

Ellipses, Hyperbolas, and Parabolas

10.3,10.4,10.5

An ***Ellipse*** is the set of points in a plane such that the sum of the distances from any point P on the ellipse to two fixed points called the Foci, is constant.

The ***major axis*** is the longer axis.

The ***minor axis*** is the shorter axis.

The ***vertices*** are the endpoints of the major axis.

The ***co-verticies*** are the endpoints of the minor axis.

Here are some examples of Ellipses.

$$\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$$

$$\frac{(x - 2)^2}{4} + \frac{(y + 1)^2}{9} = 1$$

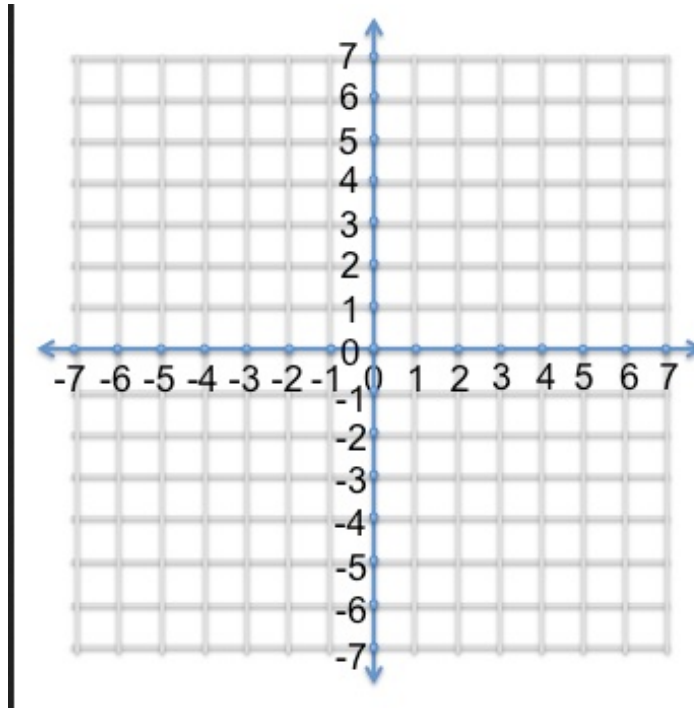
Standard Form for the Equation of an Ellipse		Center at (h, k)
MAJOR AXIS	HORIZONTAL	VERTICAL
Equation	$\frac{(x - h)^2}{a^2} + \frac{(y - k)^2}{b^2} = 1$	$\frac{(y - k)^2}{a^2} + \frac{(x - h)^2}{b^2} = 1$
Vertices	$(h + a, k), (h - a, k)$	$(h, k + a), (h, k - a)$
Foci	$(h + c, k), (h - c, k)$	$(h, k + c), (h, k - c)$
Co-vertices	$(h, k + b), (h, k - b)$	$(h + b, k), (h - b, k)$

