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## Worksheet 2.7—Implicit Differentiation

Show all work. No calculator unless otherwise stated.

## **Short Answer**

- 1. Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ . Show all necessary rewrites and show  $\frac{d}{dx}$  [Left Side] =  $\frac{d}{dx}$  [Right Side].
  - (a)  $x^3 3x^2y + 4xy^2 = 12$  (b)  $\sqrt{xy} = x + 3y$  (c)  $4\sin 2y\cos x = 2$

(d) 
$$(y^2 + 2\sec y)^2 = 4(x+1)^2$$
 (e)  $x = y \sec\left(\frac{5}{y}\right)$ 

2. Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  at the indicated point, then find the equation of the indicated line at the point.

(a) 
$$y^2 = \frac{x^2 - 4}{x^2 + 4}$$
 at (2,0), tangent line (b)  $(x + y)^3 = x^3 + y^3$  at (-1,1), normal line

3. Find 
$$\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2}$$
 in terms of x and y.  
(a)  $1 - xy = x - y$ 

(b) 
$$\sqrt[3]{x^2} + \sqrt[3]{y^2} = 1$$

4. The graph of the equation  $y^4 = y^2 - x^2$  is shown at right.

(a) Verify that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2x}{2y - 4y^3}$ . Show the work that leads to your answer.



(b) Find the point(s) (x, y) at which the graph has a horizontal tangent line. Show the work that leads to your answer.

(c) Find the *y*-value(s) which the graph has a vertical tangent line. Show the work that leads to your answer.

(d) While the graph exists at (0,0), the slope does not. Using  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ , explain why this is so.

5. Consider the curve given by  $6 + x^3 y = xy^2$ 

(a) Show that 
$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y^2 - 3x^2y}{x^3 - 2xy}$$

(b) Find every point(s) on the graph of the curve that has an *x*-coordinate of 1, then write an equation for the tangent line at every/each of these point(s).

(c) The graph of the curve has vertical tangent lines. Find the *x*-coordinate of each of these vertical tangent lines. Show the work that leads to your answer.

6. Find the two points where the curve  $x^2 + xy + y^2 = 7$  crosses the *x*-axis, and show that the tangents to the curve at these points are parallel. What is the common slope of these tangents?

7. Find the equations of the **normal** lines to the curve xy + 2x - y = 0 that are parallel to the line 2x + y = 0

8. The slope of the tangent line is -1 at the point (0,1) on the graph of  $x^3 - 6xy - ky^3 = a$ , where *k* and *a* are constants. The values of the constants *a* and *k* are what?

## **Multiple Choice**

9. Find y' when  $xy + 5x + 2x^2 = 4$ . (A)  $y' = \frac{5 + 2x - y}{2x - y}$ 

x  
(B) 
$$y' = -\frac{y+5+4x}{x}$$
  
(C)  $y' = -(y+5+4x)$   
(D)  $y' = -\frac{y+5+2x}{x}$   
(E)  $y' = \frac{y+5+4x}{x}$ 

$$= 10. \text{ Find } \frac{dy}{dx} \text{ when } \frac{3}{\sqrt{x}} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{y}} = 4$$

$$(A) \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{3}{2} \left(\frac{y}{x}\right)^{3/2}$$

$$(B) \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3}{2} (xy)^{1/2}$$

$$(C) \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{2}{3} \left(\frac{x}{y}\right)^{3/2}$$

$$(D) \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2}{3} \left(\frac{x}{y}\right)^{3/2}$$

$$(E) \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3}{2} \left(\frac{y}{x}\right)^{3/2}$$

\_\_\_\_\_11. Find the equation of the tangent line to the graph of  $y^2 - xy - 12 = 0$  at the point (1,4).

- (A) 3y = 2x + 10
- (B) 3y + 2x = 10
- (C) y = 4x
- (D) 7y = 4x + 24
- (E) 7y + 4x = 24
- 12. The points *P* and *Q* on the graph of  $y^2 xy + 8 = 0$  have the same *x*-coordinate, x = 6. The point of intersection of the tangents to the graph at *P* and *Q* is

(A) 
$$\left(\frac{8}{3}, \frac{16}{3}\right)$$
  
(B)  $\left(\frac{16}{3}, \frac{8}{3}\right)$   
(C)  $\left(\frac{16}{3}, \frac{16}{3}\right)$   
(D)  $\left(\frac{8}{3}, \frac{8}{3}\right)$   
(E)  $\left(\frac{8}{3}, \frac{2}{3}\right)$ 

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$$-13. \text{ Determine } \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} \text{ when } 4x^2 + 3y^2 = 4$$
(A)  $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} = \frac{16}{9y^2}$ 
(B)  $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} = -\frac{16}{9y^2}$ 
(C)  $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} = -\frac{4}{9y^3}$ 
(D)  $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} = -\frac{16}{9y^3}$ 
(E)  $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} = \frac{16}{9y^3}$ 

14. When an object is placed at a distance *p* from a convex lens having focal length of 5 cm, the image will be at a distance *q* cm from the lens, with  $\frac{1}{5} = \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q}$ . Find the rate of change of *p* with respect to *q*. (Hint: Based on your answer choices, you should try to explicitly solve for either *p* or *q* before differentiating).

(A) 
$$\frac{dp}{dq} = \frac{25}{q-5}$$
  
(B)  $\frac{dp}{dq} = \frac{25}{(q-5)^2}$   
(C)  $\frac{dp}{dq} = -\frac{25}{q-5}$   
(D)  $\frac{dp}{dq} = -\frac{5}{(q-5)^2}$   
(E)  $\frac{dp}{dq} = -\frac{25}{(q-5)^2}$