

AP Calculus Ch. 2 Test Concept Review: Implicit Differentiation

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Key

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1) *Find 2nd derivative

$$x^2 + y^2 = 4$$

$$2x + 2y \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right) = 0 \quad \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{(-1)(y) - (-x)\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)}{y^2}$$

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

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

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

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$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{-y - x^2/y}{y^2} \quad (y)$$

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

$$3) 1 - xy = x - y$$

2)

$$x^2 - y^2 = 36$$

$$2x - 2y \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right) = 0 \quad -2y\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right) = -2x$$

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

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

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{y - x\left(\frac{x}{y}\right)}{y^2}$$

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

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

$$\boxed{\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{-36}{y^3}}$$

$$0 - \left[(1)(y) + x\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right) \right] = 1 - \frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$-y - x\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right) = 1 - \frac{dy}{dx}$$

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

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

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

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

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

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

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$$2y \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right) = 10$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{10}{2y} = \frac{5}{y}$$

$$\boxed{\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{5}{y}}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 5y^{-1}$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = -5y^{-2} \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right)$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{-5}{y^2} \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right)$$

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$$\boxed{\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = -\frac{25}{y^3}}$$

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

$$8y \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right) + 0 = 6x$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{6x}{8y}$$

$$\boxed{\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3x}{4y}}$$

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

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{12y - 12x \left(\frac{3x}{4y} \right)}{16y^2}$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{12y - \frac{9x^2}{y}}{16y^2}$$

$$(y)$$

$$\boxed{\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{12y^2 - 9x^2}{16y^3}}$$

*product rule

$$x^3 - 2y^3 + (x)(y) = 0$$

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

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-4}{-5}$$

$$3(1)^2 - 6(1) \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right) + 1(1) + (1) \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right) = 0$$

$$3 - 6 \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right) + 1 + 1 \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right) = 0$$

$$\boxed{\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{4}{5}}$$

$$4 - 5 \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right) = 0$$

$$-5 \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right) = -4$$