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Graph Ellipses at the Origin

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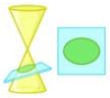
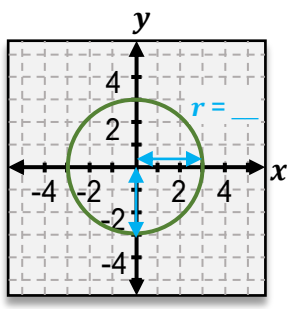
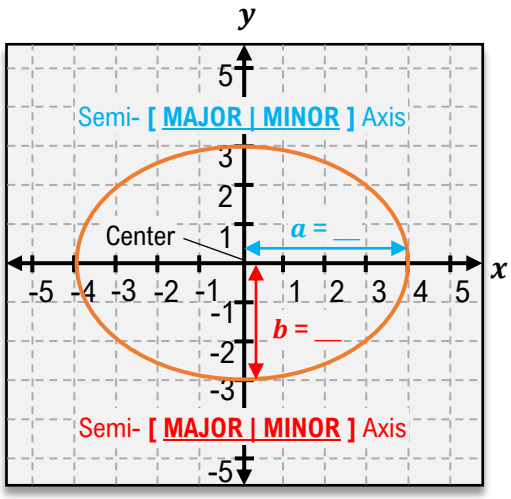
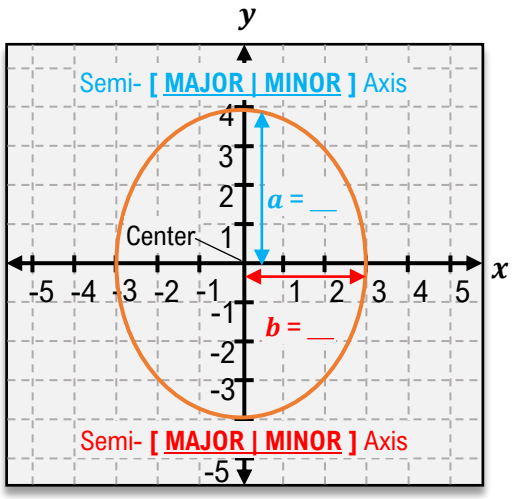
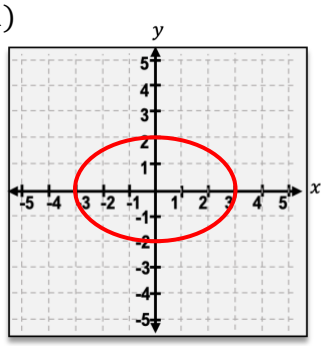


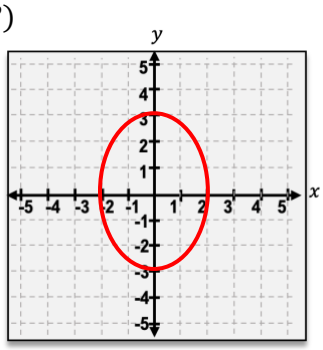
- The equation for a circle depends on its radius.
  - The equation for an ellipse depends on ____ special distances: **semi-major** & **semi-minor axes**.

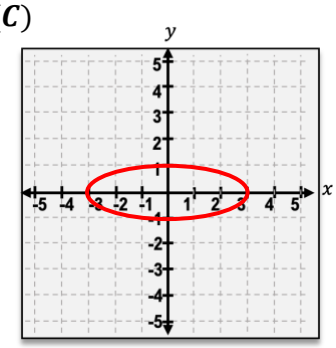
Circle	Horizontal Ellipse	Vertical Ellipse
		
$x^2 + y^2 = r^2$	$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$	$\frac{x^2}{\ 2} + \frac{y^2}{\ 2} = 1$
$\frac{x^2}{r^2} + \frac{y^2}{r^2} = 1$		

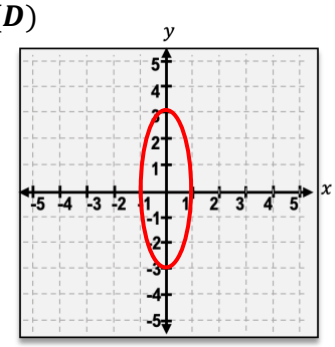
- No matter the orientation, a is always the _____ distance from the center to the ellipse.

PRACTICE: Given the equation $\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$, sketch a graph of the ellipse.