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Graph the Ellipse

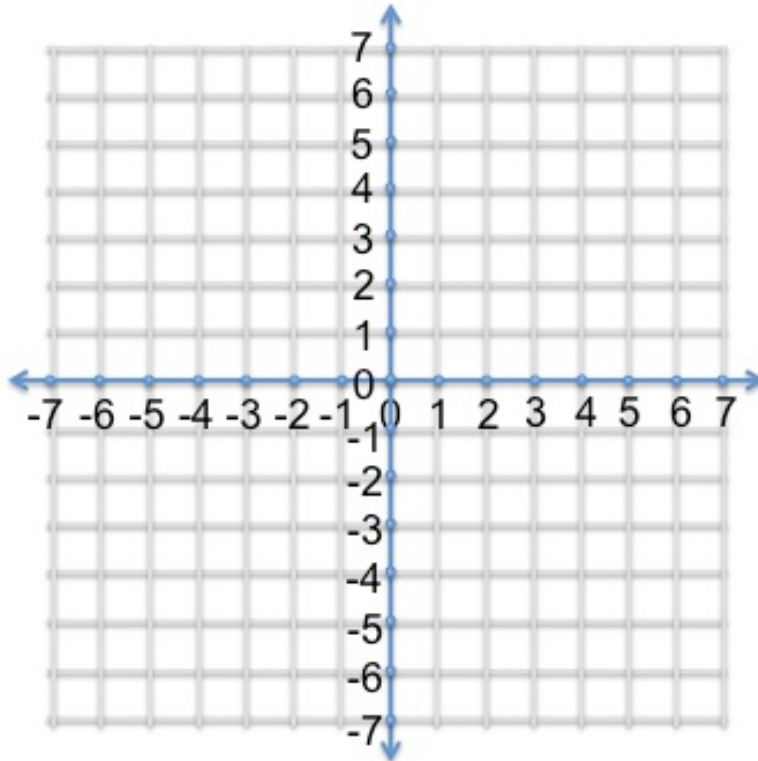
Identify the Domain and Range

$$\frac{x^2}{64} + \frac{y^2}{25} = 1$$

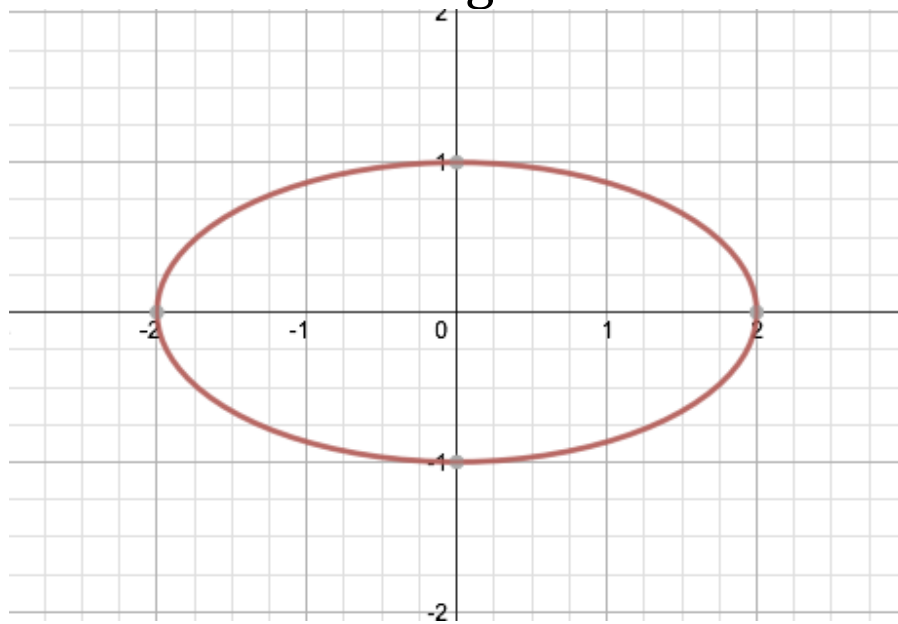


Graph the Ellipse
Identify the Domain and Range

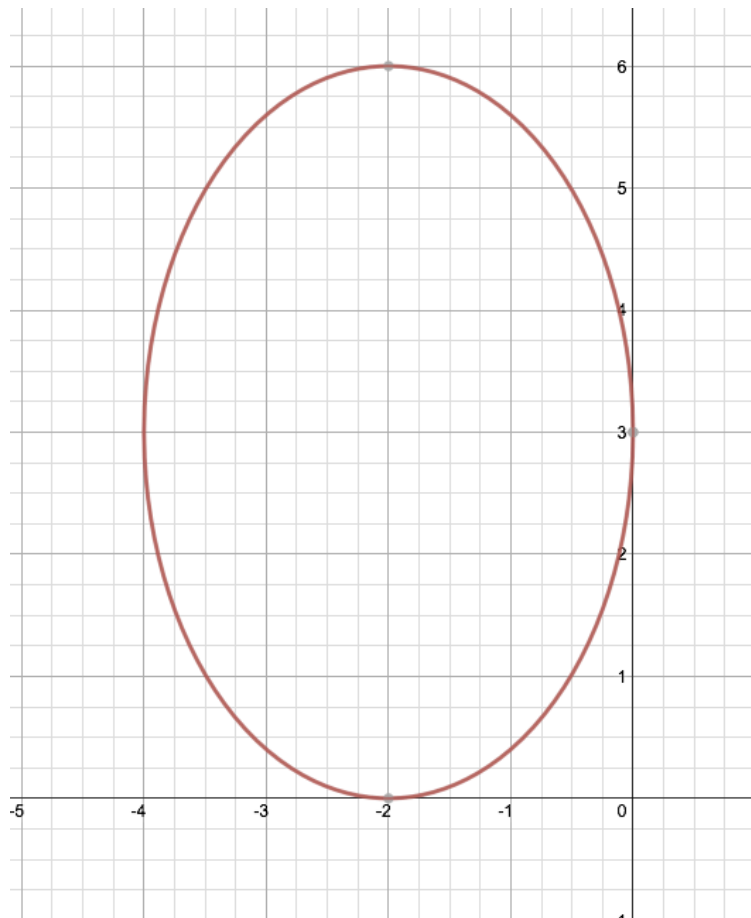
$$\frac{(x - 1)^2}{4} + \frac{(y + 2)^2}{25} = 1$$



Write the equation and state the domain and range.

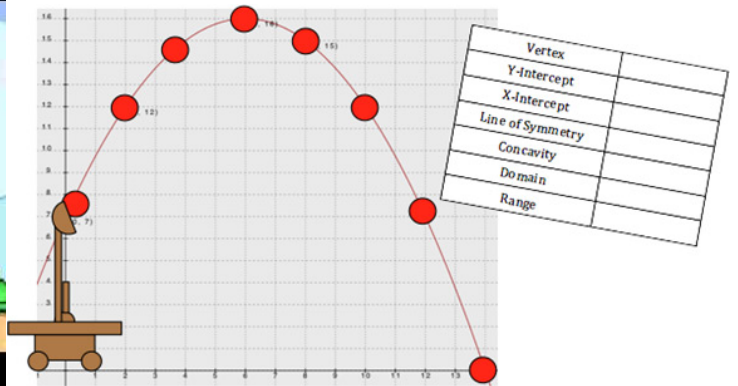


Write the equation and state the domain and range



Parabolas

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A **parabola** is the set of all points P in a plane that are equal distance from both a fixed point, (focus) and a fixed line, the **directrix**.

The **vertex** is in the middle of the line from the directrix to focus.

