

2π

(원주율?)

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Numbers

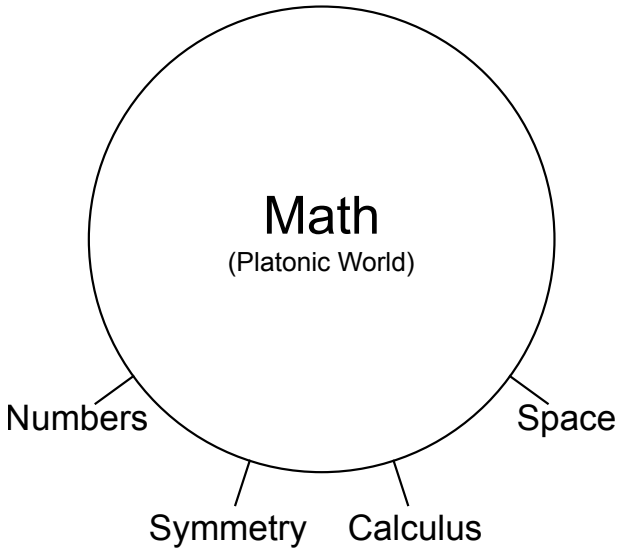


Euclidean Algorithm

Riemann Hypothesis

π, e, γ, i

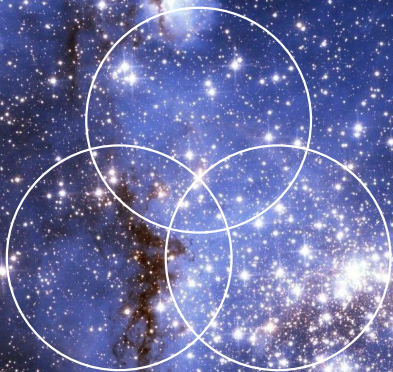
Modular Arithmetic



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K O S M O S

(Project M)



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Eugene Wigner, 1902–1995

The unreasonable efficiency
of mathematics in
science is a gift we
neither understand
nor deserve.

Eugene Wigner



$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-x^2/2}$$



*Surely the population has nothing to do
with the circumference of the circle.*

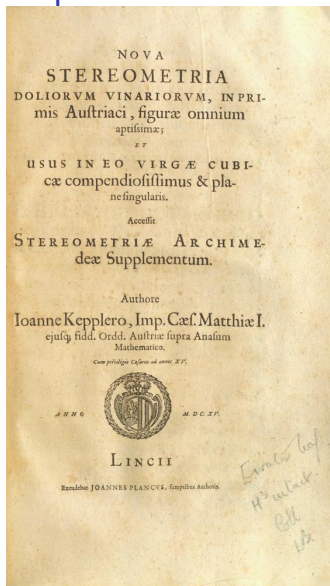
1960, *The Unreasonable Effectiveness of Mathematics in the Natural Sciences*

$$h = 6.62607015 \times 10^{-34} \text{ m}^2 \text{ kg} / \text{ s}$$

$$\hbar = \frac{h}{2\pi}$$

$$\Delta x \cdot \Delta p \geq \frac{1}{2} \hbar \quad (\text{uncertainty principle})$$

J. Kepler

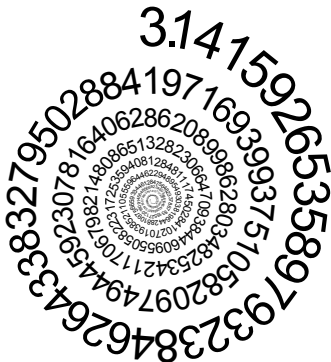


Nova Stereometria Doliorum Vinariorum
(New Solid Geometry of Wine Barrels)

by Kepler, 1615

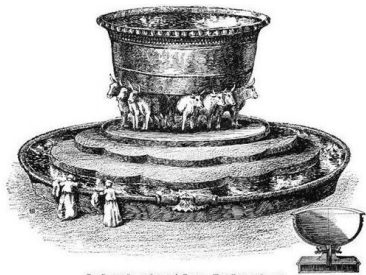
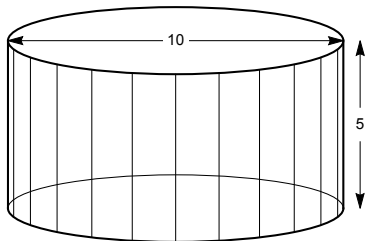
$$(\text{Volume of Revolution}) = \pi \int r^2 ds$$

