

Lecture 25
Wed. 11.14.2018

Introduction to Orbital Dynamics

(Ch. 2-4 of Unit 5)

Orbits in Isotropic Harmonic Oscillator and Coulomb Potentials

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*Review: “3 steps from Hell”
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A running collection of links to course-relevant sites and articles

Physics Web Resources

[Comprehensive Harter-Soft Resource Listing](#)

[UAF Physics YouTube channel](#)

[LearnIt Physics Web Applications](#)

Neat external material to start the class:

[AIP publications](#)

[AJP article on superball dynamics](#)

[AAPT summer reading](#)

These are hot off the presses:

[Sorting ultracold atoms in a 3D optical lattice in a realization of Maxwell's demon - Kumar-Nature-Letters-2018](#)

[Synthetic three-dimensional atomic structures assembled atom by atom - Berredo-Nature-Letters-2018](#)

Slightly Older ones:

[Wave-particle duality of C60 molecules](#)

[Optical vortex knots – One Photon at a Time](#)

Older Links from Lectures 14-20

<http://thearmchaircritic.blogspot.com/2011/11/punkin-chunkin.html>

<http://www.sussexcountyonline.com/news/photos/punkinchunkin.html>

[Shooting-range-for-medieval-siege-weapons-Anybody-knows](#)

<https://modphys.hosted.uark.edu/markup/TrebuchetWeb.html>

<https://modphys.hosted.uark.edu/markup/TrebuchetWeb.html?scenario=MontezumasRevenge>

<https://modphys.hosted.uark.edu/markup/TrebuchetWeb.html?scenario=SeigeOfKenilworth>

[The trebuchet, Chevedden, Sci Am 1995](#)

'Simple' Pendulum Sim: <https://modphys.hosted.uark.edu/markup/PendulumWeb.html>

'Cycloid' Pendulum: <https://modphys.hosted.uark.edu/markup/CycloidulumWeb.html>

Google search on: "[Satelite view of Patricia](#)" (Images)

[Physics Girl Channel - Fun with Vortex Rings in the Pool](#)

[iBall demo - Quasi-periodicity: https://youtu.be/_jntDtULxDc](#)

<https://modphys.hosted.uark.edu/markup/CoulltWeb.html?scenario=SynchrotronMotion>

<https://modphys.hosted.uark.edu/markup/CoulltWeb.html?scenario=SynchrotronMotion2>

[Mechanical Analog to EM Motion \(YouTube video\) - https://youtu.be/hTd5FTJ-vRk](#)

[Coullt Web Simulation: Bound-state motion in parabolic coordinates](#)

[Coullt Web Simulation: Bound-state motion in hyperbolic coordinates](#)

[Oscillt Web App: Simulations of various types of resonance: 18, 27, 31, 35, 38, 39](#)

[Smith Chart](#)

<http://nobelprize.org/>

Analyt Web Application, posted 10/22/2018 in our *testing area*:

<https://modphys.hosted.uark.edu/testing/markup/AnalytBJS.html>

"Texts"

[Classical Mechanics with a Bang!](#)

[Quantum Theory for the Computer Age](#)

[Principles of Symmetry, Dynamics, and Spectroscopy](#)

[Modern Physics and its Classical Foundations](#)

[AMOP Ch 0 Space-Time Symmetry - 2019](#)

[Seminar at Rochester Institute of Optics, Auxiliary slides, June 19, 2018](#)

[Springer AMO Handbook - Ch 32 - Harter-Reimer-2019](#)

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"Relawavity" and quantum basis of *Lagrangian & Hamiltonian* mechanics:

[2-CW laser wave - BohrIt Web App](#)

[Lagrangian vs Hamiltonian - RelaWavity Web App](#)

Classes

[2014 AMOP](#)

[2017 Group Theory for QM](#)

[2018 AMOP](#)

[2018 Adv Mechanics](#)

Older Links from Lectures 21-23

Advanced Atomic and Molecular Optical Physics 2018 Class #9, pages: [5](#), [61](#)

[BoxIt Web Simulations](#)

[Pure A-Type w/Cosine](#)

[Pure B-Type w/Cosine](#)

[Pure B-Type w/Freq ratios](#)

[Mixed AB-Type 2:1 Freq ratio](#)

[Pure A-Type A=4.9, B=0, C=0, & D=4.0](#)

[Pure B-Type: A=4.0, B=-0.2, C=0, & D=4.0](#)

[Pure C-Type A,D=4.055, B=0, C=0.1](#)

[Mixed AB-Type w/Cosine](#)

[Mixed AB Type A=4.0, BU2=0.866..., CU2=0, & D=1.0 w/Stokes & Freq rats](#)

[Mixed AB Type A=5.086 B=-0.27 C=0 D=2.024 w/Stokes plot](#)

[Mixed ABC Type A=4.833 B=0.2403 C=0.4162 D=4.277 w/Stokes plot](#)

[Recent mixed ABC Type A=0.325 B=0.375 C=0.825 D=0.05 w/Stokes plot](#)

[Classical Mechanics with a Bang! 2018](#)

[Lectures 8, 9, 23 page 93](#)

[Text Unit 6, page=27](#)

[ColorU2 for the Web - in development](#)

[Group Theory for Quantum Mechanics - 2017 Lectures: 6, 7, 8,](#)

[and the combined 9-10](#)

[Quantum Theory for the Computer Age Unit 3 Ch.7-10, page=90](#)

[Web based 3D & XR \(\$x \in \{A, M, V\}\$, R=Reality\) <https://www.babylonjs.com/>](#)

[Web based 3D graphics WebGL API \(Graphics Layer modeled after OpenGL\)](#)

[Wiki on Pafnuty Chebyshev](#)

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Older Links from Lectures 24

[JerkIt Web App: 2-, 2+, Amp50Omega147-, Amp50Omega296, Amp50Omega602, Gap\(1\)](#)

[MolVibes Web App: C3vN3](#)

[WaveIt Web App:](#)

[Dim = 3 w/Wave Components;](#)

[Static Char Table: 6, 12, 12\(b\), 16, 36, 256](#)

[Quantum Carpet with N=20: Gaussian, Boxcar](#)

[Quantum Revivals of Morse Oscillators and Farey-Ford Geometry - Li-Harter-CPL-2015](#)

[QTCA Unit_5 Ch14 2013](#)

[Lester. R. Ford, Am. Math. Monthly 45,586\(1938\)](#)

[John Farey, Phil. Mag.\(1816\) Wolfram](#)

[Harter, J. Mol. Spec. 210, 166-182 \(2001\)](#)

[Harter, Li IMSS \(2013\)](#)

[Li, Harter, Chem.Phys.Letters \(2015\)](#)

Links to supplement Lecture 25

[OscillatorPE Web App: IHO Scenario 2, Coulomb Scenario 3](#)

[RelaWavity Web App/Simulator/Calculator: Elliptical - IHO orbits](#)

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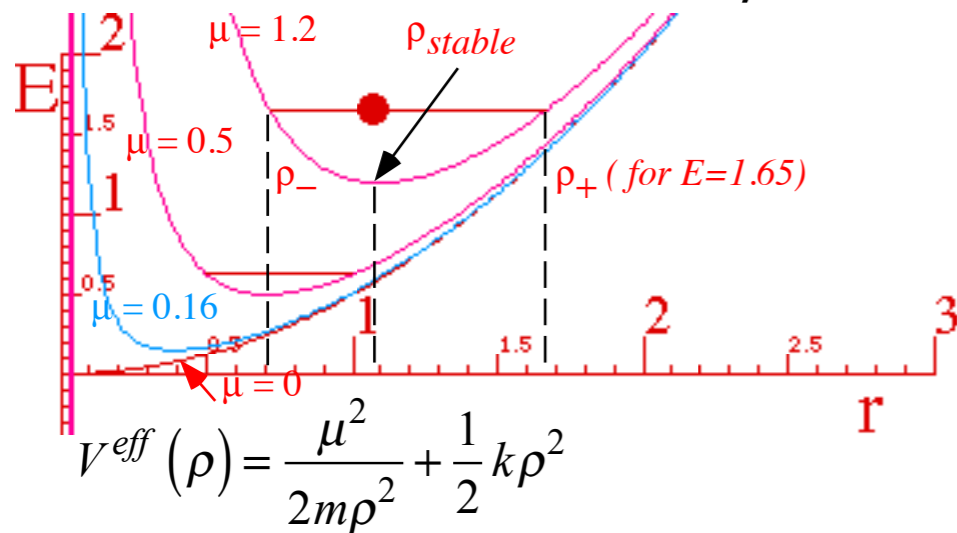
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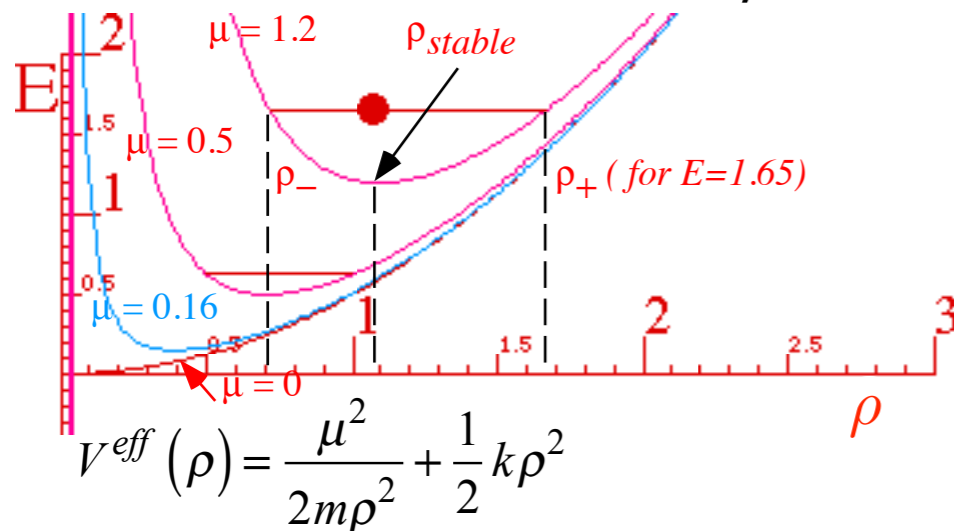
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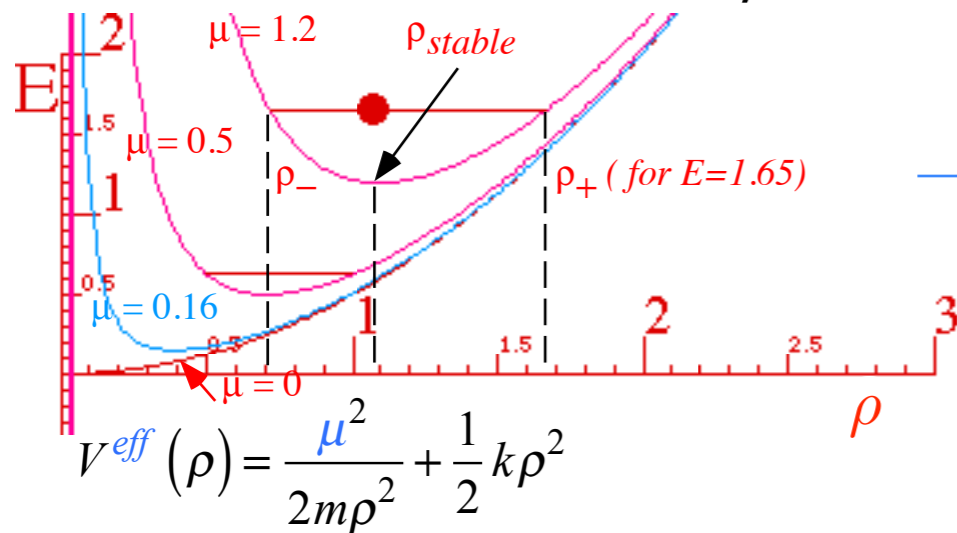
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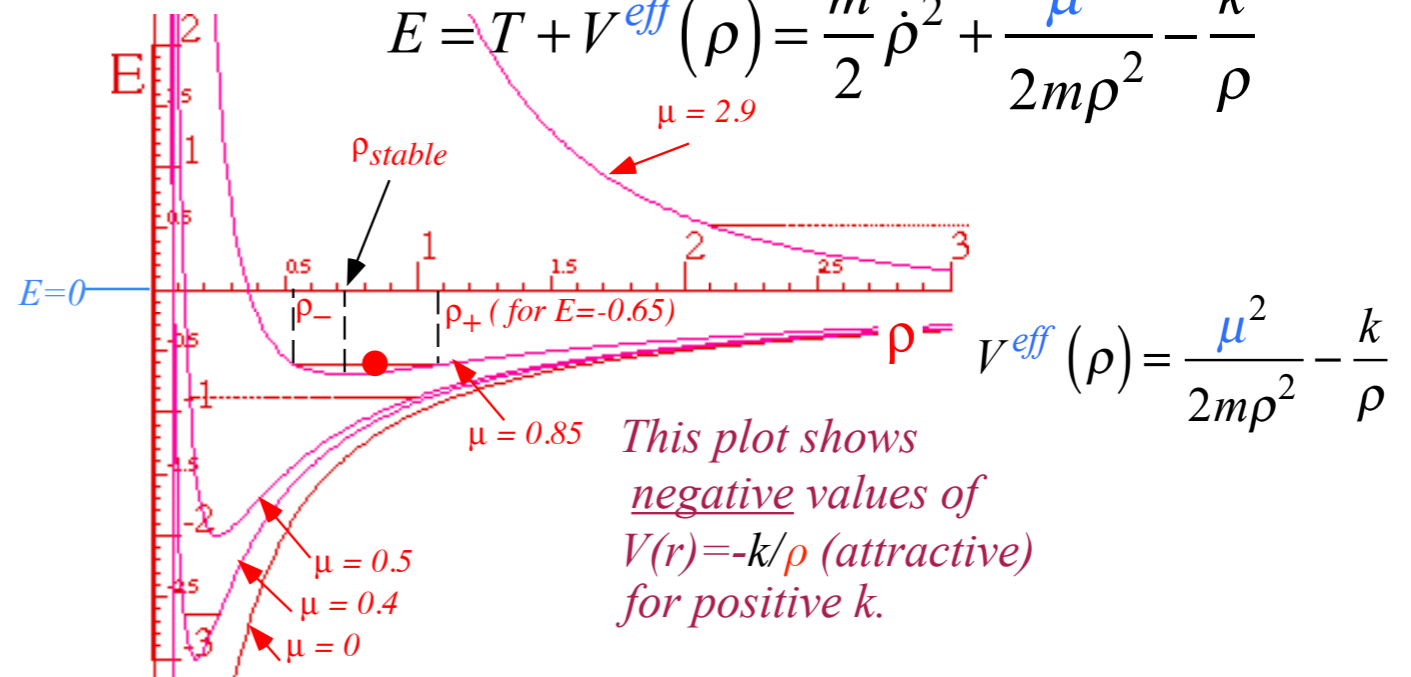
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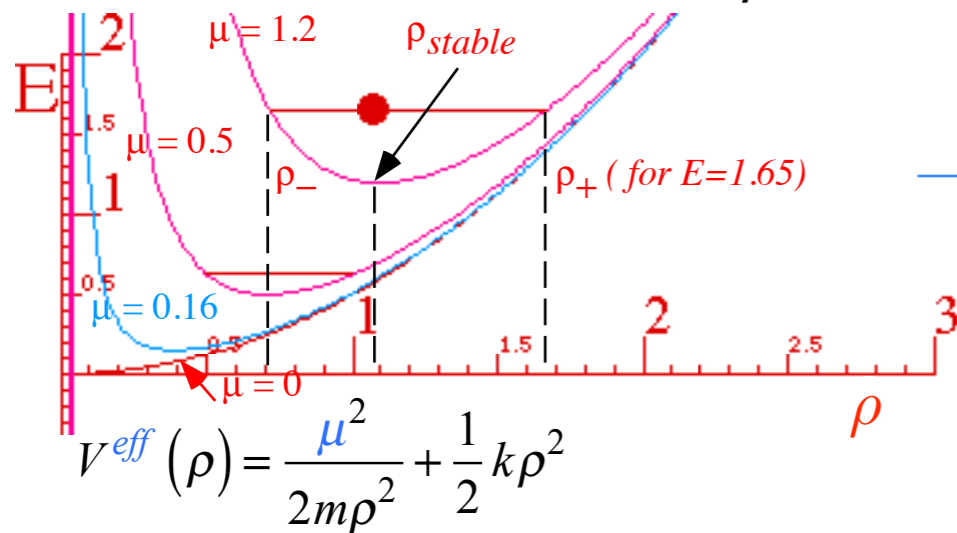
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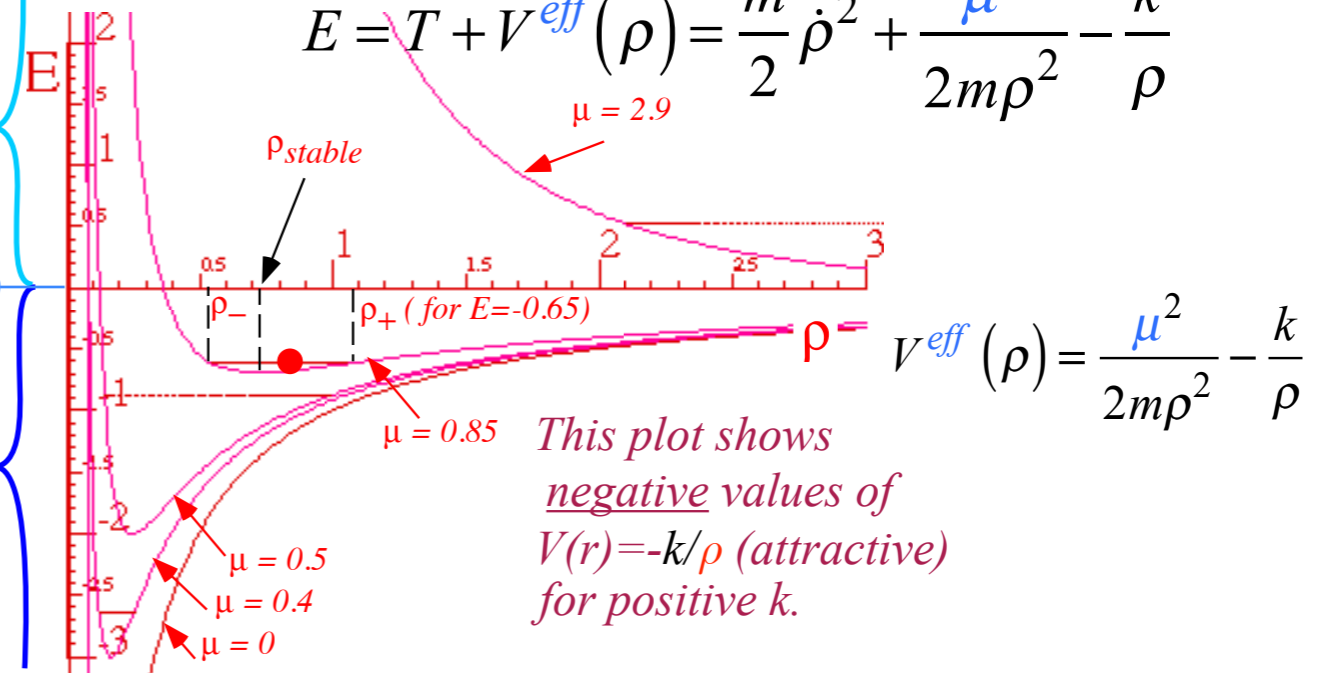


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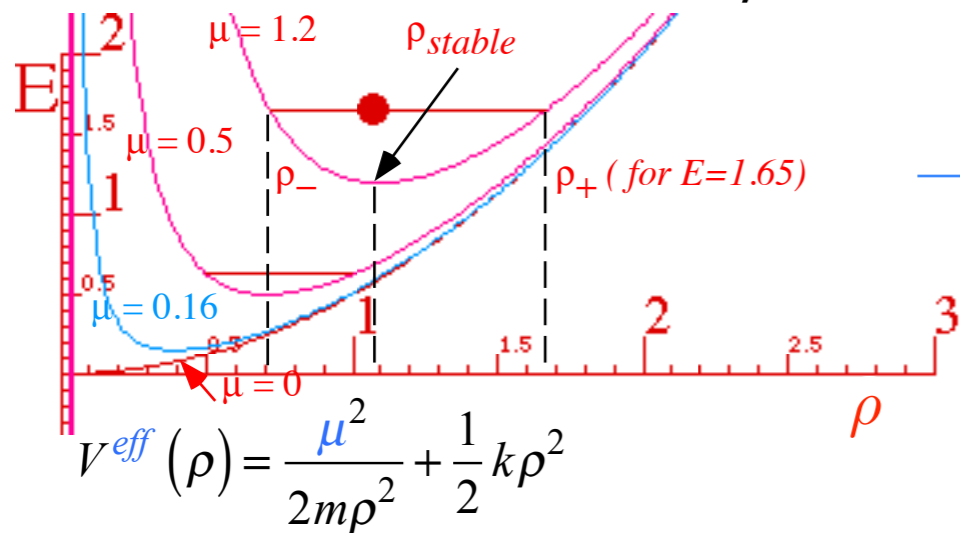
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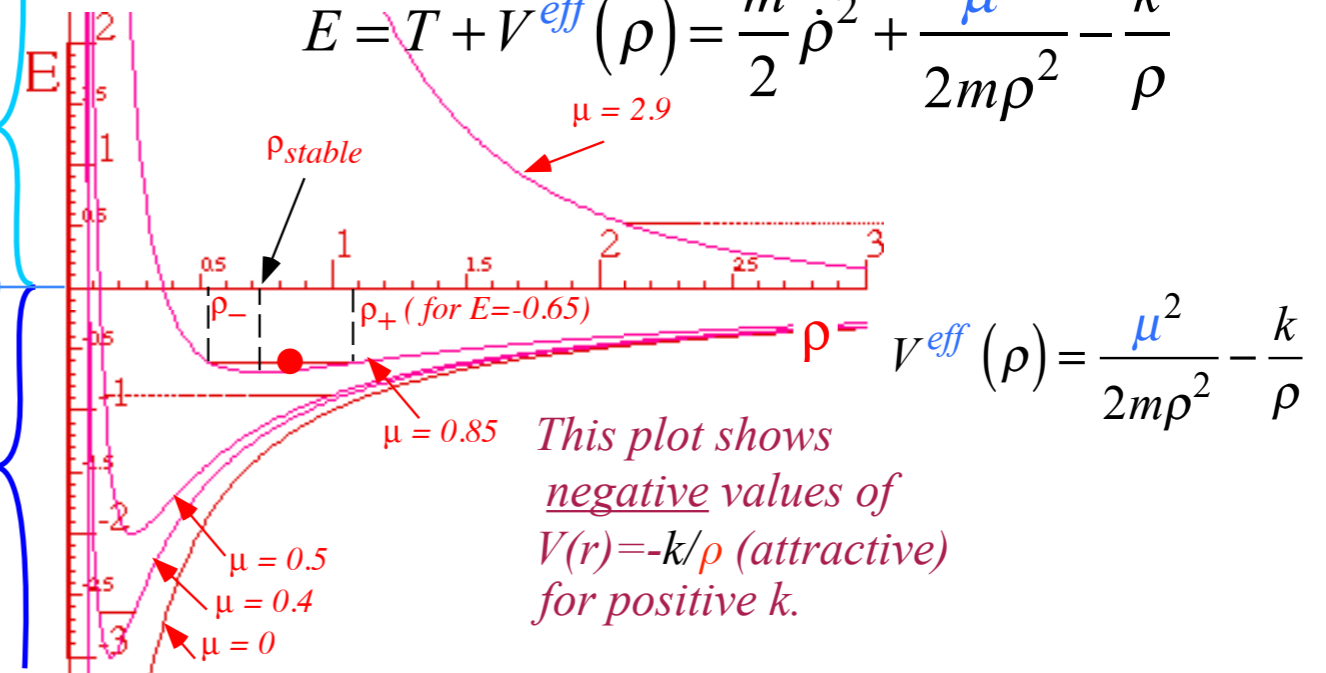


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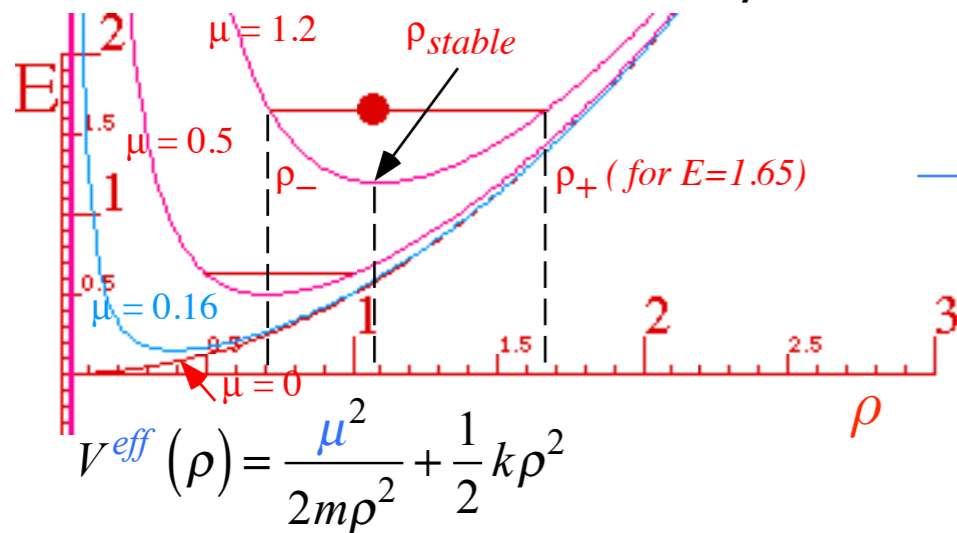
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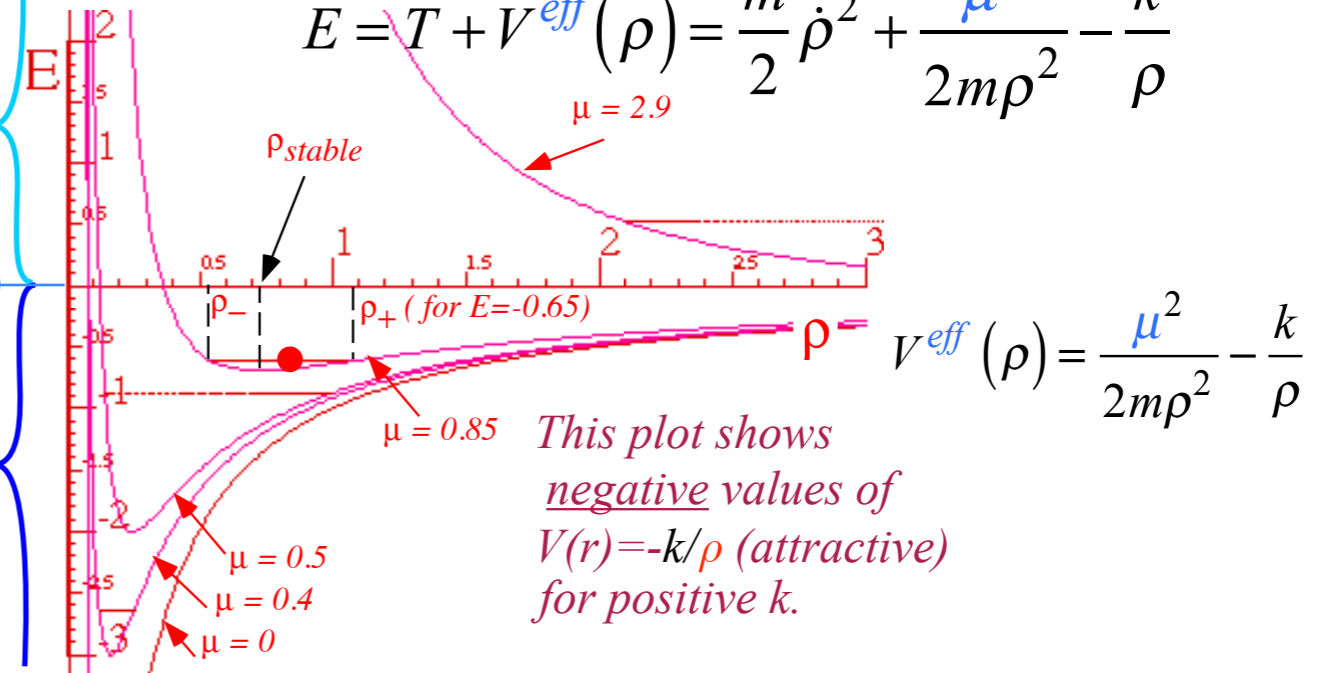


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(Explicit minus (-) convention)

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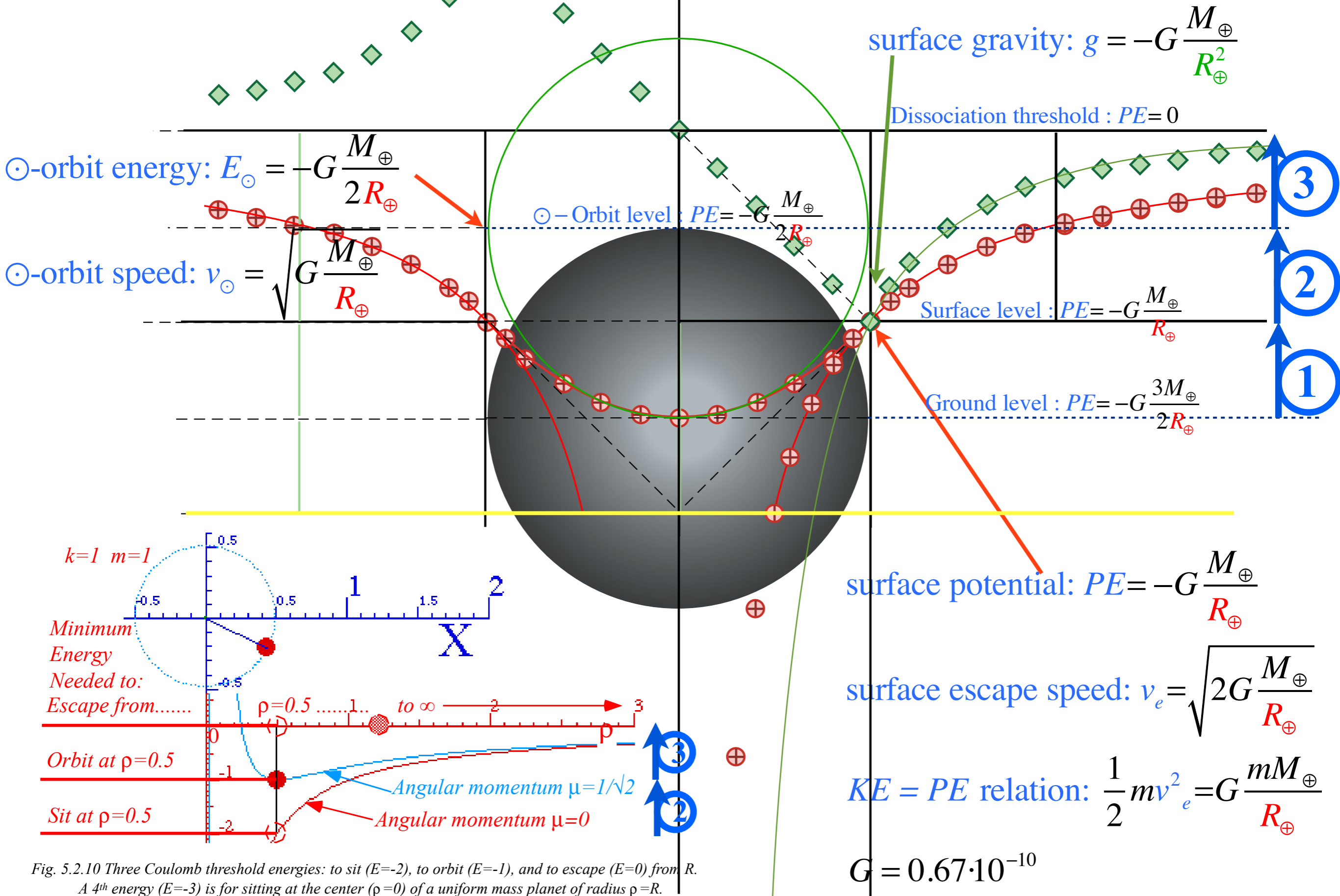


Fig. 5.2.10 Three Coulomb threshold energies: to sit ($E=-2$), to orbit ($E=-1$), and to escape ($E=0$) from R . A 4th energy ($E=-3$) is for sitting at the center ($\rho=0$) of a uniform mass planet of radius $\rho=R$.

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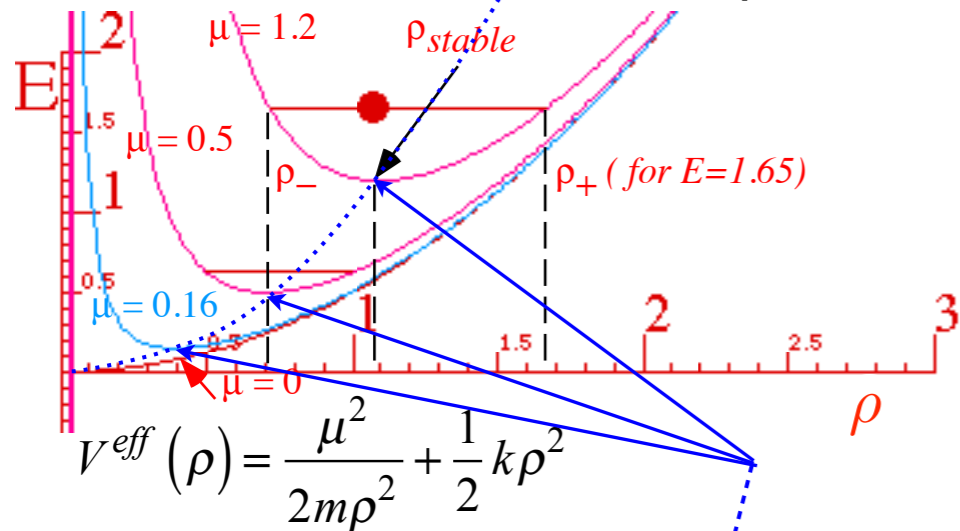
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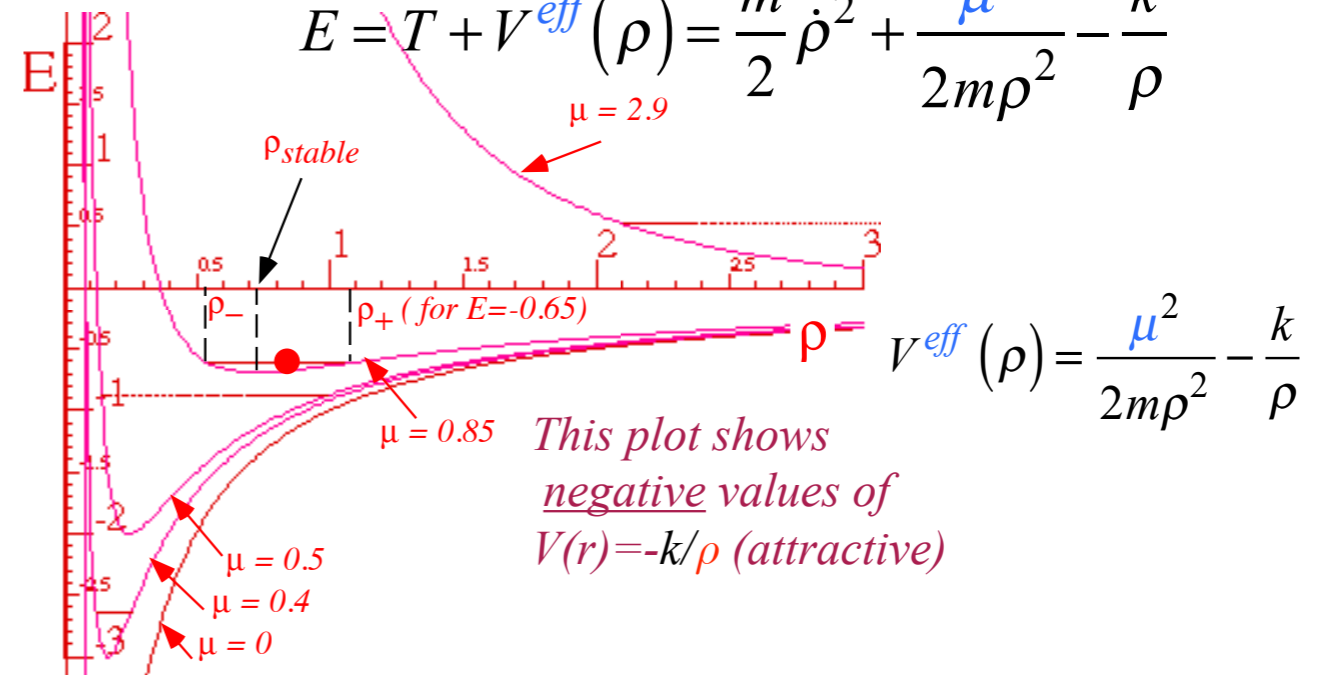
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Stability radius: ρ_{stable} for circular orbits: force or V^{eff} derivative is zero.