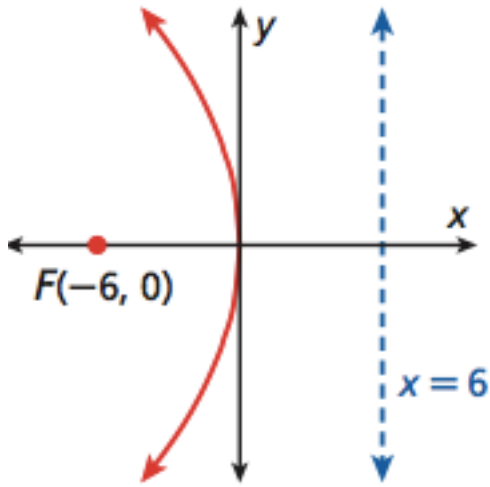
Standard Form for the Equation of a Parabola		
AXIS OF SYMMETRY	HORIZONTAL $y = 0$	VERTICAL $x = 0$
Equation	$x = \frac{1}{4p}y^2$	$y = \frac{1}{4p}x^2$
Direction	Opens right if $p > 0$ Opens left if $p < 0$	Opens upward if $p > 0$ Opens downward if $p < 0$
Focus	$(p, 0)$	$(0, p)$
Directrix	$x = -p$	$y = -p$
Graph		

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Example 1

try.

Write the equation in standard form for the parabola.

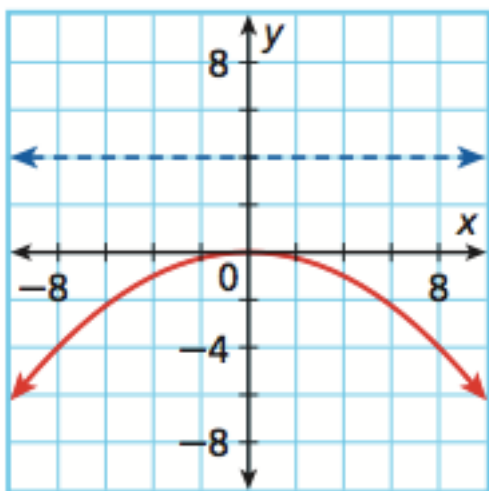


Axis of Symmetry	$y = 0$ Horizontal $x = \frac{1}{4p}y^2$
Focus value, p	Vertex is at (0,0) Directrix is at $x=6$ $x = -p$ $p = -6$
Plug in "p" into equation	$x = \frac{1}{4(-6)}y^2$ $x = \frac{1}{-24}y^2$

Ve Try:

Write the equation in standard form.

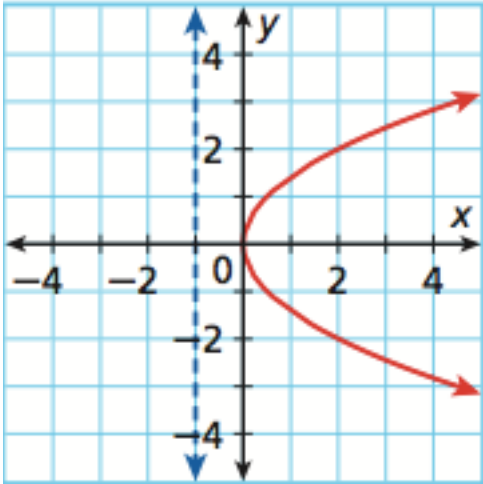
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Axis of Symmetry	
Solve for p	Vertex is at Directrix is at p =
Plug in "p" into equation	

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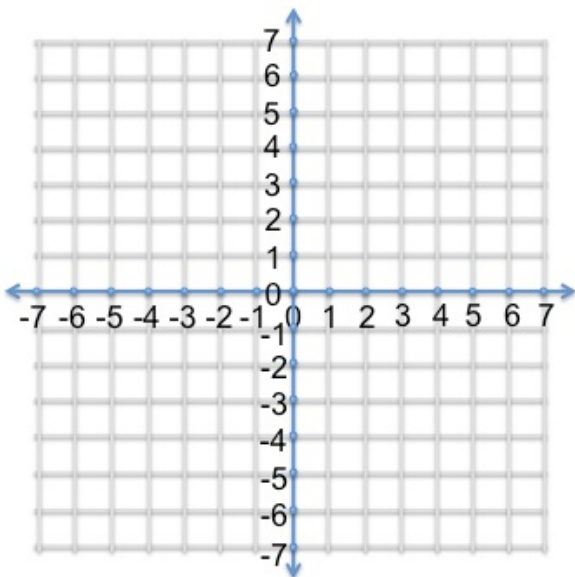


Axis of Symmetry	
Solve for p	Vertex is at Directrix is at p =
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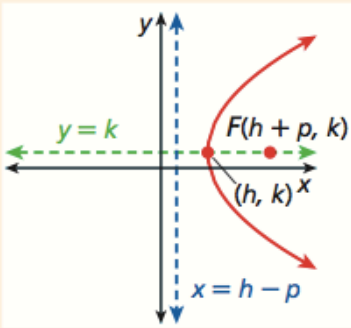
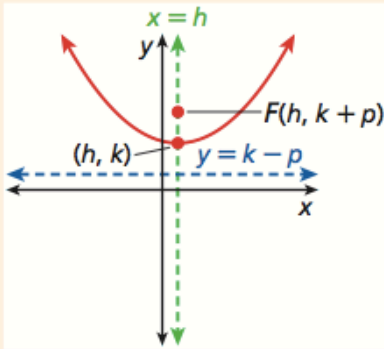
You Try in your notebooks

Odd talk, Even write:

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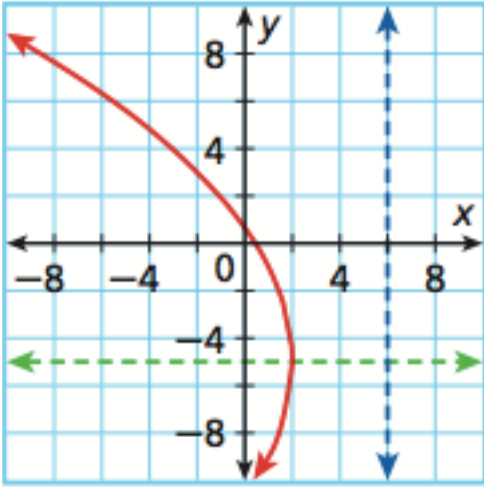


