

## Warm up

1. Find a rectangular equation for each of the following polar equations.

a.  $r=6\cos\theta+2\sin\theta$

b.  $\theta=\pi/3$

2. Find a set of parametric equations for  $y=2x+5$  for the given parameters:

a.  $t = \sqrt{x}$

b.  $t=x^3$

c.  $t=\log x$

3. Find the rectangular equation by eliminating the parameter:

a.  $x=t+1$   $y=t^2+3$

b.  $x=2^t$   $y=t^2$

4. Graph the equation  $y=2\sin 4\theta$ . Give the domain, range and max and min values.

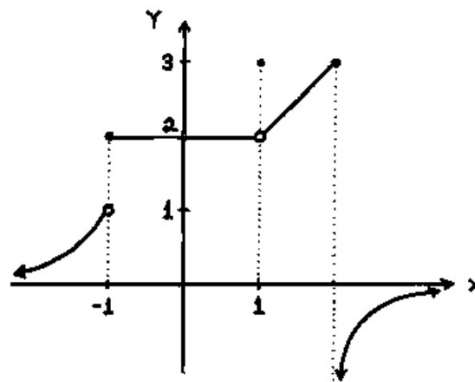
## Objective: Define and find a simple limit



If  $f(x)$  becomes infinitely close to a value " $L$ " as  $x$  approaches  $c$  from either side, the "limit of  $f(x)$  as  $x$  approaches  $c$  is  $L$ ".

### What is happening:

- Y-value as  $x$  gets close to  $c$  from the right
- Y value as  $x$  gets close to  $c$  from the left
- If these values match, this is the limit.



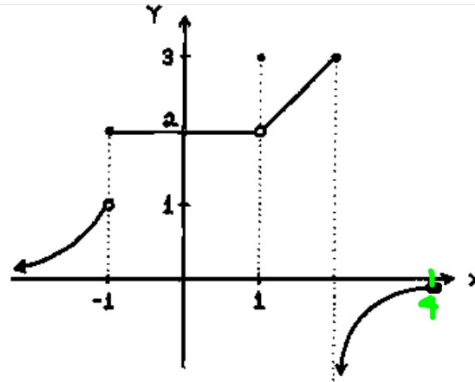
**The Limit is always a number or it does not exist (DNE).**

Ways for a limit to be DNE.

- 1)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow c^-} f(x) \neq \lim_{x \rightarrow c^+} f(x)$   
\*around a VA  
\*jump discontinuity

- 2) No graph on one side of that x value

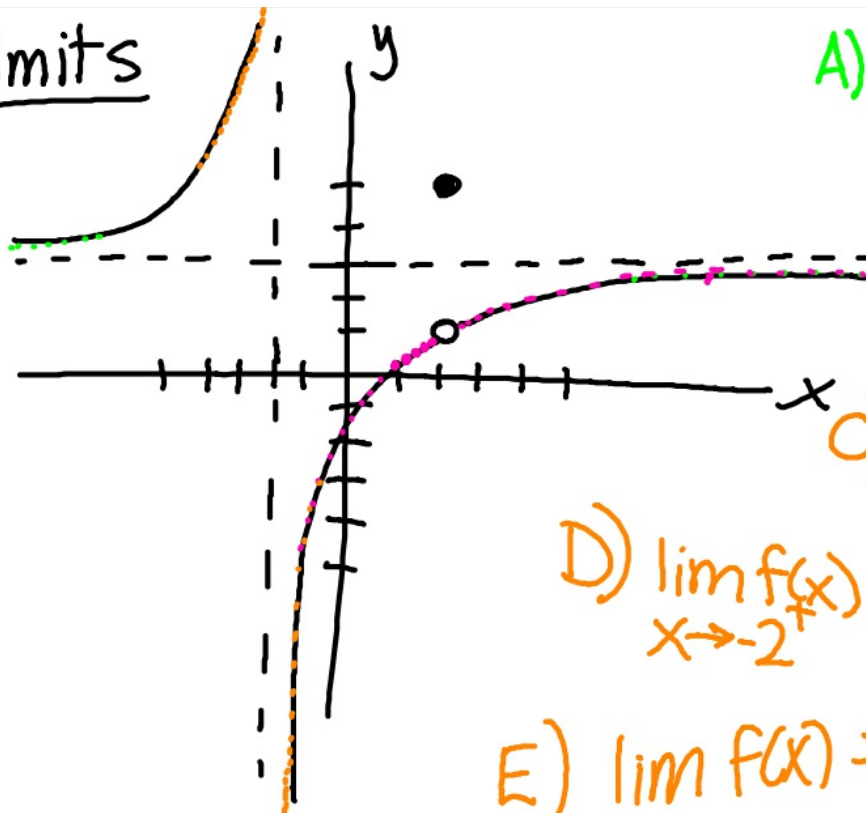
- 3) VA at the x value



- 4) graph oscillates at that x value

$$y = \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) \Rightarrow x = 0$$