$$\left. \frac{dV^{\text{eff}}(\rho)}{d\rho} \right|_{\rho_{\text{stable}}} = 0 = \frac{-\mu^2}{m\rho^3} + k\rho \quad \text{or: } \rho_{\text{stable}} = \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\sqrt{mk}}}$$

$$\frac{\mu^2}{m} = +k\rho^4$$

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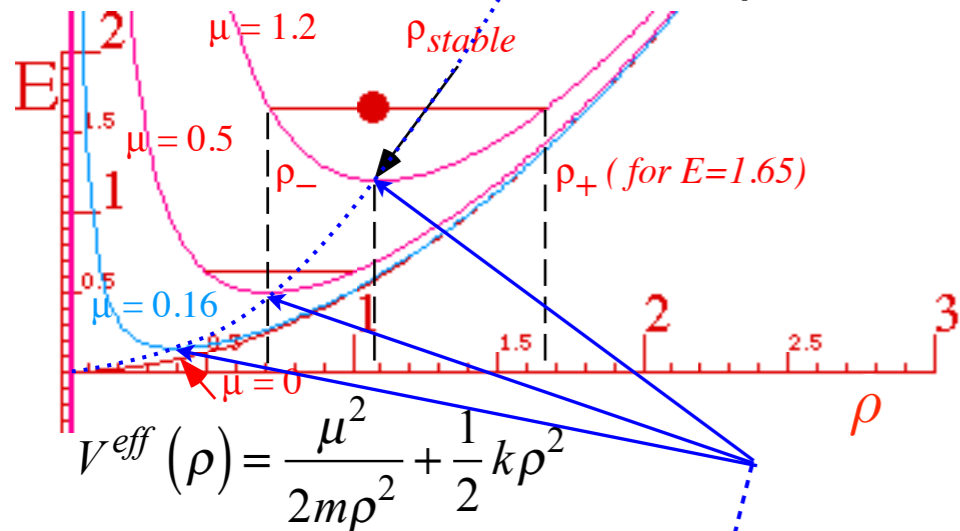
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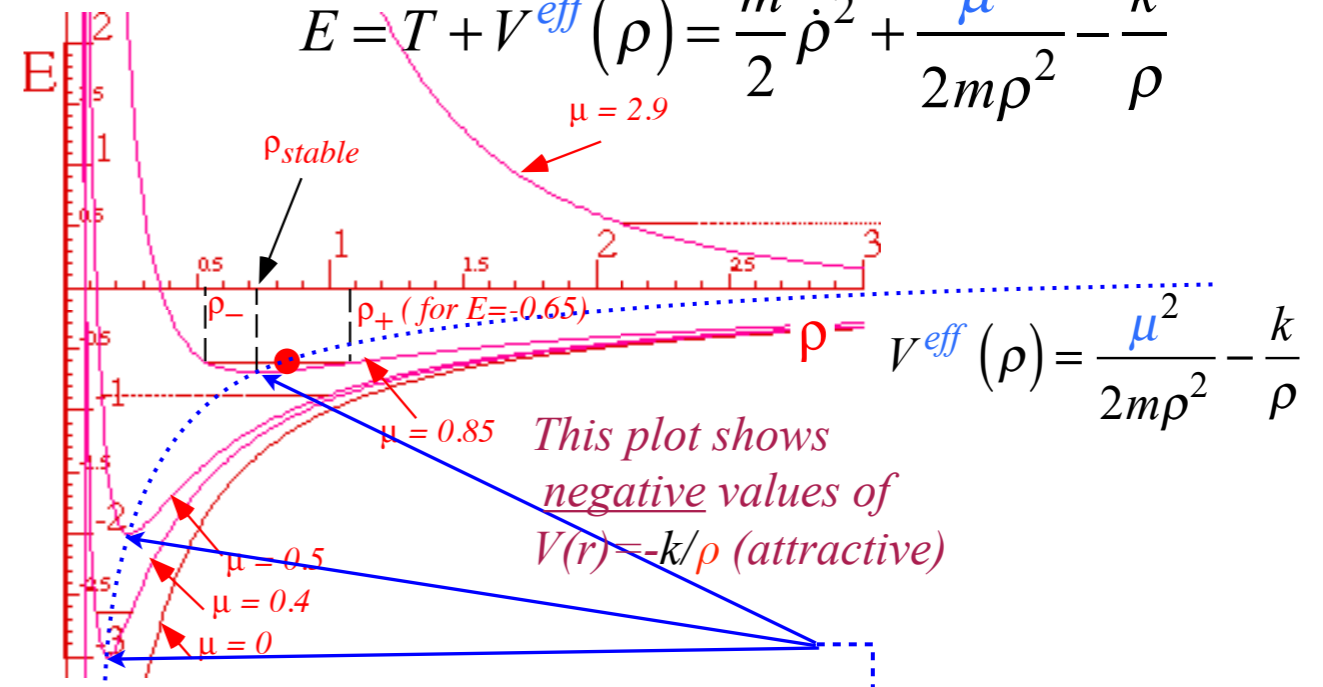
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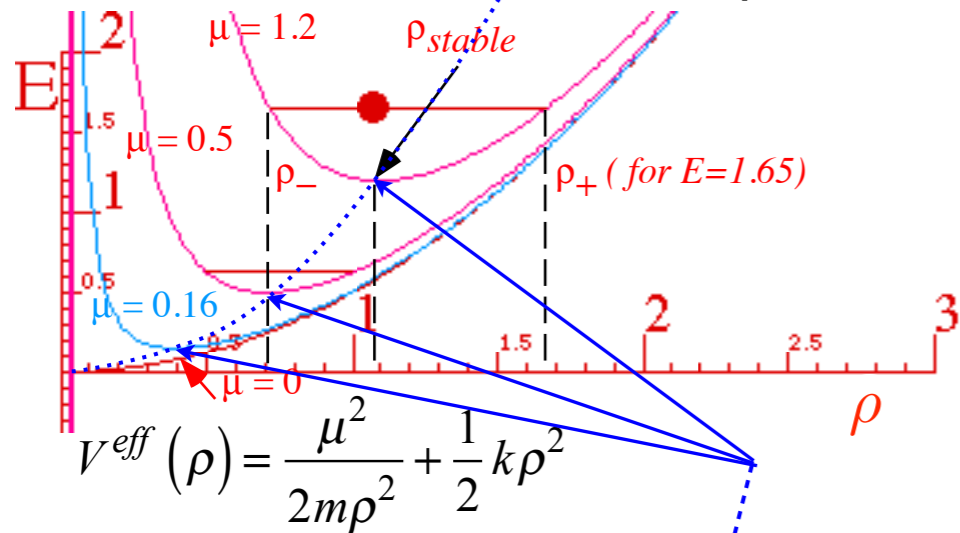
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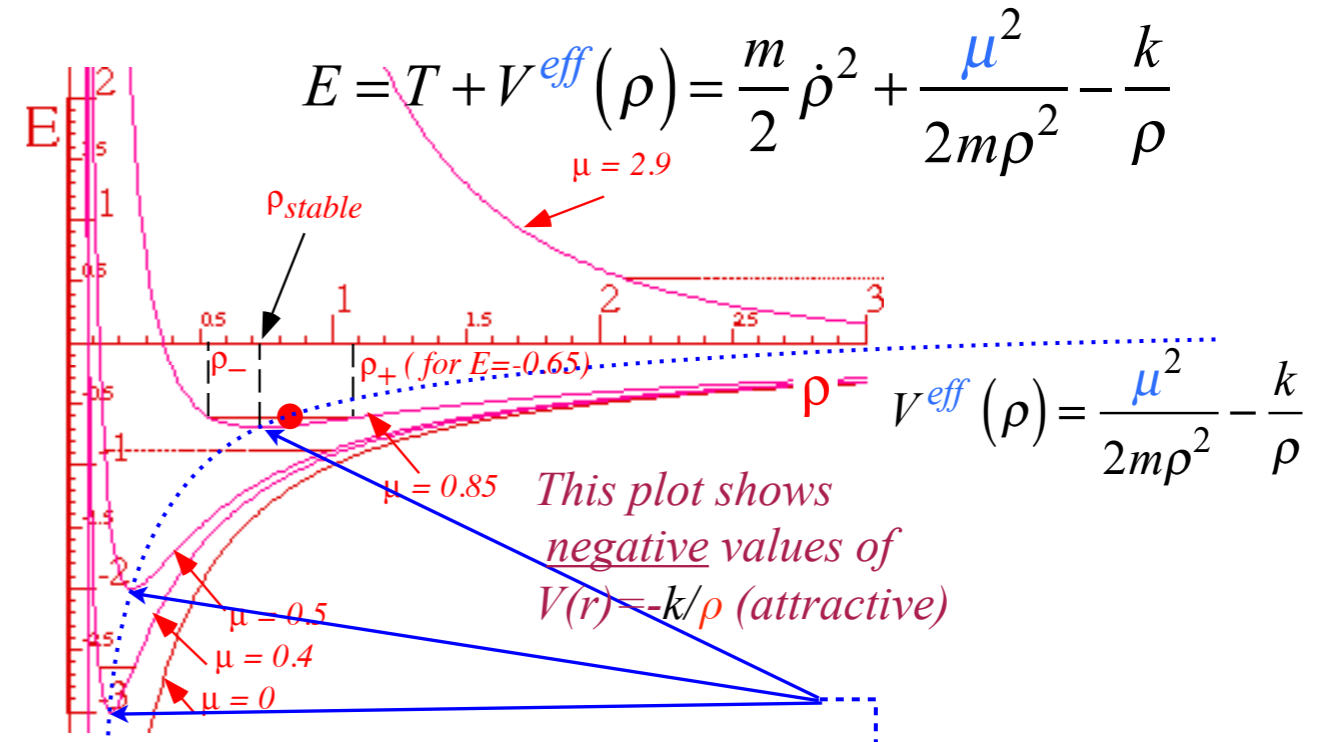
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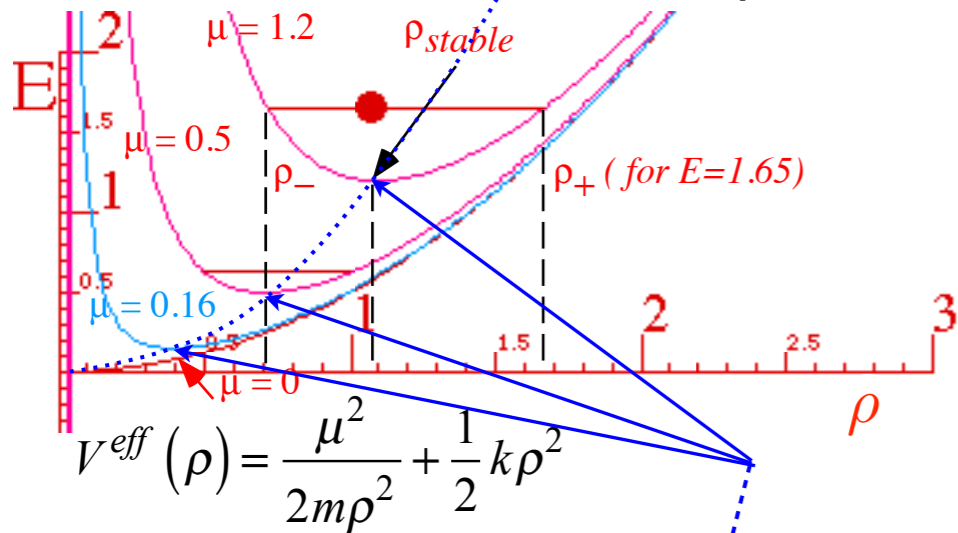
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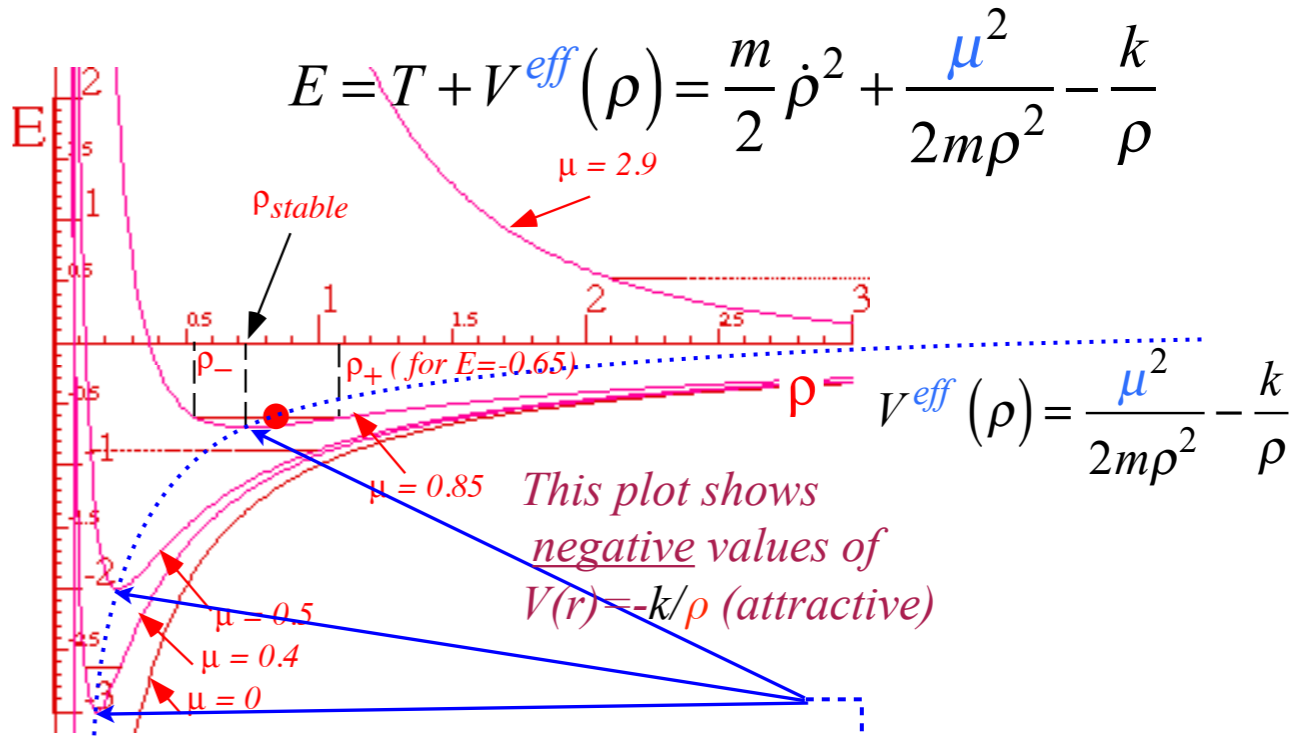
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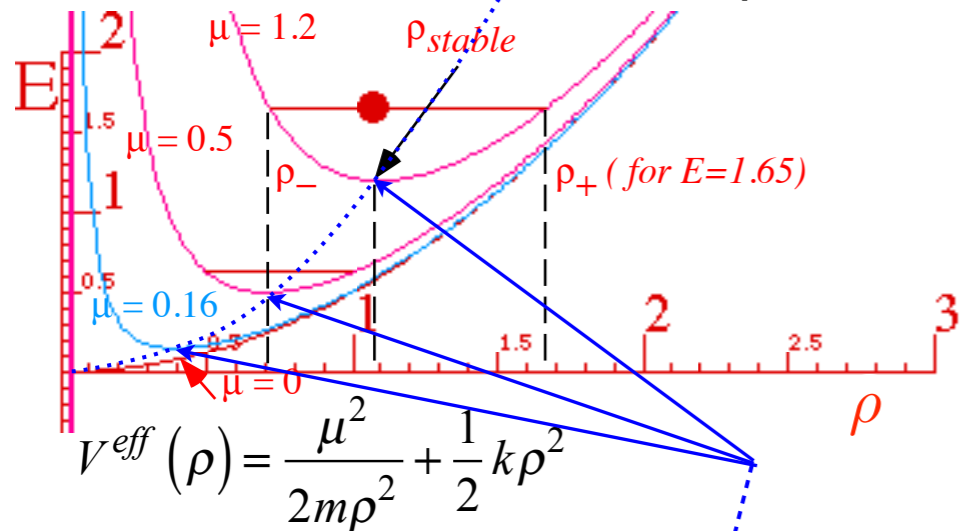
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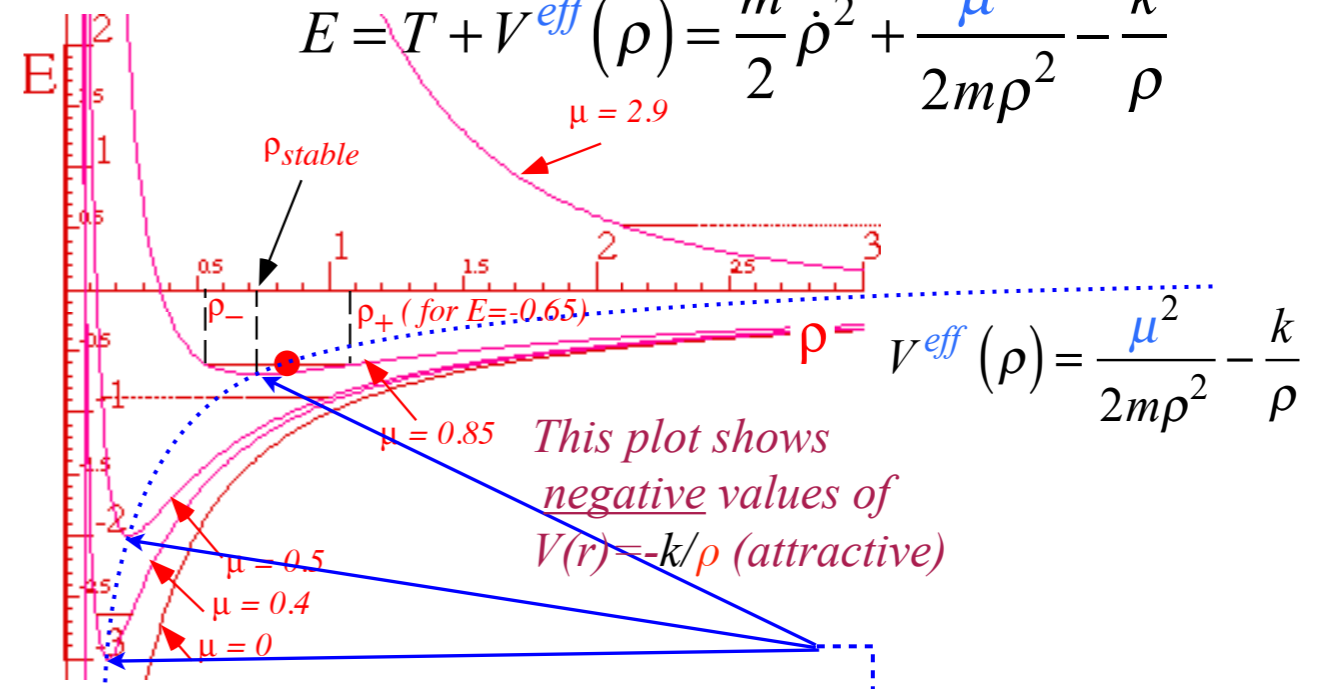
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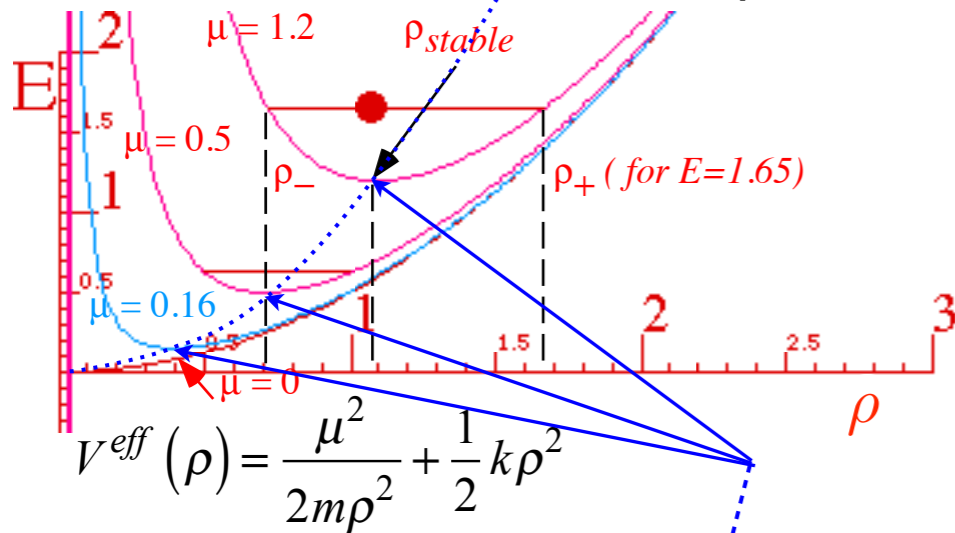
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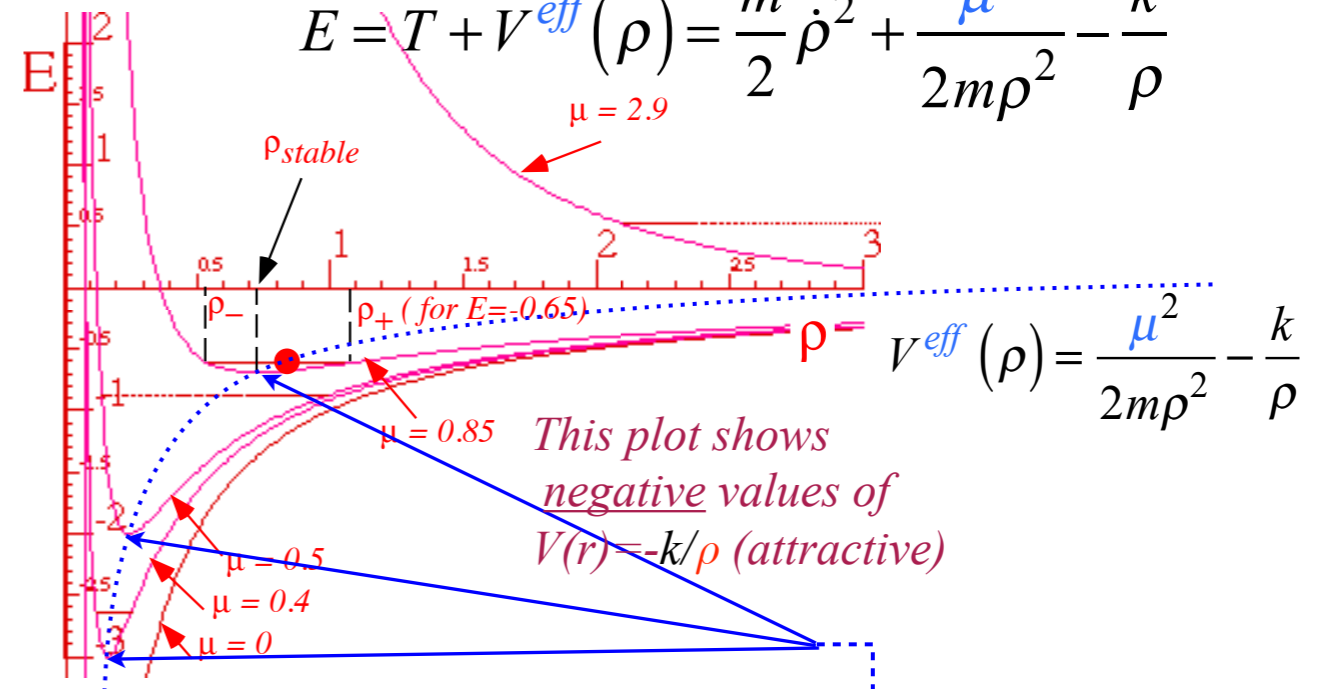
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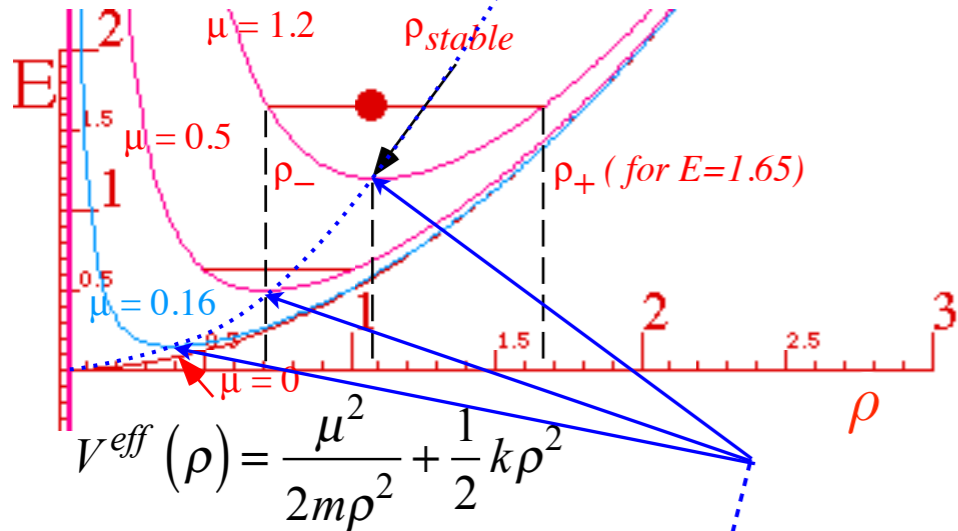
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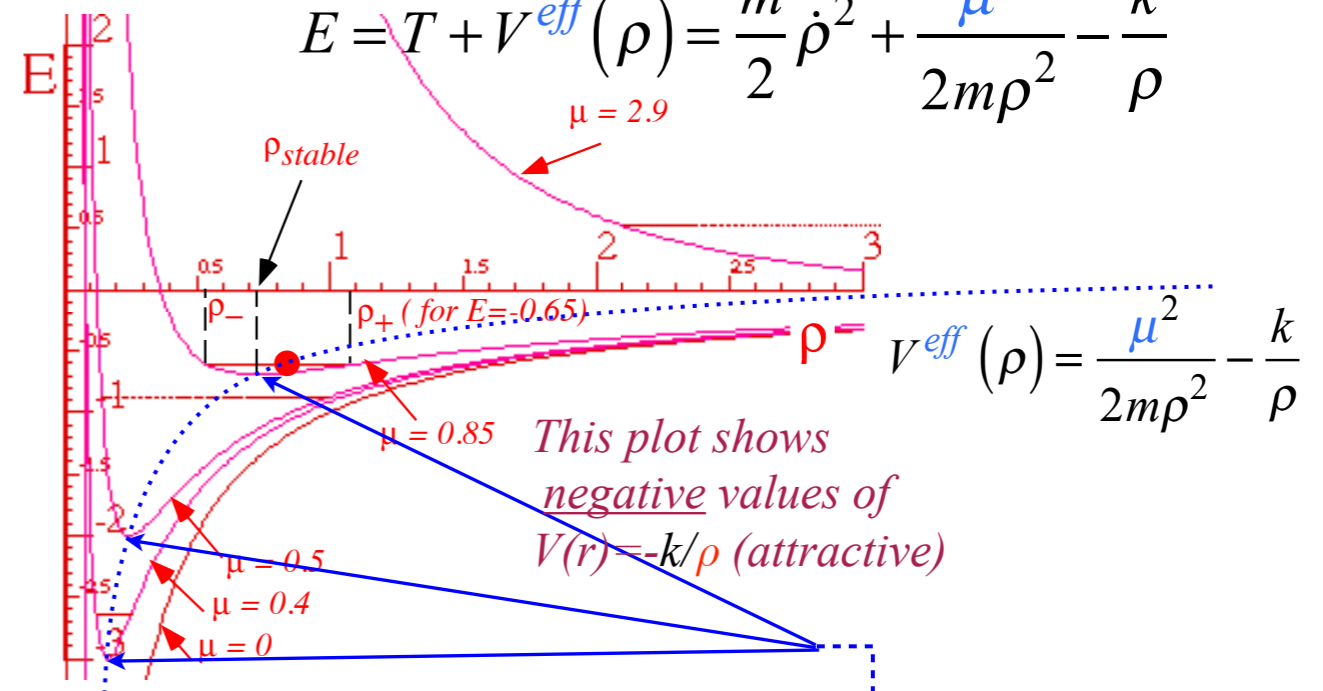
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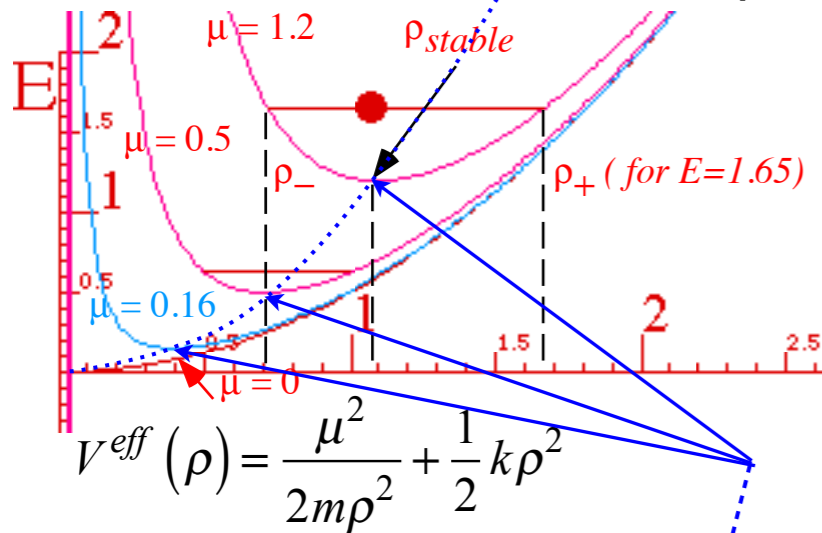
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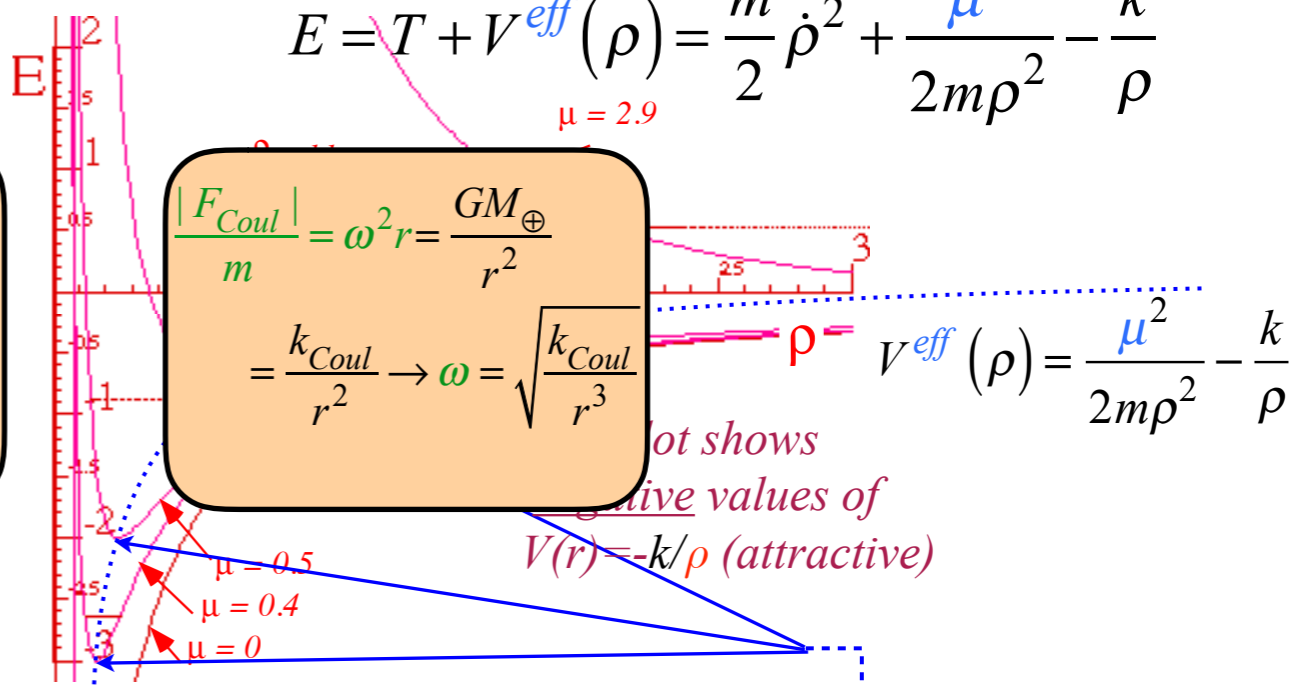
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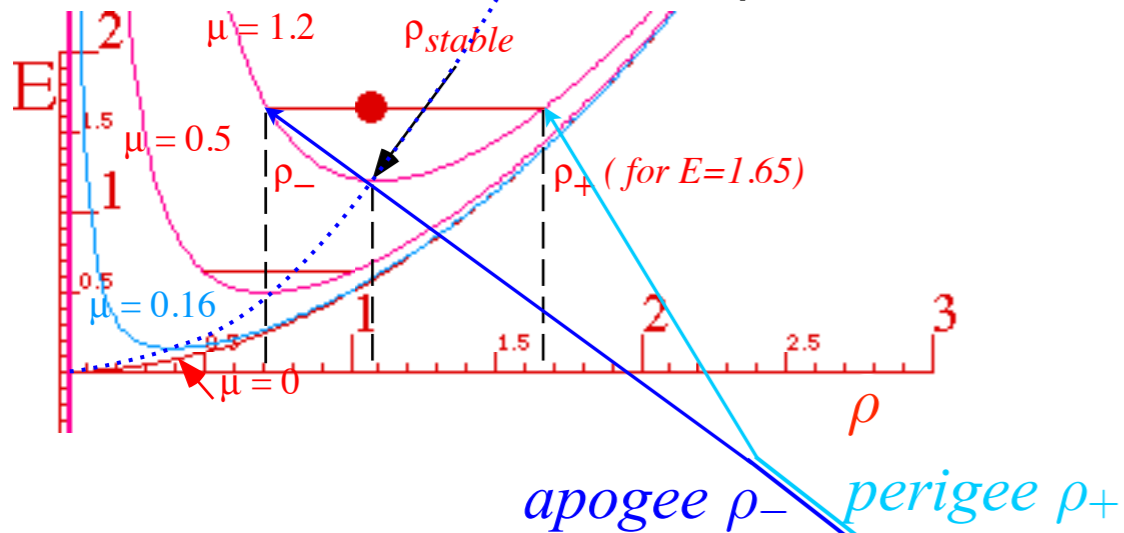
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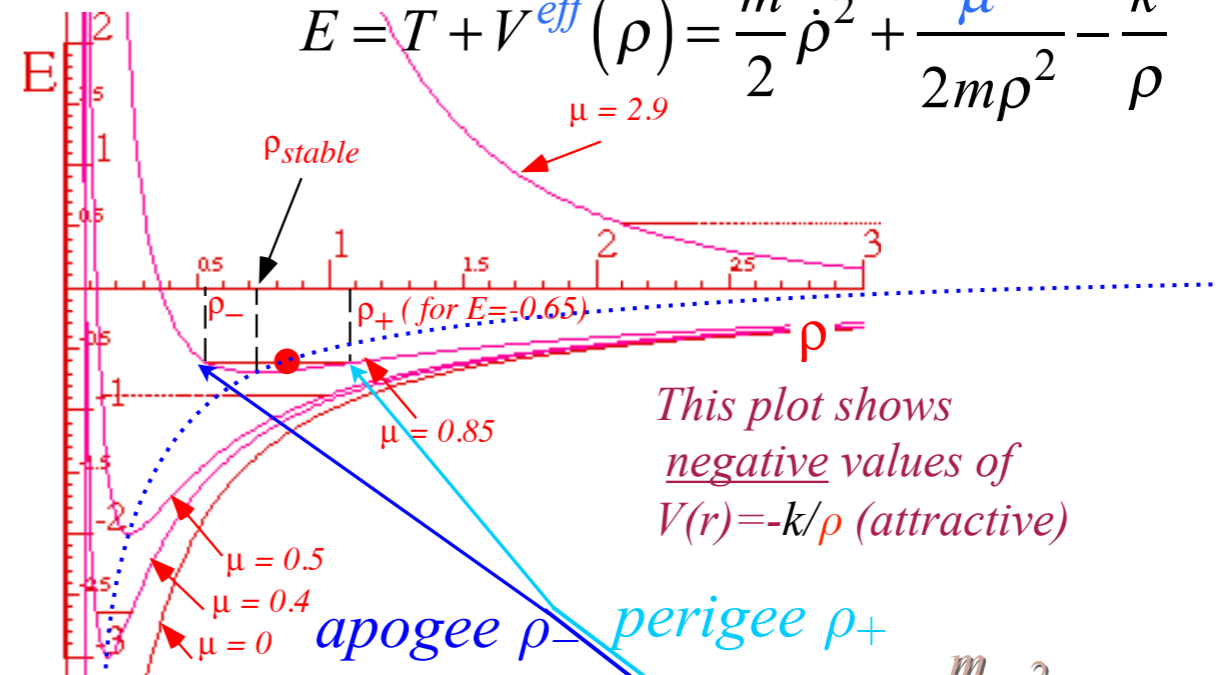
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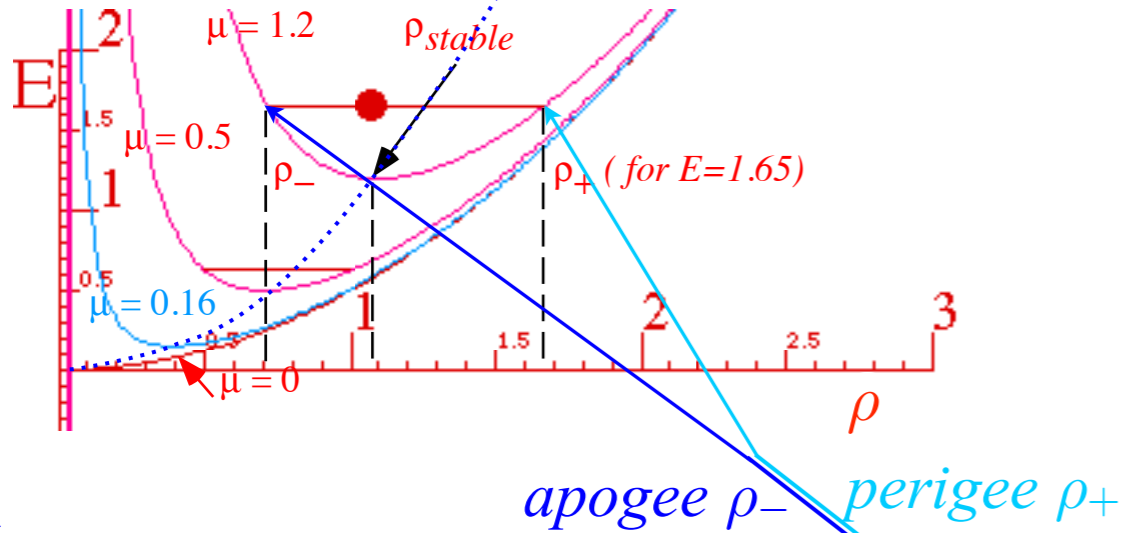
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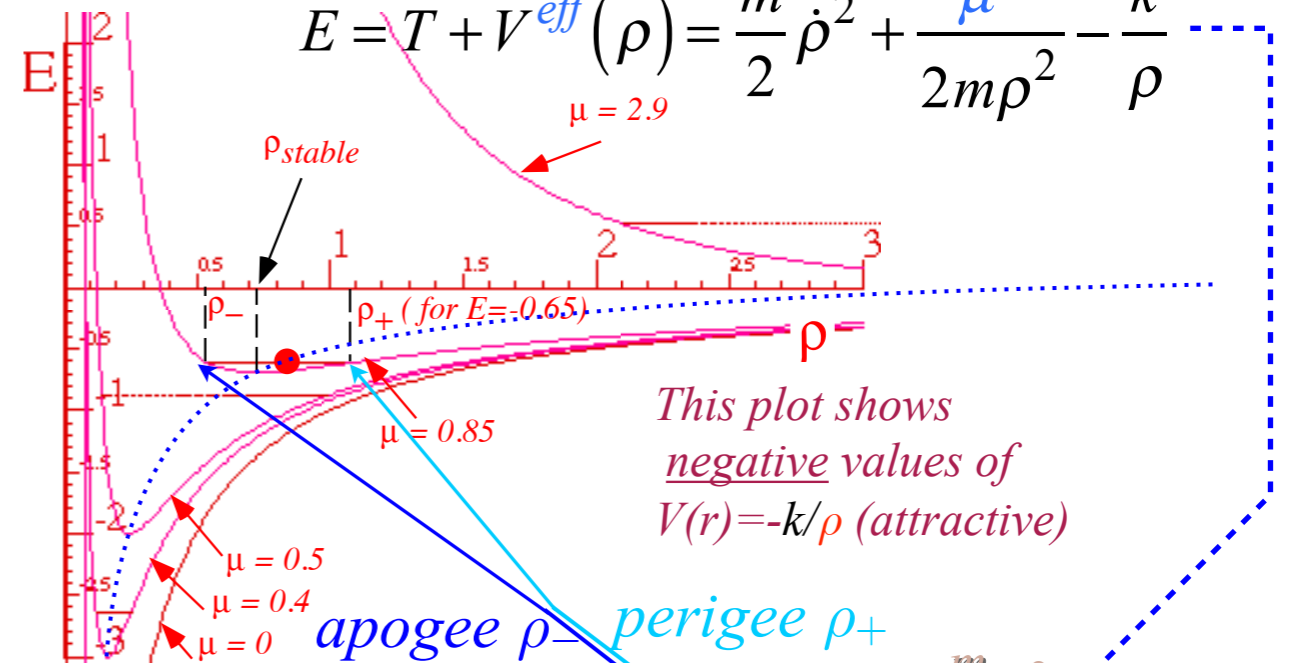
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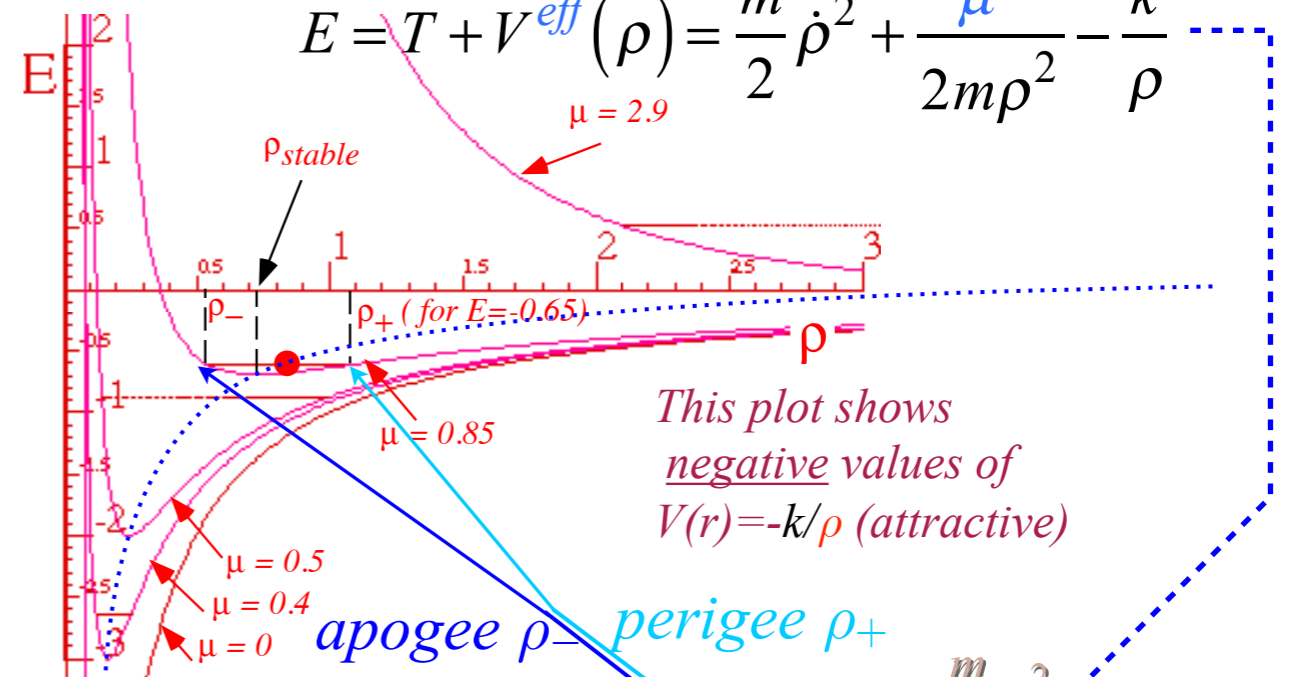
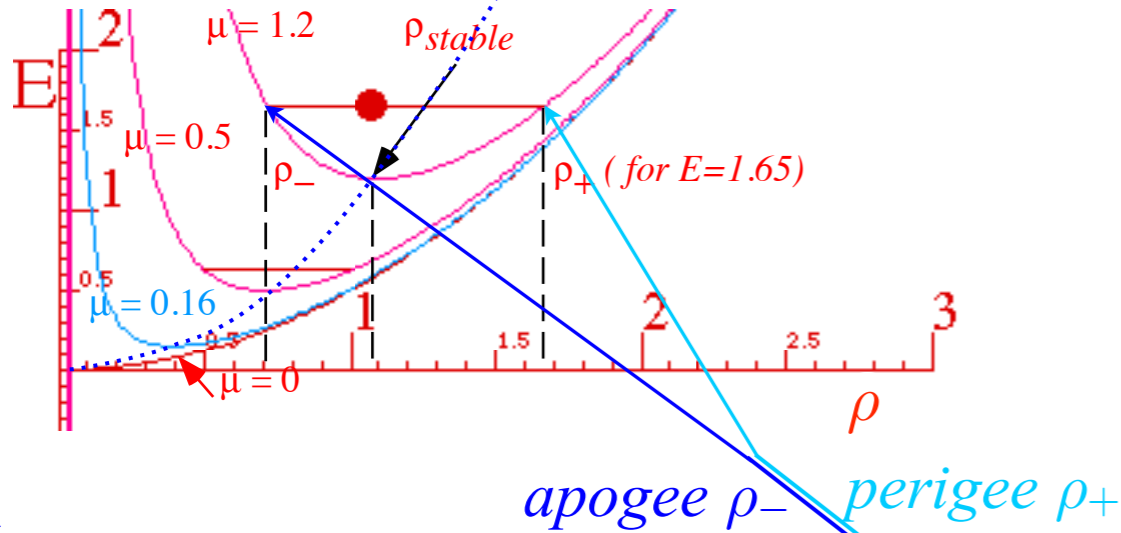
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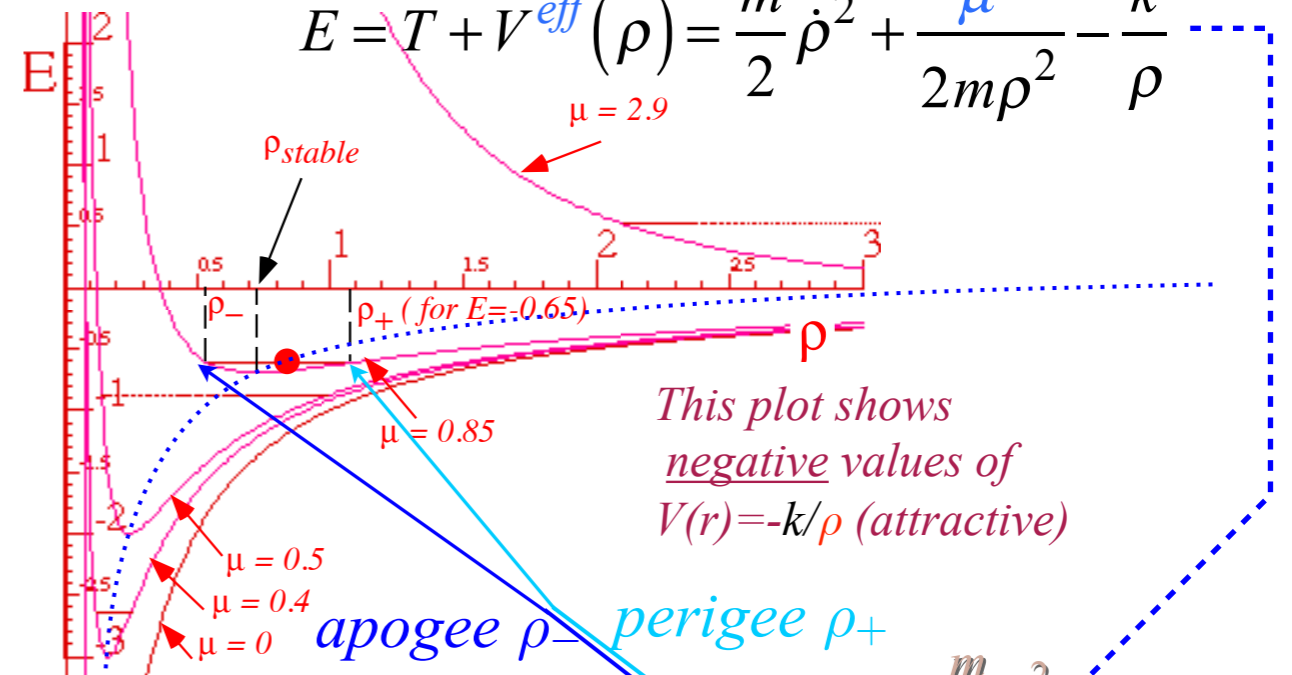
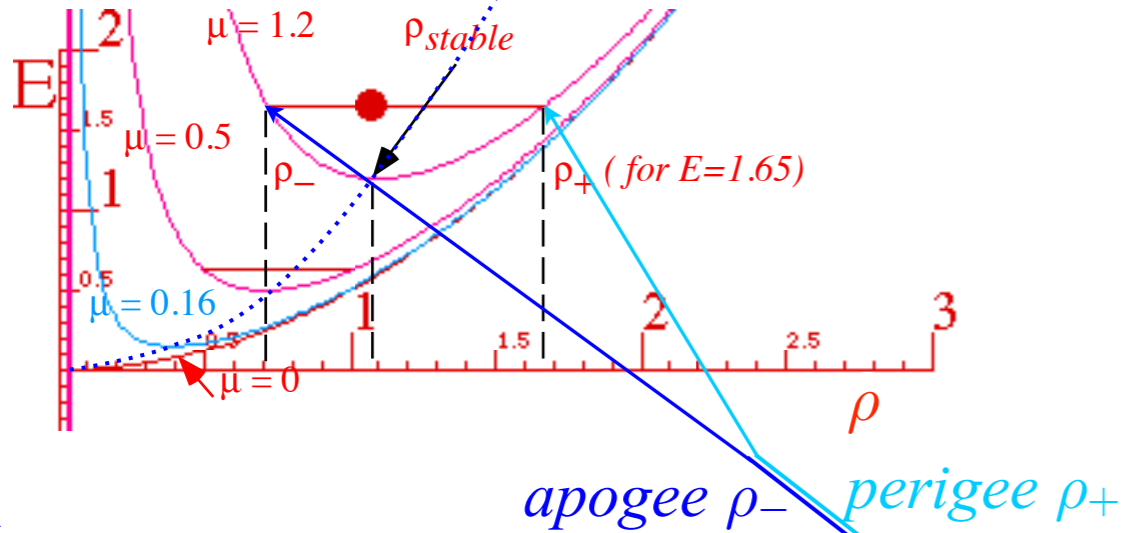
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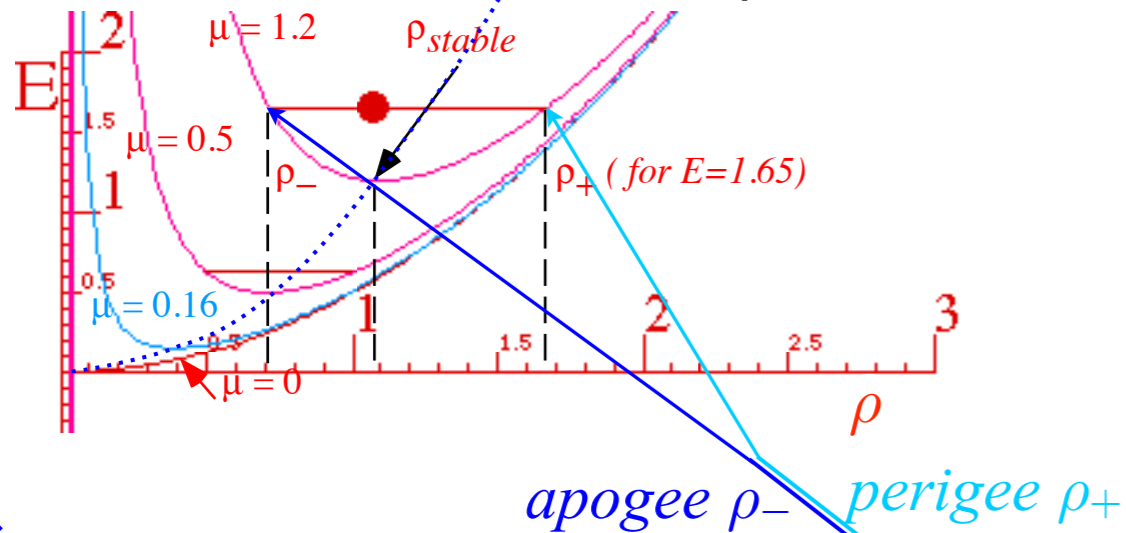
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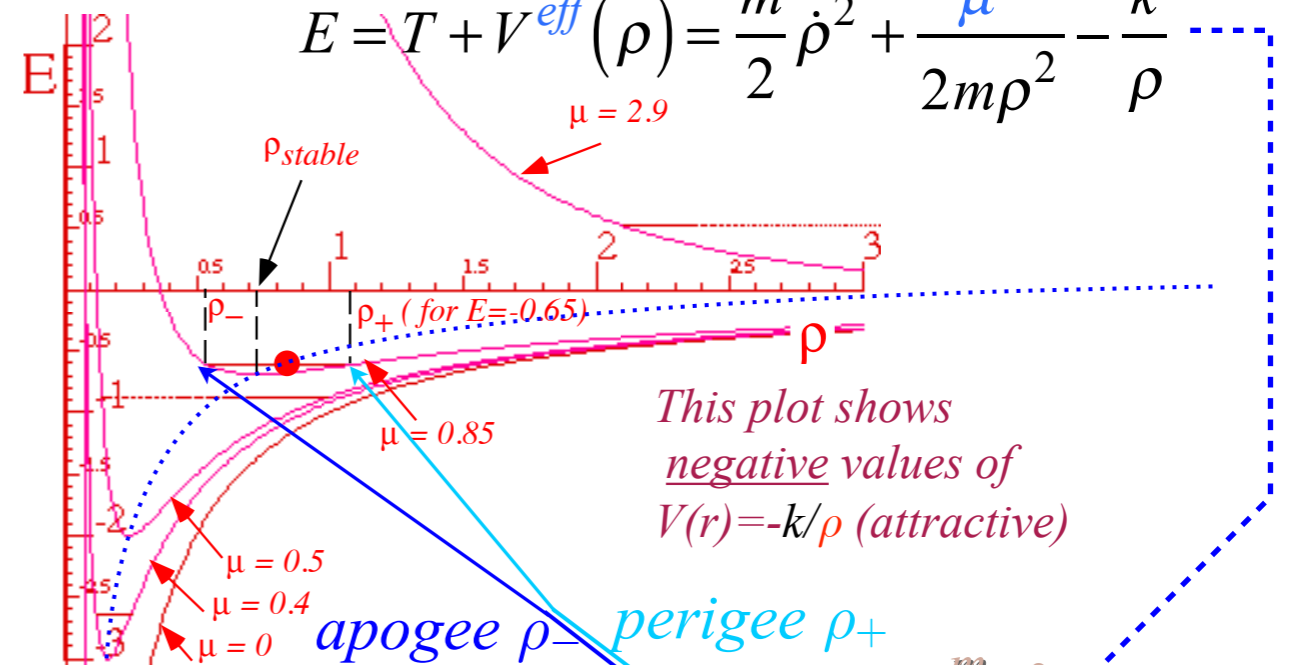
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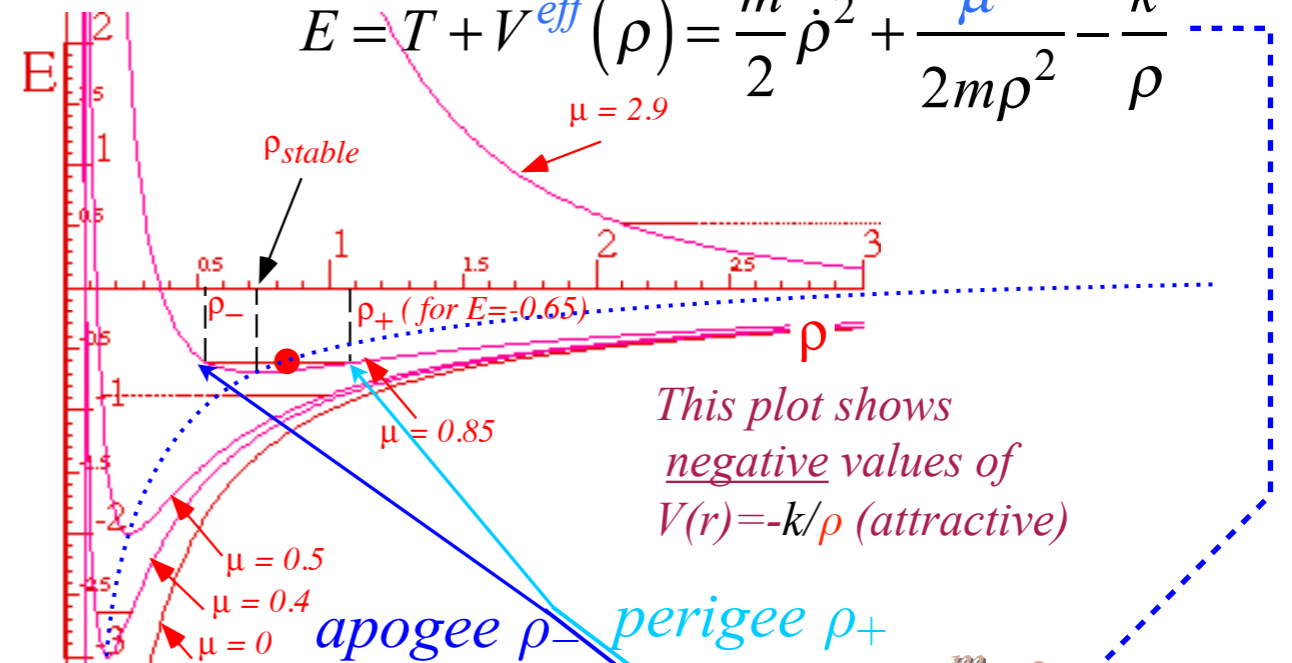
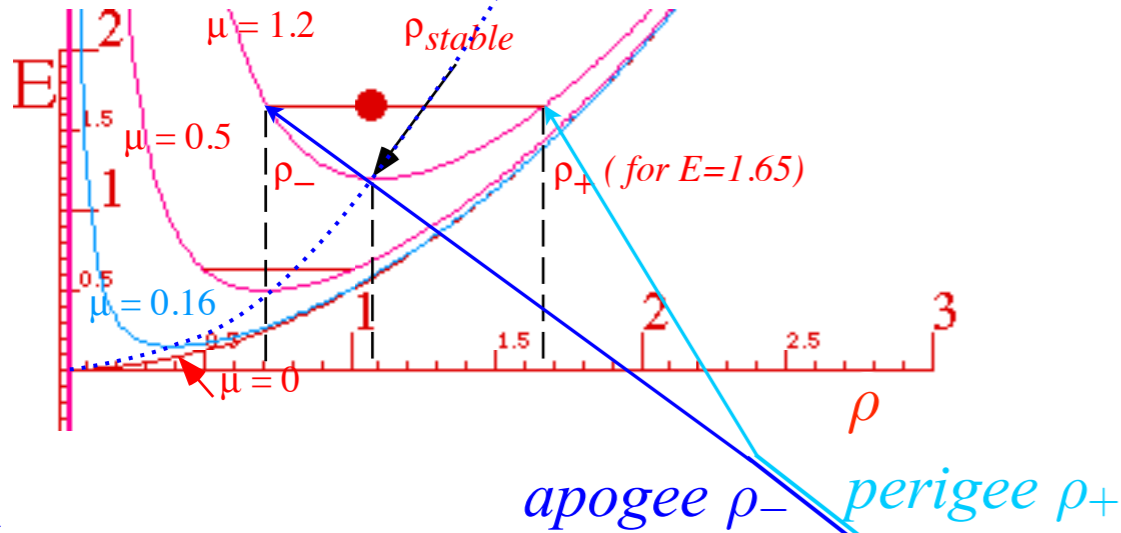
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(See p.60)