Axis of Symmetry	
Solve for p	Vertex is at Directrix is at p =
Plug in "p" into equation	

Standard Form for the Equation of a Parabola			Vertex at (h, k)
AXIS OF SYMMETRY	HORIZONTAL $y = k$	VERTICAL $x = h$	
Equation	$x - h = \frac{1}{4p}(y - k)^2$	$y - k = \frac{1}{4p}(x - h)^2$	
Direction	Opens right if $p > 0$ Opens left if $p < 0$	Opens upward if $p > 0$ Opens downward if $p < 0$	
Focus	$(h + p, k)$	$(h, k + p)$	
Directrix	$x = h - p$	$y = k - p$	
Graph			

Try.

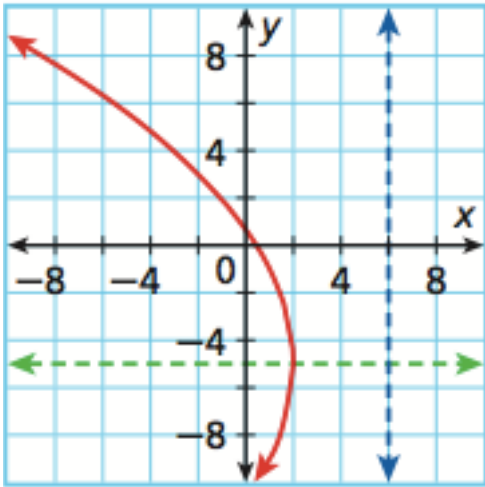
Write the equation in standard form.



Axis of Symmetry	Y=-5 Horizontal $x - h = \frac{1}{4p} (y - k)^2$
Solve for h,k,p	Vertex is at (2,-5) h=2, k=-5 Directrix is at x=6 x=h-p 6=2-p 4=-p -4=p
Plug in "h,k,p" into equation	$x - h = \frac{1}{4p} (y - k)^2$ $x - 2 = \frac{1}{4(-4)} (y - (-5))^2$ $x - 2 = \frac{1}{-16} (y + 5)^2$

We Try:

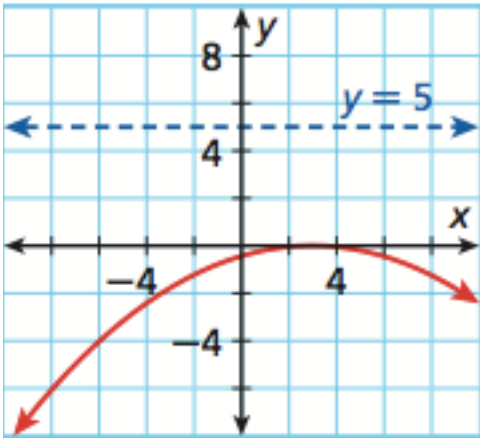
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Axis of Symmetry	
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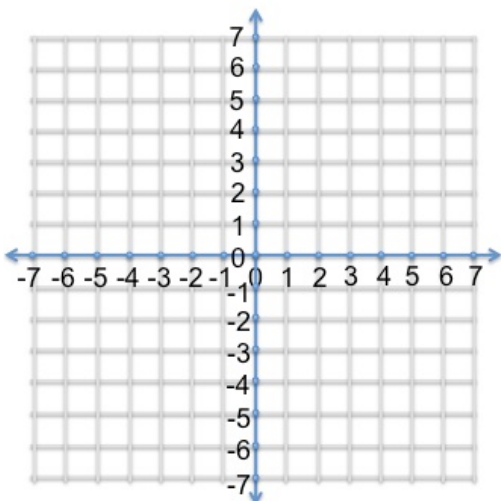
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Plug in "h,k,p" into equation	

Example 2

Find the vertex, value of p, axis of symmetry, focus, and directrix, and then graph.

$$y = \frac{1}{32}(x + 2)^2$$

Identify axis of symmetry	Vertical $y - k = \frac{1}{4p}(x - h)^2$
Vertex (h,k)	h=-2 k=0 (-2,0)
p	4p=32 p=8
focus	(h,k+p) (-2,0+8) (-2,8)
directrix	y=k-p y=0-8 y=-8

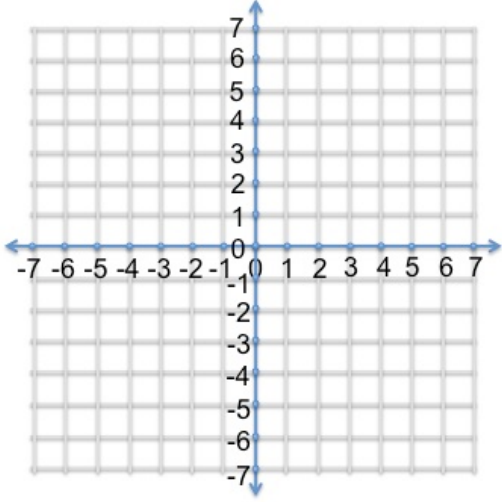


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$$x = \frac{1}{8} (y - 1)^2$$

Identify axis of symmetry	
Vertex (h,k)	h= k=
p	4p= p=
focus	
directrix	

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You Try in your notebooks with your partner:

Even Write, Odd Talk

Find the vertex, value of p, axis of symmetry, focus, and directrix, and then graph.

$$x - 2 = \frac{1}{2} (y + 1)^2$$

Identify axis of symmetry	
Vertex (h,k)	h= k=
p	4p= p=
focus	
directrix	

Example 3

Try:

Write the equation in standard form. Find the domain and range.

