

Math 1450 - Calculus 1

Fri, Oct. 24

Announcements:

- * HW 9 due next Thursday, 3.7 + 3.9
- * Quiz 7 next Thursday

Today:

- 3.7: Implicit Functions
- 3.9: Linear Approximations

Office Hours

Mondays, 12-1

Wednesdays, 2-3

+ Help Desk! 12-1

Implicit functions are defined by equations involving x and y .

(something with an "=" sign)

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

not possible to write as $y = [\quad]$

Ex: $y^3 - x \cdot y = -6$

This means "the infinite set of (x, y) points for which the equation $y^3 - xy = -6$ is true".

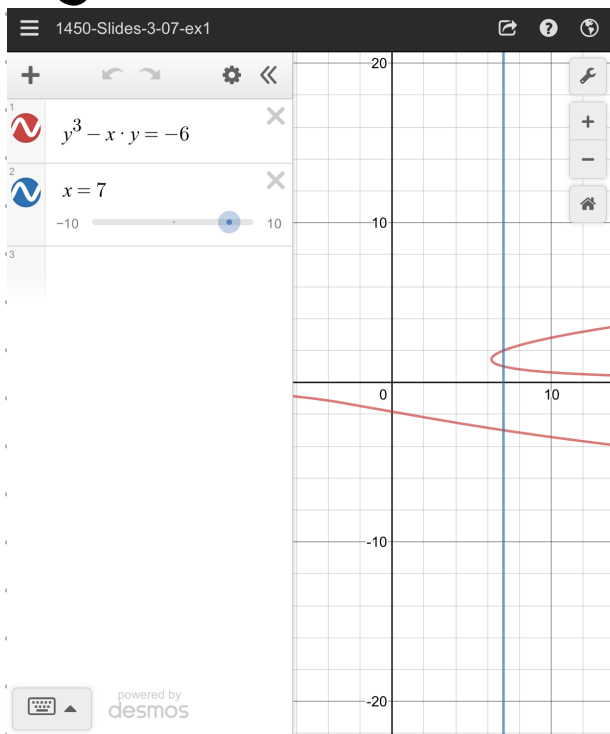
Is $(2, 4)$ on this graph?

$$4^3 - 2 \cdot 4 \stackrel{?}{=} -6$$

$$56 \stackrel{?}{=} -6$$

No, $(2, 4)$ is not on this graph.

$$y^3 - xy = -6$$



How do we find slopes
of tangent lines of
implicit functions?

Chain Rule

$$(7, -3)$$

$$(7, 1)$$

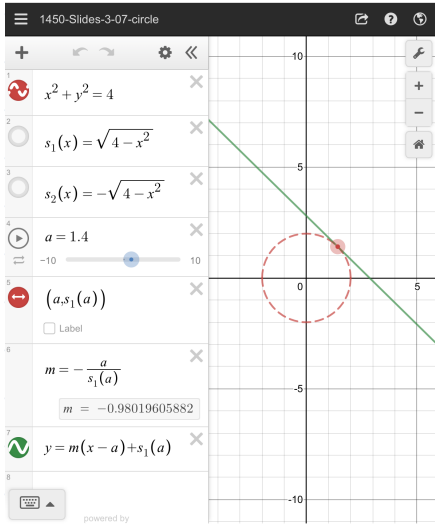
$$(7, 2)$$

$$\rightarrow (-3)^3 - 7 \cdot (-3) \\ -27 + 21 = -6 \checkmark$$

$$\rightarrow 1^3 - 7 \cdot (1) \\ 1 - 7 = -6 \checkmark$$

$$\rightarrow 2^3 - 7 \cdot 2 \\ = 8 - 14 = -6 \checkmark$$

Ex: $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ circle centered at $(0,0)$
with radius 2



Take the derivative of both sides:

