

unified atomic mass unit

Non-SI unit of mass (equal to the atomic mass constant), defined as one twelfth of the mass of a carbon-12 atom in its ground state and used to express masses of atomic particles, $u \approx 1.660\ 5402(10) \times 10^{-27}$ kg.

Source:

Green Book, 2nd ed., p. 75

PAC, 1996, 68, 957 (*Glossary of terms in quantities and units in Clinical Chemistry (IUPAC-IFCC Recommendations 1996)*) on page 997