(A) 

(B) 

(C) 

(D) 

Circle	Ellipse	Parabola	Hyperbola

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PRACTICE: Given the ellipse equation $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$, determine the magnitude of the semi-major axis (a) and the semi-minor axis (b).

$(\boldsymbol{A})\ a = 16, b = 4$
$(\boldsymbol{B})\ a = 4, b = 16$
$(\boldsymbol{C})\ a = 4, b = 2$
$(\boldsymbol{D})\ a = 2, b = 4$

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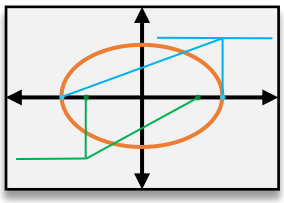
Vertices and Foci of Ellipses



- Every ellipse has 2 **Vertices** & 2 **Foci**, both located on the **[MAJOR | MINOR]** axis
  - **Vertices** are the points on the ellipse _____ from the center

    Distance between center & **Vertex** = **[a | b | c]**
  - **Foci** are points inside the ellipse, and the sum of any distance from the **foci** to a single point is _____

    Distance between center & **Focus** = **[a | b | c]**

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

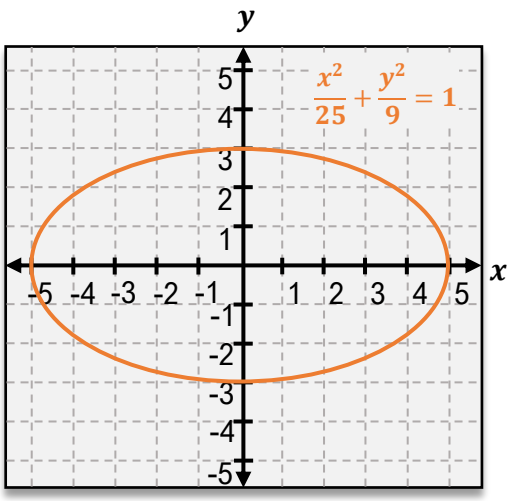
$$c^2=a^2-b^2$$

EXAMPLE: Find the vertices & foci of the ellipse in the graph.

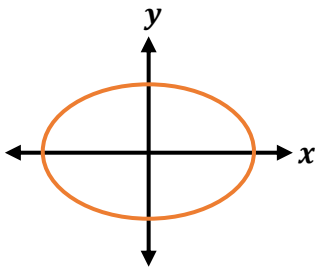
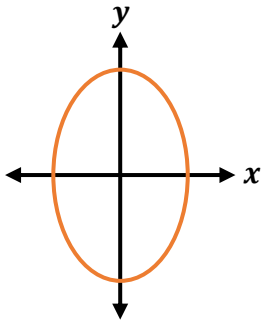
$a =$
$b =$
$c =$

Vertices: (___, 0) & (___, 0)

Foci: (___, 0) & (___, 0)



- For a *vertical* ellipse, the coordinates of vertices & foci are different

Horizontal Ellipse	Vertical Ellipse
	
Vertices: (a , 0) & ($-a$, 0)	Vertices: (0 , ___) & (0 , ___)
Foci: (c , 0) & ($-c$, 0)	Foci: (0, ___) & (0, ___)
Vertices & Foci on **[x | y]** axis	Vertices & Foci on **[x | y]** axis

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PRACTICE: Determine the vertices and foci of the following ellipse: $\frac{x^2}{49}+\frac{y^2}{36}=1$.

($\boldsymbol{A}$) Vertices: $(7,0),(-7,0)$
Foci: $(6,0),(-6,0)$
($\boldsymbol{B}$) Vertices: $(6,0),(-6,0)$
Foci: $(7,0),(-7,0)$
($\boldsymbol{C}$) Vertices: $(7,0),(-7,0)$
Foci: $\left(\sqrt{13},0\right),(-\sqrt{13},0)$
($\boldsymbol{D}$) Vertices: $(0,7),(0,-7)$
Foci: $\left(0,\sqrt{13}\right),(0,-\sqrt{13})$

PRACTICE: Determine the vertices and foci of the following ellipse: $\frac{x^2}{9}+\frac{y^2}{16}=1$.

