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Mestrius Plutarchus (Plutarch)

"The mind is not a vessel to be filled but a fire to be kindled."

Albert Einstein

“Anyone who has never made a mistake has never tried anything new.”

“Example isn't another way to teach, it is the only way to teach.”

“It is a miracle that curiosity survives formal education.”

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Construction Methods

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Pin and String Method

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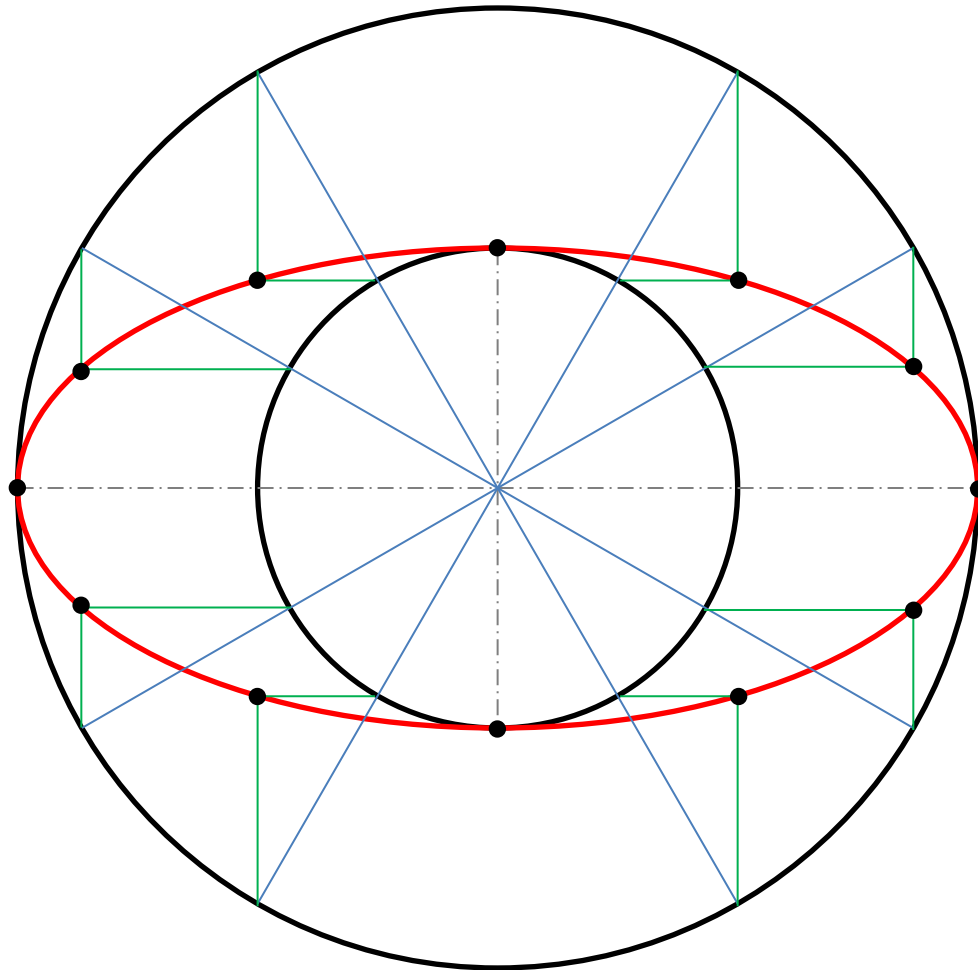
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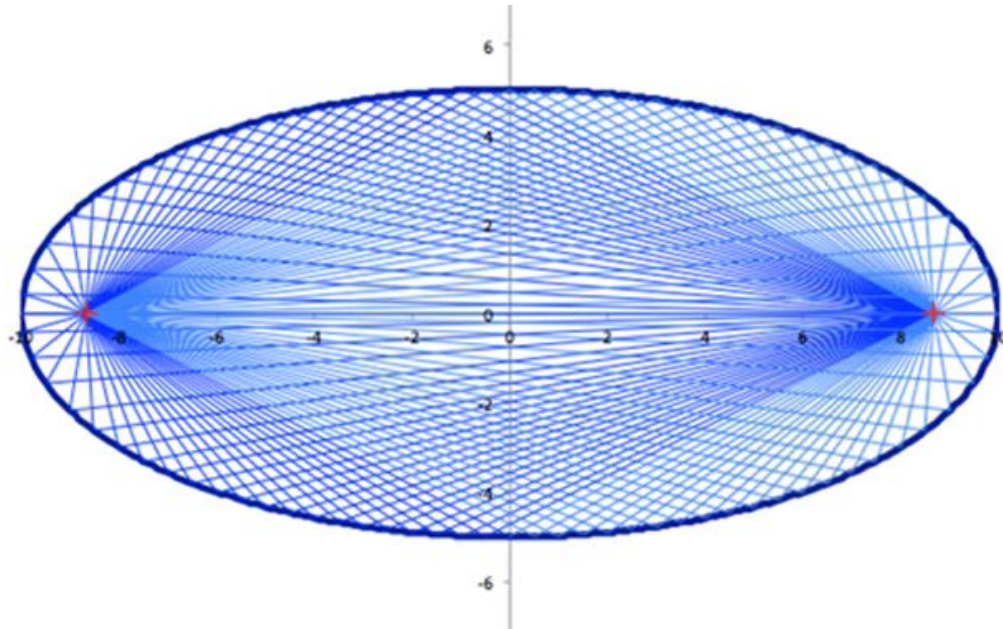
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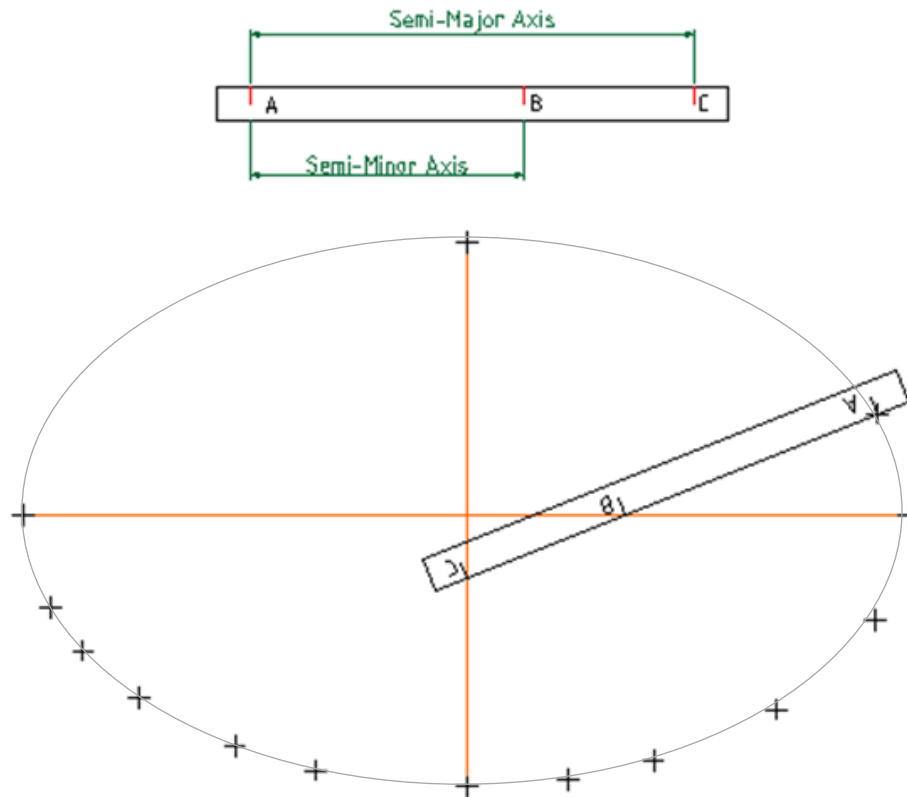
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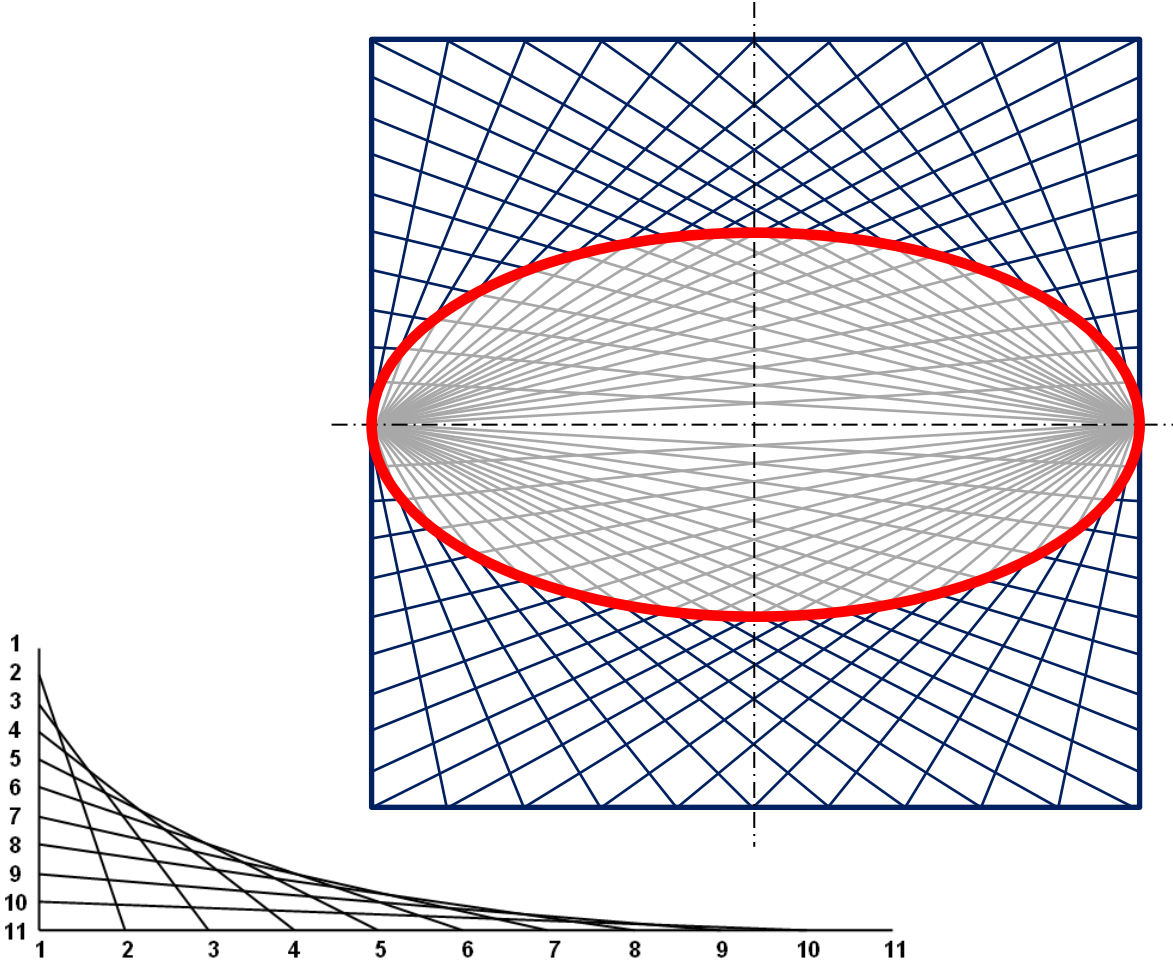
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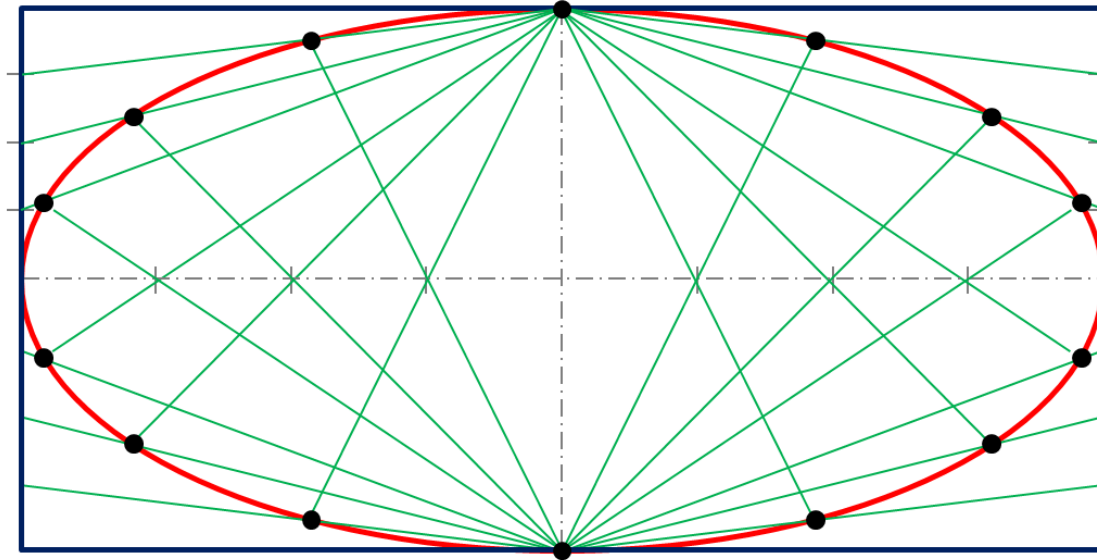
Parallelogram Method



See also P. Grodzinski *Investigations on Shaft Fillets* 1941 Engineering (London), Volume 152, 1941, pp. 321-331
Streamlined Fillets by Grodzinski ... *Peterson's Stress Concentration Factors* by Walter D. Pilkey Figure 3.8, page 142

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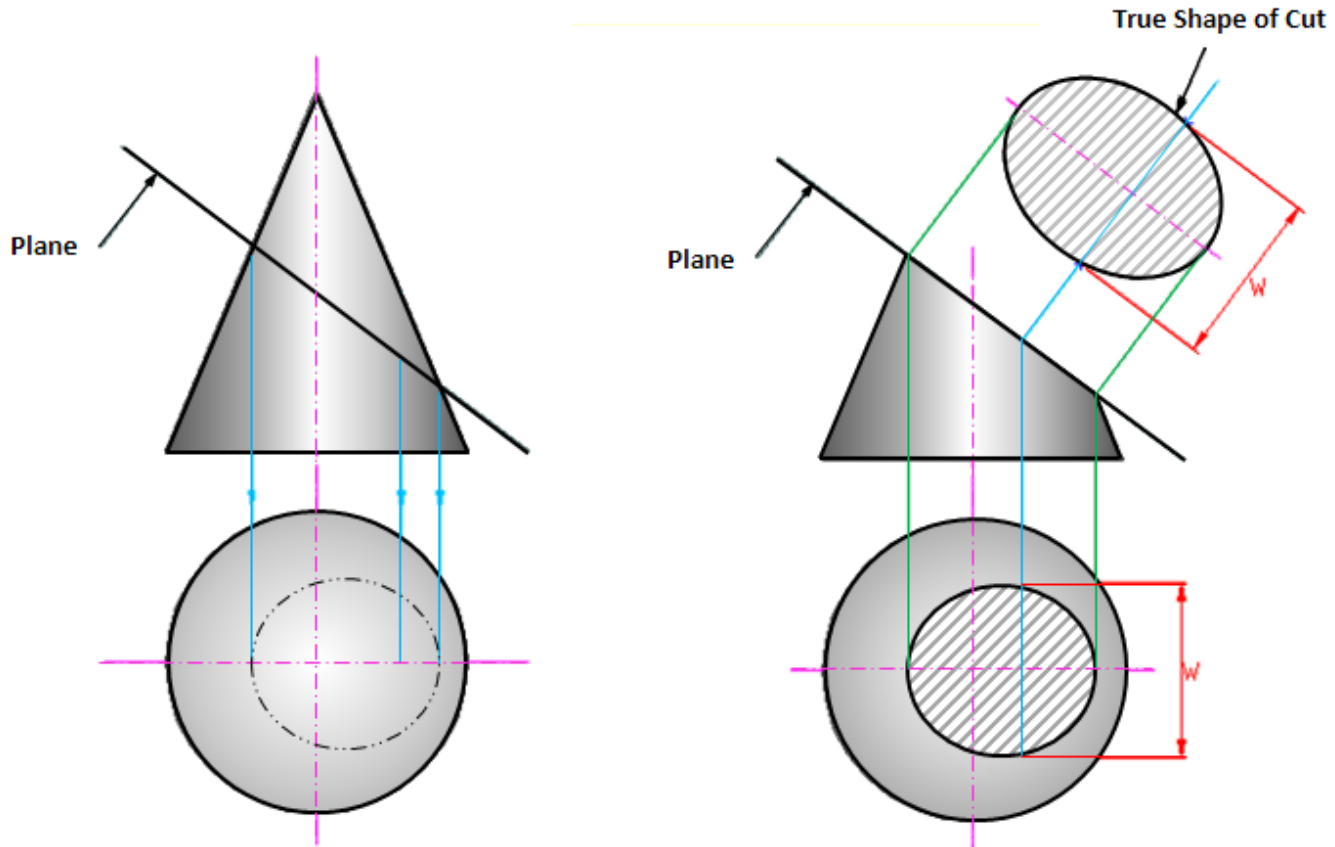


Is this another name for the Parallelogram Method ?

