

Popper 07 < Bubble

① State the vertex for the parabola:

Standard Form  
 $y^2 - 4x - 8 = 0 \Rightarrow y^2 = 4x + 8 \Rightarrow y^2 = 4(x+2)$   
 $y^2 = 4x$  shifted 2 units left  $\uparrow$

- A. (0, 2)      B. (0, -2)      C. (-2, 0)      D. none  
horizontal

② State the equation of directrix for this parabola

$$x^2 = 8y = 4 \cdot (2) y \quad p=2 \Rightarrow \boxed{y = -2}$$

- A.  $x=2$       B.  $x=-2$       C.  $y=2$       D.  $y=-2$

③ Given  $\frac{x^2}{36=a^2} + \frac{y^2}{11} = 1$ , find major axis coordinates.  $\left( \begin{matrix} a, 0 \\ -a, 0 \end{matrix} \right)$

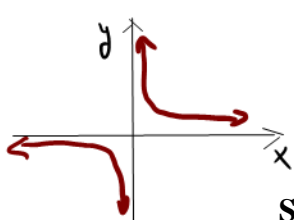
- A. (0, 6)      B. (6, 0)      C. (3, 0)      D. (0, 3)  
(0, -6)      (-6, 0)      (-3, 0)      (0, -3)

④ Find the foci points of above ellipse:

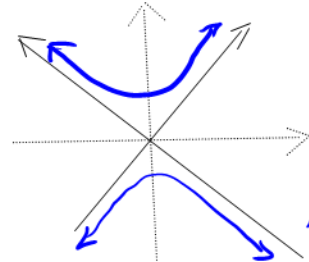
$$c^2 = a^2 - b^2 = 36 - 11 = 25 \Rightarrow c = \pm 5$$

- A. (5, 0)      B. (0, 5)      C. ( $\sqrt{11}$ , 0)      D. none,  
(-5, 0)      (0, -5)      ( $-\sqrt{11}$ , 0)

Think of  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x}$



Rotate like  $45^\circ$  counter-clockwise



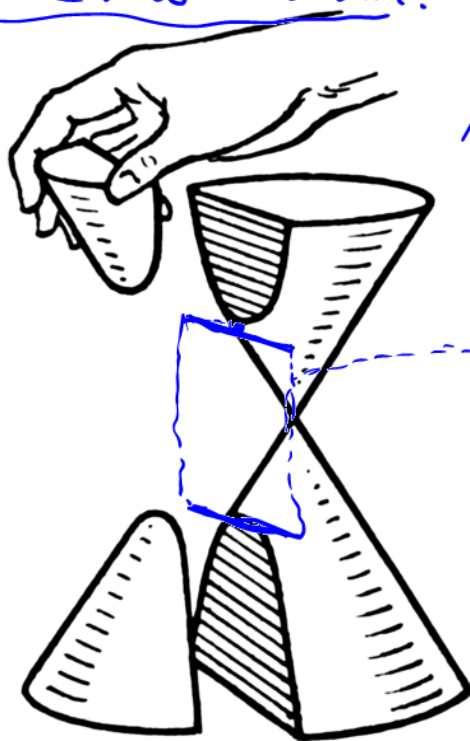
You get a "Vertical Hyperbola"

## Section 8.3 Hyperbolas

**Definition:** A *hyperbola* is the set of all points, the difference of whose distances from two fixed points is constant. Each fixed point is called a *focus* (plural = *foci*).

