

10.3a Parametric Equations and Derivatives

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$$* \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy/dt}{dx/dt} \quad \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{\frac{d}{dt} \left[\frac{dy}{dx} \right]}{dx/dt}$$

Find dy/dx

$$2) \begin{array}{l} x = \sqrt[3]{t} \\ y = 4-t \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} \frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{1}{3}t^{-2/3} = \frac{1}{3t^{2/3}} \\ \frac{dy}{dt} = -1 \end{array} \quad \left| \frac{\frac{dy}{dt}}{\frac{dx}{dt}} = \frac{-1}{\frac{1}{3t^{2/3}}} = \boxed{-3t^{2/3}} \right.$$

$$4) \begin{array}{l} x = 2e^t \\ y = e^{-t/2} \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} \frac{dx}{dt} = 2e^t \cdot 1 \\ \frac{dy}{dt} = e^{-t/2} \cdot -\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \quad \left| \frac{\frac{dy}{dt}}{\frac{dx}{dt}} = \frac{-\frac{1}{2}e^{-t/2}}{2e^t} = \frac{-1}{4e^{3t/2}} = \boxed{\frac{-1}{4e^{3t/2}}} \right.$$

Find slope and concavity

$$6) \begin{array}{l} x = \sqrt{t} \\ y = 3t-1 \end{array} \quad \underline{t=1} \quad \begin{array}{l} \frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{1}{2}t^{-1/2} \\ \frac{dy}{dt} = 3 \end{array} \quad \left| \frac{\frac{dy}{dt}}{\frac{dx}{dt}} = \frac{3}{\frac{1}{2}t^{1/2}} = 6t^{1/2} \quad \frac{dy}{dx} \Big|_{t=1} = 6(1)^{1/2} = \boxed{6} \right.$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{\frac{d}{dt}(6t^{1/2})}{\frac{1}{2\sqrt{t}}} = \frac{6 \cdot \frac{1}{2}t^{-1/2}}{\frac{1}{2\sqrt{t}}} = \boxed{6}$$

$$8) \begin{array}{l} x = t^2 + 5t + 4 \\ y = 4t \end{array} \quad t=0 \quad \begin{array}{l} \frac{dx}{dt} = 2t+5 \\ \frac{dy}{dt} = 4 \end{array} \quad \left| \frac{\frac{dy}{dt}}{\frac{dx}{dt}} = \frac{4}{2(0)+5} = \boxed{\frac{4}{5}} \right.$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{\frac{d}{dt} \left[\frac{4}{2t+5} \right]}{\frac{d}{dt} [4(2t+5)^{-1}]} = \frac{4(-1)(2t+5)^{-2}(2)}{2t+5} = \frac{-8}{(2t+5)^3}$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} \Big|_{t=0} = \frac{-8}{(2(0)+5)^3} = \boxed{\frac{-8}{125}} \quad (\text{concave down})$$

10) $x = \cos \theta$ $y = 3 \sin \theta$ $\theta = 0$

$\frac{dx}{d\theta} = -\sin \theta$ $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3 \cos \theta}{-\sin \theta} = -3 \cot \theta$ $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{\frac{d}{d\theta}[-3 \cot \theta]}{-\sin \theta} = \frac{-3 \csc^2 \theta}{-\sin \theta}$

$\frac{dy}{d\theta} = 3 \cos \theta$ $\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{\theta=0} = -3 \cot 0 = \text{undefined}$ $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{3}{\sin^3 \theta}$ $\left. \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} \right|_{\theta=0} = \frac{3}{(\sin 0)^3} = \text{undefined}$

12) $x = \sqrt{t}$ $y = \sqrt{t-1}$ $t = 2$

$\frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{1}{2} t^{-1/2}$ $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\frac{1}{2}(t-1)^{-1/2}}{\frac{1}{2}(t)^{-1/2}} = \sqrt{\frac{t}{t-1}}$ $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{\frac{d}{dt} \left[\sqrt{\frac{t}{t-1}} \right]}{\frac{1}{2} t^{-1/2}} = \frac{\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{t}{t-1} \right)^{-1/2} \left[\frac{1(t-1) - t(1)}{(t-1)^2} \right]}{\frac{1}{2} t^{-1/2}}$

$\frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{1}{2}(t-1)^{-1/2}$ $\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{t=2} = \sqrt{\frac{2}{2-1}} = \sqrt{2}$ $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{-1}{(t-1)^{3/2}}$ $\left. \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} \right|_{t=2} = \frac{-1}{(2-1)^{3/2}} = \boxed{-1}$
Concave down