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

$y(x)$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(x^2) + \frac{d}{dx}(y^2) = 0$$

$$2x + \frac{d}{dx}(y^2) = 0$$

$$2x + 2 \cdot y \cdot y' = 0$$

Solve for y' :

$$2 \cdot y \cdot y' = -2x$$

$$y' = -\frac{2x}{2y}$$

$$2 \cdot y \cdot y'$$

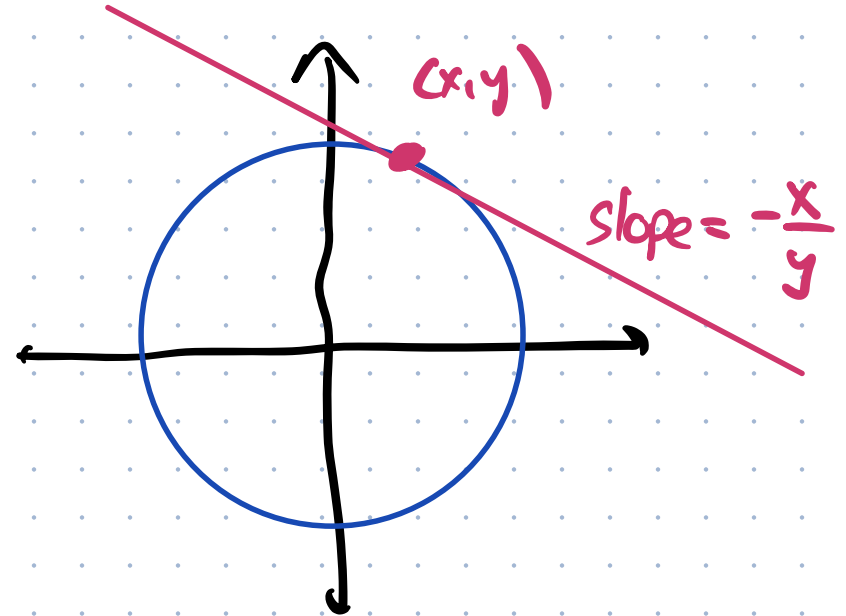
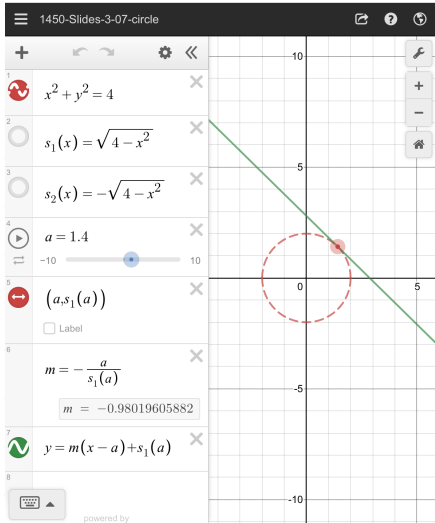
$$\frac{d}{dx}((f(x))^2) = 2 \cdot f(x) \cdot f'(x)$$

$$y' = -\frac{x}{y}$$

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

circle centered at $(0,0)$
with radius 2

$$y' = -\frac{x}{y}$$



$$\underline{Ex:} \quad y^3 - xy = -6$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(y^3 - xy) = \frac{d}{dx}(-6) = 0$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(y^3) - \frac{d}{dx}(xy) = 0$$

