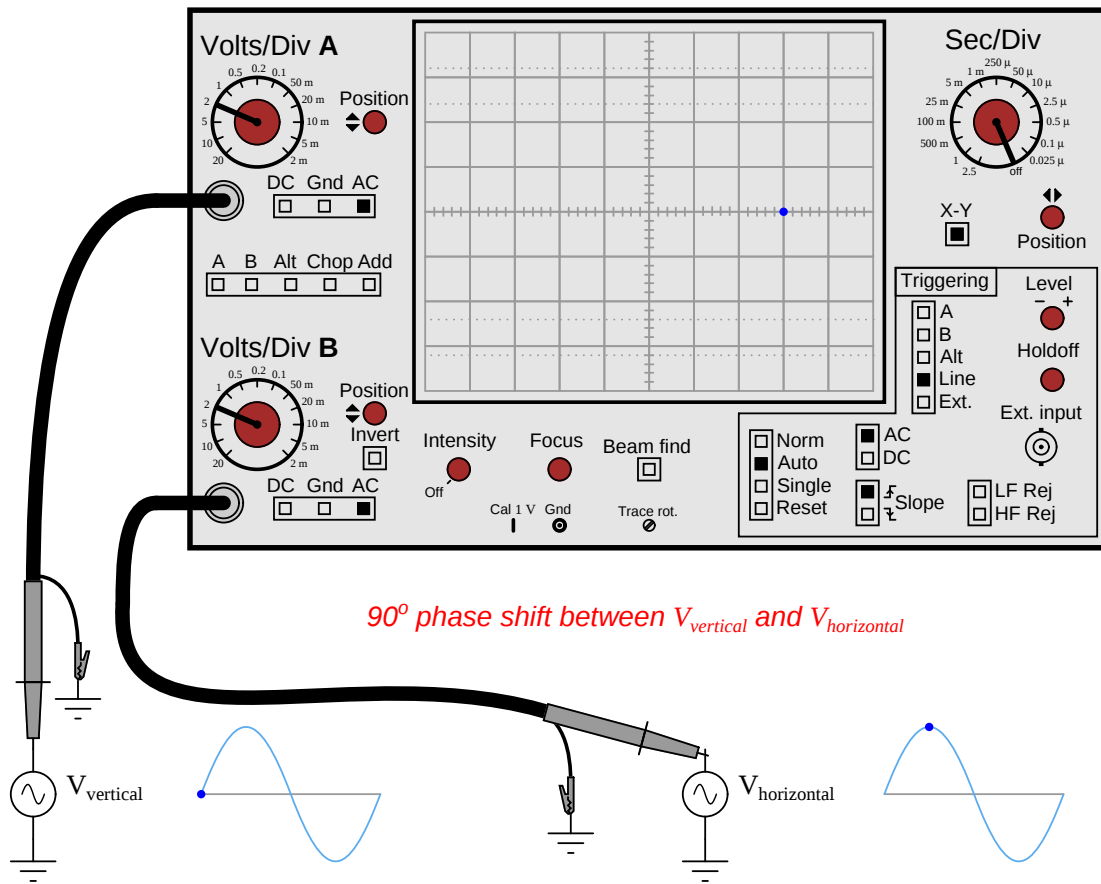
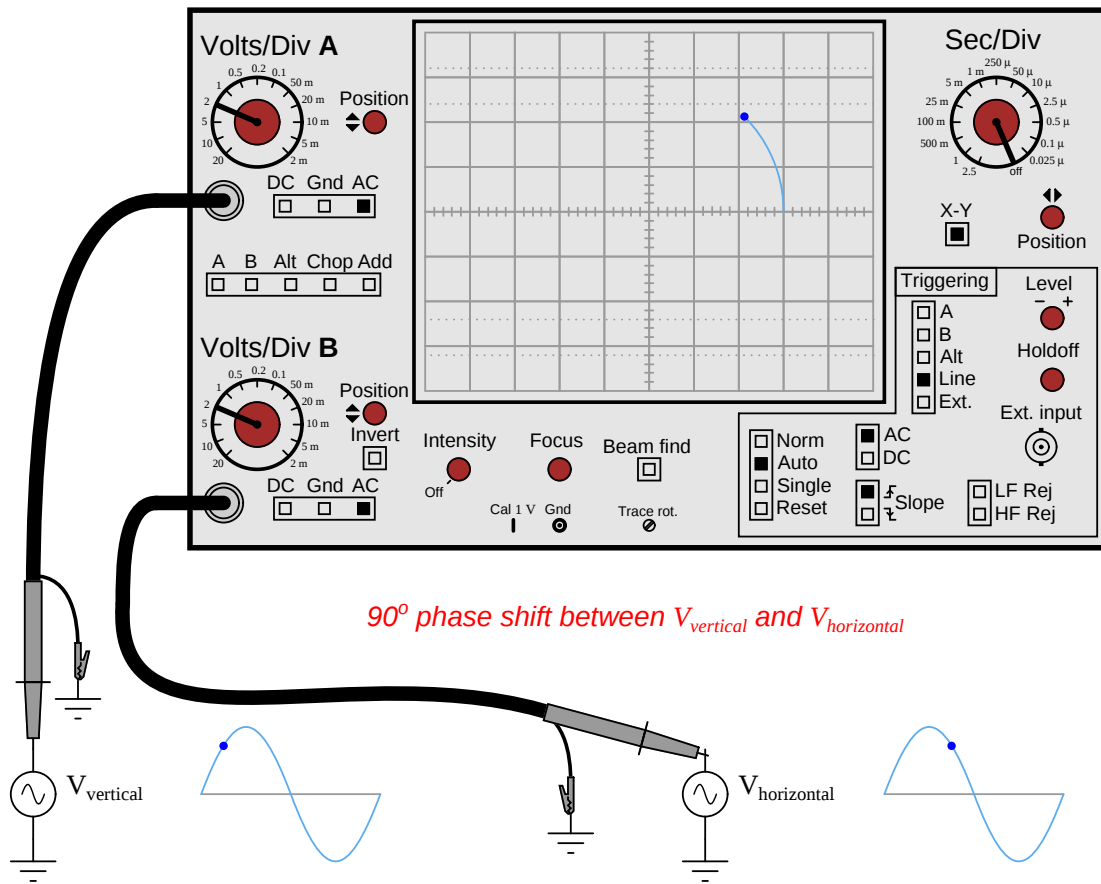


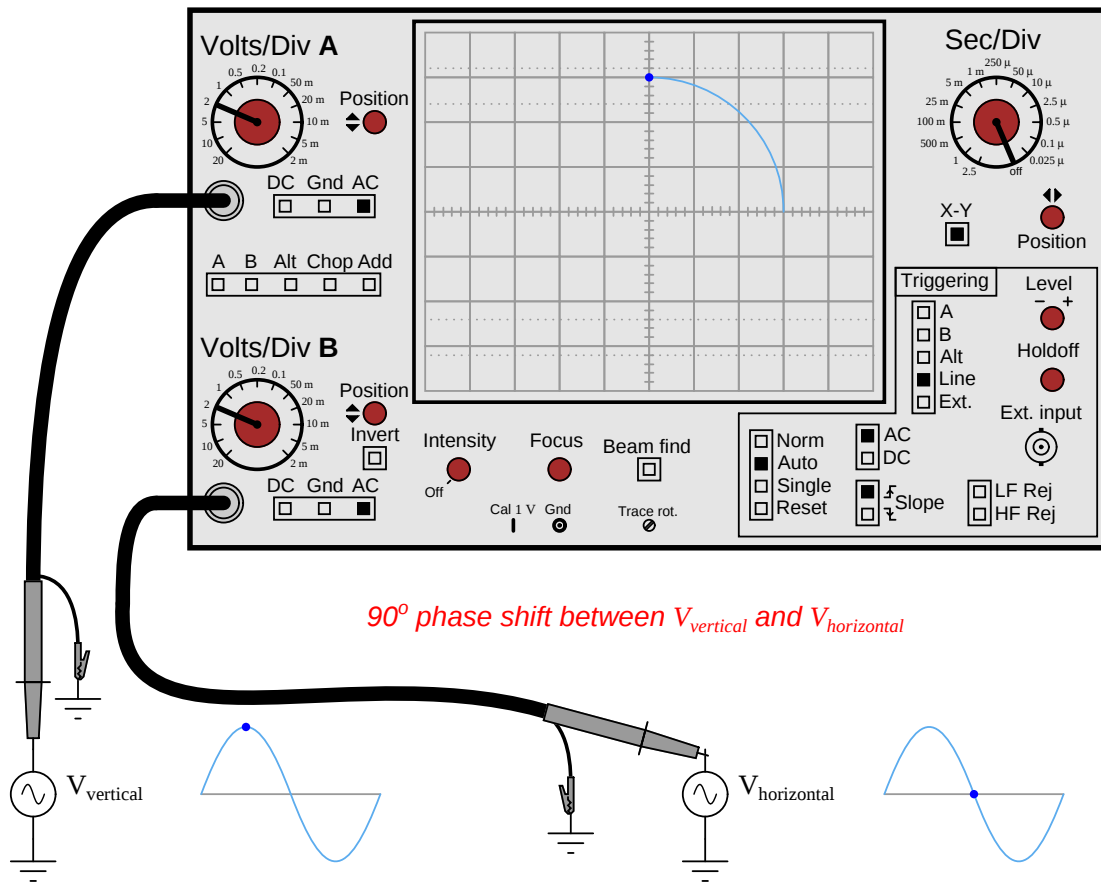
Animation: Lissajous figures