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LIMITS CONTINUITY AND DIFFERENTIABILITY

Practice Exercise

1. The value of $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{2^x + 2^{3-x} - 6}{\sqrt{2^{-x} - 2^{1-x}}}$ is

A. 16

B. 8

C. 4

D. 2

Answer: B



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2. Evaluate

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(3x + a) - 3 \sin(2x + a) + 3 \sin(x + a) - \sin a}{x^3}$$

A. 0

B. $\cos a$

C. $-\cos a$

D. $\sin a$

Answer: C



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3. If $f(x) = \frac{\sin[x]}{[x]}$, $[x] \neq 0$ where $[x]$ denotes the greatest integer less than or equal to x , then $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$ equals

A. -1

B. 0

C. 1

D. none

Answer: D



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4. $\left(\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \left(\frac{\sqrt{1 - \cos\{2(x - 2)\}}}{x - 2} \right) \right)$ (1) does not exist (2) equals $\sqrt{2}$ (3) equals $-\sqrt{2}$ (4) equals $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

A. $\sqrt{2}$

B. $-\sqrt{2}$

C. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

D. Does not exist

Answer: D



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5. The value of $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x} \left[\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{x+1}{2x+1} \right) - \frac{\pi}{4} \right]$ is

A. 1

B. $-\frac{1}{2}$

C. 2

D. 0

Answer: B



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6. $(\lim)_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left[\sqrt{\sqrt{x + \sqrt{x + \sqrt{x}}} - \sqrt{x}} \right]$ is equal to 0 (b)

$\frac{1}{2}$ (c) $\log 2$ (d) e^4

A. 0

B. $\frac{1}{2}$

C. $\log 2$

D. e^4

Answer: B



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7. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} [x - 1]$ where $[\]$ denotes the greatest integer

function is equal to

A. 1

B. 2

C. 0

D. Does not exist

Answer: D



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8. Find The value of $\lim_{x \rightarrow \pi} \frac{1 + \cos^3 x}{\sin^2 x}$ is

A. $\frac{1}{3}$

B. $\frac{3}{2}$

C. $\frac{-1}{4}$

D. $\frac{-3}{2}$

Answer: B



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9. The value of $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(x + 2)! + (x + 1)!}{(x + 2)! - (x + 1)!}$ is

A. 1

B. 2

C. 3

D. 4

Answer: A



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10. $\lim_{a \rightarrow \infty} \left[\frac{1}{1-a^4} + \frac{8}{1-a^4} + \dots + \frac{a^3}{1-a^4} \right]$ is

equal to

A. $\frac{1}{3}$

B. $\frac{1}{4}$

C. $-\frac{1}{3}$

D. $-\frac{1}{4}$

Answer: D



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11. If $f(x) = \begin{cases} x + 2 & x \leq -1 \\ cx^2 & x > -1 \end{cases}$ then find c if $\lim_{x \rightarrow -1} f(x)$

exists .

A. -1

B. 1

C. 0

D. 2

Answer: B



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12. The value of $\lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/4} \frac{2 - \cot x - \cot^3 x}{1 - \cot^3 x}$

A. $\frac{4}{3}$

B. 1

C. 0

D. none of these

Answer: A



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13. Find the value of $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x - 2 \sin 3x + \sin 5x}{x}$

A. -1

B. 0

C. 1

D. 3

Answer: B



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14. If $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 - 1 & 0 < x < 2 \\ 2x + 3 & 2 \leq x < 3 \end{cases}$ then quadratic equation whose roots are $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x)$ and $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} f(x)$ is

A. $x^2 - 6x + 9 = 0$

B. $x^2 - 7x + 8 = 0$

C. $x^2 - 14x + 49 = 0$

D. $x^2 - 10x + 21 = 0$

Answer: D



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15. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{x^2} - \cos x}{x^2}$ is equal to

A. $\frac{3}{2}$

B. $\frac{1}{2}$

C. $\frac{2}{3}$

D. None of these

Answer: A



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16. The value of $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(1+x)^{1/x} - e}{x}$ is

A. 1

B. $\frac{e}{2}$

C. $-\frac{e}{2}$

D. $\frac{2}{e}$

Answer: C



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17. The value of ordered pair (a,b) such that

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x(1 + a \cos x) - b \sin x}{x^3} = 1, \text{ is:}$$