Vertex $(-7, -3)$, Focus $(2, -3)$

Axis of Symmetry	Horizontal $x - h = \frac{1}{4p} (y - k)^2$
Find h,k,p	H=-7,k=-3 Focus $(h+p,k)$ $-7 + p = 2$ p=9
Plug h,k,p into equation	$x - h = \frac{1}{4p} (y - k)^2$ $x - (-7) = \frac{1}{4(9)} (y - (-3))^2$ $x + 7 = \frac{1}{36} (y + 3)^2$
Find the Domain and Range	$x \geq -7$ y: R

Try:

Write the equation in standard form. Find the domain and range.

Focus (4,-5), Directrix $x = 12$

Axis of Symmetry	Directrix $x = 12$ Horizontal $x - h = \frac{1}{4p}(y - k)^2$
Find h,k,p	Vertex is halfway between the focus and directrix. Vertex (8,-5) $h=8$ $k=-5$ Focus (h+p,k) $4=8+p$ $-4=p$
Plug h,k,p into equation	$x - h = \frac{1}{4p}(y - k)^2$ $x - 8 = \frac{1}{4(-4)}(y - (-5))^2$ $x - 8 = \frac{1}{-16}(y + 5)^2$

Find the Domain and
Range

$$x \leq 8$$
$$y: \mathbb{R}$$

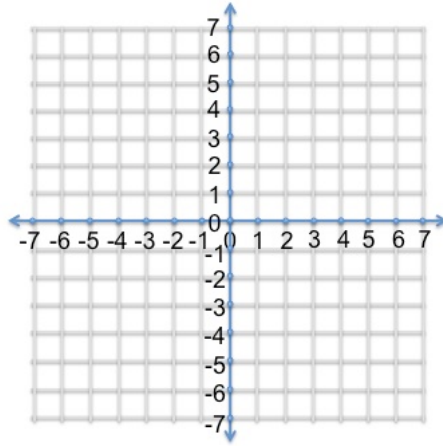
Ve Try:

Write the equation in standard form.

Odd Write Even Talk

Vertex $(0,0)$, Focus $(\frac{1}{2}, 0)$

Axis of Symmetry



Find p

Focus $(p,0)$

p=

Plug p into equation

Closure:

Discuss these questions with your partner.

How can we find the vertex given the focus and directrix?

How can we tell if a parabola is vertical or horizontal?

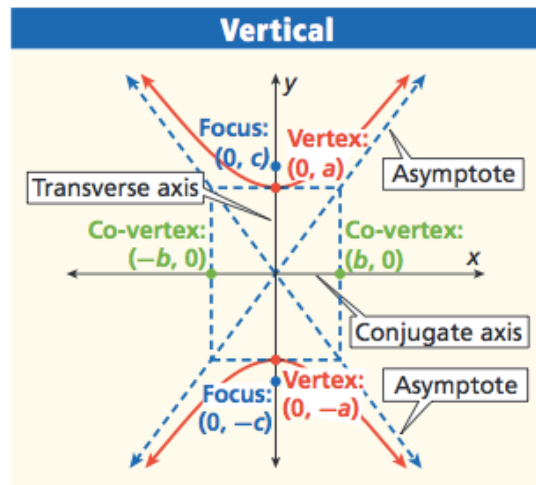
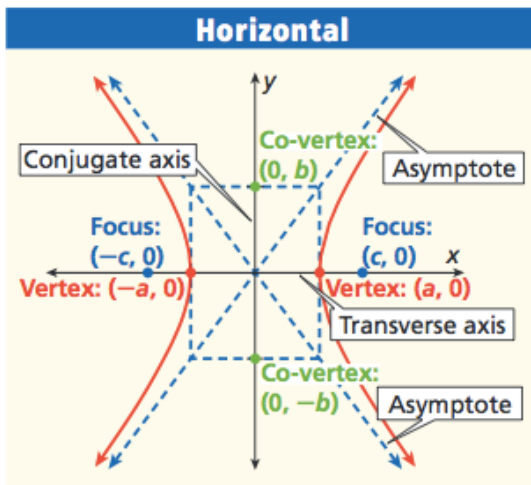
What are the steps needed to graph a parabola given the equation?

Hyperbolas

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- A **hyperbola** is the set of points P in a plane such that the difference of the distances from P to the foci is constant.
- A hyperbola is made up of two **branches**.
- The **transverse axis** of symmetry contains the *vertices and foci*.
- The **conjugate axis** of symmetry separates the two branches of the hyperbola and contains the *co-vertices*.



Standard Form for the Equation of a Hyperbola Center at (0, 0)

TRANSVERSE AXIS	HORIZONTAL	VERTICAL
Equation	$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$	$\frac{y^2}{a^2} - \frac{x^2}{b^2} = 1$
Vertices	(a, 0), (-a, 0)	(0, a), (0, -a)
Foci	(c, 0), (-c, 0)	(0, c), (0, -c)
Co-vertices	(0, b), (0, -b)	(b, 0), (-b, 0)
Asymptotes	$y = \pm \frac{b}{a}x$	$y = \pm \frac{a}{b}x$

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Question!

