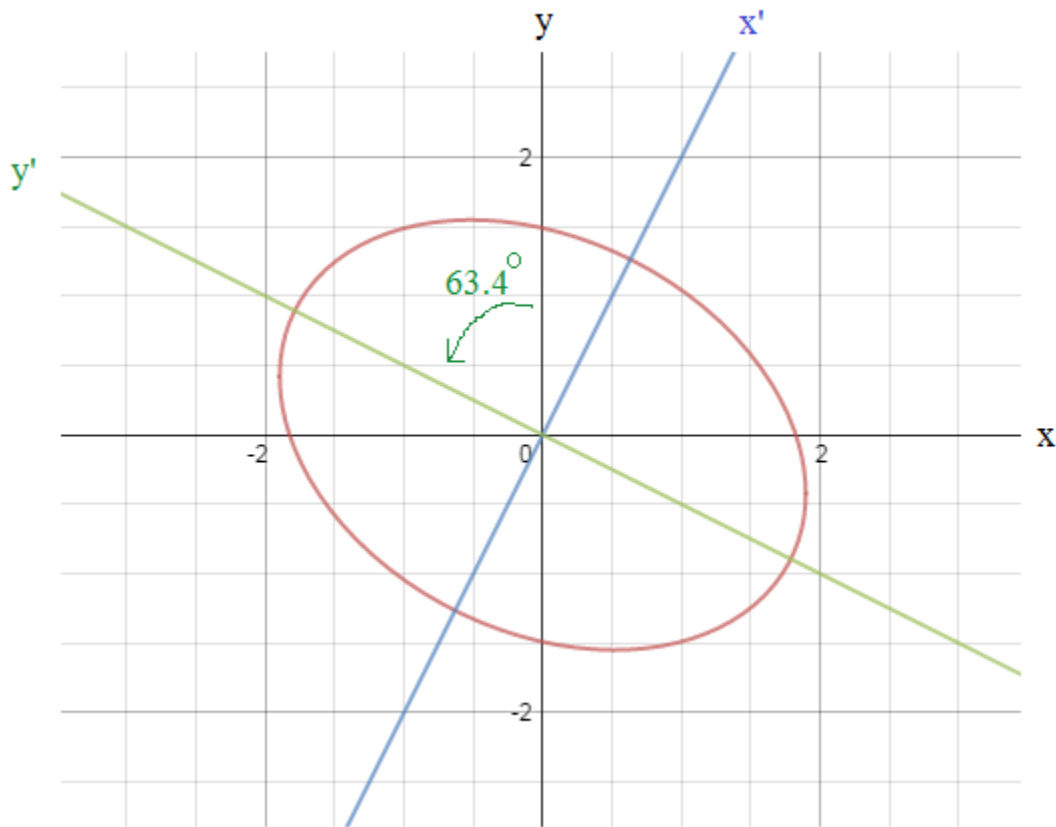


Rotation of Axes: Conics

Formulas, Examples, and practice test (with solutions)

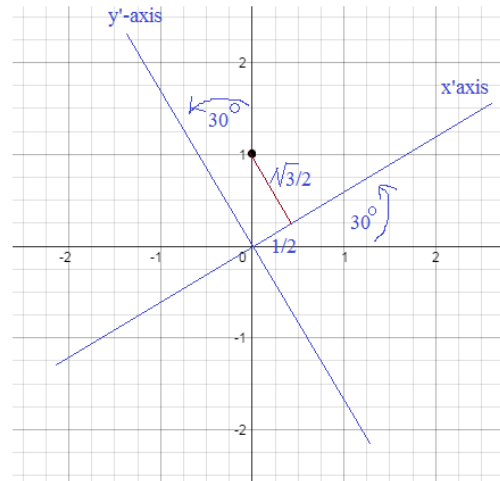
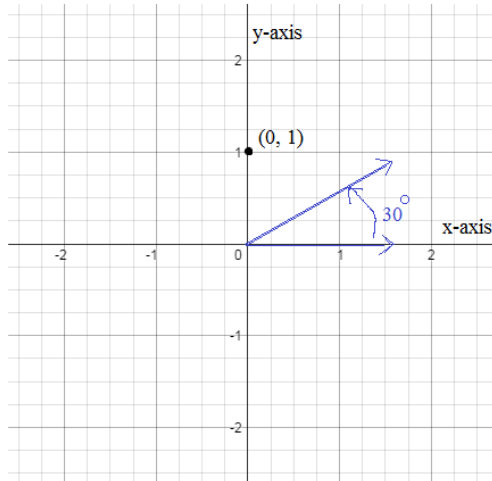


Rotation of Axes

Determine the $x'y'$ coordinates of a given point if the coordinate axes are rotated through a given angle.

Example: $(0, 1)$ 30°

$$\begin{aligned} x' &= x \cos \Theta + y \sin \Theta \\ y' &= -x \sin \Theta + y \cos \Theta \end{aligned}$$

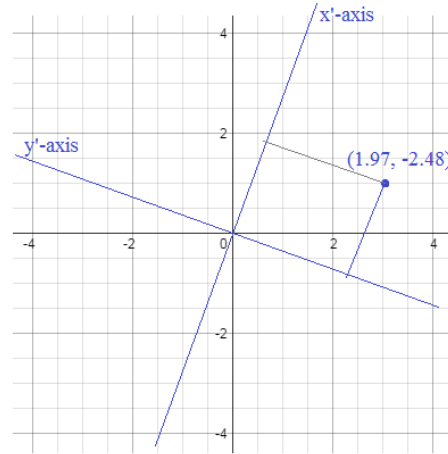
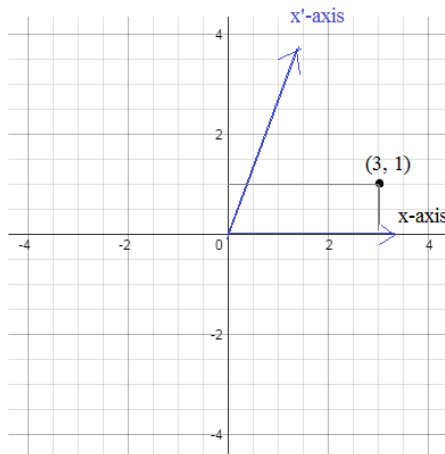


$$\begin{aligned} x' &= 0 \cos(30) + 1 \sin(30) & x' &= 1/2 \\ y' &= -0 \sin(30) + 1 \cos(30) & y' &= \sqrt{3} / 2 \end{aligned}$$

The coordinates of the point related to the xy -axes $(0, 1)$

The coordinates of the point related to the rotated $x'y'$ -axis $(1/2, \sqrt{3}/2)$

Example: $(3, 1)$ 70°



$$\begin{aligned} x' &= 3 \cos(70) + 1 \sin(70) & x' &= 1.97 \\ y' &= -3 \sin(70) + 1 \cos(70) & y' &= -2.48 \end{aligned}$$

The coordinates of the point related to the xy -axes $(3, 1)$

The coordinates of the point related to the rotated $x'y'$ -axis $(1.97, -2.48)$

Rotation of Axes

Determine the original xy-coordinates from a given point in a rotated x'y'-coordinate axes.

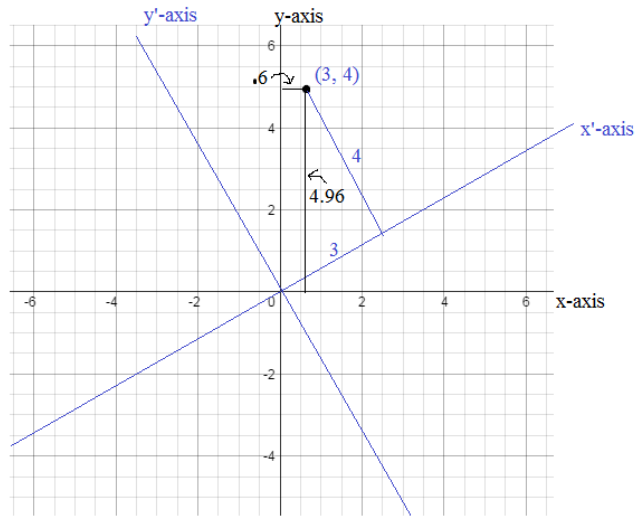
Example: (3, 4) inside a 30 degree rotated xy-axes

$$x = x' \cos \Theta - y' \sin \Theta$$

$$y = x' \sin \Theta + y' \cos \Theta$$

$$x = 3 \cos(30) - 4 \sin(30) = \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2} - 2 = .60$$

$$y = 3 \sin(30) + 4 \cos(30) = \frac{3}{2} + 2\sqrt{3} = 4.96$$



Application/Example: Show that $xy = 4$ is a conic rotated through an angle of 45 degrees.

$$x = x' \cos(45) - y' \sin(45) \quad x = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} x' - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} y'$$

$$y = x' \sin(45) + y' \cos(45) \quad y = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} x' + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} y'$$

$$x = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} (x' - y')$$

$$y = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} (x' + y')$$

Then, substitute:

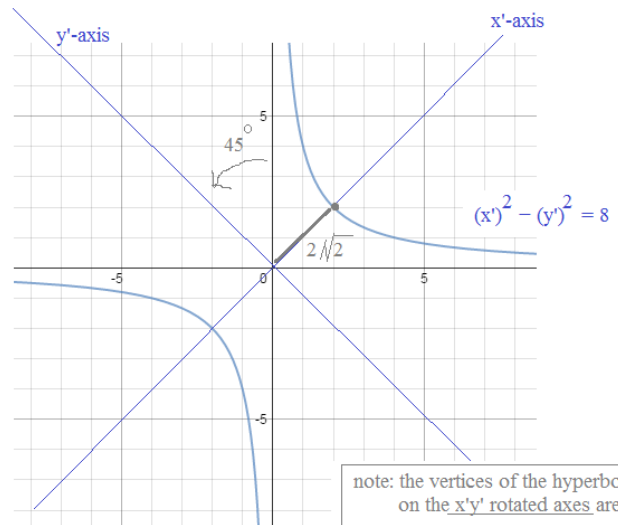
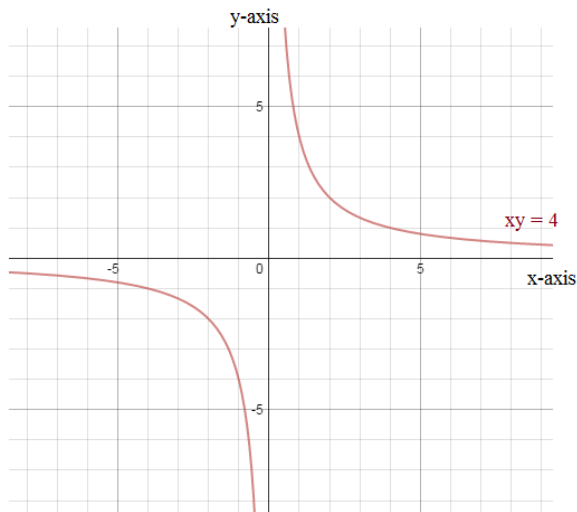
$$xy = 4$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} (x' - y') \cdot \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} (x' + y') = 4$$

$$\frac{2}{4} (x' - y') \cdot (x' + y') = 4$$

$$(x'^2 - y'^2) = 8$$

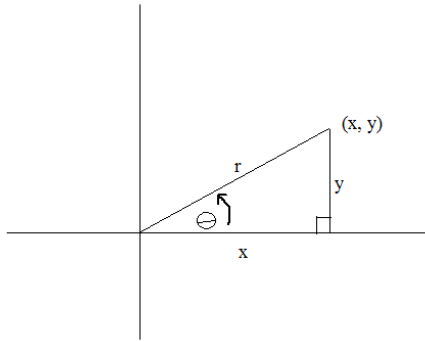
Hyperbola!



note: the vertices of the hyperbola on the x'y' rotated axes are

$$(2\sqrt{2}, 0) \text{ and } (-2\sqrt{2}, 0)$$

Where does the rotation formula come from?