Thanks to Anthony Rynne University of Limerick <http://www3.ul.ie/~rynnnet/swconics/SE.htm>

Construction Methods

Plane Cutting a Cone Method



Eccentricity

$$\varepsilon = \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^2}$$

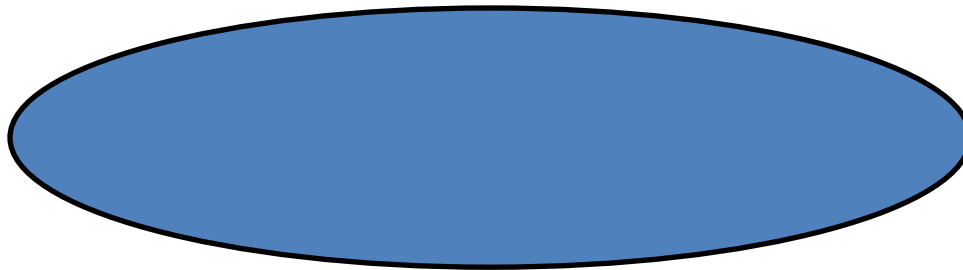
Haley's Comet

$a = 17.8 \text{ AU}$ $b = 4.8 \text{ AU}$

$1 \text{ AU} = 149,597,870,700 \text{ meters}$

Aspect Ratio, $b / a \approx 0.27$

Eccentricity ≈ 0.963



Eccentricity

Colosseum

Approx 189 m x 156 m

Many believe the Colosseum is actually an ovoid.

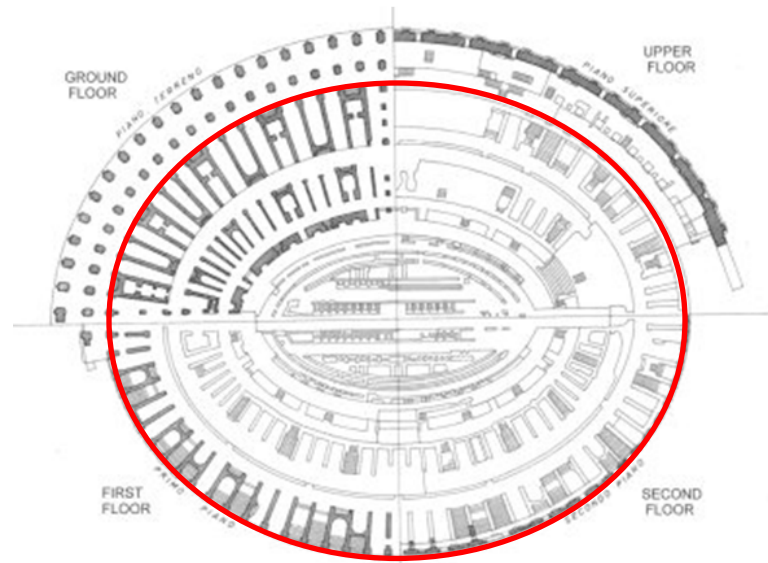
Aspect Ratio, $b / a = 0.825$

Eccentricity ≈ 0.565

The Amphitheatre Construction Problem

<http://users.cs.cf.ac.uk/Paul.Rosin/resources/papers/amphitheatre2.pdf>

"... the *parallels of an ellipse ... are actually eighth order polynomials containing 104 coefficients!*"



Thanks to <http://www.the-colosseum.net/architecture/ellipsis.htm>

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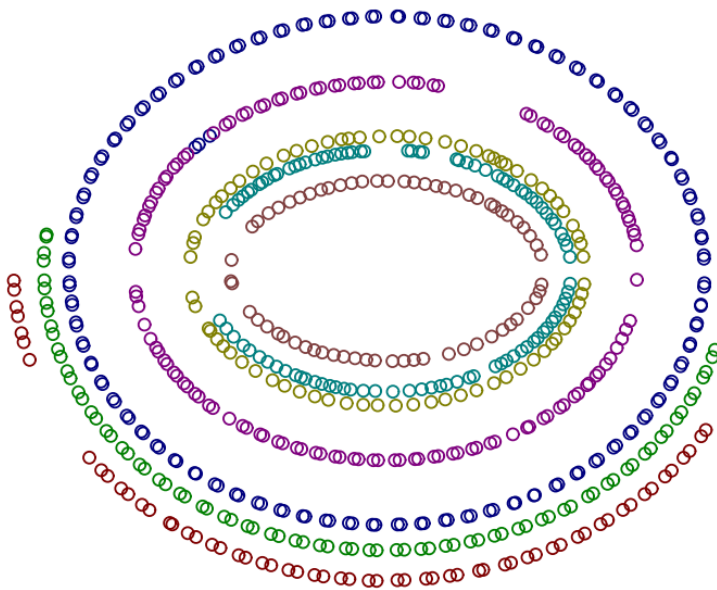
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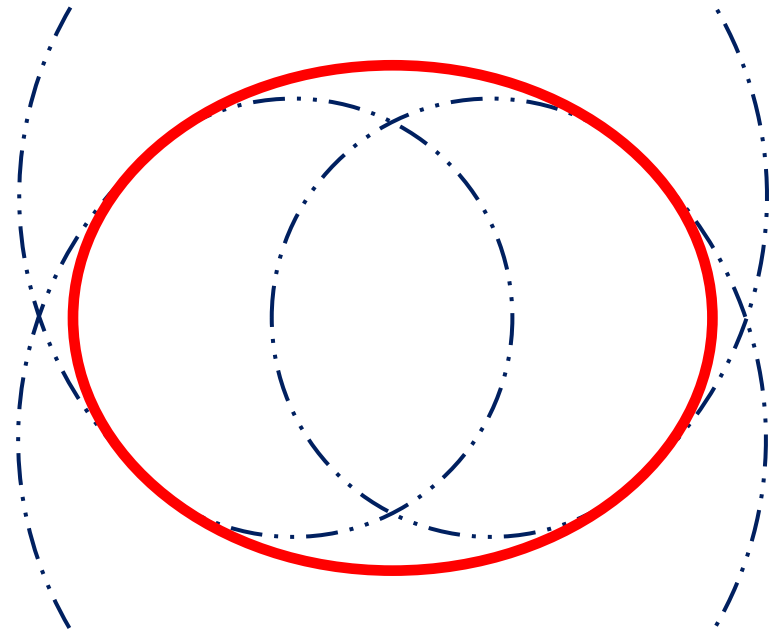
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Paul Rosin "... the parallels of an ellipse ... are actually eighth order polynomials containing 104 coefficients [13]!"

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Measured Data from the Colosseum



Four – Centered Oval

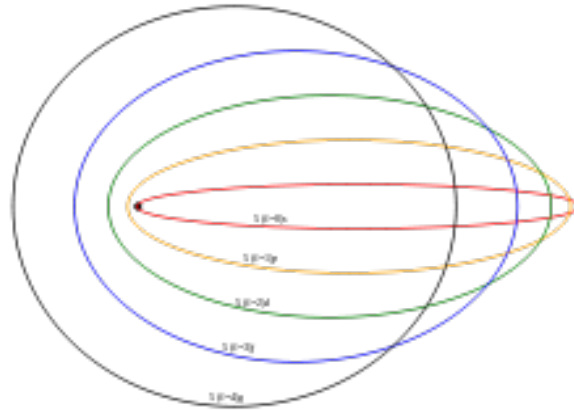
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Applications

Elliptical Orbits

Quantum Theory



Elliptic Orbits with the Same Energy and Quantized Angular Momentum

Several enhancements to the Bohr model were proposed; most notably the Sommerfeld model or Bohr–Sommerfeld model, which suggested that electrons travel in elliptical orbits around a nucleus instead of the Bohr model's circular orbits.

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Bohr_model

Elliptic Curve Cryptography

Elliptic curve cryptography (ECC) is an approach to public-key cryptography based on the algebraic structure of elliptic curves over finite fields. The use of elliptic curves in cryptography was suggested independently by Neal Koblitz[1] and Victor S. Miller[2] in 1985.

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Applications

Ring Doublers

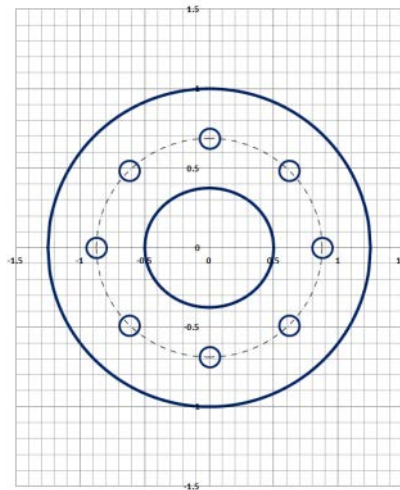
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Computer Aided Design allows us to create parallel offsets using splines and calculates the equal spacing for the fasteners.

Rules of Thumb for Structural Design

M. L. Hand's Rule of Thumb

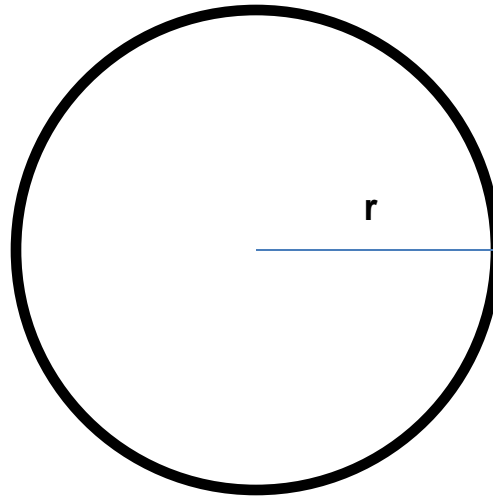
*When designing doublers, (reinforcements around openings in a shell) an approximate sizing guide is to replace the removed material. In highly loaded structures or where fatigue is a concern, more reinforcement may be required. I've been told that **replacing three times the removed material is the norm for commercial aircraft.***



Ring Doubler with Equal Fastener Spacing

Circle

$$(x - a)^2 + (y - b)^2 = r^2$$

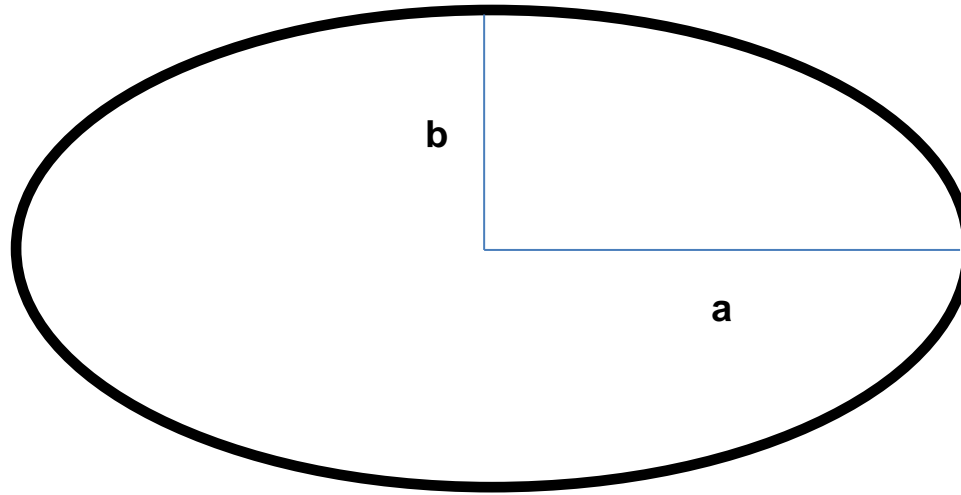


$$\text{Area} = \pi r^2$$

$$\text{Circumference} = 2 \pi r$$

Ellipse

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$



$$\text{Area} = \pi a b$$

$$\text{Perimeter} = ?$$

Ellipse Perimeter

Perimeter

$$P = 4 a \int_0^{\pi/2} \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{a^2 - b^2}{a^2} \right) \sin^2 \theta} d\theta$$

or

$$P = 4 a \int_0^{\pi/2} \sqrt{1 - \varepsilon^2 \sin^2 \theta} d\theta$$

Eccentricity

$$\varepsilon = \sqrt{\frac{a^2 - b^2}{a^2}} = \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{b}{a} \right)^2}$$

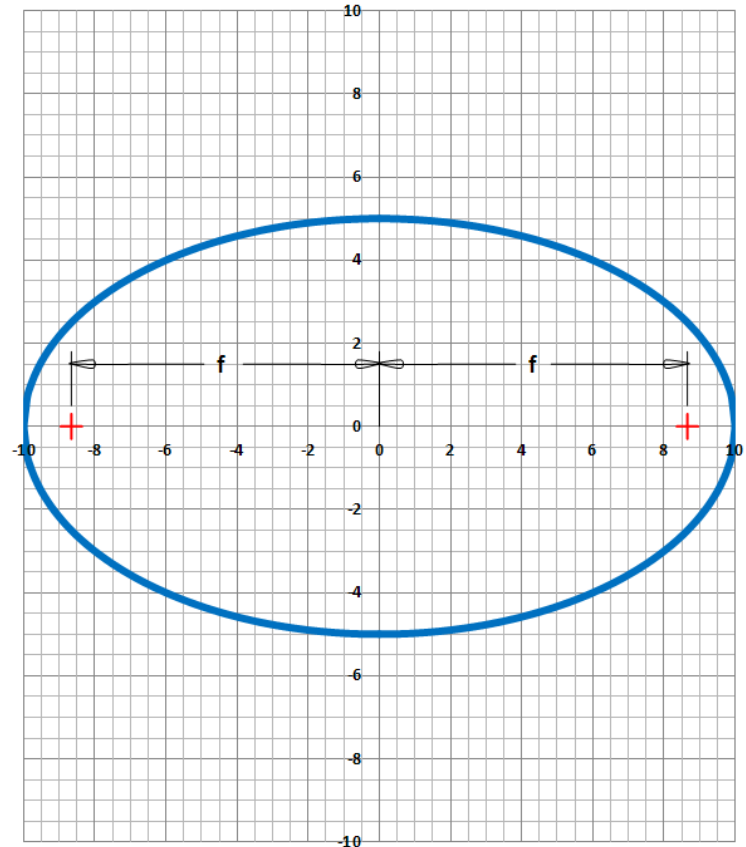
Ellipse

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$

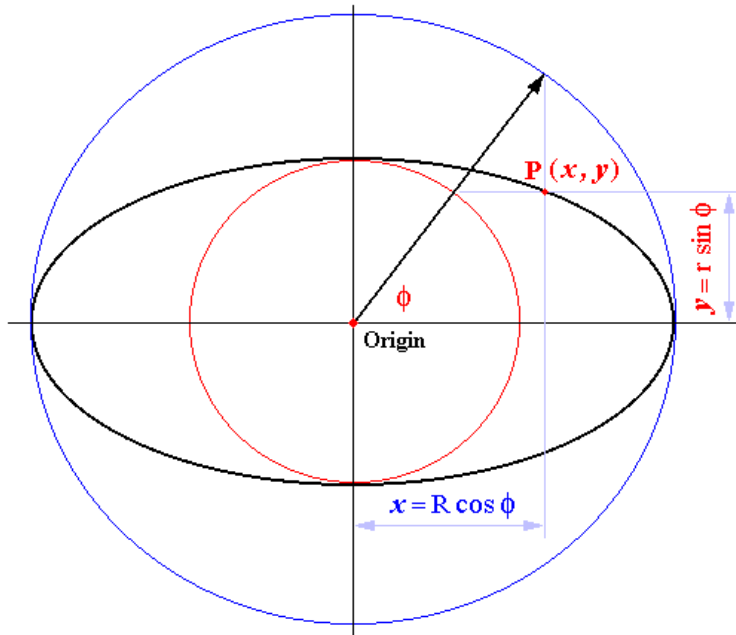
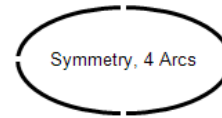
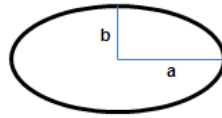
$$f = \sqrt{a^2 - b^2}$$

$$h = \frac{(a - b)^2}{(a + b)^2}$$

$$\varepsilon = \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^2} = \frac{f}{a}$$