Orbits in Isotropic Harmonic Oscillator and Coulomb Potentials

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(Time solution begins: [p. 79](#))

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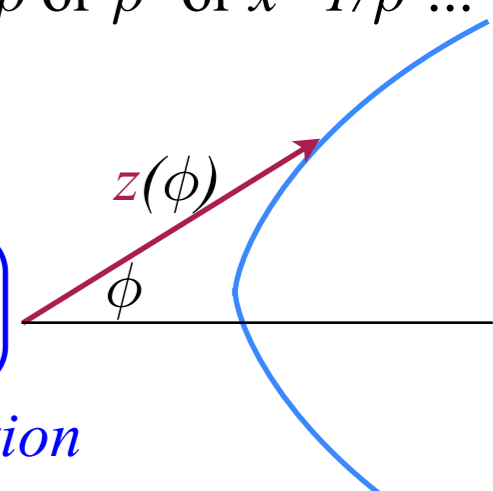
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Algebra details and checks

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Checking that roots z_{\pm} are *classical turning points* (perigee $z_- = \alpha - \beta$, apogee $z_+ = \alpha + \beta$) (See p.32)

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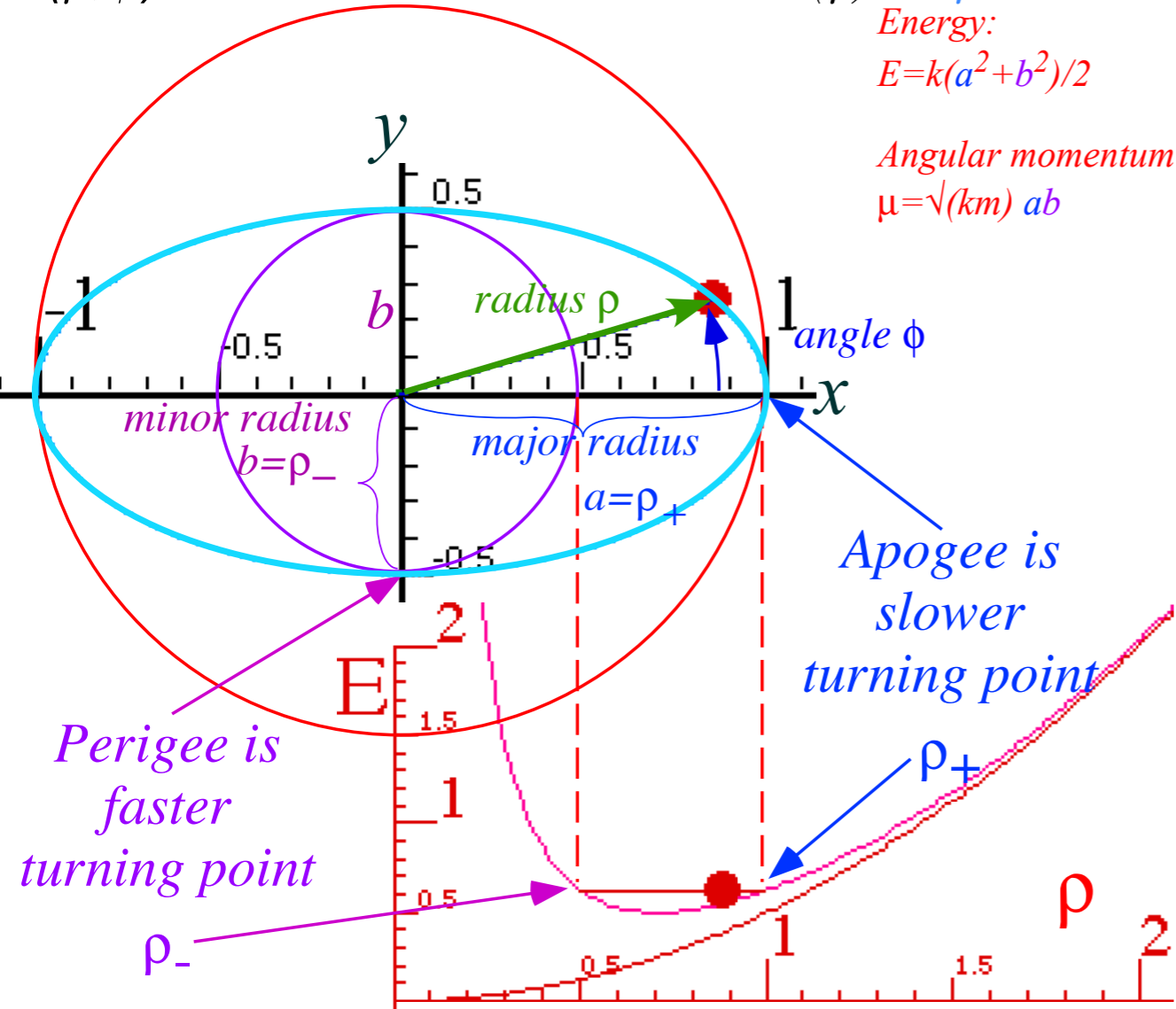
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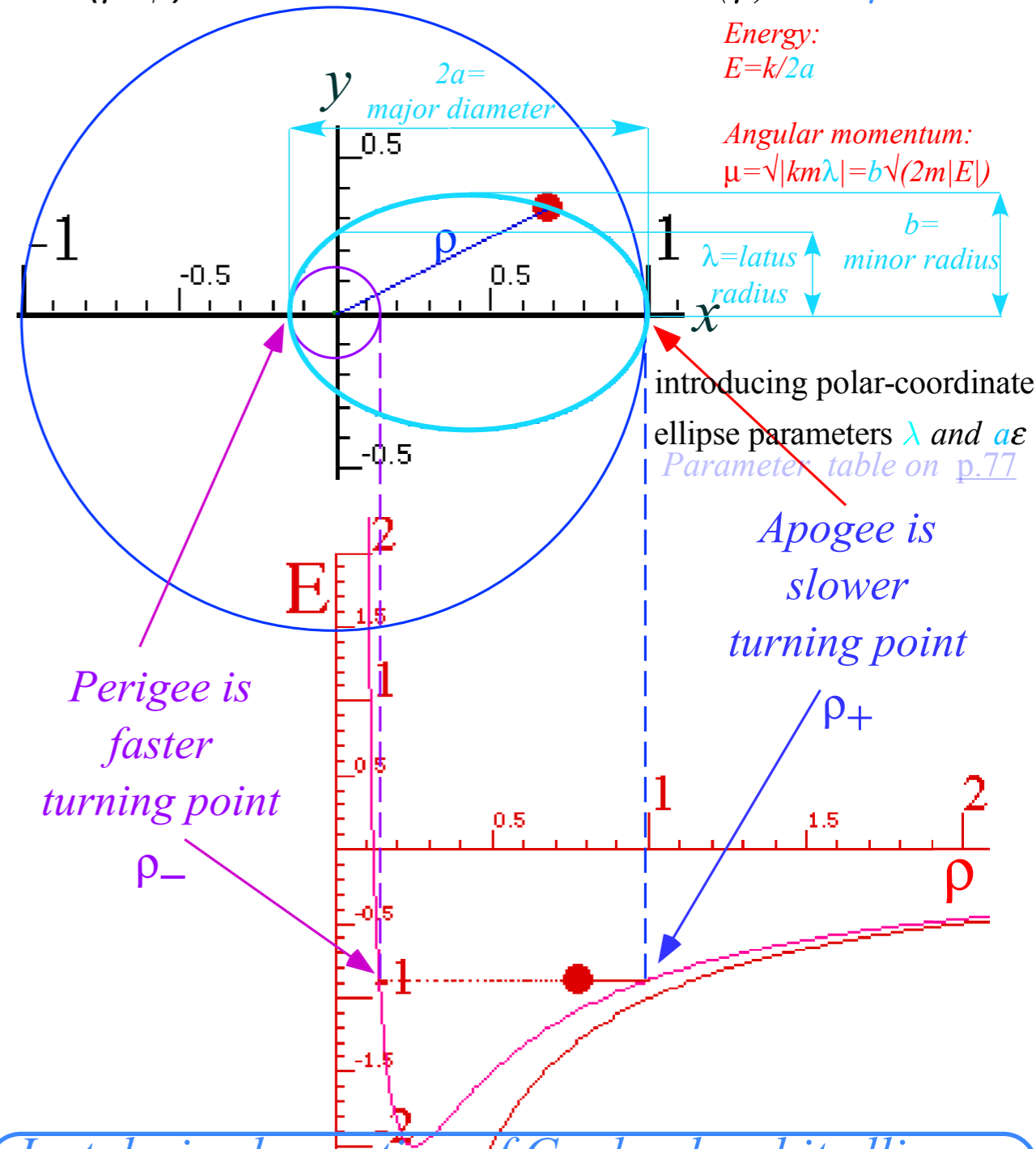
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One of many equations of center-centered ellipse

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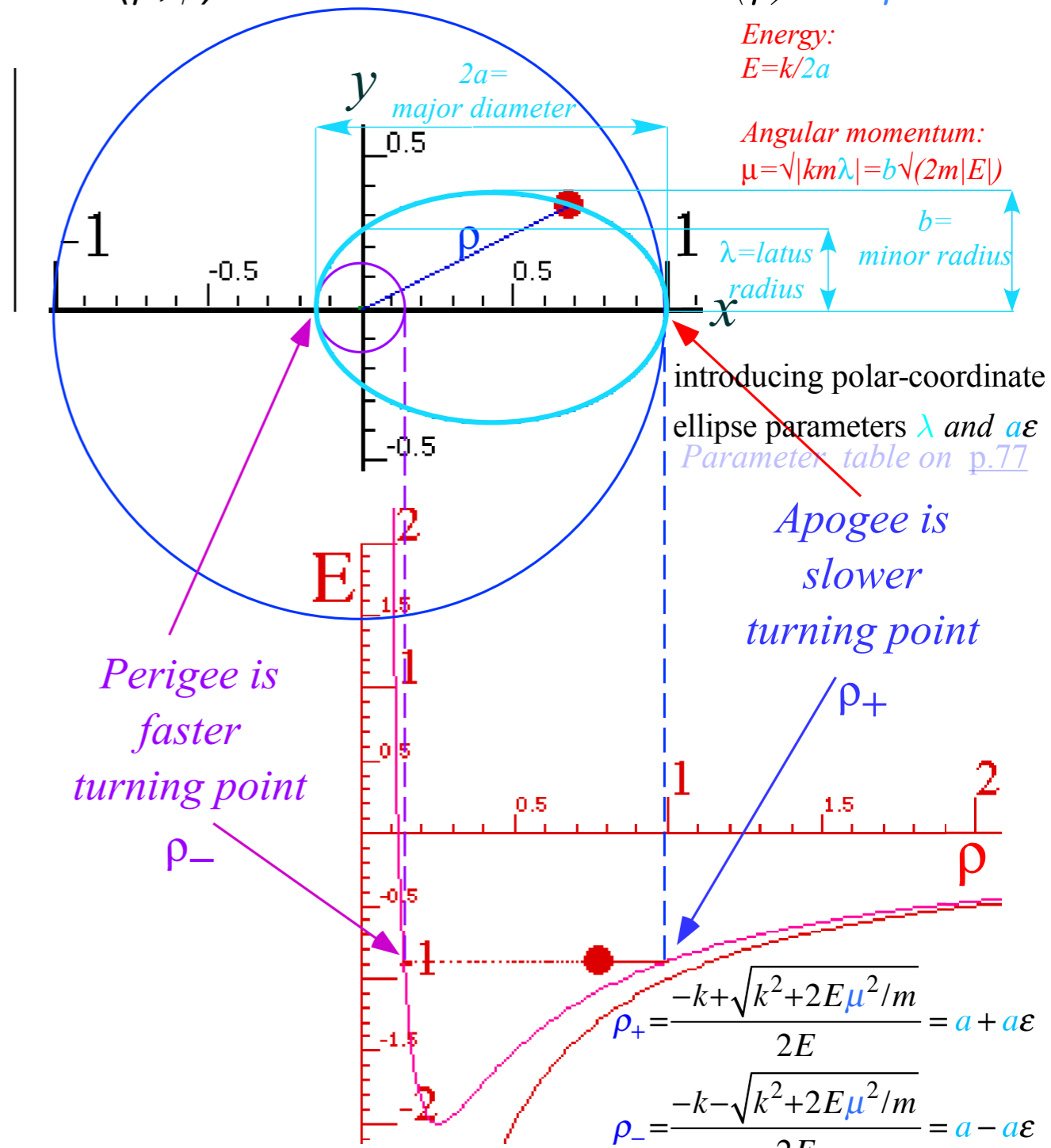
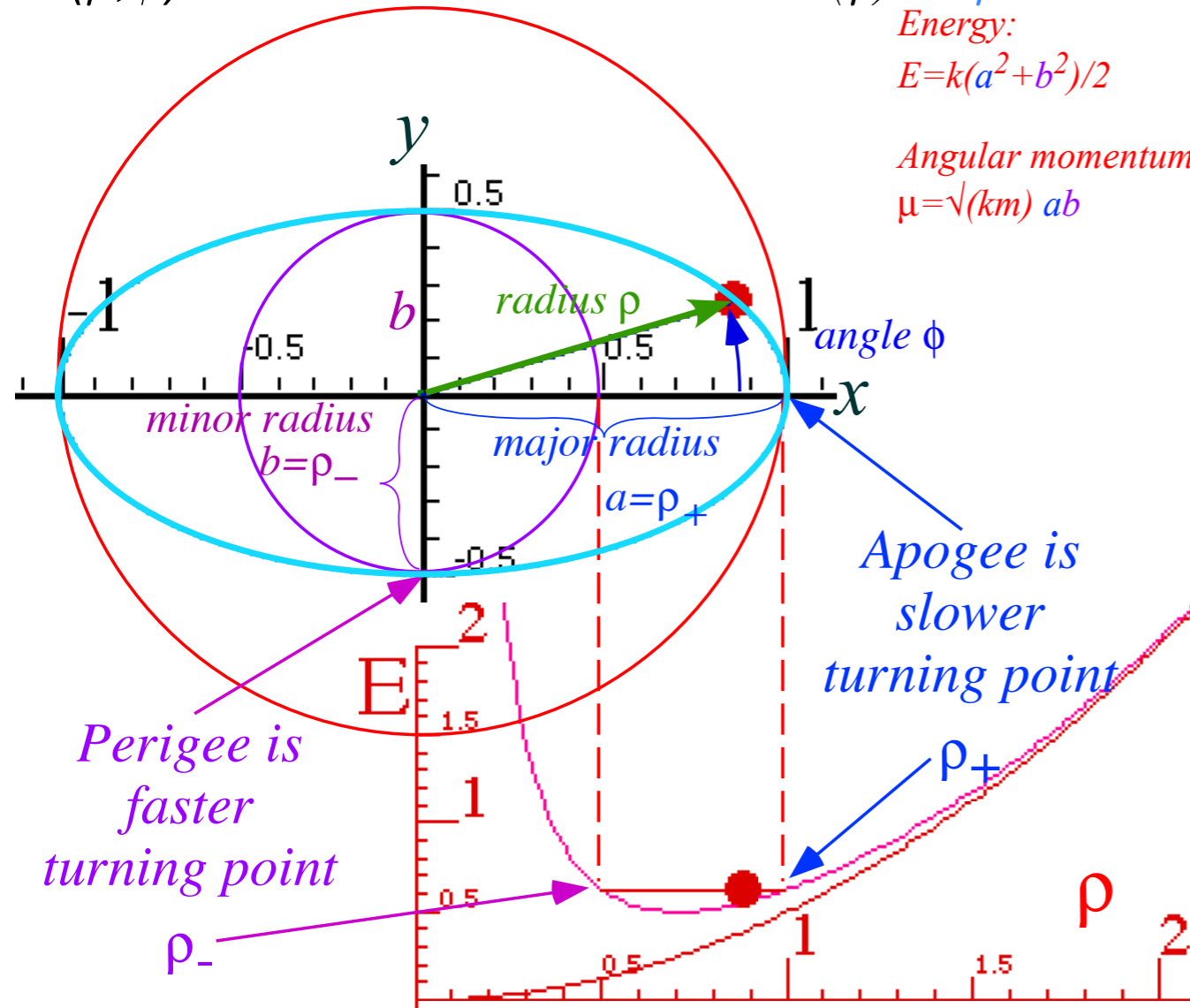
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(from p.29 or p.60)

(to be discussed first: turning point relations)