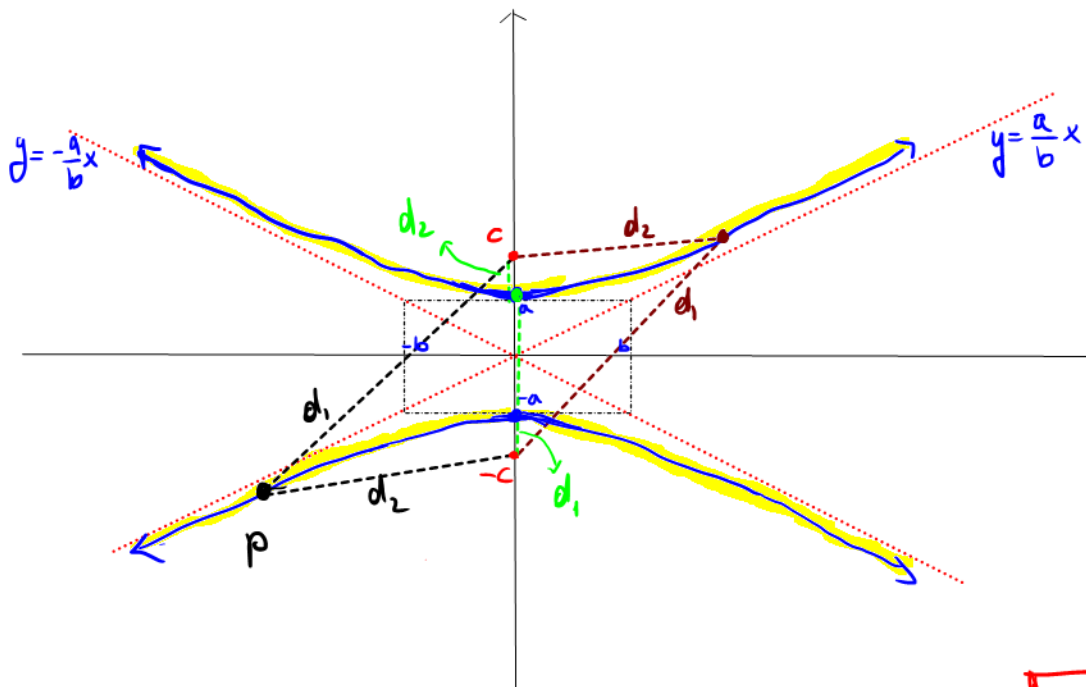
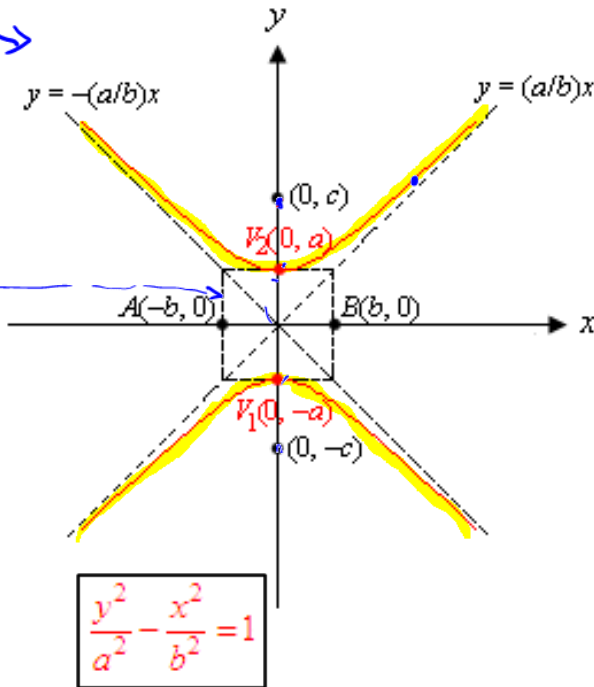
The *focal axis* is the line passing through the foci.

Visualize how it is built!



graph

Cross-section



By definition  
 $d_1 - d_2 = \text{fixed}$   
 $2a$

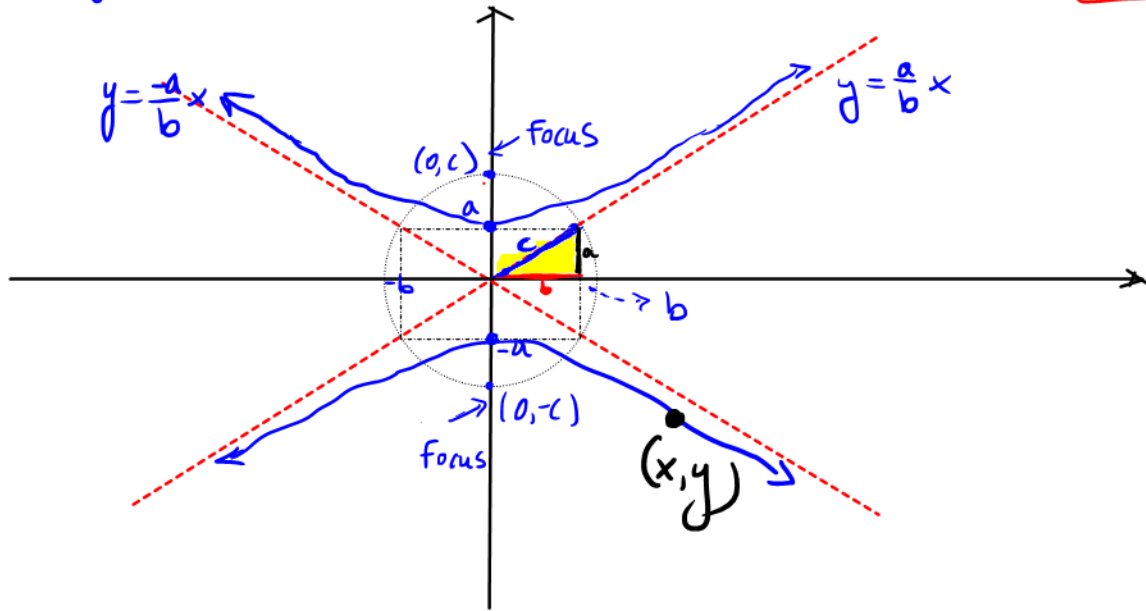
$d_1 - d_2 = \text{fixed}$   
 $d_1 = C + a$   
 $d_2 = C - a$   
 $d_1 - d_2 = 2a$

$\Rightarrow d_1 - d_2 = 2a$

$\Rightarrow$  By using similar strategy as in parabolas or ellipses, we get

$$c^2 = a^2 + b^2$$

The beauty of hyperbolas is that the foci and the corners of the rectangle are in a circle. This occurs because  $c^2 = a^2 + b^2$



For any fixed point  $(x, y)$  on hyperbola above doing the difference of distances of this point to the foci very similarly as we did for ellipse, but here we have  $c^2 = a^2 + b^2$ , we deduce

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

Standard form:  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  or  $\frac{y^2}{a^2} - \frac{x^2}{b^2} = 1$