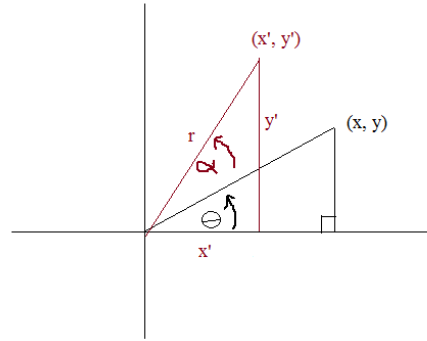


$$\cos \theta = \frac{x}{r} \quad x = r \cos \theta$$

$$\sin \theta = \frac{y}{r} \quad y = r \sin \theta$$

Suppose we want to rotate the point counter-clockwise α degrees around the origin.

(This is the same as rotating the x and y-axes clockwise)



What is $(\theta + \alpha)$?

θ is the original angle

α is the rotated angle (counterclockwise)

$$x' = r \cos(\theta + \alpha)$$

$$y' = r \sin(\theta + \alpha)$$

Using trigonometry addition identities

$$x' = r [\cos \theta \cos \alpha - \sin \theta \sin \alpha]$$

$$y' = r [\sin \theta \cos \alpha + \cos \theta \sin \alpha]$$

remember, $r = \frac{x}{\cos \theta}$ and $r = \frac{y}{\sin \theta}$

Using substitution...

$$x' = \frac{x}{\cancel{\cos \theta}} \cancel{\cos \theta} \cos \alpha - \frac{y}{\cancel{\sin \theta}} \cancel{\sin \theta} \sin \alpha$$

$$y' = \frac{y}{\cancel{\sin \theta}} \cancel{\sin \theta} \cos \alpha + \frac{x}{\cancel{\cos \theta}} \cancel{\cos \theta} \sin \alpha$$

$$x' = x \cos \alpha - y \sin \alpha$$

$$y' = y \cos \alpha + x \sin \alpha$$



$$x' = x \cos \alpha - y \sin \alpha$$

$$y' = x \sin \alpha + y \cos \alpha$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \alpha & -\sin \alpha \\ \sin \alpha & \cos \alpha \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$$

General Form: $A^2 + Bxy + C^2 + Dx + Ey + F = 0$

$B^2 - 4AC < 0 \Rightarrow A'C' > 0 \Rightarrow A' \text{ and } C' \text{ are the same sign} \Rightarrow \text{is an ellipse}$;

$B^2 - 4AC > 0 \Rightarrow A'C' < 0 \Rightarrow A' \text{ and } C' \text{ are of different sign} \Rightarrow \text{is a hyperbola}$;

$B^2 - 4AC = 0 \Rightarrow A'C' = 0 \Rightarrow A' \text{ or } C' \text{ is zero} \Rightarrow \text{is a parabola}$.

Example: $x^2 + 4xy + y^2 - 3 = 0$

What type of conic is it?

It appears to be a circle, because the A and C terms are the same..
But, there is a B term..

$B^2 - 4AC = 12 > 0$ therefore, it is a hyperbola!

Rotate the axes so that the new expression contains no "xy" term.

$$\cot(2\Theta) = \frac{A - C}{B}$$

$$\cot(2\Theta) = \frac{1 - 1}{4} = 0$$

$$2\Theta = 90^\circ$$

$$\Theta = 45^\circ$$

Convert the x and y coordinates into x' and y' terms...

$$x = x'\cos\Theta - y'\sin\Theta$$

$$y = x'\sin\Theta + y'\cos\Theta$$

$$x = x'\cos(45) - y'\sin(45)$$

$$x = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}x' - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}y'$$

$$y = x'\sin(45) + y'\cos(45)$$

$$y = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}x' + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}y'$$

Substitute and simplify...

$$x^2 + 4xy + y^2 - 3 = 0$$

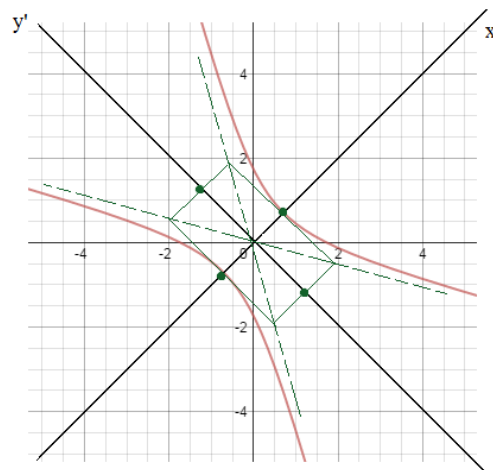
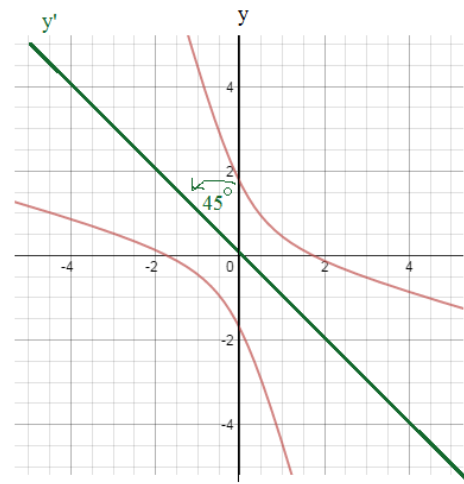
$$\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}x' - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}y'\right)^2 + 4\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}x' - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}y'\right)\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}x' + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}y'\right) + \left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}x' + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}y'\right)^2 = 3$$

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

Note: the x'y' term disappears
because there is no rotation!

$$3x'^2 - y'^2 = 3$$

$$\frac{x'}{1} - \frac{y'}{3} = 1$$



center: (0, 0)

vertex: (1, 0) and (-1, 0) on the x'y'-coordinate plane..

foci: (2, 0) and (-2, 0) on the x'y'-coordinate plane..

asymptotes: $y' = \sqrt{3}x'$ and $y' = -\sqrt{3}x'$

Example: Given $17x^2 + 6xy + 9y^2 = 72$

Find the angle of rotation for the axes that will align this conic (and eliminate the xy -term).

Define the sine and cosine of this angle.

Then, find the equation of the conic relative to the rotated axes.

First, what is the conic? $B^2 - 4AC = (6)^2 - 4(17)(9) \Rightarrow$ less than 0; therefore it's an ELLIPSE

Now, to find the angle of rotation...

$$a = 1$$

$$2(9 - 17)b + 6(1 - b^2) = 0$$

solve for b ...

$$-16b + 6 - 6b^2 = 0$$

$$3b^2 + 8b - 3 = 0$$

$$(3b - 1)(b + 3) = 0$$

$$b = \frac{1}{3} \text{ or } -3$$

Note: one rotates clockwise; the other rotates counterclockwise...
(Either way will eliminate the xy -term)

For $Ax^2 + Bxy + Cy^2 + D = 0$

the angle of rotation is

$$\sin \Theta = \frac{b}{c}$$

found from: $a = 1$

$$2(C - A)b + B(1 - b^2) = 0$$

$$\cos \Theta = \frac{a}{c}$$

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

We'll use $b = -3$

$$a^2 + b^2 = c^2 \quad (1)^2 + (-3)^2 = c^2$$

$$c = \sqrt{10}$$

$$\sin \Theta = \frac{-3}{\sqrt{10}}$$

$$\cos \Theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}}$$

rotation of axes

$$x = \cos \Theta x' - \sin \Theta y'$$

$$y = \sin \Theta x' + \cos \Theta y'$$

$$x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} x' - \frac{-3}{\sqrt{10}} y'$$

$$y = \frac{-3}{\sqrt{10}} x' + \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} y'$$

Substitute into the original equation $17x^2 + 6xy + 9y^2 = 72$

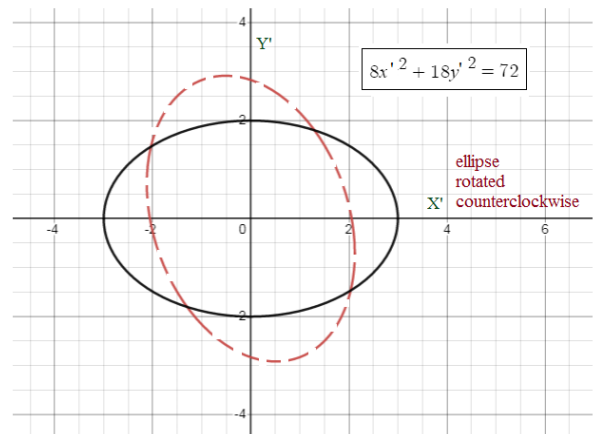
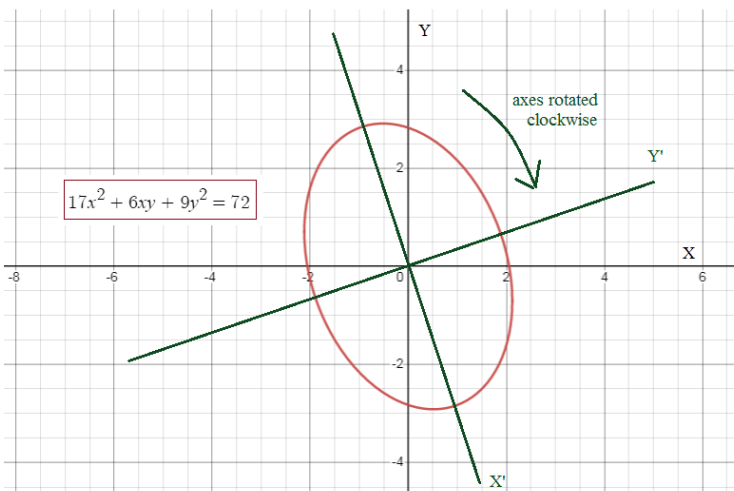
$$17 \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} x' + \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}} y' \right)^2 + 6 \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} x' + \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}} y' \right) \left(\frac{-3}{\sqrt{10}} x' + \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} y' \right) + 9 \left(\frac{-3}{\sqrt{10}} x' + \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} y' \right)^2 = 72$$

$$17 \left(\frac{1}{10} x'^2 + \frac{6}{10} x'y' + \frac{9}{10} y'^2 \right) + 6 \left(\frac{-3}{10} x'^2 - \frac{8}{10} x'y' + \frac{3}{10} y'^2 \right) + 9 \left(\frac{9}{10} x'^2 - \frac{6}{10} x'y' + \frac{1}{10} y'^2 \right) = 72$$

$$\frac{80}{10} x'^2 + 0x'y' + \frac{180}{10} y'^2 = 72 \Rightarrow$$

$$8x'^2 + 18y'^2 = 72 \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{x'^2}{9} + \frac{y'^2}{4} = 1$$

As expected, the $x'y'$ term is zero



Example: Identify the following rotated conic.
Then, rotate the axes to eliminate the xy term.

$$x^2 + 4xy - 2y^2 - 6 = 0$$

To find the angle of rotation, we'll use

$$\tan(2\Theta) = \frac{B}{A - C}$$

$$\tan(2\Theta) = \frac{4}{1 - (-2)}$$

$$\frac{2\tan\Theta}{1 - \tan^2\Theta} = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$4(1 - \tan^2\Theta) = 6\tan\Theta$$

$$4\tan^2\Theta + 6\tan\Theta - 4 = 0$$

$$2\tan^2\Theta + 3\tan\Theta - 2 = 0$$

$$(2\tan\Theta - 1)(\tan\Theta + 2) = 0$$

To identify the conic, find $B^2 - 4AC$

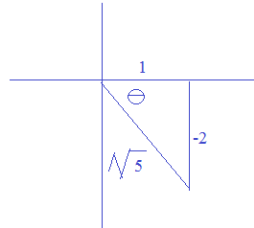
$$4^2 - 4(1)(-2) = 24 > 0 \Rightarrow \text{hyperbola}$$

$$\tan\Theta = 1/2$$

or

$$\tan\Theta = -2$$

We can use either..
(One rotates clockwise, and one rotates counterclockwise..
But, either will eliminate the xy term)



$$\cos\Theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$$

$$\sin\Theta = \frac{-2}{\sqrt{5}}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\Theta & -\sin\Theta \\ \sin\Theta & \cos\Theta \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{Rotating the axes}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \\ \frac{-2}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}x' + \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}y'$$

$$y = \frac{-2}{\sqrt{5}}x' + \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}y'$$

$$x^2 + 4xy - 2y^2 - 6 = 0$$

Substitute:

$$\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}x' + \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}y'\right)^2 + 4\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}x' + \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}y'\right)\left(\frac{-2}{\sqrt{5}}x' + \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}y'\right) - 2\left(\frac{-2}{\sqrt{5}}x' + \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}y'\right)^2 - 6 = 0$$

