## 3.7b Implicit Differentiation

Show that  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  is defined at every point on the graph of

$$2y = x^2 + \sin(y)$$

Graph the curve using parametric equations

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$$x^2 - 2xy + y^2 = 4$$

find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ 

Use  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  to sketch a possible graph of the implicit curve

Factor the left side and solve for y. How does this compare with your graph? Find the slope of the Folium of Descartes at the points (4,2) and (2,4).

$$x^3 + y^3 - 9xy = 0$$

Find the points where the folium has:

- a) a horizontal tangent
- b) a vertical tangent

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