# Limits



$$A) \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = 3$$

$$B) \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) = 3$$

$$C) \lim_{x \rightarrow -2^-} f(x) = \infty$$

$$D) \lim_{x \rightarrow -2^+} f(x) = -\infty$$

$$E) \lim_{x \rightarrow -2} f(x) = \text{dne}$$

$$F) \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} f(x) = 1$$

$$G) \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} f(x) = 1$$

$$H) \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(x) = 1$$

$$I) f(2) = 5$$

## How to find a limit:

1. Estimating by tables
2. Direct substitution
3. Factor and cancel
4. Rationalizing (conjugates)
5. Common denominators



## Estimating by tables

$$1. \quad f(x) = \frac{x^3 - 1}{x - 1} \quad \text{Find } \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x) = 3$$

*(Handwritten note above the equation:  $\frac{(x-1)(x^2+x+1)}{x-1} = 1+1+1$ )*

1. type  $f(x)$  into  $y=$
2. TABLE SET: start at value of limit change by .000001
3. TABLE- look at, above and below to obtain answer

$$2. \quad f(x) = \frac{|x|}{x} \quad \text{Find } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = \text{dne}$$

$$A) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = -1$$

$$B) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = 1$$

If tables aren't allowed...like in "real" math

### Direct Substitution

as long as no  $\div$  by zero occurs

$$\begin{aligned} 3. \quad \text{Find } \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x^2 - 6x + 8}{x - 4} &= \frac{(2)^2 - 6(2) + 8}{2 - 4} \\ &= \frac{4 - 12 + 8}{-2} \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$4. \quad \text{Find } \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{x^2 + 4}{x^2 - 1} = \frac{13}{8}$$

$$5. \quad \text{Find } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{x+1} - 2}{x+3} = \frac{\sqrt{0+1} - 2}{0+3} = \frac{1-2}{3} = \frac{-1}{3} \quad \text{Find } \lim_{x \rightarrow -4} \frac{\sqrt{x+4} - 2}{x-1} = \frac{-2}{-5} = \frac{2}{5}$$

7. Find  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{\frac{1}{x+3} - \frac{1}{3}}{x+5}$

8. Find  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 6} \frac{\frac{1}{x+1} - \frac{1}{5}}{x-4}$

**But what about this?!?!**

1. Find  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x^2 - 6x + 8}{x^2 - 4}$





## Factoring

1. Find  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x^2 - 6x + 8}{x^2 - 4} = \frac{4 - 4}{4 - 4} = \frac{0}{0}$

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{(x-4)(x-2)}{(x-2)(x+2)} \left\{ \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x-4}{x+2} = \frac{2-4}{2+2} = \frac{-1}{2} \right.$

2. Find  $\lim_{x \rightarrow -4} \frac{x+4}{x^2-16} = \frac{(-4)^2-16}{0} = \frac{0}{0}$

$\lim_{x \rightarrow -4} \frac{\cancel{x+4}}{(x-4)\cancel{(x+4)}}$

$\lim_{x \rightarrow -4} \frac{1}{x-4} = \frac{1}{-4-4} = \frac{-1}{8}$

$(a-b)(a+b)$

**Rationalizing (think conjugate!)**

3. Find  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(\sqrt{x+1}-1)(\sqrt{x+1}+1)}{x(\sqrt{x+1}+1)}$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x+1-1)}{x(\sqrt{x+1}+1)}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x}{x(\sqrt{x+1}+1)}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\sqrt{x+1}+1} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1}+1} = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

4. Find  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(\sqrt{x+4}-2)(\sqrt{x+4}+2)}{x(\sqrt{x+4}+2)}$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x+4-4}{x(\sqrt{x+4}+2)}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\sqrt{x+4}+2} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4}+2} = \frac{1}{2+2} = \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)$$

## Simplifying complex fractions

$$\text{Find } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{3 \cdot 1 \cdot \frac{1}{3} (x+3)}{3(x+3) \cdot x}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{3 - x - 3}{3(x+3)}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cancel{3} - \cancel{x} - 3}{3(x+3)} \cdot \frac{\cancel{1}}{\cancel{x}} = \frac{-1}{3(0+3)} = \left( \frac{-1}{9} \right)$$

$$\text{Find } \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{5(1) \cdot \frac{1}{5} (x+1)}{5(x+1) \cdot x-4}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{5 - x - 1}{5(x+1)} \cdot \frac{1}{x-4}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{-1(x-4)}{5(x+1)} \cdot \frac{1}{x-4} = \left( \frac{-1}{25} \right)$$

