

### Unit 3.2 Implicit Differentiation

TOPIC QUESTION 3

Consider the curve defined by  $xy^2 - 2x^3 = 2$  for  $y \geq 0$ .

(a) Show that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{6x^2 - y^2}{2xy}$ .

$$\frac{d}{dx} [xy^2] - \frac{d}{dx} (2x^3) = \frac{d}{dx} 2$$

*Product*

$$1 \cdot y^2 + x \cdot 2y \frac{dy}{dx} - 6x^2 = 0 \quad +1$$

$$2xy \frac{dy}{dx} = 6x^2 - y^2 \quad +1$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{6x^2 - y^2}{2xy} \quad +1$$

(b) Write an equation for the line tangent to the curve at the point (1, 2).

SOT

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$$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{(1,2)} = \frac{6(1)^2 - (2)^2}{2(1)(2)}$$

$$= \frac{2}{4}$$

$$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{(1,2)} = \frac{1}{2} \quad +1$$

Tangent line

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$$y - 2 = \frac{1}{2}(x - 1) \quad +1$$

(c) Find the  $x$ -coordinate of the point  $P$  at which the line tangent to the curve at  $P$  is horizontal.

$\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$

$$0 = \frac{6x^2 - y^2}{2xy}$$

$6x^2 - y^2 = 0$	$xy^2 - 2x^3 = 2$
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$$6x^2 - y^2 = 0 \quad +1$$

$$6x^2 = y^2$$

$$x(6x^2) - 2x^3 = 2$$

$$6x^3 - 2x^3 = 2$$

$$4x^3 = 2$$

$$x^3 = \frac{1}{2} \quad +1$$

$$x = \sqrt[3]{\frac{1}{2}}$$

Can't solve  
need  
system  
of equations

(d) Find the value of  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$  at the point (1, 2).

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{(2x - 2y \frac{dy}{dx})(2xy) - (6x^2 - y^2)(2 \cdot y + 2x \frac{dy}{dx})}{(2xy)^2}$$

*Product*

*Quotient*

+2

$$\left. \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} \right|_{(1,2)} = \frac{(2(1) - 2(2) \cdot \frac{1}{2})(2(1)(2)) - (6(1)^2 - (2)^2)(2 \cdot 2 + 2(1) \cdot \frac{1}{2})}{(2(1)(2))^2}$$

$$= \frac{10 \cdot 4 - (2)(5)}{16}$$

$$= \frac{30}{16}$$

$$\left. \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} \right|_{(1,2)} = \frac{15}{8}$$

+1

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TOPIC QUESTION 5

If  $y = \ln(3x + 4y)$ , then  $\frac{dy}{dx} =$

- (A)  $\frac{1}{3x+4y}$   $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{3x+4y} (3 + 4 \frac{dy}{dx})$
- (B)  $\frac{3}{3x+4y}$   $(3x+4y) \frac{dy}{dx} = 3 + 4 \frac{dy}{dx}$   
 $(3x+4y) \frac{dy}{dx} - 4 \frac{dy}{dx} = 3$
- (C)  $\frac{7}{3x+4y}$   $\frac{dy}{dx} (3x+4y-4) = 3$
- (D)  $\frac{3}{3x+4y-4}$   $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3}{3x+4y-4}$

TOPIC QUESTION 6

If  $e^y - e^{y^2} = x - x^3$ , then the value of  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  at the point  $(0, 1)$  is

- (A)  $-\frac{1}{e}$   $e^y \frac{dy}{dx} - e^{y^2} 2y \frac{dy}{dx} = 1 - 3x^2$
- (B)  $\frac{e-1}{2e}$   $\frac{dy}{dx} (e^y - 2ye^{y^2}) = 1 - 3x^2$
- (C)  $\frac{1+2e}{e}$   $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1-3x^2}{e^y - 2ye^{y^2}}$   
 $\frac{dy}{dx} \Big|_{(0,1)} = \frac{1-3(0)^2}{e^1 - 2(1)e^2} = \frac{1}{e-2e} = \frac{1}{-e}$
- (D) undefined

