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PARABOLA

Examples

1. For the following parabola, find the coordinates of the focus, length of the latus rectum, equation of the axis and the equation

of the directrix.

$$y^2 = 18x$$



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2. For the following parabolas, find the coordinates of the focus, length of the latus rectum, equation of the axis and the equation of the directrices.

$$y^2 = -16x$$



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3. For the following parabolas, find the coordinates of the focus, length of the latus rectum, equation of the axis and the equation of the directrices.

$$x^2 = 10y$$



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4. For the following parabolas, find the coordinates of the focus, length of the latus rectum, equation of the axis and the equation

of the directrices.

$$x^2 = -7y$$



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5. For the following parabolas, find the coordinates of the focus, length of the latus rectum, equation of the axis and the equation of the directrices.

$$3x^2 = 8y$$



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6. For the following parabolas, find the coordinates of the focus, length of the latus rectum, equation of the axis and the equation of the directrices.

$$4y^2 = 15x$$



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7. Find the equation of the parabolas with vertices at the origin and satisfying the following conditions.

Focus at $(a, 0)$



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8. Find the equation of the parabolas with vertices at the origin and satisfying the following conditions.

Focus at $(0, a)$



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9. Find the equation of the parabolas with vertices at the origin and satisfying the

following conditions.

Focus at $(0, -a)$



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10. Find the equation of the parabola with vertices at the origin and satisfying the following conditions.

Directrix $x = 7$



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11. Find the equation of the parabola with vertices at the origin and satisfying the following conditions.

Directrix $y = 5$



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12. Find the equation of the parabolas with vertices at the origin and satisfying the following conditions.

Passing through $(-3, 7)$ and axis along the x-axis.



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13. Find the equation of the parabolas with vertices at the origin and satisfying the following conditions.

Passing through $(4, 9)$ and axis along the y-axis.



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14. Find the equation of the following parabolas.

Directrix $x = 0$, focus at $(6, 0)$



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15. The equation of axis of the parabola having focus $(2,3)$ and directrix $x - 4y + 3 = 0$ is



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16. Find the equation of the following parabolas.

Focus (a, b) , directrix $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$



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17. Find the equation of the parabola whose vertex is at the point $(-2, 2)$ and whose focus is $(-6, -6)$.



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18. Derive the equation of the parabola with its vertex at $(3, 2)$ and its focus at $(5, 2)$.



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19. Determine the equation of the parabola with its vertex at the point $(2, 3)$, its axis parallel to the y -axis and which passes through the point $(4, 5)$.



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20. Find the equation of the parabola with its axis parallel to the x-axis and which passes through the point $(-2, 1)$, $(1, 2)$ and $(-3, 3)$.



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21. Derive the equation of the parabola with latus rectum joining the points $(3, 5)$ and $(3, -3)$.



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22. Find the equation of the parabola whose vertex and focus lie on the y -axis at distance b and b' respectively from the origin.



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23. Transform the following parabolas to the standard forms:

$$(y - 2)^2 = 2(x + 1)$$



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24. Transform the following parabolas to the standard forms:

$$(x + 3)^2 = 8(y - 5)$$



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25. Find the vertex, focus and directrix and latus rectum of the parabola.

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



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26. Find the vertex, focus , and directrix axis of the parabola $x^2 + 4y + 3x = 2$. Sketch the curve.



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27. Find the vertex, focus, directrix and axis of the parabola and length of its latus rectum $5x^2 + 30x + 2y + 59 = 0$.



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Try These

1. Find the equation of the parabola whose vertex is at the point $(-2, 2)$ and whose focus is $(-6, -6)$.



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2. Find the equation of a parabola whose vertex at $(-2, 3)$ and the focus at $(1, 3)$.



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3. Find the equation of the parabola whose focus is $(1, -1)$ and whose vertex is $2, 1$.
Also, find its axis and latus-rectum.



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Exercise 23

1. The focus at $(10, 0)$ the directrix $x = -10$.



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2. The focus at $(0, 5)$ the directrix $y = -5$.



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3. The focus at $(-3, 0)$ the directrix
 $x + 5 = 0$.



