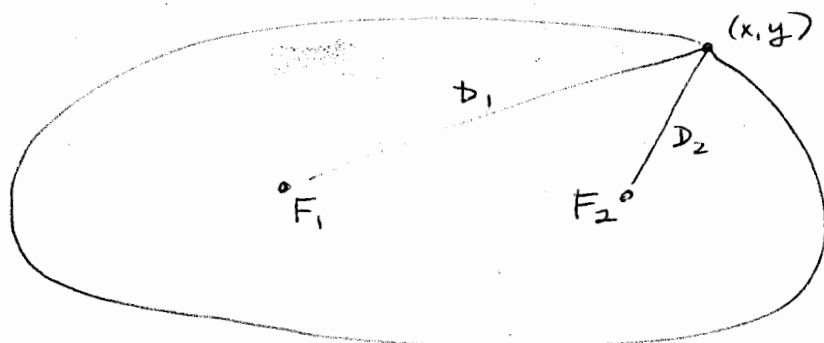


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- 1) Recognize equation of ellipse
- 2) Graph ellipse
- 3) Recognize equation of hyperbola
- 4) Graph hyperbola

An ellipse is the set of all points (x, y) such that the sum of the two distances from (x, y) to point F_1 and from (x, y) to point F_2 is a constant



The points F_1 and F_2 are called foci ("foh-sigh"), the plural of focus.

① Sketch $\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$

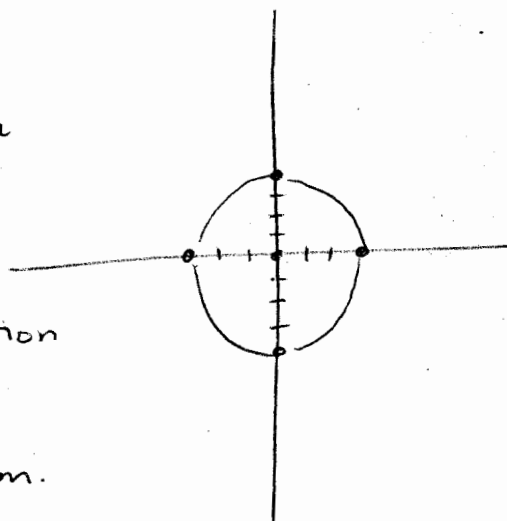
$\frac{1}{9}$ coefficient $\frac{1}{16}$ coefficient
 $\frac{1}{9}x^2$ $\frac{1}{16}y^2$

Notice

1. x^2 and y^2
2. sum
3. coefficients are different
4. equal 1.

x^2 means $(x-0)^2$
 x coord of center is 0.
 y^2 means $(y-0)^2$
 y coord of center is 0.

step 1
 plot
 center



9 below $x^2 \Rightarrow \sqrt{9} = 3$ units in x-direction

Step 2: plot 2 points left & right

16 below $y^2 \Rightarrow \sqrt{16} = 4$ units in y direction.

Step 3: plot 2 points up & down

Step 4: Fill in oval shape

② Sketch $\frac{(x+3)^2}{36} + \frac{(y-2)^2}{25} = 1$

$x+3 \Rightarrow x=-3$ x-coord of center
 $y-2 \Rightarrow y=2$ y-coord of center

Step 1. plot $(-3, 2)$

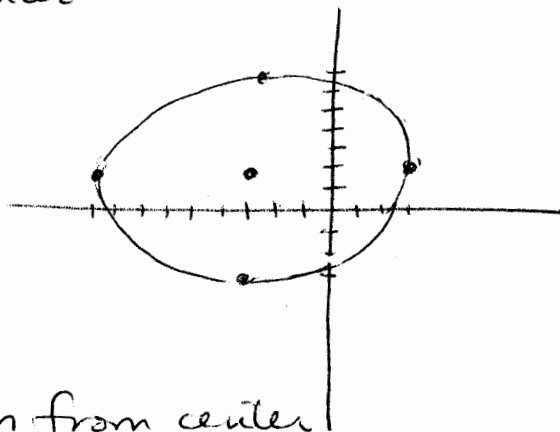
36 below $(x+3)^2$

step 2: $\Rightarrow \sqrt{36} = 6$ units left and right from center

25 below $(y-2)^2$

step 3: $\Rightarrow \sqrt{25} = 5$ units up and down from center

step 4: fill in curves



③ Sketch graph $4x^2 + 16y^2 = 64$

step 0: Notice that it's not equal to 1.