Odometer & Speedometer



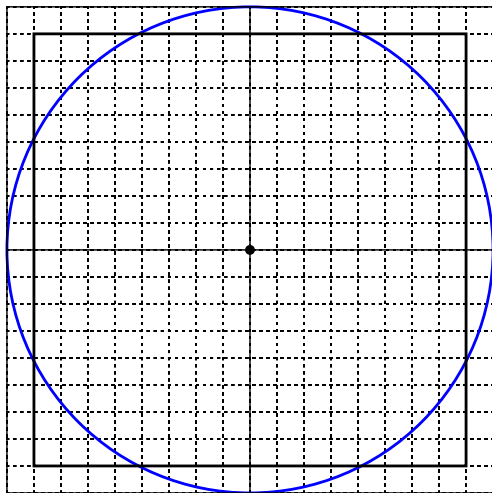
구약성서 열왕기상 (1 King 7:23), 연대기 성경 (2 Chronicles 4:2)

*He made the Sea of cast metal, circular in shape,
(Solomon)
measuring ten cubits from rim to rim and five cubits high.
It took a line of thirty cubits to measure around it.*



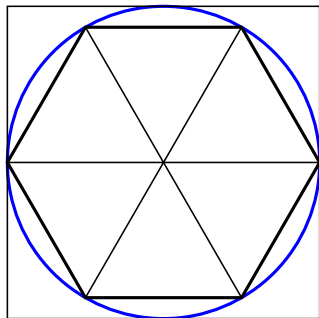
https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Molten_Sea

Ahmes (or Rhind) Papyrus, 1550 BCE



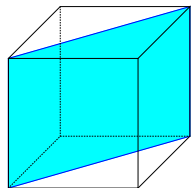
$$4 : \pi \approx 9^2 : 8^2 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \pi \approx \frac{2^8}{3^4} \approx 3.16$$

Archimedes



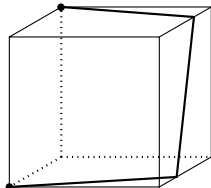
$$6 < 2\pi < 8, \quad (3 < \pi < 4)$$

$$3\frac{10}{71} < \pi < 3\frac{1}{7} = 3.142857$$



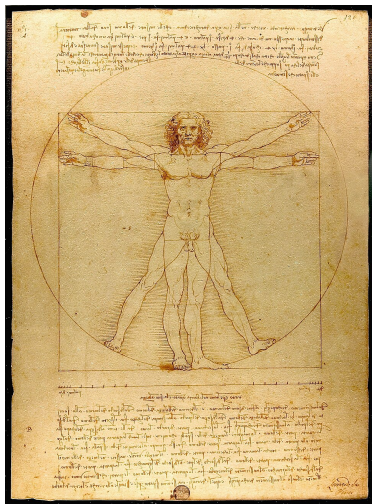
Copy-Paper (A4) in Cube

$$\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{3} \approx 3.14626$$

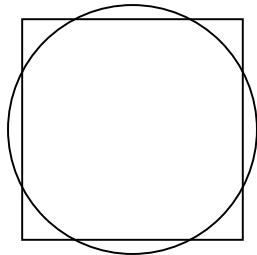


$$\sqrt{10} \approx 3.16228$$

Squaring the Circle Problem



Vitruvian Man by Leonardo da Vinci
(全裸男圖)



- 1882, Lindemann:
 π is transcendental.
- 1925, Alfred Tarski's
Circle Squaring Problem:
Is it possible to take a disc in the plane, cut it into finitely many pieces, and reassemble the pieces so as to get a square of equal area?
- 1990, Miklós Laczkovich, Hungary:
Yes!