$$3y^2 \cdot y' - (1 \cdot y + x \cdot y') = 0$$

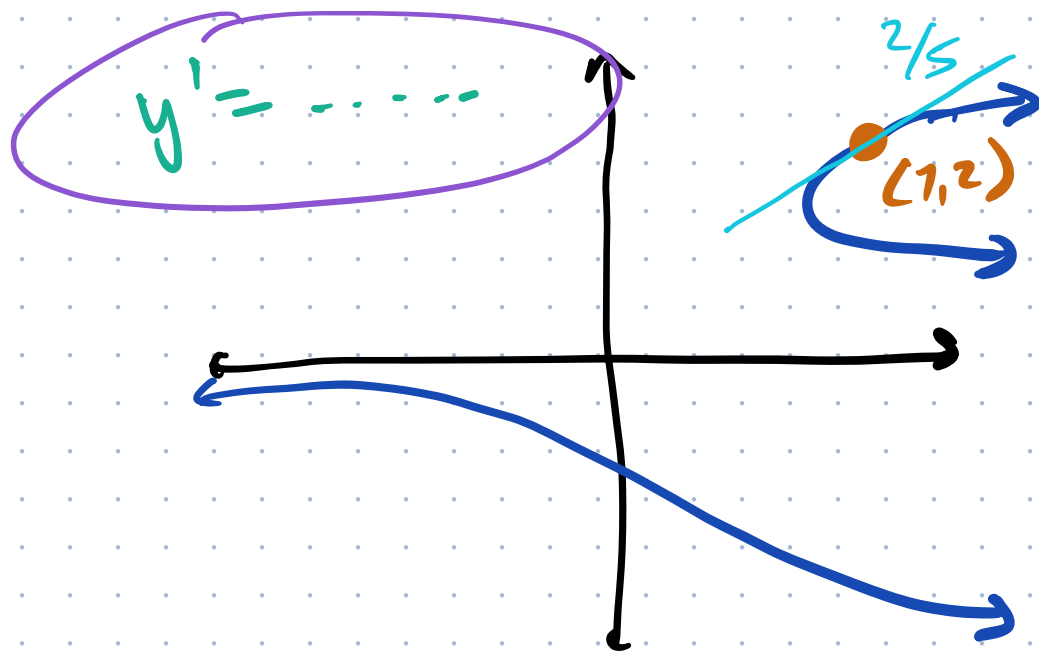
Solve for y' : get all terms with y' on one side, all terms without on the other side

$$3y^2 y' - y - xy' = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3y^2 y' - xy' = y$$

$$\Rightarrow y' \cdot (3y^2 - x) = y$$

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



$$\frac{d}{dx}(f \cdot g) = f' \cdot g + f \cdot g'$$

(7, 2)

$$\frac{2}{3 \cdot 2^2 - 7}$$

$$= \left(\frac{2}{5} \right)$$

$$y^3 \rightarrow [f(x)]^3$$

$$3 \cdot [f(x)]^2 \cdot \frac{d}{dx}$$

$$3 \cdot (f(x))^2 \cdot f'(x)$$

$$3 \cdot y^2 \cdot y'$$

On the implicit function $y^3 - xy = -6$,
what are the tangent lines at
 $x = 7$?

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

What points are on the graph
at $x = 7$? (what are the y -values?)

Plug in $x = 7$: $y^3 - 7y = -6$

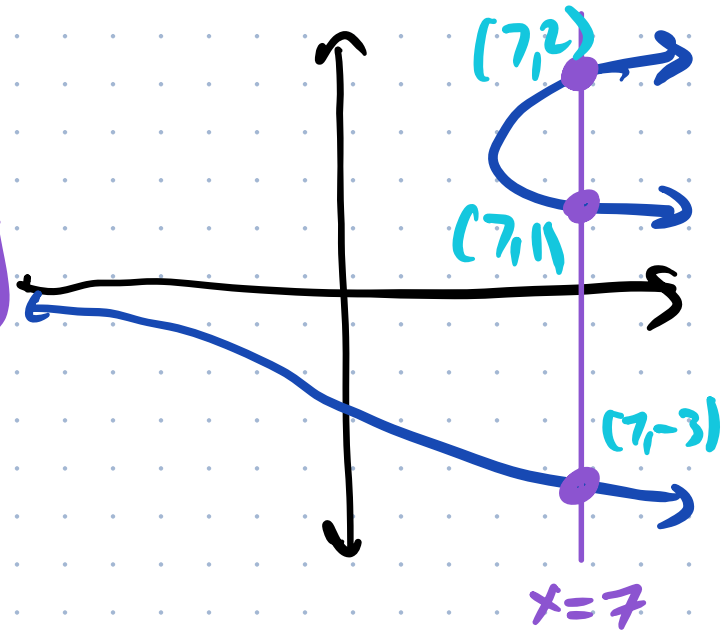
$$\Rightarrow y^3 - 7y + 6 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (y-1) \cdot (y-2) \cdot (y+3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 1, 2, -3$$

$$(7, 1), (7, 2), (7, -3)$$

↳ check: $1^3 - (7 \cdot 1) = -6$
 $1 - 7 = -6 \checkmark$



Not done yet, but
now we know the
3 points where
we need to find
the T.L.

On the implicit function $y^3 - xy = -6$,
what are the tangent lines at
 $x = 7$?