A. $(5)/(3), \frac{3}{2}$

B. $\frac{5}{2}, -\frac{3}{2}$

C. $-\frac{5}{2}, -\frac{3}{2}$

D. None of these

Answer: C



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18. $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sin \left[\pi \sqrt{n^2 + 1} \right]$ is equal to

A. ∞

B. 0

C. Does not exist

D. None of these

Answer: B



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19. The value of $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{3x - 4}{3x + 2} \right)$ is

A. $e^{-1/3}$

B. $e^{-2/3}$

C. e^{-1}

D. 1

Answer: B



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20. Evaluate, $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^4 - 1}{x - 1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow k} \frac{x^3 - k^3}{x^2 - k^2}$, then find the value of k.

A. $\frac{-8}{3}$

B. $\frac{5}{3}$

C. $-\frac{5}{3}$

D. None of these

Answer: D



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21. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{x+1}{x+2} \right)^{2x+1}$ is equal to

A. e^3

B. e^{-3}

C. e^{-2}

D. e^2

Answer: C



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22. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x - x}{x^3}$

A. $\frac{-1}{5}$

B. $-\frac{1}{6}$

C. -1

D. -6

Answer: B

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23. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{1^x + 2^x + 3^x + \cdots + n^x}{n} \right]^{\frac{1}{x}}$ is equal to

A. $(n!)^{a/n}$

B. $(n!)^a$

C. $\frac{1}{2a(n!)}$

D. None of these

Answer: A



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24. The polynomial of least degree such that

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(1 + \frac{x^2 + f(x)}{x^2} \right)^{1/x} = e^2 \text{ is}$$

A. $2x^3 + x^2$

B. $2x^3 - x^2$

C. $2x^2 + 3x^3$

D. None of these

Answer: B



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25. Evaluate: $(\lim)_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin^{-1} x - \tan^{-1} x}{x^3}$

A. $\frac{1}{2}$

B. 2

C. $-\frac{1}{2}$

D. None of these

Answer: A



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26. The value of p for which the function $f(x) =$

$$\begin{cases} \frac{(4^x - 1)^3}{\sin\left(\frac{x}{p}\right) \log\left(1 + \frac{x^2}{3}\right)} & x \neq 0 \\ 12(\log 4)^3 & x = 0 \end{cases} \text{ may be continuous at } x = 0$$

is

A. 1

B. 2

C. 3

D. None of these

Answer: D



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27. The value of $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{a^x + b^x}{2} \right)^{\frac{1}{x}}$ is

A. $(abc)^3$

B. abc

C. $(abc)^{1/3}$

D. None of these

Answer: D



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28. The values of a, b and c , such that

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{ae^x - b \cos x + ce^{-x}}{x \sin x} = 2 \text{ are}$$

A. $a = 1, b = -2, c = 1$

B. $a = 1, b = 2, c = -1$

C. $a = 1, b = 2, c = 1$

D. $a = -1, b = 2, c = 1$

Answer: C



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29. $(\lim)_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(an - \frac{1 + n^2}{1 + n} \right) = b$, where a is a finite

number, then $a = 1$ (b) $a = 0$ (c) $b = 1$ (d) $b = -1$

A. $a=2$

B. $a=0$

C. $b=1$

D. $b=-1$

Answer: C



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30. The value of $f(0)$, so that the function

$$f(x) = \frac{(27 - 2x)^2 - 3}{9 - 3(243 + 5x)^{1/5} - 2} \quad (x \neq 0) \quad \text{is}$$

continuous, is given $\frac{2}{3}$ (b) 6 (c) 2 (d) 4

A. $2/3$

B. 6

C. 2

D. 4

Answer: C



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31. If $f(x) = \begin{cases} |x| \cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) & x \neq 0 \\ 0 & x = 0 \end{cases}$ then $f(x)$ is

A. discontinuous at $x = 0$

B. continuous at $x = 0$

C. Does not exist

D. None of these

Answer: B



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$$32. \text{ If } f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\sqrt{1+kx} - \sqrt{1-kx}}{x} & \text{if } -1 \leq x < 0 \\ \frac{2x+k}{x-1} & \text{if } 0 \leq x \leq 1 \end{cases}$$

is continuous at $x = 0$, then the value of k is

A. $\frac{1}{2}$

B. 1

C. $-\frac{3}{2}$

D. $-\frac{1}{2}$

Answer: D



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33. If $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) & x \neq 0 \\ 0 & x = 0 \end{cases}$, then

