

Convert the figures into the units required.

6 km	=	$6 \times 10^3$	m
54 MN	=	$5.4 \times 10^7$	N
0.086 $\mu$ V	=	$8.6 \times 10^{-8}$	V
753 GPa	=	$7.53 \times 10^{11}$	Pa
23.87 mm/s	=	0.02387	m/s

Convert these figures to suitable prefixed units.

640	GV	=	$640 \times 10^9$	V
0.5	$\mu$ A	=	$0.5 \times 10^{-6}$	A
93.09	Gm	=	$93.09 \times 10^9$	m
3200	kN	=	$32 \times 10^5$	N
2.4	nm	=	$0.024 \times 10^{-7}$	m

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Rearrange each equation into the subject shown in the middle column.

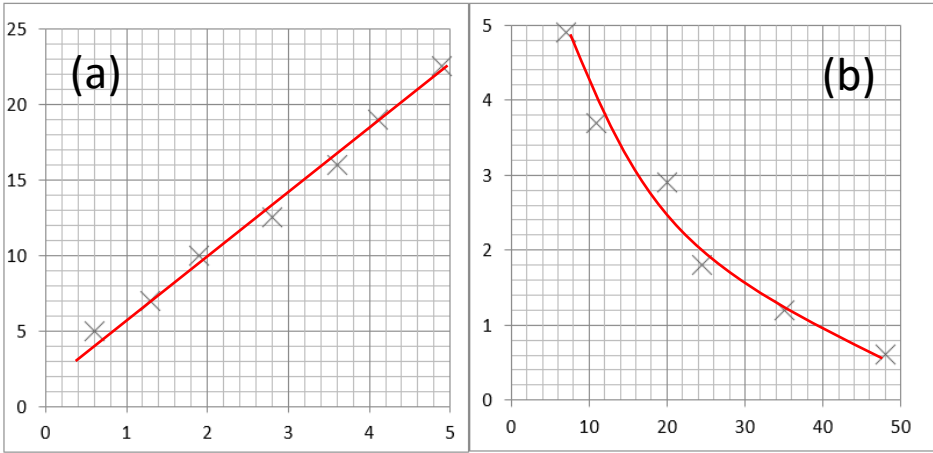
Equation		Rearrange Equation
$V = IR$	$R$	$R = \frac{V}{I}$

Equation		Rearrange Equation
$v^2 = u^2 + 2as$	$s$	$s = \frac{v^2 - u^2}{2a}$

Equation		Rearrange Equation
$pV = kT$	$k$	$k = \frac{pV}{T}$

Equation		Rearrange Equation
$p = h\rho g$	$h$	$h = \frac{p}{\rho g}$

Draw an appropriate line of best fit on each graph. Calculate the gradient of the line for graph (a). Estimate the gradient of graph (b) at  $x=20$

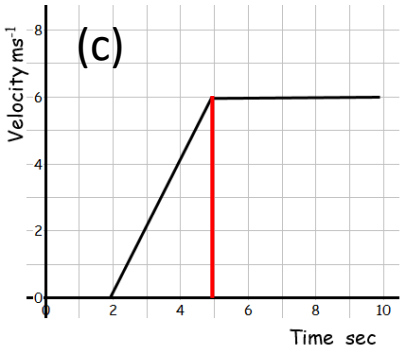


Describe the following types of error:

**Random error** – Different each time.  
Minimise impact by repeating, removing anomalies and calculating mean values  
**Systematic error** – Same each time. Correct by adding or subtracting the same value from each measurement  
**Zero error** – Equipment not reset to zero before use

Calculate the area under graph (c)

Area = triangle + rectangle  
Area =  $(0.5 \times 2 \times 6) + (5 \times 6)$   
Area = 36



Calculate the mean of the values below then write the answer to the appropriate number of significant figures

Value 1	Value 2	Value 3	Mean Value	Uncertainty
1	1	2	1	0.5
435	299	357	364	68
3.038	4.925	3.600	3.854	0.944
0.00040	0.00039	0.00038	0.00038	0.00001

In addition, state the uncertainty in each measurement.