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## MTH 111, Math. for the Architects, Exam I, Spring 2014

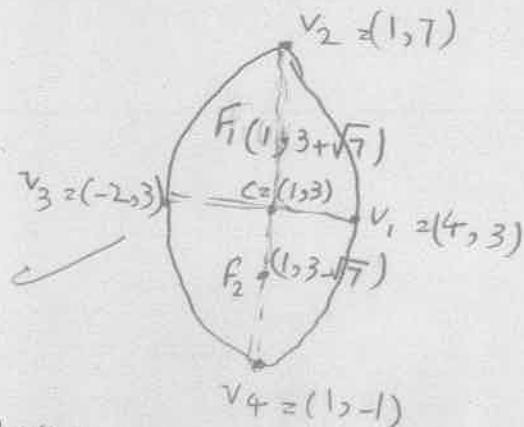
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(Each question = 10 points, total points 100 points)

QUESTION 1. Find an equation of the ellipse with the vertices  $(4, 3)$ ,  $(1, 7)$ , and  $(-2, 3)$ . Find the constant  $k$ . Find the foci. Make a rough sketch of such ellipse.

$$c = \left( \frac{4+2}{2}, 3 \right) \rightarrow c = (1, 3) \quad : \text{because } c \text{ is middle of the } V_1 \text{ and } V_3$$

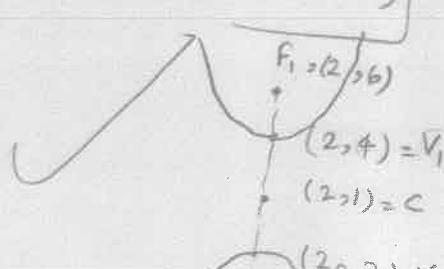
$$\begin{aligned} L \text{ axis} &= 7-3 = 4 \\ CF &= \sqrt{L^2 - S^2} \rightarrow CF = \sqrt{16 - 9} = \sqrt{7} \rightarrow V_4 = (1, 3-4) \rightarrow V_4 = (1, -1) \\ k = 2L &\rightarrow k = 2 \times 4 = 8 \\ \rightarrow \frac{(x-1)^2}{4^2} + \frac{(y-3)^2}{3^2} &= 1 \end{aligned}$$



QUESTION 2. Find an equation of the hyperbola that is centered at  $(2, 1)$  and with constant  $k = 6$  such that  $(2, 6)$  is one of the foci. Find the second foci, find the vertices, and make a rough sketch of such hyperbola.

$$\begin{aligned} C &= (2, 1) \quad k = 6 \rightarrow 2M = 6 \rightarrow M = 3 \\ |CC| &= 6 - 1 = 5 \quad \Rightarrow N^2 = |FC|^2 - M^2 \rightarrow N^2 = 25 - 9 \rightarrow N^2 = 16 \quad \boxed{N = 4} \\ \frac{(x-1)^2}{3^2} - \frac{(y-2)^2}{4^2} &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{cases} C = (2, 1) \\ M = 3 \end{cases} \quad \begin{cases} V_1 = (2, 1+3) = (2, 4) \\ V_2 = (2, 1-3) = (2, -2) \end{cases}$$



**QUESTION 3.** Given  $x = 1$  is the directrix line of the parabola that passes through the point  $(6, 5)$  and the line  $y = 2$  passes through the vertex of the parabola. Find the vertex, the focus, and make a rough sketch of such parabola. Then find an equation of the parabola.

$$Q = (6, 5) \rightarrow |QL| = |QF|$$

$$\rightarrow |QLI| = 6 - 1 = 5$$

$$F = (m, 2) \rightarrow |QF| = \sqrt{(6-m)^2 + (5\sqrt{2})^2} = 5$$

$$\rightarrow (6-m)^2 + 9 = 25 \rightarrow (6-m)^2 = 16$$

$$-4 \rightarrow m = 2$$

$$\rightarrow \begin{array}{|l|l|} \hline F = (2, 2) & \text{Vertex} = \left( \frac{1+2}{2}, 2 \right) = (1, 5, 2) \\ \hline P = 2 - 1.5 & = 0.5 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow (y - 2)^2 = 4(0.5)(x - 1.5)$$