($\boldsymbol{A}$) Vertices: $(4,0),(-4,0)$
Foci: $\left(\sqrt{7},0\right),(-\sqrt{7},0)$
($\boldsymbol{B}$) Vertices: $(0,4),(0,-4)$
Foci: $\left(0,\sqrt{7}\right),(0,-\sqrt{7})$
($\boldsymbol{C}$) Vertices: $(4,0),(-4,0)$
Foci: $(3,0),(-3,0)$
($\boldsymbol{D}$) Vertices: $(0,4),(0,-4)$
Foci: $(0,3),(0,-3)$

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PRACTICE: Find the standard form of the equation for an ellipse with the following conditions.

Foci $= (-5,0), (5,0)$

Vertices $= (-8,0), (8,0)$

$(\boldsymbol{A})\ \frac{x^2}{64} + \frac{y^2}{25} = 1$

$(\boldsymbol{B})\ \frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{64} = 1$

$(\boldsymbol{C})\ \frac{x^2}{8} + \frac{y^2}{5} = 1$

$(\boldsymbol{D})\ \frac{x^2}{64} + \frac{y^2}{39} = 1$

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Graph Ellipses NOT at the Origin

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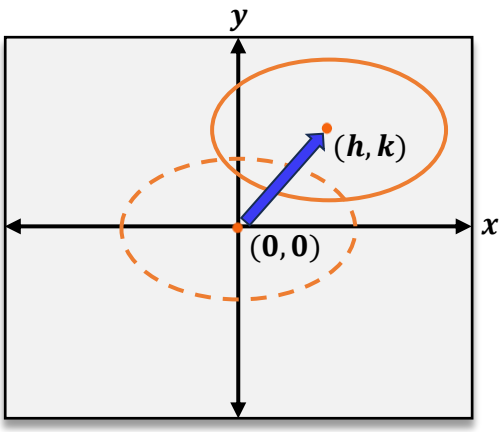
- To graph ellipses NOT at the origin, shift points by (h, k)

Horizontal Ellipse

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



EXAMPLE: Graph the following ellipse.

$$\frac{(x-4)^2}{9} + \frac{(y-2)^2}{64} = 1$$

TO GRAPH

1) Determine the major and minor axis

$a =$ ____ & $b =$ ____

2) Ellipse is **[VERTICAL | HORIZONTAL]**

3) Center (h, k): (__ , __)

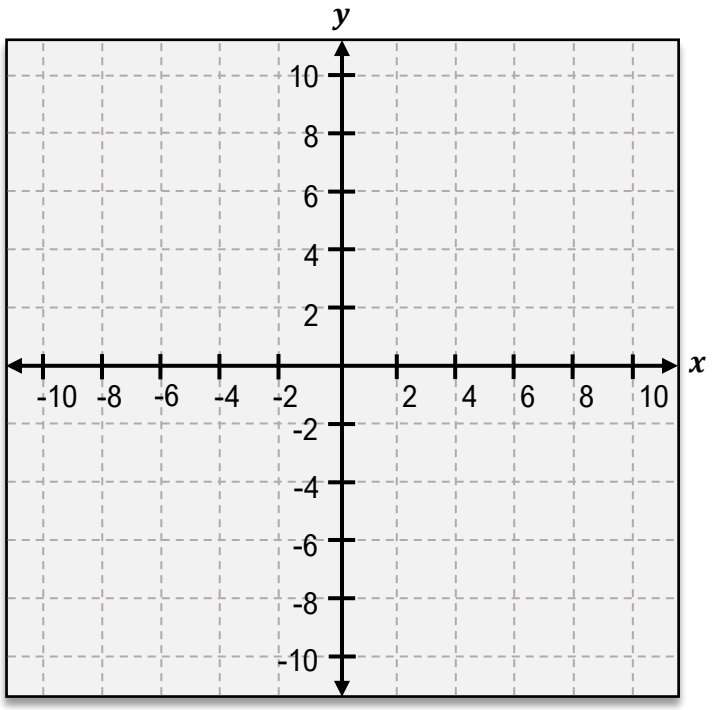
4) Vertices, vert. → $(h, k \pm a)$ *OR* horiz. → $(h \pm a, k)$:

(__ , __) & (__ , __)

5) b points vert. → $(h \pm b, k)$, *OR* horiz. → $(h, k \pm b)$:

(__ , __) & (__ , __)

6) Connect outside points with a smooth curve



- To find the foci, use $(h, k \pm c)$ for a **[VERT. | HORIZ.]** ellipse, and $(h \pm c, k)$ for a **[VERT. | HORIZ.]** ellipse.

