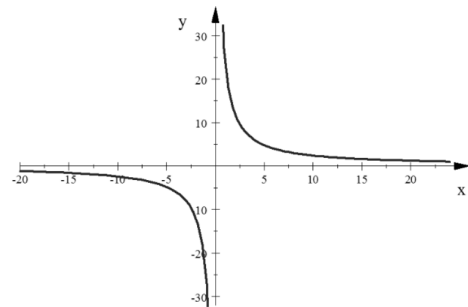


The graph of Inverse Variation is called: a Hyperbola



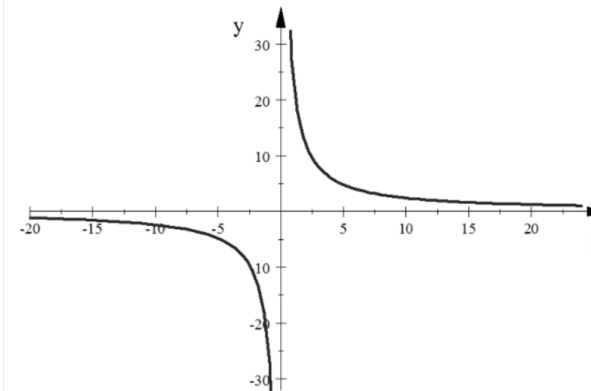
$$y = \frac{24}{x}$$

Why is there two parts to this graph?

Because you are not allowed to use the value  $x=0$  since it makes the function undefined.

Each part of this graph is referred to as a **BRANCH**

The equation of this graph is  $y = \frac{24}{x}$  or  $xy = 24$



Why does the graph get closer to the x-axis as you move farther to the right?

$24 \div$  by bigger numbers gets smaller and smaller.

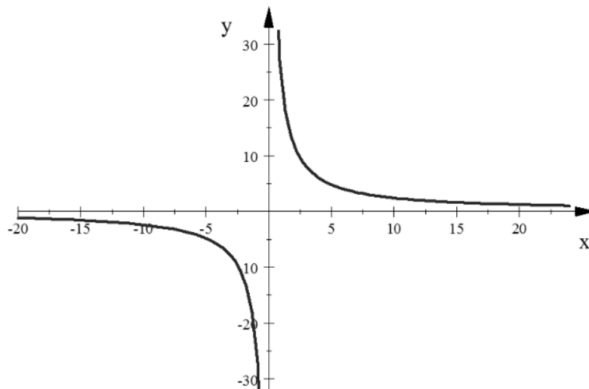
Will the graph ever reach the x-axis? **NO**

Why?

No matter what you plug in for  $x$ ,

$\frac{24}{x}$  will never = 0.

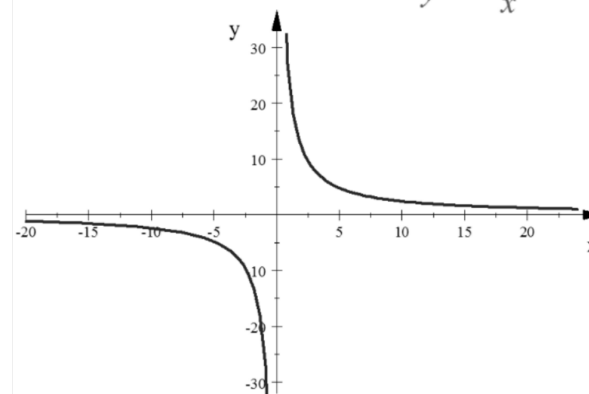
The equation of this graph is  $y = \frac{24}{x}$  or  $xy = 24$



Why does the graph increase rapidly as you approach the y-axis from the right?

$24 \div$  positive numbers between 0 and 1 becomes bigger positive the closer the denominator gets to 0.

The equation of this graph is  $y = \frac{24}{x}$  or  $xy = 24$



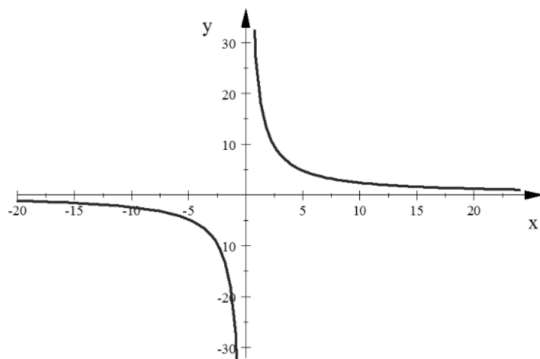
Why does the graph decrease rapidly as you approach the y-axis from the left?