Basic "vertical" hyperbola: → begins with  $\frac{y^2}{a^2}$

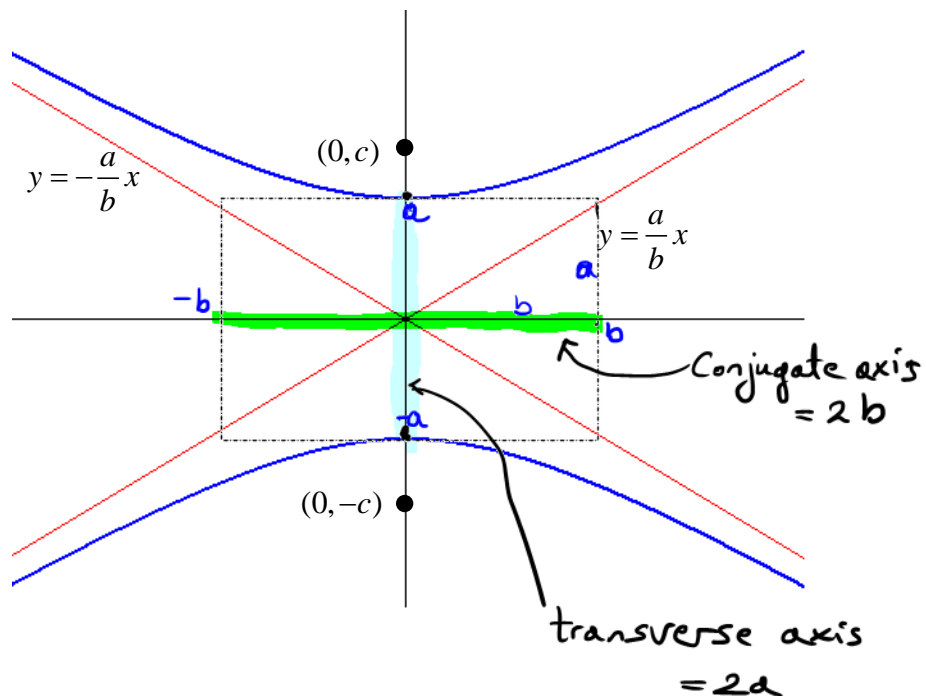
Equation:  $\frac{y^2}{a^2} - \frac{x^2}{b^2} = 1$

Asymptotes:  $y = \pm \frac{a}{b}x$

Foci:  $(0, \pm c)$ , where  $c^2 = a^2 + b^2$  always

Vertices:  $(0, \pm a)$

Eccentricity:  $\frac{c}{a} (> 1)$



Basic "horizontal" hyperbola: → begins with  $\frac{x^2}{a^2}$

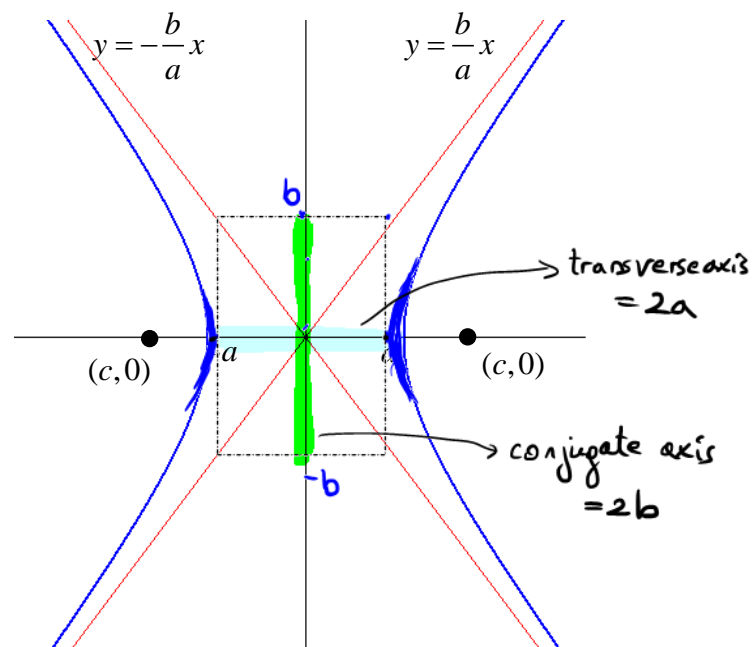
Equation:  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$

