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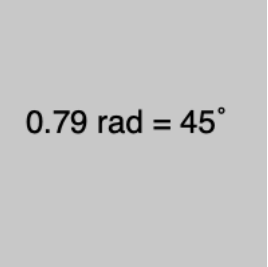
degrees()

Converts an angle measured in radians to its value in degrees.

Degrees and radians are both units for measuring angles. There are 360° in one full rotation. A full rotation is $2 \times \pi$ (about 6.28) radians.

The same angle can be expressed in with either unit. For example, 90° is a quarter of a full rotation. The same angle is $2 \times \pi \div 4$ (about 1.57) radians.

Examples



```
function setup() {  
  createCanvas(100, 100);  
  
  background(200);  
  
  // Calculate the angle conversion.  
  let rad = QUARTER_PI;  
  let deg = degrees(rad);  
  
  // Display the conversion.  
  text(`${round(rad, 2)} rad = ${deg}°`, 10, 50);  
  
  describe('The text "0.79 rad = 45°".');  
}
```

Syntax

degrees(radians)

Parameters

radians Number: radians value to convert to degrees.

Returns

Number: converted angle.

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Related References

acos Calculates the arc cosine of a number.	angleMode Changes the unit system used to measure angles.	asin Calculates the arc sine of a number.	atan Calculates the arc tangent of a number.
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