

# Implicit Differentiation (Section 4.2)

- \* Steps:
- ① Differentiate both sides of the equation w/ respect to x.
  - ② Collect all terms w/  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  on one side of the equation.
  - ③ Factor out  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ .
  - ④ Solve for  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ .

ex:  $y^2 = x$  Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ .

$$2y \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} = 1 \cdot \frac{dx}{dx}$$

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

ex:  $2y = x^2 + \sin y$  Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ .

$$2 \frac{dy}{dx} = 2x \frac{dx}{dx} + \cos y \frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$2 \frac{dy}{dx} - \cos y \frac{dy}{dx} = 2x$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} (2 - \cos y) = 2x$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2x}{2 - \cos y}$$

ex:  $y^2 + 2y = 2x^2 + 1$  Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ ,  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$ .

$$2y \frac{dy}{dx} + 2 \frac{dy}{dx} = 4x \frac{dx}{dx}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} (2y + 2) = 4x$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{4x}{2y+2} = \frac{2x}{y+1}$$

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

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{(y+1)(2 \frac{dx}{dx}) - 2x(1 \cdot \frac{dy}{dx})}{(y+1)^2}$$

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

$$= \frac{2(y+1) - 2x \left( \frac{2x}{y+1} \right)}{(y+1)^2 (y+1)}$$

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

$$\frac{2[(2x^2+1)+1] - 4x^2}{(y+1)^3}$$

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

ex:  $x^2 - xy + y^2 = 7$  Find the tangent & normal line @  $(-1, 2)$  point

slope:  $2x - x\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right) + y(-1) + 2y\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$

Tangent:  $y - 2 = \frac{4}{5}(x + 1)$   
 Normal:  $y - 2 = -\frac{5}{4}(x + 1)$

$\frac{dy}{dx}(2y - x) = y - 2x$

$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y - 2x}{2y - x}$  @  $(-1, 2) \rightarrow m = \frac{2 - 2(-1)}{2(2) + (-1)} = \frac{4}{5}$   $\perp m = -\frac{5}{4}$

ex:  $3x^2 - 2xy^2 + 4y = 7$  Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ .

$6x - 2x(2y\frac{dy}{dx}) + y^2(-2) + 4\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$

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

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

Easiest

#44 If  $g''(t) = \frac{1}{t^{3/4}}$ , Find: a)  $g'(t)$  b)  $g'''(t)$  c)  $g(t)$

$g'(t) = t^{-3/4}$

$g'''(t) = -\frac{3}{4}t^{-7/4}$

\* To go backwards:

- ① Add 1 to the exponent
- ② Divide by that exponent
- ③ Add a constant

a)  $-\frac{3}{4} + 1 = \frac{1}{4}$   $g'(t) = \frac{t^{1/4}}{1/4} + C_1$

$= 4t^{1/4} + C_1$

c)  $\frac{1}{4} + 1 = \frac{5}{4}$

$g(t) = \frac{4 \cdot t^{5/4}}{5/4} + C_1 t + C_2$

#46  $y^2(2-x) = x^3$  Find the tangent & normal line @  $(1, 1)$ .

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

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

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

$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3x^2 + y^2}{4y - 2xy}$  @  $(1, 1) \rightarrow m = \frac{3+1}{4-2} = \frac{4}{2} = 2$   $\perp m = -\frac{1}{2}$

Tangent:  $y - 1 = 2(x - 1)$   
 Normal:  $y - 1 = -\frac{1}{2}(x - 1)$

$g(t) = \frac{16}{5}t^{5/4} + C_1 t + C_2$