A. $f(0 + 0) = 1$

B. $f(0 - 0) = 1$

C. $f(x)$ is continuous at $x = 0$

D. None of the above

Answer: C



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34. Let $f(x) = -1 + |x - 2|$ and $g(x) = 1 - |x|$

then set of all possible value (s) of for which $(f \circ g)(x)$ is

discontinuous is:

A. $\{0,2\}$

B. $\{0,1,2\}$

C. $\{0\}$

D. an empty set

Answer: D



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35. If $f(x) = \begin{cases} |x| + 3 & \text{if } x \leq -3 \\ -2x & \text{if } -3 < x < 3 \\ 6x + 2 & \text{if } x \geq 3 \end{cases}$ then $f(x)$ is

A. continuous at $x = -3$ and discontinuous at $x = 3$

B. continuous at $x = -3, 3$

C. discontinuous at $x = -3, 3$

D. continuous at $x = 3$ and discontinuous at $x = -3$

Answer:



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36. If the function $f(x) = \frac{(3x + 4 \tan x)}{x}$ continuous

at $x=0$? If not, how may the function be defined to

make it continuous at this point ?

$$\text{A. } f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{3x + 4 \tan x}{x} & x \neq 0 \\ 7 & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{B. } f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{3x + 4 \tan x}{x} & x \neq 0 \\ 6 & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$C. f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{3x + 4 \tan x}{x} & x = 0 \\ 7 & x \neq 0 \end{cases}$$

D. None of these

Answer: A



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37. The value of $f(0)$ so that the function

$f(x) = \frac{2x - \sin^{-1} x}{2x + \tan^{-1} x}$ is continuous at each point on

its domain is:

A. $\frac{1}{3}$

B. $-\frac{1}{3}$

C. $\frac{2}{3}$

D. $\frac{-2}{3}$

Answer: D



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38. For what value of k , function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{k \cos x}{\pi - 2x}, & \text{if } x \neq \frac{\pi}{2} \\ 3, & \text{if } x = \frac{\pi}{2} \end{cases} \text{ is continuous at } x = \frac{\pi}{2}?$$

A. 1

B. 3

C. R

D. 6

Answer: A



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39. If $f(x) = \begin{cases} |x - a| \sin \frac{1}{x-a} & \text{if } x \neq a \\ 0 & \text{if } x = a \end{cases}$ then $f(x)$ is

- A. continuous at $x = a$
- B. discontinuous at $x = a$
- C. discontinuous for all $x \in \mathbb{R}$
- D. None of the above

Answer: B



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40. The value of p and q for which the function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\sin(p+1)x + \sin x}{x} & , x < 0 \\ q & , x = 0 \\ \frac{\sqrt{x+x^2} - \sqrt{x}}{x^{1/2}} & , x > 0 \end{cases}$$

is continuous for all x in \mathbb{R} , are

A. $p = \frac{5}{2}, q = \frac{1}{2}$

B. $p = -\frac{3}{2}, q = \frac{1}{2}$

C. $p = \frac{1}{2}, q = \frac{3}{2}$

D. $p = \frac{1}{2}, q = -\frac{3}{2}$

Answer: D



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41. If $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^k \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) & x \neq 0 \\ 0 & x = 0 \end{cases}$ is continuous at $x = 0$

then

A. $k \in (-\infty, 0)$

B. $k \in (1, \infty)$

C. $k \in (-1, \infty)$

D. none of these

Answer: D



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42. If $f(x) = \frac{\sqrt{1 + \sin x} - \sqrt{1 - \sin x}}{x}$, then the value

of f at $x = 0$, so that f is continuous everywhere, is `

A. $1/4$

B. -1

C. 1

D. 2

Answer: C



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43. The function defined by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \left(x^2 + e^{\frac{1}{2-x}}\right)^{-1}, & x \neq 2 \\ k, & x = 2 \end{cases} \text{ is continuous from}$$

right at the point $x=2$, then k is equal to

A. $\frac{1}{2}$

B. $\frac{1}{3}$

C. $\frac{1}{4}$

D. $\frac{1}{5}$

Answer: C



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44. If $f(x) = \frac{(3^x - 1)^2}{\sin x \cdot \log_e(1 + x)}$, $x \neq 0$ is continuous at x