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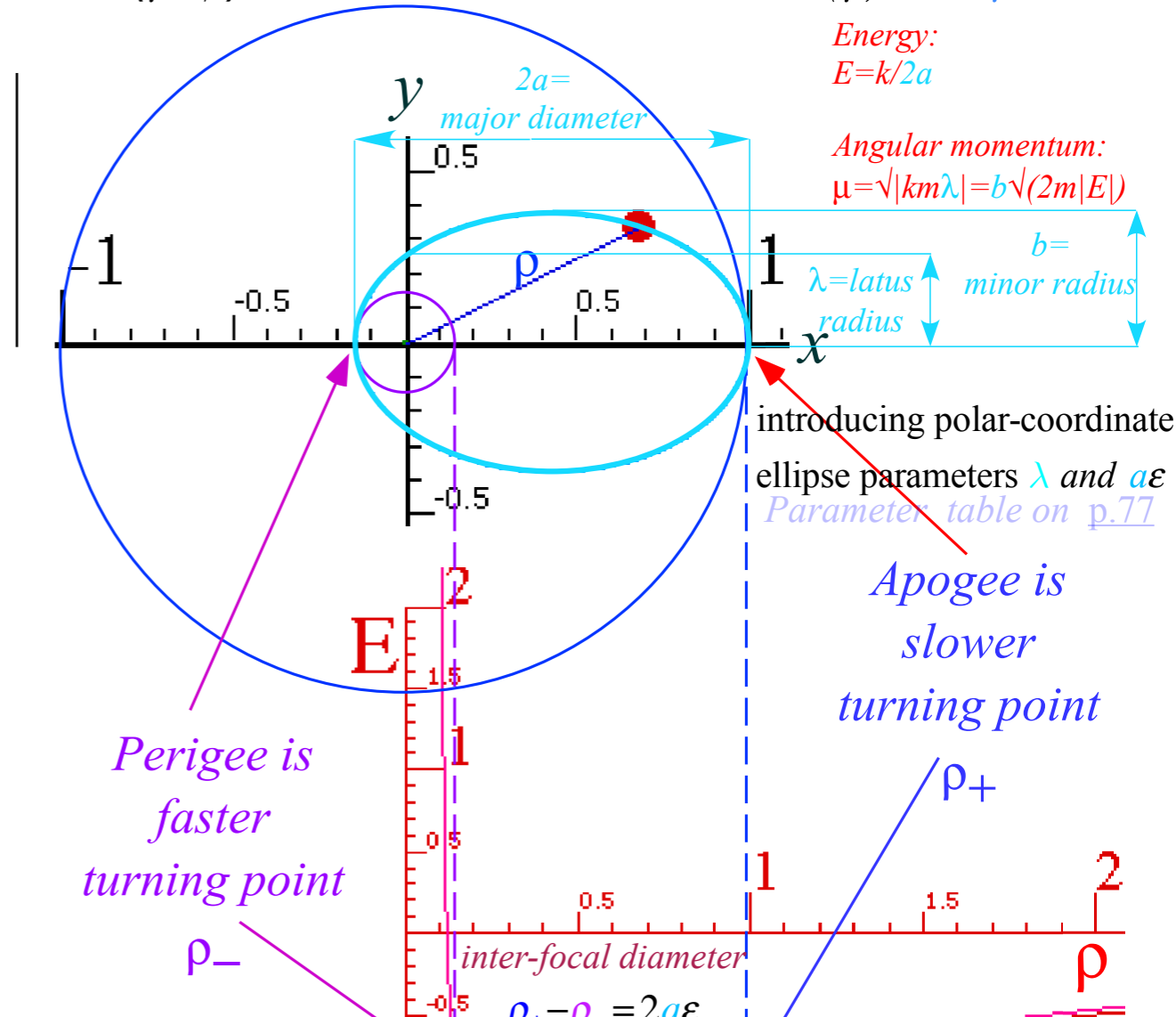
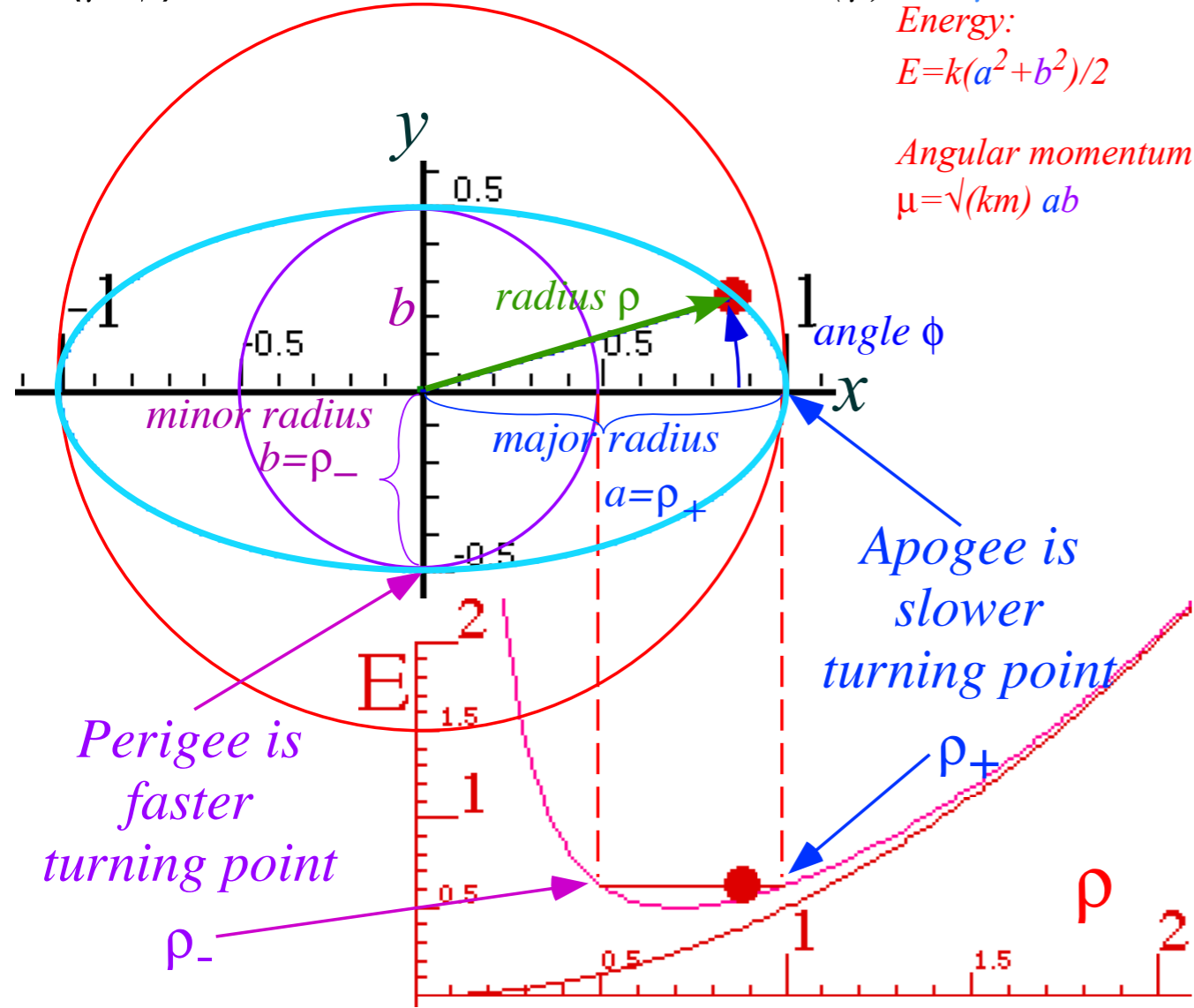
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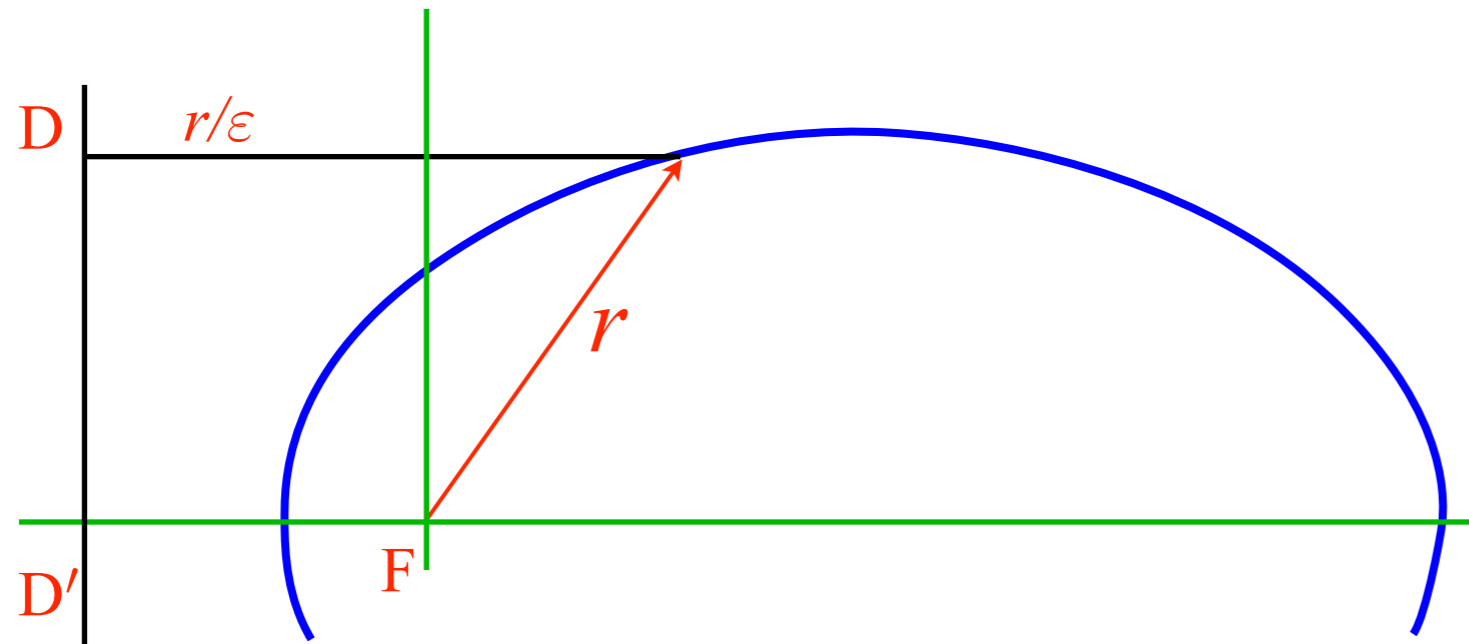
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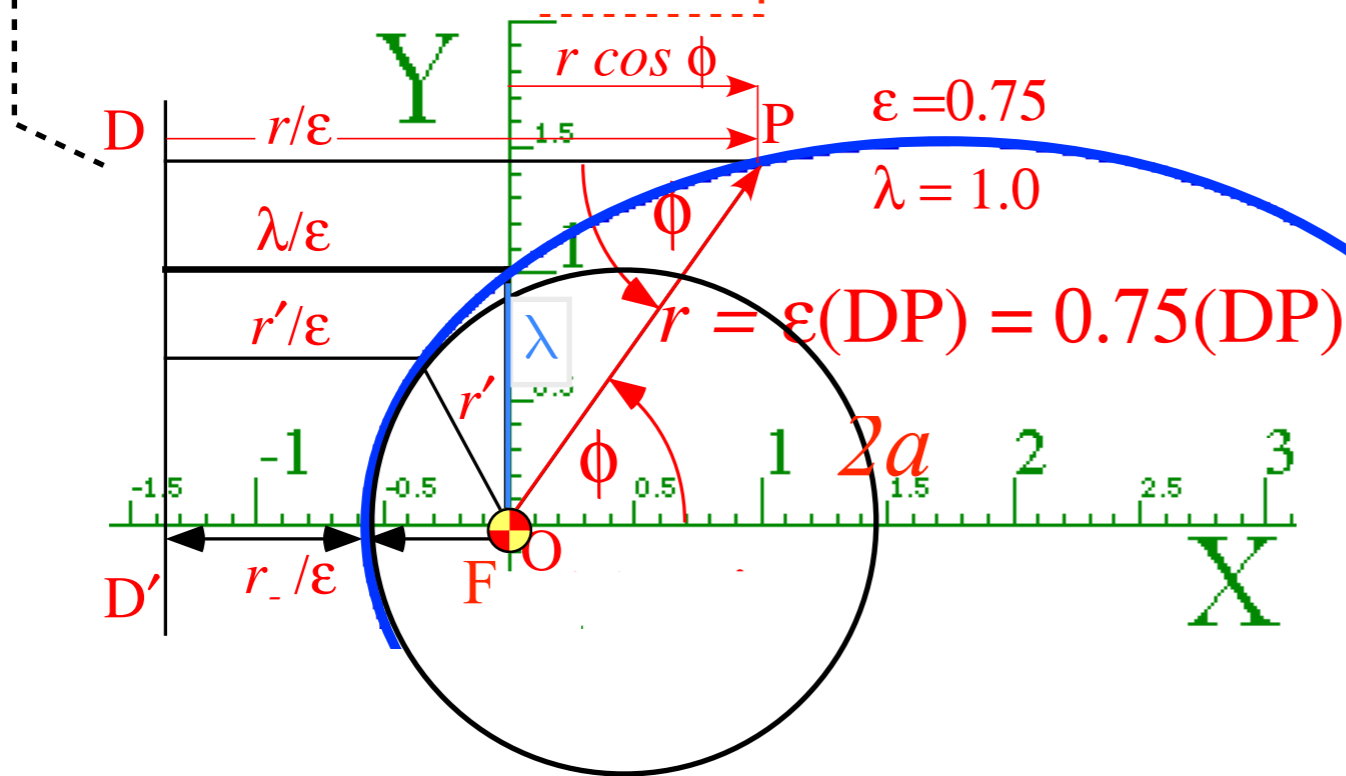
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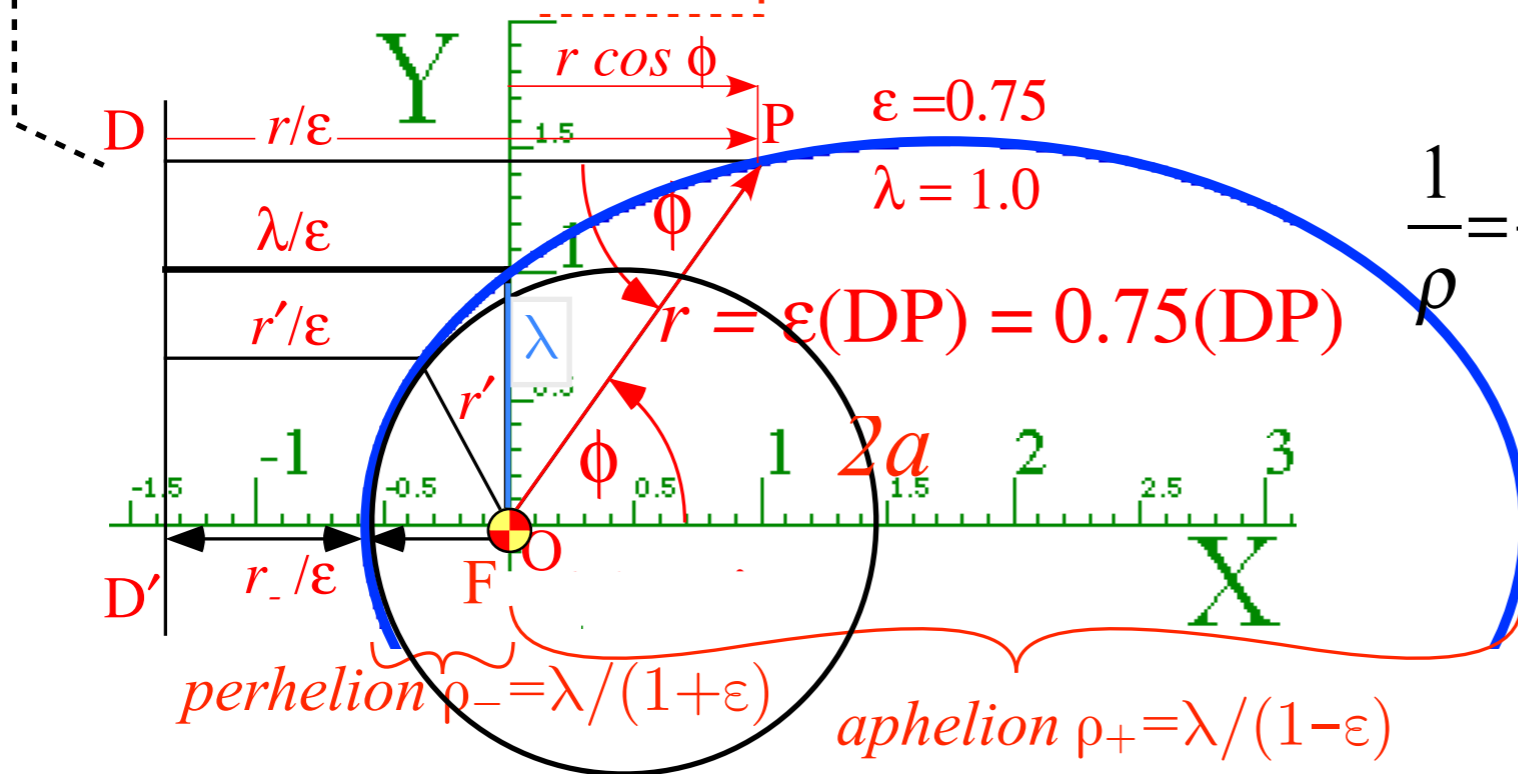
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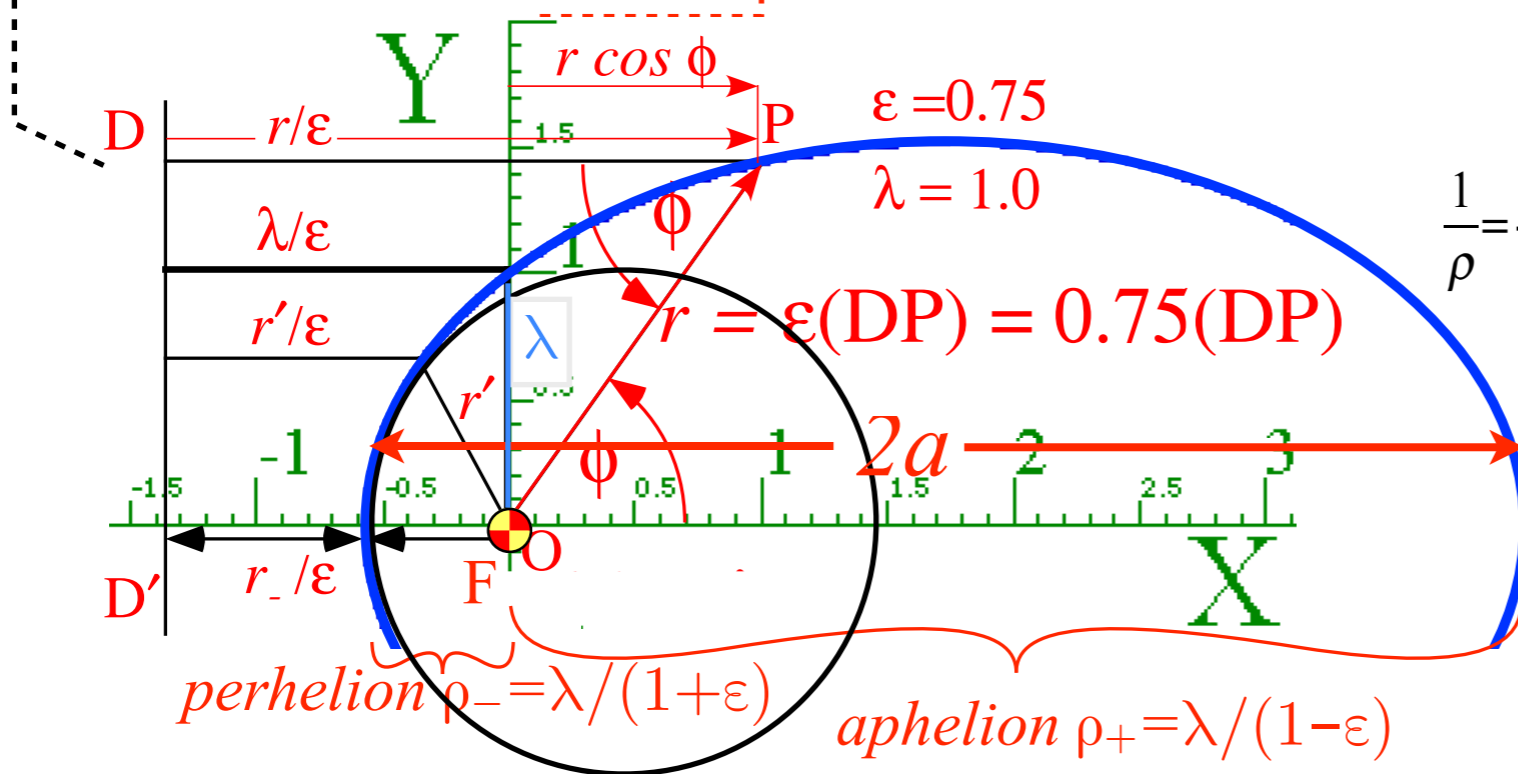
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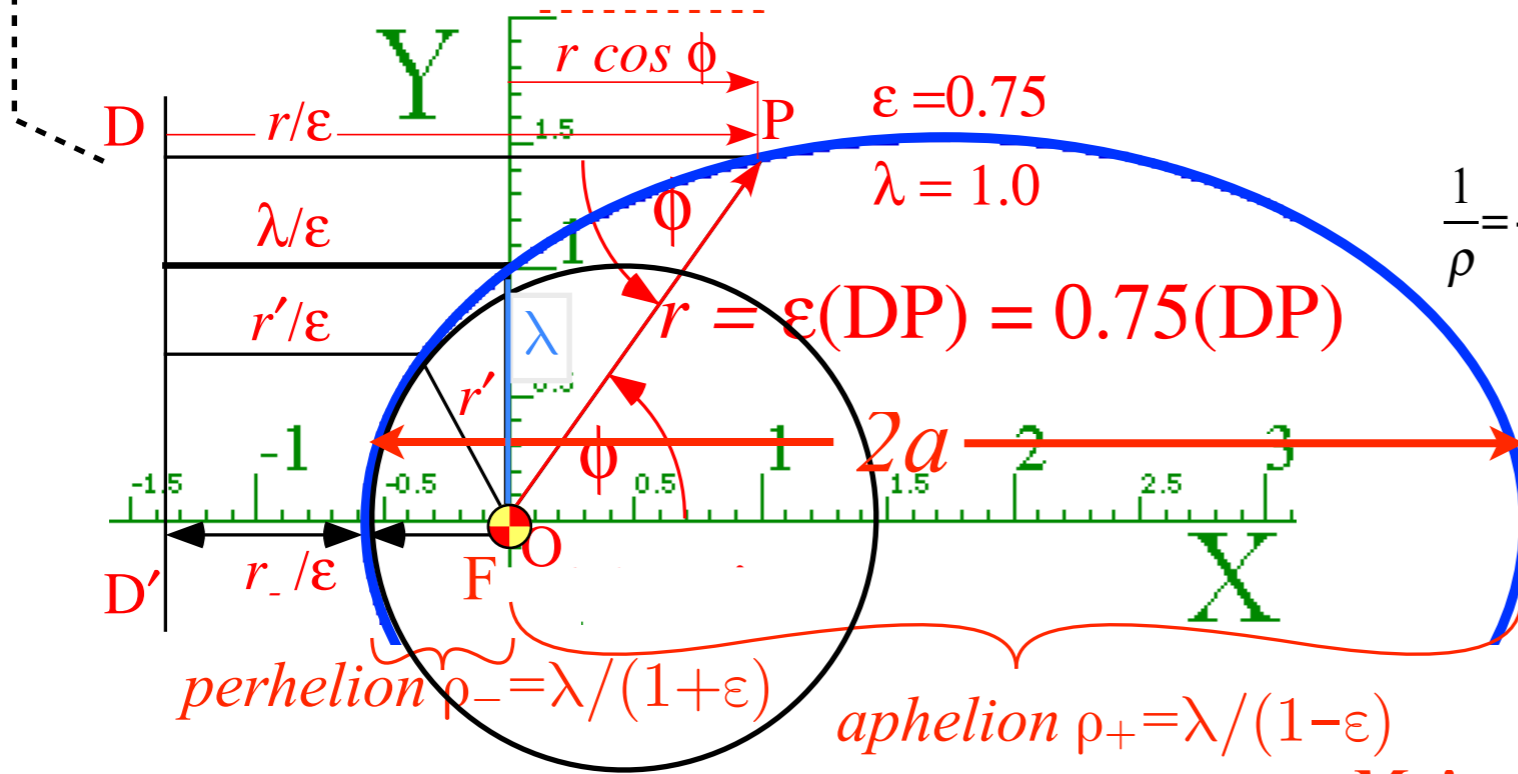
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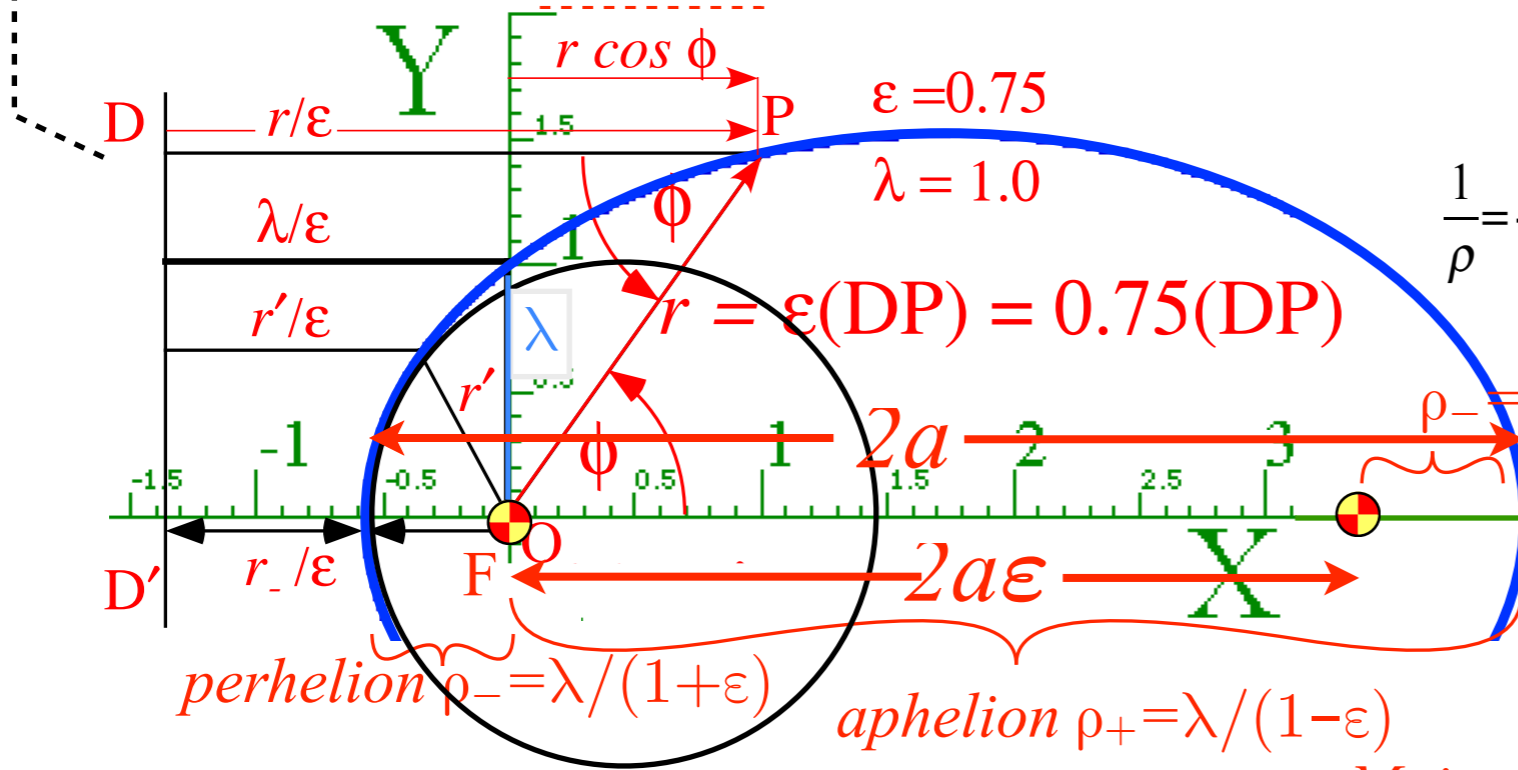
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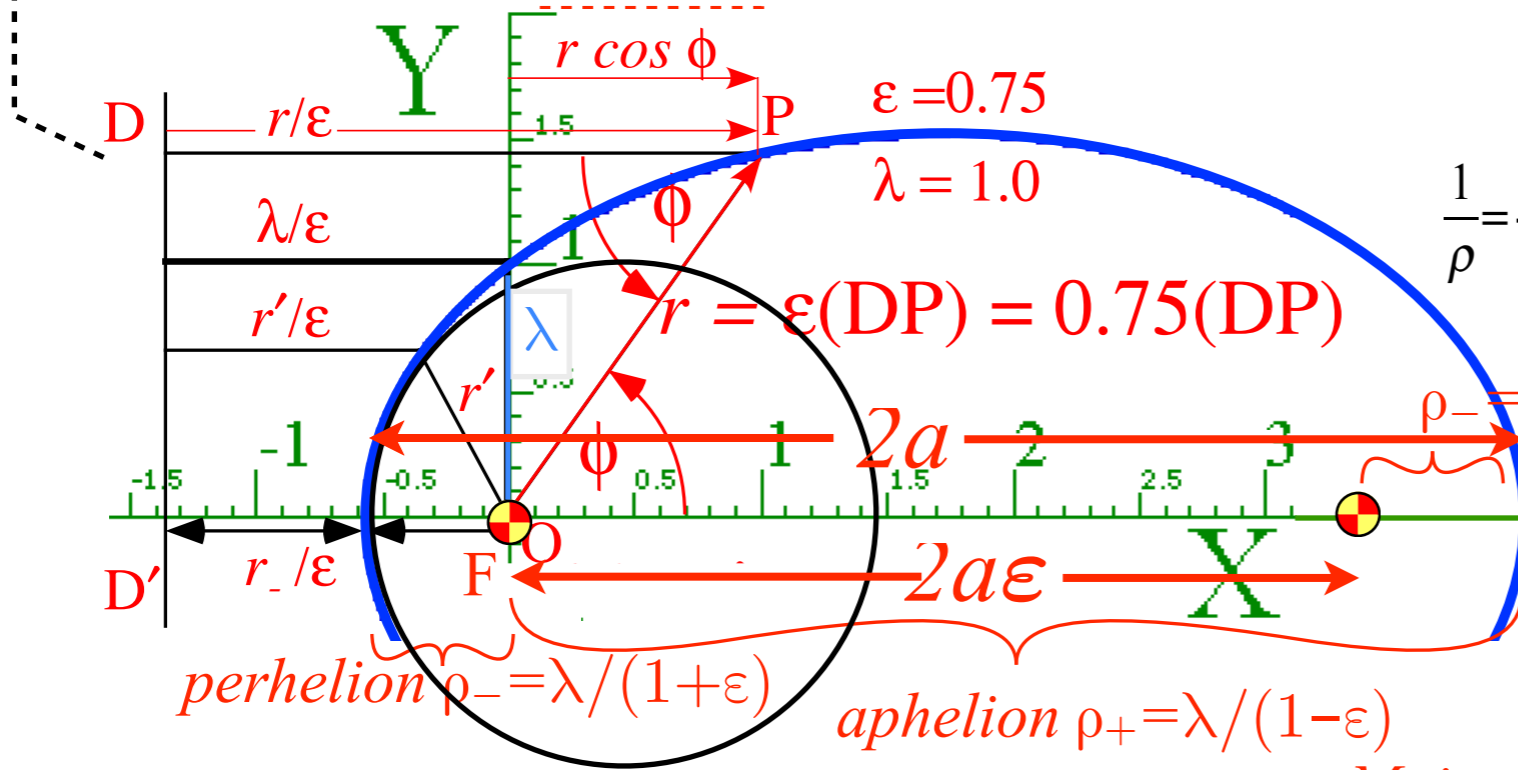
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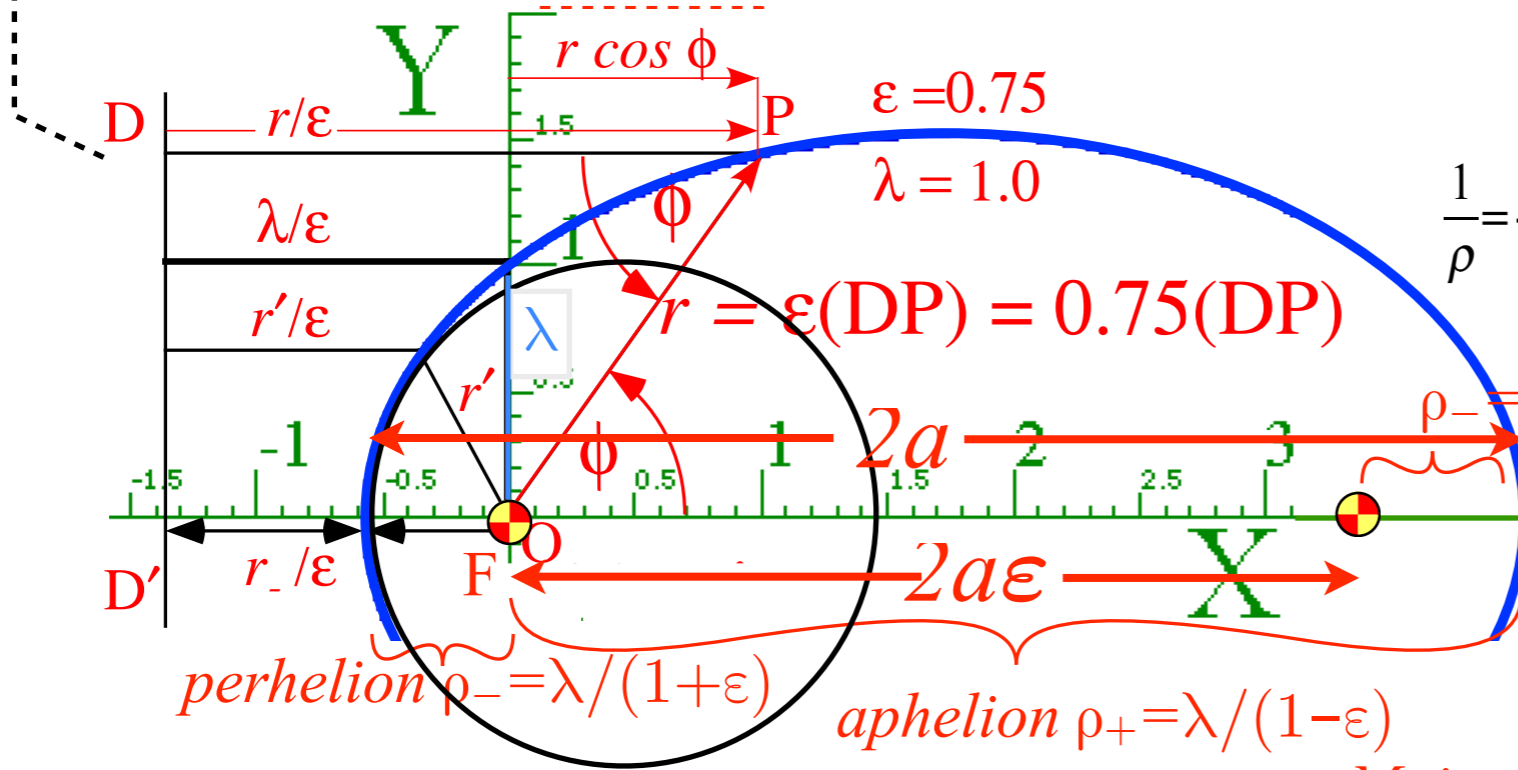
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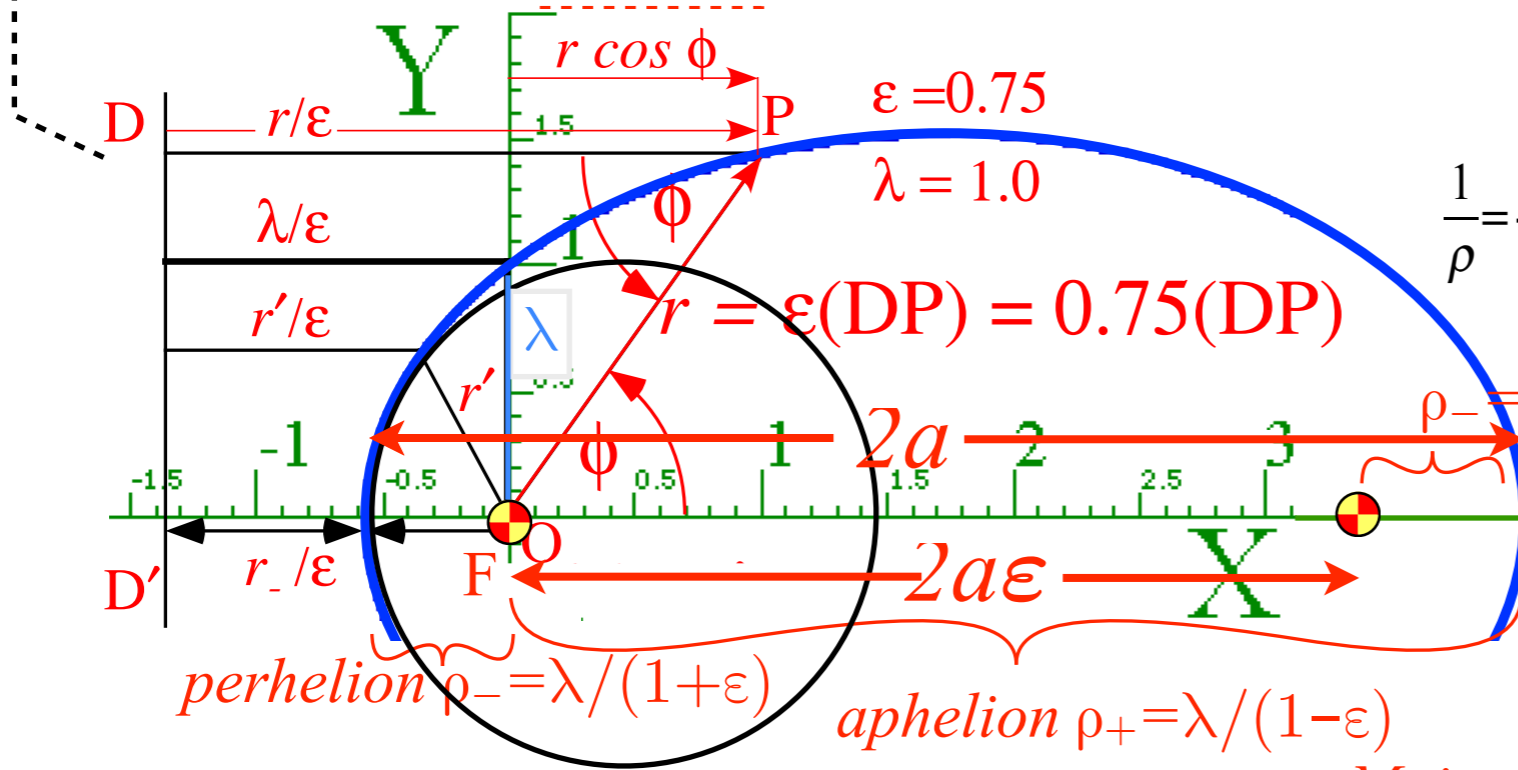
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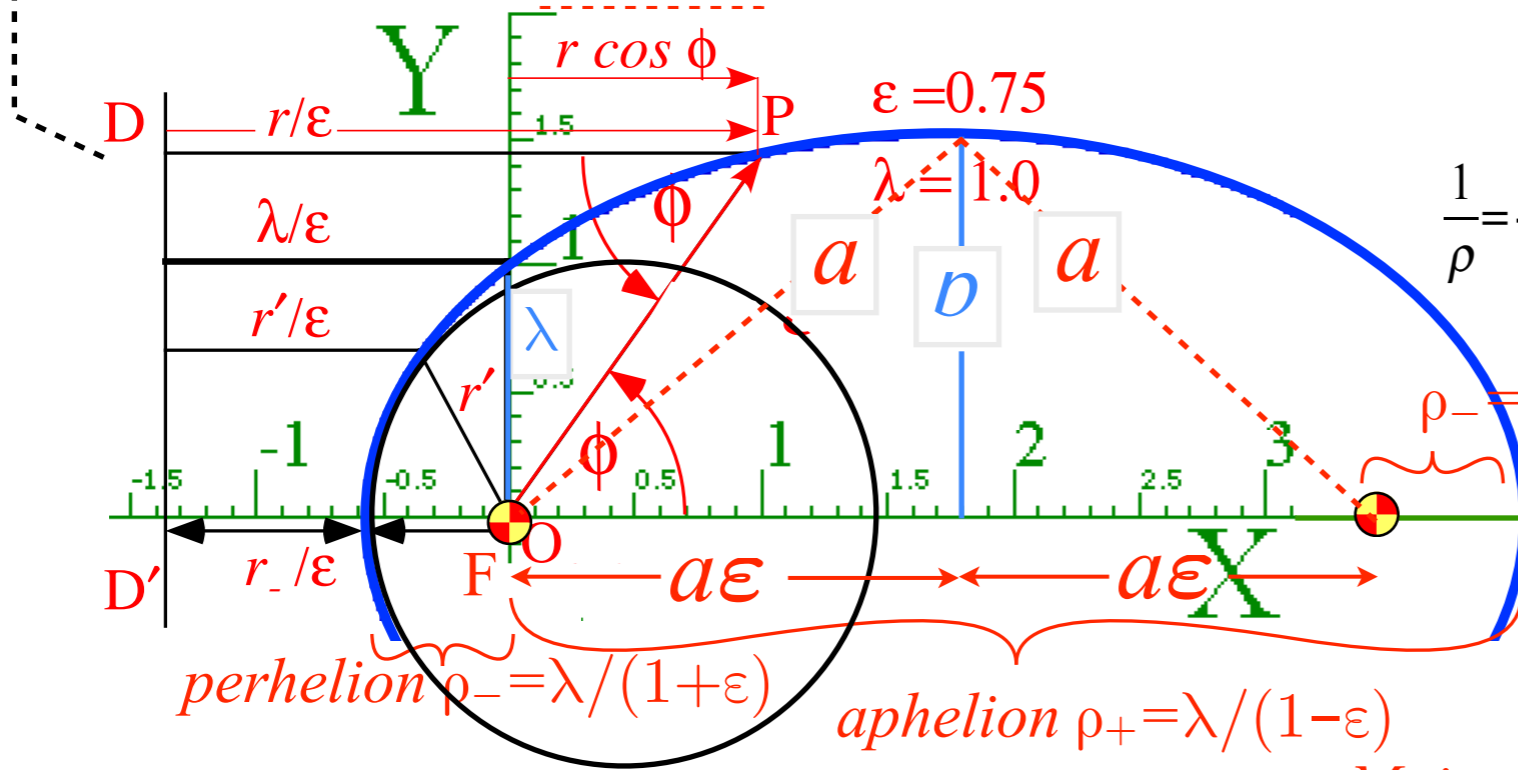
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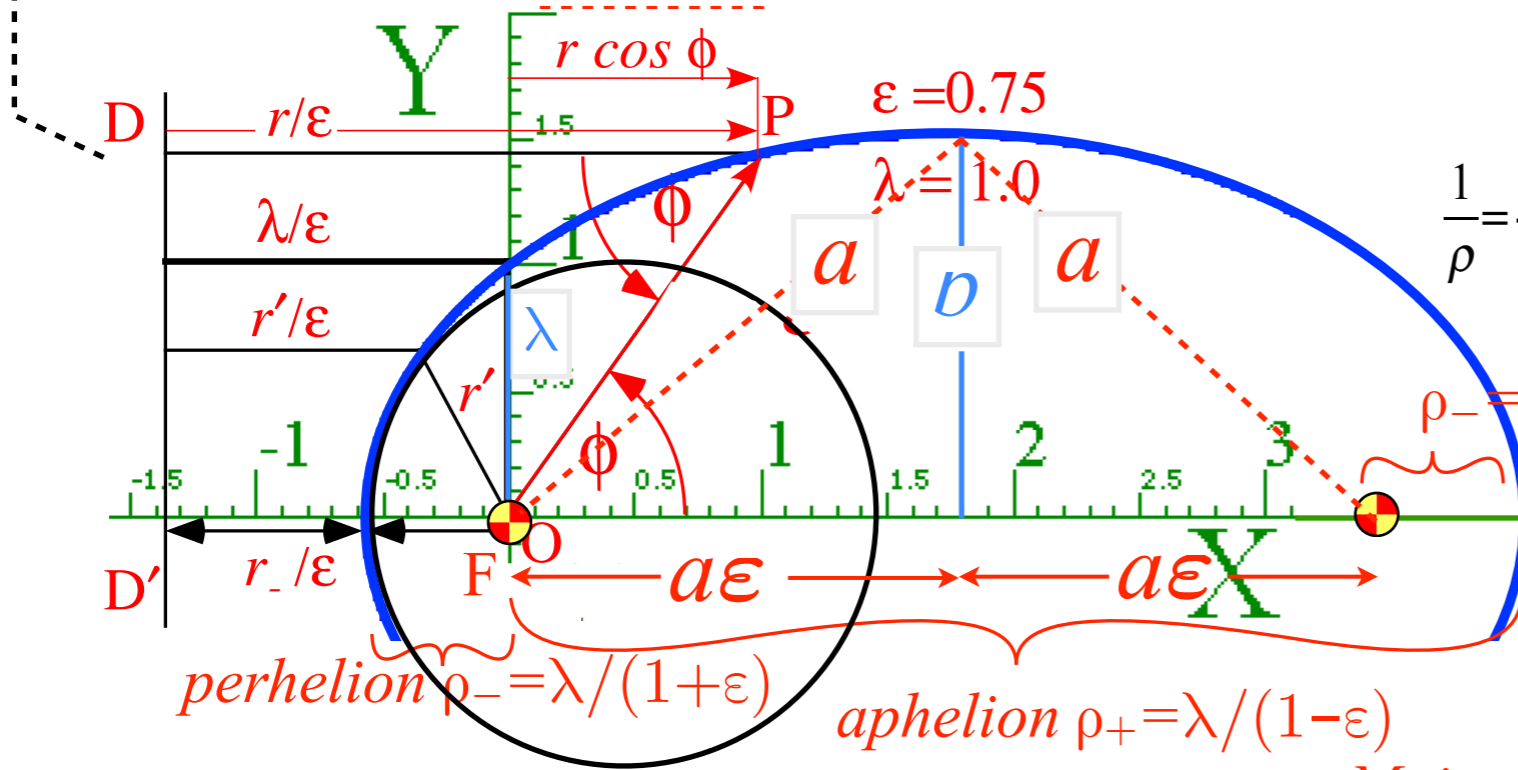
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By geometry:

