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WEEK 11

School: Ba Sangam College

Year / Level: 12

Subject: Mathematics

Name of Student: _____

Strand	3 – Graphs
Sub strand	3.1 – Graphs and Intersections
Content Learning Outcome	➤ Studying and interpreting graphs

Hyperbolic Graphs

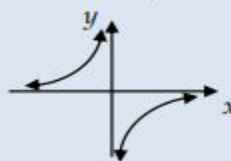
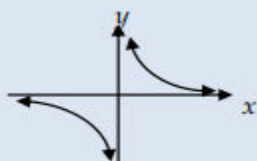
(Ref: Year 12 Mathematics Pg 101 – 103)

Note: Hyperbola will have a **basic form** of $xy = c$, where c is a constant number.

Making y the subject yields: $y = \frac{c}{x}$

if c is positive(draw in quadrants 1 and 3)

if c is negative(draw in quadrants 2 and 4)



- For the **general form** $y = \frac{ax+b}{cx+d}$, important feature to note is the **asymptotes**.

Asymptotes are those lines that you will never cross. In the above diagrams, the vertical asymptote is at $y = 0$ while the horizontal asymptote is at $x = 0$.

- To find the **vertical asymptote**: since denominator of rational function cannot be zero,

let *Denominator* = 0, i.e. $cx + d = 0$ and Solve

- To find the **horizontal asymptote**: Divide the coefficients of the variable x ,

$$\text{i.e. } y = \frac{ax}{cx} \text{ or } \frac{a}{c}$$

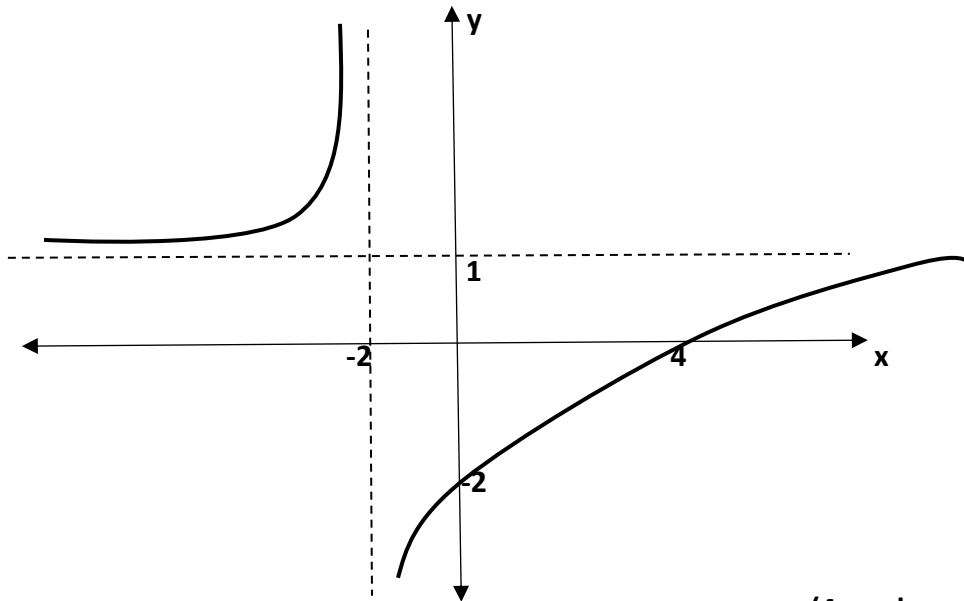
- To sketch the graph, find the **intercepts**.

If the equation is **not in general form**, recall algebra i.e. **make denominator the same**.

- All hyperbolas have two distinct **branches, directly opposite each other**.
- The branches of hyperbolas get very close to particular lines called the **asymptotes**, without ever actually touching it.

Example: 1 Sketch $y = \frac{x-4}{x+2}$

x int – let $y = 0$	y int – let $x = 0$	Vertical asymptote	Horizontal asymptote
$0 = \frac{x-4}{x+2}$	$y = \frac{0-4}{0+2}$	VA – denominator = 0	$y = \frac{a}{c}$
$0(x+2) = x-4$	$y = \frac{-4}{2}$	$x+2 = 0$	$y = \frac{1}{1}$
$0 = x-4$	$y = -2$	$x = -2$	$y = 1$
$x \text{ int} = (4, 0)$	$y \text{ int} = (0, -2)$		



ACTIVITY

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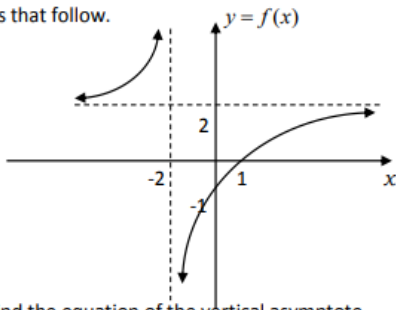
1. Sketch the following graphs:

a. $y = \frac{4x+2}{x-3}$

b. $y = 1 - \frac{2}{x-3}$

2.

The graph of the function $y = f(x)$ is shown below. Use it to answer the questions that follow.



- Find the equation of the vertical asymptote
- State the equation of the horizontal asymptote
- Determine the equation of the function $y = f(x)$. Express in the form $y = \frac{ax+b}{cx+d}$