**Wrap-up**

**Homework p.822 #6-18 even**

## WARM UP

1.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} 5x - 4$

2.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 5} \frac{\sqrt{x-1}-2}{x-5}$

3.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{x-1}-2}{x-5}$

4.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2} \frac{x+2}{x^2-4}$

5.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1}{x+1}-1}{x}$

6.  $(-6)^{2/3} \approx 3.30$

8.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \pi} \ln \left( \sin \frac{x}{2} \right) = \ln(1) = 0 = 0$

10.  $\frac{a^2 - 1}{a^2 + 1}$  (Since  $a^2 + 1 > 0$  for all  $a$ , we don't have to worry about division by zero.)

12. (a) division by zero

(b)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{(x + 3)(x - 3)}{(x + 5)(x - 3)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{x + 3}{x + 5} = \frac{6}{8} = \frac{3}{4}$

14. (a) division by zero

(b)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{(x - 2)(x^2 + 1)}{x - 2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} (x^2 + 1) = 5$

16. (a) division by zero

(b)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2} \frac{|(x+2)(x-2)|}{x+2}$ . Check left- and right-hand limits.

$$\text{Right: } \lim_{x \rightarrow -2^+} \frac{(-1)(x+2)(x-2)}{x+2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow -2^+} (-x+2) = 4$$

$$\text{Left: } \lim_{x \rightarrow -2^-} \frac{(x+2)(x-2)}{x+2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow -2^-} (x-2) = -4$$

Since  $4 \neq -4$ , the limit does not exist.

18. (a) division by zero

(b) The limit does not exist.

### Properties of limits

1. Sum rule  $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x) + \lim_{x \rightarrow c} g(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow c} (f(x) + g(x))$

2. Difference rule  $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} (f(x) - g(x)) = \lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x) - \lim_{x \rightarrow c} g(x)$

3. Product rule  $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} (f(x)g(x)) = \left( \lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x) \right) \left( \lim_{x \rightarrow c} g(x) \right)$

4. Constant Multiple Rule  $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} kf(x) = k \left( \lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x) \right)$

5. Quotient rule  $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} \left( \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} \right), g(x) \neq 0$  or

$$\frac{\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x)}{\lim_{x \rightarrow c} g(x)}, g(x) \neq 0 \quad (x-8)^0$$

6. Power rule  $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} (f(x))^n = \left( \lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x) \right)^n$

7. Root rule  $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} \sqrt[n]{f(x)} = \sqrt[n]{\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x)}$



## Use properties of limits to evaluate

Given  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) = 5$  and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} g(x) = -3$ , find each limit.

A.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} [2f(x)]$

$$2 \lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x)$$

$$2 \cdot 5$$

$$\textcircled{10}$$

B.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \left[ \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} \right]$

$$\frac{\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x)}{\lim_{x \rightarrow a} g(x)} = \frac{5}{-3}$$

10.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} [g(x)^2]$

$$\left( \lim_{x \rightarrow a} g(x) \right)^2$$

$$(-3)^2$$

$$\textcircled{9}$$

13.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} [f(x) + g(x)]$

$$2$$

11.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} [f(x)g(x)]$

$$\left( \lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) \right) \left( \lim_{x \rightarrow a} g(x) \right)$$

$$5 \cdot -3$$

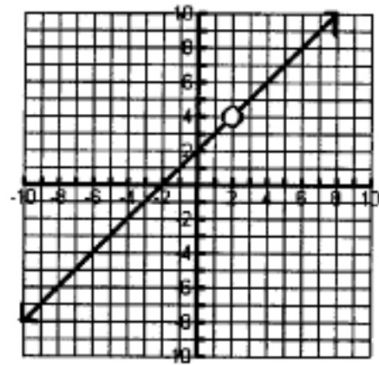
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14.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} [f(x) - g(x)]$

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## One Sided Limits

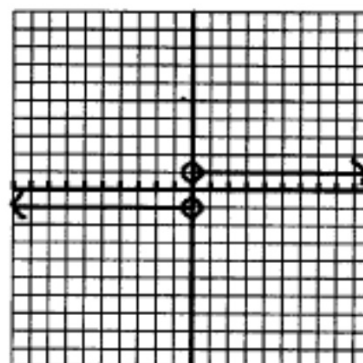
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- a) Find the  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x)$
  - b) Find the  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} f(x)$
  - c) Find the  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} f(x)$
  - d) Find the  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(x)$