14) $x = \theta - \sin \theta$ $y = 1 - \cos \theta$ $\theta = \pi$

$\frac{dx}{d\theta} = 1 - \cos \theta$ $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\sin \theta}{1 - \cos \theta}$ $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{\frac{d}{d\theta} \left[\frac{\sin \theta}{1 - \cos \theta} \right]}{1 - \cos \theta} = \frac{\cos \theta - \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta}{\cos \theta (1 - \cos \theta) - \sin \theta (1 + \sin \theta)}$

$\frac{dy}{d\theta} = \sin \theta$ $\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{\theta=\pi} = \frac{\sin \pi}{1 - \cos \pi} = \frac{0}{1 - (-1)} = 0$ $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{\cos \theta - 1}{(1 - \cos \theta)^2} = \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{-1}{(1 - \cos \theta)^2}$

$\left. \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} \right|_{\theta=\pi} = \frac{-1}{(1 - \cos \pi)^2} = \frac{-1}{(2)^2} = \boxed{\frac{-1}{4}}$
Concave down

16) Find equation of tangent line

$x = 2 - 3 \cos \theta$ $y = 3 + 2 \sin \theta$

$\frac{dx}{dt} = 3 \sin \theta$ $\frac{dy}{dt} = 2 \cos \theta$

$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2 \cos \theta}{3 \sin \theta} = \frac{2}{3} \cot \theta$

a) $(-1, 3)$ $-1 = 2 - 3 \cos \theta$
 $1 = \cos \theta$
 $\theta = 0$

$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{(-1, 3)} = \left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{\theta=0} = \frac{2}{3} \cot 0 = \text{undefined}$
line: $x = -1$

b) $(2, 5)$

$2 = 2 - 3 \cos \theta$
 $0 = \cos \theta$
 $\theta = \pi/2$

$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{\theta=\pi/2} = \frac{2}{3} \cot(\pi/2) = 0$

$y = 5$

c) $\left(\frac{4+3\sqrt{3}}{2}, 2 \right)$

$\sin \theta = -1/2$ $\theta = 7\pi/6$

$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{\theta=7\pi/6} = \frac{2 \cos 7\pi/6}{3 \sin 7\pi/6} = \frac{2 \cdot \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}}{3 \cdot \frac{1}{2}} = \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{3}$

$y - 2 = \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{3} \left[x - \frac{4+3\sqrt{3}}{2} \right]$ $\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{\theta=7\pi/6} = \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{3}$

18) Write equation of tangent lines

$$x = t^4 + 2$$

$$y = t^3 + t$$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 4t^3$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = 3t^2 + 1$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3t^2 + 1}{4t^3} = \frac{3t^2 + 1}{4t^3}$$

a) (3, -2)

$$3 = t^4 + 2 \quad t^4 = 1 \quad t = -1$$

$$-2 = t^3 + t \quad t = -1$$

$$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{t=-1} = \frac{3(-1)^2 + 1}{-4} = \frac{4}{-4} = -1$$

$$y + 2 = -1(x - 3)$$

b) (2, 0)

$$2 = t^4 + 2 \quad t = 0$$

$$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{t=0} = \frac{3(0)^2 + 1}{0} = \text{undefined} \quad \boxed{\text{line } x=2}$$

c) (18, 10)

$$18 = t^4 + 2 \quad t^4 = 16 \quad t = 2$$

$$10 = t^3 + t \quad t = 2$$

$$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{t=2} = \frac{3(2)^2 + 1}{4(2)^3} = \frac{13}{32}$$

$$y - 10 = \frac{13}{32}(x - 18)$$

20) Find equation of tangent line

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

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 1$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = -t^{-2}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-t^{-2}}{1} = -\frac{1}{t^2}$$

$$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{t=1} = -\frac{1}{1} = -1$$

$$x(1) = 1 - 2 = -1$$

$$y(1) = \frac{1}{1} + 3 = 4$$

point (-1, 4) slope: m = -1

$$y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$$

$$y - 4 = -1(x + 1)$$

22) $x = 3t - t^2$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 3 - 2t$$

$$y = 2t^{3/2} \quad t = 1/4$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = 2 \cdot \frac{3}{2} t^{1/2}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3t^{1/2}}{3 - 2t}$$

$$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{t=1/4} = \frac{3(1/4)^{1/2}}{3 - 2(1/4)} = \frac{3/2}{5/2}$$

$$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{t=1/4} = \frac{3}{5}$$

$$x(1/4) = 3(1/4) - (1/4)^2$$

$$= \frac{3}{4} - \frac{1}{16} = \frac{12}{16} - \frac{1}{16} = \frac{11}{16}$$

$$y(1/4) = 2(1/4)^{3/2} = \frac{2}{8} = \frac{1}{4}$$

point: $(\frac{11}{16}, \frac{1}{4})$ $m = \frac{3}{5}$

$$y - \frac{1}{4} = \frac{3}{5}(x - \frac{11}{16})$$

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24) Find equation of tangent line: (where curve crosses itself)

