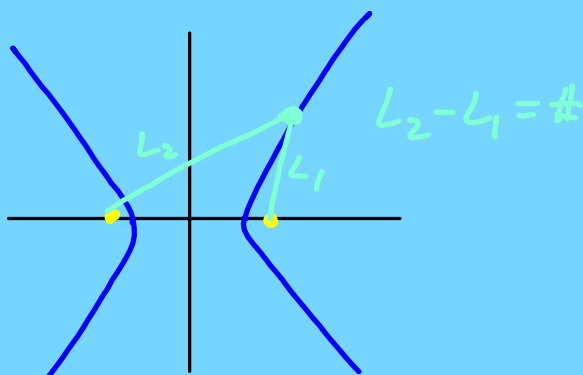
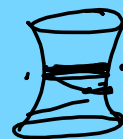
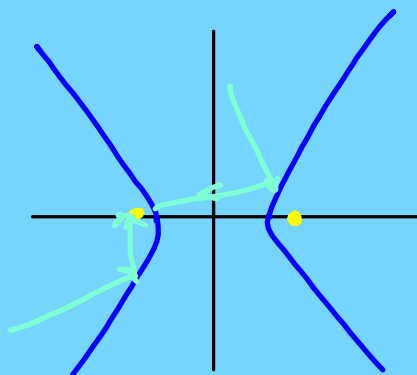


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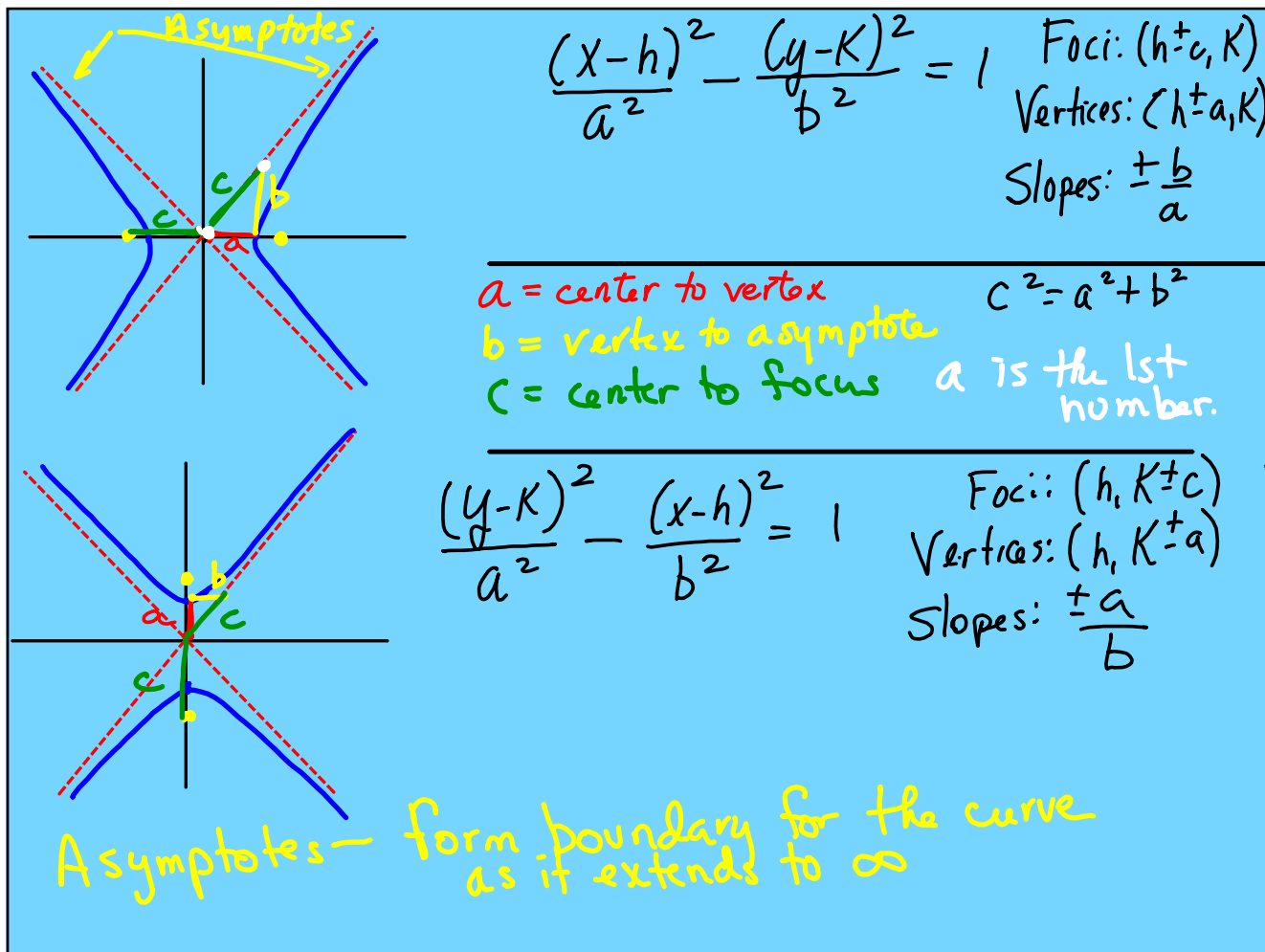
the set of points in which the difference of the distances from two given points is constant

## Reflective Property



## Applications

telescope/microscope mirrors  
 path of comet  
 Architecture  
 Light from lampshade  
 transmission  
 Sonic boom  
 nuclear cooling  
 towers



$$25y^2 - 16x^2 - 150y - 32x - 191 = 0$$

$$25y^2 - 150y \quad -16x^2 - 32x \quad = 191$$

$$25(y^2 - 6y + 9) - 16(x^2 + 2x + 1) = 191$$

+225      -16

$$\frac{25(y-3)^2}{400} - \frac{16(x+1)^2}{400} = \frac{400}{400}$$

16      25

$$\frac{(y-3)^2}{16} - \frac{(x+1)^2}{25} = 1$$

Center:  $(-1, 3)$

$$a = \sqrt{16} = 4$$

$$b = \sqrt{25} = 5$$

Vertical (y's are first)

Slopes:  $\pm \frac{a}{b}$   
 $\pm \frac{4}{5}$

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

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

$$c^2 = 16 + 25$$

$$\sqrt{c^2} = \sqrt{41}$$

$$(-1, 3 \pm \sqrt{41})$$

Vertices  $(h, k \pm a)$

$$(-1, 3 \pm 4)$$

OR

$$\boxed{(-1, 7) \quad (-1, -1)}$$

To Graph: 1) Plot center      3) Plot vertices  
2) Plot asymptotes      Using a  
4) Draw curves.

