

Determining the Equation of an Ellipse

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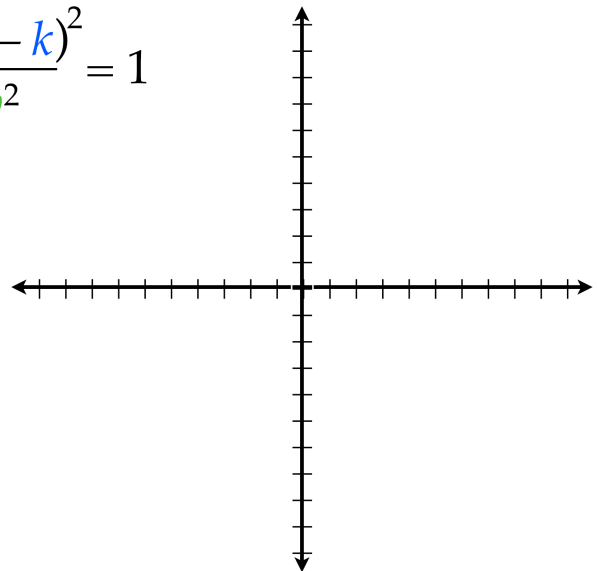
Equation of an Ellipse
with center (h,k)

Foci

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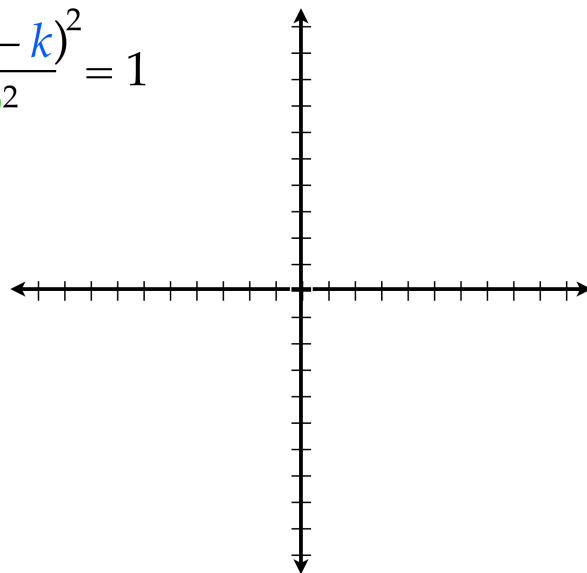
Center: $(0,0)$ Vertex: $(5,0)$ Focus: $(4,0)$ 

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Major Axis Length: 8

Foci: $(0, \pm 2)$



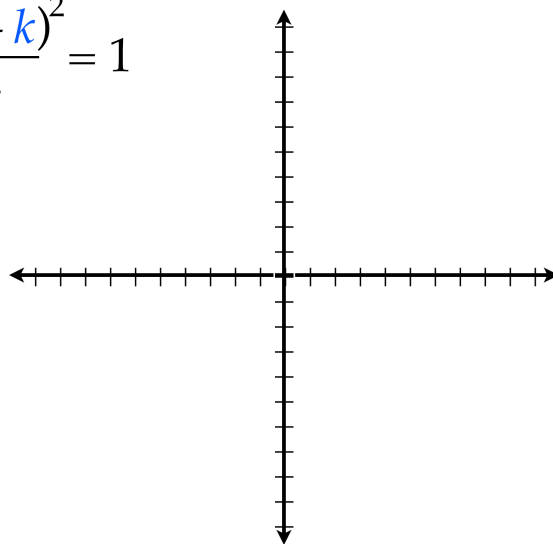
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Center: $(2, -5)$

Vertex: $(6, -5)$

Point: $(2, -3)$



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Vertices: $(-2, 0)$ and $(-2, -10)$

focus at $(-2, -2)$

