

4.3 Slope of a Tangent Line at a Specific Point

4.1 review math 10 * slope formula

4.2 not important - omit

* goal of differential Calculus is to find the slope of a tangent line to a function

$$m = \frac{\text{rise}}{\text{run}} = \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$$

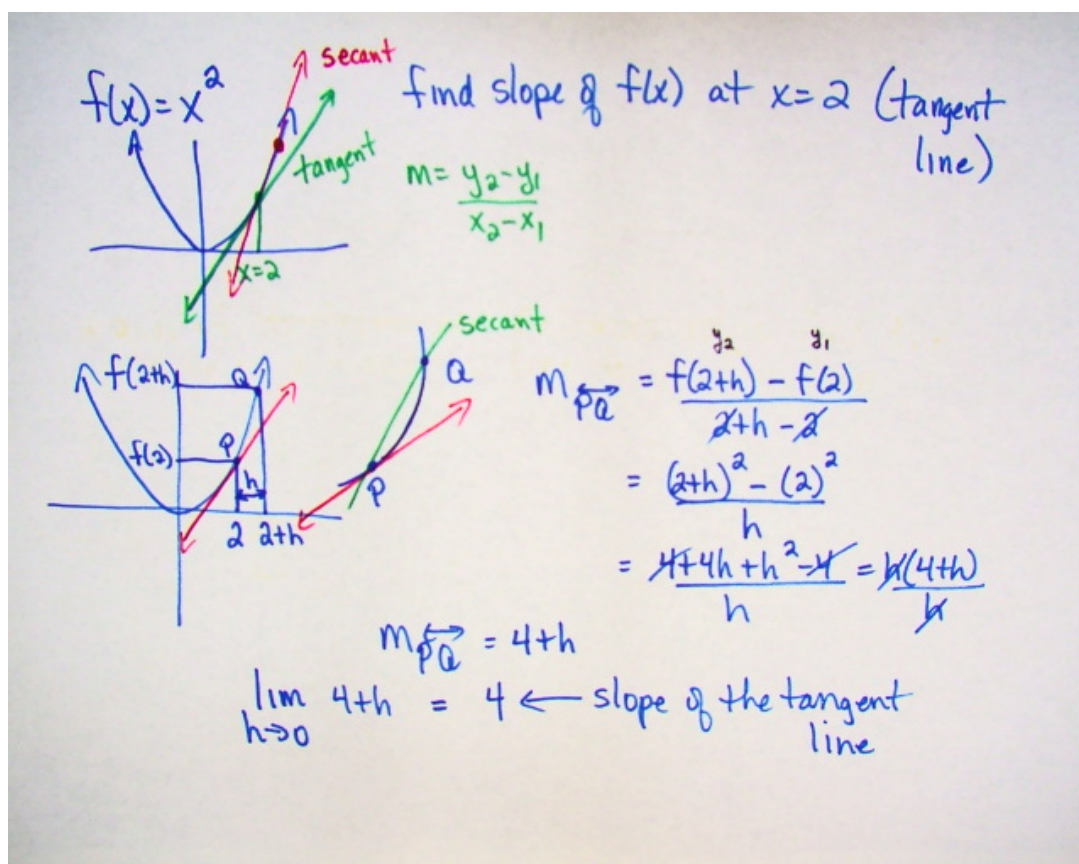
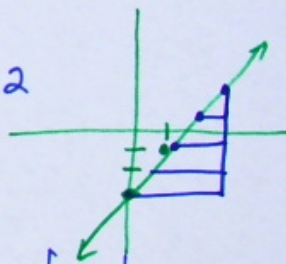
$$m = \frac{-3-1}{0-2} = \frac{-4}{-2} = 2$$

ex1 $f(x) = 2x - 3$

$$x_1 = 2 \quad y_1 = 1 \quad (2, 1)$$

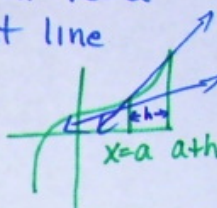
$$x_2 = 0 \quad y_2 = -3 \quad (0, -3)$$

* slope of a linear function is independent of the 2 points selected.

