

Using the Symbols palette (Tutorial E3)

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You can use the Symbols palette to quickly enter symbols into an application. I'll start by pressing the Home key, and then

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I'll choose Calculator. In this case, I need to evaluate the sine of 90 degrees. I'm going to make sure that my settings are set

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to Approximate before I begin. As you can see at the top of the screen, I'm currently in Radian mode. If I press the sine key

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and then type "90", followed by Enter, you can see that the answer is given in radians. This time, I'll press "sin" and "90" again,

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but before I press Enter, I'll insert the degree symbol using the Symbols palette. To do this, I'll press Ctrl and then the

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Catalog key. Now, from the Symbols palette, I'll highlight the degree symbol using the arrows on the NavPad, and press Enter

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to insert it into the command line next to "90." Now, I can press Enter to evaluate the sine of 90 degrees, and get the correct

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answer of "1."

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