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Fundamentals Name. The symbol used by mathematicians to represent the ratio of a circle's circumference to its diameter is the lowercase Greek letter π , sometimes spelled out as pi, and derived from the first letter of the Greek word perimetros, meaning circumference. In English, π is pronounced as "pie" (/ p aɪ / PY). In mathematical use, the lowercase letter π (or π in sans-serif font ...PI abbr. private investigator pi 1 (p π) n. 1. (also p π) The 16th letter of the Greek alphabet. See Table at alphabet. 2. Mathematics A transcendental number, approximately 3.14159, represented by the symbol π , that expresses the ratio of the circumference to the diameter of a circle and appears as a constant in many mathematical expressions. [Late ...First Known Use of pi. Noun (1) 15th century, in the meaning defined at sense 1. Noun (2) circa 1659, in the meaning defined at sense 1. Verb. 1889, in the meaning defined at transitive sense. Adjective