

Homework Key

Parabolas

8. $x^2 = 4y$ *Focus = (0, 1) & Directrix $y = -1$*

9. $y^2 = -16x$ *Focus = (-4, 0) & Directrix $x = 4$*

10. $y^2 = x$ *Focus = $(\frac{1}{4}, 0)$ & Directrix $x = -\frac{1}{4}$*

11. $x^2 = 16y$ *Focus = (0, 4) & Directrix $y = -4$*

12. $y^2 = 8x$ *Focus = (2, 0) & Directrix $x = -2$*

13. (2, 0), $x = -2$ $y^2 = 8x$

14. (-8, 0), $x = 8$ $y^2 = -32x$

15. (0, 6), $y = -6$ $x^2 = 24y$

16. *focus = (-4, 0), Vertex = (0, 0)* $y^2 = -16x$

17. *focus = (-1, 3), Directrix is ($x = 3$)* $y^2 - 6y + 8x + 1 = 0$ or $(y - 3)^2 = -8(x + 1)$

18. *focus = (2, 5), Directrix is ($y = -1$)* $x^2 - 4x - 12y + 28 = 0$ or $(x - 2)^2 = 12(y - 2)$

19. $x^2 = 40y$

20. $x^2 = 32y$

21. *width at $-50\text{cm} = 73.485\text{cm}$*