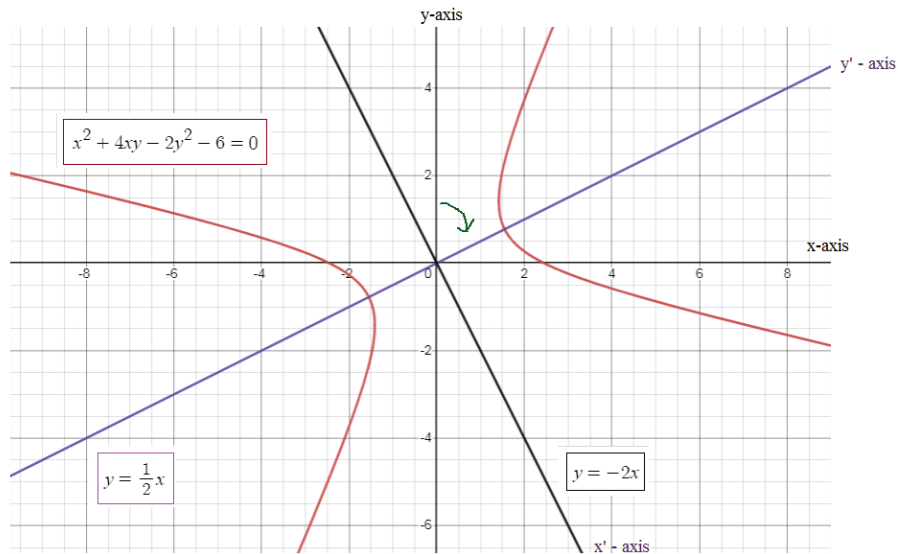
Expand:

$$\frac{1}{5}x'^2 + \frac{4}{5}x'y' + \frac{4}{5}y'^2 - \frac{8}{5}x'^2 + \frac{4}{5}x'y' - \frac{16}{5}x'y' + \frac{8}{5}y'^2 - \frac{8}{5}x'^2 + \frac{8}{5}x'y' - \frac{2}{5}y'^2 - 6 = 0$$

Collect terms:

$$-\frac{15}{5}x'^2 + 0x'y' + \frac{10}{5}y'^2 - 6 = 0 \Rightarrow -3x'^2 + 2y'^2 = 6 \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{y'^2}{3} - \frac{x'^2}{2} = 1$$

Note: the $x'y'$ term is 0



For the conic $16x^2 + 24xy + 9y^2 + 105x + 110y + 225 = 0$,

- Identify the conic
- Find the angle of rotation that aligns the axes with this conic
- Sketch a graph

a) $B^2 - 4AC = (24)^2 - 4(16)(9) = 0$

⇒ PARABOLA

b) $A = 16$
 $B = 24$
 $C = 9$

$a = 1$

$2(9 - 16)b + 24(1 - b^2) = 0$

$-14b + 24 - 24b^2 = 0$

$12b^2 + 7b - 12 = 0$

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

$b = 3/4$ or $-4/3$

for convenience, we'll select the positive value $3/4$

$\frac{a^2}{a} + \frac{b^2}{b} = \frac{c^2}{c}$

$1 + 9/16 = \frac{c^2}{c}$

$c = 5/4$

For $Ax^2 + Bxy + Cy^2 + D = 0$

the angle of rotation is

$\sin \Theta = \frac{b}{c}$

found from: $a = 1$

$2(C - A)b + B(1 - b^2) = 0$

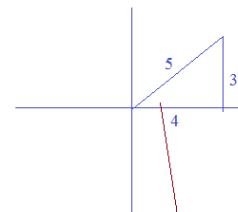
$\cos \Theta = \frac{a}{c}$

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

$x = \cos \Theta x' - \sin \Theta y'$

rotation of axes

$y = \sin \Theta x' + \cos \Theta y'$



37 degree angle

$\cos \Theta = \frac{4}{5}$

$\sin \Theta = \frac{3}{5}$

$x = \frac{4}{5}x' - \frac{3}{5}y'$

$y = \frac{3}{5}x' + \frac{4}{5}y'$

$16x^2 + 24xy + 9y^2 + 105x + 110y + 225 = 0$,

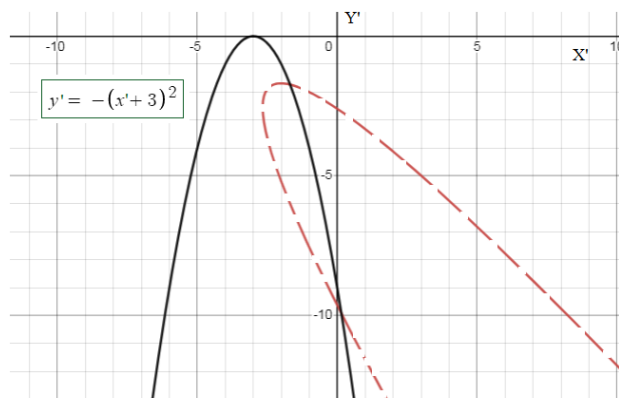
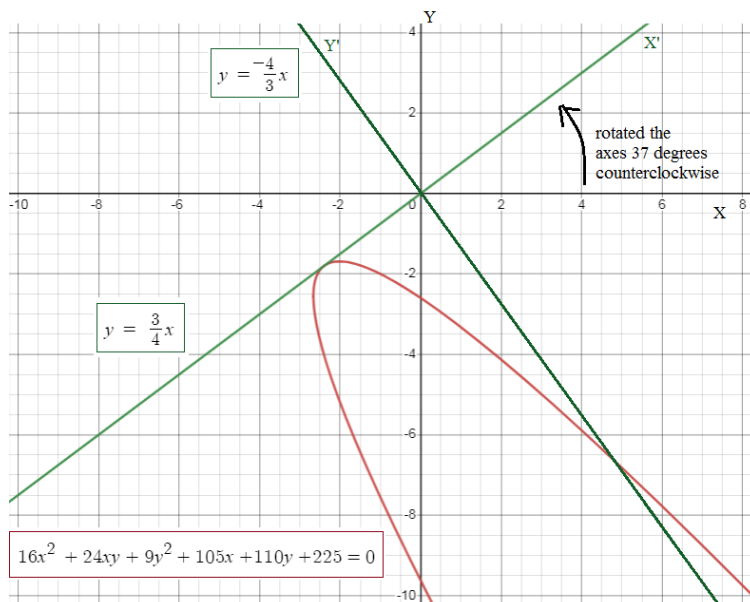
$16\left(\frac{4}{5}x' - \frac{3}{5}y'\right)^2 + 24\left(\frac{4}{5}x' - \frac{3}{5}y'\right)\left(\frac{3}{5}x' + \frac{4}{5}y'\right) + 9\left(\frac{3}{5}x' + \frac{4}{5}y'\right)^2 + 105\left(\frac{4}{5}x' - \frac{3}{5}y'\right) + 110\left(\frac{3}{5}x' + \frac{4}{5}y'\right) + 225 = 0$

simplifies to $25x'^2 + 150x' + 25y' + 225 = 0$

$x'^2 + 6x' + y' + 9 = 0$

or $y' = -1(x'^2 + 6x' + 9)$

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

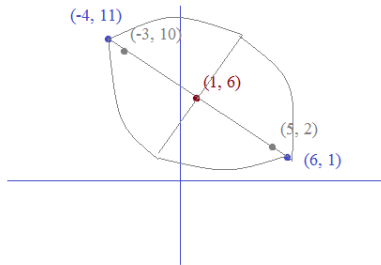


Example: Given: Vertices (-4, 11) and (6, 1)

Foci (-3, 10) and (5, 2)

Find the equation of the ellipse...

Step 1: make a sketch and find properties of ellipse...



The midpoint of the vertices is the center (1, 6)

$$\frac{(x-1)^2}{50} + \frac{(y-6)^2}{18} = 1$$

and, the distance from the center to each vertex is

$$a = \sqrt{(-4-1)^2 + (11-6)^2} = \sqrt{50}$$

distance from center to each focus

$$c = \sqrt{(-3-1)^2 + (10-6)^2} = \sqrt{32}$$

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

$$a^2 = 50$$

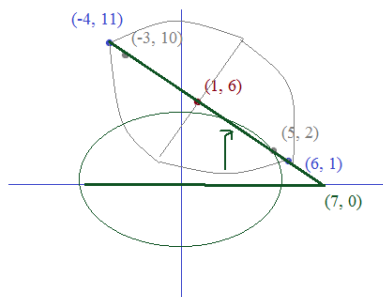
$$c^2 = 32$$

$$\Rightarrow b^2 = 18$$

$$\frac{(x-1)^2}{50} + \frac{(y-6)^2}{b^2} = 1$$

$$\frac{(x-1)^2}{50} + \frac{(y-6)^2}{18} = 1$$

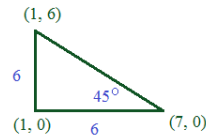
Step 2: find the angle of rotation...



The slope of the major axis is -1...

The x-axis is horizontal..

This ellipse is rotated 45 degrees clockwise



Step 3: shift and rotate the ellipse...

rotate 45 degrees clockwise

after shifting center to origin

translate <1, 6>

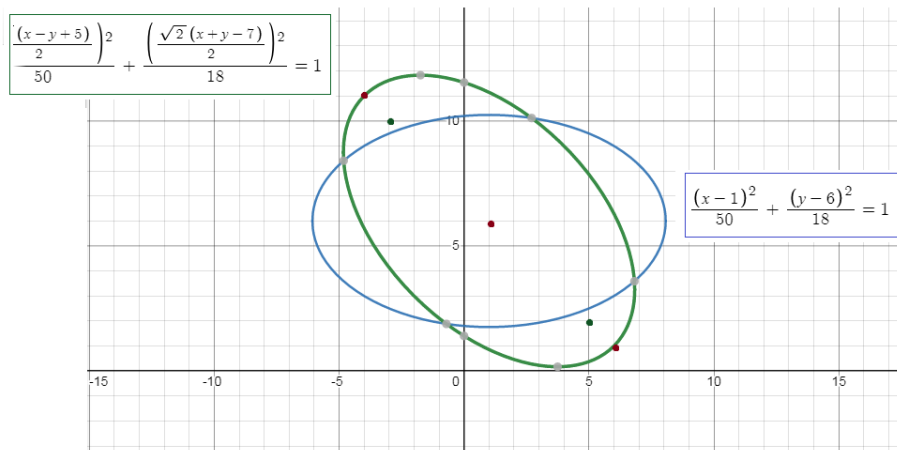
$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(-45) & -\sin(-45) \\ \sin(-45) & \cos(-45) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x-1 \\ y-6 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x'-1 \\ y'-6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \\ -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x-1 \\ y-6 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \\ -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} x'-1 \\ y'-6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x-1 \\ y-6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}(x'-y'+5) \\ -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}(x'+y'-7) \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$$

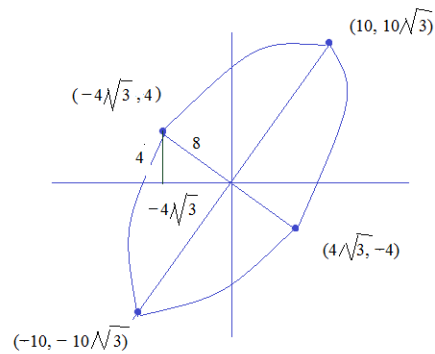
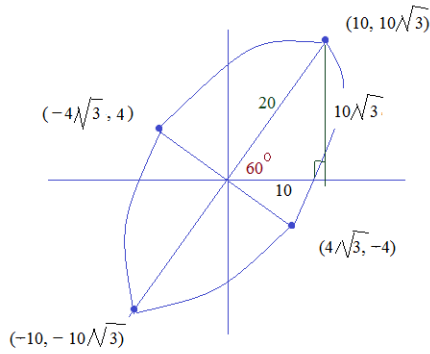
Step 4: Substitute for x and y...

$$\frac{(x-1)^2}{50} + \frac{(y-6)^2}{18} = 1 \Rightarrow \frac{\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}(x'-y'+5) + 1 - 1\right)^2}{50} + \frac{\left(-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}(x'+y'-7) + 6 - 6\right)^2}{18} = 1$$



Example: Find the equation of the ellipse with vertices $(10, 10\sqrt{3})$ and $(-10, -10\sqrt{3})$ and co-vertices $(4\sqrt{3}, -4)$ and $(-4\sqrt{3}, 4)$

Step 1: Draw a diagram and find the ellipse's properties



The midpoint of the vertices and co-vertices is the center $(0, 0)$

The "a" value (or, semi-major axis) is 20

The "b" value (or, semi-minor axis) is 8



$$\frac{x^2}{400} + \frac{y^2}{64} = 1$$

Step 2: Identify the rotation and write the transformation

The 'original' ellipse above is rotated 60 degrees counterclockwise...