Asymptotes:  $y = \pm \frac{b}{a}x$

Foci:  $(\pm c, 0)$ , where  $c^2 = a^2 + b^2$  always

Vertices:  $(\pm a, 0)$

Eccentricity:  $\frac{c}{a} (> 1)$

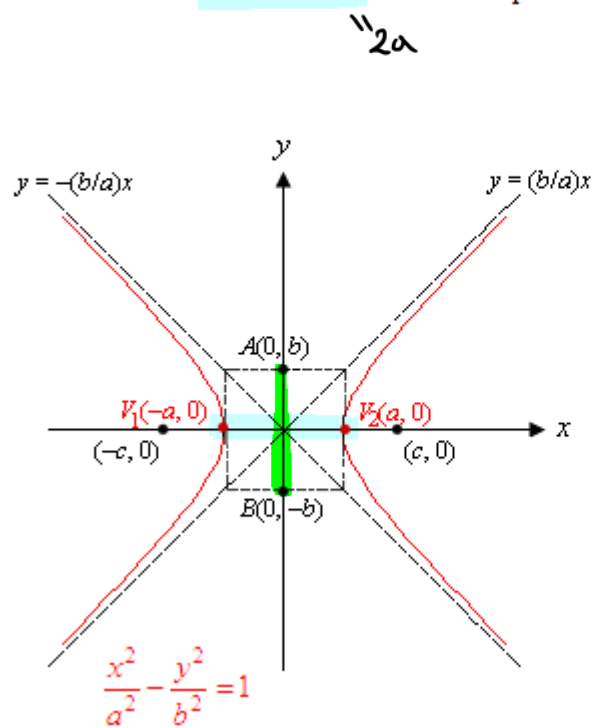


Note: The **transverse axis** is the line segment joining the two vertices. The **conjugate axis** is the line segment perpendicular to the transverse axis, passing through the center and extending a distance  $b$  on either side of the center. (These terms will make more sense after we do the graphing examples.)

Never forget: Hyperbola curves lie in between two intersecting lines opposite to each other.

# Details about conjugate and transverse axis.

The conjugate axis of the hyperbola is the line segment through the center of the hyperbola and perpendicular to the transverse axis with endpoints  $(0, -b)$  and  $(0, b)$ .



Center:  $(0, 0)$

Foci:  $(-c, 0)$  and  $(c, 0)$ , where  $c^2 = a^2 + b^2$

Vertices:  $V_1(-a, 0)$  and  $V_2(a, 0)$

Transverse Axis:  $\overline{V_1V_2}$       Length of Transverse Axis:  $2a$

Conjugate Axis:  $\overline{AB}$       Length of Conjugate Axis:  $2b$

The eccentricity of a hyperbola is given by the formula  $e = \frac{c}{a}$ .

The lines  $y = \frac{b}{a}x$  and  $y = -\frac{b}{a}x$  are slant asymptotes for the hyperbola since it can

be shown that as  $|x|$  becomes large,  $y \rightarrow \pm \frac{b}{a}x$ .

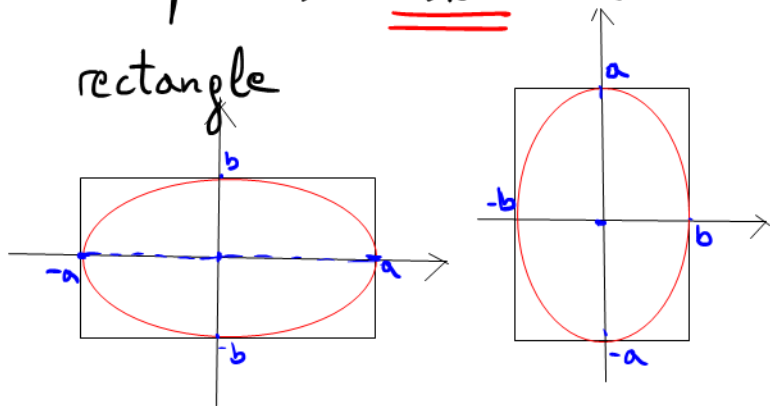
# Ellipses

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# Hyperboles

- by definition  $d_1 + d_2 = 2a$
- Foci Equation  $c^2 = a^2 - b^2$   
(foci are between vertices)
- Horizontal Ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$   
- Vertices  $(a, 0), (-a, 0)$
- Vertical Ellipse  $\frac{y^2}{a^2} + \frac{x^2}{b^2} = 1$   
- Vertices  $(0, a), (0, -a)$
- Major axis =  $2a$   
(connects the vertices)
- Minor axis =  $2b$
- No slant asymptotes

• Ellipse is inside the rectangle

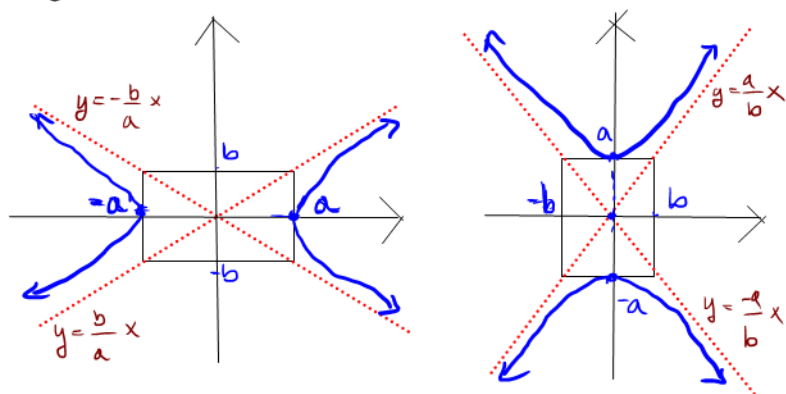


- by definition  $|d_1 - d_2| = 2a$
- Foci Equation  $c^2 = a^2 + b^2$   
(foci are beyond vertices)
- Horizontal Hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$   
- Vertices  $(a, 0), (-a, 0)$
- Vertical Hyperbola  $\frac{y^2}{a^2} - \frac{x^2}{b^2} = 1$   
- Vertices  $(0, a), (0, -a)$
- Transverse axis =  $2a$   
(connects the vertices)
- Conjugate axis =  $2b$
- Slant asymptotes

$$y = \pm \frac{b}{a}x \quad \text{or} \quad y = \pm \frac{a}{b}x$$

Horizontal                      Vertical

• Hyperbola is beyond the rectangle



To be continued on Wednesday, 2/17.