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Parameter table on p.77

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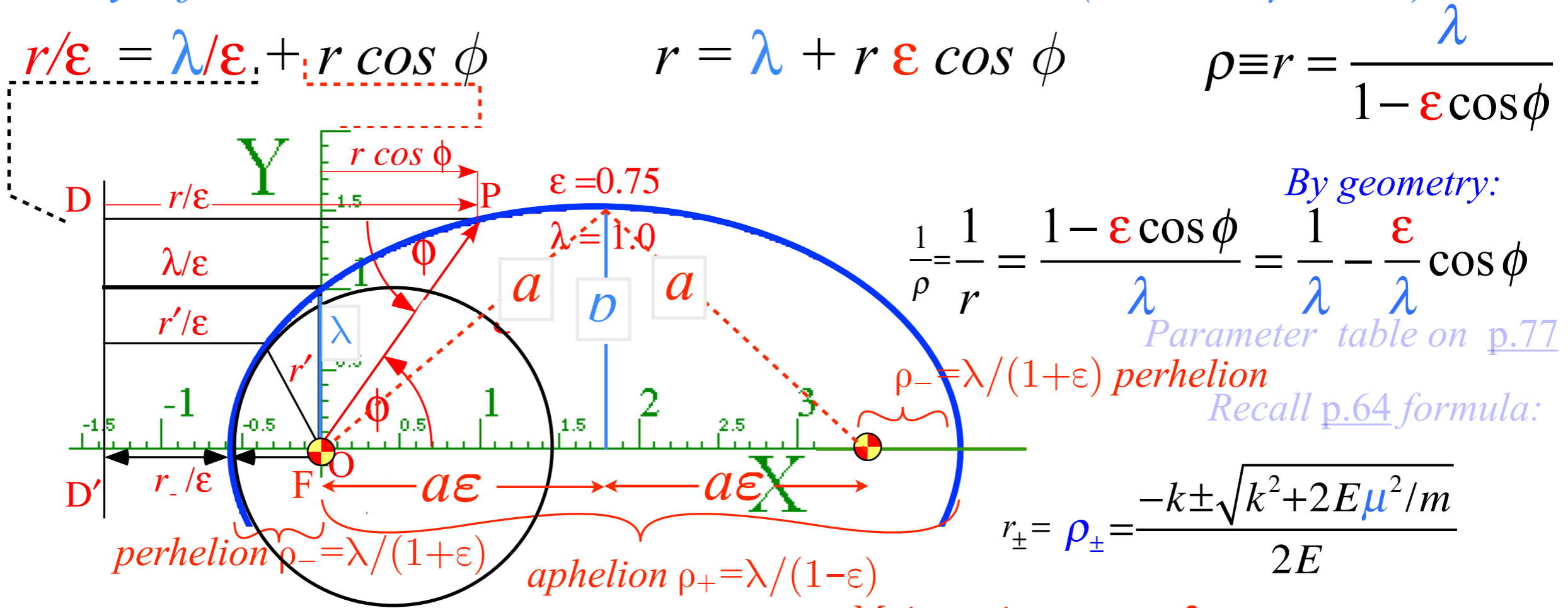
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(x,y) parameters	physical parameters	(r,ϕ) parameters
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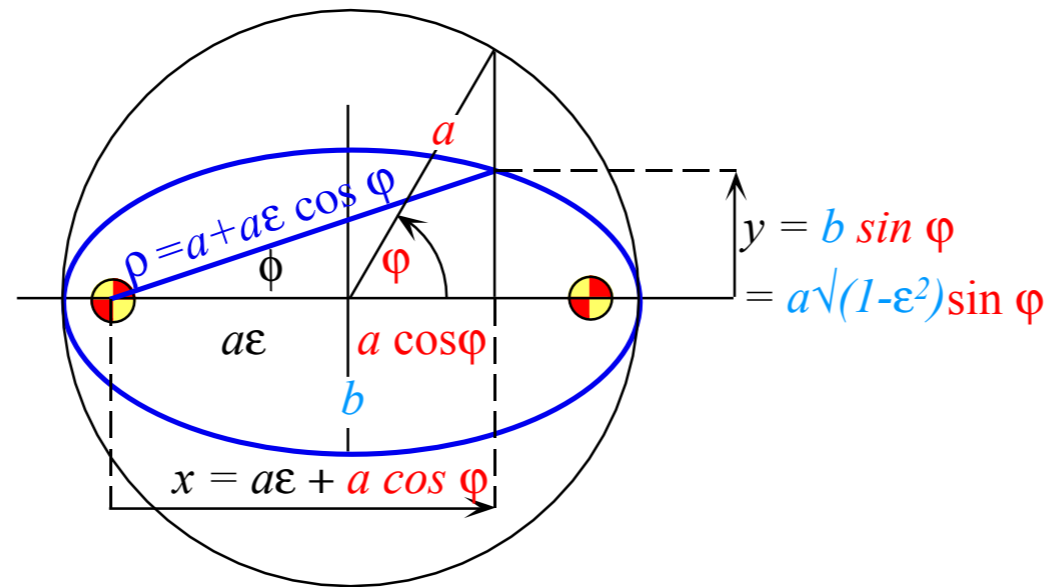
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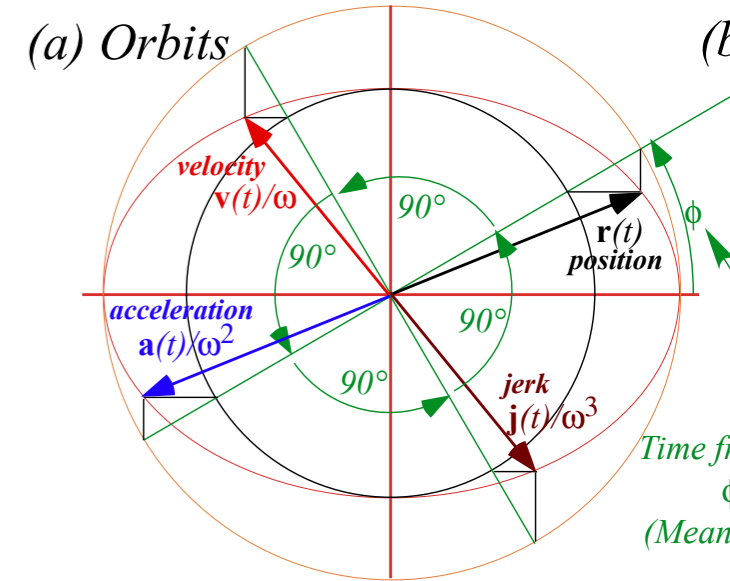
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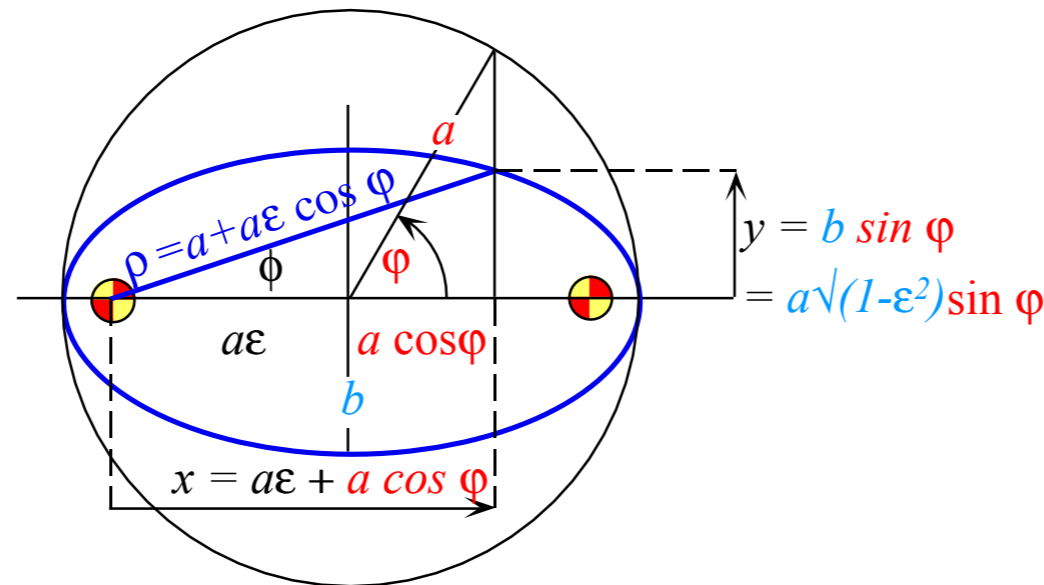
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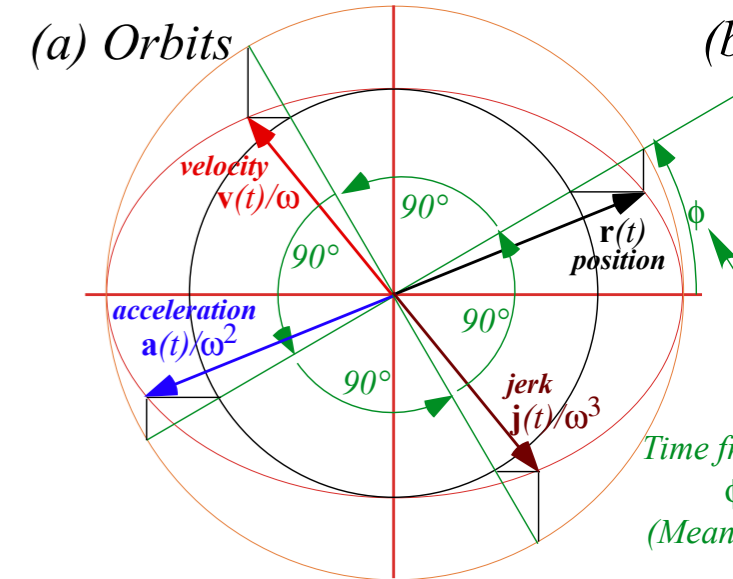
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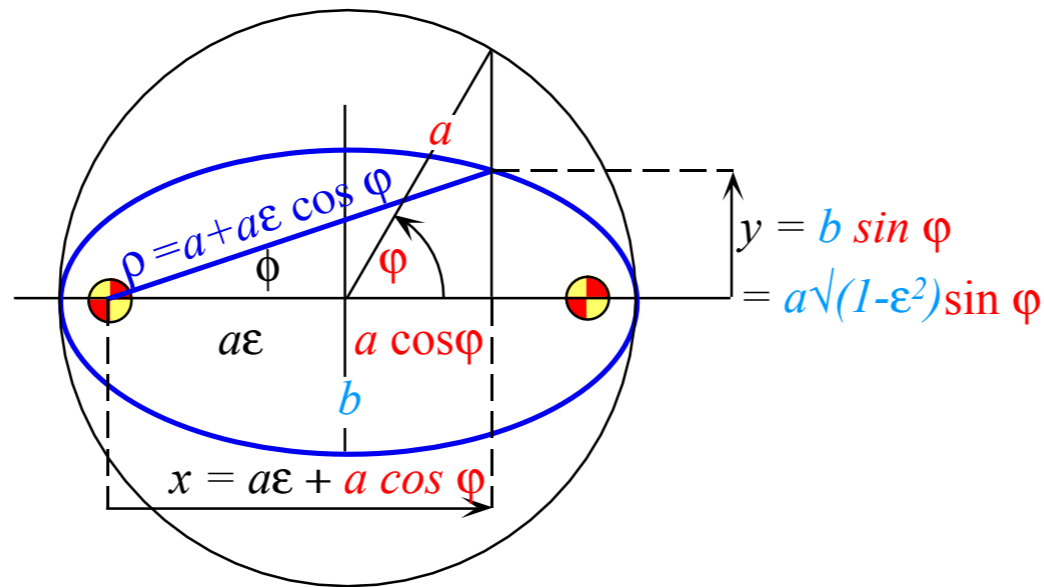
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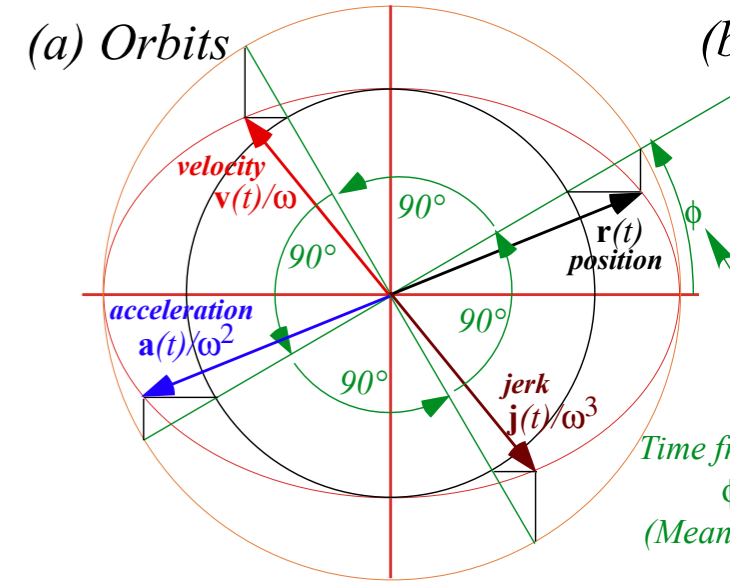
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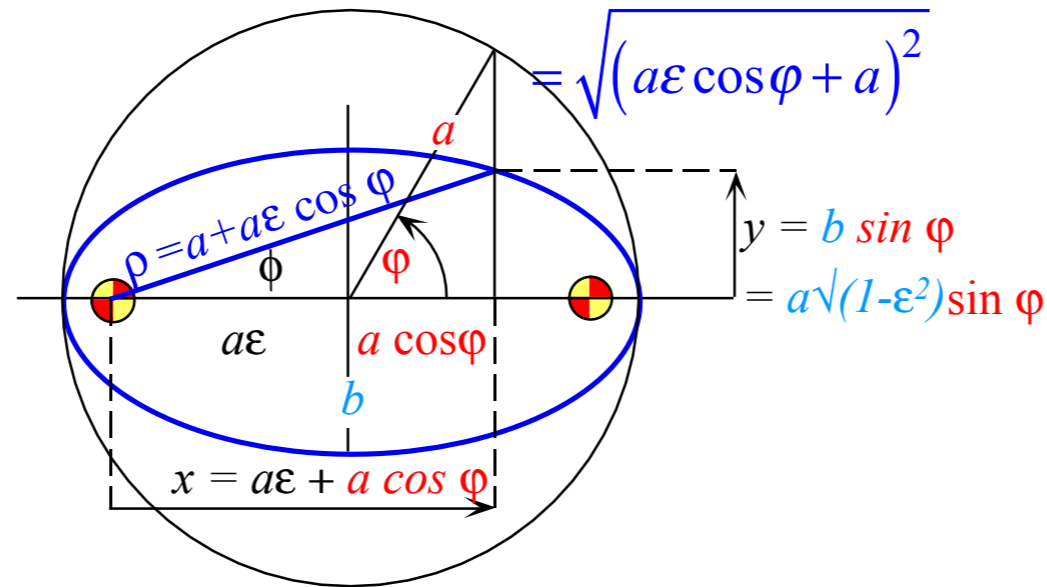
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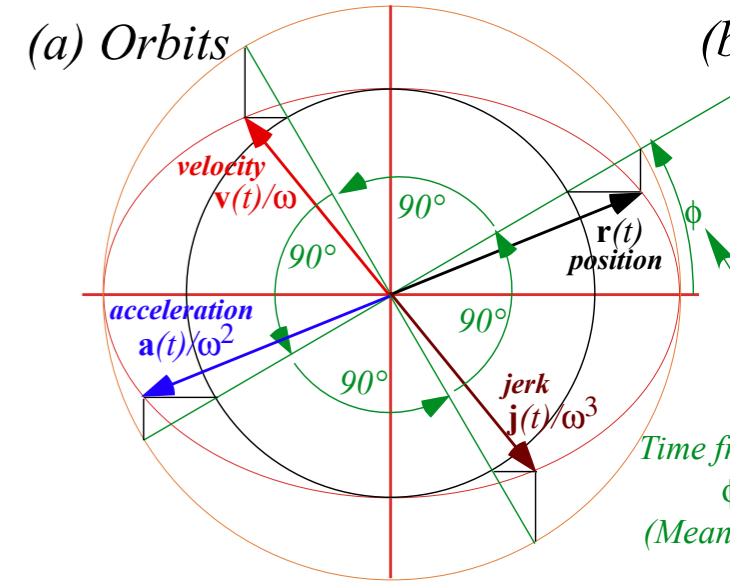
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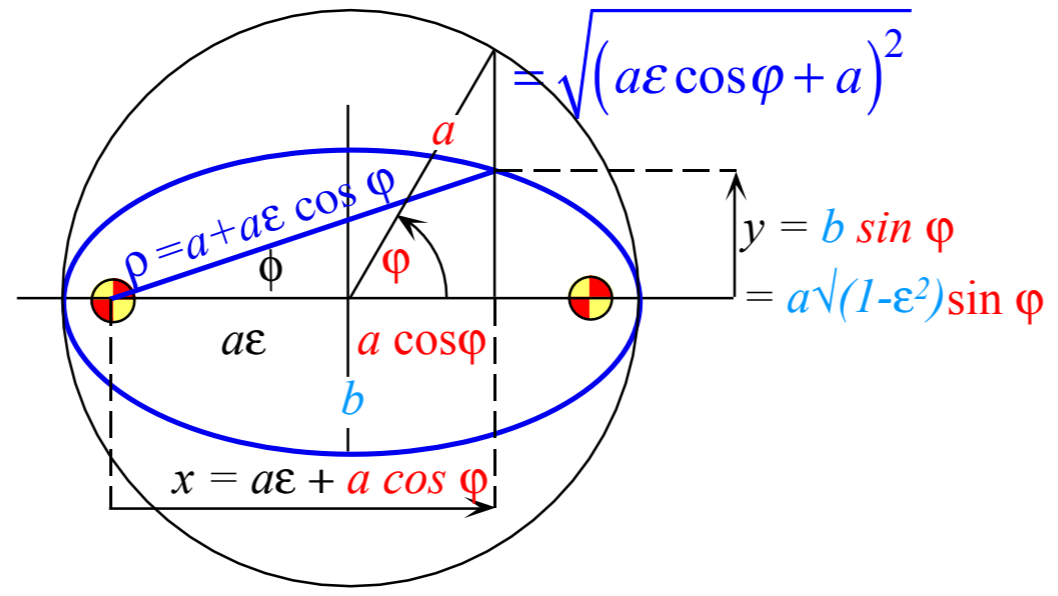
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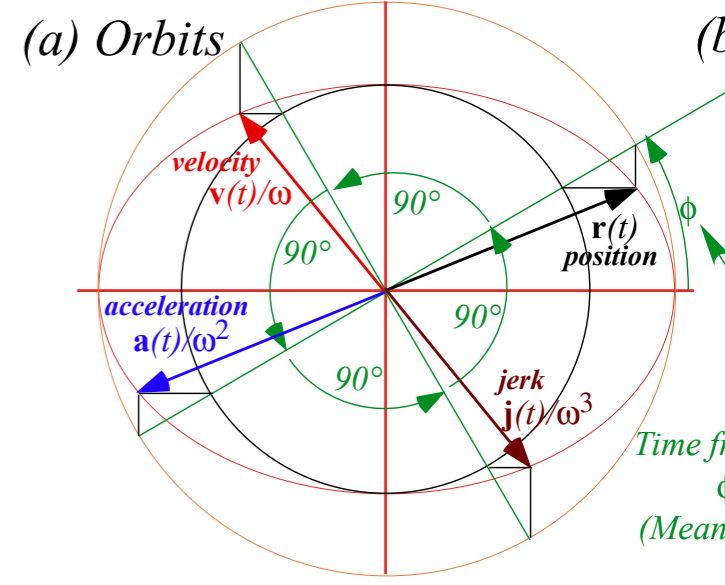
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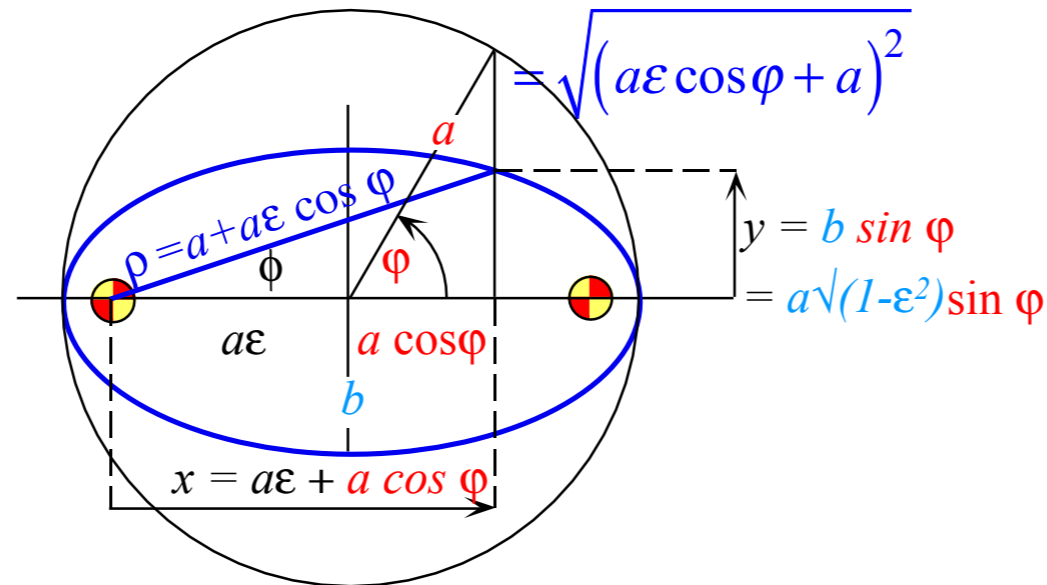
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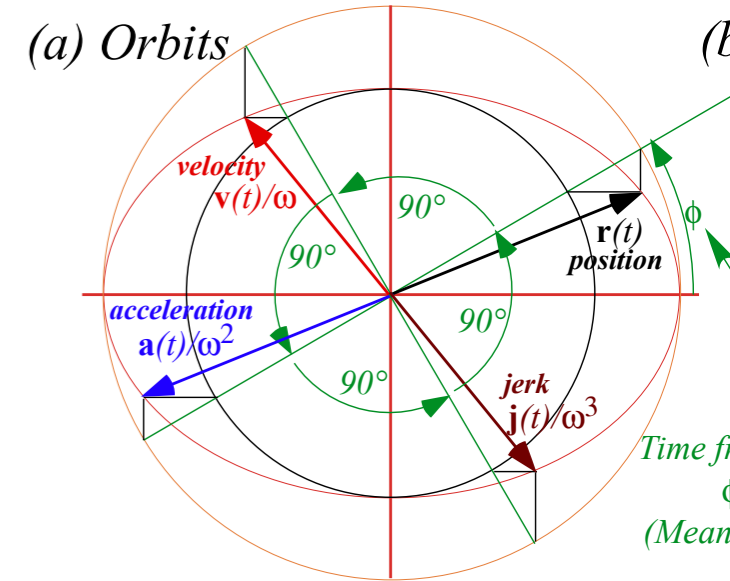
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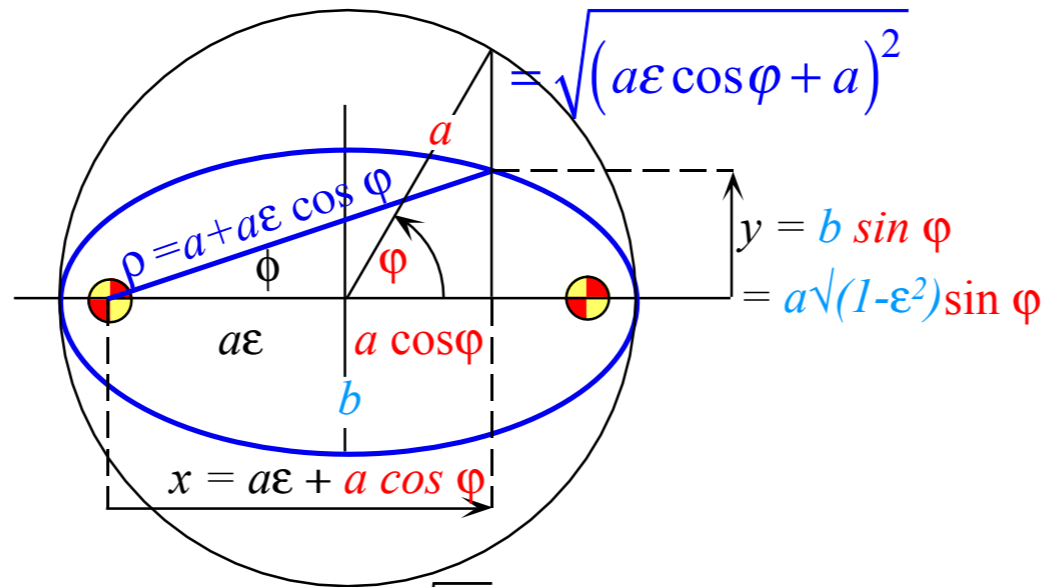
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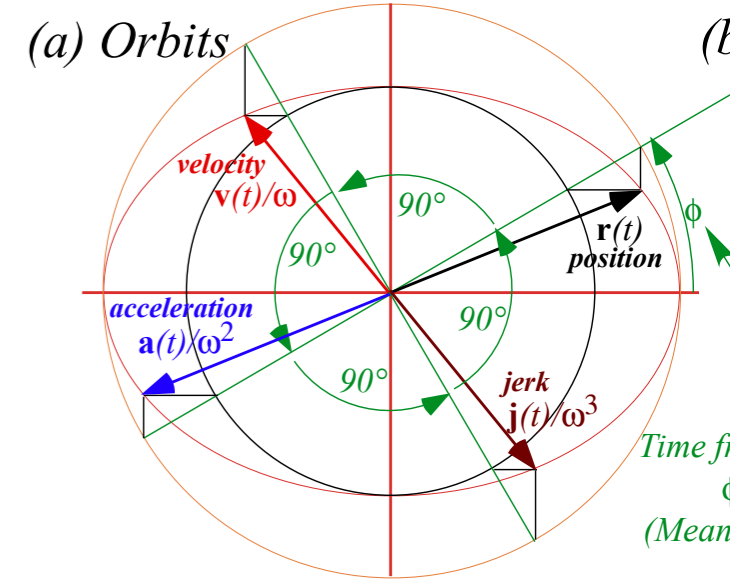
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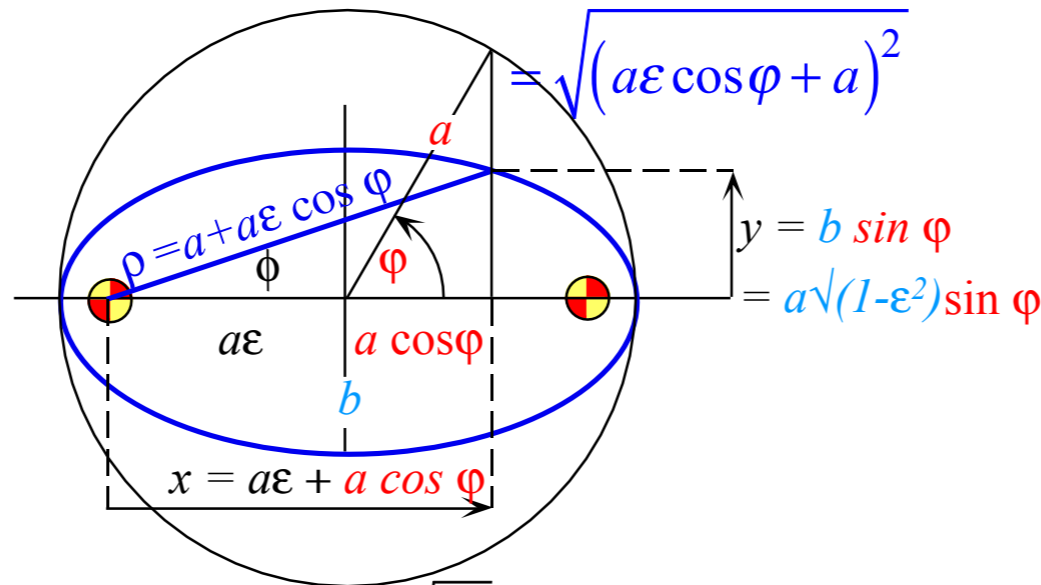
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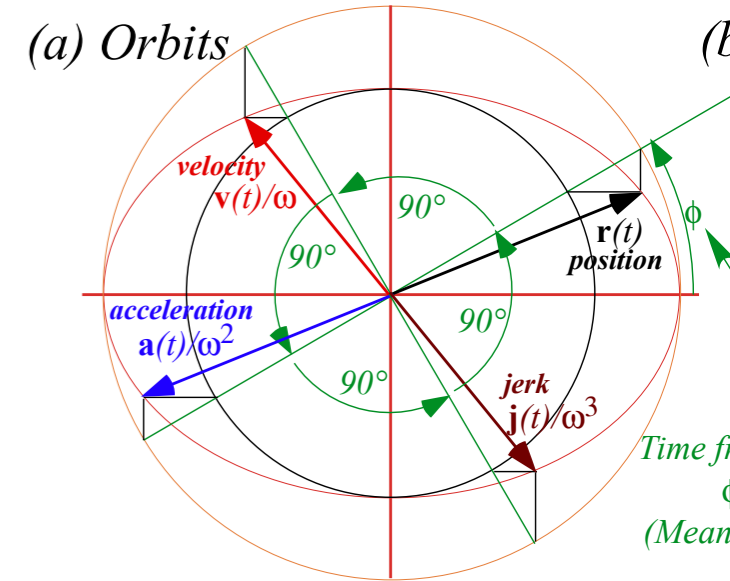
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$$t = \sqrt{\frac{m}{2k}} \int \frac{(a + a\varepsilon \cos \varphi) a \varepsilon \sin \varphi d\varphi}{\sqrt{\left(\frac{-(a + a\varepsilon \cos \varphi)^2}{2a} + a + a\varepsilon \cos \varphi - \frac{a^2(1-\varepsilon^2)}{2a}\right)}} = \sqrt{\frac{m}{2k}} \int \frac{(a + a\varepsilon \cos \varphi) a \varepsilon \sin \varphi d\varphi}{\sqrt{\left(\frac{-a^2 - 2a^2\varepsilon \cos \varphi - a^2\varepsilon^2 \cos^2 \varphi + 2a^2 + 2a^2\varepsilon \cos \varphi - a^2 + a^2\varepsilon^2}{2a}\right)}}$$

$$t = \sqrt{\frac{ma^3}{k}} \int (1 + \varepsilon \cos \varphi) d\varphi$$

Starting with KE-eff.-PE results:

$$\frac{m}{2} \dot{\rho}^2 = E - \frac{\mu^2}{2m\rho^2} - k/\rho \quad \text{or p.36:} \quad \dot{\rho} = \frac{d\rho}{dt} = \sqrt{\frac{2E}{m} - \frac{\mu^2}{m^2\rho^2} - \frac{2k}{m\rho}}$$

Kepler equation of time for Coulomb orbits

Throughout the history of astronomy a most important consideration was the timing of orbits.