Exercise

Show that the disk

$$D := \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| \leq 1\}$$

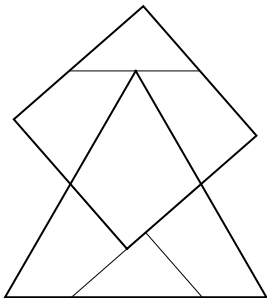
and

$$D_o := \{z \in \mathbb{C} : 0 < |z| < 1\}$$

are equidecomposable.

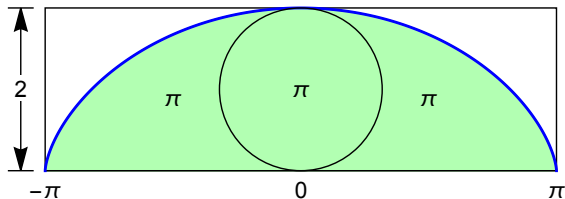
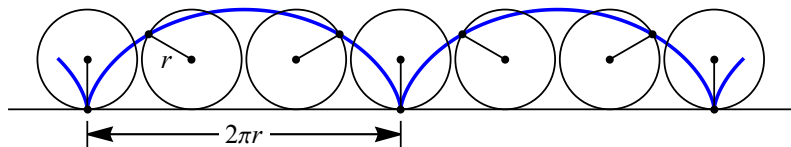
Equidecomposable

Theorem (Wallace 1807, Bolyai 1833, Gerwien 1835):
Any two polygons are equi-decomposable by polygons iff they have the same area.



Theorem (Dehn, 1900): *A tetrahedron and a cube are NOT equi-decomposable by polyhedra.*

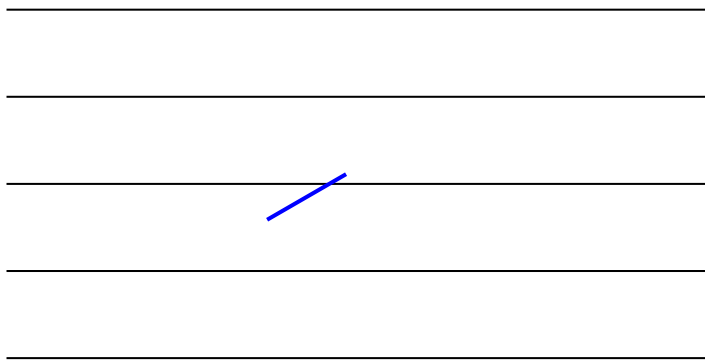
Cycloid, Helen of Geometers



See [Bellos] or [Posamentier and Geretschläger] to find out why the cycloid is called the *Hellen of Geometers*. Cycloid was studied by Dürer, Galileo, Roberval, Torricelli, Pascal, C. Huygens (1629–1695), Newton, Leibniz, Johann Bernoulli etc., and is also called the *apple of discord* [Eves].

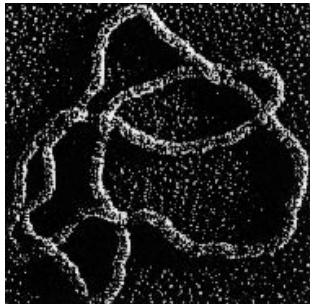
The cycloid is a *tautochrone* and also a *brachistochrone*. Cycloid is a kind of *roulette*, i.e., a curve rolling, without slipping, along another fixed curve.

Buffon's Needle (1707–1788)



$$(\text{Probability of hitting a line}) = \frac{2}{\pi} \approx 64\%$$

DNA 4-plat

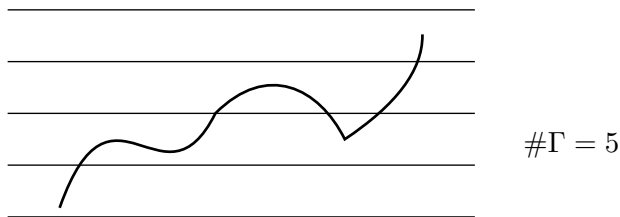


Noodle

Evenly spaced parallel lines are drawn on the plane.