$(7, 1), (7, 2), (7, -3)$

slope at $(7, 1)$ is:

$$y' = \frac{1}{3 \cdot (1)^2 - 7} = -\frac{1}{4}$$

point: $(7, 1)$

slope: $-\frac{1}{4}$

$$y = -\frac{1}{4}(x - 7) + 1$$

$$= -\frac{1}{4}x + \frac{7}{4} + \frac{4}{4}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{4}x + \frac{11}{4}$$

$(7, 2)$ slope: $\frac{2}{5}$

$$y = \frac{2}{5}x - \frac{4}{5}$$

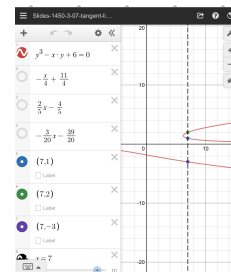
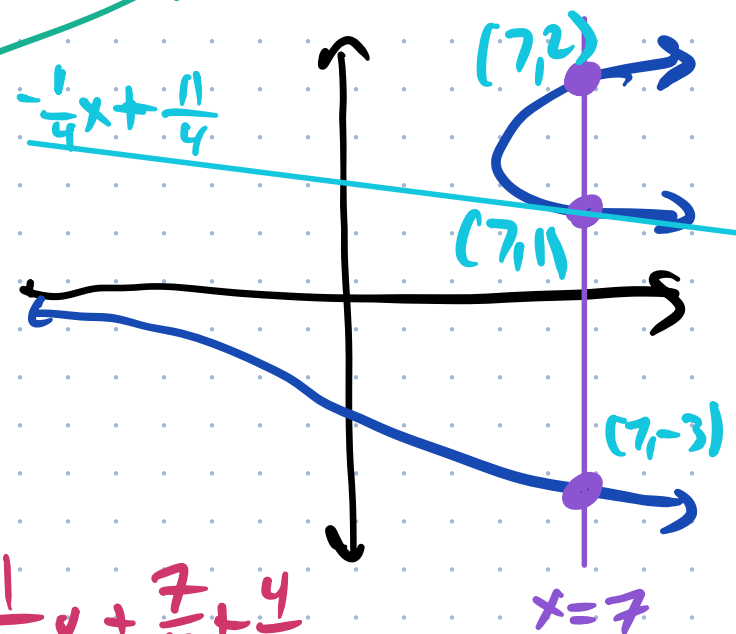
$(7, -3)$

→ slope

$$-\frac{3}{20}$$

$$y = -\frac{3}{20}x - \frac{39}{20}$$

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



$$\begin{pmatrix} 7, -3 \\ a \quad b \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{slope} \quad -\frac{3}{20}$$

$$y = m \cdot (x - a) + b$$

$$y - b = m \cdot (x - a)$$

$$y = -\frac{3}{20} \cdot (x - 7) + (-3)$$

$$= -\frac{3}{20}x + \left(\frac{3}{20}\right) \cdot 7 - \frac{60}{20}$$

$$= -\frac{3}{20}x + \frac{21}{20} - \frac{60}{20}$$

$$= -\frac{3}{20}x - \frac{39}{20}$$

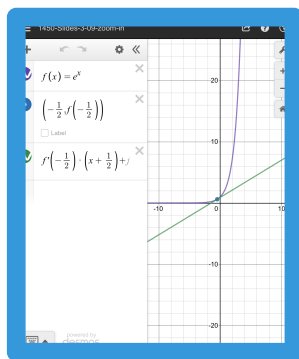
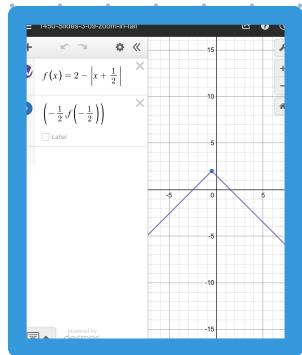
$$21 - 60 = -39$$

Not covering 3.8.

3.9: Linear Approximations and the Derivative

If you zoom in very close on any function at an x -value where it is differentiable, then it looks like a straight line.

Take away: The tangent line at a point is a pretty good approximation of the function as long as you don't look too far away from the point.



$$f(x) \approx f(a) + (x-a) \cdot f'(a)$$