Graphing hyperbolas: *Let's demonstrate by doing example 1.*

To graph a hyperbola with center at the origin:

*Just know how to begin!!!*

- Rearrange into the form  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  or  $\frac{y^2}{a^2} - \frac{x^2}{b^2} = 1$ .
- Decide if it's a "horizontal" or "vertical" hyperbola.
  - if  $x^2$  comes first, it's horizontal (vertices are on x-axis).
  - If  $y^2$  comes first, it's vertical (vertices are on y-axis).
- Use the square root of the number under  $x^2$  to determine how far to measure in x-direction.
- Use the square root of the number under  $y^2$  to determine how far to measure in y-direction.
- Draw a box with these measurements.
- Draw diagonals through the box. These are the asymptotes. Use the dimensions of the box to determine the slope and write the equations of the asymptotes.
- Put the vertices at the edge of the box on the correct axis. Then draw a hyperbola, making sure it approaches the asymptotes smoothly.
- $c^2 = a^2 + b^2$  where  $a^2$  and  $b^2$  are the denominators.
- The foci are located  $c$  units from the center, on the same axis as the vertices.

When graphing hyperbolas, you will need to find the orientation, center, values for  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $c$ , lengths of transverse and conjugate axes, vertices, foci, equations of the asymptotes, and eccentricity.

*→ let's begin:*

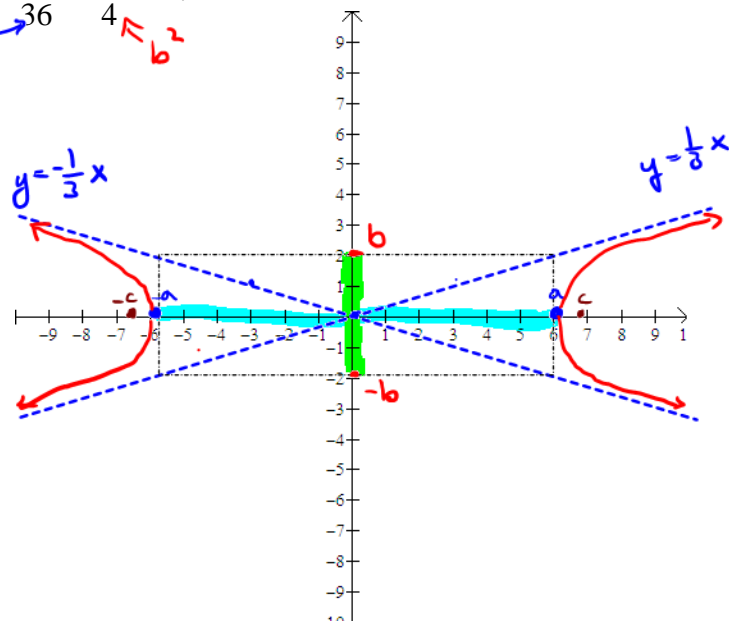
**Example 1:** Find all relevant information and graph  $\frac{x^2}{36} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$ .

$$a^2 = 36 \Rightarrow a = 6$$

$$b^2 = 4 \Rightarrow b = 2$$

$$c^2 = a^2 + b^2 = 40 \Rightarrow c = \sqrt{40} = 2\sqrt{10}$$

horizontal



Vertices:  $(6, 0), (-6, 0)$

Foci:  $(2\sqrt{10}, 0), (-2\sqrt{10}, 0)$

Eccentricity:  $\frac{c}{a} = \frac{2\sqrt{10}}{6} =$

**Transverse Axis:** = The segment joining vertices

Length of transverse axis:

$$2 \cdot a = 2 \cdot 6 = 12$$

**Conjugate axis:** = The segment joining the "b" points.

Length of conjugate axis:

