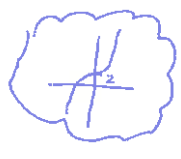


2.1 #34

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



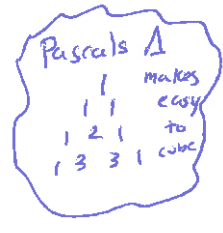
line parallel

$3x - y - 4 = 0$

The derivative is the slope of the tangent line.

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

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



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

$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{3x^2h + 3xh^2 + h^3}{h}$

$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{3x^2 + 3xh + h^2}{1}$

now I can direct sub because $h \neq 0$

$3x^2$

← This is the slope of the tangent line

but we know it must be parallel to " $y = 3x - 4$ "

so the slope must be 3

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

$3x^2 = 3$

$x^2 = 1$

$x = \pm 1$

two solutions to quad. function

If $x = 1$ then $y = 3$
or the point $\rightarrow (1, 3)$

If $x = -1$ then $y = -1$ $(-1, -1)$

so there are two lines tangent to $f(x) = x^3 + 2$ and parallel to $3x - y - 4 = 0$

$y - 3 = 3(x - 1)$ or $y = 3x$
 $y - (-1) = 3(x - (-1))$ or $y = 3x + 4$

$y - 3 = 3x - 3$

$y = 3x$

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

$y = 3x + 4$

(Use point slope form $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$)

* $m = 3$ points $(1, 3)$ and $(-1, -1)$

2.1
#34 Graphically