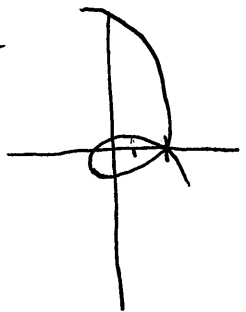
$$x = 2 - \pi \cos t \quad y = 2t - \pi \sin t \quad 2t - \pi \sin t = 2 - \pi \cos t$$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = +\pi \sin t$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = 2 - \pi \cos t$$

*crosses itself at (2,0)

$$t = \pm \pi/2$$



$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2 - \pi \cos t}{\pi \sin t}$$

$$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{t=\pi/2} = \frac{2-0}{\pi(1)} = \frac{2}{\pi}$$

point: (2, 0)

slope: $\frac{2}{\pi}$

$$y - 0 = \frac{2}{\pi}(x - 2)$$

at $t = -\pi/2$

$$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{t=-\pi/2} = \frac{2-0}{\pi(-1)} = -\frac{2}{\pi}$$

point: (2, 0) slope: $m = -\frac{2}{\pi}$

$$y - 0 = -\frac{2}{\pi}(x - 2)$$

$$26) \quad x = t^3 - 6t \quad y = t^2$$

crosses itself: (0, 6)

$$0 = t(t^2 - 6)$$

$$t = \pm\sqrt{6}$$

$$6 = t^2$$

$$t = \pm\sqrt{6}$$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 3t^2 - 6$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2t}{3t^2 - 6}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = 2t$$

at $t = \sqrt{6}$

$$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{t=\sqrt{6}} = \frac{2\sqrt{6}}{3(6)-6} = \frac{2\sqrt{6}}{12} = \frac{\sqrt{6}}{6}$$

point: (0, 6)
slope: $m = \frac{\sqrt{6}}{6}$

$$y - 6 = \frac{\sqrt{6}}{6}(x - 0)$$

at $t = -\sqrt{6}$

$$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{t=-\sqrt{6}} = \frac{2(-\sqrt{6})}{3(6)-6} = \frac{-2\sqrt{6}}{12} = -\frac{\sqrt{6}}{6}$$

point: (0, 6) slope: $m = -\frac{\sqrt{6}}{6}$

$$y - 6 = -\frac{\sqrt{6}}{6}(x - 0)$$

Horizontal and Vertical Tangency

* Horizontal tangent occurs where $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{0}{\text{nonzero}}$, where $\frac{dy}{dt} = 0$

* Vertical tangent occurs where $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\text{nonzero}}{0}$, where $\frac{dx}{dt} = 0$

28) $x = 2\theta$ $y = 2(1 - \cos\theta)$

Horizontal tangent set $\frac{dy}{dt} = 0$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \frac{dy}{dt} = 2 \\ \frac{dy}{dt} = 0 - 2(-\sin\theta) \\ 0 = 2\sin\theta \end{array} \right| \begin{array}{l} \theta = 0, \pi, 2\pi, \dots, n\pi \end{array}$$

points: $(0, 0), (2\pi, 4), (4\pi, 0)$

Vertical tangent: $\frac{dx}{dt} = 0$, $\frac{dx}{dt} = 2 \neq 0$, no vertical tangents on graph.

30) $x = t + 1$ $y = t^2 + 3t$

$\frac{dy}{dt} = 2t + 3$ horizontal tangent: set $\frac{dy}{dt} = 0$ $2t + 3 = 0$ $t = -\frac{3}{2}$

point: $x(-\frac{3}{2}) = -\frac{1}{2}$ $y(-\frac{3}{2}) = \frac{9}{4} - \frac{9}{2} = -\frac{9}{4}$ | point: $(-\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{9}{4})$
 slope: $m = 0$
 $y = -\frac{9}{4}$

