS Chart

| description | distance | mass | time | force | universal gravitational constant | acceleration |
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| unit of measure | meters | kilograms (kg) | seconds (sec) | Newtons (N) | $\mathrm{N} \mathrm{m}^{2} / \mathrm{kg}^{2}$ | $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{sec}^{2}$ |
| variable | d | m | t | F | G | a |
|  | scalar | scalar | scalar | vector | numerical constant | vector |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \mathrm{~km}-10^{3} \mathrm{~m} \\ & 1 \mathrm{~cm}=10^{-2} \mathrm{~m} \\ & 1 \mathrm{~mm}=10^{-3} \mathrm{~m} \\ & 1 \mu \mathrm{~m}=10^{-6} \mathrm{~m} \end{aligned}$ | $1000 \mathrm{~g}=1 \mathrm{~kg}$ | $\begin{gathered} 60 \mathrm{sec}=1 \mathrm{~min} \\ 3600 \mathrm{sec}=1 \mathrm{hr} \\ 86400 \mathrm{sec}=1 \text { day } \end{gathered}$ | $\mathrm{N}=\mathrm{kg} \mathrm{m} / \mathrm{sec}^{2}$ | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{G}=6.67 \times 10^{-11} \mathrm{~N} \mathrm{~m}^{2} / \mathrm{kg}^{2} \\ \mathrm{~F}=\mathrm{G}\left(\mathrm{mM} / \mathrm{r}^{2}\right) \end{gathered}$ <br> $\mathbf{g}=\mathrm{G}\left(\mathrm{M} / \mathrm{r}^{2}\right)$ measured in $\mathrm{N} / \mathrm{kg}$ | freefall $\mathrm{a}=-\mathrm{g}$ |
| relationships | ```height (h) radius (r) displacement (s)``` |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Wt }=\mathrm{mg} \\ & \text { other common } \\ & \text { forces: } \\ & \text { tension } \\ & \text { push/pull } \\ & \text { normal } \\ & \text { friction } \end{aligned}$ | Gravitational force = weight Gravitational field | $\begin{gathered} \mathbf{a}=\Delta \mathbf{v} / \mathrm{t} \\ \mathbf{a}=\mathrm{netF} / \mathrm{m} \end{gathered}$ |


| description | velocity | momentum | impulse | kinetic energy | work | charge |
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| unit of measure | $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{sec}$ | kg m/sec | N sec | J | J | C |
| variable | v | p | J | K or KE | W | Q |
|  | vector | vector | vector | scalar | scalar | scalar |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { initial velocity }=v_{0} \\ & \text { final velocity }=v_{f} \end{aligned}$ | p = mv | $\mathbf{J}=\mathrm{Ft}$ | $\mathrm{KE}=1 / 2 \mathrm{mv}{ }^{2}$ | $\begin{gathered} W=F \cdot s=F s(\cos \theta) \\ W=\Delta K E \end{gathered}$ | $\mathrm{e}=1.6 \times 10^{-19} \mathrm{C}$ |
| relationships | Av velocity = displacement/time <br> Av speed = total distance/time | linear momentum | $\mathbf{J}=\Delta(\mathrm{mv})$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{F}(\cos \theta) \text { and } \mathrm{s} \text { parallel, } \mathrm{W}>0 \\ \mathrm{~F}(\cos \theta) \text { and } \mathrm{s} \text { anti-parallel, } \mathrm{W}<0 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline Q_{\text {Qelectron }}=-\mathrm{e} \\ \mathrm{Q}_{\text {proton }}=+\mathrm{e} \\ 1 \mathrm{C}=6.25 \times 10^{18} \mathrm{e} \\ 1 \mu \mathrm{C}=10^{-6} \mathrm{C} \\ 1 \mathrm{nC}=10^{-9} \mathrm{C} \\ 1 \mathrm{pC}=10^{-12} \mathrm{C} \end{gathered}$ |


| description | current | power | Coulomb's constant | resistivity | volt | resistance |
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| unit of measure | Ampere $=$ C/sec | Watt $=\mathrm{J} / \mathrm{sec}$ | $\mathrm{N} \mathrm{m}^{2} / \mathrm{C}^{2}$ | $\Omega \mathrm{m}$ | J/C | $\Omega$ |
| variable | I | P | k | $\rho$ | V | R |
|  | vector | scalar | numerical constant | material constant | scalar | scalar |
|  | $\mathbf{I}=\mathrm{Q} / \mathrm{t}$ | $\mathrm{P}=\mathrm{W} / \mathrm{t}$ | $\mathrm{k}=9.0 \times 10^{-9} \mathrm{~N} \mathrm{~m}^{2} / \mathrm{C}^{2}$ |  |  | $\mathrm{R}=\mathrm{V} / \mathrm{I}$ |
| relationships | rate of flow of charge past a given position in a circuit $\begin{aligned} & 1 \mathrm{~mA}=10^{-3} \mathrm{~A} \\ & 1 \mu \mathrm{~A}=10^{-6} \mathrm{~A} \end{aligned}$ | Mechanical $\mathrm{P}=\mathrm{F} \mathrm{v}_{\text {constant }}$ <br> Electrical $\begin{gathered} P=I V \\ P=I^{2} R \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} F=k\left(q Q / r^{2}\right) \\ E=k\left(Q / r^{2}\right) \text { measured in } N / C g \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{R}=\rho \mathrm{L} / \mathrm{A} \\ \rho=\rho_{20}\left[1+\alpha\left(t_{\mathrm{o}_{\mathrm{C}}}-20^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)\right] \end{gathered}$ | potential potential difference $\mathrm{W}_{\text {done }}=\mathrm{q}(\Delta \mathrm{~V})$ |  |