Focus on correcting the RHS and the other coefficients will fix themselves.

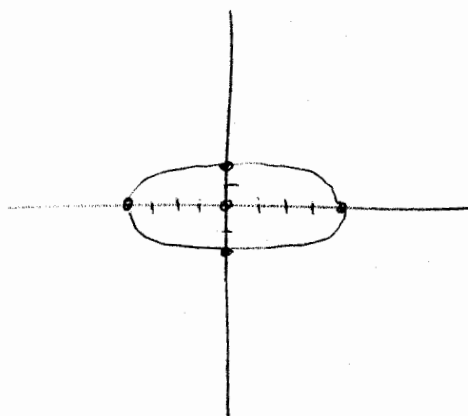
$$\frac{4x^2}{64} + \frac{16y^2}{64} = \frac{64}{64}$$

$$\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$$

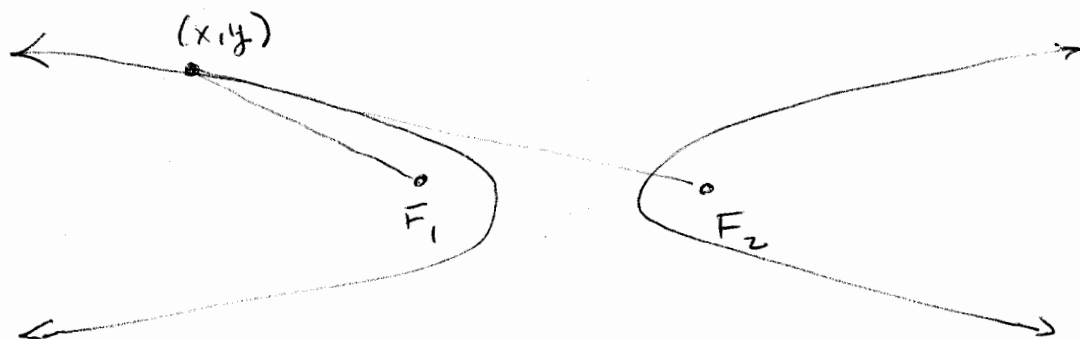
step 1: center $(0, 0)$

step 2: x direction $\sqrt{16} = 4$

step 3: y direction $\sqrt{4} = 2$



An hyperbola is the set of all points (x, y) such that the difference of the two distances from (x, y) to point F_1 and from (x, y) to point F_2 is a constant



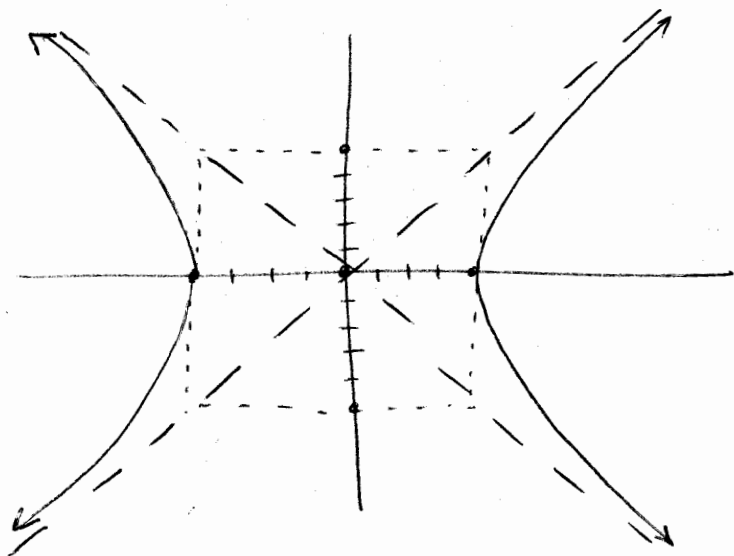
The points F_1 and F_2 are also called foci.

