

Glossary

1. **Cyclical:**
Occurring in cycles; having a form of a circle or closed ring.
2. **Cyclical variation :**
Cyclical variations are recurrent variations in a time series usually last longer than a year.
3. **Recurrent**
Occurring often or repeatedly; taking place again and again.
4. **Amplitude**
It refers to the maximum extent or magnitude of a oscillating phenomenon.
5. **Fluctuations**
Rise and fall irregularly in number or amount.
6. **Stabilizing**
Make or become stable; result in controlled condition.
7. **Periodicity**
Appearing or occurring at intervals; pattern of action or movement at given interval.
8. **Erratic**
Not even or regular in pattern or movement.
9. **Inextricably**
It refers to impossible to separate or disentangle; impossible to escape from.
10. **Harmonic**
It means waves whose frequencies are integer multiples of one another.
11. **Residual**

The remaining part after the greater part or quantity has gone or been subtracted.
12. **Distorted**

It means to give a misleading account or impression; pull or twist out of shape.
13. **Contraction**
Shortening of anything occurring at intervals.
14. **Contemporary**

Living or occurring or originating at the same time; belonging to present.
15. **Cumbersome**

Difficulty to carry or use through size; slow or complicated and therefore inefficient.

