

## Week 4 Worksheet Thursday - Implicit Differentiation

**Instructions.** Discuss with your group mates and do the following problems. You are not expected to finish all the problems. :)

### Topic: Derivative Computing & Implicit Differentiation

1. Compute the Derivatives of the following functions (No need to use definition.)

(a)  $(\frac{1}{x^3} + e^{2x})^{100}$

(b)  $y = \sqrt[3]{x^5} e^{2x^2}$

(c)  $y = x^2$ . Compute  $(\frac{dy}{dx})^2$  and  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$

$y = (x^{-3} + e^{2x})^{100}$

(a)  $y' = 100(x^{-3} + e^{2x})^{99} (-3x^{-4} + e^{2x} \cdot 2)$

(b)  $y = x^{\frac{5}{3}} e^{2x^2}$

$y' = \frac{5}{3} x^{\frac{2}{3}} e^{2x^2} + x^{\frac{5}{3}} e^{2x^2} \cdot 4x$

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

2. Let's do this problem together. :)

Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  given  $xy + x^2y + (y+1)^2 = 1$ .

$$y + x \frac{dy}{dx} + 2xy + x^2 \frac{dy}{dx} + 2(y+1) \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

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

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

Now it's time for you to practice!

3. Given  $3x^2 - y^3 = 2$ . Find value of  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  and  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$  at point  $(1, 1)$ .

$$6x - 3y^2 \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

Plug in  $(1, 1)$

$$\Rightarrow 6 - 3 \frac{dy}{dx} \Big|_{(1,1)} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} \Big|_{(1,1)} = 2$$

~~$3y^2 \frac{dy}{dx} = 6x$~~  ← Take another  $\frac{d}{dx}$  to this eq.

$$6 - 6y \frac{dy}{dx} \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} - 3y^2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 0$$

$$6 - 6 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 - 3 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 0$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = -6$$

4. Find the slope of the tangent line at  $(2, 1)$  to the curve

$$x^2 + xy + 4y^2 = 10$$

$$2x + y + x \frac{dy}{dx} + 8y \frac{dy}{dx} = 10$$

Plug in  $(2, 1)$

$$4 + 1 + 2 \frac{dy}{dx} + 8 \frac{dy}{dx} = 10$$

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

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2}$$

- 5\* [More Challenging] Let  $y(x)$  be defined implicitly by

$$e^{xy} + (1+x)^3 + (1+y)^3 + y = 3$$

Find the tangent line to the graph of  $y(x)$  at a point  $x = y = 0$ .

$$e^{xy} \cdot [y + x \frac{dy}{dx}] + 3(1+x)^2 + 3(1+y)^2 \frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

Plug in  $x=y=0$

$$3 + 3 \frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$4 \frac{dy}{dx} = -3$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{3}{4}$$