④ Sketch $\frac{x^2}{16} - \frac{y^2}{25} = 1$

step 1: Find center the same way as ellipse
(0, 0)

step 2: Plot 4 points in x dir and y dir same as ellipse

--- FROM HERE THE PROCESS IS TOTALLY DIFFERENT ---



Notice

1. x^2 and y^2
2. difference
3. equal to 1
- 2 coefficients are irrelevant }
4. Notice which variable appears first
 - $x^2 - y^2$ open left/right
 - $y^2 - x^2$ open up/down

step 3: Draw a dashed line box through the four points.

step 4: Connect corners to draw asymptotes

step 5: If $x^2 - y^2$ draw left + right branches through the points on the box, called vertices.

Must have vertices + asymptotes

⑤ Sketch

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

hyperbola because subtracted
up/down because y^2 appears first
center: numerators

x-coord next to x-variable
take opposite sign

$$x = 1$$

y-coord next to y-variable
take opposite sign

$$y = -3$$

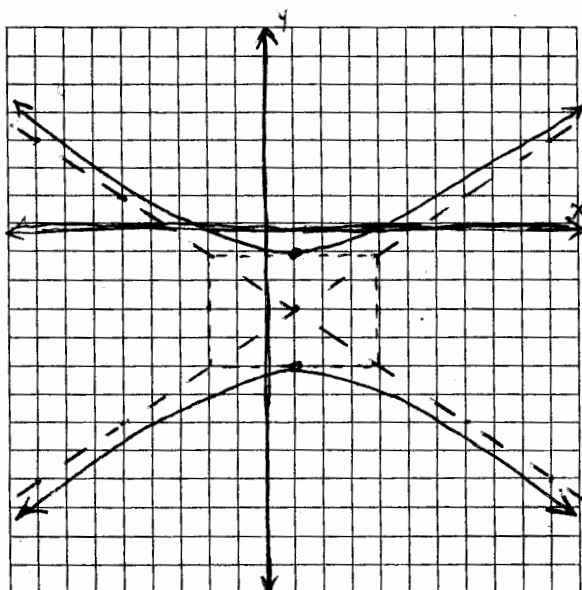
center (1, -3)

x-direction: + y-direction: denominators

x-direction: under x^2

take square root $\sqrt{9} = 3$

y-direction: under y^2 $\sqrt{4} = 2$



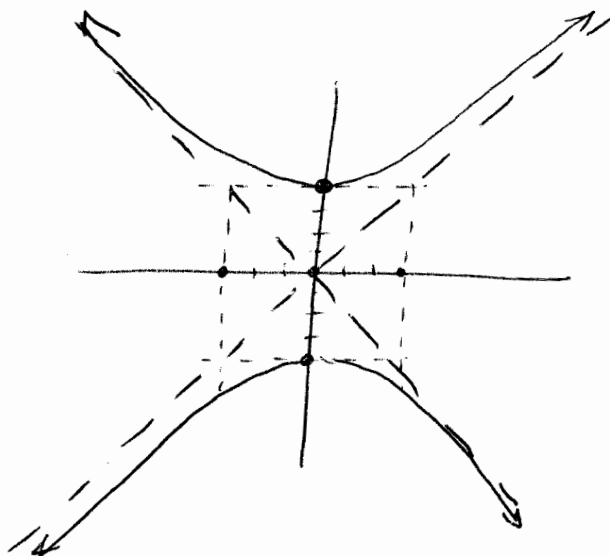
SKIP ⑥ Sketch $\frac{y^2}{16} - \frac{x^2}{9} = 1$

center (0,0)

x-dir $\sqrt{9} = 3$ (under x^2)

y-dir $\sqrt{16} = 4$ (under y^2)

$y^2 - x^2$ up/down



CAUTION:

Branches of hyperbola do not cross asymptotes and do not go inside the box.