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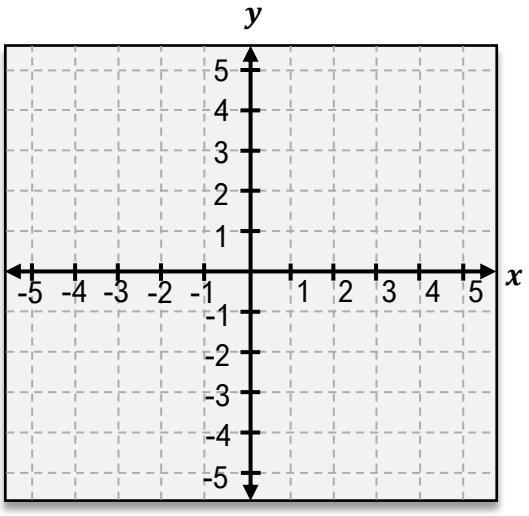
PRACTICE: Graph the ellipse $\frac{(x-1)^2}{9}+\frac{(y+3)^2}{4}=1$.



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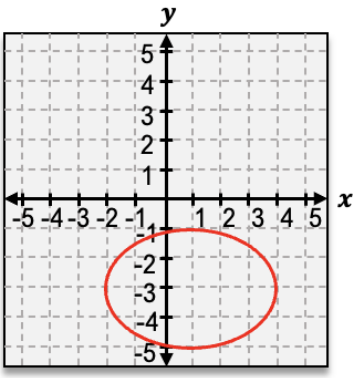

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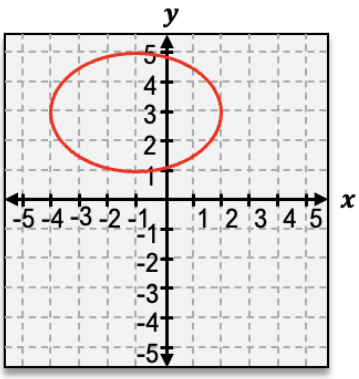

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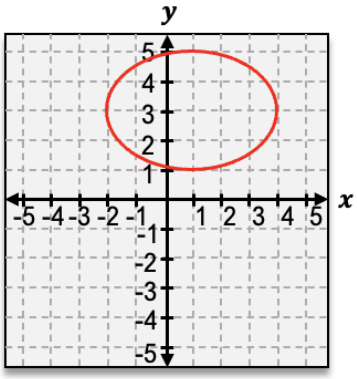

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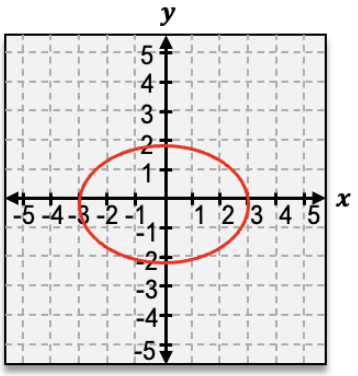

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PRACTICE: Determine the vertices and foci of the ellipse $(x+1)^2+\frac{(y-2)^2}{4}=1$.

($\boldsymbol{A}$) Vertices: $(-1,4),(-1,0)$
Foci: $\left(-1,2+\sqrt{3}\right),(-1,2-\sqrt{3})$
($\boldsymbol{B}$) Vertices: $(-1,4),(-1,0)$
Foci: $(-2,2),(0,2)$
($\boldsymbol{C}$) Vertices: $(-2,2),(0,2)$
Foci: $\left(1,2+\sqrt{3}\right),(1,2-\sqrt{3})$
($\boldsymbol{D}$) Vertices: $(-2,2),(0,2)$
Foci: $\left(2+\sqrt{3},1\right),(2-\sqrt{3},1)$

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EXAMPLE: Graph the ellipse and identify the foci.

$$\frac{(x+4)^2}{36}+\frac{(y+3)^2}{49}=1$$

TO GRAPH

1) Ellipse is **[** HORIZONTAL | VERTICAL **]**

2) Center (h,k): (__ , __)

3) Vertices $(h\pm a,k)$, *OR* $(h,k\pm a)$**:**

(__ , __) & (__ , __)

4) Points on minor axis $(h\pm b,k)$, *OR* $(h,k\pm b)$**:**

(__ , __) & (__ , __)

5) Connect outer points with a smooth curve

FROM GRAPH

6) Foci $(h\pm c,k)$, *OR* $(h,k\pm c)$**:**

(__ , __) & (__ , __)