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(60) & -\sin(60) \\ \sin(60) & \cos(60) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$$



Find x and y...

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(60) & -\sin(60) \\ \sin(60) & \cos(60) \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix}$$

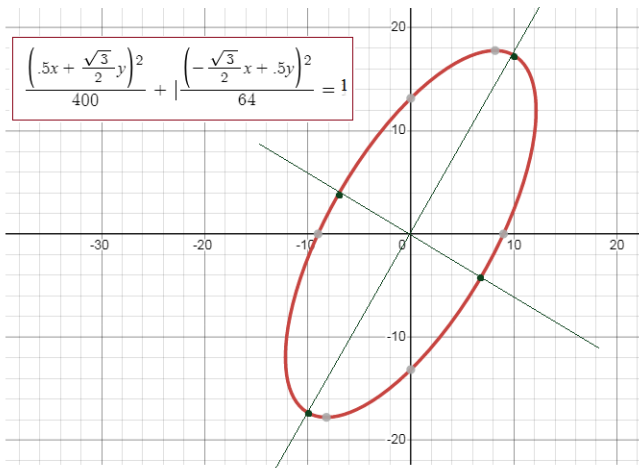
$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(60) & \sin(60) \\ -\sin(60) & \cos(60) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x = \frac{1}{2}x' + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}y'$$

$$y = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}x' + \frac{1}{2}y'$$

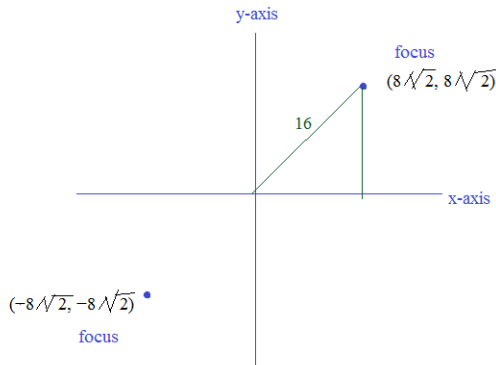
Step 3: Substitute into the 'original' ellipse...

$$\frac{x^2}{400} + \frac{y^2}{64} = 1 \Rightarrow \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}x' + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}y'\right)^2}{400} + \frac{\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}x' + \frac{1}{2}y'\right)^2}{64} = 1$$



Example: A hyperbola whose foci are $(8\sqrt{2}, 8\sqrt{2})$ and $(-8\sqrt{2}, -8\sqrt{2})$ has asymptotes on the x-axis and y-axis.

Find the equation of the hyperbola.



The midpoint of the hyperbola is the center $(0, 0)$

Distance from $(0, 0)$ to each focus is the c value 16

Since the x-axis and y-axis are the asymptotes, they are perpendicular and imply that $a = b$

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

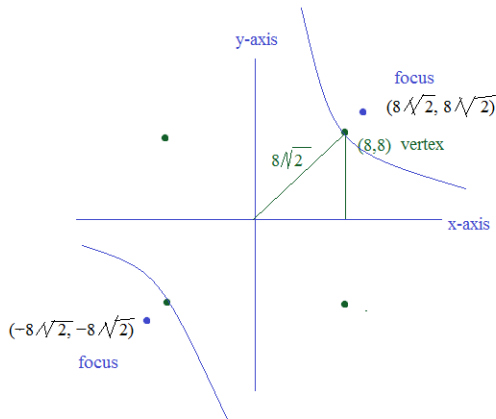
$$a^2 + b^2 = 16^2 \quad \text{and} \quad a = b$$

$$a^2 = b^2 = 128 \quad a = b = 8\sqrt{2}$$

$$\frac{x^2}{128} - \frac{y^2}{128} = 1$$

This is the equation of the hyperbola using a, b, and c values...

Now, we will reorient and rotate it 45 degrees counterclockwise!



$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(45) & -\sin(45) \\ \sin(45) & \cos(45) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \cos(45) & -\sin(45) \\ \sin(45) & \cos(45) \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \cos(45) & \sin(45) \\ -\sin(45) & \cos(45) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$$

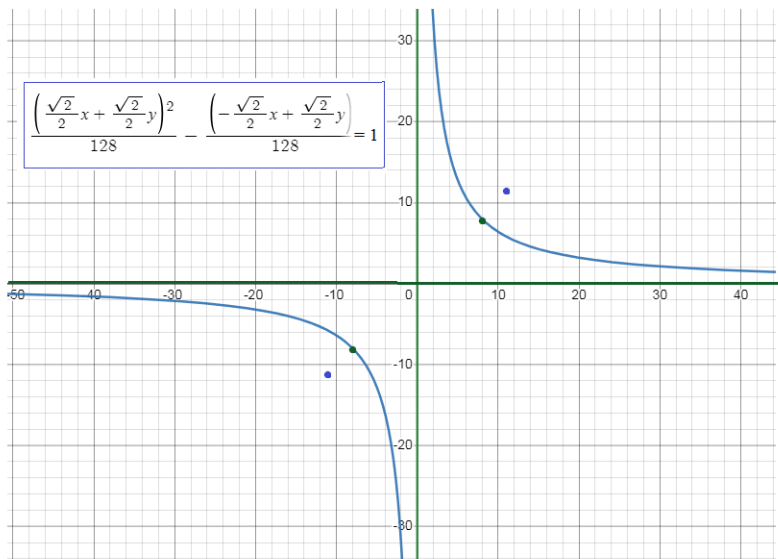
$$\frac{x^2}{128} - \frac{y^2}{128} = 1$$

$$x = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} x' + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} y'$$

$$y = -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} x' + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} y'$$

Then, substitute into the hyperbola numbers..

$$\frac{\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} x' + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} y'\right)^2}{128} - \frac{\left(-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} x' + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} y'\right)^2}{128} = 1$$



Using Matrices for rotation of axes

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \Theta & \sin \Theta \\ -\sin \Theta & \cos \Theta \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{Clockwise rotation of } \Theta \text{ degrees}$$

To find x and y, we use the inverse matrix!

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \Theta & \sin \Theta \\ -\sin \Theta & \cos \Theta \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$$

inverse ↙

$$\frac{1}{\begin{vmatrix} \cos \Theta & \sin \Theta \\ -\sin \Theta & \cos \Theta \end{vmatrix}} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} \cos \Theta & -\sin \Theta \\ \sin \Theta & \cos \Theta \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \Theta & -\sin \Theta \\ \sin \Theta & \cos \Theta \end{bmatrix}$$

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$$\begin{bmatrix} \cos \Theta & -\sin \Theta \\ \sin \Theta & \cos \Theta \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \Theta & -\sin \Theta \\ \sin \Theta & \cos \Theta \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \cos \Theta & \sin \Theta \\ -\sin \Theta & \cos \Theta \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \cos \Theta & -\sin \Theta \\ \sin \Theta & \cos \Theta \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x &= x' \cos \Theta - y' \sin \Theta \\ y &= x' \sin \Theta + y' \cos \Theta \end{aligned}$$

Example. For the following ellipse $3(x-4)^2 + (y+2)^2 = 27$

Find the equation of the ellipse after it is rotated 45 degrees counterclockwise

- a) around the origin
- b) around the center of the ellipse

a) rotation 45 degrees around the origin...

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$$

Multiply each side by the inverse of the rotation matrix...

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$$

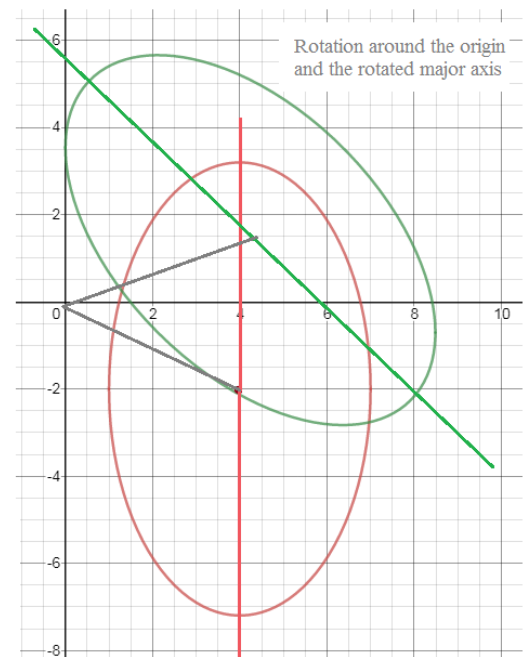
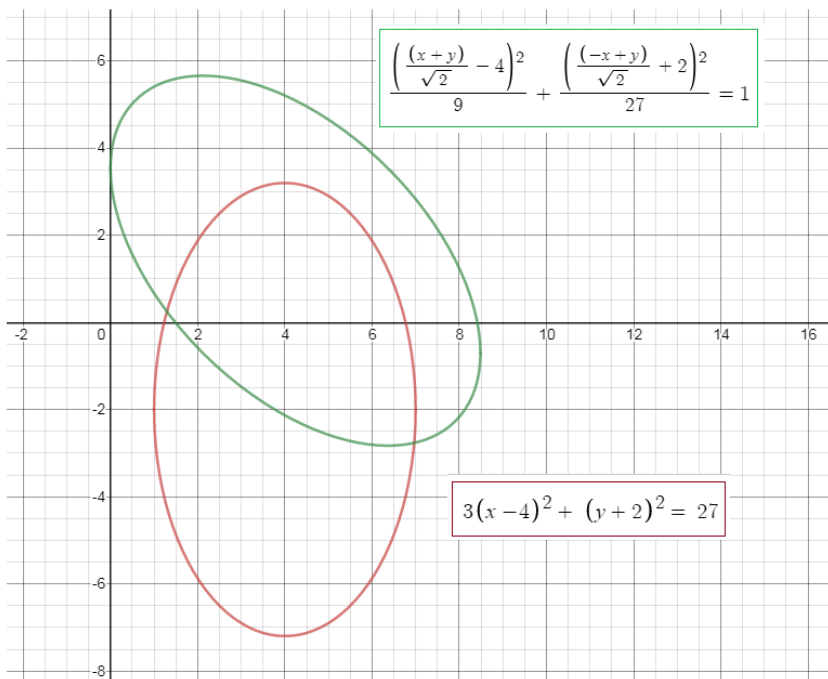
$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}x' + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}y' \Rightarrow \frac{x' + y'}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$y = \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}x' + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}y' \Rightarrow \frac{-x' + y'}{\sqrt{2}}$$

Substitute into original equation...

$$3(x-4)^2 + (y+2)^2 = 27 \Rightarrow \frac{\left(\frac{x' + y'}{\sqrt{2}} - 4\right)^2}{9} + \frac{\left(\frac{-x' + y'}{\sqrt{2}} + 2\right)^2}{27} = 1$$



Example (continued): For the following ellipse $3(x-4)^2 + (y+2)^2 = 27$

Rotation of axes using matrices

Find the equation of the ellipse after it is rotated 45 degrees counterclockwise

b) around the center of the ellipse

b) rotating around the center of the ellipse...

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x-4 \\ y+2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

(2)

rotation 45 degrees

(1)

moving each point to the origin

(3)

reapplying the shift back to the rotated point

Using matrix algebra, we'll solve for x and y...

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' - 4 \\ y' + 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x-4 \\ y+2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Multiply each side by the inverse of the rotation matrix...