⑦ Sketch $\frac{(x+2)^2}{25} - (y-1)^2 = 1$

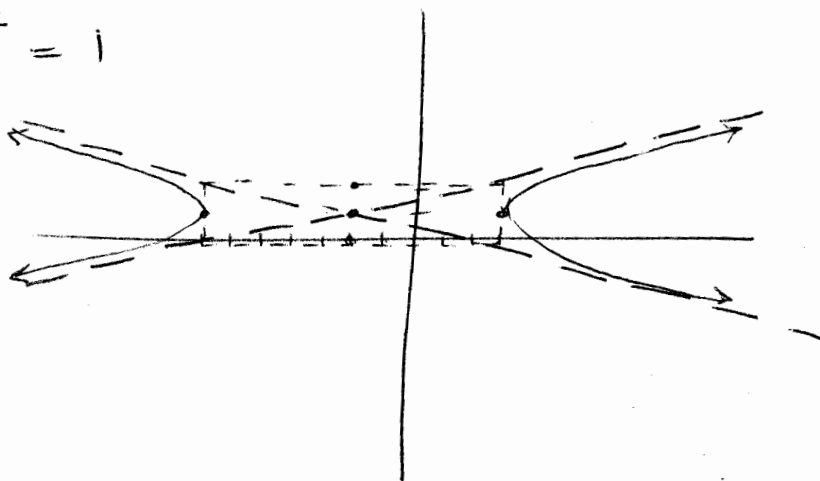
$x^2 - y^2$ left/right

center (-2, 1)

x-dir $\sqrt{25} = 5$

y-dir $\sqrt{1} = 1$

$x^2 - y^2$ left/right



⑧ Sketch $4y^2 - 9x^2 = 36$

Notice: not 1 on RHS. Focus here and all other coefficients will fix themselves

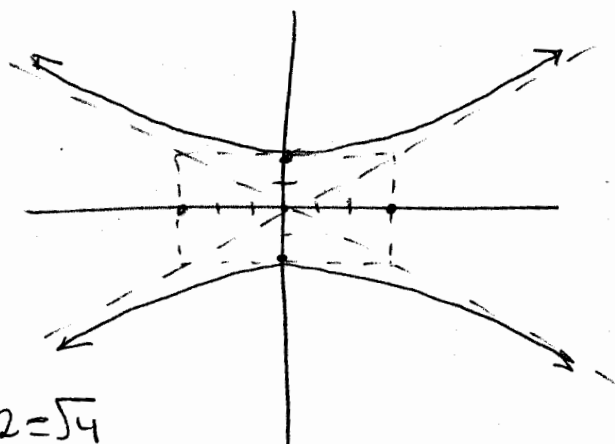
$$\frac{4y^2}{36} - \frac{9x^2}{36} = \frac{36}{36}$$

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

$y^2 - x^2$ opens up/down

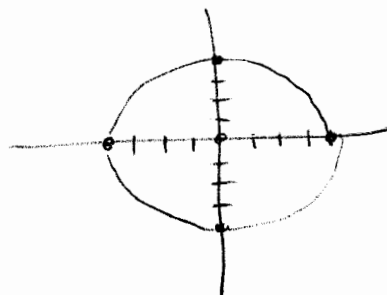
center (0,0)