$$2 \cdot b = 2 \cdot 2 = 4$$

Slant Asymptotes:  $y = \frac{b}{a}x = \frac{2}{6}x = \frac{1}{3}x$

$$y = -\frac{b}{a}x = -\frac{1}{3}x$$



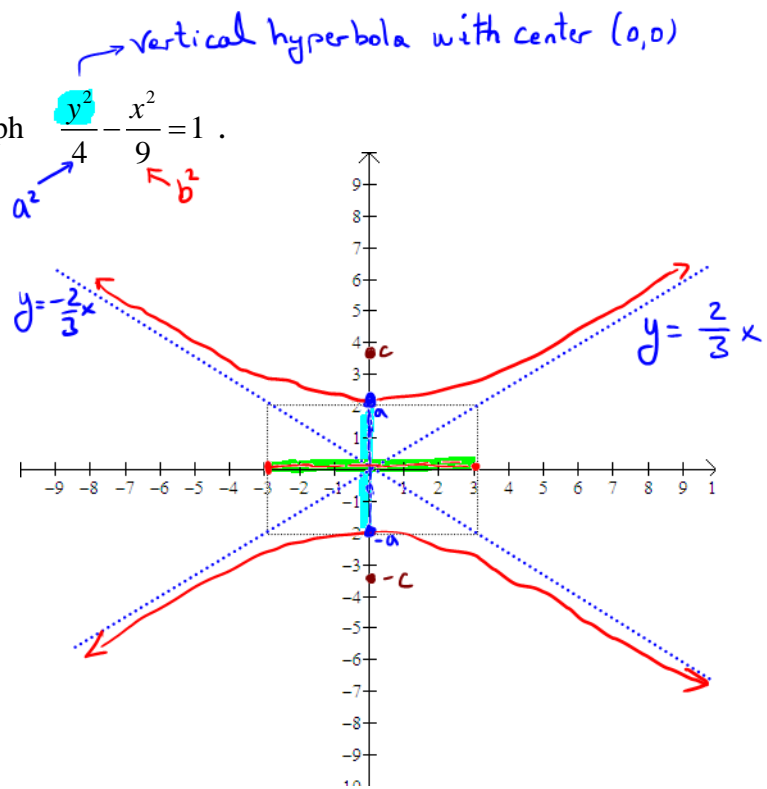
**Example 2:** Find all relevant information and graph  $\frac{y^2}{4} - \frac{x^2}{9} = 1$ .

$$a^2 = 4 \Rightarrow a = \pm 2 \text{ (vertices)}$$

$$b^2 = 9 \Rightarrow b = \pm 3$$

$$c^2 = a^2 + b^2 = 4 + 9 = 13$$

$$\Rightarrow c = \pm \sqrt{13}$$



Vertices:  $(0, 2), (0, -2)$

Foci:  $(0, \sqrt{13}), (0, -\sqrt{13})$

Eccentricity:  $\frac{c}{a} = \frac{\sqrt{13}}{2}$

**Transverse Axis:** the segment joining vertices

Length of transverse axis:  $2a = 2 \cdot 2 = 4$

**Conjugate axis:** the segment joining "b"

Length of conjugate axis:  $2b = 2 \cdot 3 = 6$

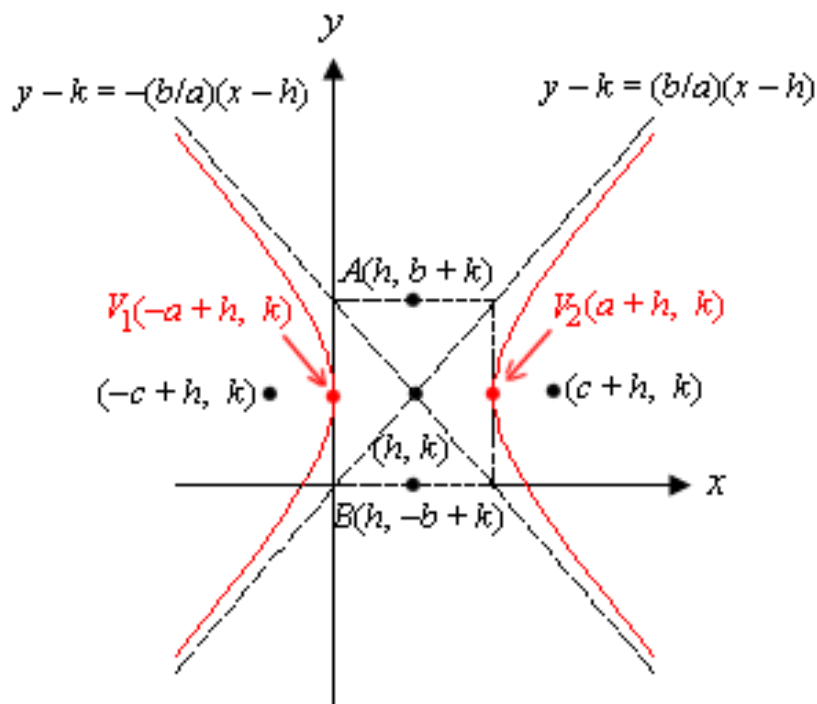
Slant Asymptotes:  $y = \pm \frac{a}{b} x = \pm \frac{2}{3} x$

**The equation of a hyperbola with center not at the origin: Center: (h, k)**

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

**To graph a hyperbola with center not at the origin:**

- Rearrange (complete the square if necessary) to look like  $\frac{(x-h)^2}{a^2} - \frac{(y-k)^2}{b^2} = 1$  or  $\frac{(y-k)^2}{b^2} - \frac{(x-h)^2}{a^2} = 1$ .
- Start at the center (h, k) and then graph it as before.
- To write down the equations of the asymptotes, start with the equations of the asymptotes for the similar hyperbola with center at the origin. Then replace x with x - h and replace y with y - k.



$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ 
shift h units horizontally  
shift k units vertically  
center (0,0)

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

- All the features shift accordingly.

The following list reflects the changes in translating the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  to the

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

Center: The point  $(0, 0)$  changes to the point  $(h, k)$ .

Foci: The foci change from the points  $(-c, 0)$  and  $(c, 0)$  to the points  $(-c+h, k)$  and  $(c+h, k)$ , where  $c^2 = a^2 + b^2$ .