$=0$ then $f(0)$ is

A. $\log_e 3$

B. $2\log_e 3$

C. $(\log_e 3)^2$

D. None

Answer: C



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45. If a function $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ satisfy the equation $f(x+y) = f(x) + f(y)$, $\forall x, y$ and the function $f(x)$ is continuous at $x = 0$ then

- A. $f(x)$ is continuous for all positive real values of x
- B. $f(x)$ is continuous for all x
- C. $f(x) = 0$ for all x
- D. None of the above

Answer: B



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46. Find the values of a and b such that the function f defined by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x-4}{|x-4|} + a & \text{if } x < 4 \\ a + b & \text{if } x = 4 \\ \frac{x-4}{|x-4|} + b & \text{if } x > 4 \end{cases}$$

is a continuous function at $x = 4$.

A. $a = 1$ and $b = -1$

B. $a = -1$ and $b = 1$

C. $a = 0$ and $b = -1$

D. $a = 1$ and $b = 0$

Answer: A



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47. If $f(x) = \frac{\sqrt{2} \cos x - 1}{\cot x - 1}$, $x \neq \frac{\pi}{4}$ then the value of $f\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)$ so that $f(x)$ becomes continuous at $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$ is

A. $\frac{1}{2}$

B. $-\frac{1}{2}$

C. 1

D. 9

Answer: A



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$$48. f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1 - \cos 4x}{x^2} & x < 0 \\ = a & x = 0 \\ = \frac{\sqrt{x}}{\sqrt{16 + \sqrt{x}} - 4} & x > 0 \end{cases} \text{ If the function be}$$

continuous at $x = 0$, then $a =$

A. 2

B. 4

C. 6

D. 8

Answer: D



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49. If the function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x + a^2\sqrt{2}\sin x, & 0 \leq x < \frac{\pi}{4} \\ x \cot x + b, & \frac{\pi}{4} \leq x < \frac{\pi}{2} \\ b \sin 2x - a \cos 2x, & \frac{\pi}{2} \leq x \leq \pi \end{cases}$$

is continuous in the interval $[0, \pi]$ then the values of (a,

b) are

A. (0,0)

B. $\left(0, \frac{1}{2}\right)$

C. (0,1)

D. (-1,1)

Answer: A



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50. If $f(x) = \frac{a \sin x + \sin 2x}{x^3} \neq 0$ and $f(x)$ is continuous at $x=0$ then

A. $a=2$

B. $f(0) = 1$

C. $f(0) = -1$

D. $a = 1$

Answer: C



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51. $f(x) = 3x^{10} - 7x^8 + 5x^6 - 21x^3 + 3x^2 - 7$, then is

the value of $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1-h) - f(1)}{h^3 + 3h}$ is

A. $\frac{53}{3}$

B. $\frac{22}{3}$

C. 13

D. $\frac{22}{13}$

Answer: A



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52. Given that $f'(B) = 6$ and $f'(A) = 4$ then

$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(2h + 2 + h^2) - f(2)}{f(h - h^2 + 1) - f(1)}$ is :

A. 3

B. $-3/2$

C. $3/2$

D. Does not exist

Answer: A



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53. If $f(x) = \begin{cases} e^x & x \leq 0 \\ |1 - x| & x > 0 \end{cases}$ then

A. $f(x)$ is differentiable at $x = 0$

B. $f(x)$ is continuous at $x = 0, 1$

C. $f(x)$ is differentiable at $x = 1$

D. None of the above

Answer: B



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function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} |x - 3|, & x \geq 1 \\ \left(\frac{x^2}{4}\right) - \left(\frac{3x}{2}\right) + \frac{13}{4}, & x < 1 \end{cases} \text{ is}$$

- A. continuous at $x = 1$
- B. continuous at $x = 3$
- C. differentiable at $x = 1$
- D. All of these

Answer: C



55. If $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log(a+x) - \log a}{x} + k \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log x - 1}{x - e} = 1$

then

A. $k = e \left(1 - \frac{1}{a} \right)$

B. $k = e(1+a)$

C. $k = e(2-a)$

D. equality is not possible

Answer: A



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56. If $f(x) = \begin{cases} xe^{-\left(\frac{1}{|x|} + \frac{1}{x}\right)} & x \neq 0 \\ 0 & x = 0 \end{cases}$ then $f(x)$ is