For ellipses, are $\frac{y^2}{a^2} + \frac{x^2}{b^2} = 1$ and $\frac{x^2}{b^2} + \frac{y^2}{a^2} = 1$ the same?

What about for hyperbolas?

Are $\frac{y^2}{a^2} - \frac{x^2}{b^2} = 1$ and $\frac{x^2}{b^2} - \frac{y^2}{a^2} = 1$ the same?

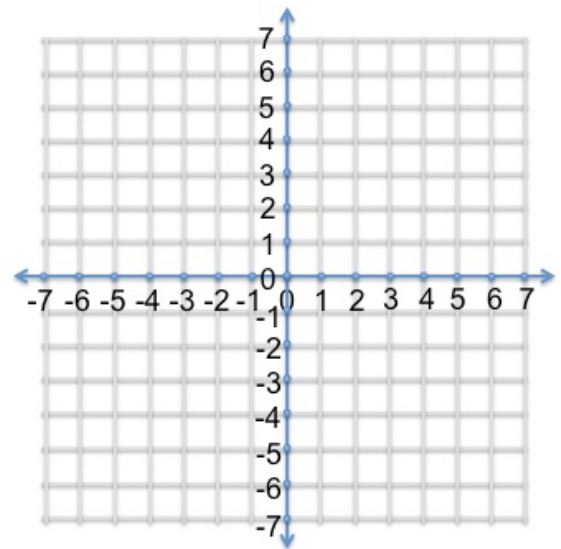
What do you remember about the “a” for ellipses

I do.

Find the vertices, co-vertices, and asymptotes of each hyperbola, and then graph.

$$\frac{y^2}{4} - \frac{x^2}{9} = 1$$

Identify form of the equation	Vertical
Identify "a" and "b"	$a^2 = 4, \quad a = 2$ $b^2 = 9, \quad b = 3$
Identify the Center, vertices, and co-vertices	Center: (0,0) Vertices: (0,2),(0,-2) Co-Vertices:(3,0),(-3,0)
Identify the Asymptotes:	$y = \pm \frac{2}{3}x$
Vertical $y = \pm \frac{a}{b}x$ Horizontal $y = \pm \frac{b}{a}x$	

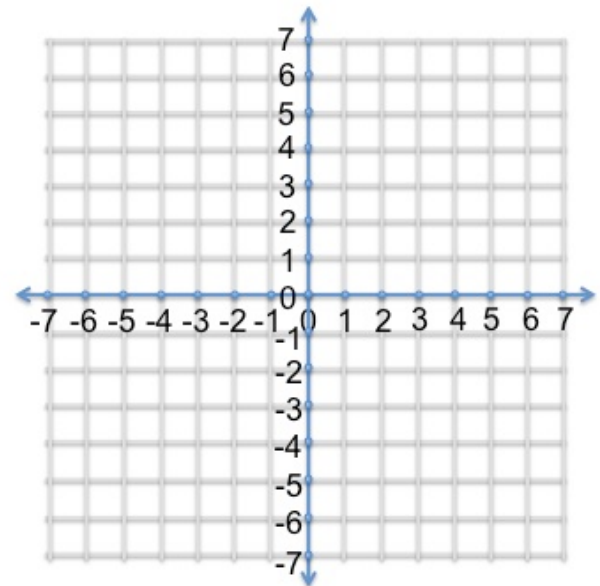


We do.

Find the vertices, co-vertices, and asymptotes of each hyperbola, and then graph.

$$\frac{x^2}{25} - \frac{y^2}{1} = 1$$

Identify form of the equation	
Identify the Center, vertices, and co-vertices	Center: Vertices: Co-Vertices:
Identify a and b	a= b=
Identify the Asymptotes	

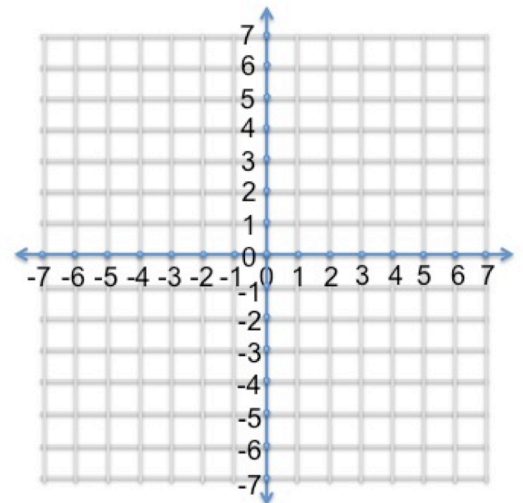


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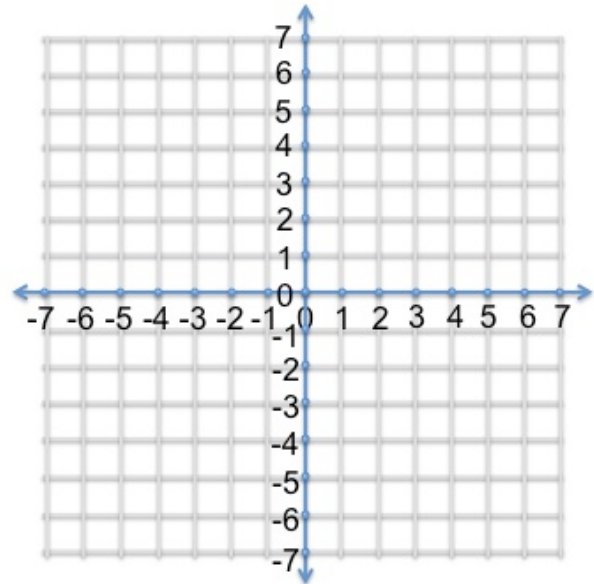
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Odd rows talk, Even rows write.

