



Tangents and Normals Ex 16.2 Q5(iv)

We know that the equation of tangent and normal to any curve at the point  $(x_1, y_1)$  is

$$y - y_1 = m(x - x_1) \quad \text{---(A) Tangent}$$

$$y - y_1 = \frac{-1}{m}(x - x_1) \quad \text{---(B) Normal}$$

Where  $m$  is slope.

$$x = a \sec t, \quad y = b \tan t, \quad t = t$$

$$\therefore \frac{dx}{dt} = a \sec t \times \tan t$$

and

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = b \sec^2 t$$

$$\therefore \text{Slope } m = \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{b \sec^2 t}{a \sec t \times \tan t} \\ = \frac{b}{a} \operatorname{cosec} t$$

From (A)

Equation of tangent

$$(y - b \tan t) = \frac{b}{a} \operatorname{cosec} t (x - a \sec t)$$

$$\Rightarrow bx \operatorname{cosec} t - ay = ab \operatorname{cosec} t \times \sec t - ab \tan t \\ = \frac{ab [1 - \sin^2 t]}{\sin t \times \cos t} \\ = \frac{ab \cos t}{\sin t}$$

$$\Rightarrow bx \sec t - ay \tan t = ab$$

From (B)

Equation of normal is

$$(y - b \tan t) = \frac{-a \sin t}{b} (x - a \sec t)$$

$$\Rightarrow ax \sin t + by = a^2 \tan t + b^2 \tan t$$

$$\Rightarrow ax \cos t + by \cot t = a^2 + b^2$$

Tangents and Normals Ex 16.2 Q5(v)

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$$y - y_1 = \frac{-1}{m}(x - x_1) \quad \text{---(B) Normal}$$

Where  $m$  is slope.

$$x = a(\theta + \sin \theta), y = a(1 - \cos \theta)$$

$$\frac{dx}{d\theta} = a(1 + \cos \theta), \frac{dy}{d\theta} = a \sin \theta$$

$$\therefore \text{Slope } m = \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\sin \theta}{1 + \cos \theta} = \frac{\frac{2 \sin \theta}{2} \times \frac{\cos \theta}{2}}{\frac{2 \cos^2 \theta}{2}} = \frac{\tan \theta}{2}$$

Now,

From (A)

Equation of tangent

$$y - a(1 - \cos \theta) = \frac{\tan \theta}{2}(x - a(\theta + \sin \theta))$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x \tan \theta}{2} - y = a(\theta + \sin \theta) \frac{\tan \theta}{2} - a(1 - \cos \theta)$$

From (B)

Equation of normal is

$$y - a(1 - \cos \theta) = \frac{-\cot \theta}{2}(x - a(\theta + \sin \theta))$$

$$\Rightarrow (y - 2a) \frac{\tan \theta}{2} + x - a\theta = 0$$

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$$x = 3 \cos \theta - \cos^3 \theta, y = 3 \sin \theta - \sin^3 \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dx}{d\theta} = -3 \sin \theta + 3 \cos^2 \theta \sin \theta \text{ and } \frac{dy}{d\theta} = 3 \cos \theta - 3 \sin^2 \theta \cos \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy/d\theta}{dx/d\theta} = \frac{3 \cos \theta - 3 \sin^2 \theta \cos \theta}{-3 \sin \theta + 3 \cos^2 \theta \sin \theta} = \frac{\cos \theta (1 - \sin^2 \theta)}{-\sin \theta (1 - \cos^2 \theta)} = \frac{\cos^3 \theta}{-\sin^3 \theta} = -\tan^3 \theta$$

So equation of the tangent at  $\theta$  is

$$y - 3 \sin \theta + \sin^3 \theta = -\tan^3 \theta (x - 3 \cos \theta + \cos^3 \theta)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4(y \cos^3 \theta - x \sin^3 \theta) = 3 \sin 4\theta$$

So equation of normal at  $\theta$  is

$$y - 3 \sin \theta + \sin^3 \theta = \frac{1}{\tan^3 \theta} (x - 3 \cos \theta + \cos^3 \theta)$$

$$\Rightarrow y \cos^3 \theta - x \cos^3 \theta = 3 \sin^4 \theta - \sin^6 \theta - 3 \cos^4 \theta + \cos^6 \theta$$

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Tangents and Normals Ex 16.2 Q6

The given equation of curve is

$$x^2 + 2y^2 - 4x - 6y + 8 = 0 \quad \text{---(i) at } x = 2$$

Differentiating with respect to  $x$ , we get

$$2x + 4y \frac{dy}{dx} - 4 - 6 \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} [4y - 6] = 4 - 2x$$

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

Now,

From (i) at  $x = 2$

$$4 + 2y^2 - 8 - 6y + 8 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2y^2 - 6y + 4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 - 3y + 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (y - 2)(y - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 2, 1$$

Thus,

$$\text{Slope } m_1 = \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)_{(2,2)} = 0$$

$$m_2 = \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)_{(2,1)} = 0$$

Thus, the equation of normal is

$$(y - y_1) = \frac{-1}{0} (x - 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2$$

Tangents and Normals Ex 16.2 Q7

The equation of the given curve is  $ay^2 = x^3$ .

On differentiating with respect to  $x$ , we have:

$$\begin{aligned} 2ay \frac{dy}{dx} &= 3x^2 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{3x^2}{2ay} \end{aligned}$$

The slope of a tangent to the curve at  $(x_0, y_0)$  is  $\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{(x_0, y_0)}$ .

$\Rightarrow$  The slope of the tangent to the given curve at  $(am^2, am^3)$  is

$$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{(am^2, am^3)} = \frac{3(am^2)^2}{2a(am^3)} = \frac{3a^2m^4}{2a^2m^3} = \frac{3m}{2}.$$

$\therefore$  Slope of normal at  $(am^2, am^3)$

$$= \frac{-1}{\text{slope of the tangent at } (am^2, am^3)} = \frac{-2}{3m}$$

Hence, the equation of the normal at  $(am^2, am^3)$  is given by,

$$y - am^3 = \frac{-2}{3m}(x - am^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3my - 3am^4 = -2x + 2am^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x + 3my - am^2(2 + 3m^2) = 0$$

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