

TRIGONOMETRIC FUNCTIONS REFERENCE

Standard Wave Properties & Transformations

$$\text{General Form: } y = A \sin(B(x - C)) + D$$

$$y = \sin(x)$$

[Sine Wave Graph: Starts at Origin (0,0)]

Domain:	$(-\infty, \infty)$
Range:	$[-1, 1]$
Period:	2π
Amplitude:	1
Intercept:	$(0, 0)$

$$y = \cos(x)$$

[Cosine Wave Graph: Starts at Max (0,1)]

Domain:	$(-\infty, \infty)$
Range:	$[-1, 1]$
Period:	2π
Amplitude:	1
Intercept:	$(0, 1)$

Transformation Key

 A Amplitude	Vertical stretch/compression (Height of the wave)
B Period Factor	Period = $2\pi / B$ (Horizontal stretch/compression)
C Phase Shift	Horizontal translation (Left/Right movement)
D Vertical Shift	Vertical translation (Midline adjustment)

Common Values (Unit Circle)

Degrees	0	30	45	60	90
Radians	0	$\pi/6$	$\pi/4$	$\pi/3$	$\pi/2$
sin(x)	0	1/2	$\sqrt{2}/2$	$\sqrt{3}/2$	1
cos(x)	1	$\sqrt{3}/2$	$\sqrt{2}/2$	1/2	0

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