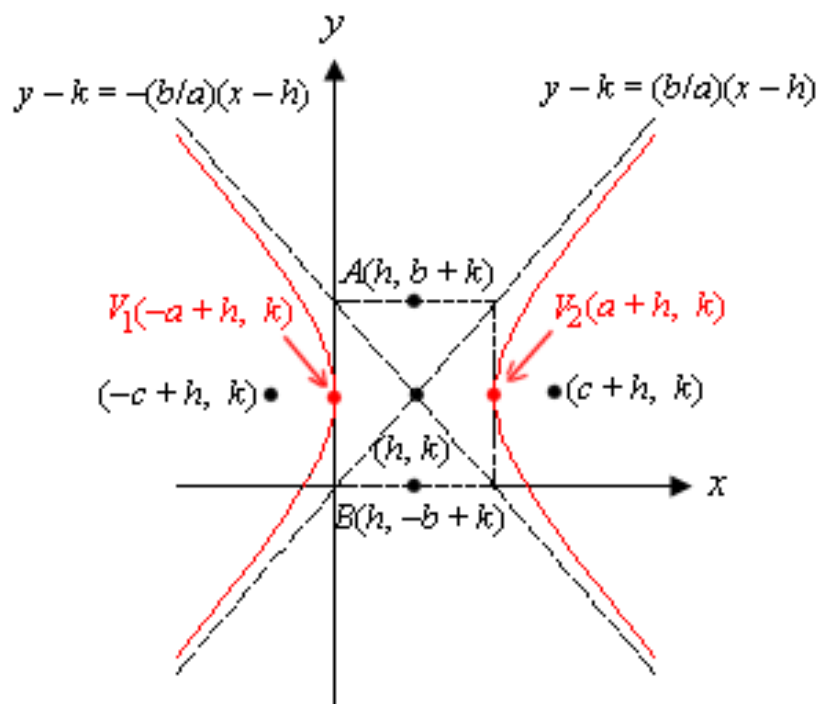
Vertices: The vertices change from the points  $(-a, 0)$  and  $(a, 0)$  to the points  $(-a+h, k)$  and  $(a+h, k)$ .

Transverse Axis:  $\overline{V_1V_2}$  Length of Transverse Axis:  $2a$

Conjugate Axis:  $\overline{AB}$  Length of Conjugate Axis:  $2b$

Equations of the Asymptotes: The lines  $y = \frac{b}{a}x$  and  $y = -\frac{b}{a}x$  change to the lines

$y - k = \frac{b}{a}(x - h)$  and  $y - k = -\frac{b}{a}(x - h)$ .



(look at the next page how to bring in standard form:

**Example 3:** Write the equation in standard form, find all relevant information and graph

$$9x^2 - 16y^2 - 18x + 96y = 279.$$

Standard form  $\rightarrow \frac{(x-1)^2}{16} - \frac{(y-3)^2}{9} = 1$

$a^2 \rightarrow 16$   $b^2 \rightarrow 9$

Horizontal hyperbola with center (0,0) • Horizontal hyperbola shifted right, 3 up center (1,3) ✓

$a^2=16 \Rightarrow a=4$  • Vertices shifted  
(-4,0), (4,0) (-3,3) ✓, (5,3) ✓

$2a=2 \cdot 4=8$  • Transverse axis =  $2a=8$

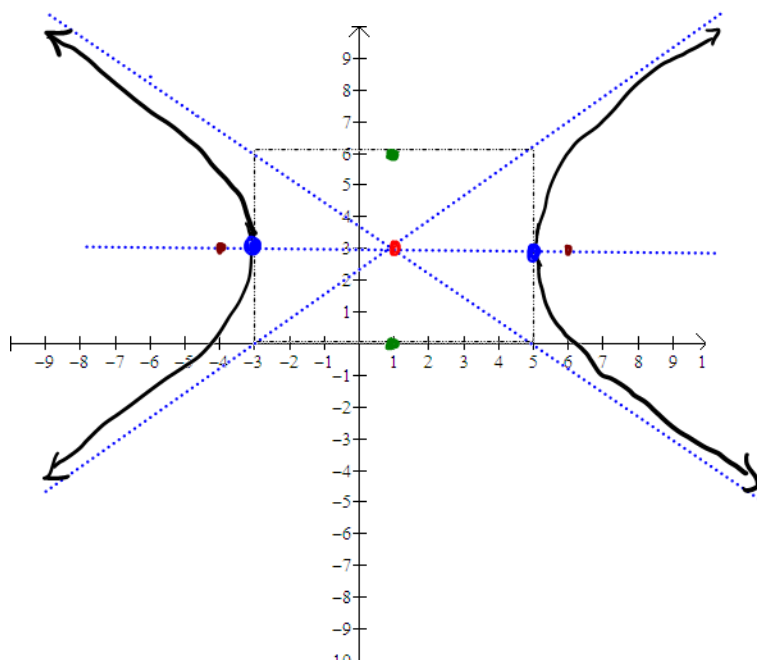
$c^2=a^2+b^2=25$  • Foci Coordinates shifted  
 $c=5$   
(-5,0), (5,0) (-4,3) ✓, (6,3) ✓

$b^2=9 \Rightarrow b=3$  • Conjugate axis =  $2b=6$   
 $2b=2 \cdot 3=6$   
(0,-3), (0,3) shifted (1,0) ✓, (1,6) ✓