$24 \div$  numbers between -1 and 0 becomes bigger negative the closer the denominator gets to zero.

Will the graph ever reach the y-axis?

Why?

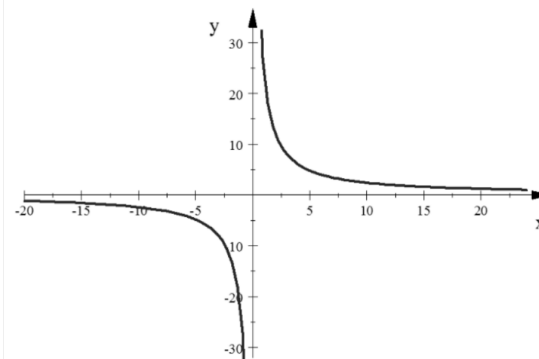
$x$  can NEVER be 0



How would you describe the end-behavior of this graph?



This graph has a Horizontal Asymptote.

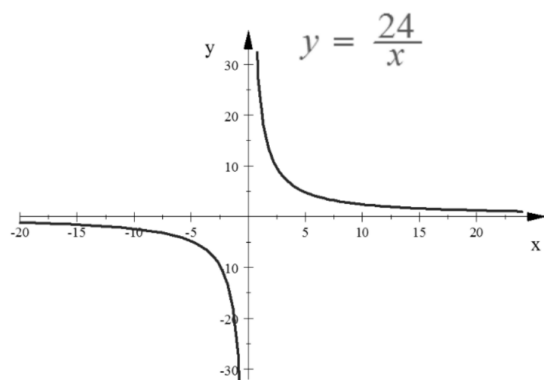


This graph has a Horizontal Asymptote of  $y = 0$

What is an Asymptote?

A line a graph approaches the further from the origin you are, but it never quite gets to the line.

Horizontal Asymptotes are the graphs END-BEHAVIOR



What other asymptote does this graph have?

Vertical Asymptote at  $x=0$

Why does it have a Vertical Asymptote at  $x=0$ ?

Because you are not allowed to use the value  $x=0$  since it makes the function undefined.

$y = \frac{k}{x}$  is an example of a Rational Equation

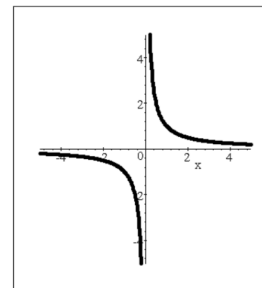
The ratio of two polynomials

$$y = \frac{k}{X} \text{ Is also referred to as:}$$

The Reciprocal Family of Functions

The Parent Function:  $y = \frac{1}{X}$

Graph this function in a Standard Window.



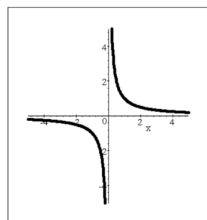
The graph of  $y = \frac{1}{X}$

Vertical Asymptote

the y-axis  
EQ:  $x=0$

Horizontal Asymptote

the x-axis  
EQ:  $y=0$



The graph of  $y = \frac{1}{X}$

Describe the location of the two branches of this hyperbola.

Quadrants  
I & III

Leave  $Y_1$  as the parent Reciprocal Function  $y = \frac{1}{X}$

In  $Y_2$  graph  $y = \frac{k}{X}$  for different values of  $k$ .

What does the value of  $k$  do to the graph of  $y = \frac{1}{X}$  ?

$$y = \frac{k}{x}$$

k is pos:

Branches are in the  
1st and 3rd Quadrants

k is neg:

Branches are in the  
2nd and 4th Quadrants

k is large:

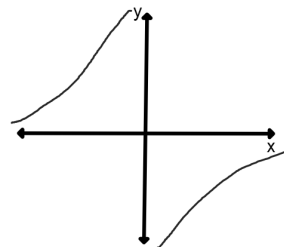
Branches are further  
from the origin

k is small:

Branches are closer to  
the origin

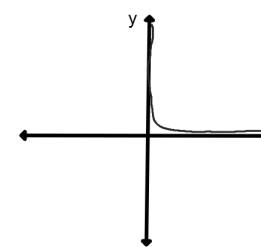
Without using a graphing calculator sketch the graph of each:

$$y = \frac{-20}{x}$$



Negative means it has flipped into  
Quadrants II and IV.  
k=20 means the branches are pushed  
far from the origin

$$y = \frac{0.3}{x}$$



Positive means branches are still  
in Quadrants I and III.  
k=0.3 means branches are shrunk  
closer to the origin.

$$Y_1 = \frac{28.6}{x - 47} + 73$$

What do you think the Vertical Asymptote of  
this function is?

$$x = 47$$

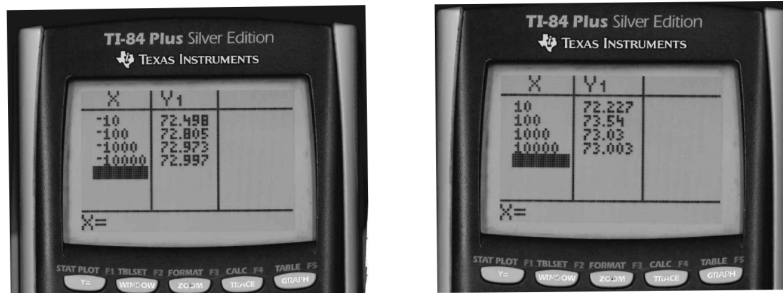
x can NEVER be 47 because it would  
make this equation undefined. But, you  
can plug in values very close to 47.

$$Y_1 = \frac{28.6}{x - 47} + 73$$

What do you think the Horizontal Asymptote  
of this function is?

What do these two calculator screens tell you?

The farther from the origin you are (both left and right) the closer the function gets to 73.....the graph flattens out and approaches the horizontal line  $y = 73$



$$y = a(x - h)^2 + k \qquad y = a|x - h| + k$$

a: Vertical Stretch or Shrink Factor  
if  $a < 0$  there is an x-axis reflection (Upside Down)

h: Horizontal Translation

k: Vertical Translation

$$y = \frac{a}{x - h} + k$$

a: Vertical Stretch or Shrink Factor  
if  $a < 0$  there is an x-axis reflection (Upside Down)

The larger a is... the farther the branches are from the "origin"  
The smaller a is... the closer the branches are to the "origin"

h: Horizontal Translation

Vertical Asymptote becomes:  $x = h$

k: Vertical Translation

Horizontal Asymptote becomes:  $y = k$

$a > 0$ : branches are in Quadrants I & III  
 $a < 0$ : branches are in Quadrants II & IV

What are the two asymptotes for each reciprocal function?

1.  $y = \frac{30}{x - 7} + 2$

HA:  $y = 2$  7 right and 2 up

VA:  $x = 7$

2.  $y = \frac{-0.3}{x + 5} - 8$

HA:  $y = -8$  5 left and 8 down

VA:  $x = -5$

Write an equation for the translation of  $y = \frac{3}{x}$  that has the given asymptotes.

1.  $y = 4$  and  $x = -3$

3 left  
and 4 up

$$y = \frac{3}{x+3} + 4$$

2.  $y = 0$  and  $x = 9$

9 right no vertical  
movement

$$y = \frac{3}{x-9}$$

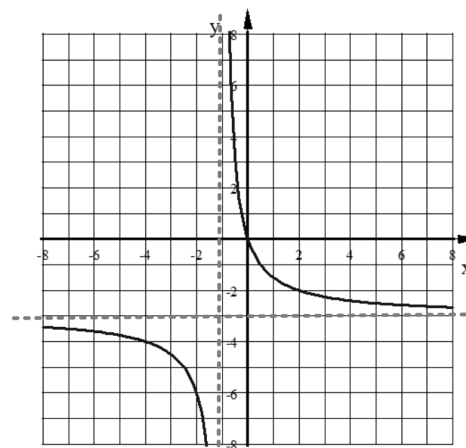
3.  $y = -5$  and  $x = 0$

No horizontal movement  
but 5 down.

$$y = \frac{3}{x} - 5$$

For 1 and 2, write the equation of each graph which are transformations of the equation:  $y = \frac{3}{x}$

1.



EQ:  $y = \frac{3}{x+1} - 3$

HA is  $y = -3$  which means the graph has moved 3 units down.

VA is  $x = -1$  which means the graph has moved 1 unit left.