

10.6 Translating Conic Sections

PART 2 - WRITING EQUATIONS!

Learning Targets for today

- ① To be able to write the equation of a translated conic section.
- ① To be able to identify a translated conic section from an equation.

Ellipses ON THE MOVE!

Horizontal Ellipse

Standard-Form Equation

Center (0, 0)

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

Vertices

$$(\pm a, 0)$$

Co-vertices

$$(0, \pm b)$$

Foci

$$(\pm c, 0)$$

a, b, c relationship

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



Center (h, k)

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

$$(h \pm a, k)$$

$$(h, k \pm b)$$

$$(h \pm c, k)$$

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

Vertical Ellipse

Standard-Form Equation

Center (0, 0)

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

Vertices

$$(0, \pm a)$$

Co-vertices

$$(\pm b, 0)$$

Foci

$$(0, \pm c)$$

a, b, c relationship

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



Center (h, k)

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

$$(h, k \pm a)$$

$$(h \pm b, k)$$

$$(h, k \pm c)$$

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

Writing an Equation of a Translated Ellipse

Example for you...

Write the equation for the ellipse given the vertices $(2,5)$ and $(2,-5)$ and a focus of $(2,3)$.

$a = 5$
 $a^2 = 25$ ✓
 $c = 3$
 $c^2 = 9$
 $c^2 = a^2 - b^2$
 $9 = 25 - b^2$
 $-25 - 25$
 $\frac{-16}{-1} = \frac{-b^2}{-1}$
 $16 = b^2$ ✓

$$\frac{(x-2)^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{25} = 1$$

Your turn to try...

Write the equation for the ellipse given the vertices $(0,4)$ and $(8,4)$ and a focus of $(2,4)$.

$a = 4$
 $a^2 = 16$ ✓
 $c = 2$
 $c^2 = 4$
 $c^2 = a^2 - b^2$
 $4 = 16 - b^2$
 $-16 - 16$
 $\frac{-12}{-1} = \frac{-b^2}{-1}$
 $b^2 = 12$ ✓

$$\frac{(x-4)^2}{16} + \frac{(y-4)^2}{12} = 1$$

Hyperbolas ON THE MOVE!

Horizontal Hyperbola

	Center (0, 0)	Center (h, k)
Standard-Form Equation	$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$	$\frac{(x - h)^2}{a^2} - \frac{(y - k)^2}{b^2} = 1$
Vertices	$(\pm a, 0)$	$(h \pm a, k)$
Foci	$(\pm c, 0)$	$(h \pm c, k)$
Asymptotes	$y = \pm \frac{b}{a}x$	$y - k = \pm \frac{b}{a}(x - h)$
a, b, c relationship	$c^2 = a^2 + b^2$	$c^2 = a^2 + b^2$

Vertical Hyperbola

	Center (0, 0)	Center (h, k)
Standard-Form Equation	$\frac{y^2}{a^2} - \frac{x^2}{b^2} = 1$	$\frac{(y - k)^2}{a^2} - \frac{(x - h)^2}{b^2} = 1$
Vertices	$(0, \pm a)$	$(h, k \pm a)$
Foci	$(0, \pm c)$	$(h, k \pm c)$
Asymptotes	$y = \pm \frac{a}{b}x$	$y - k = \pm \frac{a}{b}(x - h)$
a, b, c relationship	$c^2 = a^2 + b^2$	$c^2 = a^2 + b^2$

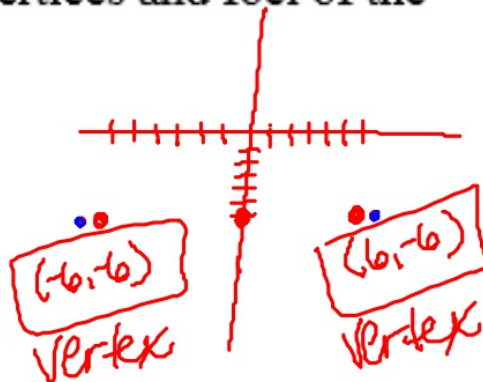
Writing an Equation of a Translated Hyperbola

Example for you...

Identify the center, vertices and foci of the hyperbola.

$$\frac{(x)^2}{36} - \frac{(y+6)^2}{4} = 1$$

$a^2 = 36$ $b^2 = 4$
 $a = 6$



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

$$c^2 = 36 + 4$$

$$\sqrt{c^2} = \sqrt{40}$$

$$c = 6.3$$

$$(6.3, -6)$$

$$(-6.3, -6)$$

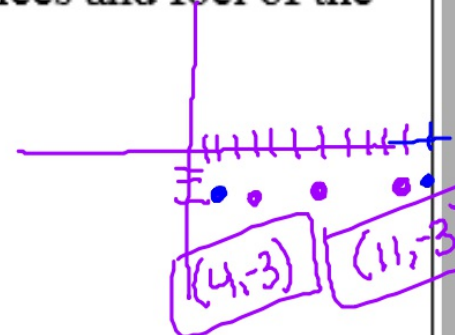
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Your turn to try...

Identify the center, vertices and foci of the hyperbola.

$$1. \frac{(x-7)^2}{16} - \frac{(y+3)^2}{9} = 1$$

$a^2 = 16$ $b^2 = 9$
 $a = 4$



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

$$c^2 = 16 + 9$$

$$\sqrt{c^2} = \sqrt{25}$$

$$c = 5 \text{ (units from center)}$$

$$(2, -3)$$

$$(12, -3)$$

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