

# Sinewave Generators Section

Use the Sinewave Generators to generate up to 32 independent sinusoidal signals on the FPGA. These signals can be mapped directly to [Analog Output](#) channels or to voltage and current [Sources](#) in the circuit model.

## Sinewave Generators Section Channels

In the **System Explorer** window configuration tree, expand the **Power Electronics Add-On** custom device, then **Circuit Model >> Sinewave Generators** to display the following subsections and custom device channels. Assign values to the channels to configure the Sinewave Generators.

Frequency Engines					
	Channel Name	Type	Units	Default Value	Description
	Frequency Engine X	Input	Hertz	60Hz	Frequency of the engine. Up to 32 Frequency Engines are available in each hardware configuration.
Reset					
	Channel Name	Type	Units	Default Value	Description
	Auto Synchronize	Input		0 (False)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>False:</b> Normal operation</li><li>• <b>True:</b> Synchronizes all Frequency Engines to each other to prevent phase drift but if the amplitude, phase, or offset of the generator is changed it can cause undesired outputs.</li></ul>
	Reset	Input		0 (False)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>False:</b> Normal operation</li><li>• <b>True:</b> Resets all Frequency Engines to 0 degrees</li></ul>
SWG X					
	Channel Name	Type	Units	Default Value	Description
	Amplitude	Input	Volts	0V	Amplitude of the generated sinewave. The peak-to-peak value will be twice the amplitude.
	Frequency Engine	Input		0	Index of the <b>Frequency Engine X</b> used to generate the sinewave. Setting a value of <b>2</b> will connect <b>Frequency Engine 2</b> to the sinewave generator. Assign the same <b>Frequency Engine X</b> index to multiple sinewave generators to ensure that they stay phase locked in time.
	Offset	Input	Volts	0V	DC offset of the generated sinewave.
	Phase	Input	Degrees	0°	Phase offset of the generated sinewave relative to the other sinewaves using the same frequency engine.

## Related Links

- [How to Simulate a Three Phase Voltage Source using Sinewave Generators](#)