

AssignmentP. 846 (Ko-22c
30-34e, 44, 46)12.3 The Tangent Line
Problem

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What is the slope?

$$y = 2x + 3$$

What is the slope?

$$y = 2x^2 + 3$$

Using the limit process or definition of derivative to find the slope.

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$



$f(x+h) \rightarrow$ means put $(x+h)$ in for x in your equation

$f(x) \rightarrow$ means your equation

$$f(x) = y = 2x + 3$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2(x+h) + 3 - (2x + 3)}{h}$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2x + 2h + 3 - 2x - 3}{h}$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2h}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 2 = \boxed{2}$$

No: h to put zero into

$$f(x) = y = 2x^2 + 3$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2(x+h)^2 + 3 - (2x^2 + 3)}{h}$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2(x+h)(x+h) + 3 - 2x^2 - 3}{h}$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2(x^2 + 2xh + h^2) + 2x^2}{h}$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2x^2 + 4xh + 2h^2 - 2x^2}{h}$$

$\boxed{4x}$ is the equation for the slope. If

you want the slope at a certain point you have to plug in the point.

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{4xh + 2h^2}{h}$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 4x + 2h = \boxed{4x}$$

reduce an h out

Different Notations for Derivative (slope)

 $f'(x)$ m $\frac{dy}{dx}$ y'

rate of change

 $\frac{d}{dx}$ (equation here) $D_x[y]$

* Find the slope at a given point

$$(20) \quad g(x) = \frac{1}{x-4} \quad (3, -1)$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{\frac{1}{(x+h)-4} - \frac{1}{x-4}}{h} \right) \frac{(x+h-4)(x-4)}{(x+h-4)(x-4)} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{mult by common} \\ \text{denominator} \\ (x+h-4)(x-4) \end{array}$$

$$\frac{(x-4) - (x+h-4)}{h(x+h-4)(x-4)} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{on top the denom.} \\ \text{cancelled} \end{array}$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-h}{h(x+h-4)(x-4)} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{on bottom just} \\ \text{write them together} \end{array}$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{x-4 - x-h+4}{h(x+h-4)(x-4)}$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-h}{h(x+h-4)(x-4)}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-1}{(x+h-4)(x-4)} = \frac{-1}{(x-4)(x-4)}$$

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

At $(3, -1)$

$$\frac{-1}{2(3-4)} = \frac{-1}{-2} = \boxed{\frac{1}{2}}$$

So $\frac{1}{2}$ is the slope at point $(3, -1)$

(43) $f(x) = x^2 - 1 \quad (2, 3)$

(a) Find the slope

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x+h)^2 - 1 - (x^2 - 1)}{h}$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2 + 2xh + h^2 - 1 - x^2 + 1}{h}$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2xh + h^2}{h}$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 2x + h = 2x \quad @ (2, 3)$$

$$\text{Slope } (m) = 4$$

$$2(2) = \boxed{4}$$

(b) Tangent line (line that touches at that point and goes on)

$$y = mx + b$$

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

$$y = 4(x - 2) + 3$$

$$y = 4x - 8 + 3$$

$$\boxed{y = 4x - 5}$$

(c) Graph