Derivation of the Arc Length of an Ellipse



Eccentricity, ϵ

$$\epsilon = \sqrt{\frac{a^2 - b^2}{a^2}} = \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^2}$$

Equation of an Ellipse

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$

Parametric Equations

$$x = a \sin \theta \quad y = b \cos \theta$$

$$\frac{dx}{d\theta} = a \cos \theta \quad \frac{dy}{d\theta} = -b \sin \theta$$

Circumference

$$C = \int_0^{2\pi} \sqrt{a^2 \cos^2 \theta + b^2 \sin^2 \theta} \, d\theta$$

Symmetry

$$C = 4 \int_0^{\pi/2} \sqrt{a^2 \cos^2 \theta + b^2 \sin^2 \theta} \, d\theta$$

Substitution

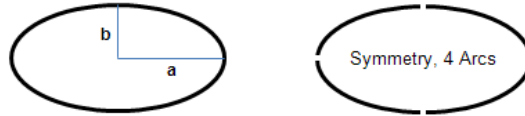
$\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = 1$ Substitute $\cos^2 \theta = (1 - \sin^2 \theta)$ and eccentricity, ϵ

$$C = 4a \int_0^{\pi/2} \sqrt{1 - \epsilon^2 \sin^2 \theta} \, d\theta = 4a E(\pi/2, \epsilon)$$

Thanks to <http://www.codeproject.com/Articles/566614/Elliptic-integrals>

Solve for One Arc Length and Multiply by Four

Step 1 There are four arcs due to symmetry. Solve for one arc length.



Step 2 Calculate the Aspect Ratio, b / a

Step 3 Calculate the Eccentricity, ε
$$\varepsilon = \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^2}$$

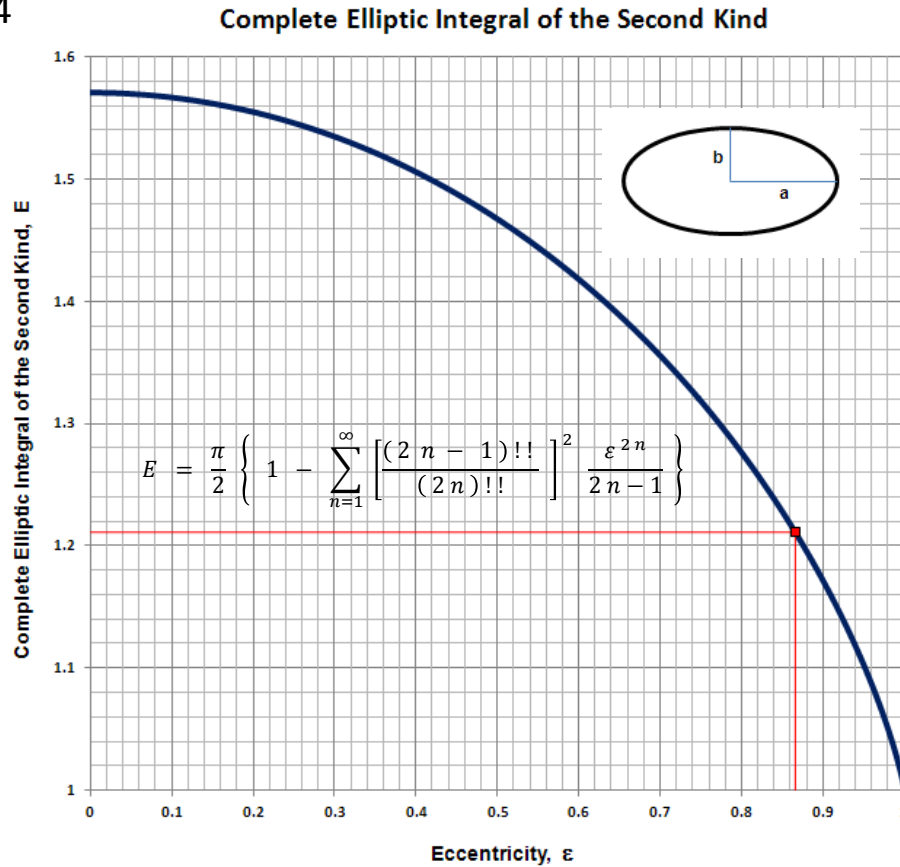
Step 4 Determine the Complete Elliptic Integral of the Second Kind for ε .

Step 5 Arc Length
$$\text{Arc Length} = a \int_0^{\pi/2} \sqrt{1 - \varepsilon^2 \sin^2 \theta} d\theta$$

Step 6 Multiply by 4.
$$P = 4 a \int_0^{\pi/2} \sqrt{1 - \varepsilon^2 \sin^2 \theta} d\theta$$

Complete Elliptic Integral of the Second Kind

Step 4



b/a	ε	$E[\pi/2, \varepsilon]$
0	1	1
0.05	0.99874922	1.00553186
0.10	0.99498744	1.01611306
0.15	0.98868600	1.03153564
0.20	0.97979590	1.05050268
0.25	0.96824584	1.07230273
0.30	0.95393920	1.09647752
0.35	0.93674970	1.12268489
0.40	0.91651514	1.15065563
0.45	0.89302855	1.18017231
0.50	0.86602540	1.21105603
0.55	0.83516465	1.24315735
0.60	0.8	1.27634994
0.65	0.75993421	1.31052590
0.70	0.71414284	1.34559225
0.75	0.66143783	1.38146826
0.80	0.6	1.41808339
0.85	0.52678269	1.45537562
0.90	0.43588989	1.49329011
0.95	0.31224990	1.53177816
1	0	1.57079633

For Aspect Ratio

Eccentricity

Complete Elliptic Integral

$$\frac{b}{a} = 0.50$$

$$\varepsilon = 0.8660254$$

$$E[\pi/2, \varepsilon] = 1.21105603$$

Complete Elliptic Integrals

First Kind

$$K[\pi/2, k] = \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - k^2 \sin^2 \theta}} d\theta$$

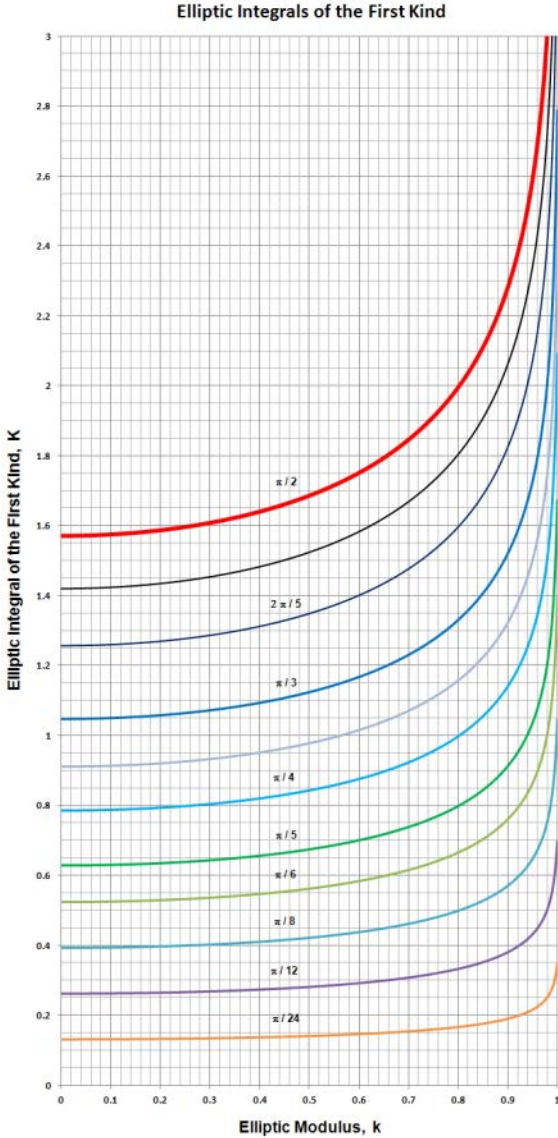
Second Kind

$$E[\pi/2, \varepsilon] = \int_0^{\pi/2} \sqrt{1 - \varepsilon^2 \sin^2 \theta} d\theta$$

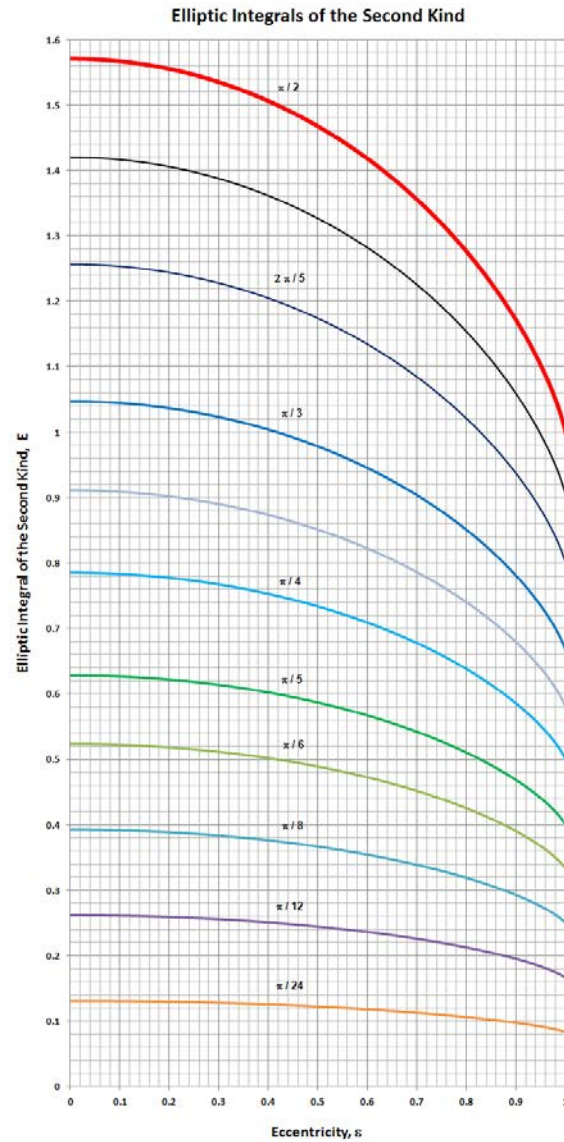
Third Kind

$$\Pi[n; \pi/2 | k] = \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{1}{(1 - n \sin^2 \theta) \sqrt{1 - k^2 \sin^2 \theta}} d\theta$$

Incomplete Elliptic Integrals of the First Kind



Incomplete Elliptic Integrals of the Second Kind



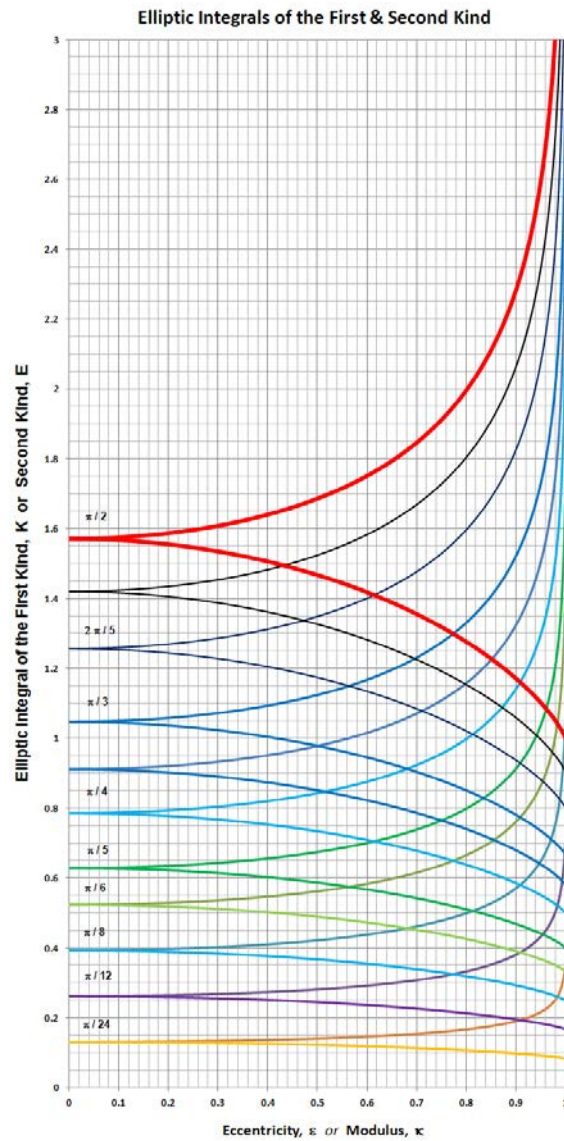
Quote

Bertrand Russell

“Mathematics, rightly viewed, possesses not only truth, but supreme beauty – a beauty cold and austere, like that of sculpture, without appeal to any part of our weaker nature, without the gorgeous trappings of painting or music, yet sublimely pure, and capable of a stern perfection such as only the greatest art can show. The true spirit of delight, the exaltation, the sense of being more than Man, which is the touchstone of the highest excellence, is to be found in mathematics as surely as poetry.”