Throw a planar string Γ on the plane.

Let $E(\#\Gamma)$ be the expected number of crossings with the lines.

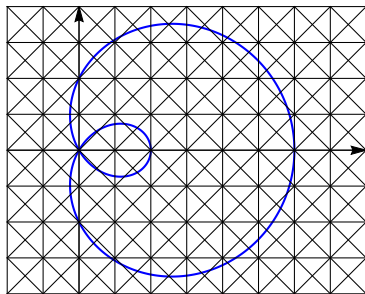
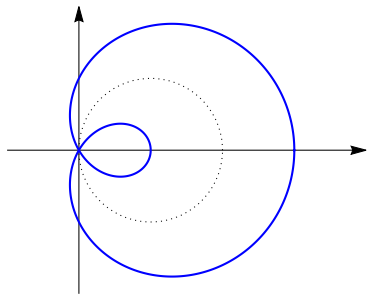


Then the length of Γ with respect to the distance between adjacent lines is

$$L(\Gamma) = \frac{\pi}{2} \times E(\#\Gamma)$$

Corollary: If Γ is an *oval*, then $L(\Gamma) = \pi \cdot E(\text{width } \Gamma)$.

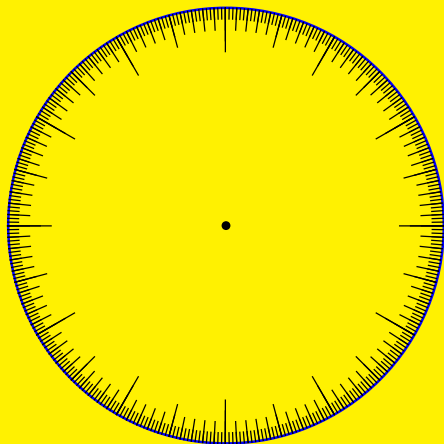
Limaçon



$$r = 2 \cos \theta + 1, \quad L = \int_0^{2\pi} \sqrt{5 + 4 \cos \theta} d\theta$$

Limaçon is often called the limaçon of Étienne Pascal (1588–1651), the father of the famous Blaise Pascal (1623–1662) [Boyer]. But this curve was describe by the German artist Albrecht Dürer (1471–1528) in his four Books on Measurement *Underweysung der Messung mit dem Zirckel und Richtscheyt* (Instructions for Measuring with Compass and Ruler), 1525. Limaçon is a trisectrix and a kind of *conchoid* of Nicomedes (c. 200 BCE) with respect to a circle and a point on the circle.

Angles and Time



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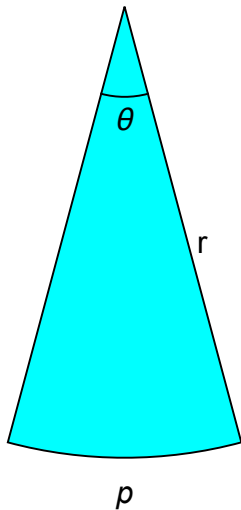
Construct 3° , and discuss cyclotomy!

Radar

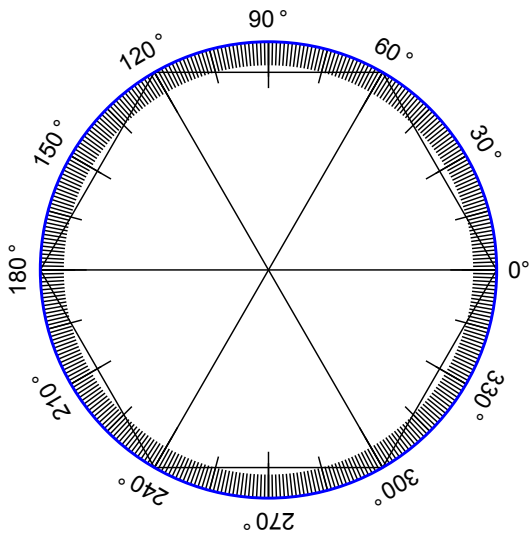


What is the measure of an angle?