Find the vertices, co-vertices, and asymptotes of each hyperbola, and then graph.

$$\frac{x^2}{25} - \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$$

Identify form of the equation	
Identify the Center, vertices, and co-vertices	Center: V: CV:
Identify a and b	a= b=
Identify the Asymptotes Vertical $y = \pm \frac{a}{b}x$ Horizontal $y = \pm \frac{b}{a}x$	



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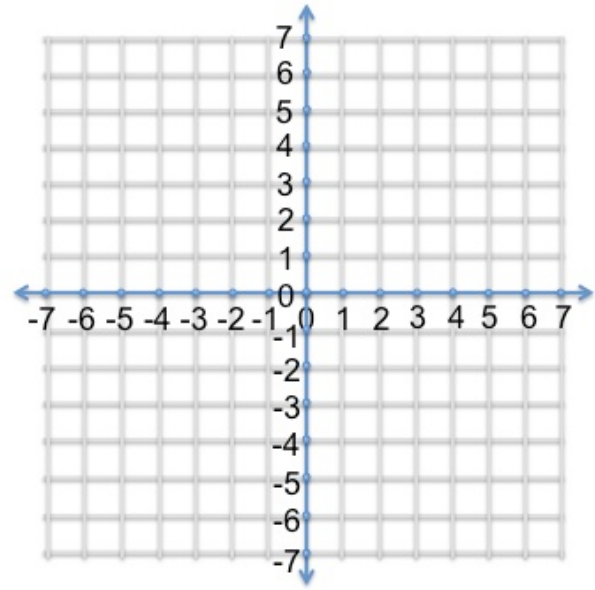
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$$\frac{y^2}{4} - \frac{x^2}{1} = 1$$

Identify form of the equation	
Identify the Center,	C:

vertices, and co-vertices	V: CV:
Identify a and b	a= b=
Identify the Asymptotes Vertical $y = \pm \frac{a}{b}x$ Horizontal $y = \pm \frac{b}{a}x$	



Adding in H and K

What does H and K do again?
Compare and contrast

$$\frac{(x)^2}{4} - \frac{(y)^2}{9} = 1$$

and

$$\frac{(x - 2)^2}{4} - \frac{(y + 1)^2}{9} = 1$$

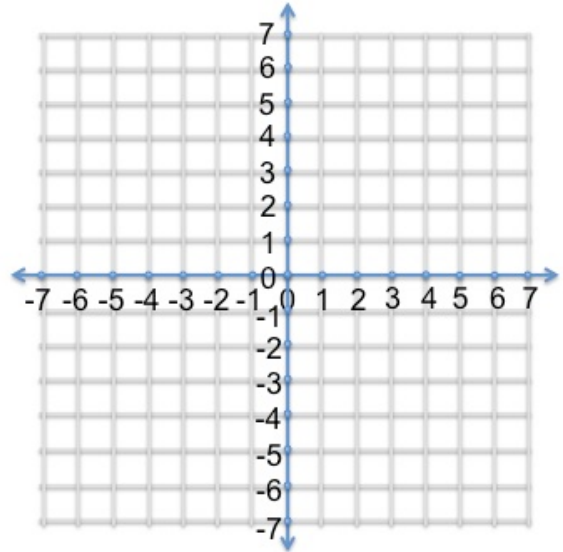
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TRANSVERSE AXIS	HORIZONTAL	VERTICAL
Equation	$\frac{(x - h)^2}{a^2} - \frac{(y - k)^2}{b^2} = 1$	$\frac{(y - k)^2}{a^2} - \frac{(x - h)^2}{b^2} = 1$
Vertices	$(h + a, k), (h - a, k)$	$(h, k + a), (h, k - a)$
Foci	$(h + c, k), (h - c, k)$	$(h, k + c), (h, k - c)$
Co-vertices	$(h, k + b), (h, k - b)$	$(h + b, k), (h - b, k)$
Asymptotes	$y - k = \pm \frac{b}{a}(x - h)$	$y - k = \pm \frac{a}{b}(x - h)$

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Find the vertices, co-vertices, and asymptotes of each hyperbola, and then graph.

$$\frac{(x - 2)^2}{4} - \frac{(y + 1)^2}{9} = 1$$

Identify form of the equation	Horizontal
Identify a and b	$a^2 = 4, \quad a = 2$ $b^2 = 9, \quad b = 3$
Identify the center, vertices, co-vertices.	Center: $(2, -1)$ Vertices $(2+2, -1), (2-2, -1)$ $(4, -1), (0, -1)$ Co-Vertices: $(2, -1+3), (2, -1-3)$ $(2, 2), (2, -4)$
Identify the Asymptotes Vertical: $y - k = \pm \frac{a}{b} (x - h)$ Horizontal: $y - k = \pm \frac{b}{a} (x - h)$	$y + 1 = \pm \frac{3}{2} (x - 2)$