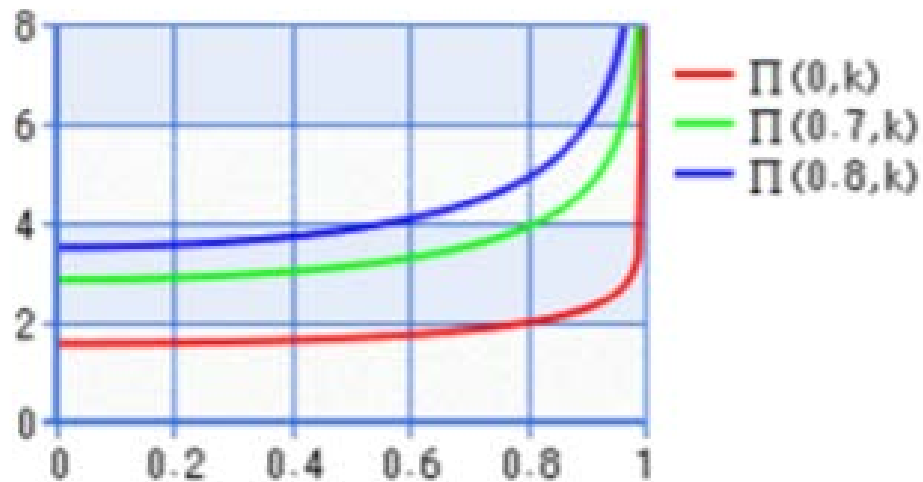
Elliptic Integrals of the First & Second Kind

Fine Art



Incomplete Elliptic Integrals of the Third Kind

$$\Pi [n ; \pi/2 | k] = \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{1}{(1 - n \sin^2 \theta) \sqrt{1 - k^2 \sin^2 \theta}} d\theta$$



Complete Elliptic Integral of the First Kind – Pendulum Period

INPUT

L 37.780 inches
 θ_0 30 degrees

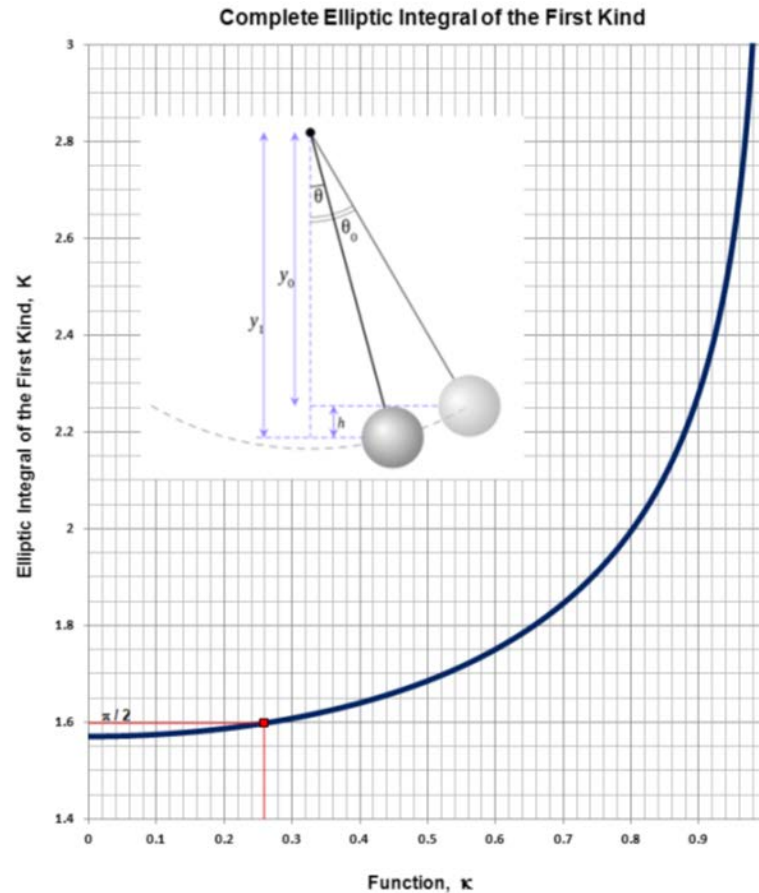
DATA

Σ 1.0174088
 $\theta_0/2$ 15 degrees
 $\sin(\theta_0/2)$ 0.2588
 k 0.2588

OUTPUT

K 1.598
 T_{\approx} 2.000 seconds
 T_{\approx} 1.965 seconds

Length	L	37.780	inch
Angle	θ	30	degrees
Gravity	g	32.174	ft / sec ²
Gravity	g	386.088	inch / sec ²
Period	T	2.000	seconds
Approximate	T	1.965	seconds
Frequency	f	0.500	cycles / second
Approximate	f	0.509	cycles / second



$$T \approx 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{L}{g}}$$

$$T = 4 \sqrt{\frac{L}{g}} \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{d\phi}{\sqrt{1 - k^2 \sin^2 \phi}} = 4 \sqrt{\frac{L}{g}} K(\pi/2, k)$$

Pendulum Period Error

θ	T/T_0	$T/T_0 - 1$
0	1	0%
5	1.00048	0.048%
10	1.00191	0.191%
15	1.0043	0.430%
20	1.0077	0.767%
25	1.0120	1.203%
30	1.0174	1.741%
35	1.0238	2.383%
40	1.0313	3.134%
45	1.0400	3.997%
50	1.0498	4.978%
55	1.0608	6.083%
60	1.0732	7.318%
65	1.0869	8.692%
70	1.1021	10.214%
75	1.1190	11.896%
80	1.1375	13.749%
85	1.1579	15.789%
90	1.1803	18.034%

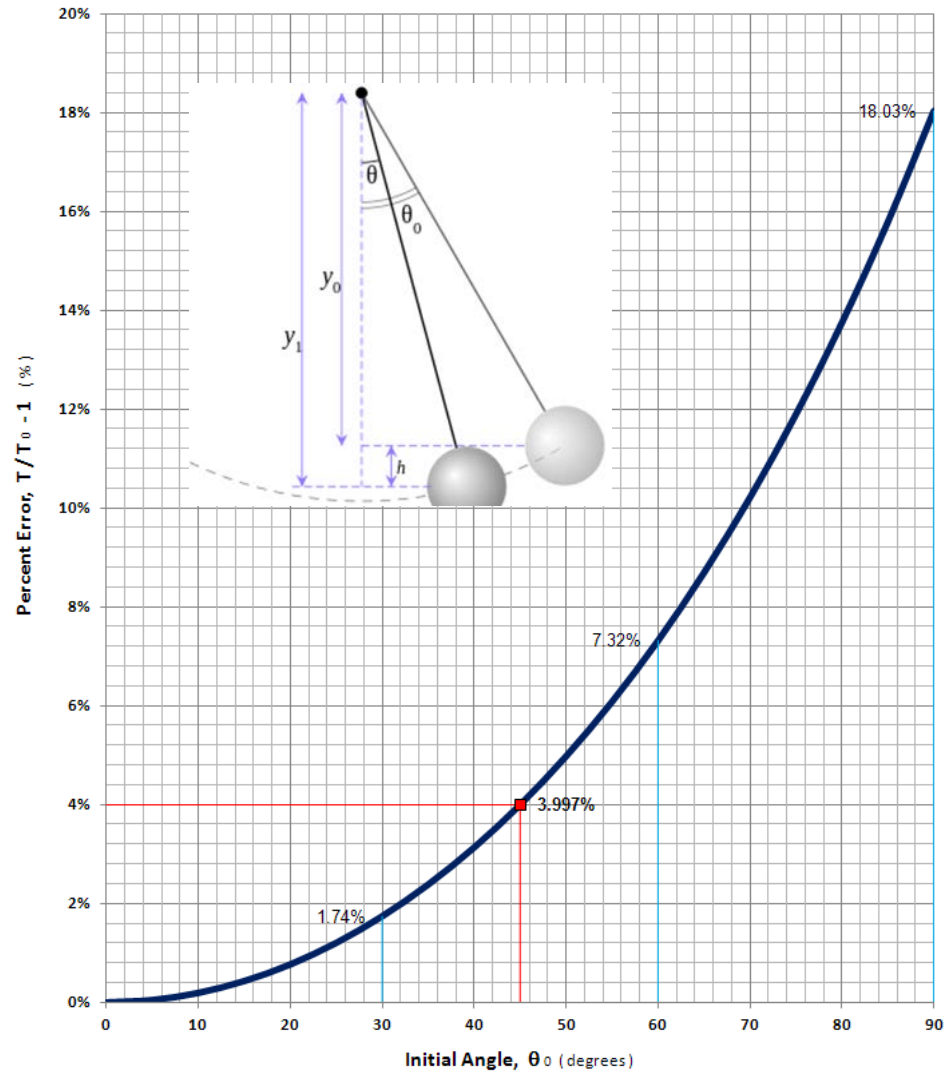


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Complete Elliptic Integrals

The value of the **Complete Elliptic Integral of the First Kind** at $k = 0$ is ... $\pi / 2$

The value of the **Complete Elliptic Integral of the Second Kind** at $\varepsilon = 0$ is ... $\pi / 2$

For Eccentricity, $\varepsilon = 0$, the Aspect Ratio, $b / a = 1$ and the Ellipse is a Circle with Circumference, $C = 2 \pi r$

When $a = b$, the ratio $b / a = 1$ and the Complete Elliptic Integral of the Second Kind, $E [\pi / 2, 0] = \pi / 2$

$$P = 4 a \int_0^{\pi/2} \sqrt{1 - \varepsilon^2 \sin^2 \theta} d\theta = 4 a (\pi/2) = 2 \pi a$$

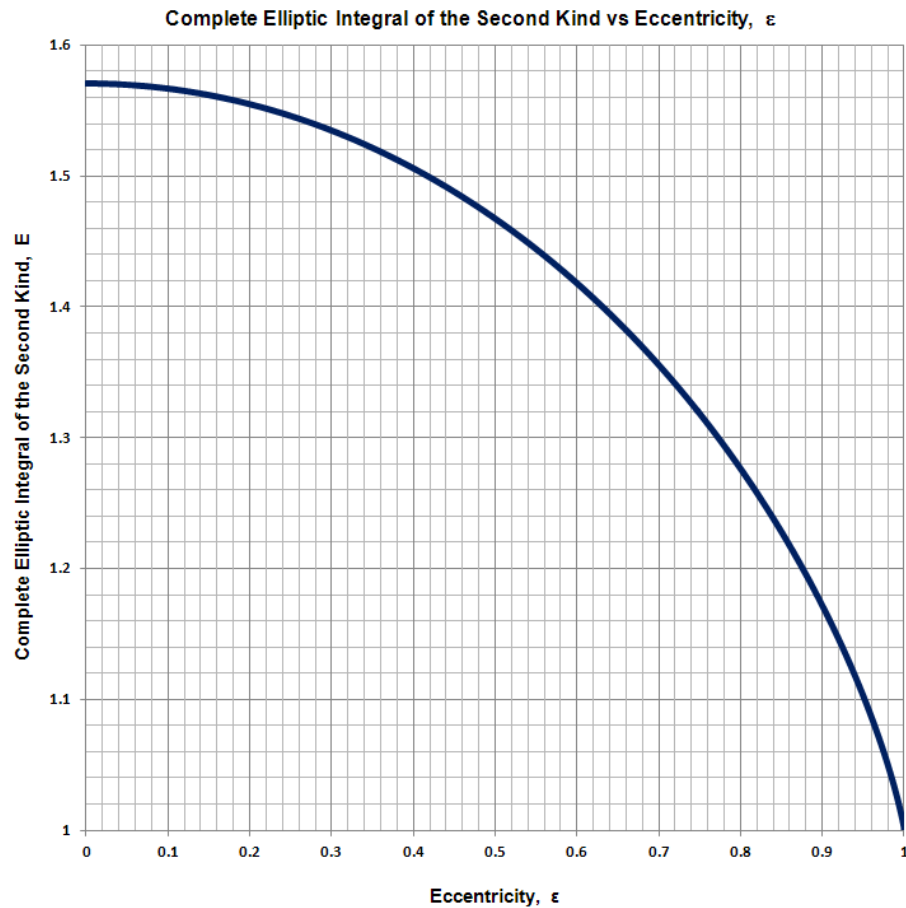
When $b / a = 0$, $\varepsilon = 1$ and the Complete Elliptic Integral of the Second Kind, $E [\pi / 2, 1] = 1$

$$P = 4 a \int_0^{\pi/2} \sqrt{1 - \varepsilon^2 \sin^2 \theta} d\theta = 4 a (1) = 4 a$$

The value of the **Complete Elliptic Integral of the Third Kind** at the $k = 0$ is ... $\pi / 2$

Complete Elliptic Integral of the Second Kind

$$E[\pi/2, \varepsilon] = \int_0^{\pi/2} \sqrt{1 - \varepsilon^2 \sin^2 \theta} \, d\theta$$



Complete Elliptic Integral of the Second Kind

INPUT

a 10 units

b 5 units

DATA

b/a 0.5

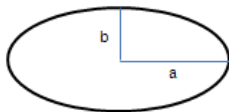
ε 0.8660254

1 - Σ 0.77098221

OUTPUT

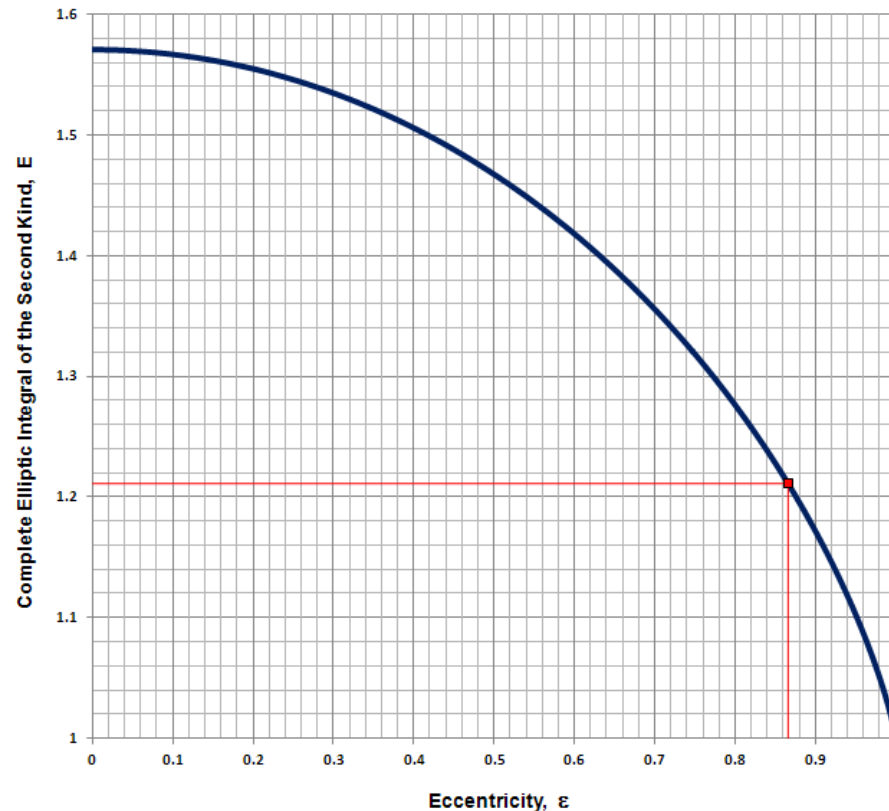
E 1.21105603

P 48.4422411 units



$$P = 4 a E[\pi/2, \varepsilon] = 4 a \int_0^{\pi/2} \sqrt{1 - \varepsilon^2 \sin^2 \theta} d\theta \quad E \approx \left[A + B \left(\frac{b}{a} \right)^C \right]^{-1/D} + Offset$$

Complete Elliptic Integral of the Second Kind



$$P = 4 a E[\pi/2, \varepsilon] = 4 (10.00 \text{ inch}) 1.21105603 = 48.4422 \text{ inch}$$

Exact Expressions – Ellipse Perimeter

Colin Maclaurin 1742

$$P = 2 \pi a \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left\{ \binom{-1}{2n-1} \left[\frac{(2n)!}{(2^n n!)^2} \right]^2 e^{2n} \right\}$$

Leonhard Euler 1773

$$P = \pi \sqrt{2(a^2 + b^2)} \left\{ 1 - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[\left(\frac{\delta}{16} \right)^n (4n-3)!! / (n!)^2 \right] \right\}$$

$$\delta = \left[\frac{(a^2 - b^2)}{(a^2 + b^2)} \right]^2$$

James Ivory 1796

$$P = 4 a E [\pi/2, \varepsilon]$$

$$E = \frac{\pi}{2} \left\{ 1 - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[\frac{(2n-1)!!}{(2n)!!} \right]^2 \frac{\varepsilon^{2n}}{2n-1} \right\}$$