TOPIC QUESTION 7

If  $2xy^2 - 3x^2y = 6x$ , then  $\frac{dy}{dx} =$

- (A)  $\frac{6}{4y-6x}$   $2 \cdot y^2 + 2x \cdot 2y \frac{dy}{dx} - [6x \cdot 1 + 3x^2 \frac{dy}{dx}] = 6$   
 $4xy \frac{dy}{dx} - 3x^2 \frac{dy}{dx} = 6 - 2y^2 + 6xy$
- (B)  $\frac{2y^2-2xy-6}{3x^2}$   $\frac{dy}{dx} (4xy - 3x^2) = 6 - 2y^2 + 6xy$
- (C)  $\frac{-2y^2+6xy+6}{4xy-3x^2}$   $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{6 - 2y^2 + 6xy}{4xy - 3x^2}$
- (D)  $\frac{-2y^2+6xy+3x^2+6}{4xy}$

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TOPIC QUESTION 8

If  $3x^2 + 5x^2y^2 = 2y$ , then  $\frac{dy}{dx} =$

(A)  $\frac{-6x}{20xy-2}$

(B)  $\frac{-10xy^2-6x}{10x^2y-2}$

(C)  $\frac{2-6x-10xy^2}{10x^2y}$

(D)  $\frac{6x+10xy^2+10x^2y}{2}$

$6x + 10x \cdot y^2 + 5x^2 \cdot 2y \frac{dy}{dx} = 2 \cdot \frac{dy}{dx}$

$6x + 10xy^2 = 2 \frac{dy}{dx} - 10x^2y \frac{dy}{dx}$

$6x + 10xy^2 = \frac{dy}{dx} (2 - 10x^2y)$

$\frac{6x + 10xy^2}{2 - 10x^2y} = \frac{dy}{dx}$

$\frac{-6x - 10x^2y}{-2 + 10x^2y} = \frac{dy}{dx}$

TOPIC QUESTION 9

If  $y = \ln(2x^2 - 3y^2)$ , then  $\frac{dy}{dx} =$

(A)  $\frac{1}{2x^2-3y^2}$

(B)  $\frac{4x}{2x^2-3y^2}$

(C)  $\frac{4x-6y}{2x^2-3y^2}$

(D)  $\frac{4x}{2x^2-3y^2+6y}$

$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2x^2-3y^2} (4x - 6y \frac{dy}{dx})$

$(2x^2-3y^2) \frac{dy}{dx} = 4x - 6y \frac{dy}{dx}$

$(2x^2-3y^2) \frac{dy}{dx} + 6y \frac{dy}{dx} = 4x$

$\frac{dy}{dx} (2x^2-3y^2+6y) = 4x$

$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{4x}{2x^2-3y^2+6y}$

TOPIC QUESTION 10

If  $e^{2y} - e^{(y^2-y)} = x^4 - x^2$ , then the value of  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  at the point (1, 0) is

(A) 0

(B)  $\frac{1}{2}$

(C)  $\frac{2}{3}$

(D) 2

$e^{2y} \cdot 2 \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} - e^{y^2-y} (2y \frac{dy}{dx} - 1 \frac{dy}{dx}) = 4x^3 - 2x$

$2e^{2y} \frac{dy}{dx} - e^{y^2-y} (2y-1) \frac{dy}{dx} = 4x^3 - 2x$

$(1,0)$   $2e^{2(0)} \frac{dy}{dx} - e^{0^2-0} (2(0)-1) \frac{dy}{dx} = 4(1)^3 - 2(1)$

$2 \cdot 1 \frac{dy}{dx} - 1(-1) \frac{dy}{dx} = 2$

$2 \frac{dy}{dx} + 1 \frac{dy}{dx} = 2$

$3 \frac{dy}{dx} = 2$

$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2}{3}$

7. Find (a) the equation of the tangent line and (b) the equation of the normal line drawn to the curve  $x^{\frac{2}{3}} + y^{\frac{2}{3}} = 5$  at the point (8, 1).

SOT:  $\frac{1}{2}$       SON:  $-2$

$$\frac{d}{dx} x^{\frac{2}{3}} + \frac{d}{dx} y^{\frac{2}{3}} = \frac{d}{dx} 5$$

$$\frac{2}{3} x^{-\frac{1}{3}} + \frac{2}{3} y^{-\frac{1}{3}} \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$\frac{2}{3\sqrt[3]{x}} + \frac{2}{3\sqrt[3]{y}} \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$\frac{2}{3\sqrt[3]{y}} \frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{2}{3\sqrt[3]{x}}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-2}{3\sqrt[3]{x}} \cdot \frac{3\sqrt[3]{y}}{2}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -\sqrt[3]{\frac{y}{x}}$$

$$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{(8,1)} = -\sqrt[3]{\frac{1}{8}} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

Tangent Line

$$y - 1 = -\frac{1}{2}(x - 8)$$

Normal Line

$$y - 1 = +2(x - 8)$$