| description | frequency | period | friction | normal | coefficient of friction | temperature |
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| unit of measure | hz | sec | N | N | dimensionless | $\mathrm{C}^{0}$ or K |
| variable | f | T | f | N | $\mu$ | T |
|  | scalar | scalar | vector | vector | numerical value | scalar |
|  | frequency $=$ events/sec | period $=$ sec/event | $\boldsymbol{f}=\mu_{k} \mathbf{N}$ |  |  |  |
| relationships |  | $f=1 / T$ <br> frequency and period are reciprocals $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{p}}=2 \pi(\mathrm{SQRT} \mathrm{~L} / \mathrm{g}) \\ & \mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{s}}=2 \pi(\mathrm{SQRT} \mathrm{~m} / \mathrm{k}) \end{aligned}$ | resistive force between two surfaces sliding across each other | supporting force of a surface on an object (incline) $\mathbf{N}=\mathrm{mg} \cos \theta$. | value depends on the two surfaces in contact $\begin{aligned} & \boldsymbol{f}=\mu_{k} \mathbf{N} \\ & \boldsymbol{f} \leq \mu_{s} \mathbf{N} \end{aligned}$ | $\mathrm{K}={ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}+273$ |


| description | spring constant | torque | moment of inertia | angular momentum |
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| unit of measure | N/m | m N | $\mathrm{kg} \mathrm{m}^{2}$ | $\mathrm{kg} \mathrm{m}^{2} / \mathrm{sec}$ |
| variable | k | $\tau$ | I | L |
|  | scalar | vector | scalar | vector |
|  | $\mathrm{F}_{\mathrm{s}}=-\mathrm{ks}$ |  | rotational inertia |  |
| relationships | restoring force within a spring equals the spring constant times the displacement from equilibrium | $\tau=\mathrm{F}$ times moment arm moment arm = perpendicular distance from the line of action of the force to the pivot point (axis) | only applies to rigid bodies <br> depends on the amount of mass and its distribution about the axis $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{I}_{\text {sphere }}=2 / 5 \mathrm{mr}^{2} \\ \mathrm{I}_{\text {cylinder }}=1 / 2 \mathrm{mr}^{2} \\ \mathrm{I}_{\text {hoop }}=\mathrm{mr}^{2} \\ \mathrm{I}_{\text {rod }} 1 / 3 \mathrm{~m} l^{2}(\mathrm{end}) \\ \mathrm{I}_{\text {rod }}=1 / 12 \mathrm{~m} l^{2}(\mathrm{cg}) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \mathbf{L}=\mathrm{I} \omega \\ \tau \mathrm{t}=\Delta \mathbf{L} \\ \text { point mass }=m v \mathrm{R}_{\perp} \end{gathered}$ |


| description | rotational kinematics | rotational KE | rotational work | rotational power | rotational impulse | tangential relationships |
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| unit of measure | radians radians/second radians/sec ${ }^{2}$ | J | J | watts | N m sec |  |
| variable | $\theta, \omega, \alpha$ | $K E_{\text {rot }}$ | W | $\tau \omega$ | $\tau \mathrm{t}$ |  |
|  | vectors | scalar | scalar | scalar | vector | vectors |
|  |  | $\mathrm{KE}_{\text {rot }}=1 / 2 \mathrm{I} \omega^{2}$ | $\mathrm{W}=\tau \theta$ |  |  |  |
| relationships | analogous equations for constant angular acceleration <br> substitute: <br> $\theta$ for s <br> $\omega$ for $v$ <br> $\alpha$ for a |  | $\tau \theta=\Delta\left(\mathrm{KE}_{\text {rot }}\right)$ |  | $\tau \mathrm{t}=\Delta(\mathrm{I} \omega)$ | $\begin{aligned} \mathrm{s}_{\mathrm{t}} & =\mathrm{r} \theta \\ \mathrm{v}_{\mathrm{t}} & =\mathrm{r} \omega \\ \mathrm{a}_{\mathrm{t}} & =\mathrm{r} \alpha \end{aligned}$ <br> these equations are used when you want to relate the "linear" behavior of a position on a rotating body to the rotational behavior |