$$= (y - 2)^2 = 2(x - 1.5)$$

**QUESTION 4.** Find the directrix, the focus, and the vertex of the parabola  $y = 2(x - 1.5)^2 + 2$ .

$$y = 0.5(x+5)^2 + 4$$

$$4P = 2 \rightarrow P = \frac{1}{2}$$

$\boxed{P = \frac{1}{2}}$

$\rightarrow \text{Vertex} = (-5, 4)$

$$F = (-5, \frac{1}{2})$$

$$\text{Vertex: } (-5, 4)$$

$$y = 4 - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{7}{2}$$

$$y = 4 - \frac{1}{2}x^2 = \frac{1}{2} : \text{directrix}$$

**QUESTION 5.** Find the foci, the constant  $k$ , and the vertices of the ellipse  $\frac{(x+2)^2}{25} + \frac{(y-3)^2}{9} = 1$ .

$$\frac{(x+2)^2}{25} + \frac{(y-3)^2}{9} = 1 \quad \rightarrow \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} x^2 - 25 \\ y^2 - 9 \end{array} \right. = 1$$

$$\begin{cases} L^2 = 25 \rightarrow L = 5 \\ S^2 = 9 \rightarrow S = 3 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow |CF| = L^2 - S^2 = 25 - 9 = 16$$

$$\rightarrow f_1 = (-2, 4, 3) \xrightarrow{F} (2, 3)$$

$$F_2 = \cancel{(2-4, 3)} = (-2, 3)$$

$$\rightarrow k = 2 \times 5 = 10$$

$$C = (-2, 3) \quad V_1 = (-2 + 5, 3), V_4 = (-2 - 3, 3) \quad V_1 = (3, 3)$$

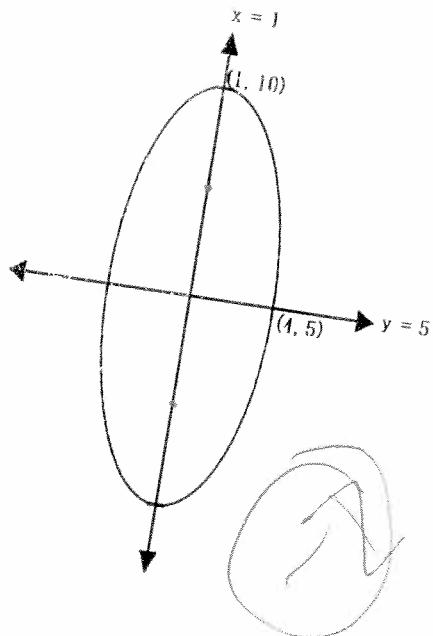
**QUESTION 6.** Find the center, the foci, the vertices of the hyperbola  $x^2 - 2y^2 - 4y = 18$

$$x^2 - 2(y^2 - 2y) = 18 \rightarrow x^2 - 2((y-1)^2 - 1) = 18 \rightarrow x^2 - 2(y-1)^2 = 16$$

$$\frac{(x-a)^2}{16} - \frac{(y-1)^2}{8} = 1 \rightarrow c = (0, 1), M^2 = 16 \Rightarrow M = 4$$

$$\begin{cases} F_1 = (0 + \sqrt{24}, 1) \\ F_2 = (0 - \sqrt{24}, 1) \end{cases}, \begin{cases} V_1 = (0 + 4, 1) \\ V_2 = (0 - 4, 1) \end{cases}$$