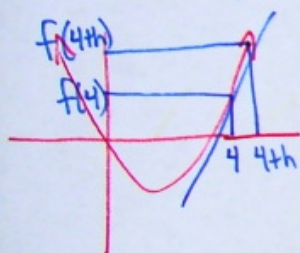


* the slope of the tangent line to $f(x)$ at $x=a$ is the limiting slope of the secant line between $x=a$ and $x=a+h$

$$m = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(a+h) - f(a)}{h}$$



ex1 find slope of tangent line to $f(x) = x^2 - 3x$ at $x=4$

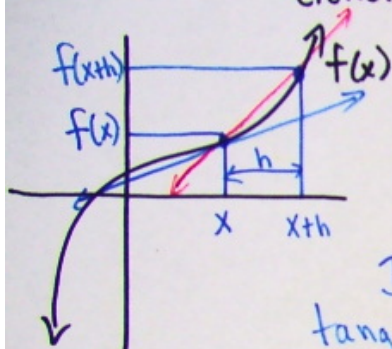


$$m = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{[(4+h)^2 - 3(4+h)] - [4^2 - 3(4)]}{h}$$

limit of indeterminate form

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{16 + 8h + h^2 - 12 - 3h - 4}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{5h + h^2}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h(5+h)}{h} = 5$$

4.4 Slope of a Tangent Line at a General Point $(x, f(x))$



$$m = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

delta
 $\frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x}$

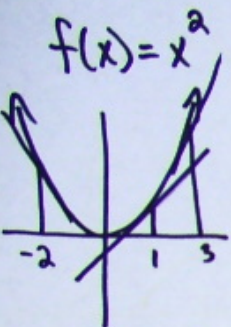
Derivative of $f(x)$ is the slope of the tangent line

$$f'(x) \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{dy}{dx}$$

f' prime

* summary pg 174 D_x

$f(x) = x^2$ find the derivative



$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$

$$* f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x+h)^2 - x^2}{h} = \frac{x^2 + 2xh + h^2 - x^2}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cancel{x}(2x + \cancel{h})}{\cancel{h}} = \boxed{2x}$$

$f'(1) = 2$
 $f'(3) = 6$ $f'(-2) = -4$

$y = \sqrt{x+2}$ find $\frac{dy}{dx} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{x+h+2} - \sqrt{x+2}}{h}$

$$\left[\frac{\sqrt{x+h+2} + \sqrt{x+2}}{\sqrt{x+h+2} + \sqrt{x+2}} \right]$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{x+h+2 - (x+2)}{h[\sqrt{x+h+2} + \sqrt{x+2}]} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x+2} + \sqrt{x+2}} =$$

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

4.5 Elementary Differentiation Rules

* the process of differentiation is determining the derivative of a function

recall: the derivative is defined as:

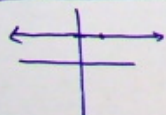
$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

$$f(x) = x^2 \quad f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x+h)^2 - x^2}{h} = \frac{x^2 + 2xh + h^2 - x^2}{h} = \frac{\cancel{h}(2x + h)}{\cancel{h}} = 2x$$

$$f(x) = x^{20}$$

$$f(x) = (3x^2 + 5x)^7 (2x - x^3)^5$$

Constant Rule $f(x) = c$ where c is a constant



then $f'(x) = 0$

Power Rule if $f(x) = x^n$, then $f'(x) = nx^{n-1}$

ex) $f(x) = x^2$
 $f'(x) = 2x$

$y = x^{10}$
 $\frac{dy}{dx} = 10x^9$

$y = \sqrt[5]{x}$
 $y = x^{\frac{1}{5}}$
 $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{5}x^{-\frac{4}{5}} = \frac{1}{5x^{\frac{4}{5}}}$
 $= \frac{1}{5\sqrt[5]{x^4}}$

Constant Multiple Rule

if $f(x) = c \cdot g(x)$ then $f'(x) = c \cdot g'(x)$

$f(x) = 6x^3$ $f'(x) = 6(3x^2) = 18x^2$

Extended Power Rule if $f(x) = cx^n$
 ex) $y = 4x^6$ $\frac{dy}{dx} = 24x^5$ then $f'(x) = ncx^{n-1}$