Arthur Cayley 1876

$$\text{Perimeter} = 4 a \left\{ 1 + \left(\frac{x}{4} \right) \left[\ln \left(\frac{16}{x} \right) - 1 \right] + \left(\frac{3 x^2}{32} \right) \left[\ln \left(\frac{16}{x} \right) - \frac{13}{6} \right] \right.$$

$$\left. + \left(\frac{15 x^3}{256} \right) \left[\ln \left(\frac{16}{x} \right) - \frac{12}{5} \right] + \left(\frac{175 x^4}{4,096} \right) \left[\ln \left(\frac{16}{x} \right) - \frac{1,051}{420} \right] + \dots \right\}$$

Colin Maclaurin

$$Perimeter = 2 \pi a \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left\{ \left(\frac{-1}{2n-1} \right) \left[\frac{(2n)!}{(2^n n!)^2} \right]^2 e^{2n} \right\}$$

Example: For $a = 10$ inch $b = 5$ inch $b/a = 0.50$ Eccentricity, $e = 0.866$

n	2n	2n - 1	-1/2n - 1	$\left[\frac{(2n)!}{(2^n n!)^2} \right]^2$	$\frac{-1}{2n-1} \left[\frac{(2n)!}{(2^n n!)^2} \right]^2 e^{2n}$
0	0	-1	1	1	1
1	2	1	-1	0.25	-0.1875
2	4	3	-0.3333333333	0.140625	-0.026367188
3	6	5	-0.2	0.09765625	-0.008239746
4	8	7	-0.142857143	0.074768066	-0.003379583
5	10	9	-0.1111111111	0.060562134	-0.001596853
6	12	11	-0.090909091	0.050889015	-0.000823377
7	14	13	-0.076923077	0.043878794	-0.000450547
8	16	15	-0.066666667	0.038565346	-0.000257393
9	18	17	-0.058823529	0.034399336	-0.000151933
10	20	19	-0.052631579	0.031045401	-9.20145E-05
...
75	150	149	-0.006711409	0.004230008	-1.2099E-14
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79	158	157	-0.006369427	0.004016509	-3.44976E-15
80	160	159	-0.006289308	0.003966459	-2.52294E-15
81	162	161	-0.00621118	0.003917642	-1.8457E-15
82	164	163	-0.006134969	0.003870011	-1.35067E-15
83	166	165	-0.006060606	0.003823525	-9.88701E-16
84	168	167	-0.005988024	0.003778142	-7.23949E-16
85	170	169	-0.00591716	0.003733824	-5.30243E-16
				Σ	0.7709822126

$$Perimeter = 2 \pi (10 \text{ inch}) = 2 \pi (10 \text{ inch}) 0.7709822126 = 48.4422 \text{ inch}$$

Leonhard Euler

$$Perimeter = \pi \sqrt{2(a^2 + b^2)} \left\{ 1 - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[\left(\frac{\delta}{16} \right)^n (4n - 3)!! / (n!)^2 \right] \right\}$$

where

$$\delta = \left[\frac{(a^2 - b^2)}{(a^2 + b^2)} \right]^2$$

Example: a = 10 inch b = 5 inch

n	$(\delta / 16)^n$	4n - 3	(4n - 3)!!	n!²	$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[\left(\frac{\delta}{16} \right)^n (4n - 3)!! / (n!)^2 \right]$
1	0.0225	1	1	1	0.0225
2	0.000506	5	15	4	0.001898438
3	1.14E-05	9	945	36	0.000299004
4	2.56E-07	13	135,135	576	6.01278E-05
5	5.77E-09	17	34,459,425	14,400	1.37993E-05
6	1.3E-10	21	13,749,310,575	518,400	3.44121E-06
7	2.92E-12	25	7,905,853,580,625	25,401,600	9.08584E-07
8	6.57E-14	29	6,190,283,353,629,370	1,625,702,400	2.50109E-07
9	1.48E-15	33	6.33265987076285E+18	131,681,894,400	7.10727E-08
10	3.33E-17	37	8.20079453263789E+21	13,168,189,440,000	2.07088E-08
					Σ 0.02477606

$$Perimeter = \pi \sqrt{2 [(10.00 \text{ inch})^2 + (5.00 \text{ inch})^2]} (1 - 0.02477606) = 48.4422 \text{ inch}$$

James Ivory

Gauss – Kummer Series

$$P = 4 a E [\pi / 2, \varepsilon]$$

$$E [\pi / 2, \varepsilon] = \frac{\pi}{2} \left\{ 1 - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[\frac{(2n-1)!!}{(2n)!!} \right]^2 \frac{\varepsilon^{2n}}{2n-1} \right\}$$

Example: For a = 10 inch b = 5 inch b/a = 0.50 Eccentricity, $\varepsilon = 0.866$

n	2n	2n - 1	$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[\frac{(2n-1)!!}{(2n)!!} \right]^2 \frac{\varepsilon^{2n}}{2n-1}$
1	2	1	0.1875
2	4	3	0.026367
3	6	5	0.00824
4	8	7	0.00338
5	10	9	0.001597
6	12	11	0.000823
7	14	13	0.000451
8	16	15	0.000257
9	18	17	0.000152
10	20	19	9.2E-05
...
140	280	279	2.62E-23
141	282	281	1.94E-23
142	284	283	1.43E-23
143	286	285	1.06E-23
144	288	287	7.85E-24
145	290	289	5.8E-24
146	292	291	4.29E-24
147	294	293	3.18E-24
148	296	295	2.35E-24
149	298	297	1.74E-24
150	300	299	1.29E-24

Σ 0.229018

1 - Σ 0.770982

$\pi / 2 (1 - \Sigma)$ 1.211056

$$P = 4 (10.00 \text{ inch}) 1.211056 = 48.4422 \text{ inch}$$

Arthur Cayley

$$\begin{aligned}
 2E &= 2 + \left[\ln\left(\frac{4}{b/a}\right) - \frac{1}{1 \cdot 2} \right] \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1 \cdot 3}{2 \cdot 4}\right) \left[\ln\left(\frac{4}{b/a}\right) - \frac{2}{1 \cdot 2} - \frac{1}{3 \cdot 4} \right] \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^4 \\
 &\quad + \left(\frac{1 \cdot 3^2 \cdot 5}{2 \cdot 4^2 \cdot 6}\right) \left[\ln\left(\frac{4}{b/a}\right) - \frac{2}{1 \cdot 2} - \frac{2}{3 \cdot 4} - \frac{1}{5 \cdot 6} \right] \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^6 \\
 &\quad + \left(\frac{1 \cdot 3^2 \cdot 5^2 \cdot 7}{2 \cdot 4^2 \cdot 6^2 \cdot 8}\right) \left[\ln\left(\frac{4}{b/a}\right) - \frac{2}{1 \cdot 2} - \frac{2}{3 \cdot 4} - \frac{2}{5 \cdot 6} - \frac{1}{7 \cdot 8} \right] \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^8 \\
 &\quad + \left(\frac{1 \cdot 3^2 \cdot 5^2 \cdot 7^2 \cdot 9}{2 \cdot 4^2 \cdot 6^2 \cdot 8^2 \cdot 10}\right) \left[\ln\left(\frac{4}{b/a}\right) - \frac{2}{1 \cdot 2} - \frac{2}{3 \cdot 4} - \frac{2}{5 \cdot 6} - \frac{2}{7 \cdot 8} - \frac{1}{9 \cdot 10} \right] \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^{10} \\
 &\quad + \left(\frac{1 \cdot 3^2 \cdot 5^2 \cdot 7^2 \cdot 9^2 \cdot 11}{2 \cdot 4^2 \cdot 6^2 \cdot 8^2 \cdot 10^2 \cdot 12}\right) \left[\ln\left(\frac{4}{b/a}\right) - \frac{2}{1 \cdot 2} - \frac{2}{3 \cdot 4} - \frac{2}{5 \cdot 6} - \frac{2}{7 \cdot 8} - \frac{2}{9 \cdot 10} - \frac{1}{11 \cdot 12} \right] \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^{12} \\
 &\quad + \left(\frac{1 \cdot 3^2 \cdot 5^2 \cdot 7^2 \cdot 9^2 \cdot 11^2 \cdot 13}{2 \cdot 4^2 \cdot 6^2 \cdot 8^2 \cdot 10^2 \cdot 12^2 \cdot 14}\right) \left[\ln\left(\frac{4}{b/a}\right) - \frac{2}{1 \cdot 2} - \frac{2}{3 \cdot 4} - \frac{2}{5 \cdot 6} - \frac{2}{7 \cdot 8} - \frac{2}{9 \cdot 10} - \frac{2}{11 \cdot 12} - \frac{1}{13 \cdot 14} \right] \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^{14} \\
 &\quad + \left(\frac{1 \cdot 3^2 \cdot 5^2 \cdot 7^2 \cdot 9^2 \cdot 11^2 \cdot 13^2 \cdot 15}{2 \cdot 4^2 \cdot 6^2 \cdot 8^2 \cdot 10^2 \cdot 12^2 \cdot 14^2 \cdot 16}\right) \left[\ln\left(\frac{4}{b/a}\right) - \frac{2}{1 \cdot 2} - \frac{2}{3 \cdot 4} - \frac{2}{5 \cdot 6} - \frac{2}{7 \cdot 8} - \frac{2}{9 \cdot 10} - \frac{2}{11 \cdot 12} - \frac{2}{13 \cdot 14} - \frac{1}{15 \cdot 16} \right] \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^{16} \\
 &\quad + \left(\frac{1 \cdot 3^2 \cdot 5^2 \cdot 7^2 \cdot 9^2 \cdot 11^2 \cdot 13^2 \cdot 15^2 \cdot 17}{2 \cdot 4^2 \cdot 6^2 \cdot 8^2 \cdot 10^2 \cdot 12^2 \cdot 14^2 \cdot 16^2 \cdot 18}\right) \left[\ln\left(\frac{4}{b/a}\right) - \frac{2}{1 \cdot 2} - \frac{2}{3 \cdot 4} - \frac{2}{5 \cdot 6} - \frac{2}{7 \cdot 8} - \frac{2}{9 \cdot 10} - \frac{2}{11 \cdot 12} - \frac{2}{13 \cdot 14} - \frac{2}{15 \cdot 16} - \frac{1}{17 \cdot 18} \right] \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^{18} \\
 &\quad \dots
 \end{aligned}$$

Example: For $a = 10$ inch $b = 5$ inch $b/a = 0.50$ $2E = 2.4221120$

n	Numerator	Denominator	Fraction	Fractions - Right Side of Natural Logarithm
1	1	1	1	1 2
2	3	3	0.375	2 2 1 12
3	45	192	0.2343750	2 2 2 12 1 30
4	1 575	9 216	0.1708984	2 2 2 12 2 30 1 56
5	99 225	737 280	0.1345825	2 2 2 12 2 30 2 56 1 90
6	9 823 275	88 473 600	0.1110306	2 2 2 12 2 30 2 56 2 90 1 132
7	1 404 728 325	14 863 564 800	0.0945082	2 2 2 12 2 30 2 56 2 90 2 132 1 182
8	273 922 023 375	3 329 438 515 200	0.0822727	2 2 2 12 2 30 2 56 2 90 2 132 2 182 1 240
9	69 850 115 960 625	958 878 292 377 600	0.0728457	2 2 2 12 2 30 2 56 2 90 2 132 2 182 2 240 1 306
10	22 561 587 455 281 900	345 196 185 255 936 000	0.0653587	2 2 2 12 2 30 2 56 2 90 2 132 2 182 2 240 2 306 1 380
11	9 002 073 394 657 470 000	151 886 321 512 612 000 000	0.0592685	2 2 2 12 2 30 2 56 2 90 2 132 2 182 2 240 2 306 2 380 1 462
12	4 348 001 449 619 560 000 000	80 195 977 758 659 100 000 000	0.0542172	2 2 2 12 2 30 2 56 2 90 2 132 2 182 2 240 2 306 2 380 2 462 1 552
13	2 500 100 833 531 250 000 000 000	50 042 290 121 403 200 000 000 000	0.0499598	2 2 2 12 2 30 2 56 2 90 2 132 2 182 2 240 2 306 2 380 2 462 2 552 1 650
14	1 687 568 062 633 590 000 000 000 000	36 430 787 208 381 600 000 000 000 000	0.0463226	2 2 2 12 2 30 2 56 2 90 2 132 2 182 2 240 2 306 2 380 2 462 2 552 2 650 1 756
15	1 321 365 793 042 100 000 000 000 000 000	30 601 861 255 040 500 000 000 000 000	0.0431793	2 2 2 12 2 30 2 56 2 90 2 132 2 182 2 240 2 306 2 380 2 462 2 552 2 650 2 756 1 870

$$P = 4 a E = 2 a (2 E) = 2 (10.00 \text{ inch}) 2.4221120 = 48.4422 \text{ inch}$$

Friedrich Bessel

$$P \approx \pi (a + b) \left\{ 1 + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 h + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[\frac{(2n-3)!!}{(2n)!!} \right]^2 h^n \right\}$$

where

$$h = \frac{(a - b)^2}{(a + b)^2}$$

n	2n	$\frac{j}{2n}!!$	$\frac{k}{(2n-3)!!}$	$\left(\frac{k}{j}\right)^2$	$\left(\frac{k}{j}\right)^2 h^n$
2	4	8	1	1	0.015625
3	6	48	3	3	0.0039063
4	8	384	5	15	0.0015259
5	10	3840	7	105	0.0007477
6	12	46080	9	945	0.0004206
7	14	645120	11	10395	0.0002596
8	16	10321920	13	135135	0.0001714
9	18	185794560	15	2027025	0.000119
10	20	3.716E+09	17	34459425	8.6E-05
11	22	8.175E+10	19	654729075	6.414E-05
12	24	1.962E+12	21	1.3749E+10	4.911E-05
13	26	5.101E+13	23	3.1623E+11	3.843E-05
14	28	1.428E+15	25	7.9059E+12	3.064E-05
15	30	4.285E+16	27	2.1346E+14	2.482E-05
...
50	100	3.424E+79	97	2.7529E+76	6.463E-07
51	102	3.493E+81	99	2.7254E+78	6.088E-07
52	104	3.633E+83	101	2.7526E+80	5.742E-07
53	106	3.85E+85	103	2.8352E+82	5.422E-07
54	108	4.159E+87	105	2.977E+84	5.125E-07
55	110	4.574E+89	107	3.1854E+86	4.849E-07
56	112	5.123E+91	109	3.4721E+88	4.593E-07
57	114	5.841E+93	111	3.854E+90	4.354E-07
58	116	6.775E+95	113	4.355E+92	4.132E-07
59	118	7.995E+97	115	5.0083E+94	3.925E-07
60	120	9.59E+99	117	5.8597E+96	3.731E-07

Σ 0.00019850568225

$$P \approx \pi (a + b) [1 + 0.25 (0.11111111) + (0.00019850568)] = 48.4422$$

Approximate Expressions – Ellipse Perimeter

Srinivasa Ramanujan I $P \approx \pi \left[3(a + b) - \sqrt{3(a + b)(a + 3b)} \right] = \pi(a + b) \left[3 - \sqrt{4 - h} \right]$

$$h = \frac{(a - b)^2}{(a + b)^2}$$

Srinivasa Ramanujan II $P \approx \pi(a + b) \left[1 + \frac{3h}{(10 + \sqrt{4 - 3h})} \right]$

David W. Cantrell $P \approx \pi(a + b) \left[1 + \frac{3h}{(10 + \sqrt{4 - 3h})} + 4h^6 \left(\frac{1}{\pi} - \frac{7}{22} \right) h^6 \right]$

Ramanujan Improvement

Lindner

$$P \approx \pi(a + b) \left(\frac{4}{\pi} \right)^h$$

$$P \approx 4(a + b) \left(\frac{\pi}{4} \right)^{[(4ab)/(a+b)^2]}$$

Approximate Expressions – Ellipse Perimeter

Shahram Zafary

$$P \approx \pi (a + b) \left(\frac{4}{\pi}\right)^h \approx \pi (a + b) \left(\frac{4}{\pi}\right)^{\frac{(a-b)^2}{(a+b)^2}}$$