**QUESTION 7.** Find the foci, and the equation of the below ellipse:



$$c = (1, 5) \rightarrow L = 10 - 5 = 5 \\ S = 5 - 1 = 4$$

$$\frac{(x-1)^2}{4^2} + \frac{(y-5)^2}{5^2} = 1$$

$$L^2 = |CF|^2 - S^2 \rightarrow |CF|^2 = 25 + 16$$

$$|CF|^2 = 41 \rightarrow |CF| = \sqrt{41}$$

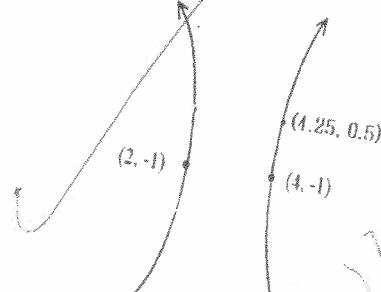
$$\begin{cases} F_1 = (1, 5 + \sqrt{41}) \\ F_2 = (1, 5 - \sqrt{41}) \end{cases}$$

**QUESTION 8.**

Find the foci, and the equation of the below hyperbola:

$$\text{Foci: } |CF|^2 - M^2 = N^2 \rightarrow |CF|^2 = 1 + 4 \\ CF = \sqrt{5}$$

$$\begin{cases} F_1 = (3 + \sqrt{5}, -1) \\ F_2 = (3 - \sqrt{5}, -1) \end{cases}$$



$$c = \left(\frac{4+2}{2}, -1\right) = (3, -1)$$

$$M = 4 - 3 = 1 \rightarrow M = 1$$

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

$$\frac{(4.25-3)^2}{1} - \frac{(0.5+1)^2}{N^2} = 1 \rightarrow \frac{1.5625}{1} - \frac{2.25}{N^2} = 1$$

$$1.5625 - 1 = \frac{2.25}{N^2} \rightarrow N^2 = \frac{2.25}{0.5625} = 4$$

**QUESTION 9.** Find an equation of the plane  $P$  that contains the line  $L : x = t, y = 1 - t, z = 2t$  and the point  $Q = (1, 0, 5)$  [ note that the point  $Q$  does not lie on  $L$ ]

$\underline{t=0} \rightarrow P_0 = (0, 1, 0) : P_0$  is a point on the  $L$ .

$\vec{v} = i - j + 2k$  : directional vector of  $L$ .

$$\vec{QP}_0 = -i + j - 5k \rightarrow \vec{QP}_0 \times \vec{v} = \vec{N} \quad (\vec{N} \text{ is the normal vector of the plane.})$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{QP}_0 \times \vec{v} = \begin{vmatrix} i & j & k \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \\ -1 & 1 & -5 \end{vmatrix} = |1 \ 2| i - |1 \ -5| j + |1 \ -1| k = 3i (-7j) + 3j$$

$$\Rightarrow [P: 3(x-1) + 3(y-0) = 0] \quad \boxed{3}$$

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**QUESTION 10.** a) Find the distance between the point  $Q = (2, 2, 1)$  and the plane  $x + 3y + 5z = 15$

$$N = i + 3j + 5k$$

$$\rightarrow D = \frac{|2 + (3 \cdot 2) + (5 \cdot 1) - 15|}{\sqrt{1^2 + 3^2 + 5^2}} = \frac{|2 + 6 + 5 - 15|}{\sqrt{1 + 9 + 25}} = \frac{|-2|}{\sqrt{35}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{35}}$$

b) The line  $L_1 : x = 5t, y = 4 - t, z = 3 + t$  intersects the line  $L_2 : x = 1 + 2s, y = 9 - 3s, z = 2s$  at a point  $Q$ . Find  $Q$

$$L_1: \begin{cases} x = 5t \\ y = 4 - t \\ z = 3 + t \end{cases} \quad L_2: \begin{cases} x = 1 + 2s \\ y = 9 - 3s \\ z = 2s \end{cases} \Rightarrow \frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y-9}{-3} = \frac{(5t)-1}{2} = \frac{(4-t)-9}{-3}$$

$$\rightarrow -3((5t)-1) = 2((4-t)-9) = -15t + 13 = 8 - 2t - 18$$

$$\rightarrow 13t = 13 \rightarrow \boxed{t = 1}$$

$$\rightarrow \in Q: \begin{cases} x = (5 \cdot 1) \\ y = 4 - 1 \\ z = 3 + 1 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} x = 5 \\ y = 3 \\ z = 4 \end{cases} \rightarrow \boxed{Q = (5, 3, 4)}$$

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