$$\theta = \frac{p}{r}$$



Sexagesimal System



(Sun \approx Moon $\approx 0.5^\circ$)

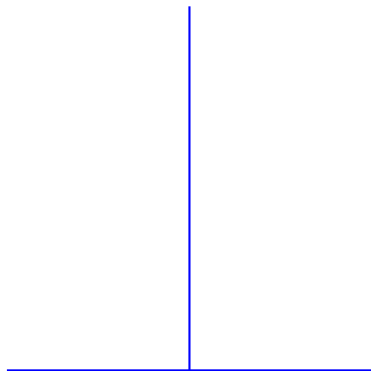
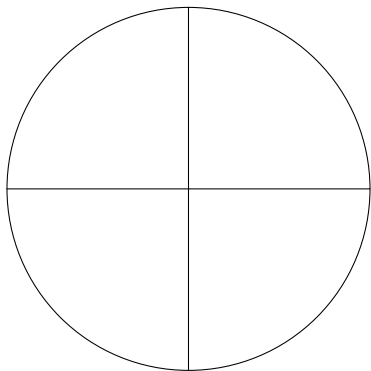


Obelisk



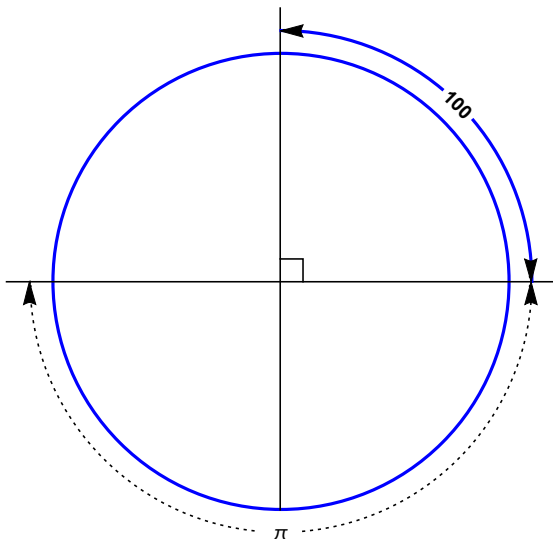
용인 세종박물관

Euclid, 기원전 3세기



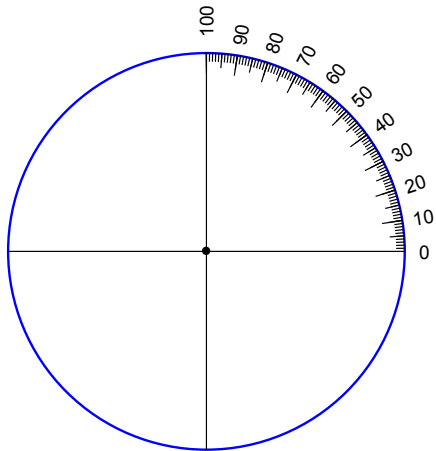
$$360^\circ = 4 \perp = 4 \angle R = \tau, \quad \perp = \angle R = 90^\circ$$

French Revolution: $4 \angle R = 400^{\text{grad}}$



Q: 직각이나 평각이 각의 기준으로 적합한가?

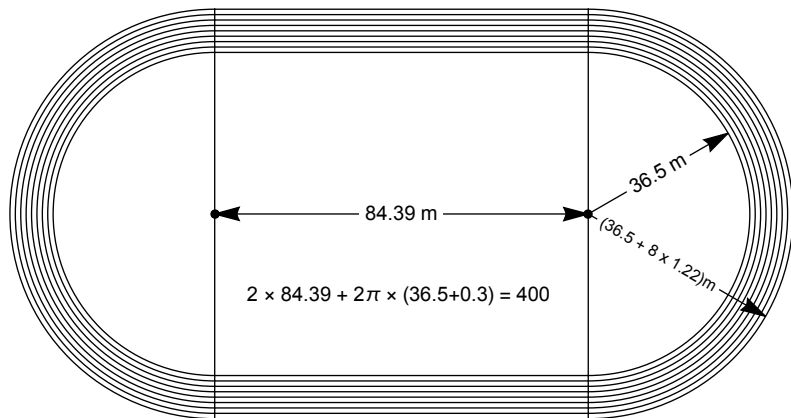
지구, 표준길이(1m), 십진법



$$\angle R = 100^{\text{grad}} = 10^7 \text{ m} = 10^4 \text{ km}, \quad 1^{\text{grad}} = 100 \text{ km}$$

π and the track

Why is the length of the standard international athletic track 400 m?