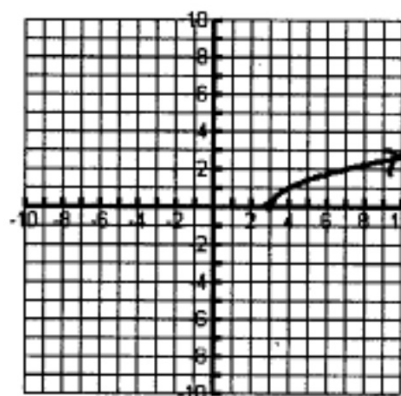
2.  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 + 2, & x > 0 \text{ (right side of zero or } 0^+) \\ 2 - 2x, & x < 0 \text{ (left side of zero } 0^-) \\ 2, & x = 0 \end{cases}$

- a) Find the  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = 2$
- b) Find the  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = 2$
- c) Find the  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = 2$

- 3) a) Find the  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x)$   
 b) Find the  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x)$   
 c) Find the  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$

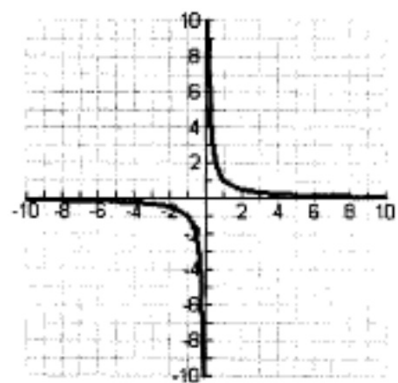


- 4) a) Find the  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3^+} f(x)$   
 b) Find the  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3^-} f(x)$   
 c) Find the  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} f(x)$





- a) Find the  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x)$
- b) Find the  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x)$
- c) Find the  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$



## Infinite Limits

~ fancy math for a horizontal asymptote.

~  $\therefore$  follow 3 rules:

1. Top heavy there isn't one; d.n.e.

2. Bottom heavy zero

3. matching ratio of the leading coefficients

## Evaluate

$$1. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3-x^2}{4+5x} = \text{dne}$$

$$2. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1x^0}{x^1} = 0$$

$$3. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{10-5x^2}{6x+x-1} = \frac{-5}{6}$$

$$4. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4}{x-1} = 0$$

$$5. \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n-2}{n^2+4} = 0$$

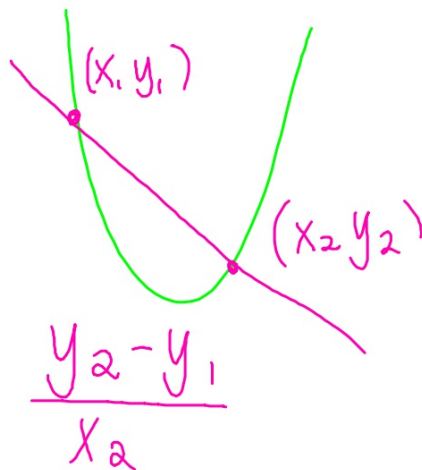
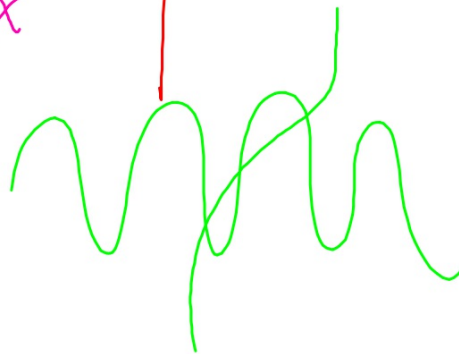
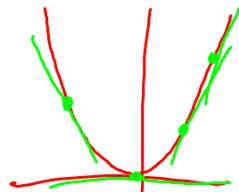
$$6. \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} 4 + \frac{1}{n^2} = 4 + 0 = 4$$

$$\frac{n^2 4 + \frac{1}{n^2}}{n^2 1 + n^2}$$

$$\frac{4n^2 + 1}{n^2}$$

## Derivatives (Shush)

- Slope of a curve
- $f'(x)$   $f$  prime of  $x$
- $\frac{d}{dx}$
- $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$



find derivative of  $f(x) = x^2 + 1$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x+h)^2 + 1 - \overbrace{(x^2 + 1)}}{h}$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cancel{x^2} + 2xh + \cancel{h^2} + 1 - \cancel{x^2} - \cancel{1}}{h}$$

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

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cancel{h}(2x+h)}{\cancel{h}}$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 2x + h = 2x$$

$$f'(x) = 2x$$