on an oscilloscope with 90 degrees phase shift

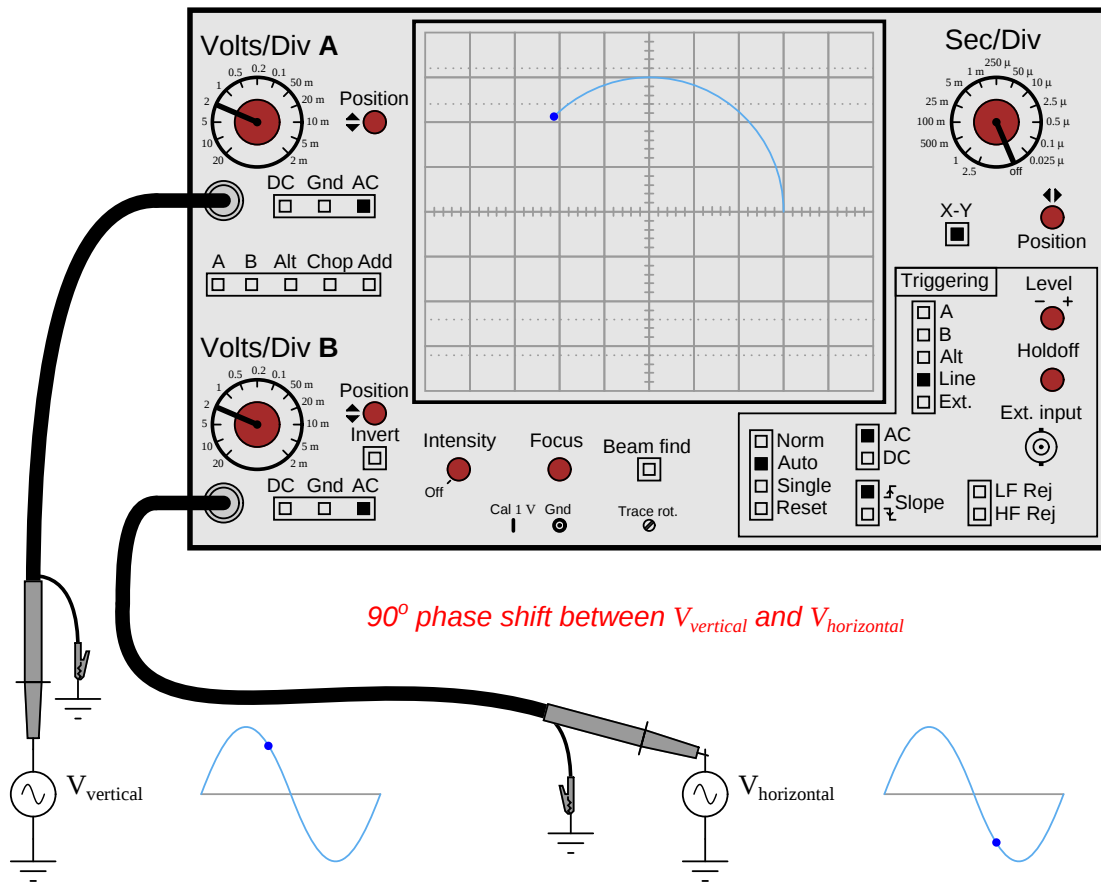
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