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1  $y = 2x^2$  at  $(1, 2)$

$$x_1 = 1 \quad y_1 = 2$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 4x$$

$$m = \left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{x=1} = 4(1)$$

$$m = 4$$

a The equation of the tangent:

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

$$y - 2 = 4(x - 1)$$

$$y - 2 = 4x - 4$$

$$y = 4x - 4 + 2$$

$$y = 4x - 2 \quad \text{OR}$$

$$y - 4x + 2 = 0$$

b The equation of the normal:

$$y - y_1 = -\frac{1}{m}(x - x_1)$$

$$y - 2 = -\frac{1}{4}(x - 1)$$

$$4(y - 2) = -1(x - 1)$$

$$4y - 8 = -x + 1$$

$$4y = -x + 1 + 8$$

$$4y = -x + 9 \quad \text{OR}$$

$$4y + x - 9 = 0$$

$$y = 3x^2 - 2x \text{ at } (2, 8)$$

$$x_1 = 2 \quad y_1 = 8$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 6x - 2$$

$$m = \left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{x=2}$$

$$= 6(2) - 2$$

$$= 12 - 2$$

$$m = 10$$

The equation of the tangent

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

$$y - 8 = 10(x - 2)$$

$$y - 8 = 10x - 20$$

$$y = 10x - 20 + 8$$

$$y = 10x - 12 \quad \text{OR}$$

$$y - 10x + 12 = 0$$

The equation of the normal:

$$y - y_1 = -\frac{1}{m}(x - x_1)$$

$$y - 8 = -\frac{1}{10}(x - 2)$$

$$10(y - 8) = -1(x - 2)$$

$$10y - 80 = -x + 2$$

$$10y = -x + 2 + 80$$

$$10y = -x + 82 \quad \text{OR}$$

$$10y + x - 82 = 0$$

$$y = \frac{x^3}{2} \text{ at } \left(-1, -\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$x_1 = -1 \quad y_1 = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3x^2}{2}$$

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

$$m = \frac{3(-1)^2}{2}$$

$$m = \frac{3}{2}$$

3a The equation of the tangent:

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

$$y - \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{3}{2}(x - (-1))$$

$$y + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{3}{2}(x + 1)$$

$$2\left(y + \frac{1}{2}\right) = 3(x + 1)$$

$$2y + 1 = 3x + 3$$

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

$$2y = 3x + 2$$

OR

$$2y - 3x - 2 = 0$$

3b The equation of the normal:

$$y - y_1 = -\frac{1}{m}(x - x_1)$$

$$y - \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) = -\frac{1}{\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)}(x - (-1))$$

$$y + \frac{1}{2} = -\frac{2}{3}(x + 1)$$

$$3\left(y + \frac{1}{2}\right) = -2(x + 1)$$

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

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

$$3y = -2x - \frac{7}{2}$$

OR

$$3y + 2x + \frac{7}{2} = 0$$

4  $y = 1 + x - x^2$  at  $(-2, -5)$   
 $x_1 = -2$   $y_1 = -5$

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

$$m = \left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{x=-2}$$

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

$$= 1 + 4$$

$$m = 5$$

4a The equation of the tangent:

$$\begin{aligned}y - y_1 &= m(x - x_1) \\y - (-5) &= 5(x - (-2)) \\y + 5 &= 5(x + 2) \\y + 5 &= 5x + 10 \\y &= 5x + 10 - 5 \\y &= 5x + 5 \\ \text{OR} \\y - 5x - 5 &= 0\end{aligned}$$

4b The equation of the normal:

$$\begin{aligned}y - y_1 &= -\frac{1}{m}(x - x_1) \\y - (-5) &= -\frac{1}{5}(x - (-2)) \\y + 5 &= -\frac{1}{5}(x + 2) \\5(y + 5) &= -1(x + 2) \\5y + 25 &= -x - 2 \\5y &= -x - 2 - 25 \\5y &= -x - 27 \\ \text{OR} \\5y + x + 27 &= 0\end{aligned}$$

5  $y = \frac{1}{x}$  at  $(3, \frac{1}{3})$

$$x_1 = 3 \quad y_1 = \frac{1}{3}$$

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

$$m = \left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{x=3}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{3^2}$$

$$m = -\frac{1}{9}$$

5a The equation of the tangent:

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

$$y - \frac{1}{3} = -\frac{1}{9}(x - 3)$$

$$9\left(y - \frac{1}{3}\right) = -1(x - 3)$$

$$9y - 3 = -x + 3$$

$$9y = -x + 3 + 3$$

$$9y = -x + 6$$

OR

$$9y + x - 6 = 0$$

5b The equation of the normal:

$$y - y_1 = -\frac{1}{m}(x - x_1)$$

$$y - \frac{1}{3} = -\frac{1}{(-\frac{1}{9})}(x - 3)$$

$$y - \frac{1}{3} = 9(x - 3)$$

$$y - \frac{1}{3} = 9x - 27$$

$$y = 9x - 27 + \frac{1}{3}$$

$$y = 9x - \frac{80}{3}$$

OR

$$y - 9x + \frac{80}{3} = 0$$