

Problem 1: Evaluating Limit

Determine the limit of the following function $f(x)$ at the given point:

- plug in \rightarrow
1. $x - 1, x^2, e^x, \sin x, \cos x$ at $x = a$ $a-1, a^2, e^a, \sin a, \cos a$
 2. e^{x^2-x+2} at $x = 1$ e^2
 3. $\frac{x^2-3x+2}{x-1}$ at $x = 1$ -1 Factor $x^2-3x+2 = (x-2)(x-1)$
 4. $\frac{\sqrt{x^2+1}-1}{x}$ at $x = 0$ 0 Multiply $\sqrt{x^2+1} + 1$ on both top and bottom
 5. $\frac{\sin(2x)}{\sin x}$ at $x = 0$ (Hint: $\sin(2x) = 2 \sin x \cos x$) 2
 6. $\frac{1-\frac{1}{x}}{1-\frac{1}{x^2}}$ at $x = 0$ 0 Multiply x^2 on top & bottom
 7. $\ln(1+x^2)$ at $x = 0$ 0
 8. $\frac{x^n-1}{x-1}$ at $x = 1$ (Hint: $x^n - 1 = (x-1)(x^{n-1} + x^{n-2} + \dots + 1)$) n
 9. $\frac{\frac{1}{x-1}-1}{x-2}$ at $x = 2$ -1 Multiply $x-1$
 10. $\sin x \cos x$ at $x = 0$ 0
 11. $\frac{x-4}{\sqrt{x}-2}$ at $x = 4$ 4 Multiply $\sqrt{x} + 2$; Or Factor $x-4 = (\sqrt{x}+2)(\sqrt{x}-2)$
 12. $\frac{x^2-1}{x^3-1}$ at $x = 1$ $\frac{2}{3}$ Factor like Q8

Problem 2: Evaluate Left/Right Limit

Determine the limit of the following function at the given point:

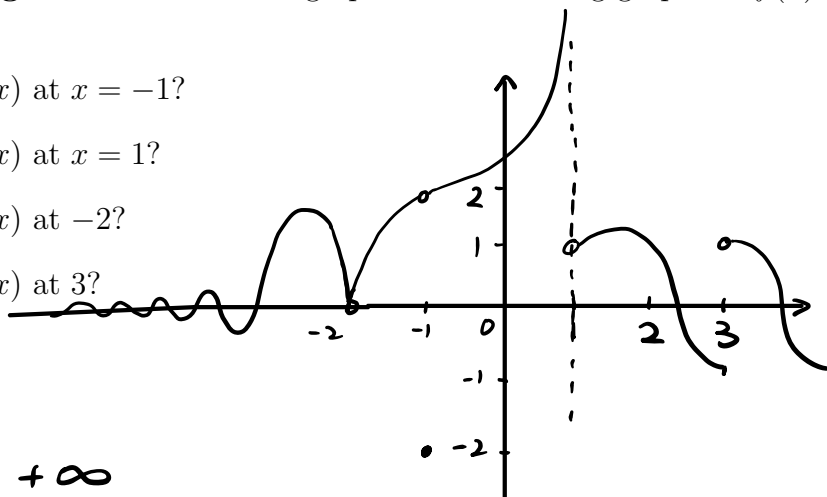
- "plug in" & Find sign
- ↑ sometimes
1. $\frac{x^3-2x-1}{x+1}$ at $x = 1$ from the left -1
 2. $\frac{|x-1|}{x-2}$ at $x = 2$ from the left $-\infty$ near $x = 2$ $\frac{|x-1|}{x-2} = \frac{x-1}{x-2}$
 3. $\frac{\sqrt{x-1}}{x-1}$ at $x = 1$ from the right $+\infty$
 4. $\ln(x^2 + 2x)$ at $x = 0$ from the right $-\infty$
 5. $\frac{|(1+x)^2-1|}{x}$ at $x = 0$ from the left -2 near $x = 0$ (on the left) $f(x) = \frac{-(x^2+2x)}{x}$
 6. $e^{x-1/x}$ at $x = 0$ from the right 0
 7. $\cos(1/x)$ at $x = 0$ from the left DNE
 8. $1/\ln(x)$ at $x = 0$ from the right 0

Problem 3: Infinite Limit Determine the vertical asymptote for the following function and write down a infinite limit (right/left/positive/negative) as the reason:

1. $\frac{x+1}{x-1}$ $x=1$ $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = +\infty$ $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = -\infty$
2. $\ln\left(\frac{x+1}{x-1}\right)$ $x=-1$ $\lim_{x \rightarrow -1^-} f(x) = -\infty$
3. $\frac{x-2}{x^2-4}$ $x=-2$ $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2^+} f(x) = +\infty$ $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2^-} f(x) = -\infty$
4. $e^{\frac{x-2}{x^2-4}}$ $x=-2$ $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2^+} f(x) = +\infty$
5. $\sqrt{\frac{x}{x-1}}$ $x=1$ $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = +\infty$
6. $\ln(\sin x)$ $x=2k\pi$ $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2k\pi^+} f(x) = -\infty$
 $2k\pi + \pi$ $\lim_{x \rightarrow (2k\pi + \pi)^-} f(x) = -\infty$

Problem 4: Pattern Recognition Look at the graph of the following graph for $f(x)$ and determine the answer:

1. What is the limit of $f(x)$ at $x = -1$?
2. What is the limit of $f(x)$ at $x = 1$?
3. What is the limit of $f(x)$ at -2 ?
4. What is the limit of $f(x)$ at 3 ?



1. $\lim_{x \rightarrow -1} f(x) = 2$
2. DNE $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = +\infty$
 $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = 1$
3. $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2} f(x) = 0$
4. DNE $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3^-} f(x) = -1$ $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3^+} f(x) = 1$