Sum and Difference Rule

if $f(x) = p(x) + q(x) + r(x) + \dots$

then $f'(x) = p'(x) + q'(x) + r'(x) + \dots$

$y = x^5 + 3x^2 - 5x + 2$
 $\frac{dy}{dx} = 5x^4 + 6x - 5$

$y = \frac{3}{x} - 5\sqrt{x}$
 $y = 3x^{-1} - 5x^{\frac{1}{2}}$
 $\frac{dy}{dx} = -3x^{-2} - \frac{5}{2}x^{-\frac{1}{2}}$

$f(x) = (x+4)(2x-5)$
 $f(x) = 2x^2 + 3x - 20$
 $f'(x) = 4x + 3$

4.6 Product Rule

$$f(x) = x^2 + x^3$$

$$f'(x) = 2x + 3x^2$$

$$f(x) = (x^2)(x^3) = f(x) = x^5$$

$$f'(x) = (2x)(3x^2) \quad f'(x) = 5x^4$$

$$= 6x^3!$$

wrong!

Product Rule if $f(x) = p(x) \cdot q(x)$

$$\text{then } f'(x) = p'(x) \cdot q(x) + q'(x) \cdot p(x)$$

$$f(x) = \underbrace{x^2}_p \cdot \underbrace{x^3}_q \quad f'(x) = 2x \cdot x^3 + 3x^2 \cdot x^2$$

$$2x^4 + 3x^4 = 5x^4$$

$$f(x) = \underbrace{(2x+1)}_p \cdot \underbrace{(x^2-3x)}_q \quad f'(x) = 2(x^2-3x) + (2x-3)(2x+1)$$

extended product rule

$$\text{if } f(x) = p(x) \cdot q(x) \cdot r(x)$$

$$\text{then } f'(x) = p'(x)q(x)r(x) + q'(x)p(x)r(x) + r'(x)p(x)q(x)$$

ex11 find the slope of the tangent line to

$$y = \underbrace{(x^2+3x)}_p \cdot \underbrace{(x^3-6x+1)}_q \text{ at } x=2$$

$$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right| = (2x+3)(x^3-6x+1) + (3x^2-6)(x^2+3x)$$

$$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{x=2} = (7)(-3) + (6)(10)$$

$$= 39$$

4.9 Combining Differentiation Rules

* practice ! practice ! practice !

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

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{6x^2(4x-1)^4 - 4(4x-1)^3(4)(2x^3)}{(4x-1)^8}$$

$$= \frac{2x^2(4x-1)^3 [3(4x-1) - 16x]}{(4x-1)^8}$$

$$= \frac{2x^2(-4x-3)}{(4x-1)^5} = -\frac{2x^2(4x+3)}{(4x-1)^5}$$

4.9 Combining Differentiation Rules

2) $f(x) = (2x+3)(\sqrt{5x-1})$ if $p \cdot q$ then
 $f'(x) = 2(5x-1)^{\frac{1}{2}} + \frac{1}{2}(5x-1)^{-\frac{1}{2}}(5)(2x+3)$ $p'q + q'p$

3) $y = \frac{3}{(2x+1)^5} = 3(2x+1)^{-5}$
 $\frac{dy}{dx} = -15(2x+1)^{-6}(2) = \frac{-30}{(2x+1)^6}$

4) $f(x) = \sqrt{x}(x^2+x^3)$
 $= x^{\frac{1}{2}}(x^2+x^3) = x^{\frac{5}{2}} + x^{\frac{7}{2}}$

$$f'(x) = \frac{5}{2}x^{\frac{3}{2}} + \frac{7}{2}x^{\frac{5}{2}} = \frac{5}{2}\sqrt{x^3} + \frac{7}{2}\sqrt{x^5}$$