x-direction 2, y-direction 3



⑨ Sketch $x^2 + y^2 = 16$

Method 1. Notice it's a circle
center $(0,0)$
radius $\sqrt{16} = 4$



Method 2: Graph as you would an ellipse: divide to get 1 on RHS

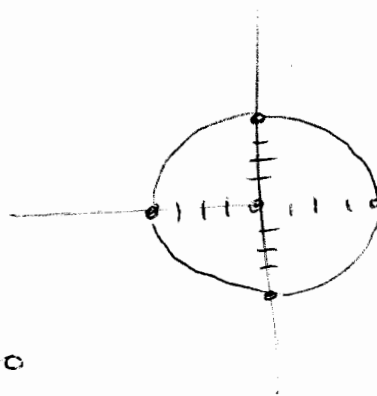
$$\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{16} = \frac{16}{16}$$

$$\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$$

center $(0,0)$

x direction $\sqrt{16} = 4$

y direction $\sqrt{16} = 4$ also



⑩ sketch $x = -y^2 + 6y$

x and $y^2 \Rightarrow$ parabola left/right

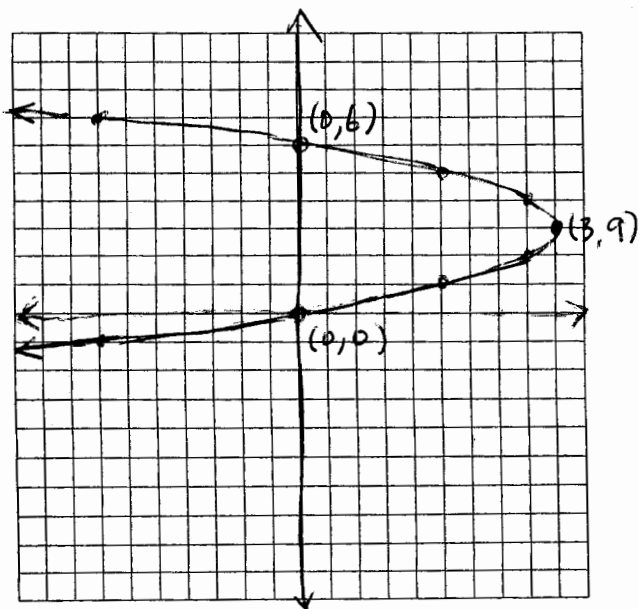
$a = -1 \Rightarrow$ opens left (neg x direction)

vertex $y = \frac{-b}{2a} = \frac{-6}{2(-1)} = 3$

$$x = -(3)^2 + 6(3) = 9$$

CAUTION
vertex
 $(9,3)$

not
 $(3,9)$



check

$$x = -(y-3)^2 + 9$$

$$= -(y^2 - 6y + 9) + 9$$

$$= -y^2 + 6y - 9 + 9$$

$$= -y^2 + 6y$$

y-ints? Set $x=0$

$$0 = -y^2 + 6y$$

$$y^2 - 6y = 0$$

$$y(y-6) = 0$$

$$y = 0, 6$$

10.2.47

The graph of the given equation is an ellipse. Find the distance between the x-intercepts and the distance between the y-intercepts. Decide which distance is longer. How much longer is the longer distance than the shorter distance?

$$\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{49} = 1$$

Determine which distance is longer.

- ☐ distance between the x-intercepts
☒ distance between the y-intercepts

How much longer is the longer distance than the shorter distance?

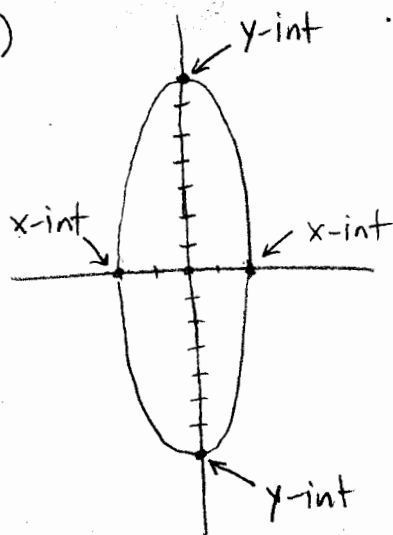
10 units

center (0,0)