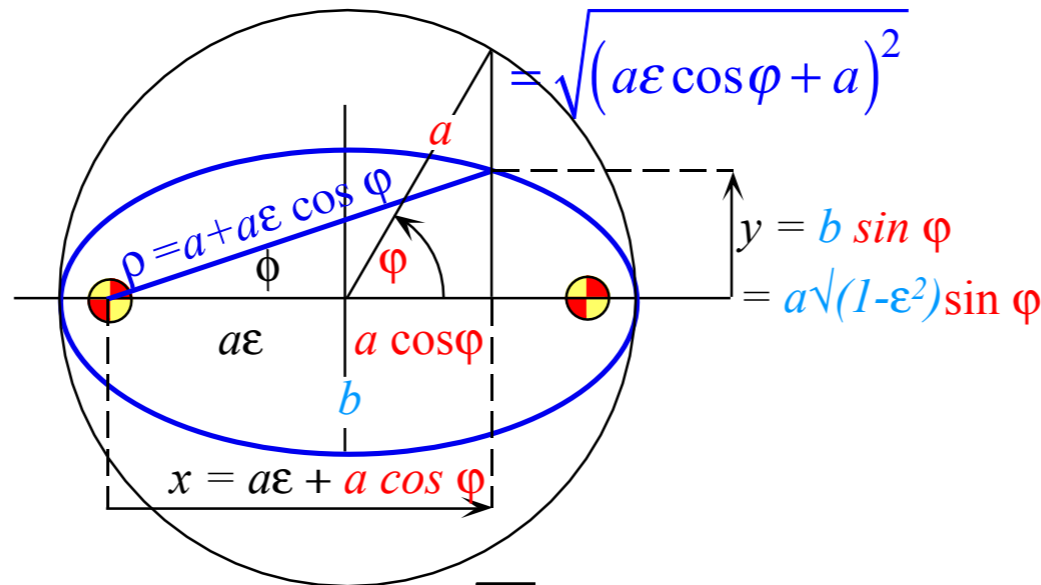
$$t_1 - t_0 = \int_{t_0}^{t_1} dt = \int_{\rho_0}^{\rho_1} \frac{d\rho}{\sqrt{\left(\frac{2E}{m} - \frac{\mu^2}{m^2\rho^2} + \frac{2k}{m\rho}\right)}} = \sqrt{\frac{m}{2k}} \int_{\rho_0}^{\rho_1} \frac{\rho d\rho}{\sqrt{\left(\frac{E}{k}\rho^2 + \rho - \frac{\mu^2}{2km}\right)}} = \sqrt{\frac{m}{2k}} \int_{\rho_{apogee}}^{\rho_{perigee}} \frac{-\rho d\rho}{\sqrt{\left(\frac{-1}{2a}\rho^2 + \rho - \frac{b^2}{2a}\right)}}$$

$$x = a\varepsilon + a \cos \varphi, \quad y = a\sqrt{1-\varepsilon^2} \sin \varphi,$$

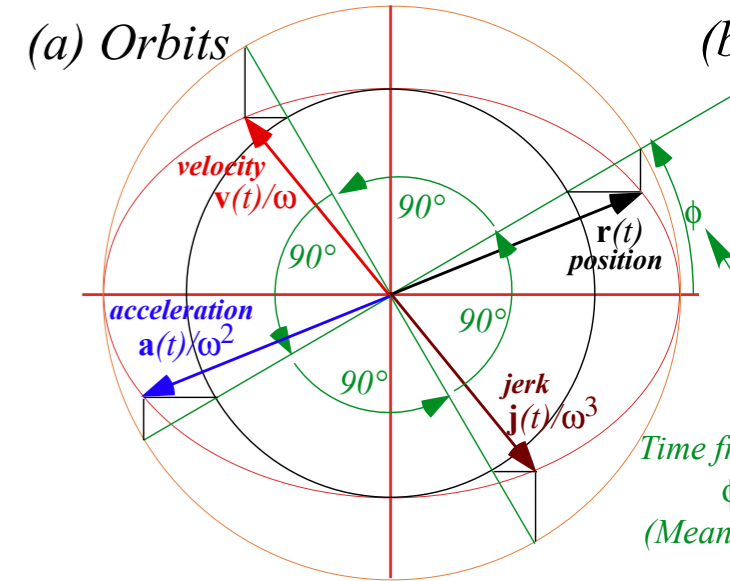
$$\rho = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = \sqrt{a^2\varepsilon^2 + 2a^2\varepsilon \cos \varphi + a^2 \cos^2 \varphi + a^2 \sin^2 \varphi - a^2\varepsilon^2 \sin^2 \varphi}$$

$$= \sqrt{a^2\varepsilon^2 - a^2\varepsilon^2 \sin^2 \varphi + 2a^2\varepsilon \cos \varphi + a^2} = \sqrt{a^2\varepsilon^2 \cos^2 \varphi + 2a^2\varepsilon \cos \varphi + a^2}$$

$$\rho = a(1 + \varepsilon \cos \varphi)$$



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$$t = \sqrt{\frac{ma^3}{k}} \int (1 + \varepsilon \cos \varphi) d\varphi = \sqrt{\frac{ma^3}{k}} (\varphi + \varepsilon \sin \varphi)$$

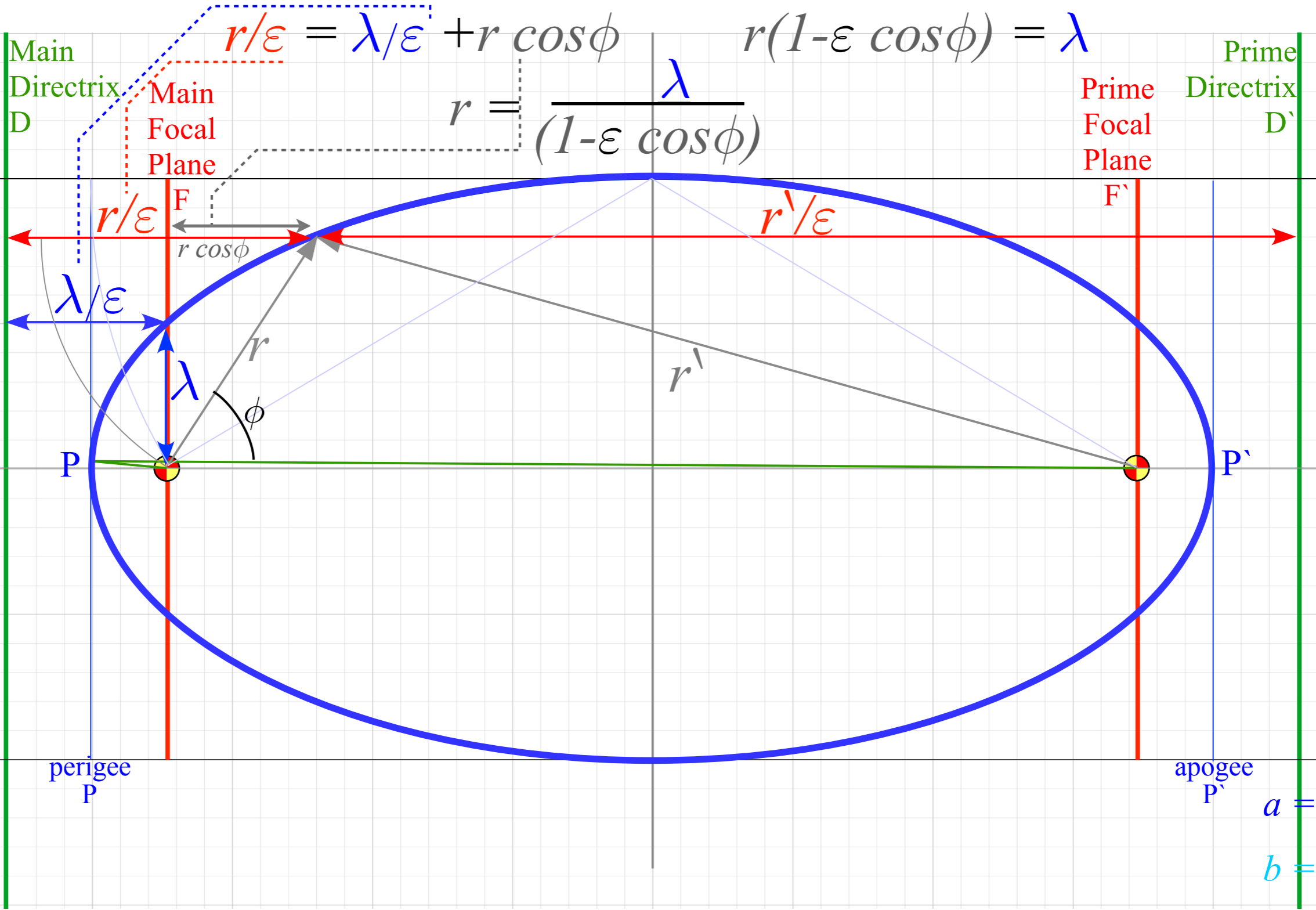
Kepler's equations
of orbital time

$$\text{Orbit Period} = T = \frac{2\pi}{\omega_\varphi} = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{ma^3}{k}}$$

Geometry and Symmetry of Coulomb orbits

➔ *Detailed elliptic geometry*

Detailed hyperbolic geometry



$$r/\epsilon = \lambda/\epsilon + r \cos\phi$$

$$r(1 - \epsilon \cos\phi) = \lambda$$

$$r = \frac{\lambda}{(1 - \epsilon \cos\phi)}$$

perigee
P

apogee
P'

$$a = 4$$

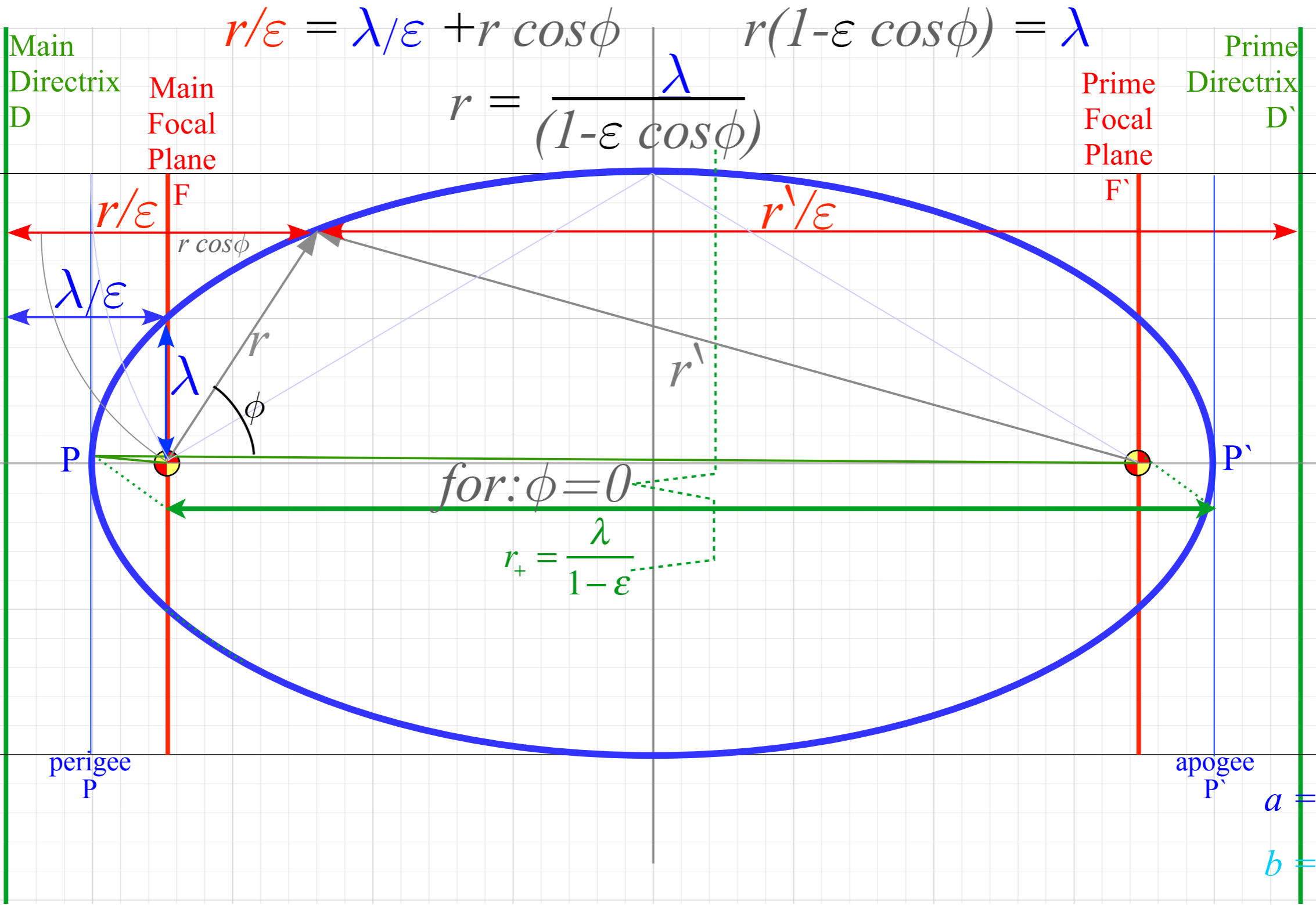
$$b = 2$$

$$\epsilon = \sqrt{3}/2$$

$$\lambda = 1$$

$$\epsilon^2 = 1 - b^2/a^2$$

$$\lambda = a(1 - \epsilon^2)$$



$$a = 4$$

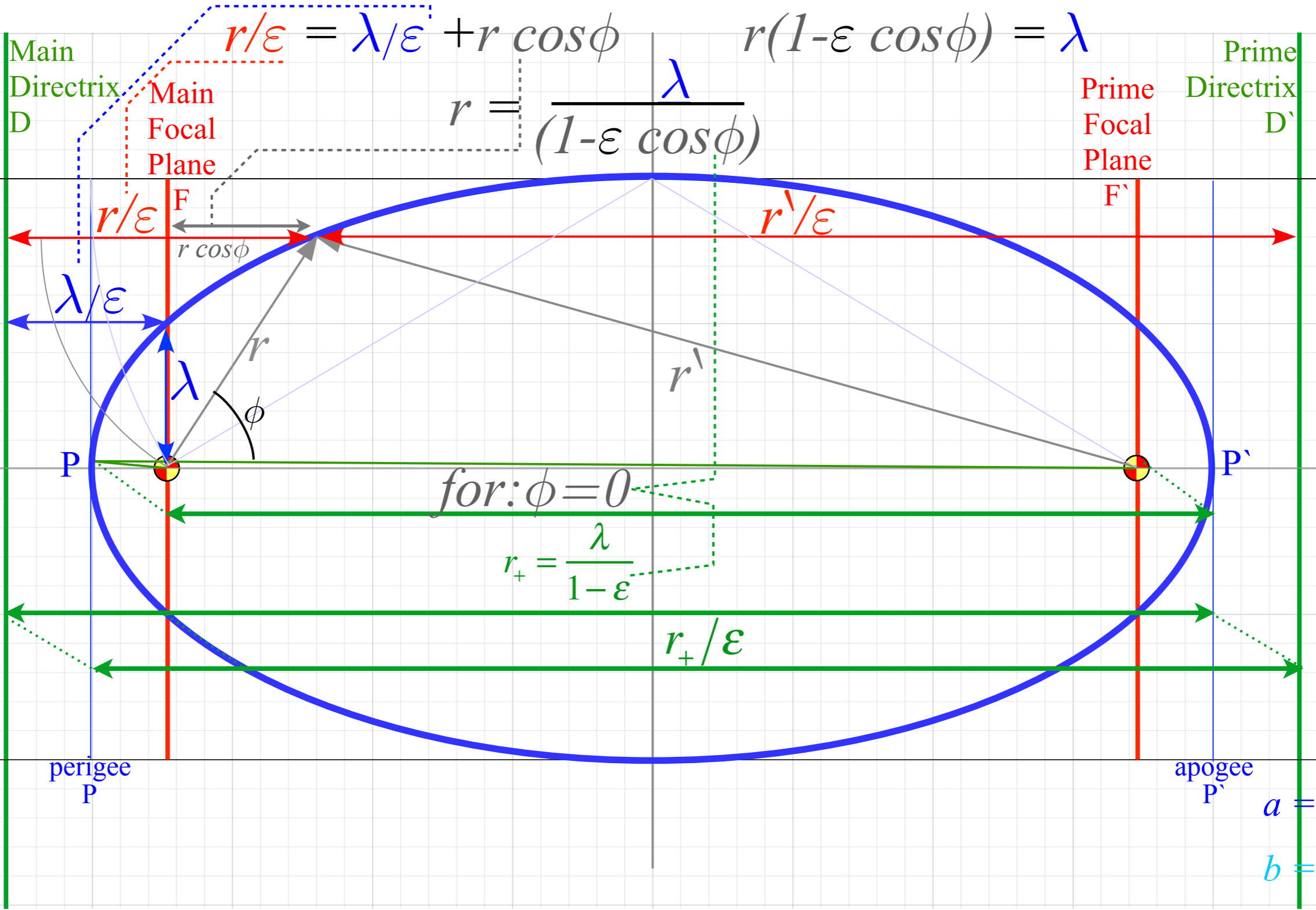
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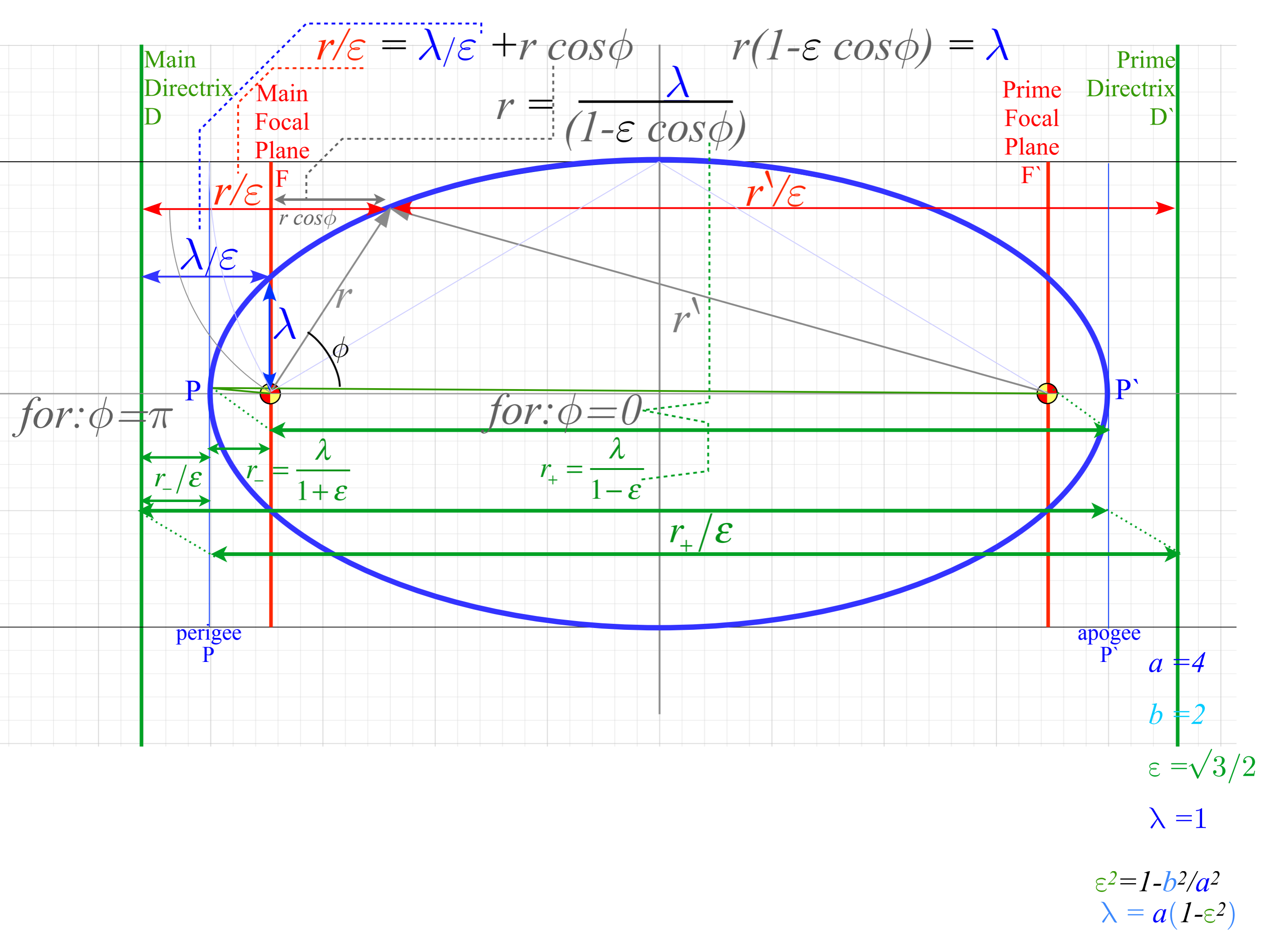
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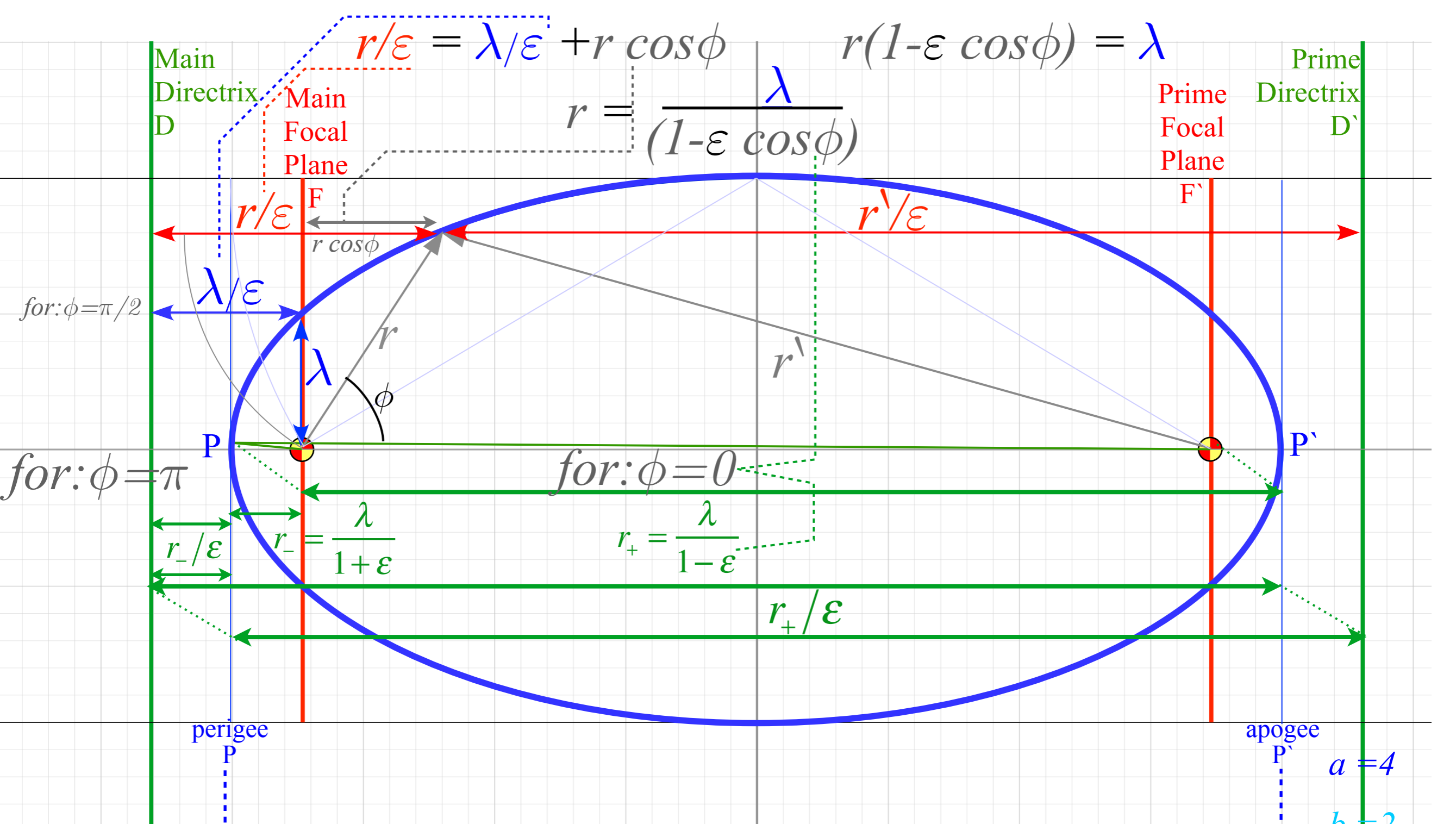
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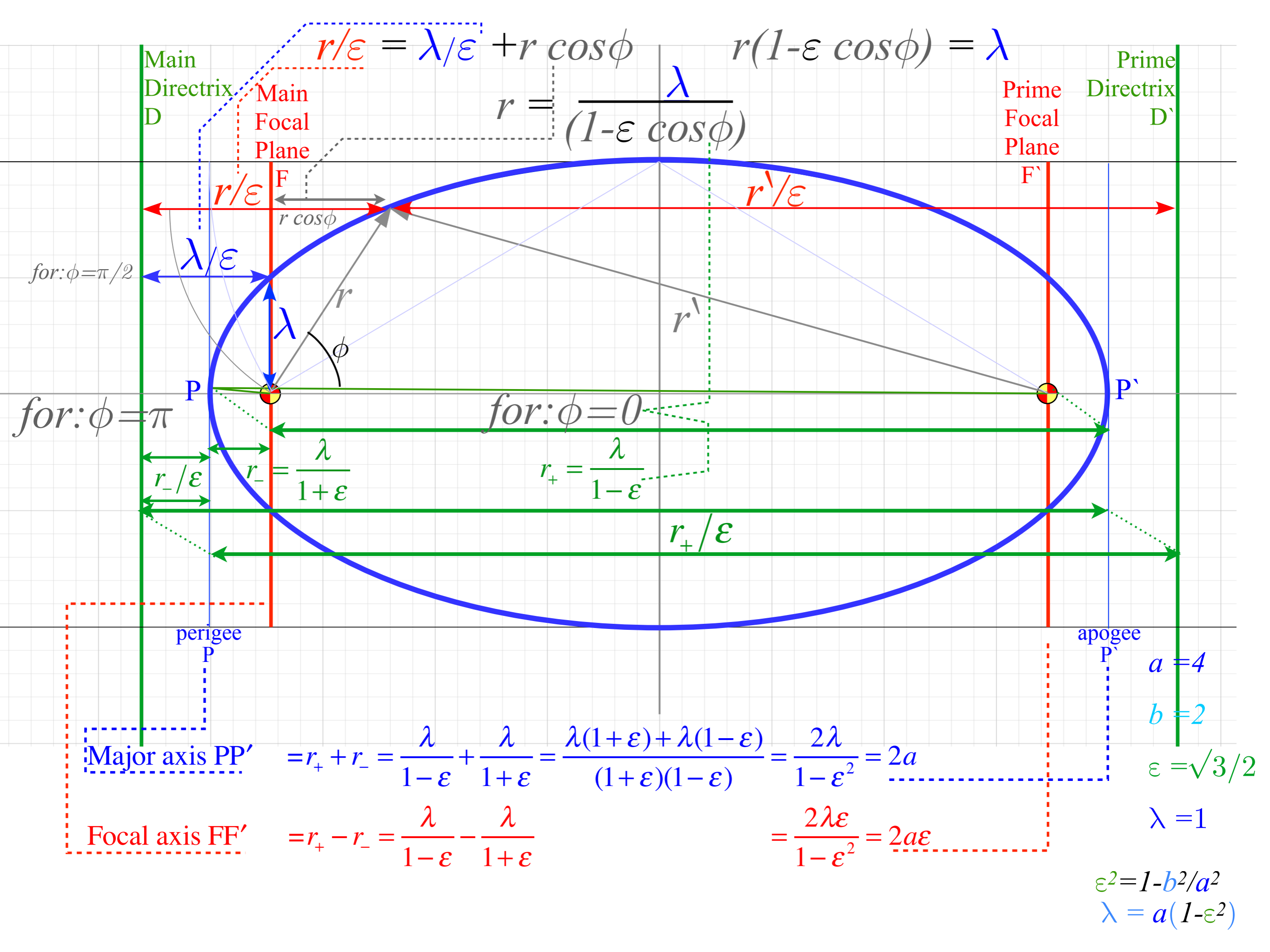
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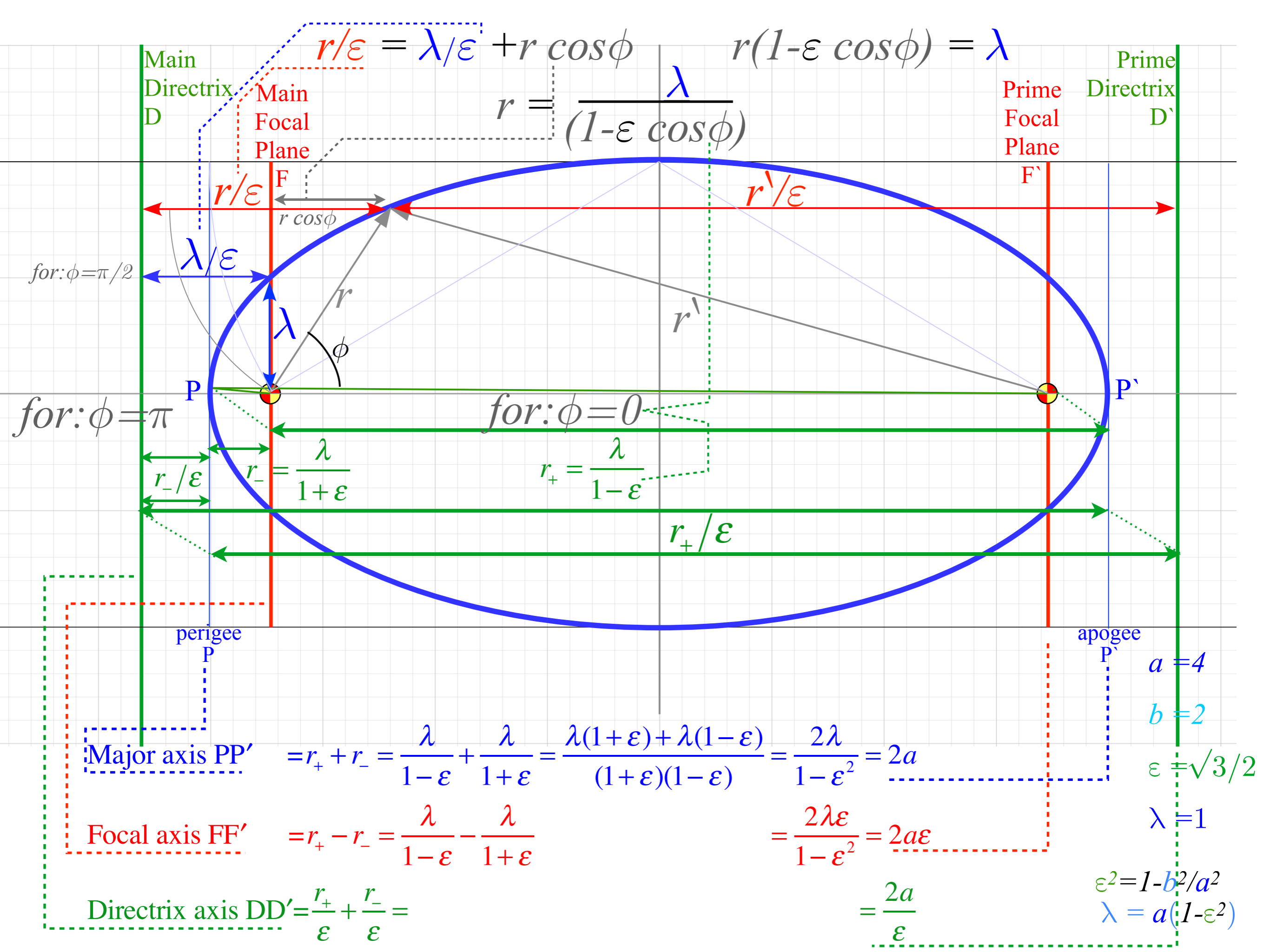
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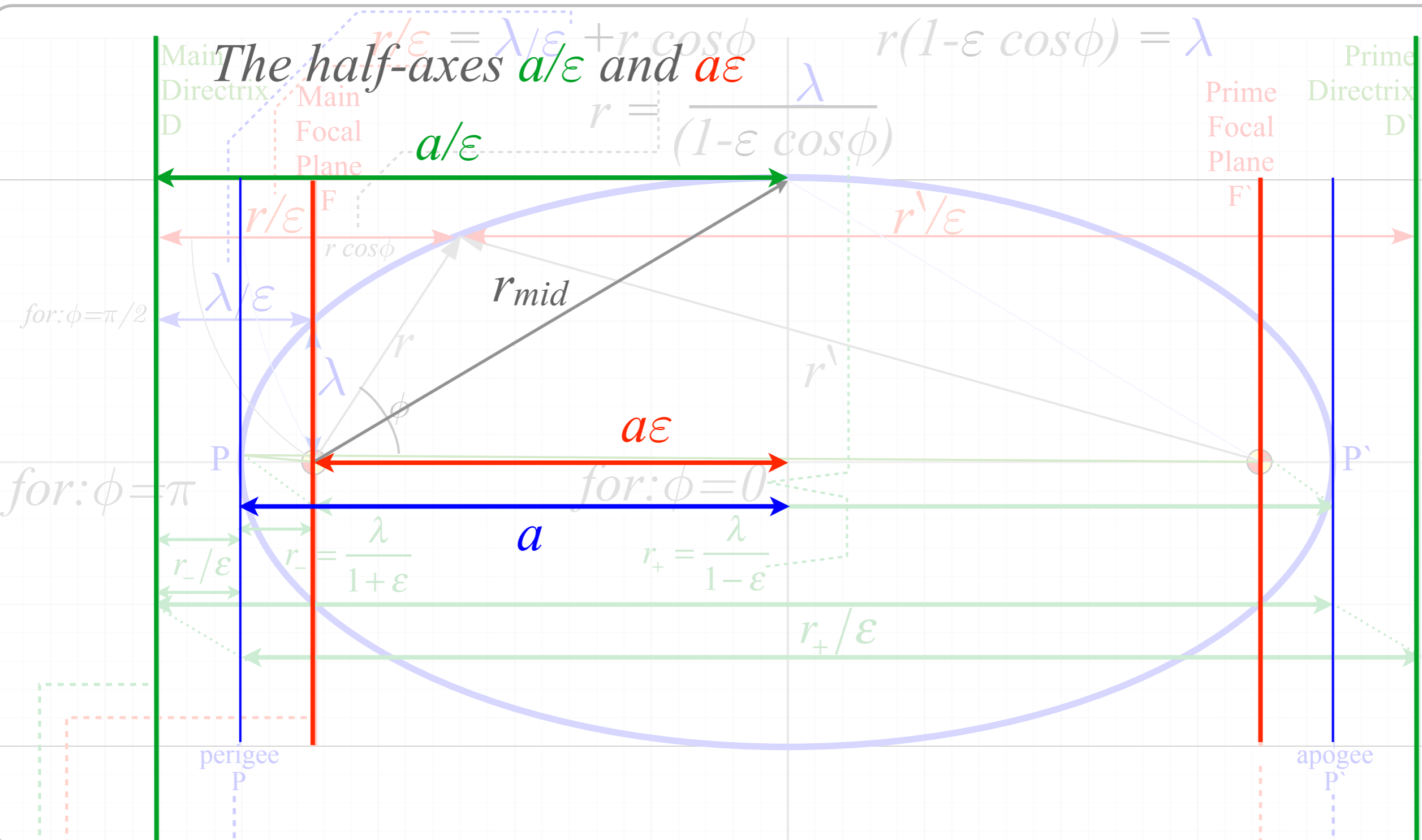
$\epsilon = \sqrt{3}/2$

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$\epsilon^2 = 1 - b^2/a^2$
 $\lambda = a(1 - \epsilon^2)$







The half-axes a/ϵ and $a\epsilon$

$$r/\epsilon = \frac{\lambda}{\epsilon} + r \cos \phi \quad r(1 - \epsilon \cos \phi) = \lambda$$

$$r = \frac{\lambda}{(1 - \epsilon \cos \phi)}$$

for: $\phi = \pi/2$

for: $\phi = \pi$

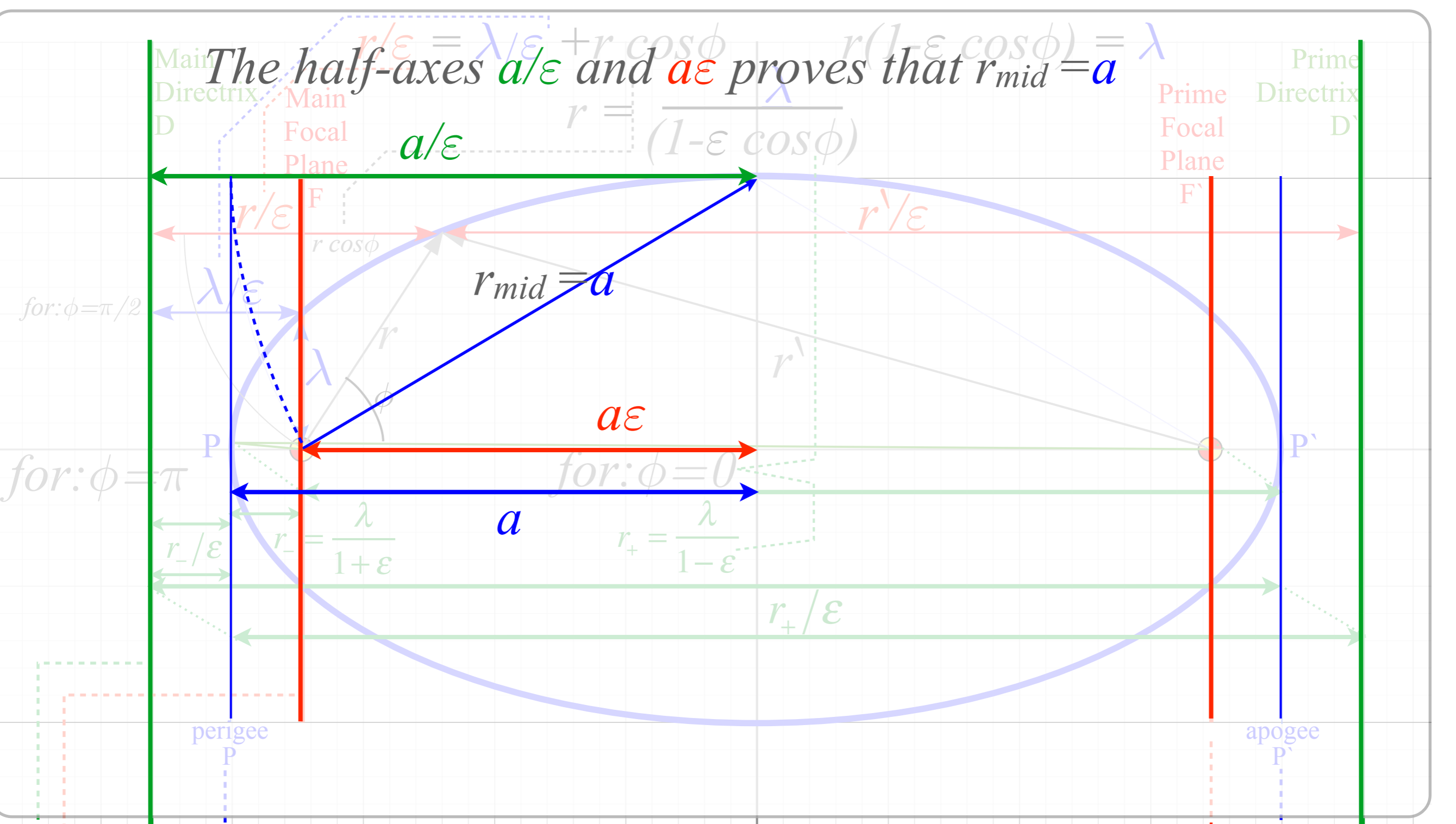
for: $\phi = 0$

Major axis PP' $= r_+ + r_- = \frac{2\lambda}{1 - \epsilon^2} = 2a$

Focal axis FF' $= r_+ - r_- = \frac{2\lambda\epsilon}{1 - \epsilon^2} = 2a\epsilon$

Directrix axis DD' $= \frac{r_+}{\epsilon} + \frac{r_-}{\epsilon} = \frac{2a}{\epsilon}$

