MATH 1710 Tutorial 11

In problems 1–4, draw the curve.

1. x = 2t - 5, y = 3 - t, $0 \le t \le 1$ **2.** x = 5 - t, $y = t^2 + 2$, $1 \le t \le 2$ **3.** $x = 3 + 2\cos t$, $y = -2 + 3\sin t$, $0 \le t \le \pi$ **4.** $x = 2\cos t$, $y = 3\sin 2t$, $0 \le t \le 2\pi$ In problems 5–7, find the first and second derivatives of any functions defined by the parametric equations.

5.
$$x = t^3 - 4t$$
, $y = t^2 + 3$

7. $x = 1 + e^t$, $y = 2 - e^{3t}$

8. The droplet in the figure to the right has parametric equations

$$x = 2\cos t - \sin 2t, \, y = \sin t,$$

for $0 \le t \le 2\pi$.

- (a) Find its x- and y-intercepts.
- (b) Verify that the slope of the curve is zero at its negative *y*-intercept.
- (c) Verify that the slope of the curve is undefined at its positive *y*-intercept. Does the curve appear to have a tangent line at this point?

(d) Find the coordinates of the rightmost point on the curve.

9.(a) Draw the curve $x = t^2 + 1$, $y = t(t-1)^2$, $-1 \le t \le 2$.

- (b) Find points on the curve where the tangent line is horizontal.
- (c) Find the x-coordinates of any points on the curve at which the slope of the tangent line is equal to 1.

Answers

1.



 $\frac{6t^2}{3t^2}$ -



6. $x = t - \cos 2t$, $y = 3 + \sin 4t$



3.

5. $\frac{2t}{3t^2-4}$,