Shahram Zafary

$$P \approx 4 (a + b) \left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)^{[(4ab)/(a+b)^2]}$$

David F. Rivera

$$P \approx 4 \left[\frac{\pi a b + (a - b)^2}{a + b} \right] - \frac{89}{146} \left(\frac{a \sqrt{b} - b \sqrt{a}}{a + b} \right)^2$$

Approximate Expressions – Ellipse Perimeter

Padé Approximates

A Manual of Mathematics by Ralph G. Hudson and Joseph Lipka 1955

$$P \approx \pi (a + b) \frac{64 - 3 h^2}{64 - 16 h}$$

Truncation at order $m = 3$ of Padé Approximates

$$P \approx \pi (a + b) \frac{64 + 16 h}{64 - h^2}$$

Jacobsen and Waadeland 1985

$$P \approx \pi (a + b) \frac{256 - 48 h - 21 h^2}{256 - 112 h + 3 h^2}$$

Next Level

$$P \approx \pi (a + b) \frac{3,072 - 1,280 h - 252 h^2 + 33 h^3}{3,072 - 2,048 h + 212 h^2}$$

Next Level

$$P \approx \pi (a + b) \frac{135,168 - 85,760 h - 5,568 h^2 + 3,867 h^3}{135,168 - 119,552 h + 22,208 h^2 - 345 h^3}$$

Approximate Expressions – Ellipse Perimeter

Giuseppe Peano

$$P \approx \pi \left[\frac{3(a+b)}{2} - \sqrt{ab} \right] = \pi(a+b) \frac{[3 - \sqrt{1-h}]}{2}$$

YNOT Formula by Roger Maertens

$$P \approx 4(a^y + b^y)^{1/y}$$

$$y = \frac{\ln(2)}{\ln(\pi/2)}$$

Approximate Expressions – Ellipse Perimeter

Naïve Formula

$$P \approx \pi (a + b)$$

Johannes Kepler

$$P \approx 2 \pi \sqrt{a b}$$

Leonhard Euler

$$P \approx \pi \sqrt{2 (a^2 + b^2)}$$

Thomas Muir

where $p = 3/2$

$$P \approx 2 \pi \left[\frac{(a^p + b^p)}{2} \right]^{1/p}$$

Approximate Expressions – Ellipse Perimeter

Circumference Formulas

$$P \approx \pi \sqrt{2(a^2 + b^2) - \frac{(a-b)^2}{D}} = \pi(a+b) \sqrt{1 + h(1 - 1/D)}$$

Takakazu Seki

$$P \approx 2 \sqrt{\pi^2 a b + 4(a-b)^2}$$

Standard Mathematical Tables and Formulae

Errata to the 30th Edition of the Standard Mathematical Tables and Formulae (CRC Press). Thanks to David F. Rivera and www.numericana.com
http://www.mathtable.com/errata/smtf30_errata_p2/index.html

$$P \approx 2 a \left[2 + (\pi - 2) \left(\frac{b}{a} \right)^{1.456} \right]$$

Anonymous

$$P \approx \pi \sqrt{2[(a^2 + b^2) - 0.50(a-b)^2]}$$

Approximate Expressions – Ellipse Perimeter

Sipos

$$P \approx \pi (a + b) \frac{2}{1 + \mu^2}$$

where

$$\mu = \frac{(a - b)}{(a + b)}$$

Bronshtein

$$P \approx \pi (a + b) \frac{64 - 3 \mu^4}{64 - 16 \mu^2}$$

Ernst S. Selmer

$$P \approx \pi (a + b) \left[1 + \frac{\mu^2}{4} \left(\frac{16}{16 - \mu^2} \right) \right]$$

Ernst S. Selmer

$$P \approx \pi (a + b) \left[\frac{3}{2} + \frac{\mu^2}{8} - \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\mu^2} \right]$$

Ernst S. Selmer

$$P \approx \pi (a + b) \left[\frac{4 (a - b)^2}{(5a + 3b)(3a + 5b)} \right] = \pi (a + b) \left[\frac{16 + 3h}{16 - h} \right]$$

where

$$h = \frac{(a - b)^2}{(a + b)^2}$$

Approximate Expressions – Ellipse Perimeter

Almkvist $P \approx 2 \pi (a + b) \left\{ \frac{2 (a + b)^2 - (\sqrt{a} - \sqrt{b})^4}{(a + b) \left[(\sqrt{a} - \sqrt{b})^2 + 2\sqrt{2} \sqrt{(a + b)} \sqrt[4]{ab} \right]} \right\}$

Lu Chee Ket $P \approx \pi \sqrt{2 (a^2 + b^2)} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{\delta}{16} \right)^n \frac{(4n - 3)!!}{(n!)^2}$

$$\delta = \left[\frac{(a^2 - b^2)}{(a^2 + b^2)} \right]^2 = \frac{4h}{(1 + h)^2}$$

Approximate Expressions – Ellipse Perimeter

Gauss – Kummer Series

See James Ivory

$$P = \pi (a + b) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \binom{0.5}{n}^2 h^n$$

$$P \approx \pi (a + b) \left[1 + \frac{h}{4} + \frac{h^2}{64} + \frac{h^3}{256} + \frac{25 h^4}{16,384} + \frac{49 h^5}{65,536} + \frac{441 h^6}{1,048,576} + \frac{1,089 h^7}{4,194,304} + \dots \right]$$

a = 10 units b = 5 units

n	Num		Denom		$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \binom{0.5}{n}^2 h^n$
0			0	1	1
1	1	1	2	4	0.02777777777777778
2	1	1	6	64	0.0001929012345679
3	1	1	8	256	0.0000053583676269
4	5	25	14	16,384	0.0000002325680394
5	7	49	16	65,536	0.0000000126620377
6	21	441	20	1,048,576	0.0000000007913774
7	33	1,089	22	4,194,304	0.0000000000542838
8	429	184,041	30	1,073,741,824	0.0000000000039818
				Σ	1.027976283460
				$\pi (a + b)$	47.1238898
				Perimeter	48.4422411

Approximate Expressions – Ellipse Perimeter

David W. Cantrell 2001
$$P \approx 4(a + b) - \frac{2(4 - \pi)ab}{H_p} = 4(a + b) - 2(4 - \pi)ab H_p$$

Holder Mean
$$H_p = \left[\frac{(a^p + b^p)}{2} \right]^{1/p}$$

$p = 0.82990 \quad p = \frac{3\pi - 8}{8 - 2\pi}$

$p = 0.82506$

$p = 0.81949 \quad p = \frac{\ln(2)}{\ln[2/(4 - \pi)]}$

David W. Cantrell 2004
$$P \approx 4(a + b) - \frac{2(4 - \pi)ab}{f}$$

where

$$f = p(a + b) [(1 - 2p)/(k + 1)] \sqrt{(a + kb)(ka + b)}$$

$k = 74$

Approximate Expressions – Ellipse Perimeter

Hassan Abed

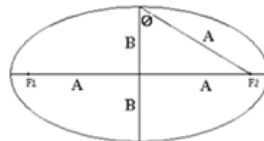
$\lambda^4 / (\sin \theta + \cos \theta)^{16}$ This is what I added to Ramanujan's formula, where $\lambda = \frac{1}{4} \left(\frac{A-B}{A+B} \right)^2$

$$P \approx \pi (a+b) \left[1 + \frac{3 \left(\frac{a-b}{a+b} \right)^2 + \lambda^4 / (\sin \theta + \cos \theta)^{16}}{10 + \sqrt{4 - 3 \left(\frac{a-b}{a+b} \right)^2}} \right]$$

Srinivasa Ramanujan

$$P \approx \pi (a+b) \left[1 + \frac{3 \left(\frac{a-b}{a+b} \right)^2}{10 + \sqrt{4 - 3 \left(\frac{a-b}{a+b} \right)^2}} \right]$$

<http://www.paulbourke.net/geometry/ellipsecirc/>



Perimeter $\approx 4 AE$

Note : θ in degrees

$$\sin \theta = \frac{\sqrt{A^2 - B^2}}{A}, \quad \cos \theta = \frac{B}{A} \quad \therefore (\sin \theta + \cos \theta)^{16} = \left(\frac{B + \sqrt{A^2 - B^2}}{A} \right)^{16}$$

<http://www.paulbourke.net/geometry/ellipsecirc/HassanAbed1.gif>

The GRAN Method – Ellipse Perimeter

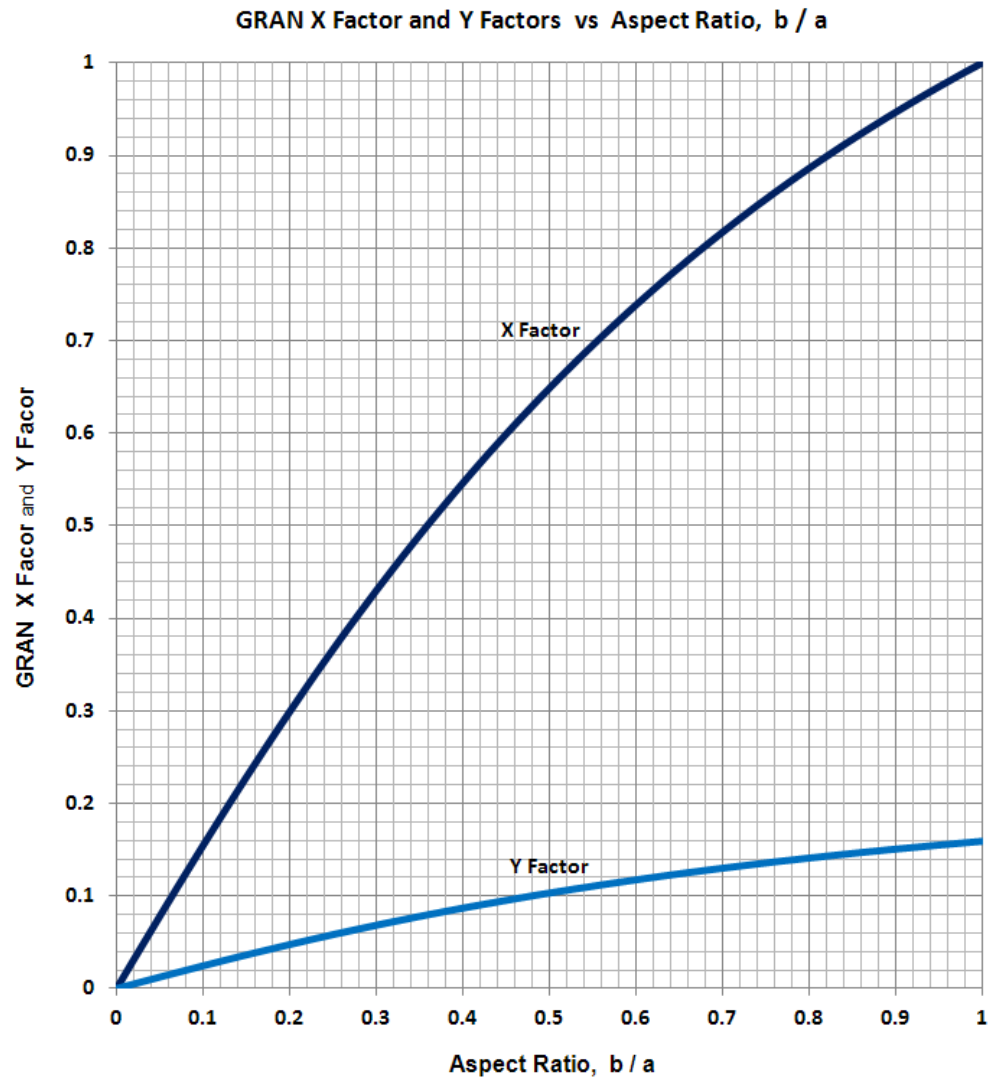
Ellipse Perimeter

$$P_{ellipse} = \frac{A_{ellipse}}{\left(\frac{A_{ellipse}}{A_{circle}}\right) \left(\frac{A_{ellipse} / P_{ellipse}}{A_{circle} / C_{circle}}\right)} \approx \frac{A_{ellipse}}{\left(\frac{A_{ellipse}}{A_{circle}}\right) X_{factor}}$$

$$Y_{factor} = \frac{X_{factor}}{2\pi}$$

Ratio b / a	GRAN X Factor	GRAN Y Factor	Ratio b / a	GRAN X Factor	GRAN Y Factor
0.05	0.0781083	0.0124313	0.55	0.6949549	0.1106055
0.10	0.1545889	0.0246036	0.60	0.7384163	0.1175226
0.15	0.2284164	0.0363536	0.65	0.7790898	0.1239960
0.20	0.2990564	0.0475963	0.70	0.8171553	0.1300543
0.25	0.3662205	0.0582858	0.75	0.8527866	0.1357252
0.30	0.4297755	0.0684009	0.80	0.8861516	0.1410354
0.35	0.4897002	0.0779382	0.85	0.9174104	0.1460104
0.40	0.5460528	0.0869070	0.90	0.9467127	0.1506740
0.45	0.5989453	0.0953251	0.95	0.9741991	0.1550486
0.50	0.6485234	0.1032157	1.00	1	0.1591549

The GRAN Method – Ellipse Perimeter



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$$P \approx \frac{b}{Y_{factor}}$$

The GRAN Method – Ellipse Perimeter

Ratio b / a	GRAN Y Factor
0.05	0.0124313
0.10	0.0246036
0.15	0.0363536
0.20	0.0475963
0.25	0.0582858
0.30	0.0684009
0.35	0.0779382
0.40	0.0869070
0.45	0.0953251
0.50	0.1032157
0.55	0.1106055
0.60	0.1175226
0.65	0.1239960
0.70	0.1300543
0.75	0.1357252
0.80	0.1410354
0.85	0.1460104
0.90	0.1506740
0.95	0.1550486
1.00	0.1591549

$$P \approx \frac{b}{Y_{factor}}$$

Example

a = 10 inch b = 5 inch

For b/a = 0.50 Y factor = 0.1032157

$$P \approx \frac{b}{Y_{factor}} \approx \frac{5 \text{ inch}}{0.1032157} \approx 48.4422 \text{ inch}$$

GRAN Functions – Ellipse Perimeter

Third Order Polynomial

$$Y_{factor} \approx A \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^3 + B \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^2 + C \left(\frac{b}{a}\right) + D$$

where A = 0.0241754181163 B = -0.1318547008372 C = 0.2671995647558 D = -0.0005822344755
R-squared: 0.999988668288 R-squared adjusted: 0.999987944987

Sixth Order Polynomial

$$Y_{factor} \approx A \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^6 + B \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^5 + C \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^4 + D \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^3 + E \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^2 + F \left(\frac{b}{a}\right) + G$$

where A = 0.055506415895 B = -0.218717429777 C = 0.346788209235 D = -0.248381274132
E = -0.029316702018 F = 0.251297160058 G = -0.000013699159
R-squared: 0.999999991349 R-squared adjusted: 0.99999990169

