

**2018 CODATA RECOMMENDED VALUES OF THE FUNDAMENTAL  
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Quantity	Symbol	Numerical value	Unit
* <sup>133</sup> Cs hyperfine transition frequency	$\Delta\nu_{\text{Cs}}$	9 192 631 770	Hz
*speed of light in vacuum	$c$	299 792 458	m s <sup>-1</sup>
*Planck constant	$h$	$6.626\,070\,15 \times 10^{-34}$	J Hz <sup>-1</sup>
	$\hbar$	$1.054\,571\,817 \dots \times 10^{-34}$	J s
*elementary charge	$e$	$1.602\,176\,634 \times 10^{-19}$	C
*Avogadro constant	$N_{\text{A}}$	$6.022\,140\,76 \times 10^{23}$	mol <sup>-1</sup>
*Boltzmann constant	$k$	$1.380\,649 \times 10^{-23}$	J K <sup>-1</sup>
*luminous efficacy	$K_{\text{cd}}$	683	lm W <sup>-1</sup>
electron volt ( $e/C$ ) J	eV	$1.602\,176\,634 \times 10^{-19}$	J
Josephson constant $2e/h$	$K_{\text{J}}$	$483\,597.848\,4 \dots \times 10^9$	Hz V <sup>-1</sup>
von Klitzing constant $2\pi\hbar/e^2$	$R_{\text{K}}$	25 812.807 45 ...	$\Omega$
molar gas constant $N_{\text{A}}k$	$R$	8.314 462 618 ...	J mol <sup>-1</sup> K <sup>-1</sup>
Stefan-Boltzmann const. $\pi^2k^4/(60\hbar^3c^2)$	$\sigma$	$5.670\,374\,419 \dots \times 10^{-8}$	W m <sup>-2</sup> K <sup>-4</sup>

\*Defining constants of the International System of Units (SI).

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(unified) atomic mass unit $\frac{1}{12}m(^{12}\text{C})$	$u$	$1.660\,539\,066\,60(50) \times 10^{-27}$	kg
Newtonian constant of gravitation	$G$	$6.674\,30(15) \times 10^{-11}$	$\text{m}^3 \text{kg}^{-1} \text{s}^{-2}$
fine-structure constant $e^2/(4\pi\epsilon_0\hbar c)$	$\alpha$	$7.297\,352\,5693(11) \times 10^{-3}$	
inverse fine-structure constant	$\alpha^{-1}$	137.035 999 084(21)	
Rydberg frequency $\alpha^2 m_e c^2 / (2h)$	$cR_\infty$	$3.289\,841\,960\,2508(64) \times 10^{15}$	Hz
vac. magnetic permeability $4\pi\alpha\hbar/(e^2c)$	$\mu_0$	$1.256\,637\,062\,12(19) \times 10^{-6}$	$\text{N A}^{-2}$
vac. electric permittivity $1/(\mu_0 c^2)$	$\epsilon_0$	$8.854\,187\,8128(13) \times 10^{-12}$	$\text{F m}^{-1}$
electron mass	$m_e$	$9.109\,383\,7015(28) \times 10^{-31}$	kg
proton mass	$m_p$	$1.672\,621\,923\,69(51) \times 10^{-27}$	kg
proton-electron mass ratio	$m_p/m_e$	1836.152 673 43(11)	
reduced Compton wavelength $\hbar/(m_e c)$	$\lambda_C$	$3.861\,592\,6796(12) \times 10^{-13}$	m
Bohr radius $\hbar/(\alpha m_e c)$	$a_0$	$5.291\,772\,109\,03(80) \times 10^{-11}$	m
Bohr magneton $e\hbar/(2m_e)$	$\mu_B$	$9.274\,010\,0783(28) \times 10^{-24}$	$\text{J T}^{-1}$

The number in parentheses is the one-sigma ( $1\sigma$ ) uncertainty in the last two digits of the given value.