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4. The focus at $(2, -3)$ the directrix
 $x + 5 = 0$.





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5. The focus at $(1, 1)$ the directrix $x - y = 3$.



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6. The vertex at the origin, the axis along the x-axis, and passes through $(-3, 6)$.



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7. The focus at $(-2, -1)$ and the latus rectum joins the points $(-2, 2)$ and $(-2, -4)$.



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8. Find the equation of a parabola whose vertex at $(-2, 3)$ and the focus at $(1, 3)$.



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9. Find the equation of parabola if it's vertex is at $(0, 0)$ and the focus at $(0, 1)$.



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10. Find the equation of the parabola whose vertex is at $(0, 0)$ and the focus is at $(0, a)$.



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11. The axis parallel to the x-axis, and the parabola passes through $(3, 3)$, $(6, 5)$, and $(6, -3)$.



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12. The axis parallel to the x-axis, and the parabola passes through the points $(4, 5)$, $(-2, 11)$, and $(-4, 21)$.



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13. The parabola $y^2 = 4px$ passes through the point $(3, -2)$. Obtain the length of the latus rectum and the coordinates of the focus.



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14. Prove that the equation $y^2 + 2ax + 2by + c = 0$ represents a parabola whose axis is parallel to the axis of x . Find its vertex.



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15. Of the parabola, $4(y - 1)^2 = -7(x - 3)$

find

The length of the latus rectum.



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16. Of the parabola, $4(y - 1)^2 = -7(x - 3)$

find

The coordinates of the focus and the vertex.



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17. Find the vertex, focus, and directrix of the following parabolas:

$$y^2 - 2y + 8x - 23 = 0$$



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18. Find the vertex, focus, and directrix of the following parabolas:

$$x^2 + 8x + 12y + 4 = 0$$



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19. Find the vertex, focus and directrix of the parabola $(x - h)^2 + 4a(y - k) = 0$.



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20. Find the equation to the parabola whose axis is parallel to the y-axis and which passes through the point $(0, 4)$, (1.9) , and $(-2, 6)$ and determine its latus rectum.



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21. Find the coordinates of the point on the parabola $y^2 = 8x$ whose focal distance is 8.



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22. If the ordinate of a point on the parabola $y^2 = 4ax$ is twice the latus rectum, prove that the abscissa of this point is twice the ordinate.



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23. Find the equation of the parabola whose focus is at the origin, and whose directrix is the line $y - x = 4$. Find also the length of the latus rectum, the equation of the axis, and the coordinates of the vertex.



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24. The directrix of a conic section is the straight line $3x - 4y + 5 = 0$ and the focus is $(2, 3)$. If the eccentricity e is 1, find the

equation to the coin section. Is the coin section a parabola?



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25. Find the equation to the parabola whose focus is $(-2, 1)$ and directrix is $6x - 3y = 8$.



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26. The length of the latus rectum of the parabola whose focus is $(3, 3)$ and directrix is

$3x - 4y - 2 = 0$ is.

A. 2

B. 1

C. 4

D. None of these

Answer: A



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Chapter Test

1. The equation of the directrix of the parabola is $3x + 2y + 1 = 0$. The focus is $(2, 1)$. Find the equation of the parabola.



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2. The point $(0, 4)$ and $(0, 2)$ are the vertex and focus of a parabola. Find the equation of the parabola.



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3. Find the equation of the parabola with latus rectum joining points $(4, 6)$ and $(4, -2)$.



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4. Find the equation of the parabola whose focus is $(-1, -2)$ and the equation of the directrix is given by $4x - 3y + 2 = 0$. Also find the equation of the axis.



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5. Find the equation of the parabola if its vertex is at $(0, 0)$, passes through $(5, 2)$ and is symmetric w.r.t. y -axis.



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6. The parabola $y^2 = 4ax$ passes through the point $(2, -6)$. Find the length of its latus rectum.



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7. Find the coordinates of the vertex and the focus of the parabola $y^2 = 4(x + y)$.



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8. Find the focus, the equation of the directrix and the length of latus rectum of the parabola $y^2 + 12 = 4x + 4y$.



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