The half-axes a/ϵ and $a\epsilon$ proves that $r_{mid} = a$

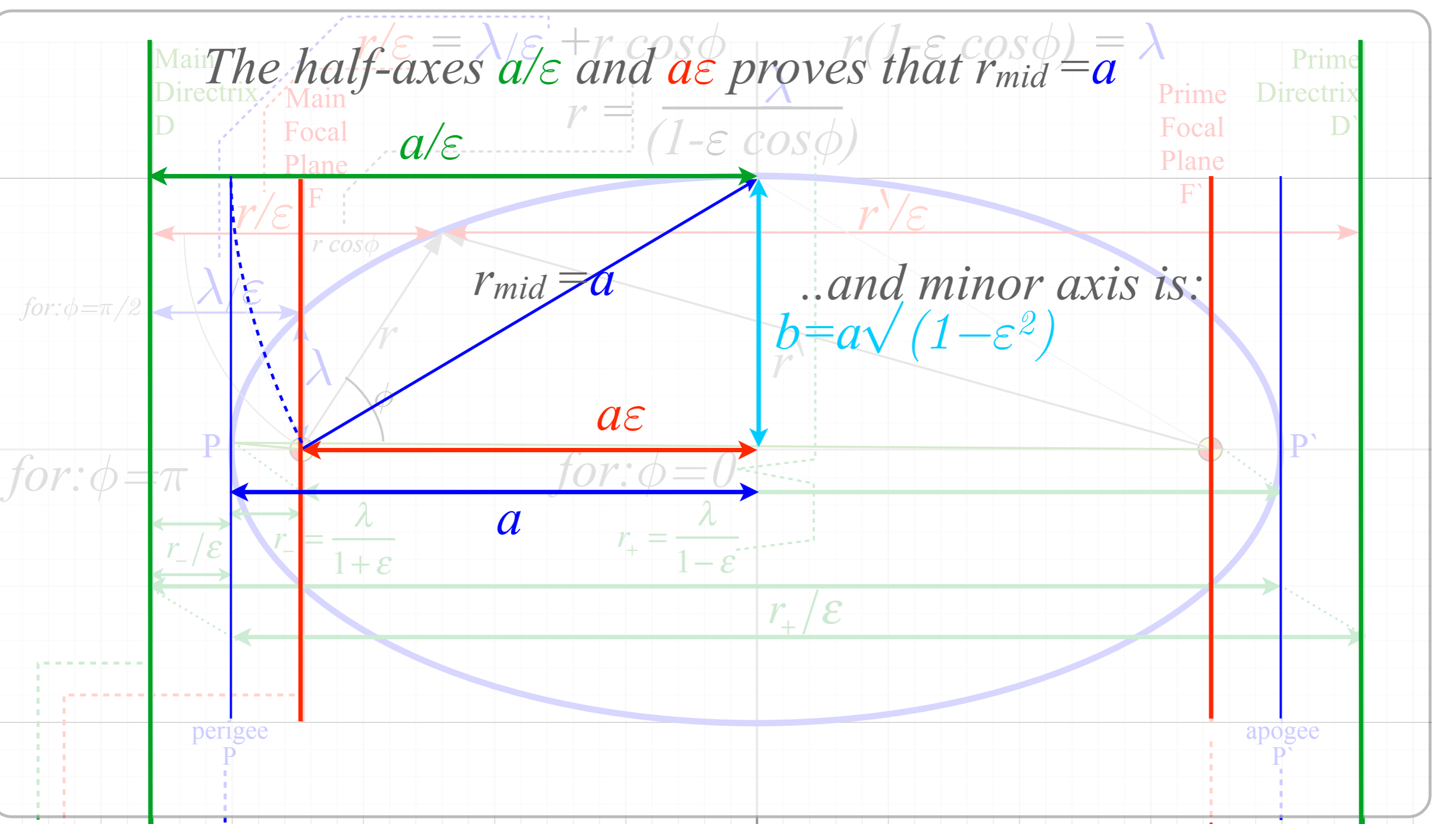


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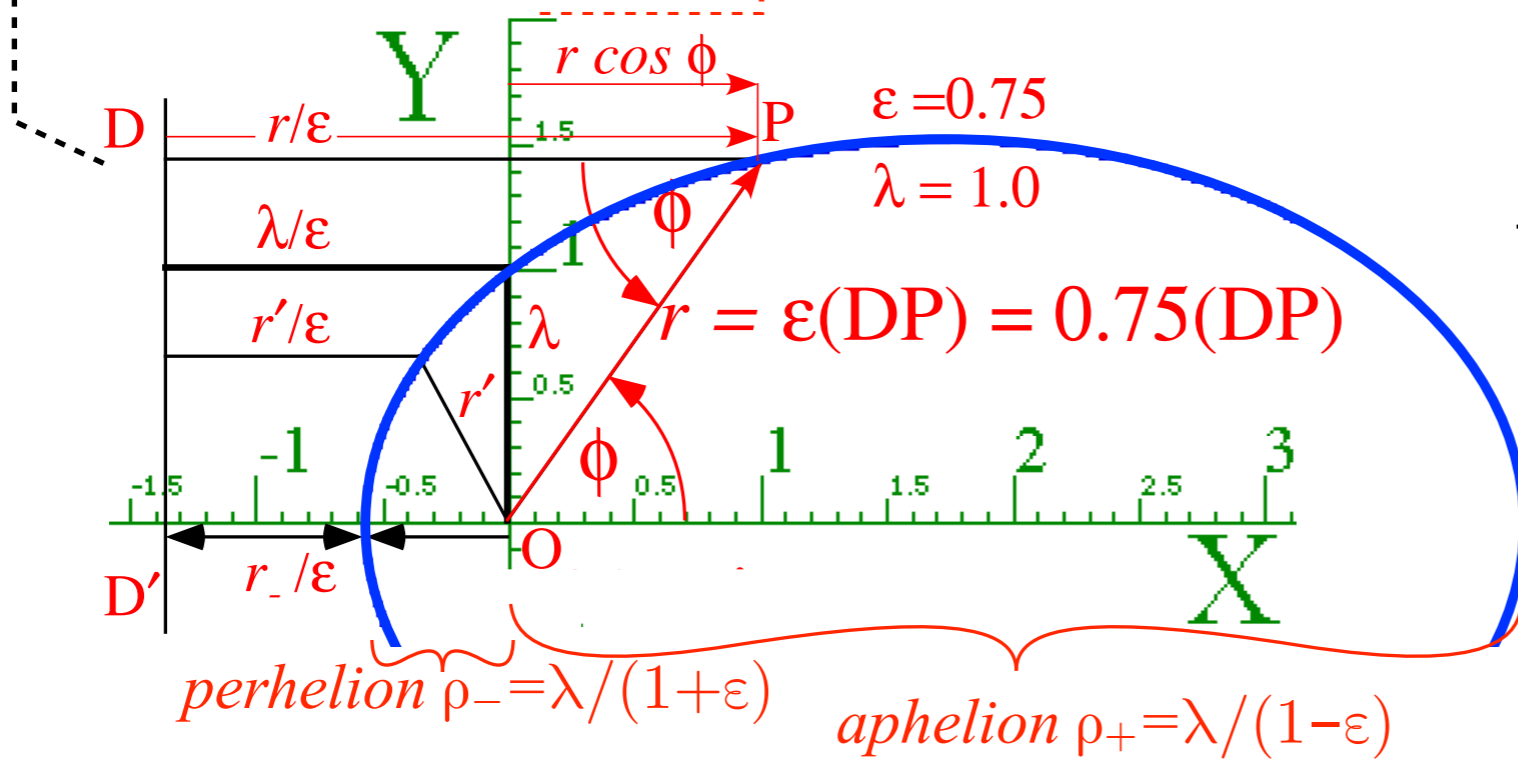
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Geometry of Coulomb conic section orbits (Let: $r = \rho$ here)

$$r/\epsilon = \lambda/\epsilon + r \cos \phi$$

$$r = \lambda + r \epsilon \cos \phi$$

$$r = \frac{\lambda}{1 - \epsilon \cos \phi}$$

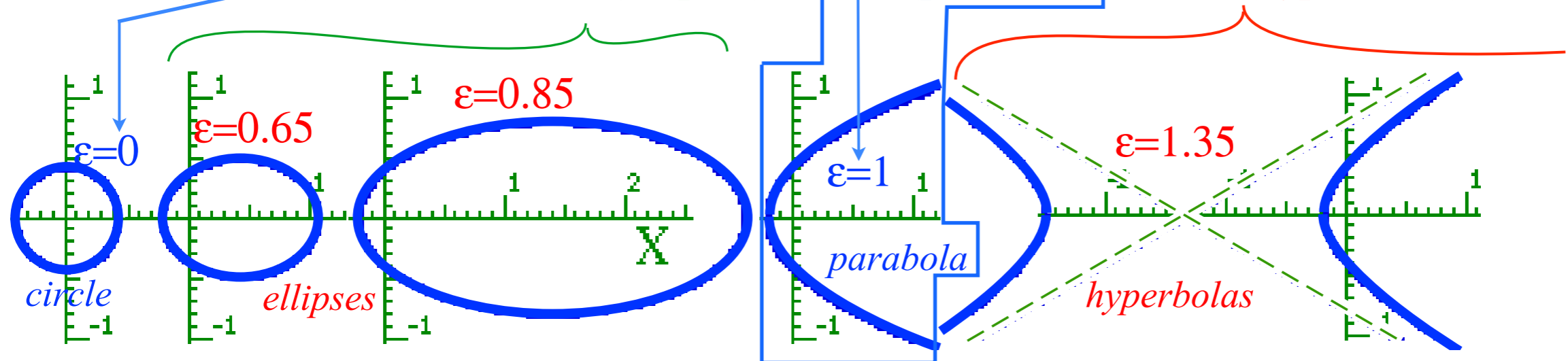


$$\frac{1}{r} = \frac{1 - \epsilon \cos \phi}{\lambda} = \frac{1}{\lambda} - \frac{\epsilon}{\lambda} \cos \phi$$

$$\frac{1}{\rho} = \frac{-k}{\mu^2/m} + \frac{\sqrt{k^2 + 2E\mu^2/m}}{\mu^2/m} \cos \phi$$

Becoming more and more eccentric...

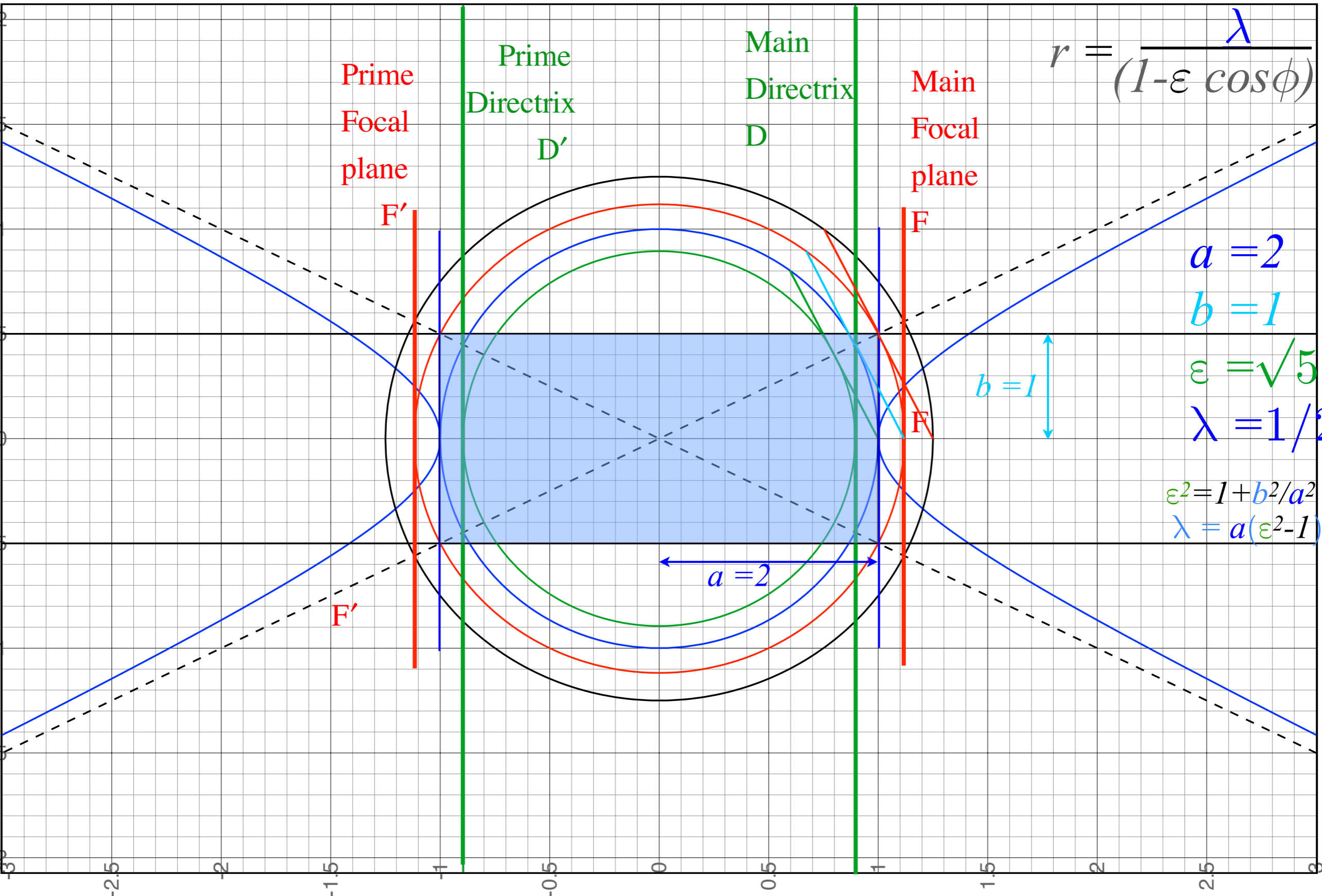
Eccentricity $\epsilon=0$ (circle) to $0 < \epsilon < 1$ (ellipses) to $\epsilon=1$ (parabola) to $\epsilon > 1$ (hyperbolas)



Geometry and Symmetry of Coulomb orbits

Detailed elliptic geometry

➔ *Detailed hyperbolic geometry*



$$r = \frac{\lambda}{(1 - \epsilon \cos \phi)}$$

$$a = 2$$

$$b = 1$$

$$\epsilon = \sqrt{5}/2$$

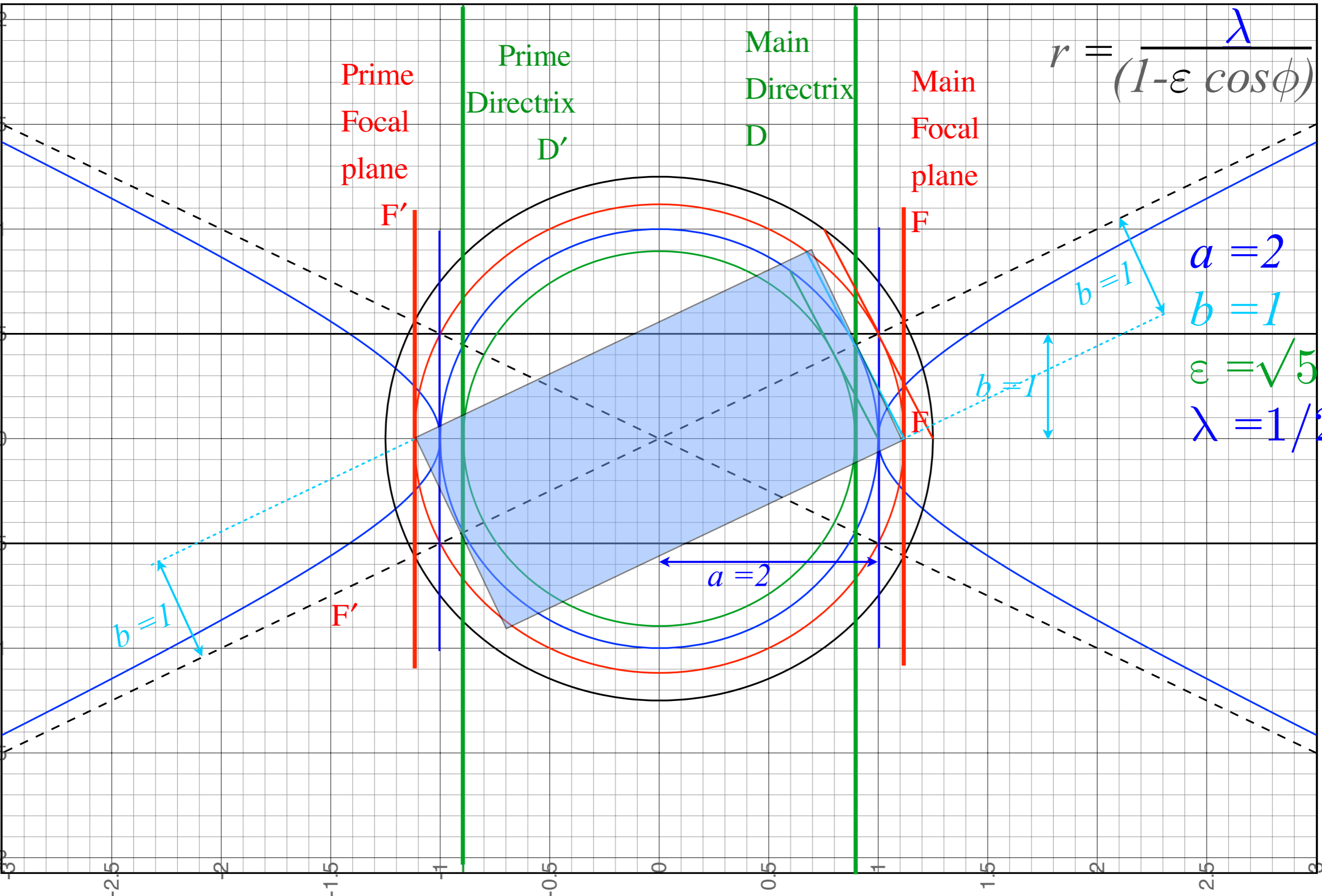
$$\lambda = 1/2$$

$$\epsilon^2 = 1 + b^2/a^2$$

$$\lambda = a(\epsilon^2 - 1)$$

$a = 2$

$b = 1$



Prime
Focal
plane

F'

Prime
Directrix
D'

Main
Directrix
D

Main
Focal
plane

F

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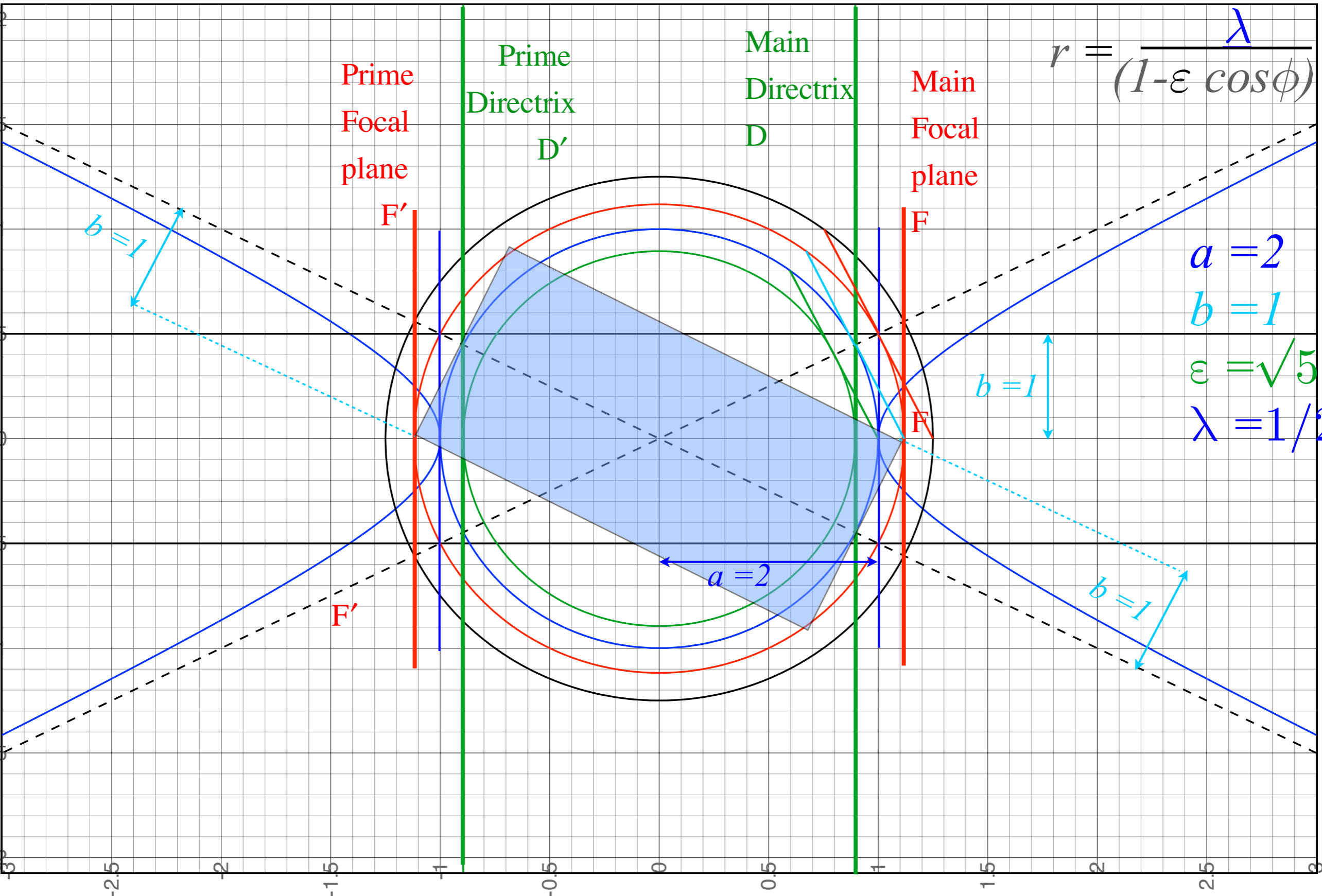
$b = 1$

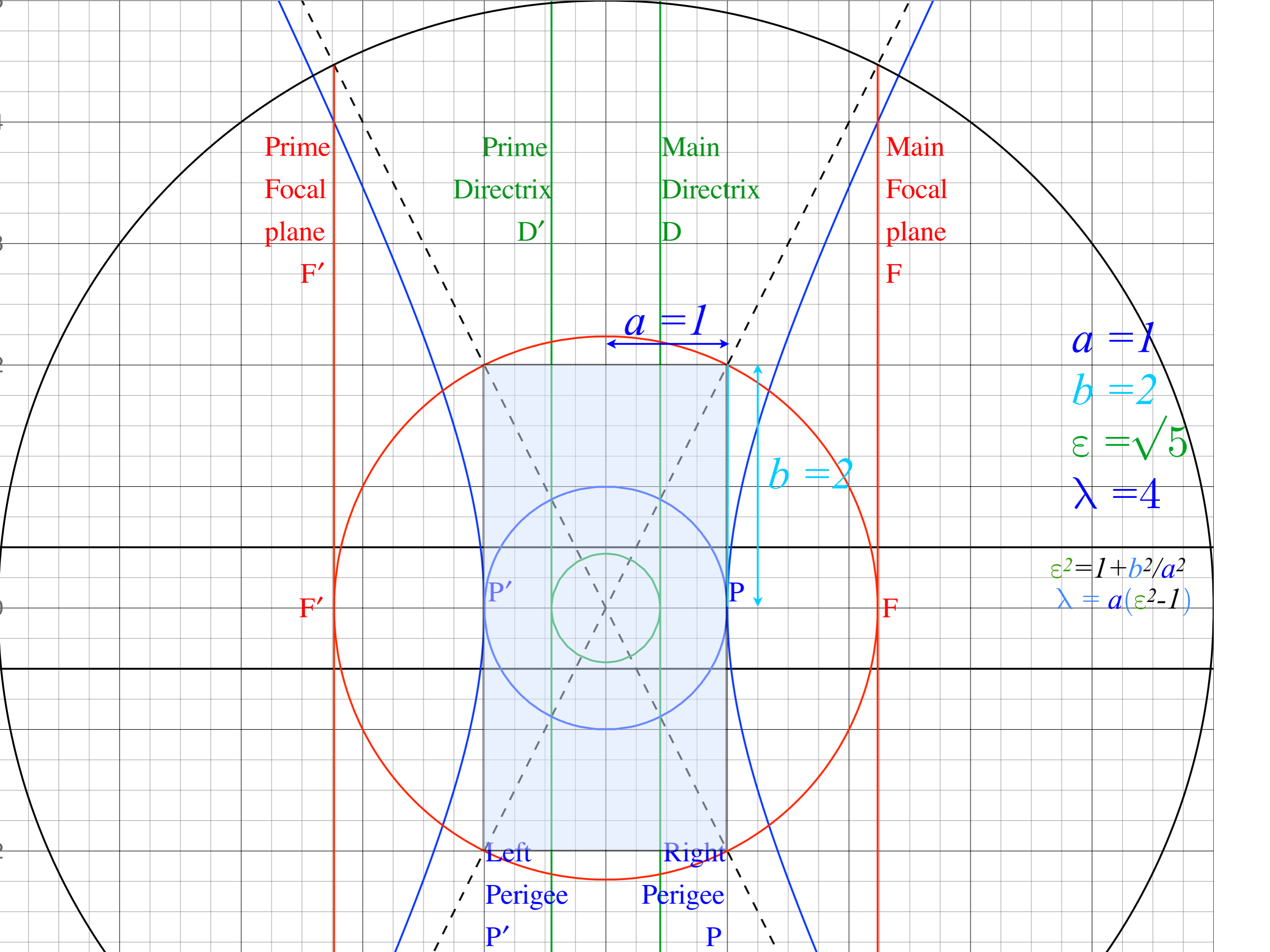
$b = 1$

$b = 1$

F'

F





Prime
Focal
plane
F'

Prime
Directrix
D'

Main
Directrix
D

Main
Focal
plane
F

$a = 1$

$b = 2$

$a = 1$

$b = 2$

$\epsilon = \sqrt{5}$

$\lambda = 4$

F'

P'

P

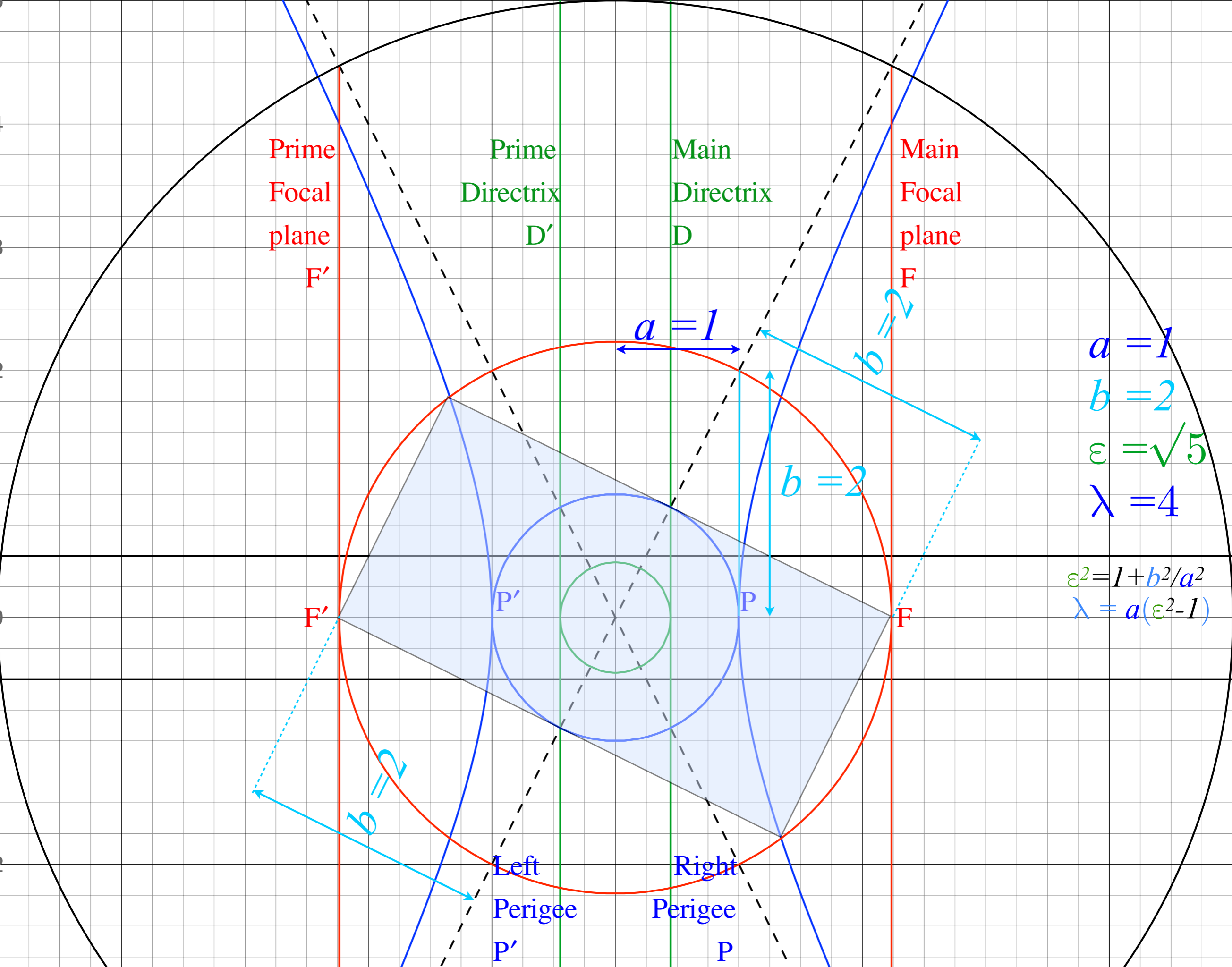
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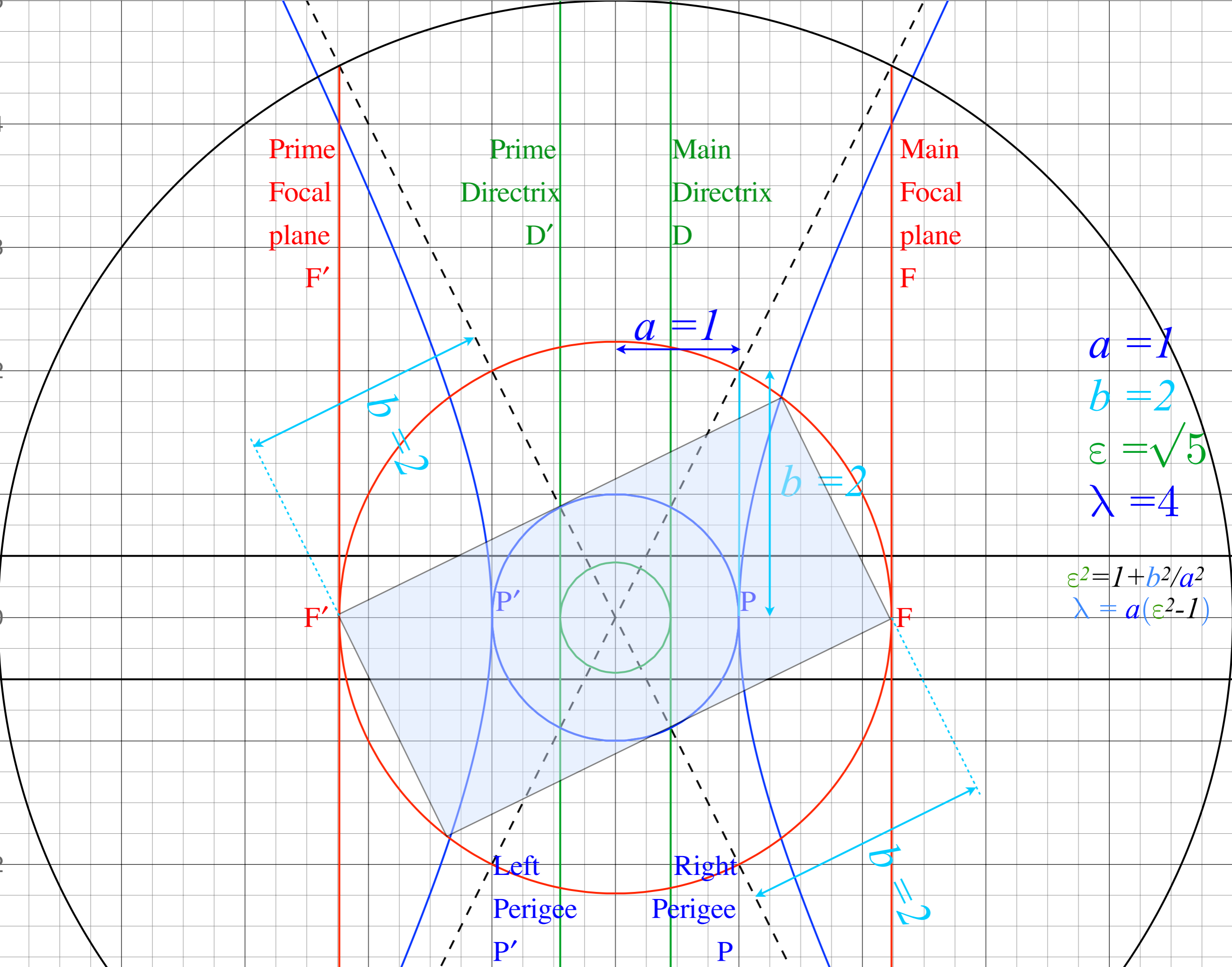
$$\epsilon^2 = 1 + b^2/a^2$$

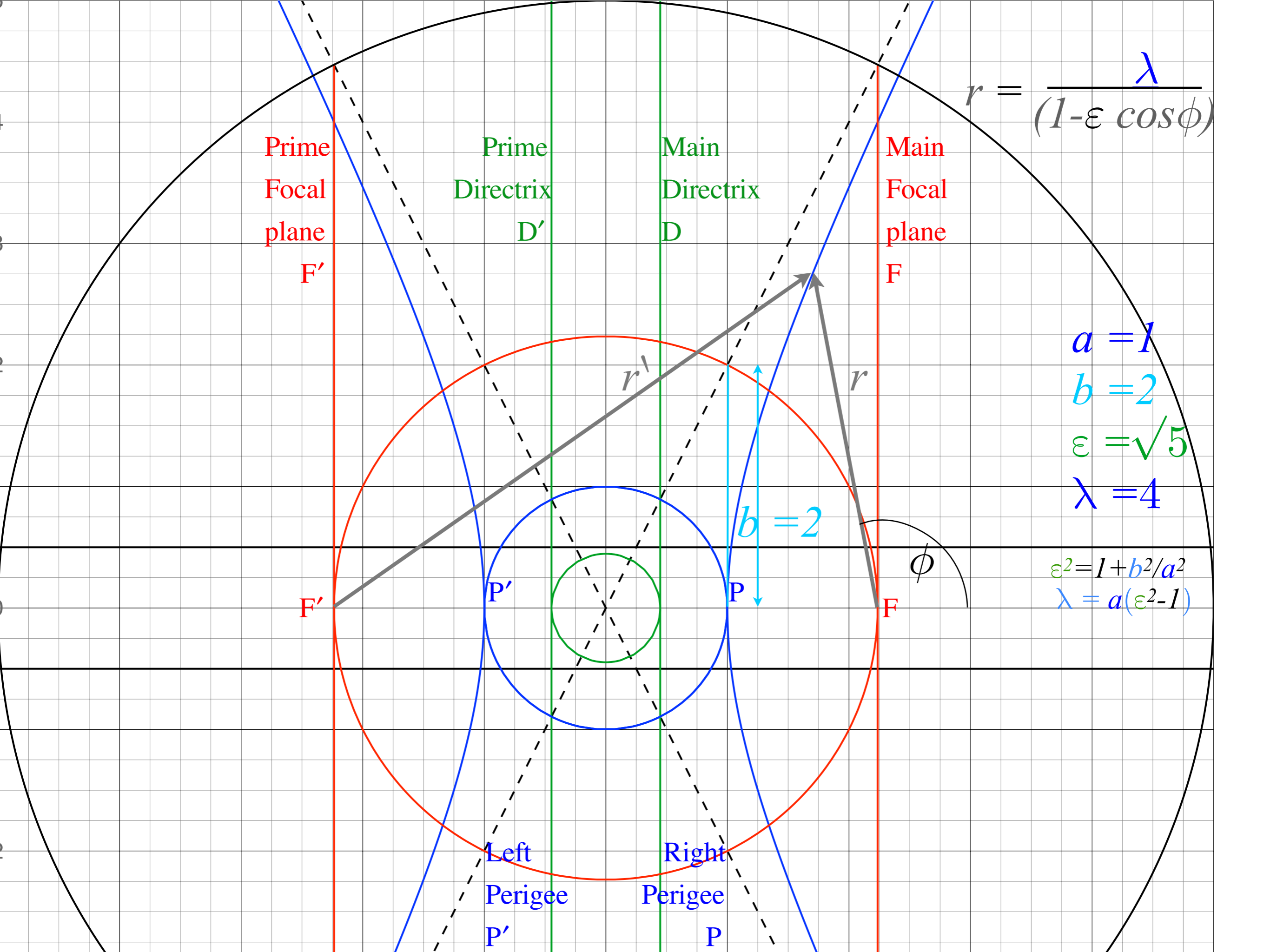
$$\lambda = a(\epsilon^2 - 1)$$

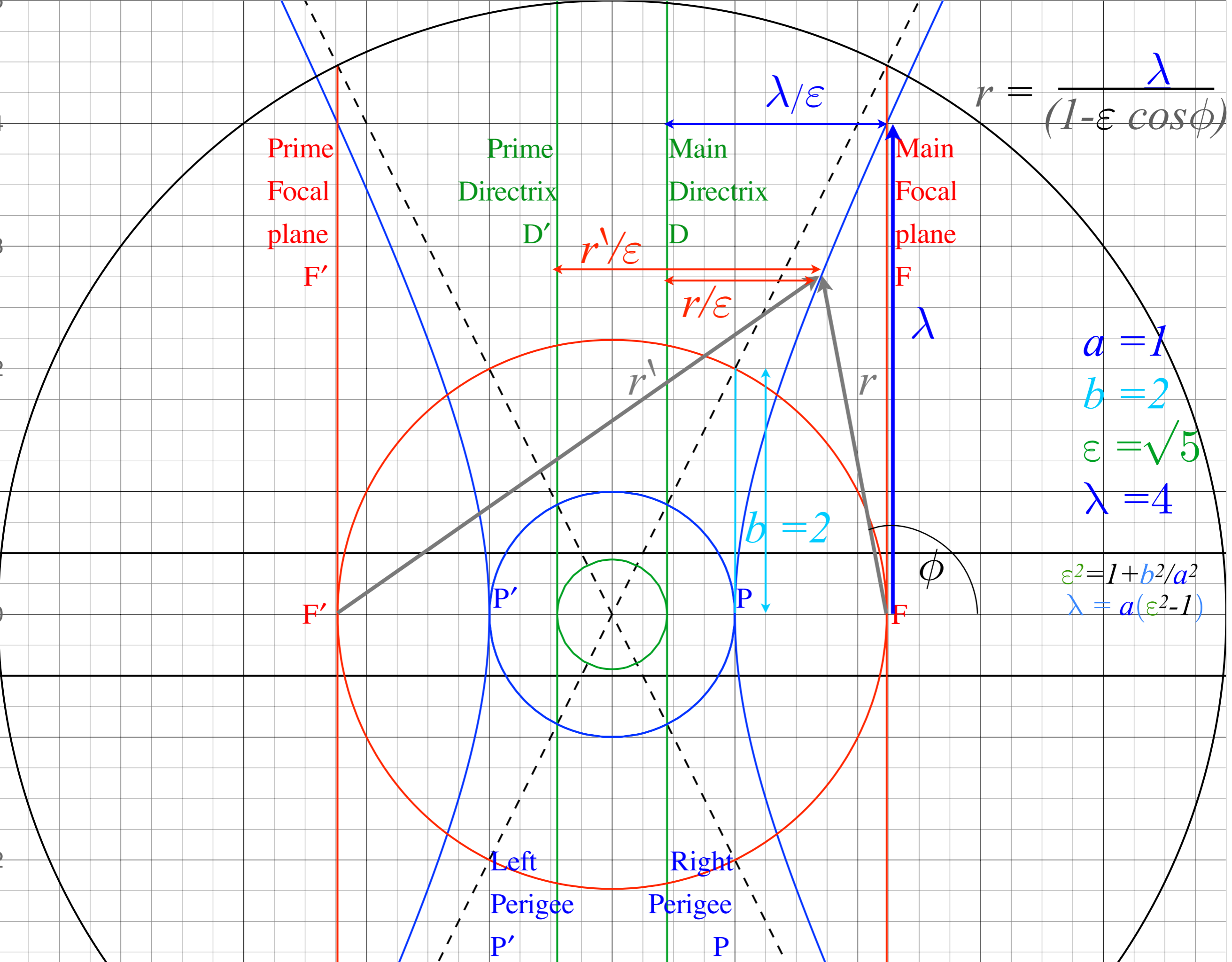
Left
Perigee
P'

