Ellipses

- An Ellipse is sometimes referred to as an _____.
- The denominators of the equation determine how ______ and _____ the graph is.
- The major axis is the _____ axis of the ellipse.
- The minor axis is the _____ axis of the ellipse.
- The Vertices are the end points of the _____ axis.
- The Co-vertices are the end points of the _____ axis.
- The ______ of an ellipse are the 2 points whose sum of distances from any point on the ellipse is always the same.
- The Foci points always lie on the _____ axis.
- For ellipses, "a" is always ______.



Graph the following:	
$\frac{(x-4)^2}{25} + \frac{(y+2)^2}{4} = 1$ a = b = Center: (,) Vertices: Co-Vertices:	
Foci Distance: $c^2 = a^2 - b^2$	
Foci Points:	
Graph the following:	. † <i>v</i>
$\frac{(x+1)^2}{16} + \frac{(y-2)^2}{25} = 1$	
	- 10 -8 -6 -4 -2 2 4 6 5 10 x
Center: (,) Vertices:	
Co-Vertices:	
Foci Distance: $c^2 = a^2 - b^2$	
Foci Points:	