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DIFFERENTIAL CALCULUS - LIMITS AND CONTINUITY

Examples

1. Calculate $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} |X|.$



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2. Consider the function $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$, $x \geq 0$



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3. Evaluate $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} \lfloor x \rfloor$ and $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} \lfloor x \rfloor$



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4. Let $f(x) = \begin{cases} x + 1 & x > 0 \\ x - 1 & x < 0 \end{cases}$



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5. Check if $\lim_{x \rightarrow 5} f(x)$ exists or not, where

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{|x+5|}{x+5} & f \text{ or } x \neq -5 \\ 0. & f \text{ or } x = -5 \end{cases}$$



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6. Calculate $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} (x^3 - 2x + 6)$.



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7. Calculate $\lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} (5)$ for any real number x_0 .



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$$8. \text{ Compute } \lim_{x \rightarrow 8} (5x)$$



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$$9. \text{ Compute } \lim_{x \rightarrow -2} \left(-\frac{3}{2}x \right)$$



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$$10. \text{ Compute } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{x^2 + x}{x} + 4x^3 + 3 \right]$$



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11. Calculate $\lim_{x \rightarrow -1} (x^2 - 3)^{10}$



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12. Calculate $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2} (x^3 - 3x + 6)(-x^2 + 15)$.



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13. Calculate $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{(x^2 - 6x + 5)}{x^3 - 8x + 7}$



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14. Calculate $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{\sqrt{x} - 1}{x - 1}$.



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15. Find $\lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{t^2 + 9} - 3}{t^2}$



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16. Compute $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^3 - 1}{x - 1}$.



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17. Compute $\lim_{t \rightarrow 1} \frac{\sqrt{t} - 1}{t - 1}$



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18. Find $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(2 + x)^5 - 2^5}{x}$



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19. Find the positive integer n so that

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{x^n - 3^n}{x - 3} = 27$$



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20. Find the relation between a and b if

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} f(x) \quad \text{exists} \quad \text{where}$$

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} ax + b & \text{if } x > 3 \\ 3ax - 4b + 1 & \text{if } x < 3 \end{cases}$$



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21. Calculate $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{(x^2 + x^3)}$



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22. Evaluate $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{1}{(x - 2)^3}$



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23. Calculate $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^3 + 2x + 3}{(5x^2 + 1)}$



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24. Calculate $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1 - x^2}{(3x + 2)}$



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25. Alcohol is removed from the body by the lungs, the kidneys, and by chemical processes in liver. At moderate concentration levels, the majority work

of removing the alcohol is done by the liver, less than 5% of the alcohol is eliminated by the lungs and kidneys. The rate r at which the liver processes alcohol from the bloodstream is related to the blood alcohol concentration x by a rational function of the form $r(x) = \frac{ax}{x + \beta}$ for some positive constants a and β . Find the maximum possible rate of removal.



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26. The velocity in ft/sec of a falling object is modeled by $r(t) = -\sqrt{\frac{32}{k}} \frac{1 - e^{-2t\sqrt{32}k}}{1 + e^{-2t\sqrt{32}k}}$ where

k is a constant that depends upon the size and shape of the object and the density of the air. Find the limiting velocity of the object , that is find

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} r(t).$$



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27. Suppose that the diameter of an animal's pupil is given by $f(x) = \frac{160x^{-0.4} + 90}{4x^{-0.4} + 15}$ where x is the intensity of light and $f(x)$ is in mm. Find the diameter of the pupils with minimum light



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29. Evaluate $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^2 \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$.



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30. Prove that $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x \sin x}{1 - \cos x} = 2$



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31. Show that

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x \left(\left[\frac{1}{x} \right] + \left[\frac{2}{x} \right] + \dots + \left[\frac{15}{x} \right] \right) = 120$$



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32. Evaluate : $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (1 + \sin x)^{2 \cos ex}$



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33. Evaluate : $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{x+2}{x-2} \right)^x$



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34. Evaluate : $\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{4}} \frac{4\sqrt{2} - (\cos x + \sin x)^5}{1 - \sin 2x}$



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35. Do the limits of following functions exists as $x \rightarrow 0$? State reason for your answer.

