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DEPT: MBBBS

1. For the curves in problem 1 to 5, at the points given, find (a) the equation of the tangent and (b) the equation of the normal
1. $y = 2x^2$ at the point $(1, 2)$
 2. $y = 3x^2 - 2x$ at the point
 3. $y = x$ at the point $(-1, -1/2)$
 4. $y = 1 + x - x^2$ at the point $(-2, -5)$
 5. $y = 1/x$ at the point $(3, 1/3)$

solution

1. $y = 2x^2$ at the point $(1, 2)$

$$y = 2x^2$$
$$m = \frac{dy}{dx} = 4x$$

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

For tangent equation

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

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

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

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

$$y = 4x - 2$$

For normal equation

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

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

$$5y - 10 = -x + 1$$

$$5y = -x + 1 + 10$$

$$5y = -x + 11$$

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2 $y = 3x^2 - 2x$ at the point $(2, 8)$

$$y = 3x^2 - 2x$$

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

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

$$m = \frac{dy}{dx} \Big|_{x=2} = 6(2) - 2$$

$$= 12 - 2$$

$$= 10$$

for tangent equation

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

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

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

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

$$y = 10x - 12$$

for normal equation

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

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

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

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

$$10y = -x + 82$$

3 $y = x^{3/2}$ at the point $(-1, -1/2)$
 $y = x^{1/2}$

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

$$m = \frac{dy}{dx} \Big|_x = \frac{3(-1)^{1/2}}{2}$$

$$m = \frac{3(i)}{2}$$

$$u = 3/2$$

For tangent eqn

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

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

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

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

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

$$2y = 3x$$

For normal equation

$$y - y_1 = -1/m(x - x_1)$$

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

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

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

$$3y = -2x - 2 - 3/2$$

$$3y = -2x - 7/2$$

4 $y = 1 + x - x^2$ at the point $(-2, -5)$

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

$$m = \frac{dy}{dx} \Big|_{x=-2} = 1 - 2(-2)$$
$$= 1 + 4$$
$$= 5$$

For tangent equation

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

$$y - (-5) = 5(x - (-2))$$

$$y + 5 = 5(x + 2)$$

$$y = 5x + 10 - 5$$

$$y = 5x + 5$$

For normal equation

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

$$y - (-5) = \frac{-1}{5}(x - (-2))$$

$$y + 5 = \frac{-1}{5}(x + 2)$$

$$5y + 25 = -x - 2$$

$$5y = -x - 2 - 25$$

$$5y = -x - 27$$

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

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

$$m = \frac{dy}{dx} \Big|_{x=3} = \frac{1}{3^2}$$
$$= \frac{1}{9}$$

For tangent equation

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

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

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

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

$$9y = x - 0$$

$$9y = x$$

For normal equation

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

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

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

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

$$y - 1 = -27x + 81$$

$$y = -27x + 81 + 1$$

$$y = -27x + 80$$