Legendre Polynomial – Tenth Degree

$$\begin{aligned} Y_{factor} \approx & 0.64237059137 - 1.49695312010 \left(\frac{b}{a}\right) \\ & + 2.116143704 \left[\frac{1}{2} \left[3 \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^2 - 1 \right] \right] \\ & - 1.956802974 \left[\frac{1}{2} \left[5 \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^3 - 3 \left(\frac{b}{a}\right) \right] \right] \\ & + 1.377147227 \left[\frac{1}{8} \left[35 \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^4 - 30 \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^2 + 3 \right] \right] \\ & - 0.774611287 \left[\frac{1}{8} \left[63 \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^5 - 70 \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^3 + 15 \left(\frac{b}{a}\right) \right] \right] \\ & + 0.351812114 \left[\frac{1}{16} \left[231 \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^6 - 315 \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^4 + 105 \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^2 - 5 \right] \right] \\ & - 0.126498659 \left[\frac{1}{16} \left[429 \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^7 - 693 \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^5 + 315 \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^3 - 35 \left(\frac{b}{a}\right) \right] \right] \\ & + 0.034217125 \left[\frac{1}{128} \left[6,435 \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^8 - 12,012 \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^6 + 6,930 \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^4 - 1,260 \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^2 + 35 \right] \right] \\ & - 0.006255655 \left[\frac{1}{128} \left[12,155 \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^9 - 25,740 \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^7 + 18,018 \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^5 - 4,620 \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^3 + 315 \left(\frac{b}{a}\right) \right] \right] \\ & + 0.000585935 \left[\frac{1}{256} \left[46,189 \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^{10} - 109,395 \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^8 + 90,090 \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^6 - 30,030 \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^4 + 3,465 \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^2 - 63 \right] \right] \end{aligned}$$

R-squared: 0.999999999998 R-squared adjusted: 0.999999999997

The GRAN Method – Ellipse Perimeter

INPUT

a 10 units

b 5 units

DATA

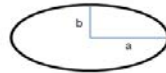
b / a 0.500

e 0.8660254

Y Factor 0.103216

OUTPUT

P 48.4422 units



Third Order Polynomial

Y Factor 0.103076

P 48.4423

Sixth Order Polynomial

Y Factor 0.103215

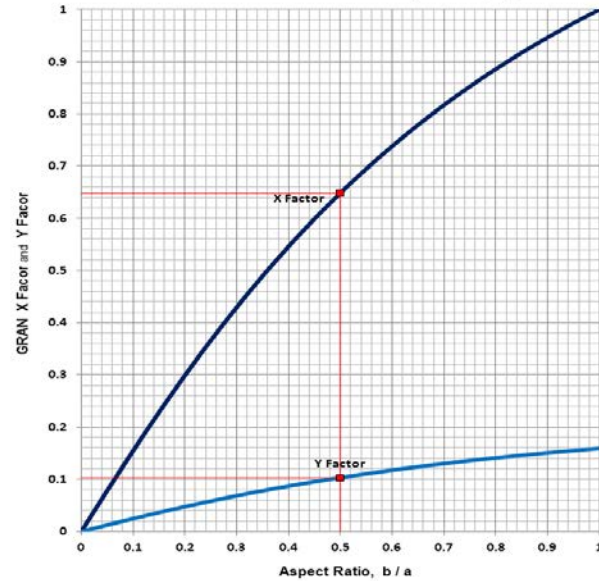
P 48.4423

Legendre Polynomial

Y Factor 0.103216

P 48.4423

GRAN X Factor and Y Factors vs Aspect Ratio, b / a



Ellipse Perimeter

$$P_{\text{ellipse}} = \frac{A_{\text{ellipse}}}{\left(\frac{A_{\text{circle}}}{C_{\text{circle}}}\right) \left(\frac{A_{\text{ellipse}} / P_{\text{ellipse}}}{A_{\text{circle}} / C_{\text{circle}}}\right)} \approx \frac{A_{\text{ellipse}}}{\left(\frac{A_{\text{circle}}}{C_{\text{circle}}}\right) X_{\text{factor}}}$$

$$P_{\text{ellipse}} \approx \frac{b}{Y_{\text{factor}}}$$

b / a	GRAN Y Factor	b / a	GRAN Y Factor
0.05	0.0124401	0.55	0.1106055
0.10	0.0246066	0.60	0.1175226
0.15	0.0363540	0.65	0.1239960
0.20	0.0475963	0.70	0.1300543
0.25	0.0582858	0.75	0.1357252
0.30	0.0684009	0.80	0.1410354
0.35	0.0779382	0.85	0.1460104
0.40	0.0869070	0.90	0.1506740
0.45	0.0953251	0.95	0.1550486
0.50	0.1032157	1.00	0.1591549

The Solution to Everything

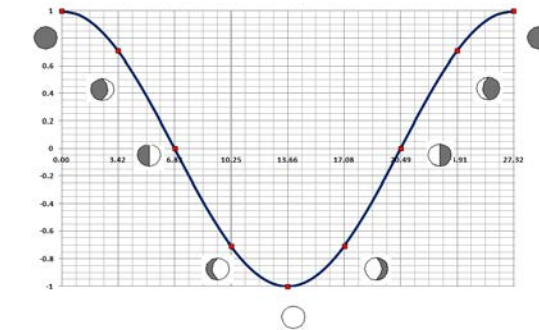
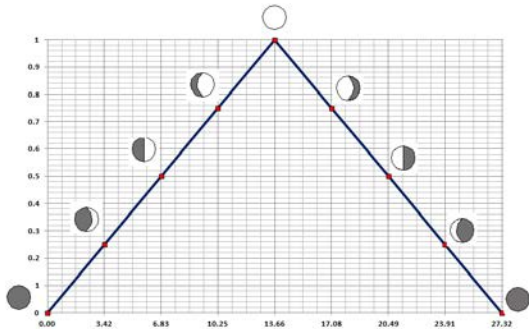
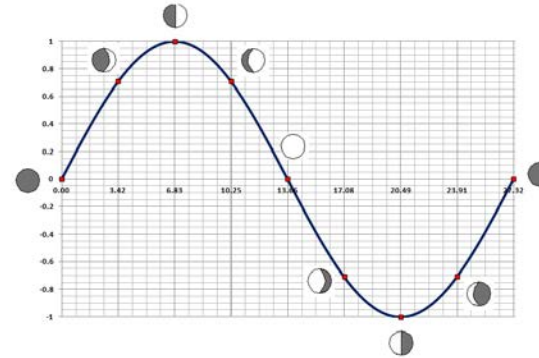
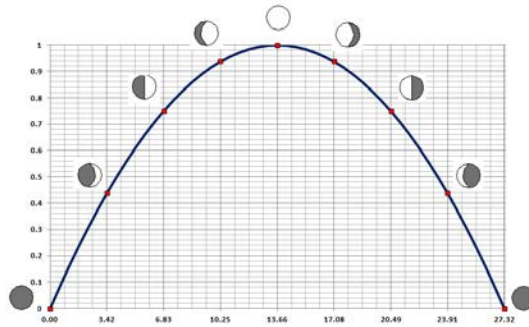
$$P_{\text{ellipse}} = \frac{\cancel{A_{\text{ellipse}}}}{\left(\frac{\cancel{A_{\text{circle}}}}{\cancel{C_{\text{circle}}}}\right) \left(\frac{\cancel{A_{\text{ellipse}} / P_{\text{ellipse}}}}{\cancel{A_{\text{circle}} / C_{\text{circle}}}}\right)}$$

$$P_{\text{ellipse}} = P_{\text{ellipse}}$$

Plot the Dow Jones or Standard and Poor's Index versus Phases of the Moon.

Phases of the Moon

Possible Weighting Factors



Eight Phases

New

Waxing Crescent

First Quarter

Waxing Gibbous

Full

Waning Gibbous

Third Quarter

Waning Crescent

The GRAN Method – Ellipse Perimeter

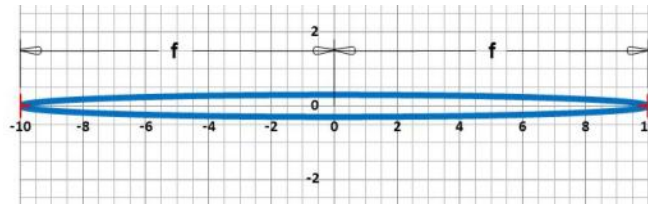
Not “Extreme Perfect”

For a Circle

$$P \approx \frac{b}{Y_{factor}} \approx \frac{r}{1/2\pi} = 2\pi r$$

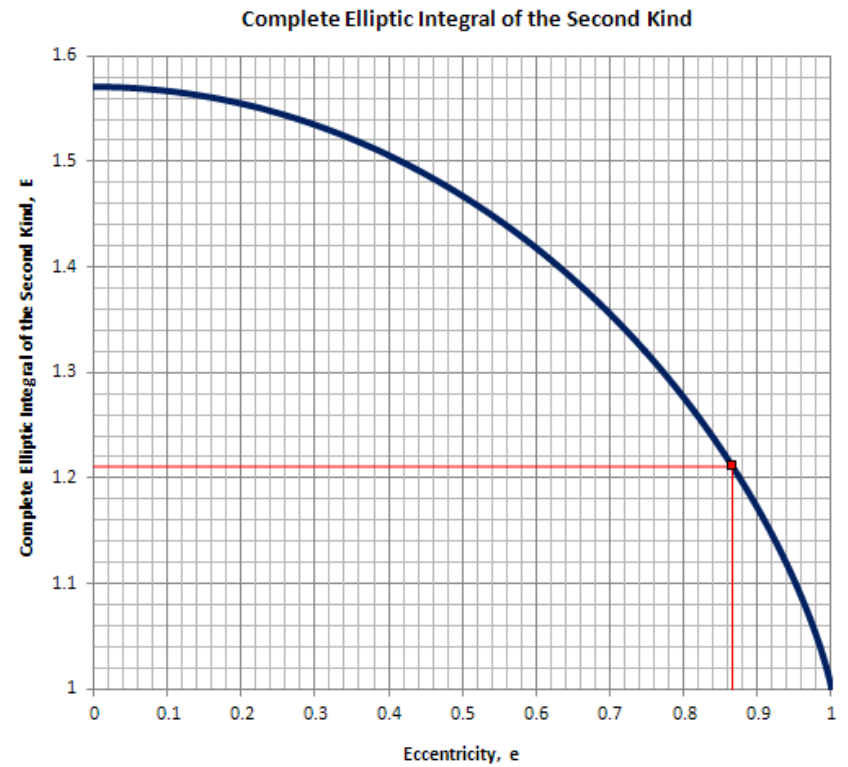
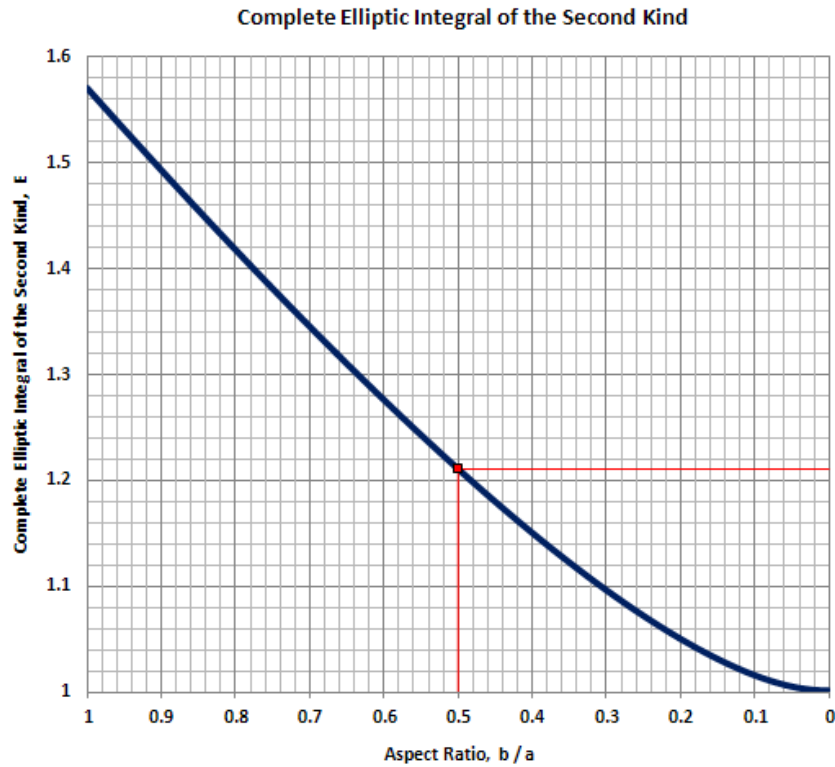
For small aspect ratios the perimeter approaches $P = 4a$

But the Y factor goes to zero which means you are dividing by zero.



The GRAN Formula – Ellipse Perimeter

Plotting the Complete Elliptic Integral versus Aspect Ratio, (b/a) instead of Eccentricity, ε

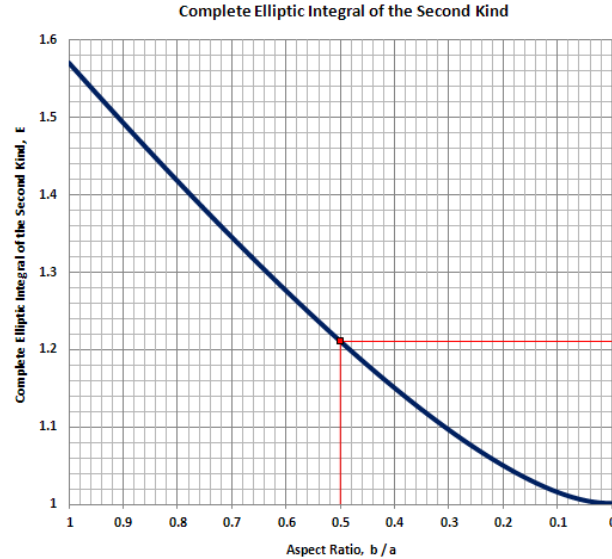


The GRAN Formula – Ellipse Perimeter

Bleasdale – Nelder Power Curve

$$E \approx \left[A + B \left(\frac{b}{a} \right)^C \right]^{-1/D} + \text{Offset} \approx \left[A + B \left(\frac{b}{a} \right)^C \right]^{-1/D} + 1$$

where $A = 0.518083$ $B = 0.538323$ $C = -0.263801$ $D = 0.097480$ $\text{Offset} = 1.001249$



Example $a = 10$ inch $b = 5$ inch

$$P \approx 4 a E \approx 4 (10 \text{ inch}) 1.2110639 \approx 48.4426 \text{ inch}$$

The GRAN Formula – Ellipse Perimeter

Simplified

The Complete Elliptic Integral of the Second Kind

$$E \approx \left[0.518 + 0.538 \left(\frac{b}{a} \right)^{-0.264} \right]^{-10.26} + 1$$

where A = 0.518 B = 0.538 C = -0.264 D = 0.09748 -1/D = -10.26 Offset = 1.00

Ellipse Perimeter

$$P \approx 4 a \left\{ \left[0.518 + 0.538 \left(\frac{b}{a} \right)^{-0.264} \right]^{-10.26} + 1 \right\}$$

Example a = 10 inch b = 5 inch

$$P \approx 4 a E \approx 4 (10 \text{ inch}) 1.21106 \approx 48.4 \text{ inch}$$

