

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

Solution

$$2x = -2, y = -5$$

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

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

$$m = 1 - 2(-2) = 1 + 4 = 5$$

For equation of the tangent

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

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

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

$$y - 5x - 5 = 0 \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{Equation of} \\ \text{the tangent} \end{array} \right)$$

For equation of the normal

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

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

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

$$5y + x + 27 = 0 \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{Equation of} \\ \text{the normal} \end{array} \right)$$

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

Solution

$$3x = 3, y = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$y = \frac{1}{3x}$$

$$y = x^{-1}$$

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

$$m = -(3)^{-2} = -\frac{1}{3^2} = -\frac{1}{9}$$

For equation of the tangent

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

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

$$9y - 3 = -1(3x - 3)$$

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

$$9y + 3x - 6 = 0 \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{Equation of} \\ \text{the tangent} \end{array} \right)$$

For equation of the normal

$$y - y_1 = \frac{1}{m_1}(x - x_1)$$

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

Multiplying through by 3

$$3y - 1 = 27(3x - 3)$$

$$3y - 1 = 27x - 81$$

$$3y - 27x + 80 = 0 \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{Equation of} \\ \text{the normal} \end{array} \right)$$

2) $y = 3x^2 - 2x$ at point (2, 5)

SOLUTION

$x = 2, y = 8$

$y = 3x^2 - 2x$

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

$m = 6(2) - 2$

$= 12 - 2 = 10$

for equation of the tangent

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

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

$y - 8 = 10x - 20$

$y - 10x + 12 = 0$ (equation of the tangent)

for equation of the normal

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

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

$10y - 80 = x - 2$

$10y - x - 78 = 0$ (equation of the normal)

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

SOLUTION

$x = -1, y = -\frac{3}{2}$

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

$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{9x^2}{2}$

$m = \frac{9(-1)^2}{2} = \frac{9}{2}$

for equation of the tangent

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

$(y + \frac{3}{2}) = \frac{9}{2}(x + 1)$

$2y + 3 = 9x + 9$

$2y - 9x - 6 = 0$ (equation of the tangent)

for equation of the normal

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

$(y + \frac{3}{2}) = -\frac{2}{9}(x + 1)$

$9(y + \frac{3}{2}) = -2(x + 1)$

MULTIPLY THROUGH BY 6

$6y + 9 = -2x - 2$

$6y + 2x + 11 = 0$ (equation of the normal)

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Math Assignment Answer -

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

Given

~~For equation of the tangent~~ $x = 1, y = 2$

$$y = 2x^2$$

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

$$m = 4(1)$$

$$m = 4$$

For equation of the tangent

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

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

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

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

$$y - 4x + 2 = 0 \quad \text{(Equation of the tangent)}$$

For equation of the normal

$$y - y_1 = \frac{-1}{m_1}(x_1 - x_2)$$

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

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

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

$$4y + x - 9 = 0 \quad \text{(Equation of the normal)}$$