x-dir 2

y-dir 7

graph



distance between
X-ints:
from -2 to +2
= 4

distance between
Y-ints:
from -7 to +7
= 14

subtract

$$14 - 4 = \boxed{10}$$

10.2.61

A planet's orbit about a certain star can be described as an ellipse. Consider this star to be the origin of a rectangular coordinate system. Suppose that the x-intercepts of the elliptical path of the planet are $\pm 150,000,000$ and that the y-intercepts are $\pm 135,000,000$. Write the equation of the elliptical path of the planet.

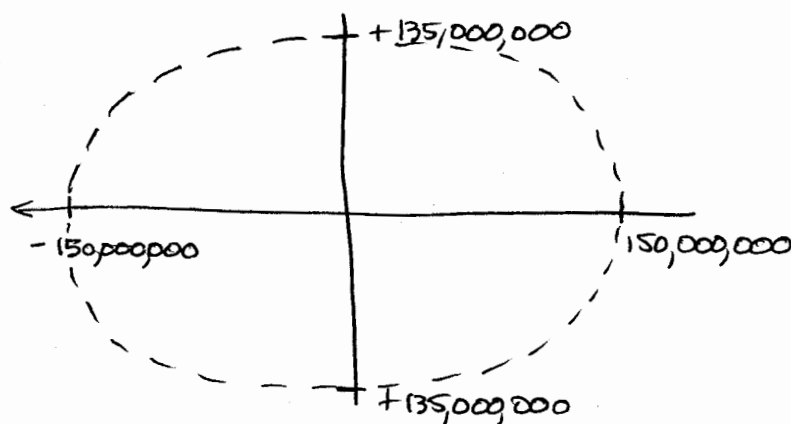
The elliptical path of the planet is $\frac{x^2}{\square} + \frac{y^2}{\square} = 1$.

Sketch the given information:

x-intercepts: $+150,000,000$ and $-150,000,000$

y-intercepts: $+135,000,000$ and $-135,000,000$.

"elliptical" means "ellipse"



The center must be $(0,0)$.

So we're trying to find the denominators

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

We take the square root of this number to get the distance from the center to the ellipse. That distance is

ditto square $135,000,000$ to get $18,225,000,000,000,000$

$$\sqrt{\square} = 150,000,000 = 1.5 \times 10^8$$

square both sides! $(1.5 \times 10^8)^2 = 2.25 \times 10^{16}$

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$$2,2500,000,000,000,000$$

Solve the nonlinear system of equations for real solutions.

$$\begin{cases} x^2 + y^2 = 25 & A \\ 3x + 4y = 0 & B \end{cases}$$

No like terms to eliminate.
Use substitution method.

Select the correct choice below and, if necessary, fill in the answer box to complete your choice.

☐ A. ☐

(Simplify your answer. Type an ordered pair. Use a comma to separate answers as needed. Type exact answers for each coordinate, using radicals as needed.)

☒ B. There is no solution.

Solve B for a variable — I choose y.

$$4y = -3x$$

$$y = -\frac{3}{4}x$$

Substitute into A.

$$x^2 + \left(-\frac{3}{4}x\right)^2 = 25$$

Simplify and solve

$$x^2 + \frac{9x^2}{16} = 25$$

$$\frac{16}{16}x^2 + \frac{9}{16}x^2 = 25$$

$$\frac{25}{16}x^2 = 25$$

$$x^2 = \cancel{25} \cdot \frac{16}{\cancel{25}}$$

$$x^2 = 16$$

$$x = \pm 4$$

Substitute $x = 4$:

$$3(4) + 4y = 0$$

$$4y = -12$$

$$y = -3$$

$$\boxed{(4, -3)}$$

Substitute $x = -4$:

$$3(-4) + 4y = 0$$

$$4y = 12$$

$$y = 3$$

$$\boxed{(-4, 3)}$$