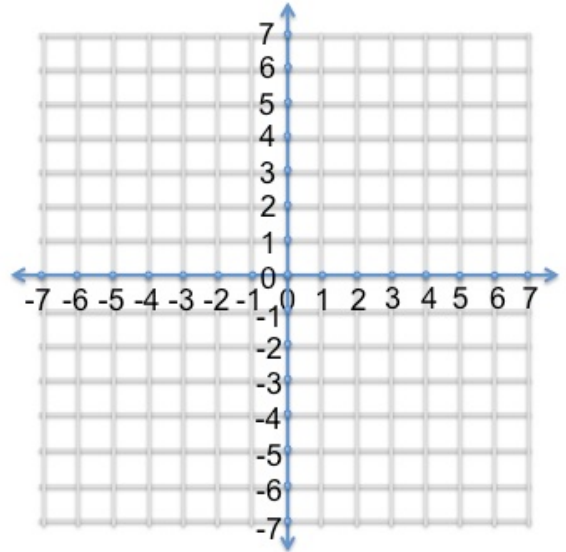


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Find the vertices, co-vertices, and asymptotes of each hyperbola, and then graph.

$$\frac{(y + 1)^2}{16} - \frac{(x + 2)^2}{9} = 1$$

Identify form of the equation	
Identify a and b	a= b=
Identify the center, vertices, co-vertices.	Center: Vertices: Co-vertices:
Identify the Asymptotes Vertical: $y - k = \pm \frac{a}{b} (x - h)$ Horizontal: $y - k = \pm \frac{b}{a} (x - h)$	

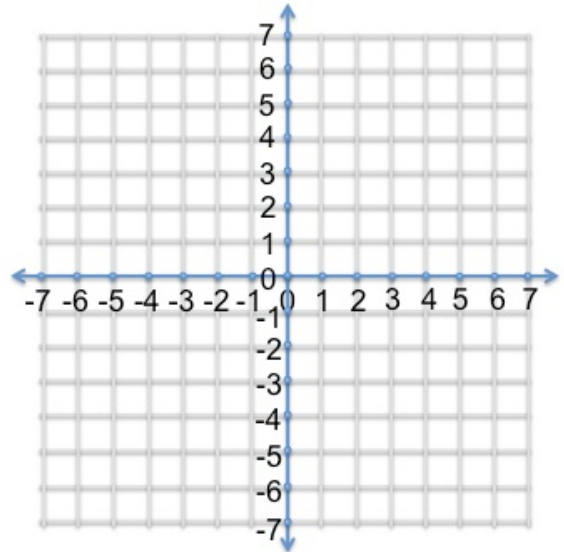


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Find the vertices, co-vertices, and asymptotes of each hyperbola, and then graph.

$$\frac{(x)^2}{4} - \frac{(y - 3)^2}{1} = 1$$

Identify form of the equation	
Identify a and b	a= b=
Identify the center, vertices, co-vertices.	Center: V: CV:
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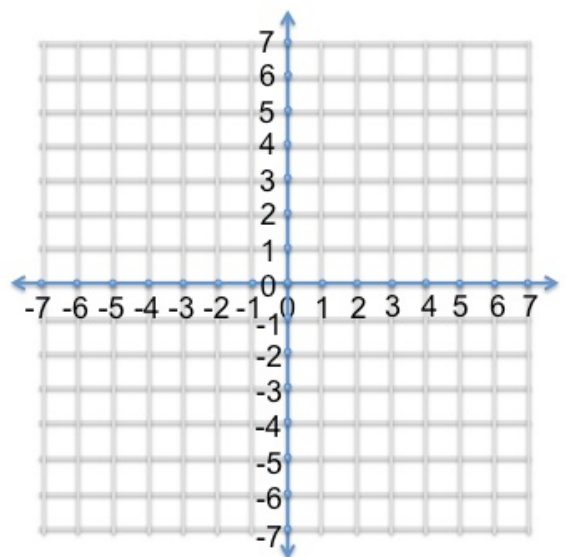


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Identify form of the equation	
Identify a and b	a= b=
Identify the center, vertices, co-vertices.	Center: Vertices: Co-vertices:
Identify the Asymptotes Vertical: $y - k = \pm \frac{a}{b} (x - h)$ Horizontal: $y - k = \pm \frac{b}{a} (x - h)$	



Closure:

Compare and Contrast the differences between a Hyperbola and an Ellipse equation and graph. Write at least 3 aspects that are similar and 3 that are different. Be ready to share with the class

$$\frac{(x-h)^2}{a^2} - \frac{(y-k)^2}{b^2} = 1 \qquad \frac{(y-k)^2}{a^2} - \frac{(x-h)^2}{b^2} = 1$$

$$\frac{(x-h)^2}{a^2} + \frac{(y-k)^2}{b^2} = 1 \qquad \frac{(y-k)^2}{a^2} + \frac{(x-h)^2}{b^2} = 1$$

True or false?

Discuss with your partner about the statements. Are they true or false? Provide reasons for your answer.

$$\frac{(y+2)^2}{9} - \frac{(x-3)^2}{4} = 1$$

This is an equation for an ellipse.

This is horizontal.

$$a = 3.$$

$$b = 4.$$

The center is $(-2,3)$.

Complete the square and identify what kind of conic it is.

Standard Forms for the Conic Sections with Center (h, k)

	$(x - h)^2 + (y - k)^2 = r^2$	
	HORIZONTAL AXIS	VERTICAL AXIS
Circle		
Ellipse	$\frac{(x - h)^2}{a^2} + \frac{(y - k)^2}{b^2} = 1$	$\frac{(x - h)^2}{b^2} + \frac{(y - k)^2}{a^2} = 1$
Hyperbola	$\frac{(x - h)^2}{a^2} - \frac{(y - k)^2}{b^2} = 1$	$\frac{(y - k)^2}{a^2} - \frac{(x - h)^2}{b^2} = 1$
Parabola	$x - h = \frac{1}{4p}(y - k)^2$	$y - k = \frac{1}{4p}(x - h)^2$