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x' - 4 \\ y' + 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x-4 \\ y+2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{x' - 4}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{y' + 2}{\sqrt{2}} \\ -\frac{x' - 4}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{y' + 2}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x-4 \\ y+2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{x' - 4}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{y' + 2}{\sqrt{2}} + 4 \\ -\frac{x' - 4}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{y' + 2}{\sqrt{2}} - 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$$

Then, plug into original equation....

$$3(x-4)^2 + (y+2)^2 = 27$$

$$3 \left(\frac{x' - 4}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{y' + 2}{\sqrt{2}} + 4 - 4 \right)^2 + \left(-\frac{x' - 4}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{y' + 2}{\sqrt{2}} - 2 + 2 \right)^2 = 27$$

$$3 \left(\frac{x' + y' - 2}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{-x' + y' + 6}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^2 = 27$$

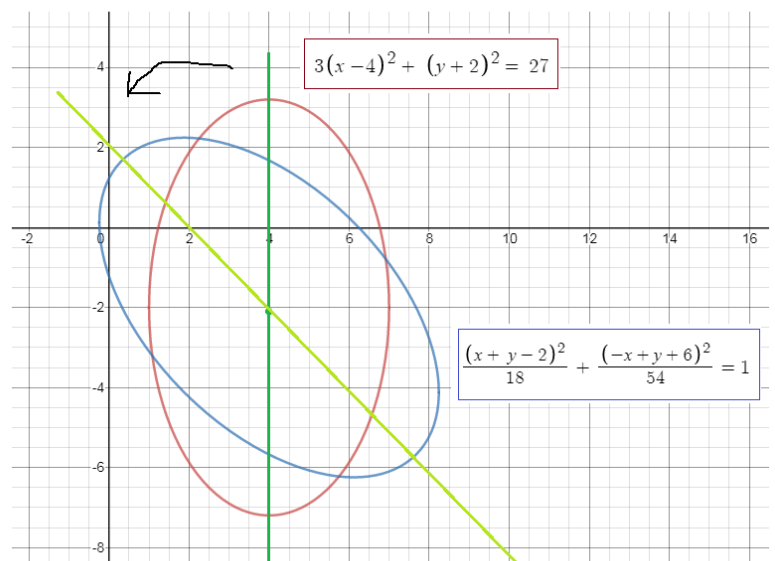
$$\frac{(x' + y' - 2)^2}{18} + \frac{(-x' + y' + 6)^2}{54} = 1$$

Finding the inverse of the rotation matrix...

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{\begin{vmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{vmatrix}} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix}$$



Show that the equation $x^2 + y^2 = 49$ is invariant under any rotation.

Intuitively, we know this equation is invariant, because it's a circle centered at the origin. So, any rotation, and it remains a circle centered at the origin...

Let's prove it algebraically...

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & \sin \theta \\ -\sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{is any rotation of angle } \theta \quad (\text{rotation could be clockwise or counter-clockwise})$$

So, we substitute $x = x' \cos \theta + y' \sin \theta$
 $y = -x' \sin \theta + y' \cos \theta$ into the original equation...

$$x^2 + y^2 = 49$$

$$(x' \cos \theta + y' \sin \theta)^2 + (-x' \sin \theta + y' \cos \theta)^2 = 49$$

$$x'^2 \cos^2 \theta + 2x'y' \cos \theta \sin \theta + y'^2 \sin^2 \theta + x'^2 \sin^2 \theta - 2x'y' \cos \theta \sin \theta + y'^2 \cos^2 \theta = 49$$

cancel, rearrange, and factor...

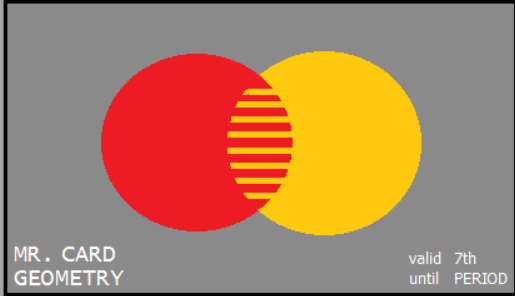
$$x'^2 \cos^2 \theta + x'^2 \sin^2 \theta + y'^2 \sin^2 \theta + y'^2 \cos^2 \theta = 49$$

$$x'^2 (\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta) + y'^2 (\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta) = 49$$

trigonometry identity..

$$x'^2 + y'^2 = 49 \quad \checkmark$$

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"Bonus question:
what is the area of the
striped intersection of
the circles?"

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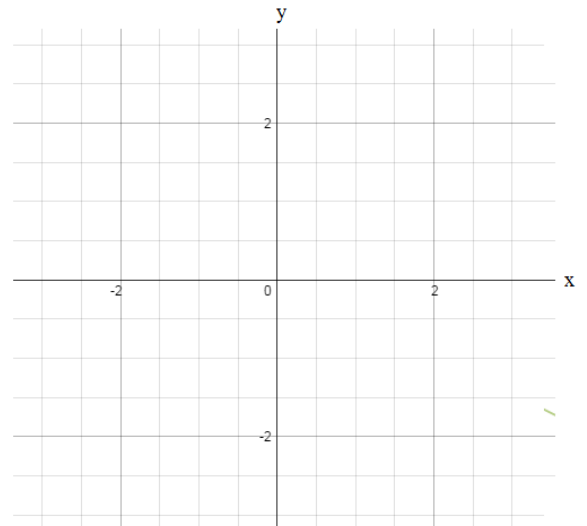
Practice Quiz-→

Rotation of Conics Exercise

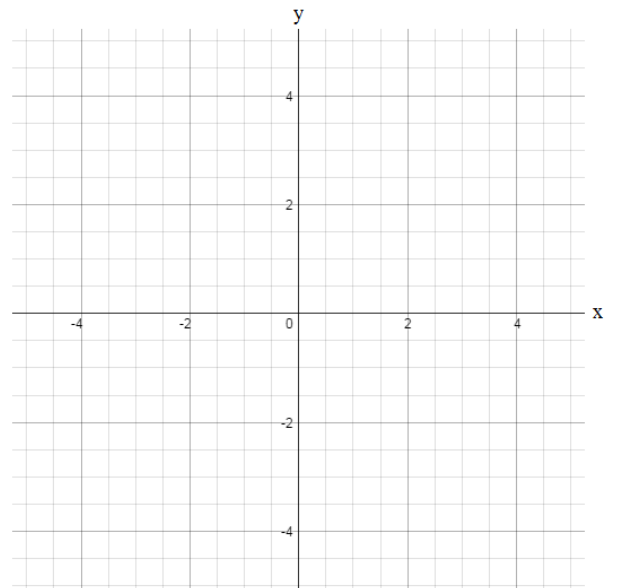
In the following general equations,

- a) Identify the conic
- b) Rotate the axes, and write the new expression containing no 'xy' term
- c) Graph

1) $6x^2 + 4xy + 9y^2 - 20 = 0$

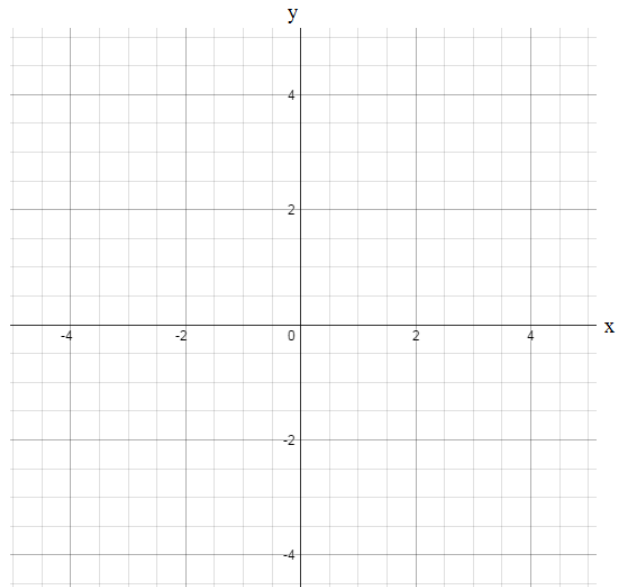


2) $4x^2 - 12xy + 9y^2 + 12x + 8y = 0$

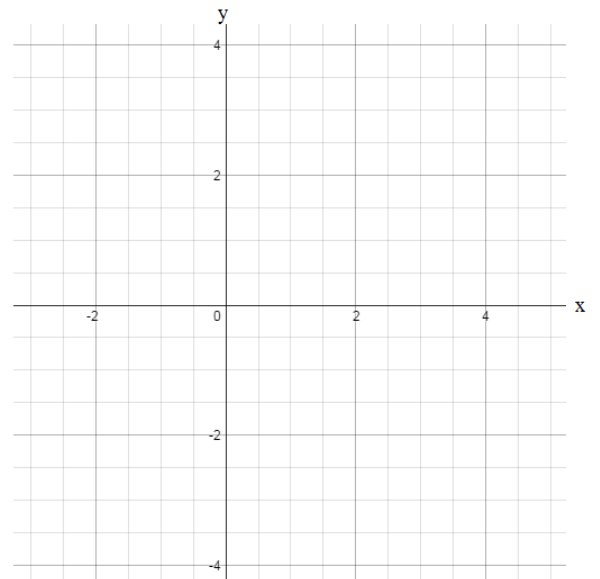


3) $2x^2 - 8xy + 2y^2 - 6 = 0$

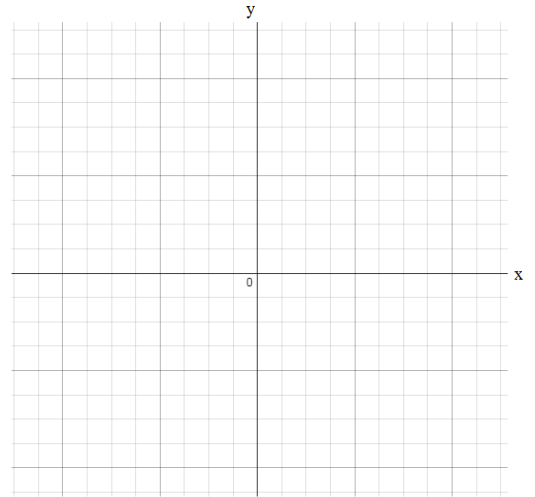
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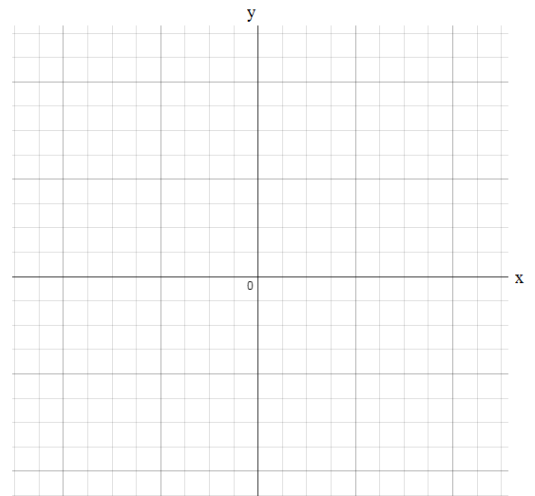
4) $4x^2 - 6xy + 4y^2 - 6y - 2 = 0$



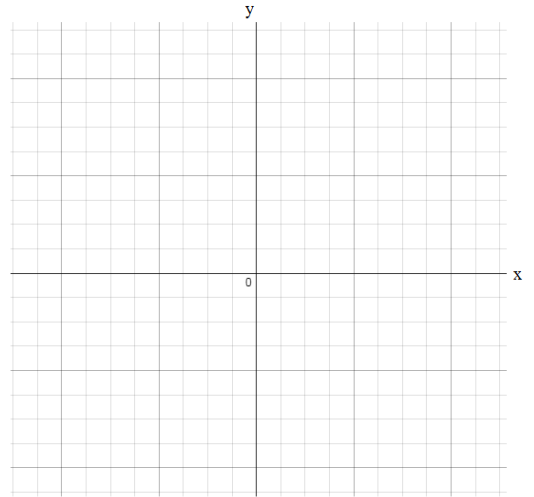
$$5) 7x^2 + 6xy - y^2 - 32 = 0$$



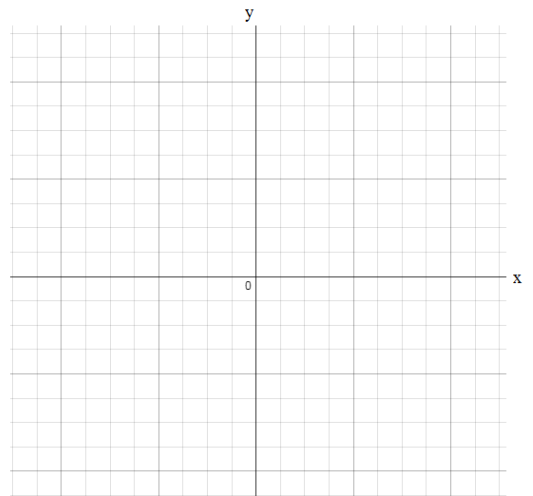
$$6) 4x^2 + 12xy + 9y^2 + 8\sqrt{13}x + 12\sqrt{13}y - 65 = 0$$