4.10 Implicit Differentiation

implicit
- not obvious

$$x^2 + y^2 = 25$$

$$xy^3 + y^2 + 3x = 6$$

explicit

$$y = x^2$$

$$y = 3x + 1$$

* Key - chain rule

$$y = x^2$$

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

$$y = x^2 \quad y \leftarrow x \leftarrow t$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{dy}{dx} \cdot \frac{dx}{dt}$$

$$= 2x \boxed{\frac{dx}{dt}}$$

compensating term

$$y = x^2$$

$$\frac{dy}{dp} = 2x \frac{dx}{dp}$$

4.10 Implicit Differentiation

$$\frac{d(x^2)}{dx} = 2x$$

$$\frac{d(x^2)}{dt} = 2x \frac{dx}{dt}$$

$$\frac{d(y^2)}{dx} = 2y \frac{dy}{dx}$$

if $x^2 + y^2 = 25$, find $\frac{dy}{dx}$

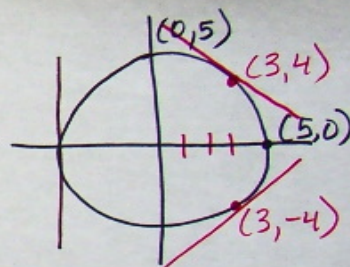
$$\frac{d(x^2)}{dx} + \frac{d(y^2)}{dx} = \frac{d(25)}{dx}$$

$$2x + 2y \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

* isolate $\frac{dy}{dx}$

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

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-2x}{2y} = -\frac{x}{y} \quad y \neq 0$$



4.10 Implicit Differentiation

$$x^2 + 3xy - y^3 = 9 \quad \text{find } \frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$\frac{d(x^2)}{dx} + \frac{d(3xy)}{dx} - \frac{d(y^3)}{dx} = \frac{d(9)}{dx}$$

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

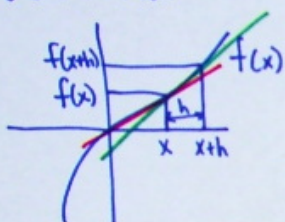
$$2x + 3y = 3y^2 \frac{dy}{dx} - 3x \frac{dy}{dx}$$

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

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

Chapter 4.11 Review

1) definition of a derivative



$$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$$

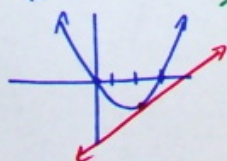
$$\frac{dy}{dx} = f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

ex 1 $f(x) = x^2 - 3x$ find $f'(x)$ find $f'(2)$

$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{[(x+h)^2 - 3(x+h)] - [x^2 - 3x]}{h} = \frac{x^2 + 2xh + h^2 - 3x - 3h - x^2 + 3x}{h}$$

$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2xh + h^2 - 3h}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (2x + h - 3) = 2x - 3$$

$$f'(2) = 1$$



2) Differentiate Functions using Rules

a) do not simplify

$$y = 3x^4 + 5x^2 - 2$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 12x^3 + 10x$$

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

$$f'(x) = 6(3x-2)^5(3)$$

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

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

$$y = 5\sqrt{2x-1} = 5(2x-1)^{1/2}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 5\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)(2x-1)^{-1/2}(2)$$

b) simplest form - factored (x)

$$y = (2x-1)^3(5x+3)^4$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 3(2x-1)^2(2)(5x+3)^4 + 4(5x+3)^3(5)(2x-1)^3$$

$$= 2(2x-1)^2(5x+3)^3 [3(5x+3) + 10(2x-1)]$$

$$= (2)(2x-1)^2(5x+3)^3 (35x-1) \text{ simplest factored form}$$

3) applications

find the points where the tangent line is horizontal to

$$y = \frac{x^2-1}{x^2+1}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2x(x^2+1) - 2x(x^2-1)}{(x^2+1)^2} = 0$$

$$\frac{a}{b} = 0$$

$$a=0$$

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

$$\frac{2x[x^2+1 - x^2+1]}{(x^2+1)^2} = 0$$

$$\frac{2x(a)}{(?)^2} = 0$$

$$(0, -1)$$

4) implicit differentiation

find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ for $x^3 + x^2y - 3y^2 = 2$ implicit

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

$$3x^2 + 2xy + (1)\frac{dy}{dx}x^2 - 6y\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$3x^2 + 2xy = 6y\frac{dy}{dx} - x^2\frac{dy}{dx} \quad \text{if } a=b \text{ then } b=a$$

$$= \frac{dy}{dx} [6y - x^2]$$

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