1 mile = 1609.344 m, $\frac{1}{4}$ mile \approx 400 m

Classes of functions

$$\mathcal{C}^0 = \{f \mid f \text{ is a continuous function}\}$$

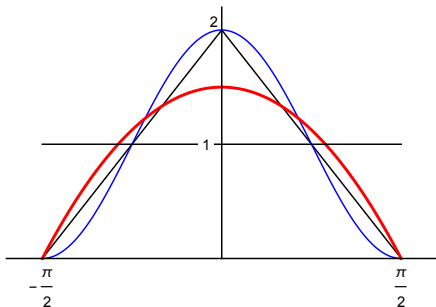
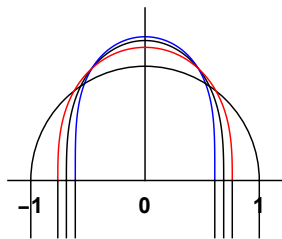
$$\mathcal{C}^1 = \{f \mid f' \in \mathcal{C}^0\}, \quad \mathcal{C}^2 = \{f \mid f' \in \mathcal{C}^1\}, \quad \dots$$

$$\mathcal{C}^{n+1} = \{f \mid f' \in \mathcal{C}^n\} \quad (n = 0, 1, 2, \dots)$$

$$\mathcal{C}^0 \supset \mathcal{C}^1 \supset \mathcal{C}^2 \supset \dots \supset \mathcal{C}^\infty \supset \mathcal{C}^\omega$$

Engineers must consider \mathcal{C}^2 construction.

$\mathcal{C}^1, \mathcal{C}^2, \mathcal{C}^3$ curves for track



Curves γ of the same length:

γ_0 , \mathcal{C}^1 , semicircle

γ_1 (red), γ_2 , \mathcal{C}^2

γ_3 (blue), \mathcal{C}^3

Curvatures of γ :

$$\kappa_0(s) = 1$$

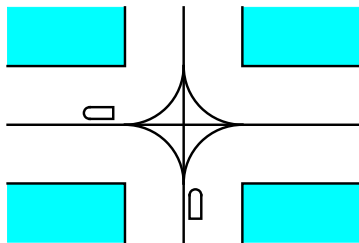
$$\kappa_1(s) = \frac{3}{2} - \frac{6}{\pi^2}s^2, \quad \kappa_2(s) = 2 - \frac{4}{\pi}|s|$$

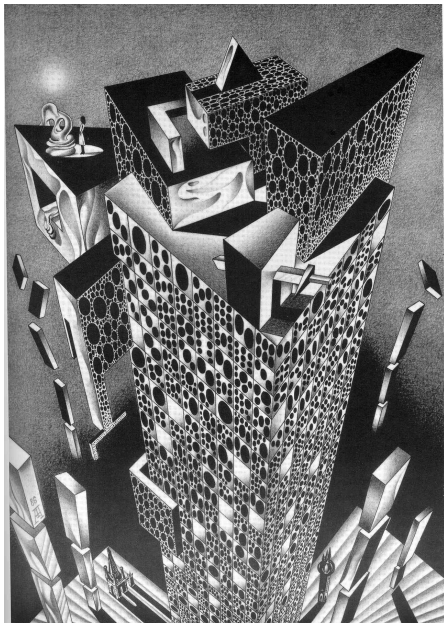
$$\kappa_3(s) = 1 + \cos 2s$$

The natural parameter $s \in [-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}]$ represents the arclength.

The integral of κ is π , the directional deviation of γ .

Traffic lanes and Roller coaster





π and e by Anatoly Fomenko (1945 –)