

# Rate of Tangents day 2.notebook

ex Find the point on the graph of  $y=x^2$  at which the slope is 8.

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

$$m = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(a+h)^2 - a^2}{h}$$

$$8 = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cancel{a^2} + 2ah + \cancel{h^2} - \cancel{a^2}}{h}$$

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

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

$$f(a+h) = (a+h)^2$$

$$8 = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2ah + h^2}{h}$$

$$8 = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h(2a+h)}{h}$$

$$8 = 2a + 0$$

$$4 = a$$

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

$$f(4) = 4^2$$

$\therefore$  Point is  $(4, 16)$

ex.2 Find the slopes of the tangent lines to the graph of the function  $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$  at the points  $(1, 1)$ ,  $(4, 2)$ , and  $(9, 3)$ .

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

$$m = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{a+h} - \sqrt{a}}{h} \left( \frac{\sqrt{a+h} + \sqrt{a}}{\sqrt{a+h} + \sqrt{a}} \right)$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cancel{a+h} - \cancel{a}}{h(\sqrt{a+h} + \sqrt{a})}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h}{h(\sqrt{a+h} + \sqrt{a})}$$

$$m = \frac{1}{\sqrt{a+0} + \sqrt{a}}$$

$$m = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{a}}$$

Pt  $(1, 1)$   
 $m = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{1}}$   
 $m = \frac{1}{2}$

Pt  $(4, 2)$   
 $m = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{4}}$   
 $m = \frac{1}{4}$

Pt  $(9, 3)$   
 $m = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{9}}$   
 $= \frac{1}{6}$

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5)  $m = 12$        $y = 12(x+2)$   
 7)  $m = -\frac{2}{27}$      $y - \frac{1}{9} = -\frac{2}{27}(x-3)$   
 9)  $m = \frac{1}{4}$          $y - 2 = \frac{1}{4}(x-3)$