The GRAN Formula – Ellipse Perimeter

INPUT

a 10 unit

b 5 unit

DATA

b/a 0.5

e 0.36

ε 0.8660254

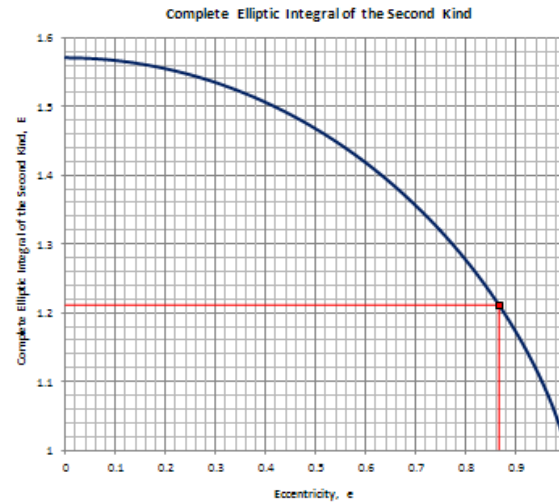
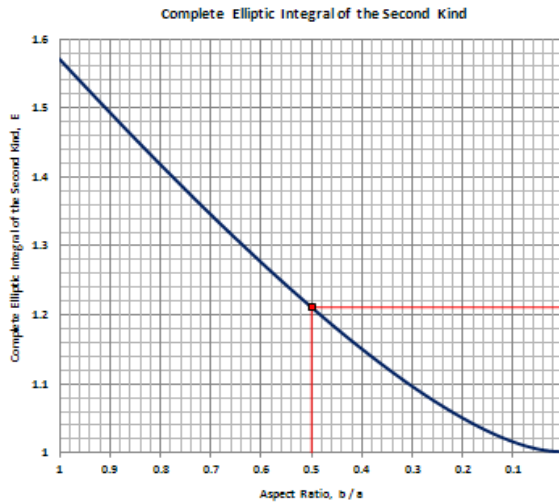
f 3.66025404 unit

h 0.11111111

r 1.53492854

T Factor 0.1032157

E 1.21105603



OUTPUT

"Exact" Expressions

P 48.4422411 unit

P 48.4422411 unit

P 48.4422411 unit

P 48.4422411 unit

Approximate Formulas

P 48.44224 unit

P 48.44225 unit

P 48.4427 unit

P 48.5 unit

P 48.4426 unit

P 48.4 unit

$$P = 4 a E[\pi/2, e] = 4 a \int_0^{\pi/2} \sqrt{1 - e^2 \sin^2 \theta} d\theta$$

Colin McLeurin $E(\pi/2, e) = \int_0^{\pi/2} \sqrt{1 - e^2 \sin^2 \theta} d\theta$

Leonhard Euler

Johann Bernoulli

Arthur Cayley



GRAN Method $P \approx \frac{b}{V_{factor}}$

Legendre Polynomial

Sixth Order Polynomial

Third Order Polynomial

GRAN Formula

$$E \approx \left[A + B \left(\frac{b}{a} \right)^C \right]^{-1/D} + 1$$

A 0.518083
B 0.538323
C -0.2638
D 0.09748

Simplified

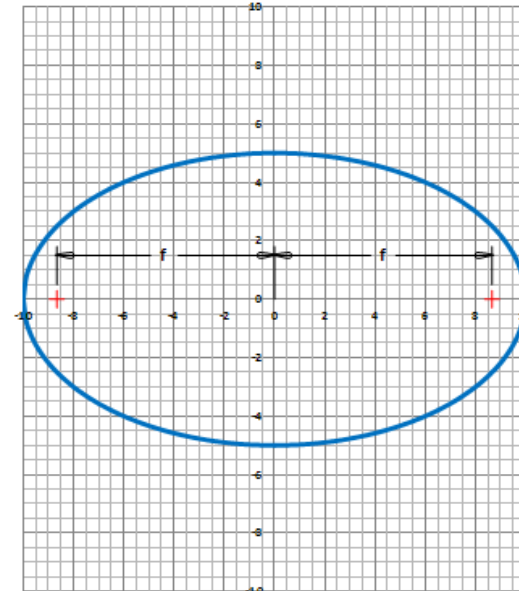
$$P \approx 4a \left[0.518 + 0.538 \left(\frac{b}{a} \right)^{-0.264} \right]^{-10.26} + 1$$

Movie

Ratio b/a	GRAN T Factor
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Perimeter - 48.4422 unit

$$P \approx \frac{b}{V_{factor}}$$



The GRAN Formula – Ellipse Perimeter

INPUT

a 10 units

b 5 units

DATA

b / a 0.5

e 0.36

c 0.866025

f 8.660254 units

h 0.111111

y 1.534929

Y Factor 0.103216

E 1.211056

OUTPUT

Colin Maclaurin

P 48.44224 units

Leonhard Euler

P 48.44224 units

James Ivory

P 48.44224 units

Arthur Cayley

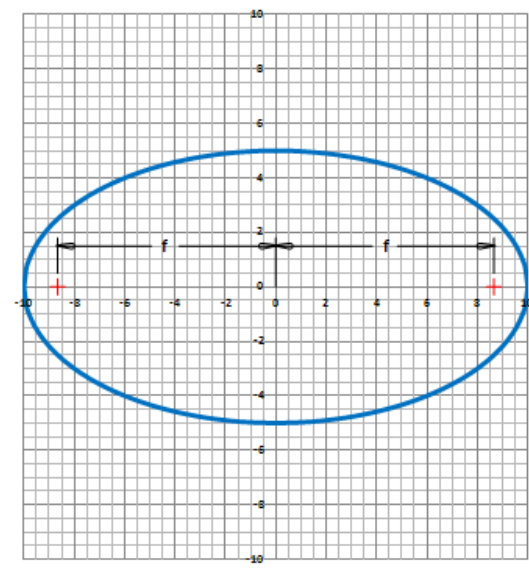
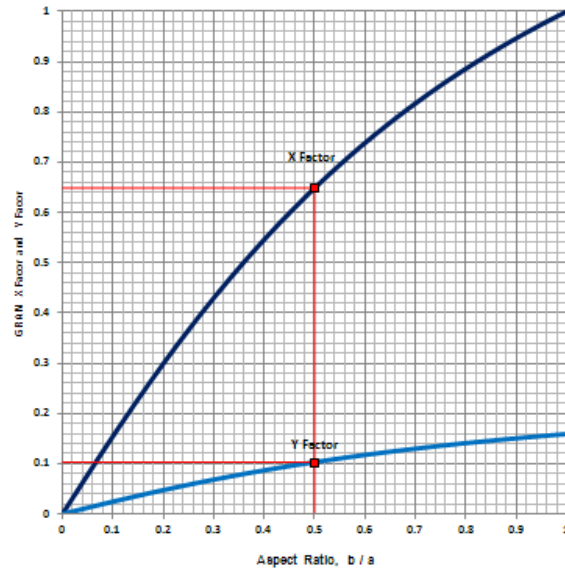
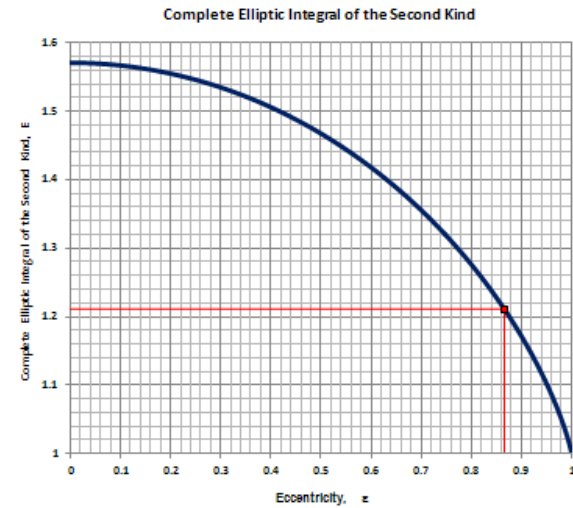
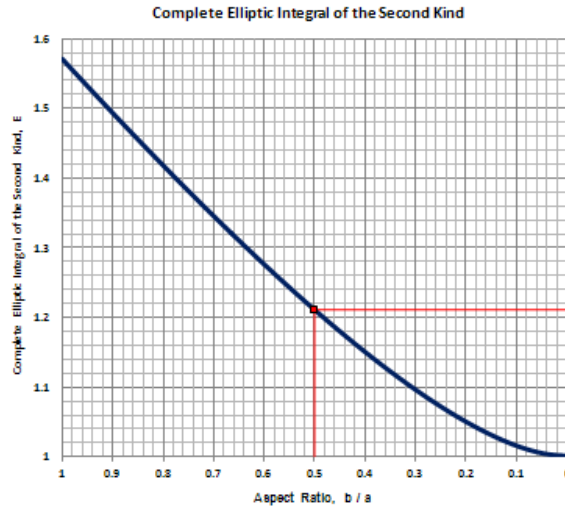
P 48.44224 units

GRAN Method

P 48.44224 units

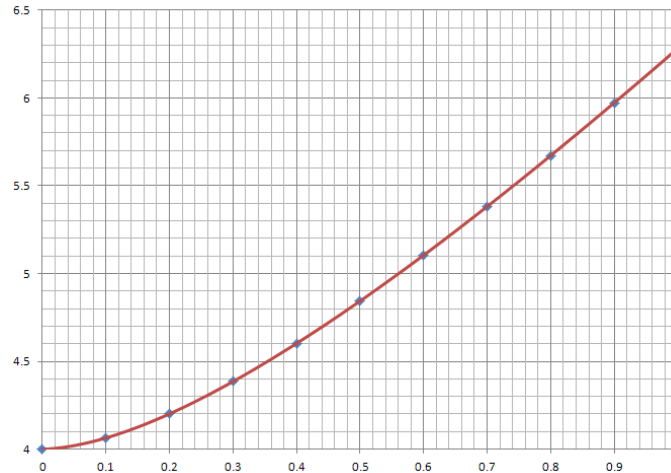
GRAN Formula

P 48.4426 units



Another Way – Ellipse Perimeter

Plotting the perimeter of an ellipse with a = 1 inch and b = 0 to 1 inch ...



Third Order Polynomial

$$P \approx a \left[-0.9812 \left(\frac{b}{a} \right)^3 + 2.6221 \left(\frac{b}{a} \right)^2 + 0.6511 \left(\frac{b}{a} \right) + 3.9808 \right]$$

a = 10 inch b = 5 inch Perimeter = 48.4 inch

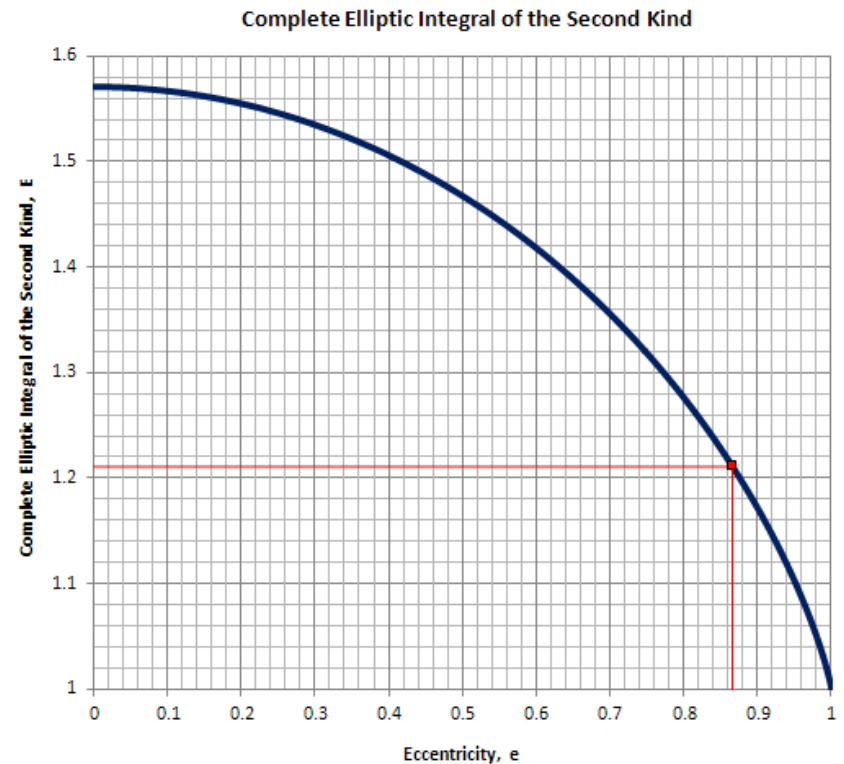
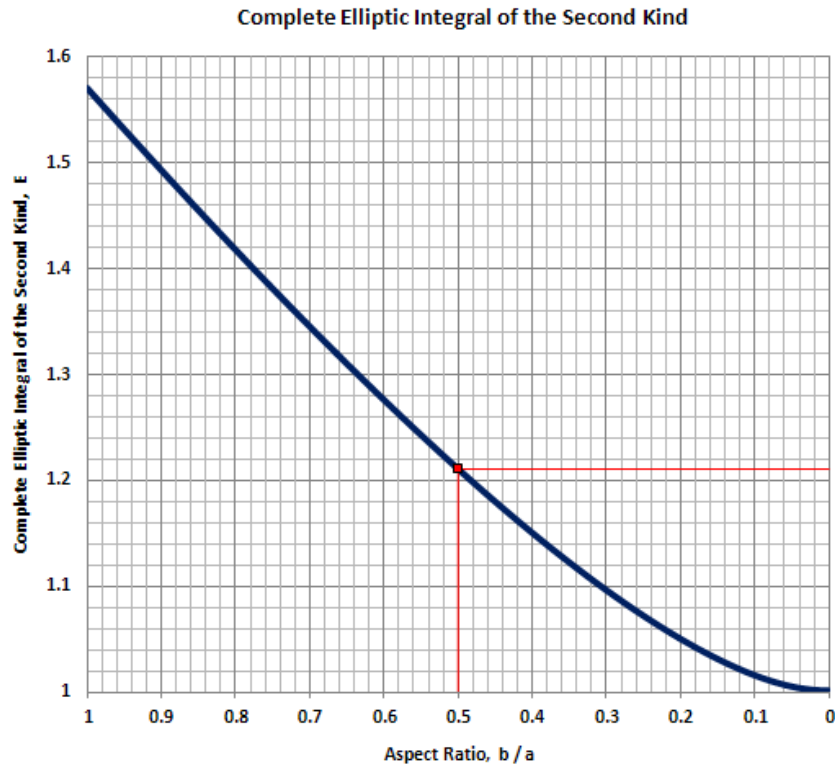
Sixth Order Polynomial

$$P \approx a \left[1.561786 \left(\frac{b}{a} \right)^6 - 5.90478 \left(\frac{b}{a} \right)^5 + 9.355009 \left(\frac{b}{a} \right)^4 - 8.4884 \left(\frac{b}{a} \right)^3 + 5.596493 \left(\frac{b}{a} \right)^2 + 0.1634155 \left(\frac{b}{a} \right) + 3.999961 \right]$$

a = 10 inch b = 5 inch Perimeter = 48.44 inch

Simplest Exact Equation – Ellipse Perimeter

Plotting the Complete Elliptic Integral versus Aspect Ratio, (b/a) instead of Eccentricity, ε



Divide by four and we're back to where we started.

Plotting the data versus eccentricity instead of aspect ratio yields the Complete Elliptic Integral of the Second Kind.

Ellipse Perimeter

Back to where we started:

Exact – Not Simple

$$P = 4a \int_0^{\pi/2} \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{a^2 - b^2}{a^2} \right) \sin^2 \theta} d\theta$$

Simple – Not Exact

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0.80	0.1410354

$$P \approx \frac{b}{Y_{factor}}$$

In the End

FAILURE



Even Wile E. Coyote, Super Genius ...

has things blow up in his face.

He never quits.

Wile E. Coyote, Super Genius ... I.Q. 207

Adventures of the Road-Runner (1962)

Ralph Phillips:

The thing I don't understand is why he wants the Road Runner in the first place.

Wile E. Coyote:

A legitimate question, young man, deserving a legitimate answer.

[he shows a picture of the Road Runner during this whole scene as he says:]

*Now then, I can easily understand why it should puzzle you that a person of my intelligence, **I.Q. 207 Super Genius**, should devote his valuable time chasing this ridiculous road runner, this bird that appears to be so skinny, scrawny, stringy, unappetizing, anemic, ugly and misbegotten. Ah, but how little you know about road runners. Actually, the road runner is to the taste buds of a coyote, what caviar, champagne, filet mignon and chocolate fudge are to the taste buds of a man.*

<http://www.imdb.com/character/ch0029626/quotes>

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Genius or near-genius IQ is considered to start around 140 to 145. Less than 1/4 of 1 percent fall into this category.

Here are some common designations on the IQ scale:

115-124 - Above Average

125-134 – Gifted

135-144 - Very Gifted

145-164 – Genius

165-179 - High Genius

180-200 - Highest Genius

<http://blog.getiq.net/content/iq-scales-what-does-iq-scale-measure>

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