$\frac{dx}{dt} = t + 1$ vertical tangent

$\frac{dx}{dt} = 1$, $0 \neq 1$ no vertical tangents

~~$x(1) = 0$~~

~~$y(1) = 1 - 3 = -2$~~

$$32) \quad x = t^2 - t + 2 \quad y = t^3 - 3t$$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 2t - 1$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = 3t^2 - 3$$

horizontal tangent:

$$\text{set } \frac{dy}{dt} = 0, \quad 3t^2 - 3 = 0, \quad t^2 = 1 \quad t = \pm 1$$

$$x(1) = 2$$

$$y(1) = 1 - 3 = -2$$

$$\text{point: } (2, -2)$$

$$y = -2$$

$$x(-1) = 4$$

$$y(-1) = 2$$

$$\text{point: } (4, 2)$$

$$y = 2$$

vertical tangent:

$$\text{set } \frac{dx}{dt} = 0 \quad 2t - 1 = 0 \quad t = 1/2$$

$$x(1/2) = 7/4$$

$$y(1/2) = -1/8$$

$$\text{point: } (7/4, -1/8)$$

$$x = 7/4$$

$$34) \quad x = \cos \theta \quad y = 2 \sin 2\theta \quad \frac{dx}{d\theta} = -\sin \theta \quad \frac{dy}{d\theta} = 2 \cos 2\theta \cdot 2 = 4 \cos 2\theta$$

horizontal tangent:

$$\text{set } \frac{dy}{d\theta} = 0 \quad 4 \cos 2\theta = 0 \quad 2\theta = \pi/2, 3\pi/2, 5\pi/2, 7\pi/2$$

$$\cos 2\theta = 0$$

$$2\theta = \cos^{-1}(0)$$

$$\theta = \pi/4, 3\pi/4, 5\pi/4, 7\pi/4$$

$$\text{points: } \left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, 2\right), \left(-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, -2\right)$$

$$\left(-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, 2\right), \left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, -2\right)$$

vertical tangent:

$$\frac{dx}{d\theta} = -\sin \theta$$

$$-\sin \theta = 0$$

$$\theta = 0, \pi$$

$$\text{points: } (1, 0), (-1, 0)$$

36) $x = 4\cos^2\theta$ $y = 2\sin\theta$

$\frac{dx}{d\theta} = 8\cos\theta(-\sin\theta)$ $\frac{dy}{d\theta} = 2\cos\theta$

horizontal tangent: $\frac{dy}{d\theta} = 0 = 2\cos\theta$ $\theta = \pi/2, 3\pi/2$, none

vertical tangent: $\frac{dx}{d\theta} = 0, -8\cos\theta\sin\theta = 0$ $\theta = \pi/2, 3\pi/2$ 0 π

point: (4, 0)

38) $x = \cos^2\theta$ $y = \cos\theta$ $\frac{dx}{d\theta} = 2\cos\theta(-\sin\theta)$ $\frac{dy}{d\theta} = -\sin\theta$

$= -\sin 2\theta$

Horizontal tangent:

$\frac{dy}{d\theta} = 0$ $-\sin\theta = 0$ $\theta = 0, \pi$ none

Vertical tangent:

$\frac{dx}{d\theta} = 0$ $-\sin 2\theta = 0$ $2\theta = \sin^{-1}(0)$ $2\theta = 0, \pi, 2\pi, 3\pi$ $\theta = 0, \pi/2, \pi, 3\pi/2, 2\pi$

point: (0, 0)

40) Determine intervals concave up/down

$x = 2+t^2$ $y = t^2+t^3$

$\frac{dx}{dt} = 2t$ $\frac{dy}{dt} = 2t+3t^2$

$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2t+3t^2}{2t} = \frac{2+3t}{2} = 1 + \frac{3}{2}t$

$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{d}{dt} \left[1 + \frac{3}{2}t \right] = \frac{3/2}{2t} = \frac{3}{4t}$

concave up for $t > 0$

concave down for $t < 0$

$$42) \quad x = t^2 \quad y = \ln t \quad \frac{dx}{dt} = 2t \quad \frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{1}{t}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\frac{1}{t}}{2t} = \frac{1}{2t^2} = \frac{1}{2}t^{-2} \quad \left| \quad \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{\frac{1}{2} \cdot -2t^{-3}}{2t} = \frac{-1}{2}t^{-4} = \boxed{\frac{-1}{2t^4}}$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{\frac{d}{dt} \left[\frac{1}{2}t^{-2} \right]}{2t}$$

Domain: $t > 0$

graph is always concave down for $t > 0$

$$44) \quad x = 4\cos t \quad y = 2\sin t \quad 0 < t < 2\pi$$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = -4\sin t \quad \frac{dy}{dt} = 2\cos t \quad \left| \quad \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{\frac{d}{dt} \left[\frac{-1}{2} \cot(t) \right]}{-4\sin t} = \frac{+\frac{1}{2} \csc^2 t}{-4\sin t}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2\cos t}{-4\sin t} = -\frac{1}{2} \cot t$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{-1}{8\sin^3 t}$$

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concave down $(0, \pi)$

concave up $(\pi, 2\pi)$