

Soln: $x^2 + y^2 + 3xy - 11 = 0$ (1,2)

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

$$= 2x + 2y \frac{dy}{dx} + 3(x \times \frac{dy}{dx} + y \times 1) - 0 = 0$$

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

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

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

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

where $x=1$ and $y=2$

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

$$= \frac{-(2+6)}{4+3} = \frac{-8}{7}$$

$$= \frac{-8}{7}$$

$$m = -\frac{8}{7}$$

Equation of tangent: $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$

$$y - 2 = -\frac{8}{7}(x - 1)$$

$$7(y - 2) = -8x + 8$$

$$7y - 14 = -8x + 8$$

$$8x + 7y - 14 - 8 = 0$$

$$8x + 7y - 22 = 0 \text{ which is the equation of the tangent.}$$

Equation of the normal: $y - y_1 = -\frac{1}{m}(x - x_1)$

$$y - 2 = \frac{7}{8}(x - 1)$$

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$$8y - 16 = 7x - 7$$

$$8y - 7x - 16 + 7 = 0$$

$$8y - 7x + 9 = 0 \text{ which is the equation of the normal}$$

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Math Assignment Answers

1. $y - 3x - 2 = 0$ and $3y + x + 9 = 0$

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

$y = 3x + 2$

where $m_1 = 3$

$\Rightarrow 3y + x + 9 = 0$

$3y = -x - 9$

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

where $m_2 = -\frac{1}{3}$

$m_1 m_2 = -1$ if a pair of lines are perpendicular to each other

$3 \times -\frac{1}{3} = -1$

$\therefore y - 3x - 2 = 0$ and $3y + x + 9 = 0$ are perpendicular

2. $3y - 4 = 2x + 3$ and $y - 5 = x + 6$

Soln: $3y - 4 = 2x + 3 \Rightarrow 3y = 2x + 3 + 4$

$3y = 2x + 7$

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

$m_1 = \frac{2}{3}$

$y - 5 = x + 6 \Rightarrow y = x + 6 + 5$

$y = x + 11$

$m_2 = 1$

$m_1 m_2 = -1$ if a given pair of lines are perpendicular

$\frac{2}{3} \times 1 \neq -\frac{2}{3}$

$\therefore 3y - 4 = 2x + 3$ and $y - 5 = x + 6$ are not perpendicular

3. Equation of tangents and normal to $x^2 + y^2 + 8xy - 11 = 0$ at point $x = 1, y = 2$.