7) $6x^2 + 4xy + 9y^2 + 27y = 30$



8) $16x^2 - 24xy + 9y^2 + 110x - 20y + 100 = 0$



In the following general equations,

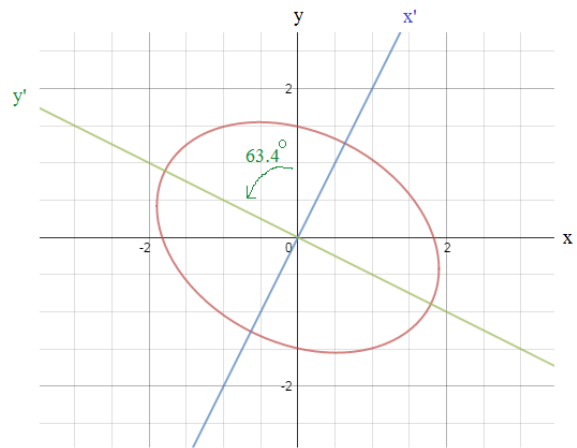
- Identify the conic
- Rotate the axes, and write the new expression containing no 'xy' term
- Graph

SOLUTIONS

1) $6x^2 + 4xy + 9y^2 - 20 = 0$

a) $B^2 - 4AC$
 $(4)^2 - 4(6)(9) = -200 < 0$
 Since less than zero, it's a rotated ellipse...

b) $\cot(2\Theta) = \frac{A-C}{B}$
 $\cot(2\Theta) = \frac{6-9}{4} = -3/4$
 $\operatorname{arccot}(-3/4) = 2\Theta$
 $126.87 = 2\Theta$
 $\Theta \approx 63.4^\circ$



$\tan(63.4) = 2$ (slope of x' -axis)
 then, $-1/2$ (slope of y' -axis)

$x = x'\cos\Theta - y'\sin\Theta$
 $y = x'\sin\Theta + y'\cos\Theta$

c) $x = x'\cos(63.4) - y'\sin(63.4)$
 $x = .45x' - .89y'$
 $y = x'\sin(63.4) + y'\cos(63.4)$
 $y = .89x' + .45y'$
 then, substitute:

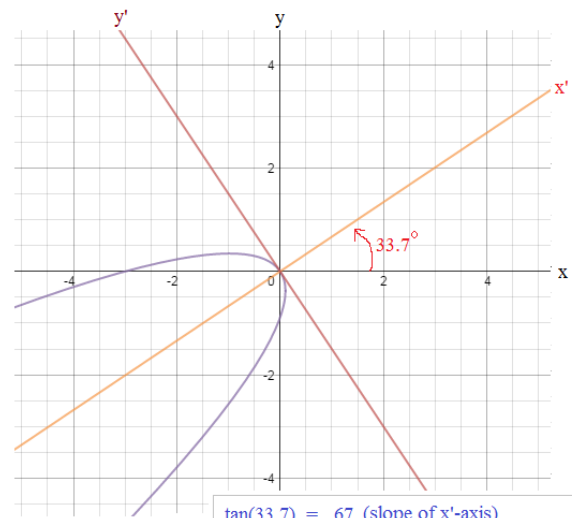
$6x^2 + 4xy + 9y^2 - 20 = 0 \implies 6(.45x' - .89y')^2 + 4(.45x' - .89y')(.89x' + .45y') + 9(.89x' + .45y')^2 = 20$
 $6(.20x'^2 - .8x'y' + .79y'^2) + 4(.40x'^2 - .79x'y' + .20x'y' - .40y'^2) + 9(.79x'^2 + .8x'y' + .20y'^2) = 20$
 $9.91x'^2 + 0x'y' + 4.94y'^2 = 20$

$\frac{x'^2}{2} + \frac{y'^2}{4} = 1$ center: (0, 0) minor semi-axis: 1.4 major semi-axis: 2

2) $4x^2 - 12xy + 9y^2 + 12x + 8y = 0$

a) $B^2 - 4AC$
 $(-12)^2 - 4(4)(9) = 0$
 Since it equals 0, it's a rotated parabola...

b) $\cot(2\Theta) = \frac{A-C}{B}$
 $\cot(2\Theta) = \frac{4-9}{-12} = 5/12$
 $2\Theta = 67.38$
 $\Theta \approx 33.7^\circ$



$\tan(33.7) = .67$ (slope of x' -axis) perpendicular then, -1.5 (slope of y' -axis)

$x = x'\cos\Theta - y'\sin\Theta$
 $y = x'\sin\Theta + y'\cos\Theta$

c) $x = x'\cos(33.7) - y'\sin(33.7)$
 $x = .83x' - .55y'$
 $y = x'\sin(33.7) + y'\cos(33.7)$
 $y = .55x' + .83y'$
 then, substitute..

$4(.83x' - .55y')^2 - 12(.83x' - .55y')(.55x' + .83y') + 9(.55x' + .83y')^2 + 12(.83x' - .55y') + 8(.55x' + .83y') = 0$
 $4(.69x'^2 - .91x'y' + .30y'^2) - 12(.46x'^2 + .39x'y' - .46y'^2) + 9(.30x'^2 + .91x'y' + .69y'^2) + 9.96x' - 6.6y' + 4.4x' + 6.64y' = 0$
 $0x'^2 + 0x'y' + 12.9y'^2 + 14.35x' + 0y' = 0 \implies 14.35x' = -12.9y'^2$

$x' = -.9(y')^2$ vertex: (0, 0) Opens to the left...

$$3) 2x^2 - 8xy + 2y^2 - 6 = 0$$

$$a) B^2 - 4AC$$

$$(-8)^2 - 4(2)(2) = 48 > 0$$

Since it is greater than 0, it's a rotated hyperbola ...

$$b) \cot(2\Theta) = \frac{A-C}{B}$$

$$\cot(2\Theta) = \frac{2-2}{-8} = 0$$

$$2\Theta = 90^\circ$$

$$\Theta = 45^\circ$$

$$c) x = x'\cos(45) - y'\sin(45)$$

$$x = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}x' - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}y'$$

$$y = x'\sin(45) + y'\cos(45)$$

$$y = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}x' + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}y'$$

then, substitute..

$$2\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}x' - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}y'\right)^2 - 8\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}x' - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}y'\right)\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}x' + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}y'\right) + 2\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}x' + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}y'\right)^2 = 6$$

$$2\left(\frac{1}{2}x'^2 - x'y' + \frac{1}{2}y'^2\right) - 8\left(\frac{1}{2}x'^2 - \frac{1}{2}y'^2\right) + 2\left(\frac{1}{2}x'^2 + x'y' + \frac{1}{2}y'^2\right) = 6$$

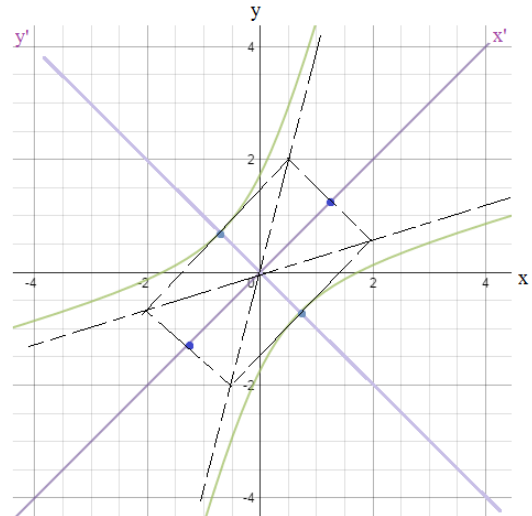
$$-2x'^2 + 0x'y' + 6y'^2 = 6$$

$$\frac{y'^2}{1} - \frac{x'^2}{3} = 1$$

'vertical hyperbola' center: (0, 0)

SOLUTIONS

Rotation of Conics Exercise



$\tan(45) = 1$ so, $y = (1)x$ becomes the x' axis
and, $y = (-1)x$ becomes the y' axis

vertex (on the $x'y'$ - coordinate plane): (0, 1) (0, -1)

co-vertex (on the $x'y'$ -coordinate plane): $(\sqrt{3}, 0)$ $(-\sqrt{3}, 0)$

$$4) 4x^2 - 6xy + 4y^2 - 6y - 2 = 0$$

$$x = x'\cos\Theta - y'\sin\Theta$$

$$y = x'\sin\Theta + y'\cos\Theta$$

$$c) x = x'\cos(45) - y'\sin(45)$$

$$x = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}x' - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}y'$$

$$x = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}(x' - y')$$

$$y = x'\sin(45) + y'\cos(45)$$

$$y = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}x' + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}y'$$

$$y = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}(x' + y')$$

then, substitute..

$$2(x' - y')^2 - 3(x'^2 - y'^2) + 2(x' + y')^2 - 3\sqrt{2}(x' + y') = 2$$

$$x'^2 + 0x'y' + 7y'^2 - 3\sqrt{2}x' - 3\sqrt{2}y' = 2$$

(complete the square)

$$x'^2 - 3\sqrt{2}x' + \frac{9}{2} + 7(y'^2 - \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{7}y' + \frac{18}{196}) = 2 + \frac{9}{2} + \frac{18}{28}$$

$$\left(x' - \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 + 7\left(y' - \frac{3}{\sqrt{98}}\right)^2 = \frac{50}{7} \quad \left(x' - 2.12\right)^2 + 7\left(y' - .30\right)^2 = 7.14$$

$$a) B^2 - 4AC$$

$$(-6)^2 - 4(4)(4) = -28 < 0$$

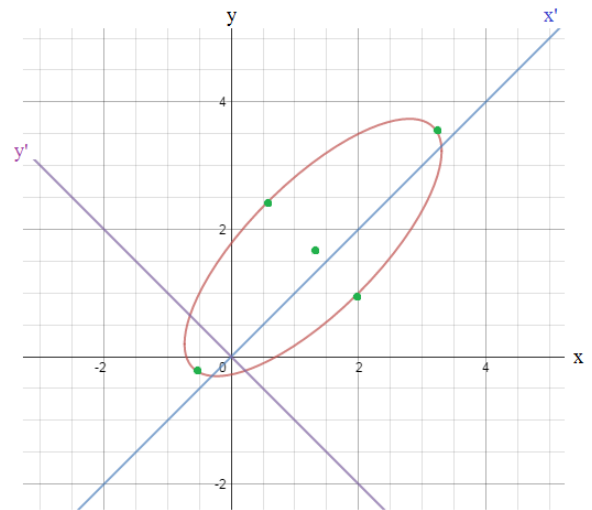
rotated AND shifted ellipse

$$b) \tan(2\Theta) = \frac{B}{A-C}$$

$$\tan(2\Theta) = \frac{-6}{4-4} \text{ undefined}$$

$$2\Theta = 90^\circ$$

$$\Theta = 45^\circ$$



center: (2.12, .30) on the $x'y'$ -coordinate plane

vertices: (-.55, .30) and (4.79, .30)

co-vertices: (2.12, 1.30) and (2.12, -.70)

(approximate values)

$$\frac{(x' - 2.12)^2}{7.14} + \frac{(y' - .30)^2}{1.02} = 1$$

5) $7x^2 + 6xy - y^2 - 32 = 0$

$B^2 - 4AC = 36 - 4(7)(-1) > 0$ HYPERBOLA

To find the angle of rotation...