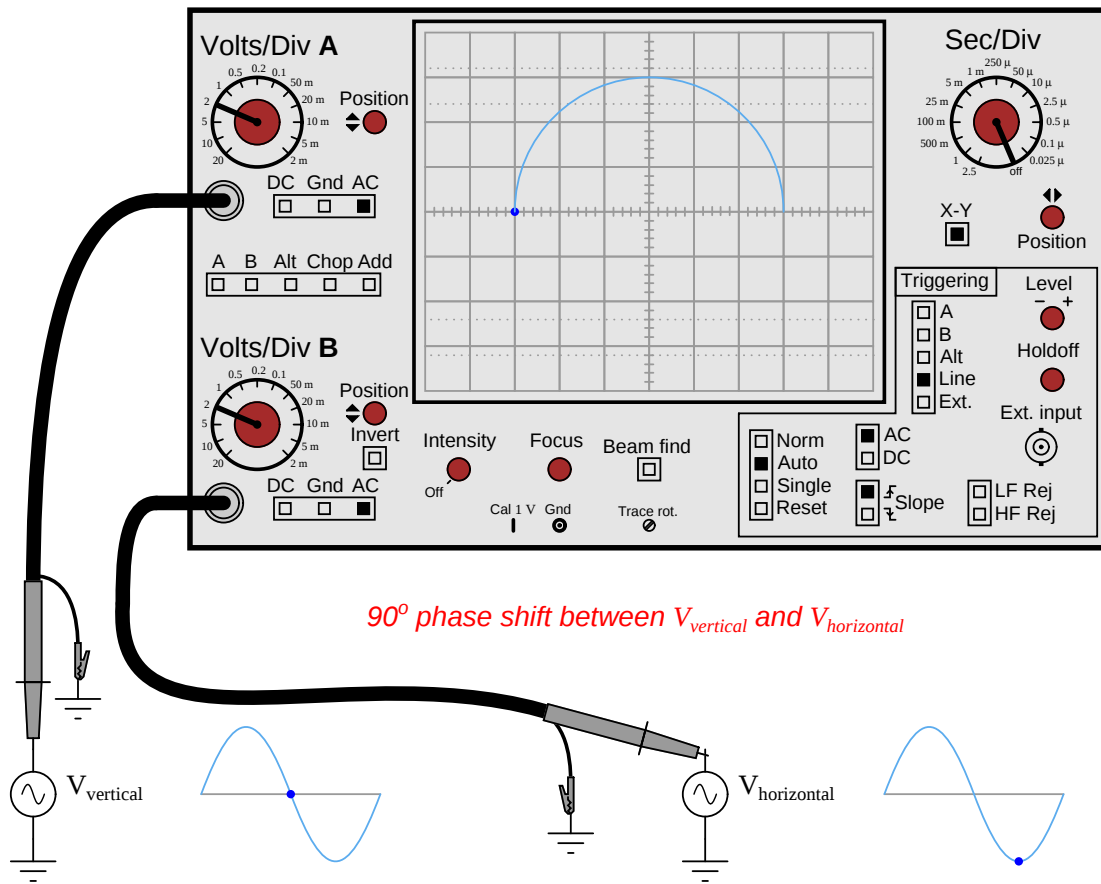
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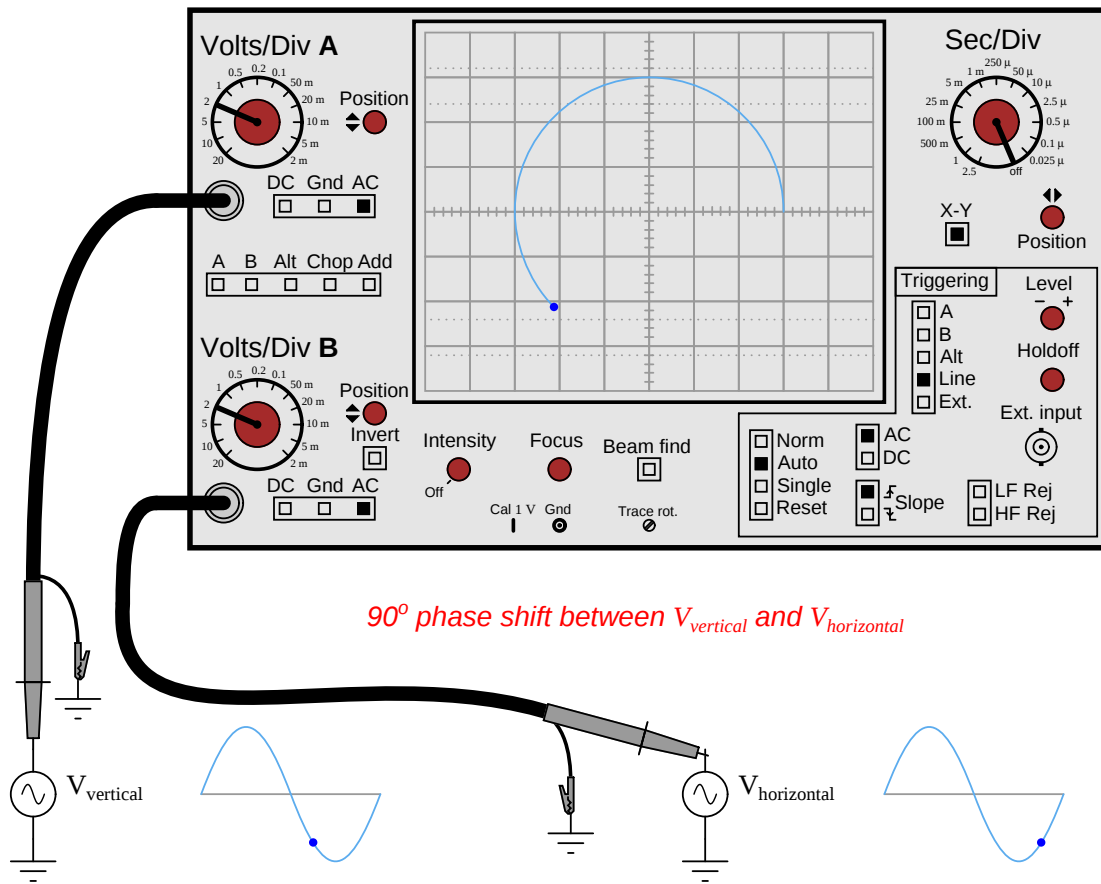


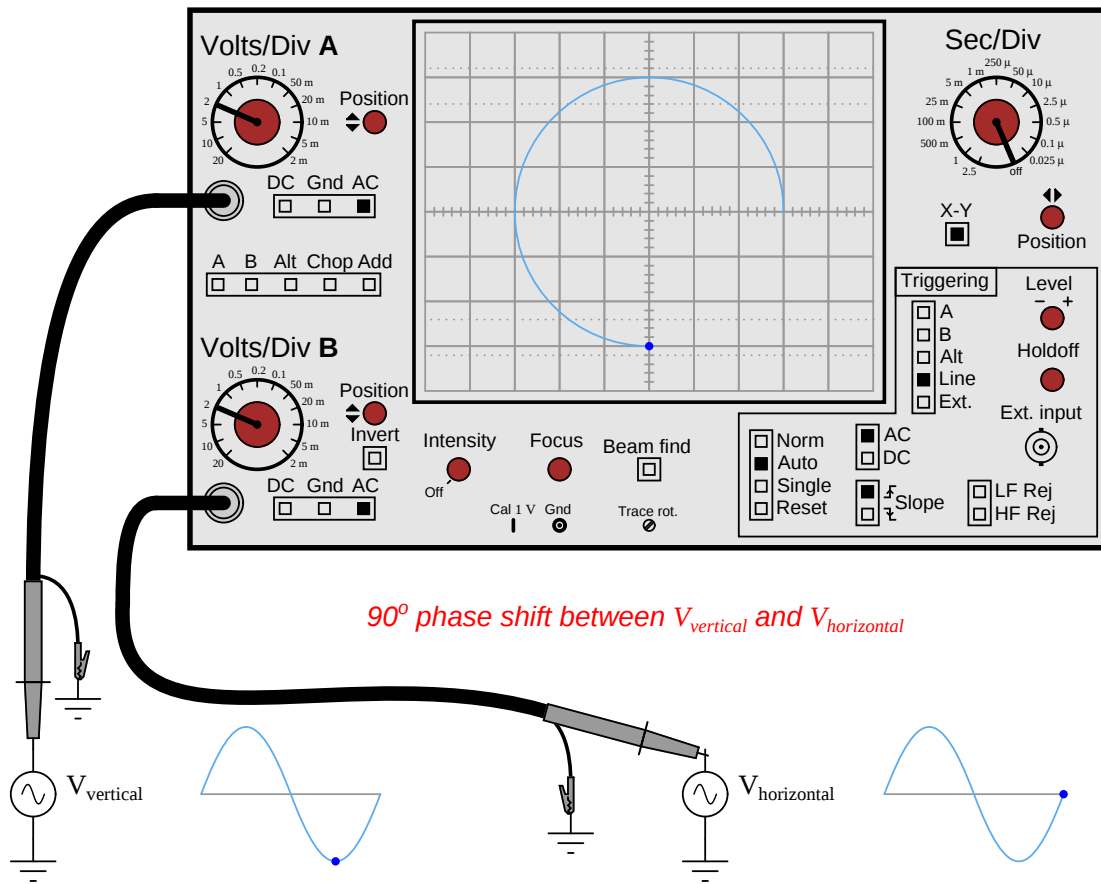