$y = \frac{b}{a}x = \frac{3}{4}x$  • Slant Asymptotes shifted

$y = -\frac{b}{a}x = -\frac{3}{4}x$   $y-3 = \frac{3}{4}(x-1)$ ,  $y-3 = -\frac{3}{4}(x-1)$

$e = \frac{c}{a}$  • Eccentricity  $c = \frac{c}{a} = \frac{5}{4} = 1.25$



$\Rightarrow$  Draw the rectangle.  
Then draw diagonals of rectangle and extend. Diagonals are the slant asymptotes

$$9x^2 - 16y^2 - 18x + 96y = 279$$

↳ Likely terms

$$(9x^2 - 18x) + (-16y^2 + 96y) = 279$$

↳ Factor coefficients and complete square

$$9(x^2 - 2x + 1) - 16(y^2 - 6y + 9) = 279 + 9 \cdot 1 - 16 \cdot 9$$

$(\frac{2}{2}=1)^2$                        $(\frac{6}{2}=3)^2$

↳ Rewrite

$$9(x-1)^2 - 16(y-3)^2 = 144$$

↳ Divide by 144 both sides

$$\frac{9(x-1)^2}{144} - \frac{16(y-3)^2}{144} = \frac{144}{144}$$

↳ Simplify

$$\boxed{\frac{(x-1)^2}{16} - \frac{(y-3)^2}{9} = 1}$$

Standard form.

This is the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{16} - \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$

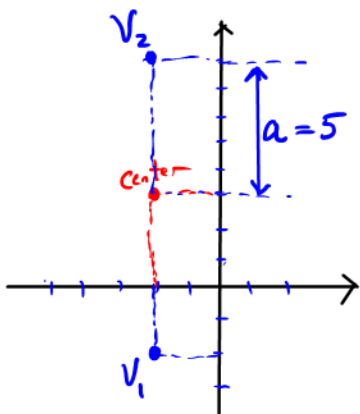
shifted 1 unit right, 3 units up.

Keep in mind : Center, Vertices, Foci are on the same line, always.

**Example 4:** Write an equation of the hyperbola with center at  $(-2, 3)$  one vertex is at  $(-2, -2)$  and eccentricity is 2.

Center gives the shiftment of hyperbola

A quick sketch of problem:



• By picture, it's a vertical hyperbola centered @  $(-2, 3)$

• Vertices are symmetric wrt. center, hence

$$V_2(-2, 8), \text{ and } a=5. \Rightarrow a^2=25$$

• Need  $b$ ,  $e = \frac{c}{a} \Rightarrow c = e \cdot a = 2 \cdot 5 = 10$

$$c^2 = a^2 + b^2 \Rightarrow b^2 = c^2 - a^2 = 10^2 - 5^2 = 75$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(y-3)^2}{25} - \frac{(x+2)^2}{75} = 1$$

Exercise

**Example 5:** Write an equation of the hyperbola if the vertices are  $(4, 0)$  and  $(4, 8)$  and the asymptotes have slopes  $\pm 1$ .

$\underbrace{(4, 0)}_{V_1} \quad \underbrace{(4, 8)}_{V_2}$

• Vertices lined vertically  $\Rightarrow$  Vertical hyperbola.

Center is the midpoint of transverse axis.

$$\Rightarrow C = (4, 4) \text{ shifts of hyperbola.}$$

•  $a = \text{half of transverse length} = \frac{8}{2} = 4$ .

$$a^2 = 16$$

• Being vertical, slant asymptotes are  $y = \pm \frac{a}{b}x$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a}{b} = 1 \Rightarrow a = b \Rightarrow b^2 = 16$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(y-4)^2}{16} - \frac{(x-4)^2}{16} = 1$$

## Popper 08 --- Bubble correctly!

Identify the following:

A) Circle      B) Ellipse      C) Parabola      D) Hyperbola      E) None

**(D)** Question #1 :  $\frac{(x+4)^2}{4} - \frac{(y-1)^2}{9} = 1 \Rightarrow$  hyperbola shifted 4 units left, 1 unit up.

**(B)** Question #2 :  $x^2 + 2y^2 - 4x + y = 9 \Rightarrow$  ellipse, both square terms are positive with different coefficients  
 $(x-2)^2 + 2(y-0.5)^2 = 13.5$   
 $\Rightarrow \frac{(x-2)^2}{13.5} + \frac{(y-0.5)^2}{6.75} = 1$

**(D)** Question #3 :  $x^2 - 4x - y^2 + 6y = 10 \Rightarrow$  hyperbola, because square terms have opposite signs  
 $(x-2)^2 - (y-3)^2 = 23$   
 $\frac{(x-2)^2}{23} - \frac{(y-3)^2}{23} = 1$

**(C)** Question #4 :  $x^2 - 4x + 12y = 9 \Rightarrow$  parabola, just one square term showing

**(A)** Question #5 :  $9x^2 + 9y^2 - 4x + 18y = 9 \Rightarrow$  circle, both positive square terms and same coefficient  
 $9(x^2 + y^2 - \frac{4}{9}x + 2y) = 9$   
 $x^2 - \frac{4}{9}x + y^2 + 2y = 1$   
 $(x - \frac{2}{9})^2 + (y + 1)^2 = 1 + \frac{4}{81} + 1 = \frac{166}{81}$