- A. continuous as well as differentiable for all x
- B. continuous for all x but not differentiable at $x = 0$
- C. neither differentiable nor continuous at $x = 0$
- D. discontinuous everywhere

Answer: B



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57. Consider the greatest integer function, defined by

$f(x) = [x], 0 \leq x < 2$. Then,

A. f is derivable at $x = 1$

B. f is not derivable at $x = 1$

C. f is derivable at $x = 2$

D. None of these

Answer: B



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58. Let $f(x) = \lambda + \mu|x| + v|x|^2$ where λ, u, v are real constants . Then $f(0)$ exists if

A. $\mu = 0$

B. $v=0$

C. $\lambda = 0$

D. $\mu = v$

Answer: A



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59. Consider a function $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ which satisfies the equation $f(x + y) = f(x) \cdot f(y)$, $\forall x, y \in \mathbb{R}$, $f(x) \neq 0$.

Suppose that the function is differentiable at $x = 0$ and

$f'(0) = 2$. Then, $f(x)$ is equal to

A. $f(x)$

B. $2 f(x)$

C. $\frac{1}{2}f(x)$

D. None

Answer: B



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60. Consider the function $f(x)$ defined by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x & \leq 1 \\ x^2 + bx + c & x > 1 \end{cases}$$

Let $f(x)$ exists finitely $\forall x \in R$. Then

A. $b=-1, c \in R$

B. $c = 1, b \in R$

C. $b = 1, c = -1$

D. $b = -1, c = 1$

Answer: D



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61. Consider the function $f(x) = |\log_e x| \forall x > 0$. Then

- A. LHD does not exist at $x = 1$
- B. RHD does not exist at $x = 1$
- C. f is differentiable at $x = 1$
- D. f is not differentiable at $x = 1$

Answer: D





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62. Consider the function $f(x)$ defined by $f(x) = |x - 2| + |x| + |x + 2|$. Then

- A. f is derivable at $x = 0, 2$
- B. f is derivable at $x = -2, 0$
- C. f is derivable at $x = -2, 2$
- D. f is not derivable at $x = -2, 0, 2$

Answer: D



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1. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (1 + x)^8 - 1$ is equal

A. 8

B. 6

C. 4

D. 2

Answer: C



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2. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \tan^{-1} 3} \frac{\tan^2 x - 2 \tan x - 3}{\tan^2 x - 4 \tan x + 3}$ is equal to

A. 1

B. 2

C. 0

D. 3

Answer: B



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3. $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{x^4 \cdot \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) + x^2}{1 + |x|^3}$ is equal to

A. 0

B. -1

C. 2

D. 1

Answer: B



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4. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^m - 1}{x^n - 1}$ is equal to

A. $\frac{n}{m}$

B. $\frac{m}{n}$

C. $\frac{2m}{n}$

D. $\frac{2n}{m}$

Answer: B



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$$5. \text{ If } f(x) = \begin{cases} \left[\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + x\right) \right]^{1/x} & x \neq 0 \\ k & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

For what value of k $f(x)$ is continuous at $x=0$?

A. 1

B. 0

C. e

D. e^2

Answer: D





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6. The value of $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{1 + 5x^2}{1 + 3x^2} \right)^{\frac{1}{x^2}}$ is

A. e^2

B. e

C. $1/e$

D. $1/e^2$

Answer: A



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7. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(2 + x)\sin(2 + x) - 2\sin 2}{x}$ is equal to

A. $\sin 2$

B. $\cos 2$

C. 1

D. $1 \cos 2 + \sin 2$

Answer: D



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8. If $f(x) = \left(\frac{3x + \tan^2 x}{x} \right)$ is continuous at $x = 0$, then $f(0)$ is equal to.