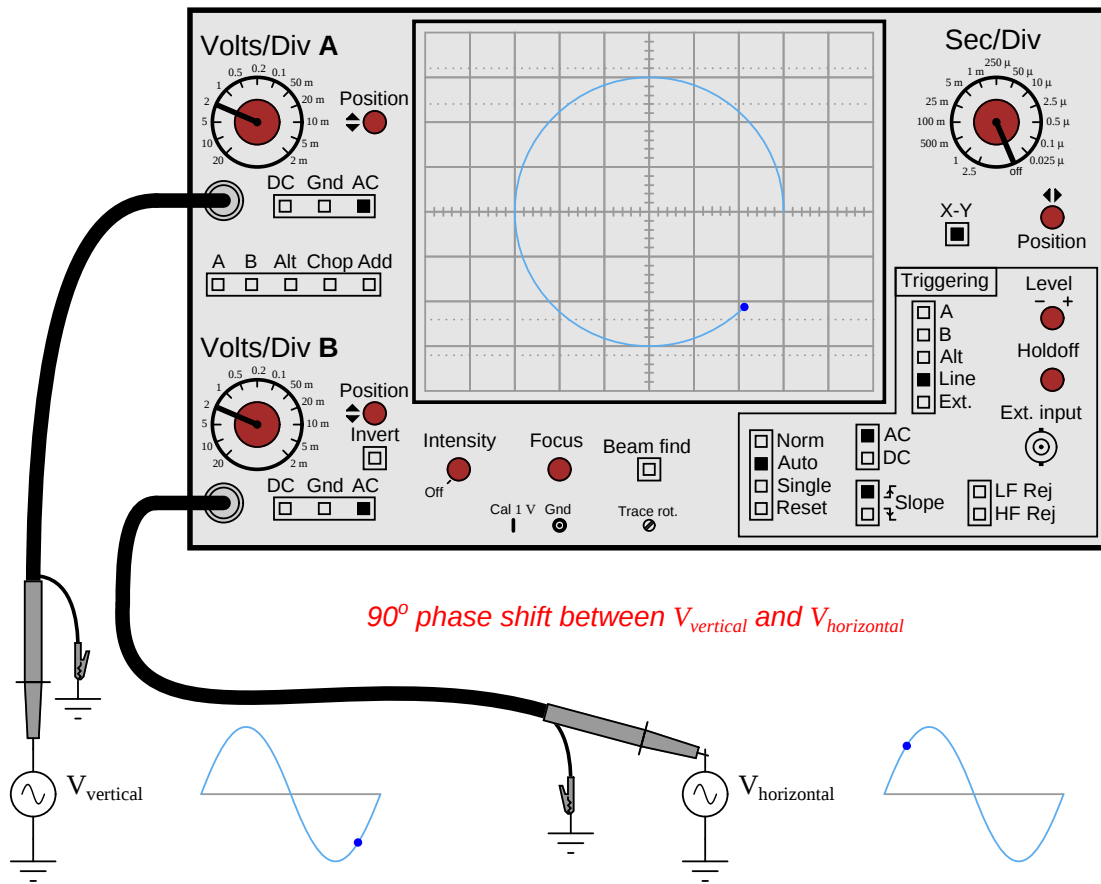


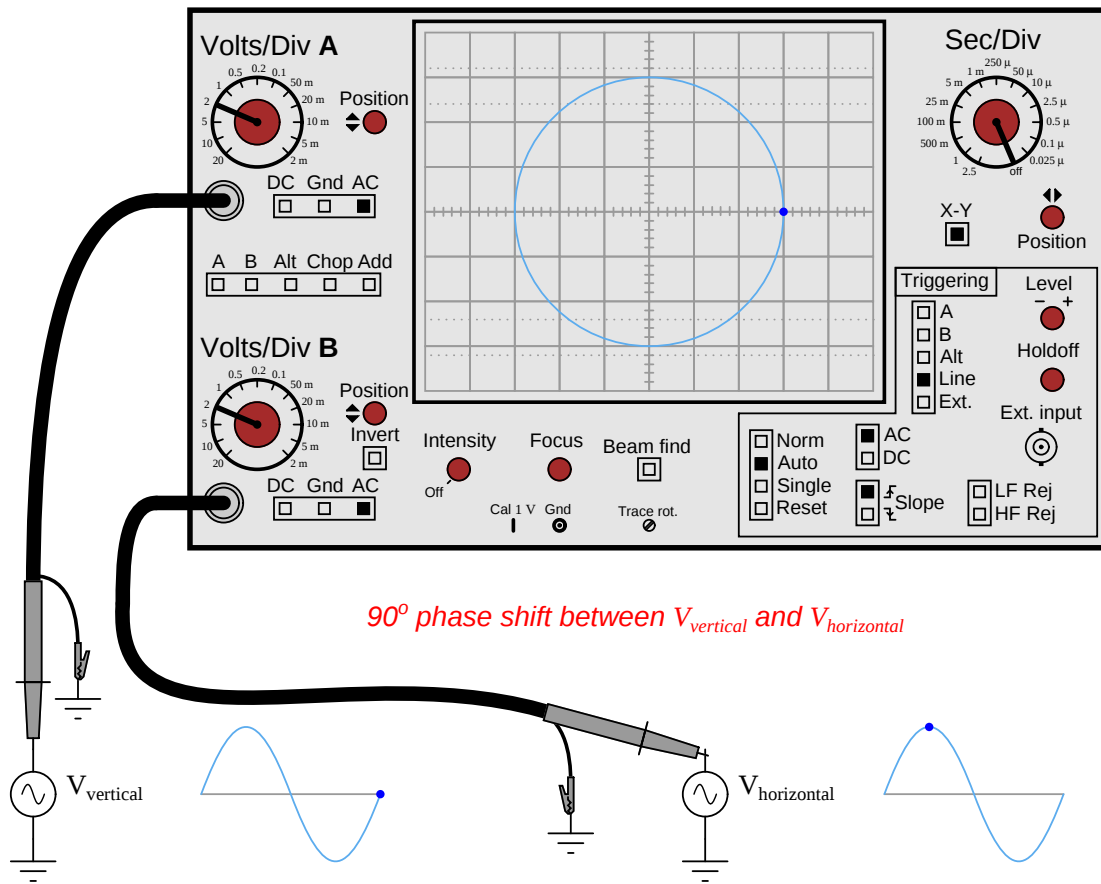












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Answer 1

Nothing to note here.

Notes 1

The purpose of this animation is to let students study the evolution of Lissajous figures and see how they are created from the interrelationship between two sinusoidal waveforms. Similar to experimentation in the lab, except that here all the data collection is done visually rather than through the use of test equipment, and the students are able to "see" things that are invisible in real life.