

# Implicit Differentiation

1. Assume that  $y$  is a function of  $x$ . Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  in the following:

(a)  $x^3 + y^3 = 8$

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

(c)  $y = \sin(2x + 5y)$

(d)  $e^{xy} = e^{3x} - e^{4y}$

2. Let  $C$  be the graph of a circle centered at  $(1, 0)$ .
- (a) Write down the equation of the circle  $C$  that you are working with.
  
  - (b) Find the equation of line tangent to  $C$  at  $x = 2$ .
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  - (c) Find the point that the above line crosses the  $x$ -axis.
3. A ladder is 10 feet long and leaning against a wall with its base  $x$  feet away from the base of the wall.
- (a) Draw a picture of the situation described above and label  $y$  as the vertical distance from the tip of the ladder to the floor.
  - (b) Find a relationship between  $x$  and  $y$ .
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  - (c) Find the rate that the vertical distance is moving as you change the horizontal distance.