$a = 1$

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

$2(C - A)b + B(1 - b^2) = 0$

If we use $b = -3$

$2(-1 - 7)b + 6(1 - b^2) = 0$

$a = 1$ $b = -3$ and $c = \sqrt{10}$

$-6b^2 - 16b + 6 = 0$

$\cos \Theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}}$

$3b^2 + 8b - 3 = 0$

$\sin \Theta = \frac{-3}{\sqrt{10}}$

$(3b - 1)(b + 3) = 0$

$b = 1/3$ or -3

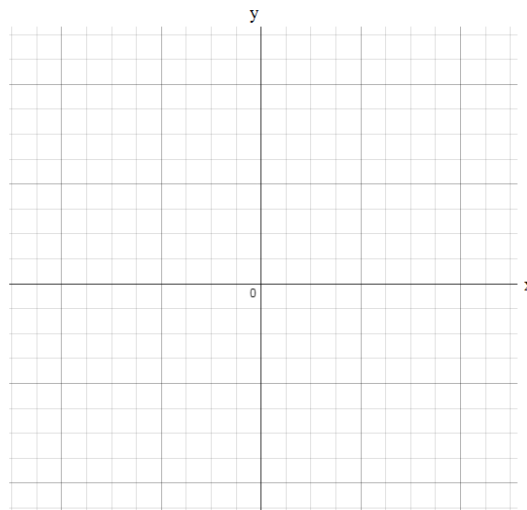
$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} & \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}} \\ \frac{-3}{\sqrt{10}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{aligned} x &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} x' + \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}} y' \\ y &= \frac{-3}{\sqrt{10}} x' + \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} y' \end{aligned}$$

Then, substitution $7x^2 + 6xy - y^2 - 32 = 0$

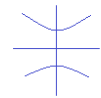
$$7 \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} x' + \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}} y' \right)^2 + 6 \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} x' + \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}} y' \right) \left(\frac{-3}{\sqrt{10}} x' + \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} y' \right) - \left(\frac{-3}{\sqrt{10}} x' + \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} y' \right)^2 = 32$$

$-2x'^2 + 8y'^2 - 32 = 0$ or $\frac{y'^2}{4} - \frac{x'^2}{16} = 1$

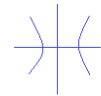
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Note: If we use $b = -3$, we get



If we use $b = 1/3$, we get

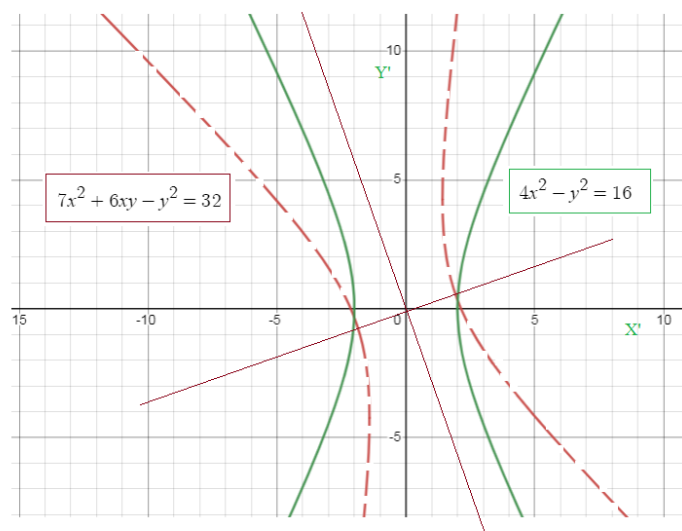
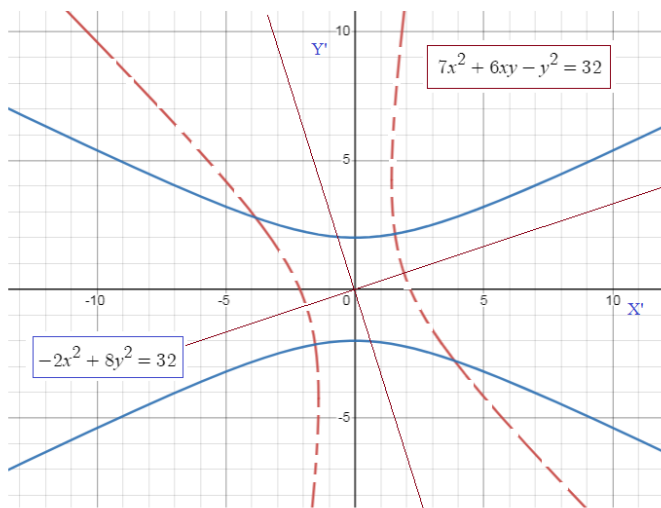


If rotated the other direction:

$4x'^2 - y'^2 - 16 = 0$

or

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



6) $4x^2 + 12xy + 9y^2 + 8\sqrt{13}x + 12\sqrt{13}y - 65 = 0$

SOLUTIONS

$B^2 - 4AC = 12^2 - 4(4)(9) = 0$ PARABOLA

$a = 1 \quad 2(C - A)b + B(1 - b^2) = 0$

$2(9 - 4)b + 12(1 - b^2) = 0$

$10b + 12 - 12b^2 = 0$

$6b^2 - 5b - 6 = 0$

$(3b + 2)(2b - 3) = 0$

$b = -2/3$ or $3/2$

Using $b = 3/2$,

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

$1 + 9/4 = c^2$

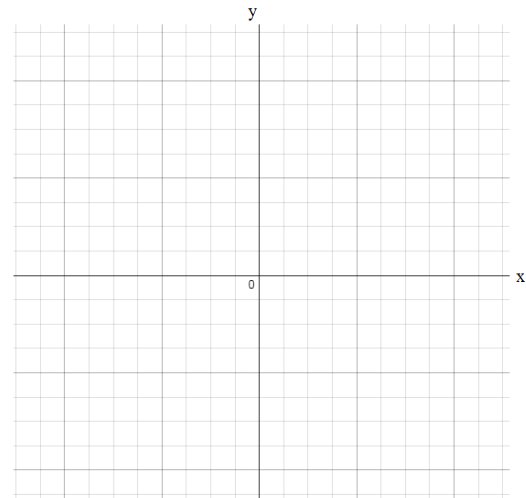
$c = \frac{\sqrt{13}}{2}$

$\sin \Theta = \frac{b}{c} = \frac{3}{\sqrt{13}}$

$\cos \Theta = \frac{a}{c} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{13}}$

$x = \frac{2}{\sqrt{13}} x' + \frac{-3}{\sqrt{13}} y'$

$y = \frac{3}{\sqrt{13}} x' + \frac{2}{\sqrt{13}} y'$



$4x^2 + 12xy + 9y^2 + 8\sqrt{13}x + 12\sqrt{13}y - 65 = 0$

$4\left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{13}}x' + \frac{-3}{\sqrt{13}}y'\right)^2 + 12\left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{13}}x' + \frac{-3}{\sqrt{13}}y'\right)\left(\frac{3}{\sqrt{13}}x' + \frac{2}{\sqrt{13}}y'\right) + 9\left(\frac{3}{\sqrt{13}}x' + \frac{2}{\sqrt{13}}y'\right)^2 + 8\sqrt{13}\left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{13}}x' + \frac{-3}{\sqrt{13}}y'\right) + 12\sqrt{13}\left(\frac{3}{\sqrt{13}}x' + \frac{2}{\sqrt{13}}y'\right) - 65 = 0$

(Simplified with calculator) $\iff 13x'^2 + 52x' = 65$

(divide by 13)

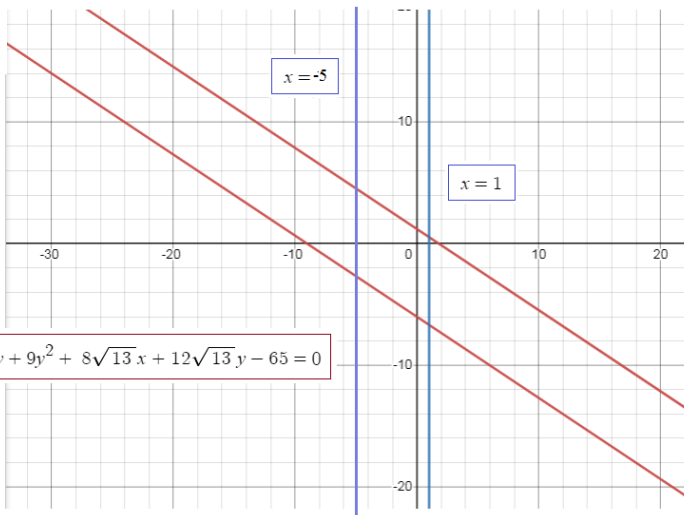
$x'^2 + 4x' = 5$

(complete the square)

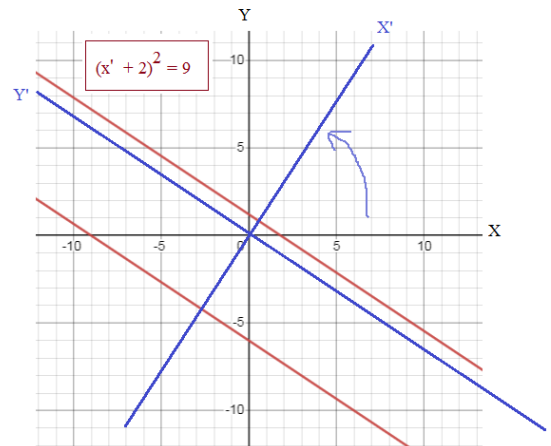
$x'^2 + 4x' + 4 = 5 + 4$

$(x' + 2)^2 = 9$

vertical lines: $x' = 1$ and $x' = -5$



$4x^2 + 12xy + 9y^2 + 8\sqrt{13}x + 12\sqrt{13}y - 65 = 0$



NOTE: If we had used $b = -2/3$, the axes would have been rotated the other direction, and the result would have been $(y' + 2)^2 = 9$

7) $6x^2 + 4xy + 9y^2 + 27y = 30$

To identify the conic, find $B^2 - 4AC$

$$(4)^2 - 4(6)(9) < 0 \Rightarrow \text{ELLIPSE}$$

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To find the angle of rotation, we'll use

$$\tan(2\Theta) = \frac{B}{A - C}$$

$$\tan(2\Theta) = \frac{4}{6 - 9}$$

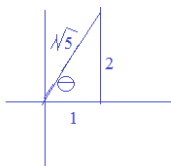
$$\sin \Theta = \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}$$

$$\frac{2\tan \Theta}{1 - \tan^2 \Theta} = \frac{4}{-3}$$

$$\cos \Theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$$

We can pick either -1/2 or 2..

If we choose 2,



$$-6\tan \Theta = 4 - 4\tan^2 \Theta$$

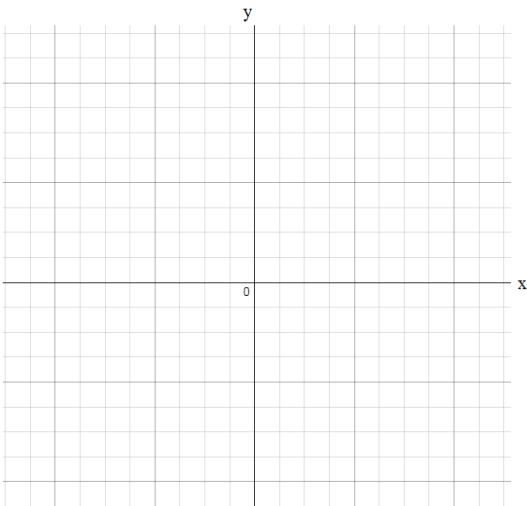
$$2\tan^2 \Theta - 3\tan \Theta - 2 = 0$$

$$(2\tan \Theta + 1)(\tan \Theta - 2) = 0$$

$$\tan \Theta = -1/2 \quad \tan \Theta = 2$$

$$x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}x' - \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}y'$$

$$y = \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}x' + \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}y'$$



$$6x^2 + 4xy + 9y^2 + 27y = 30$$

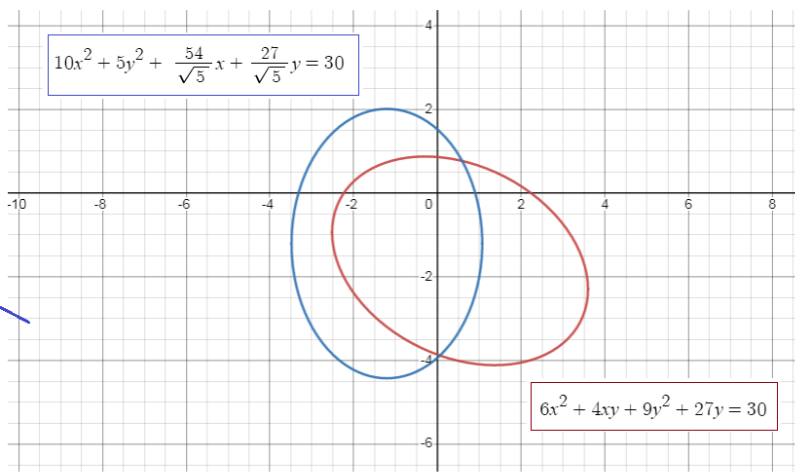
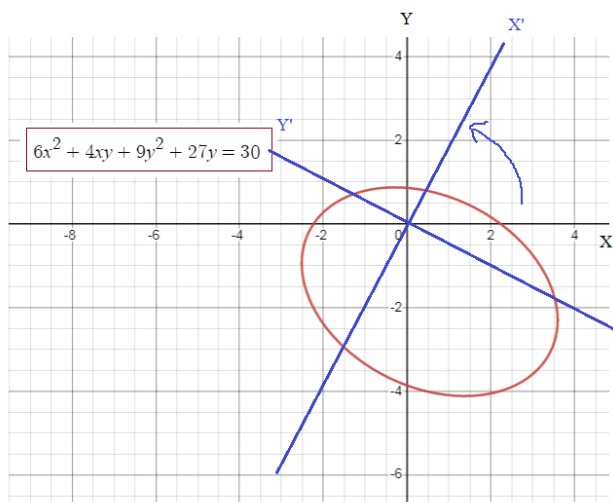
$$6\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}x' - \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}y'\right)^2 + 4\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}x' - \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}y'\right)\left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}x' + \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}y'\right) + 9\left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}x' + \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}y'\right)^2 + 27\left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}x' + \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}y'\right) = 30$$

$$\frac{6}{5}x'^2 - \frac{24}{5}x'y' + \frac{24}{5}y'^2 + \frac{8}{5}x'^2 + \frac{4}{5}x'y' - \frac{16}{5}x'y' - \frac{8}{5}y'^2 + \frac{36}{5}x'^2 + \frac{36}{5}x'y' + \frac{9}{5}y'^2 + \frac{54}{\sqrt{5}}x' + \frac{27}{\sqrt{5}}y' = 30$$