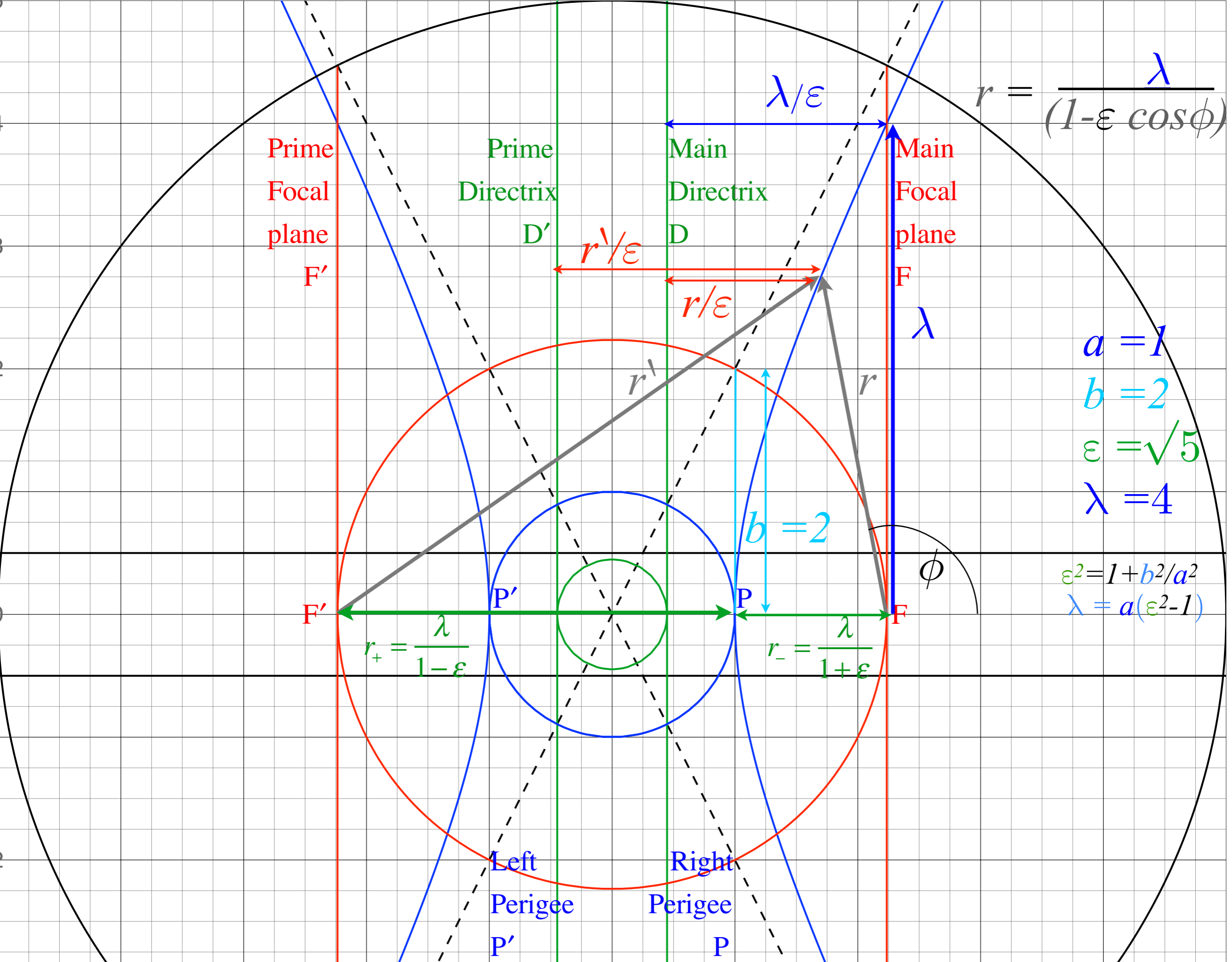
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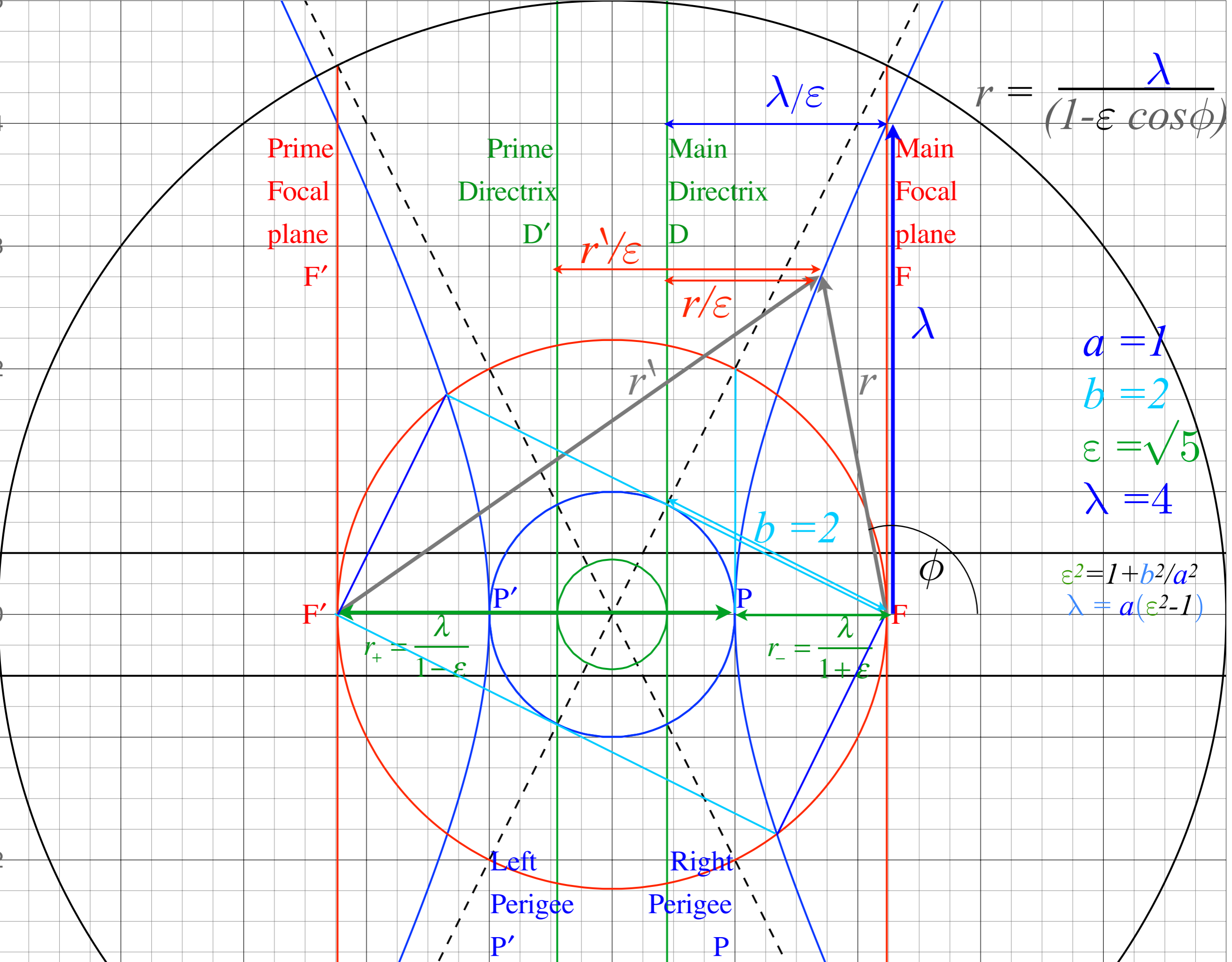


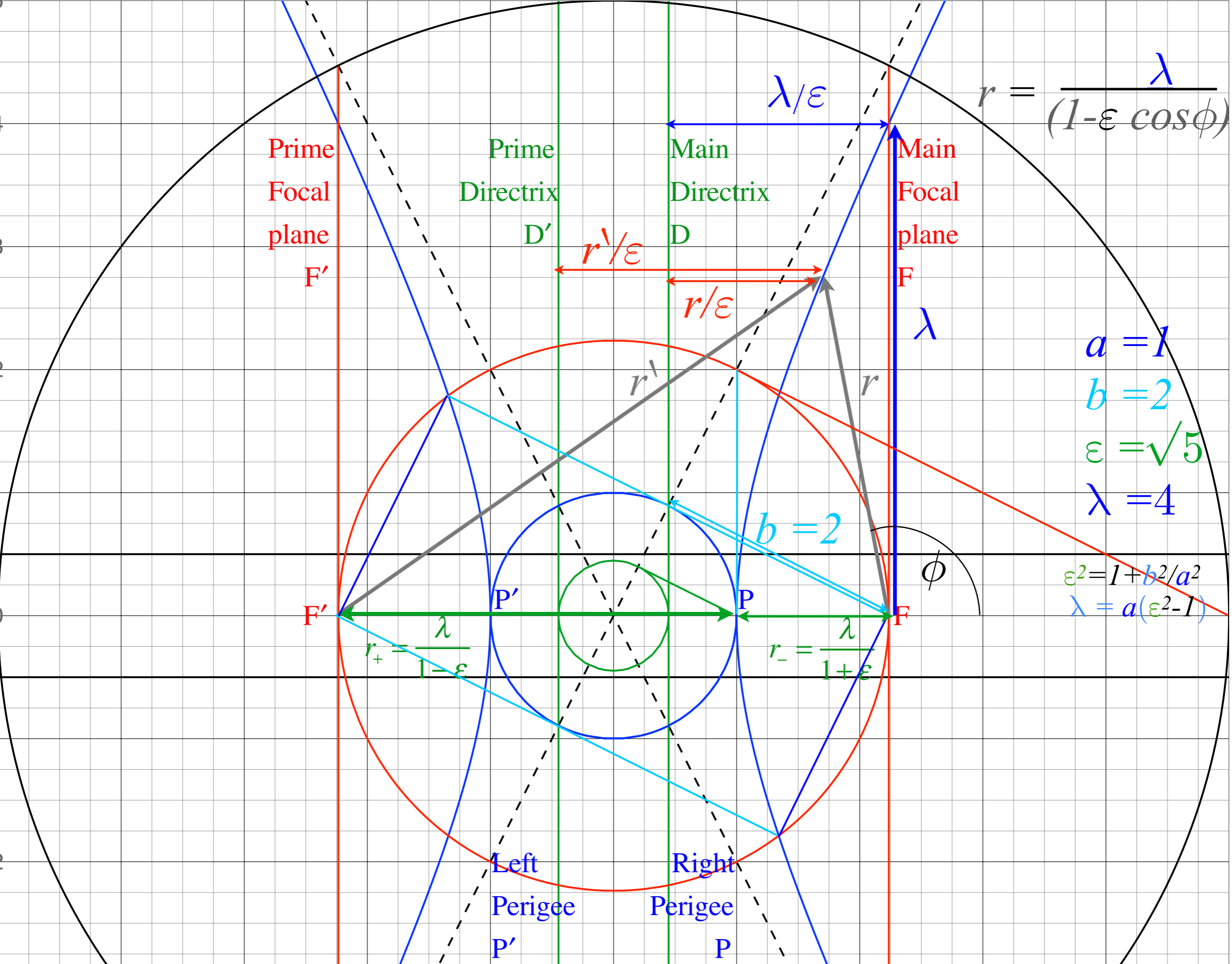


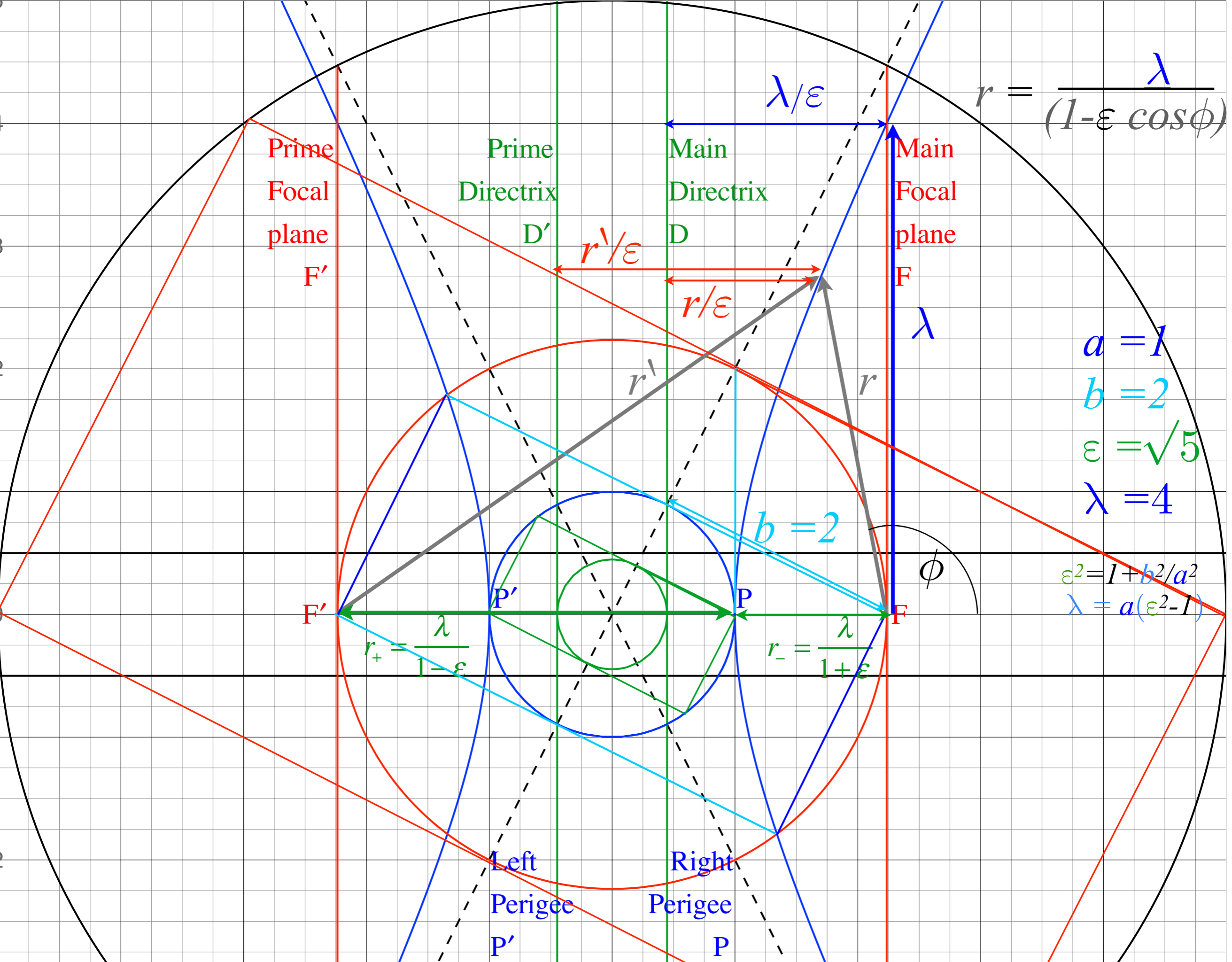


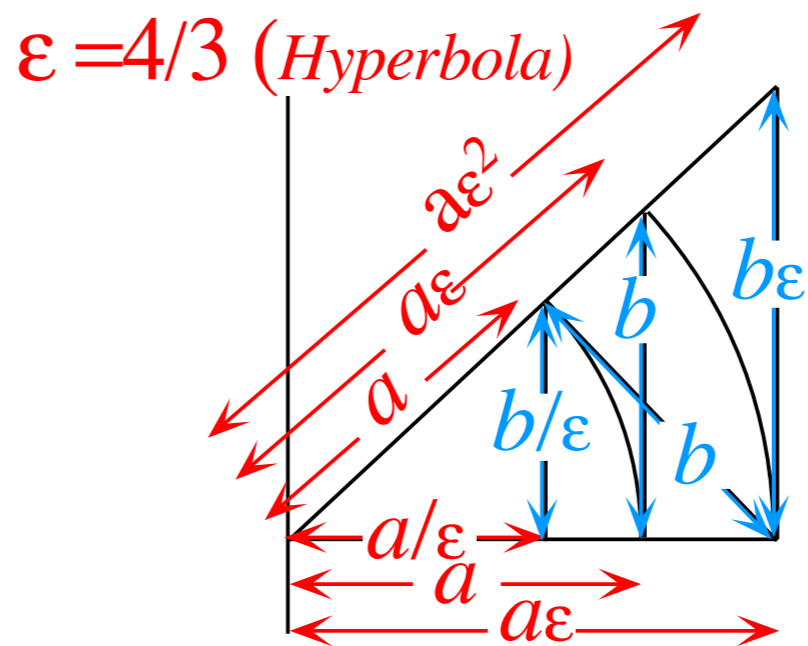
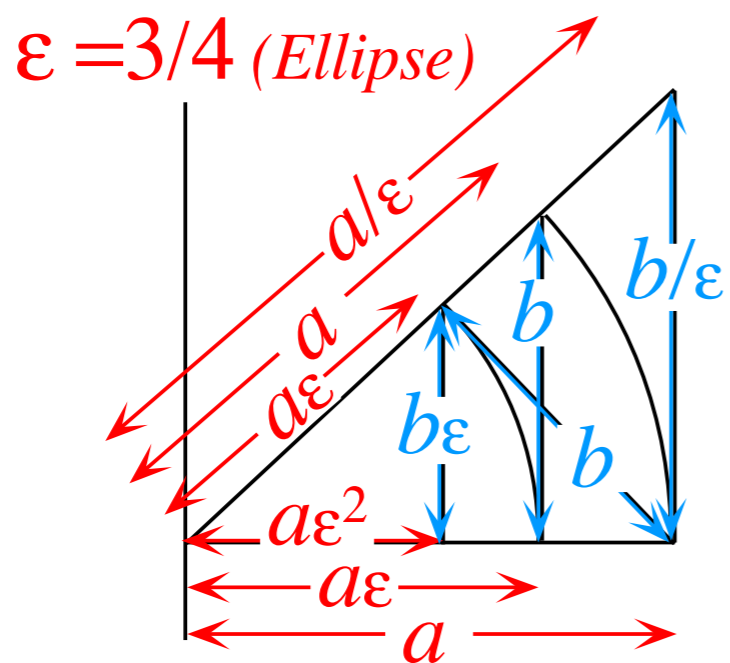
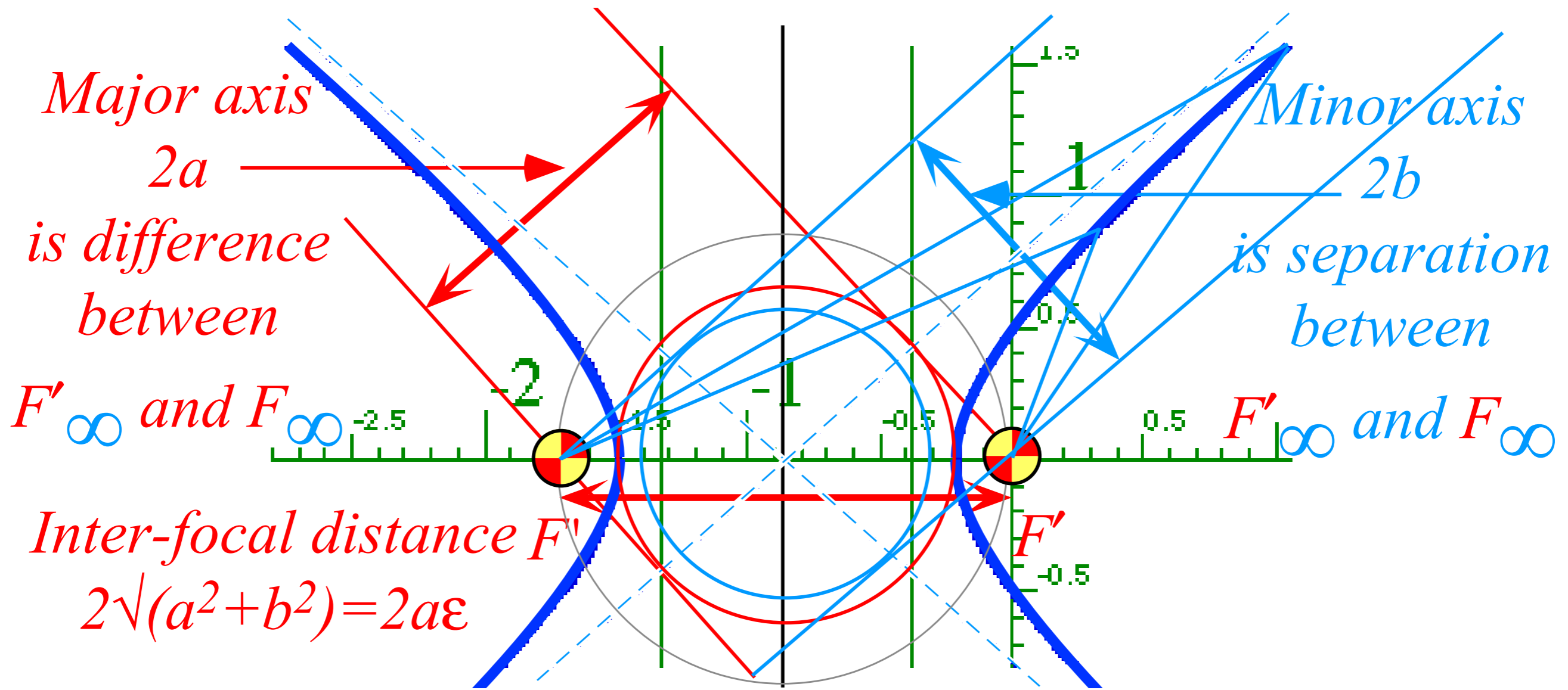


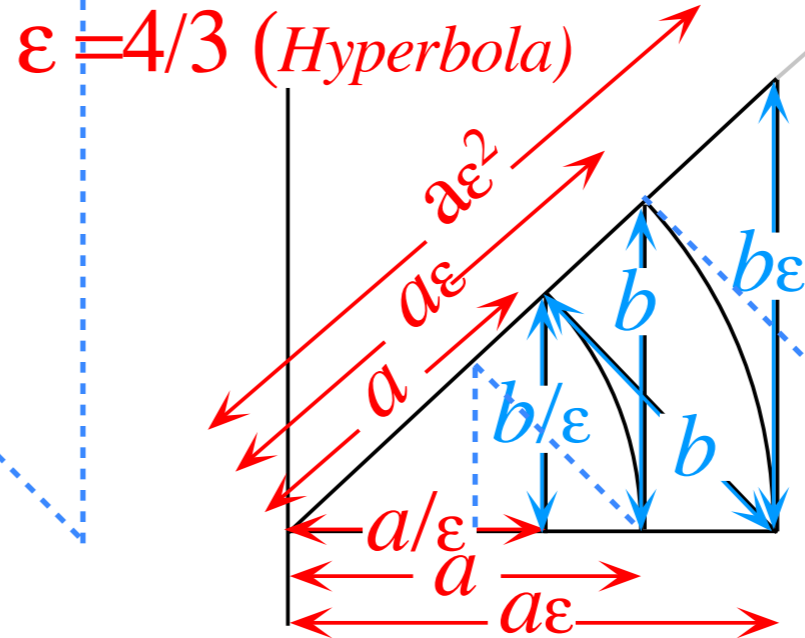
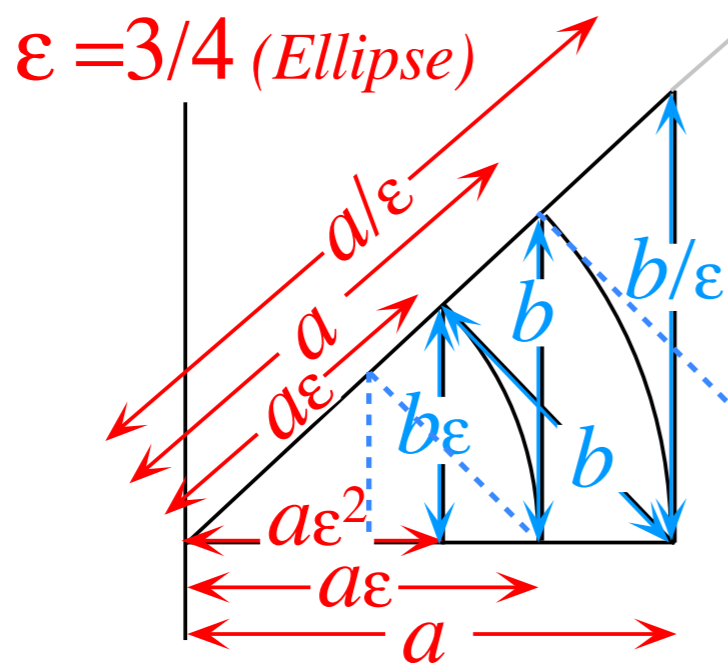
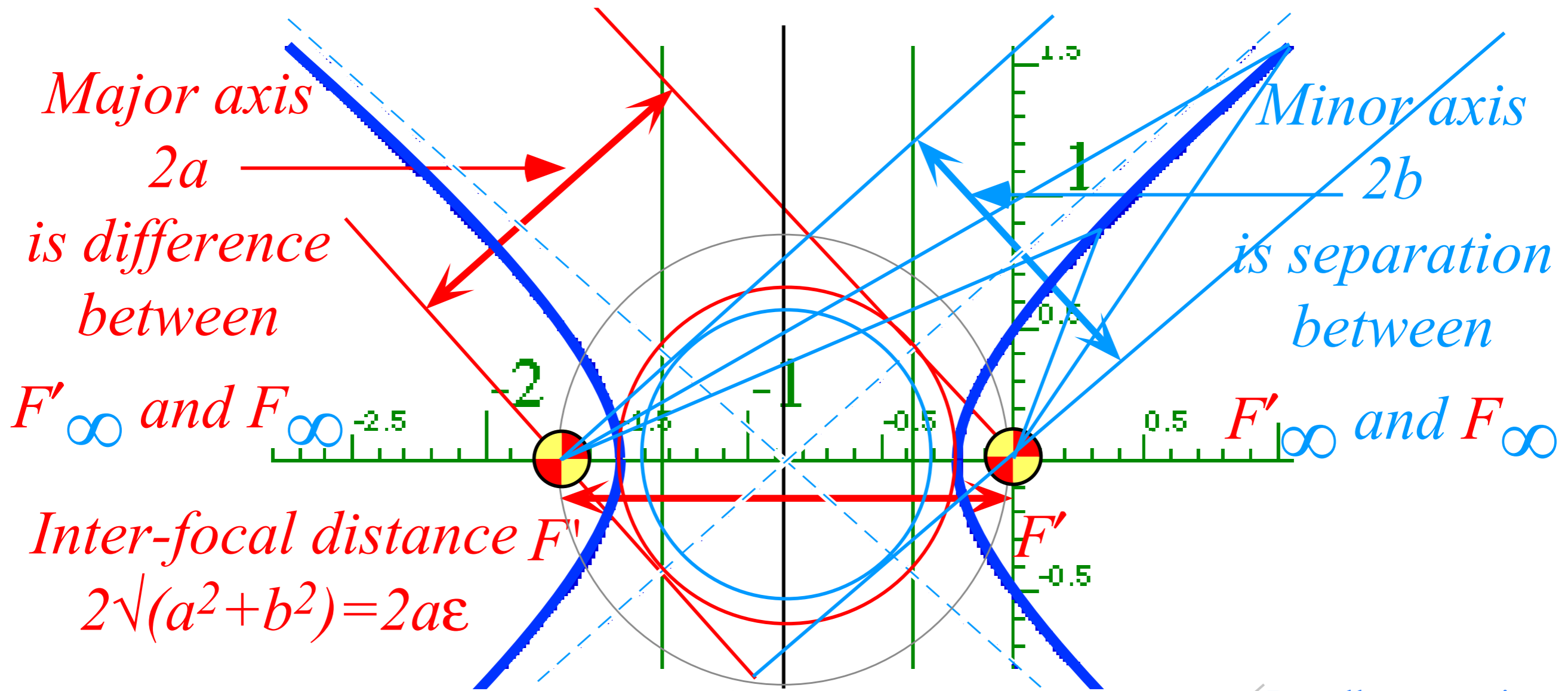








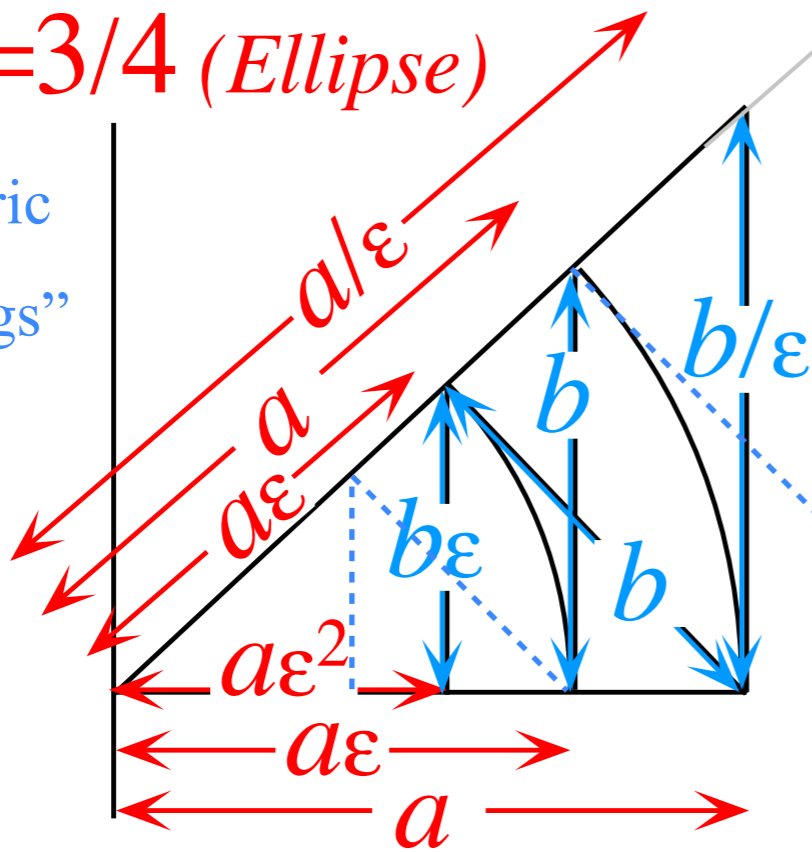




Recall geometric series "Zig-Zags"
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$\epsilon = 3/4$ (Ellipse)

Recall geometric series "Zig-Zags"
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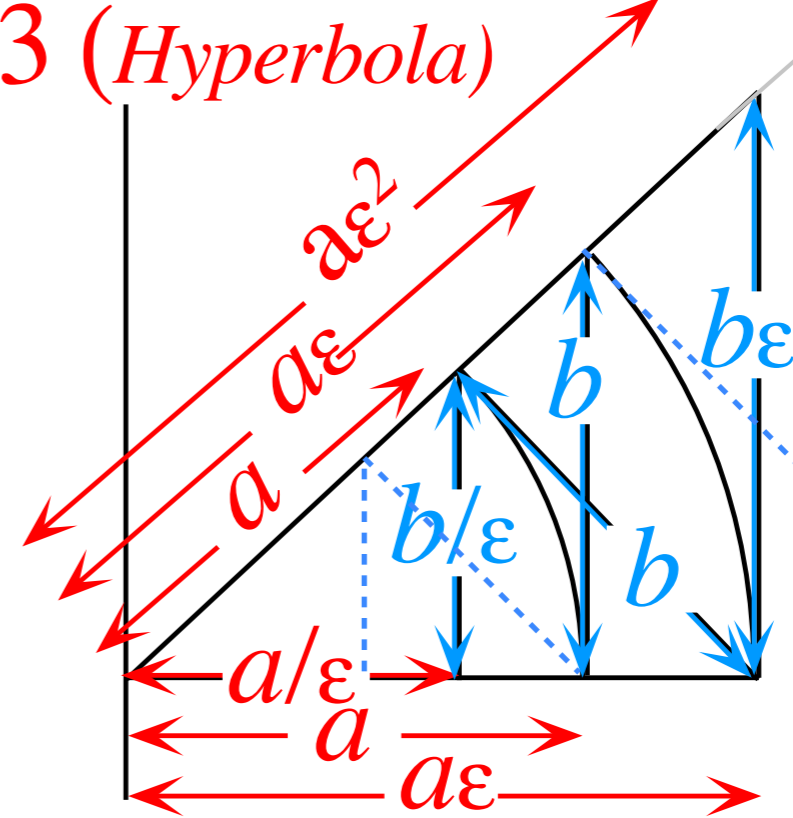


For the elliptic geometry ($\epsilon < 1$):

$$b^2 = a^2 - a^2\epsilon^2 = a\lambda,$$

$$b = a \sqrt{1-\epsilon^2} = \sqrt{a\lambda},$$

$\epsilon = 4/3$ (Hyperbola)



For hyperbolic geometry ($\epsilon > 1$):

$$b^2 = a^2\epsilon^2 - a^2 = a\lambda,$$

$$b = a \sqrt{\epsilon^2-1} = \sqrt{a\lambda}.$$

(λ, ϵ) - (a, b) expressions and their inverses follow.

$$a = \lambda / (1 - \epsilon^2)$$

$$b^2 = \lambda^2 / (1 - \epsilon^2)$$

$$\lambda = a(1 - \epsilon^2) = b^2 / a$$

$$\epsilon^2 = 1 - b^2 / a^2$$

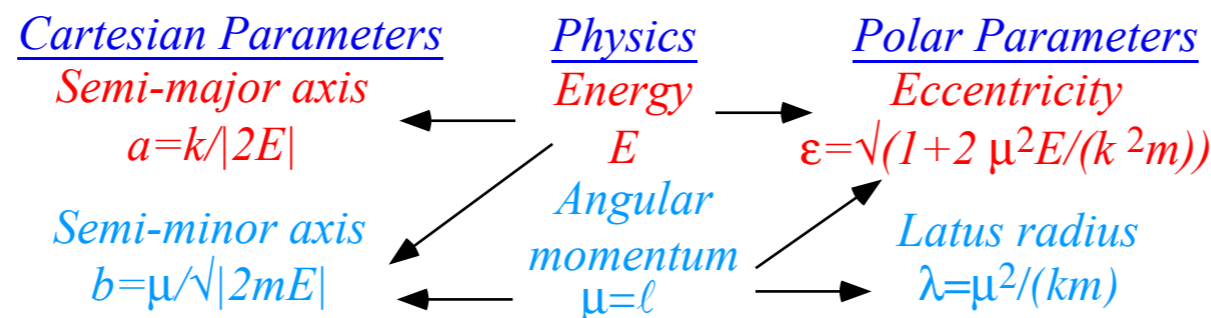
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$$b^2 = \lambda^2 / (\epsilon^2 - 1)$$

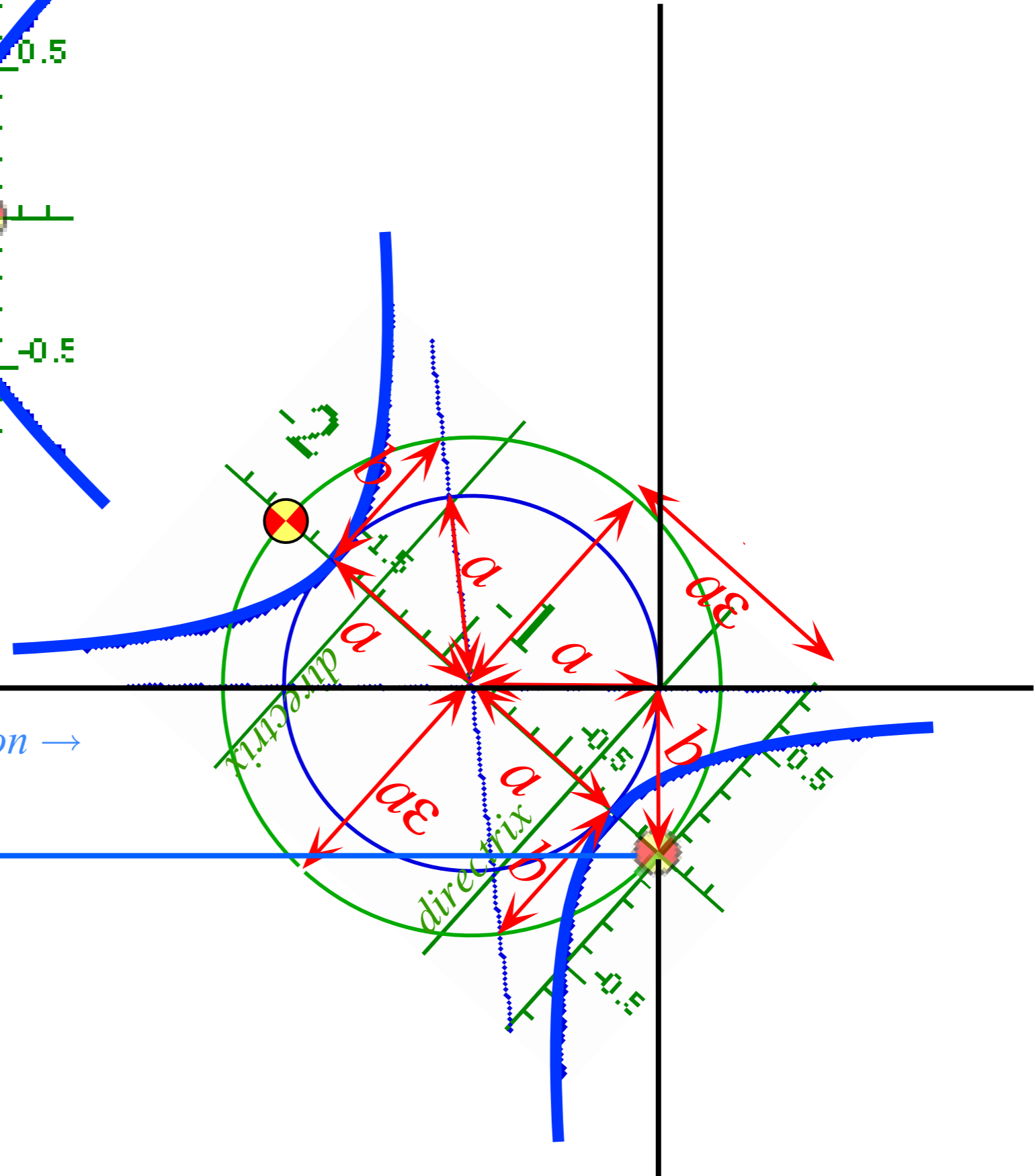
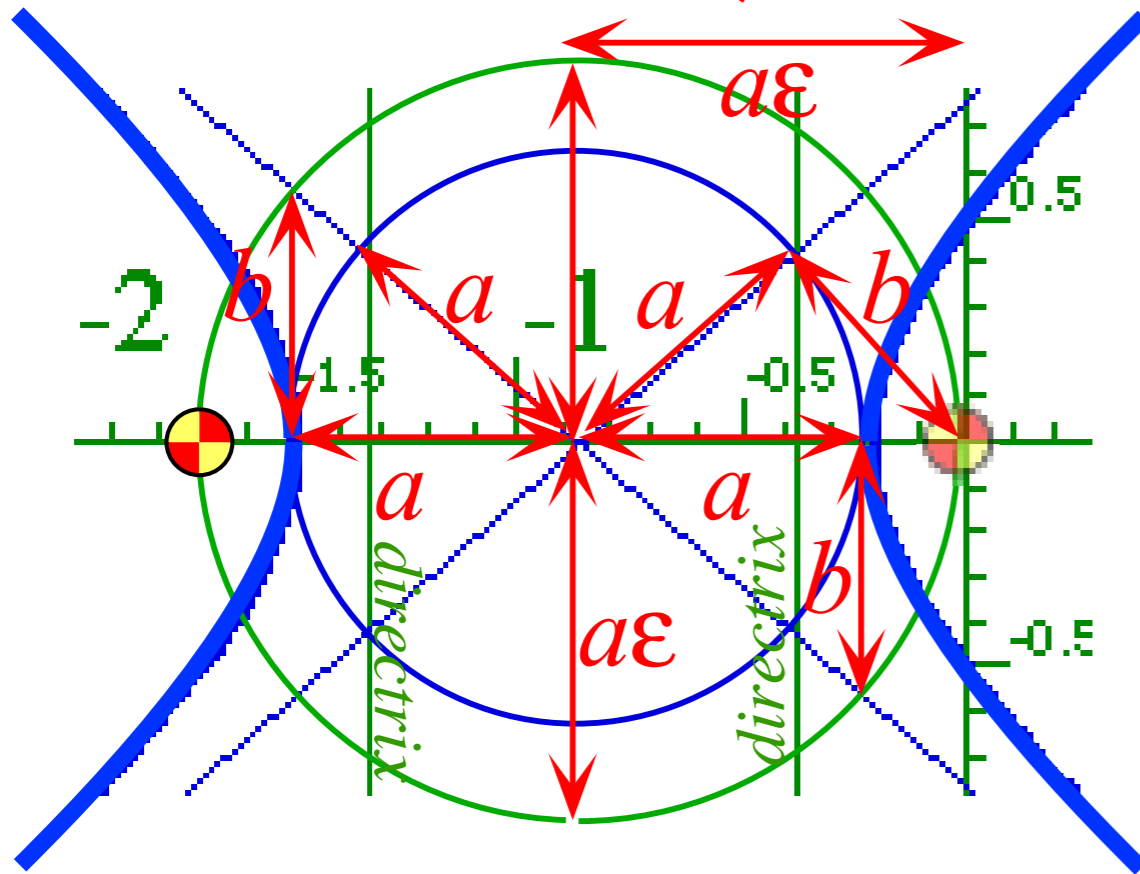
$$\lambda = a(\epsilon^2 - 1) = b^2 / a$$

$$\epsilon^2 = 1 + b^2 / a^2$$

To be discussed
In next Lecture....



Rutherford scattering geometry...



Alpha-particle beam direction →

Gold nuclear target →

To be discussed
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