A. 3

B. 2

C. 4

D. 0

Answer: A



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9. If $f(x) = \frac{\log(1 + ax) - \log(1 - bx)}{x}$ for

$x \neq 0$ and $f(0) = k$ and $f(x)$ is continuous at $x = 0$

then k is equal to

A. $a+b$

B. $a-b$

C. a

D. b

Answer: A



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10. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x}{x}$

A. 2

B. -1

C. 1

D. 0

Answer: C





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11. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos(\sin x) - 1}{x^2}$

A. 1

B. -1

C. $1/2$

D. $-1/2$

Answer: D



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12. In order that the function $f(x) = (x + 1)^{\frac{1}{x}}$ is continuous at $x = 0$, $f(0)$ must be defined as

A. $f(0) = 0$

B. $f(0) = e$

C. $f(0) = 1/e$

D. $f(0) = 1$

Answer: B



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13. The function $f(x) = |x|$ at $x = 0$ is

A. continuous but non-differentiable

B. discontinuous and differentiable

C. discontinuous and non-differentiable

D. continuous and differentiable

Answer: C



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14. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (\cos ecx)^{1/\log x}$ is equal to

A. 0

B. 1

C. 1/e

D. none of these

Answer: C



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15. The value of $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{x+6}{x+1} \right)^{x+4}$, is

A. e

B. e^2

C. e^4

D. e^5

Answer: D



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16. The set of points where the function $f(x) = x|x|$ is differentiable is

- A. $(-\infty, \infty)$
- B. $(-\infty, 0) \cup (0, \infty)$
- C. $(0, \infty)$
- D. $[0, \infty)$

Answer: A



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17. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{\sqrt{1 + \sqrt{2 + x}} - \sqrt{3}}{x - 2}$ is equal to

A. $\frac{1}{8\sqrt{3}}$

B. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$

C. $8\sqrt{3}$

D. $\sqrt{3}$

Answer: A



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18. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} (1 - x)\tan\left(\frac{\pi x}{2}\right)$

A. $\frac{\pi}{2}$

B. $\frac{2}{\pi}$

C. $-\frac{\pi}{2}$

D. $-\frac{2}{\pi}$

Answer: B



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19. If $f: R \rightarrow R$ is defined by $f(x) = [x - 3] + |x - 4|$ for x

$\in R$ then $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3^-} f(x)$ is equal to

A. -2

B. -1

C. 0

D. 1

Answer: C



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20. If $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is defined by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\cos 3x - \cos x}{x^2} & \text{for } x \neq 0 \\ \lambda & \text{for } x = 0 \end{cases}$$

and if f is continuous at $x = 0$, then λ is equal to

A. -2

B. 1

C. 2

D. 3

Answer: B



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21. If $f(2) = 4$ and $f'(2) = 1$ then $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{xf(2) - 2f(x)}{x - 2}$

is equal to

A. -2

B. 1

C. 2

D. 3

Answer: C



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22. If $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left[\frac{x^3 + 1}{x^2 + 1} - (ax + b) \right] = 2$ then

A. $a = 1$ and $b = 1$

B. $a = 1$ and $b = -1$

C. $a = 1$ and $b = -2$

D. $a = 1$ and $b = 2$

Answer: C



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23. If $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1 - \cos x}{x} & x \neq 0 \\ x & x = 0 \end{cases}$ is continuous at $x = 0$ then

the value of k is

A. 0

B. $\frac{1}{2}$

C. $\frac{1}{4}$

D. $-\frac{1}{2}$

Answer: A



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24. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan x - \sin x}{x^3}$ is equal to

A. $1/2$

B. $-1/2$

C. 0

D. 1

Answer: A



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25. If $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\sin 5x}{x^2 + 2x} & x \neq 0 \\ k + \frac{1}{2} & x = 0 \end{cases}$ is continuous at $x = 0$ then

the value of k is

A. 1

B. -2

C. 2

D. $\frac{1}{2}$

Answer: C



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26. The value of the constant α and β such that

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{x^2 + 1}{x + 1} - \alpha x - \beta \right) = 0 \text{ are respectively}$$

A. $(1, 1)$

B. $(-1, 1)$

C. $(1, -1)$

D. (0,1)

Answer: C



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27. $\lim_{\theta \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4\theta(\tan \theta - 2\theta \tan \theta)}{(1 - \cos 2\theta)}$ is equal to

A. $1\sqrt{2}$

B. $1/2$

C. 1

D. 2

Answer: D



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28. Let $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & \forall x < 0 \\ 1 + \sin x & \forall 0 \leq x \leq \pi/2 \end{cases}$ then

what is the value of $f'(x)$ at $x = 0$?

A. 1

B. -1

C. ∞

D. Does not exist

Answer: D



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