Note: the $x'y'$ cancels to zero... (eliminating the rotation) ✓

$$\frac{6}{5}x'^2 + \frac{24}{5}y'^2 + \frac{8}{5}x'^2 - \frac{8}{5}y'^2 + \frac{36}{5}x'^2 + \frac{9}{5}y'^2 + \frac{54}{\sqrt{5}}x' + \frac{27}{\sqrt{5}}y' = 30$$

$$\frac{50}{5}x'^2 + \frac{25}{5}y'^2 + \frac{54}{\sqrt{5}}x' + \frac{27}{\sqrt{5}}y' = 30 \Rightarrow 10x'^2 + 5y'^2 + \frac{54}{\sqrt{5}}x' + \frac{27}{\sqrt{5}}y' = 30$$



8) $16x^2 - 24xy + 9y^2 + 110x - 20y + 100 = 0$

To identify the conic, find $B^2 - 4AC$

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Rotation of Conics Exercise

To find the angle of rotation, we'll use

$(24)^2 - 4(16)(9) = 0$ PARABOLA

$$\tan(2\Theta) = \frac{B}{A - C}$$

$$\tan(2\Theta) = \frac{-24}{16 - 9}$$

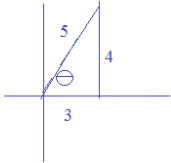
$$\sin \Theta = \frac{4}{5}$$

We can select either 4/3 or -3/4 to rotate and remove the xy term..

$$\frac{2\tan \Theta}{1 - \tan^2 \Theta} = \frac{-24}{7}$$

$$\cos \Theta = \frac{3}{5}$$

If we choose 4/3,



$$14\tan \Theta = -24 + 24\tan^2 \Theta$$

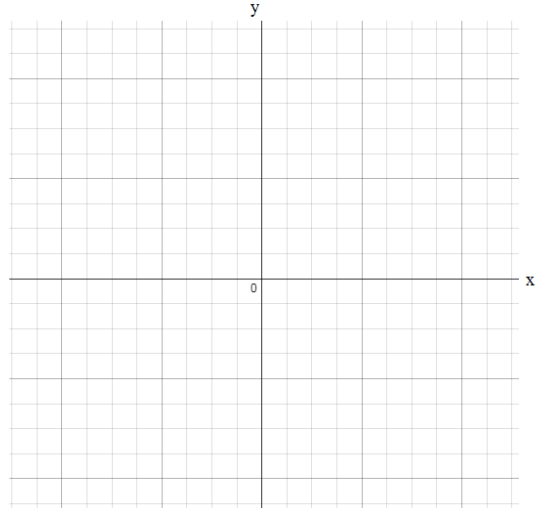
$$12\tan^2 \Theta - 7\tan \Theta - 12 = 0$$

$$(3\tan \Theta - 4)(4\tan \Theta + 3) = 0$$

$$\tan \Theta = 4/3 \quad \tan \Theta = -3/4$$

$$x = \frac{3}{5}x' - \frac{4}{5}y'$$

$$y = \frac{4}{5}x' + \frac{3}{5}y'$$



$16x^2 - 24xy + 9y^2 + 110x - 20y + 100 = 0$

$$16\left(\frac{3}{5}x' - \frac{4}{5}y'\right)^2 - 24\left(\frac{3}{5}x' - \frac{4}{5}y'\right)\left(\frac{4}{5}x' + \frac{3}{5}y'\right) + 9\left(\frac{4}{5}x' + \frac{3}{5}y'\right)^2 + 110\left(\frac{3}{5}x' - \frac{4}{5}y'\right) - 20\left(\frac{4}{5}x' + \frac{3}{5}y'\right) + 100 = 0$$

$$\frac{144}{25}x'^2 - \frac{384}{25}x'y' + \frac{256}{25}y'^2 - \frac{288}{25}x'^2 + \frac{168}{25}x'y' + \frac{288}{25}y'^2 + \frac{144}{25}x'^2 + \frac{216}{25}x'y' + \frac{81}{25}y'^2 + 66x' - 88y' - 16x' - 12y' + 100 = 0$$

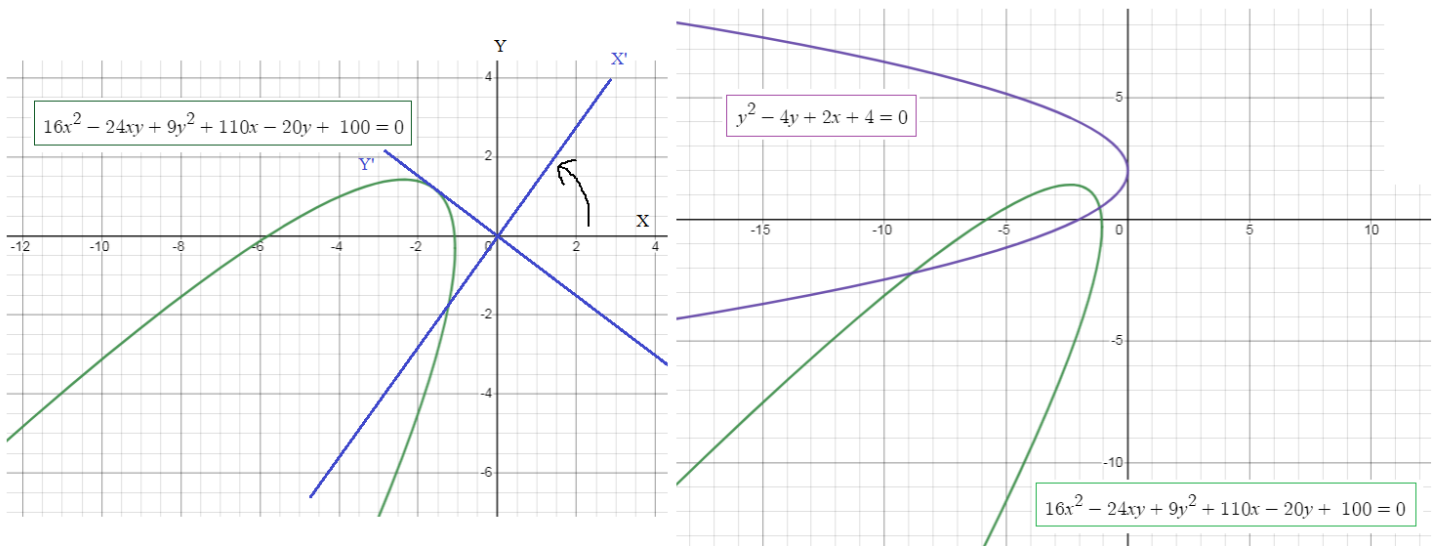
The x'y' cancel to zero, eliminating the rotation on the x'y' coordinate plane.. ✓

$$\frac{144}{25}x'^2 + \frac{256}{25}y'^2 - \frac{288}{25}x'^2 + \frac{288}{25}y'^2 + \frac{144}{25}x'^2 + \frac{81}{25}y'^2 + 66x' - 88y' - 16x' - 12y' + 100 = 0$$

The x'² terms cancel, leaving us with a parabola... ✓

$$\frac{256}{25}y'^2 + \frac{288}{25}y'^2 + \frac{81}{25}y'^2 + 66x' - 88y' - 16x' - 12y' + 100 = 0$$

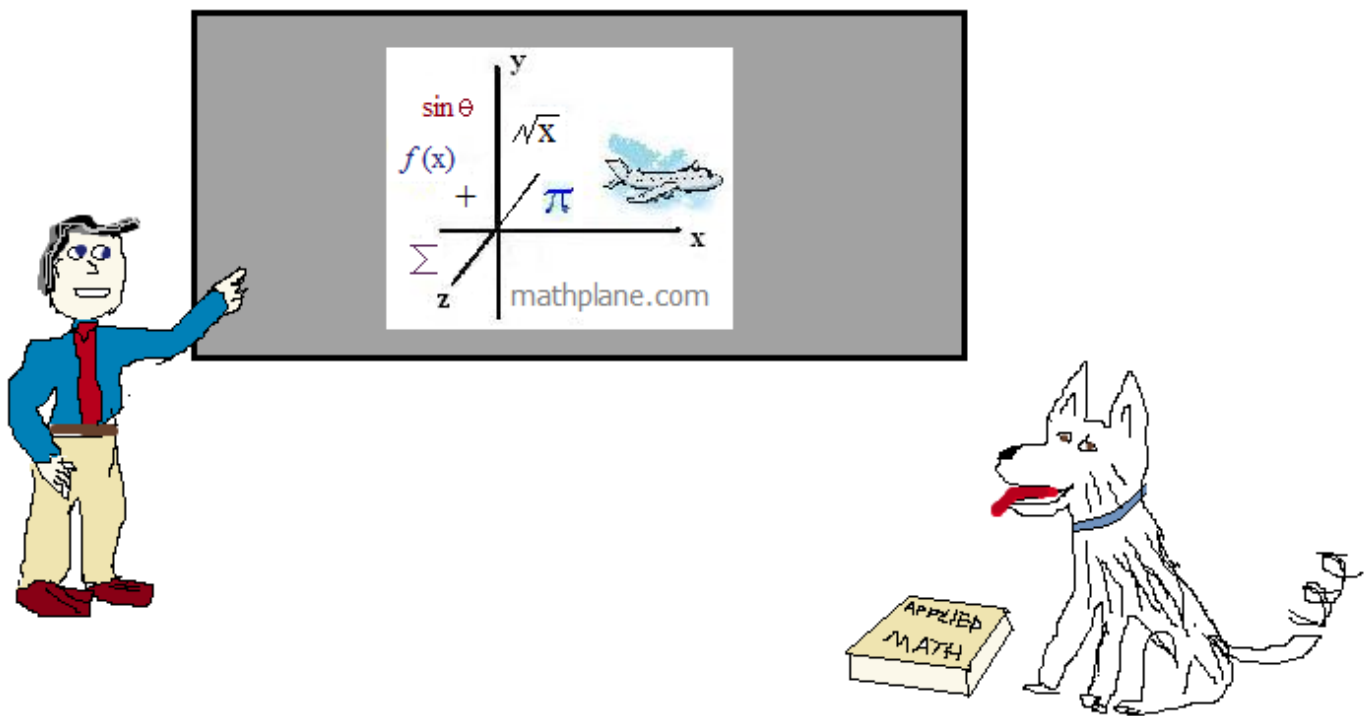
$$25y'^2 - 100y' + 50x' + 100 = 0 \Rightarrow y'^2 - 4y' + 2x' + 4 = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad (y' - 2)^2 = -2x'$$



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