

2.5 Notes and Examples

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Implicit Differentiation

Implicit vs. Explicit:

Explicit Examples:

Implicit Examples:

1. Use the chain rule as you differentiate with respect to x :

(a) $\frac{d}{dx} [x^3] =$

(b) $\frac{d}{dx} [y^3] =$

(c) $\frac{d}{dx} [x + 3y] =$

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

Ok, now we use this to differentiate both sides of an equation....

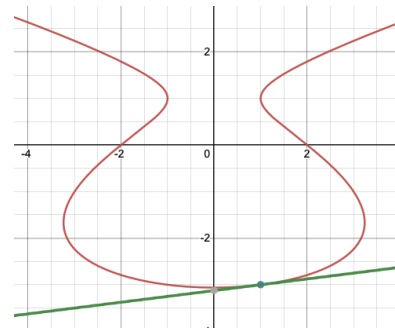
Guidelines for Implicit Differentiation

1. Differentiate both sides of the equation with respect to _____
(or sometimes _____ or some other variable)
2. Collect all terms involving _____ (or _____) on the left side of the equation, and move all other terms to the _____ side of the equation.
3. _____ $\frac{dy}{dx}$ (or $\frac{dy}{dt}$) out of the side of the equation.
4. _____ for _____ (or _____).

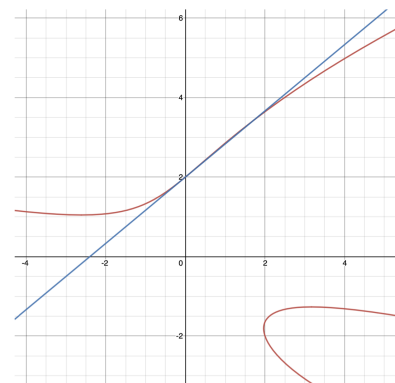
2. Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ given that $y^3 + y^2 - 5y - x^2 = -4$

3. Find the tangent line of the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 25$ at the point $(4, 3)$.

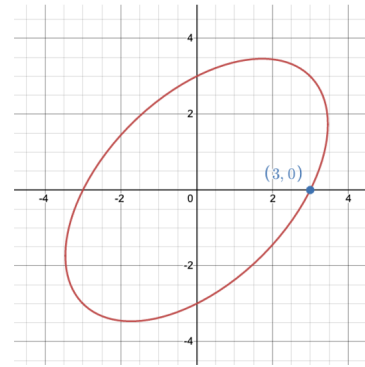
4. Consider the curve $y^3 + y^2 - 5y - x^2 = -4$. What is the slope of the tangent line at $(1, -3)$?



5. Find the tangent line equation for $y^3 - 5xy - x^2 = 8$ at the point $(0, 2)$



6. Consider the Ellipse $x^2 - xy + y^2 = 9$



(a) Find the tangent line at the point $(3, 0)$

(b) Find the coordinates of the points when the tangent line is horizontal.

(c) Find the coordinates of the points when the tangent line is vertical.