$$\frac{\sin|x|}{x}$$



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36. Do the limits of following functions exists as $x \rightarrow 0$? State reason for your answer.

$$\frac{\sin x}{|x|}$$



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37. Do the limits of following functions exists as $x \rightarrow 0$? State reason for your answer.

$$\frac{x|x|}{\sin|x|}$$



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38. Do the limits of following functions exists as

$x \rightarrow 0$? State reason for your answer.

$$\frac{\sin(x - [x])}{x - [x]}$$



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39. Describe the interval (s) on which each function

is continuous.

$$f(x) = \tan x$$



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40. Describe the interval (s) on which each function is continuous.

$$g(x) = \begin{cases} \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) & x \neq 0 \\ 0 & x = 0 \end{cases}$$



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41. Describe the interval (s) on which each function is continuous.

$$h(x) = \begin{cases} x \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) & x \neq 0 \\ 0 & x = 0 \end{cases}$$



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Additional Problems

1. Suppose $f(x) = \begin{cases} a + bx & x < 1 \\ 4 & x = 1 \\ b - ax & x > 1 \end{cases}$ and if $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x) = f(1)$. What are possible values of a and b?



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2. If $f(x) = \begin{cases} 2x + 1 & x \leq 0 \\ 3(x + 1) & x > 0 \end{cases}$. Find $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$ and $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x)$.



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3. Find $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x)$ if $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 - 1 & x \leq 1 \\ x^2 + 1 & x > 1 \end{cases}$



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4. Evaluate $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$ where $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{|x|}{x} & x \neq 0 \\ 0 & x = 0 \end{cases}$



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5. Let a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n be fixed real numbers such that $f(x) = (x - a_1)(x - a_2) \dots (x - a_n)$ what $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x)$ For $a \neq a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n$ compute $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$



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6. Evaluate $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt{x}(\sqrt{x+c} - \sqrt{x})$



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7. Evaluate: $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (\sqrt{x^2 + x + 1} - \sqrt{x^2 + 1})$



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8. Evaluate: $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + n}{n^2}$



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9. Evaluate: $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n!}{(n+1)! - n!}$



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10. Evaluate: $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\sqrt{x^2 + x + 1} - x \right)$



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11. Evaluate :

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(x+1)^{10} + (x+2)^{10} + \dots + (x+100)^{10}}{x^{10} + 10^{10}}$$



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Exercise 9 1

1. Complete the table use the result the estimate the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x - 2}{x^2 - x - 2}$$



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2. Evaluate the limits

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



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3. Evaluate the limit

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



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**4. Complete the table use the result the estimate
the limits**

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{\sqrt{x + 1} - 2}{x - 3}$$



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5. Complete the table use the result the estimate the limits

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



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6. Find the value of limit

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x(e^x - 1)}{1 - \cos x}$$



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7. Find the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{x^3 - 64}{x^2 - 16}$$



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8. Find the limits

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



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9. Find the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(x) \text{ where } f(x) = \begin{cases} 4 - x & x \neq 2 \\ 0 & x = 2 \end{cases}$$



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10. Find the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x) \text{ where } f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 + 2 & x \neq 1 \\ 1 & x = 1 \end{cases}$$



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11. Find the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{1}{x - 3}$$



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12. Find the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 5} \frac{-|x - 5|}{(x - 5)}$$



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13. Find the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} (\pi x)$$



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14. Find the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (\sec x)$$



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15. Find the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}} \tan x$$



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16. Sketch graph and identify the values of x for which $\lim f(x)$ exists.

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 & x \leq 2 \\ 8 - 2x & 2 < x < 4 \\ 4 & x \geq 4 \end{cases}$$



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17. Find the point of discontinuity of the function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \sin x & x < 0 \\ 1 - \cos x & 0 \leq x \leq \pi \\ \cos x & x > \pi \end{cases}$$



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18. Sketch the graph of a function f that satisfies the given values:

$$f(0) \text{ is undefined} \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = 4, \quad f(2) = 6, \quad ,$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(x) = 3$$



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19. Sketch the graph of a function f that satisfies the given values:

$$f(-2) = 0 \quad , f(2) = 0, \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow -2} f(x) = 0 \quad ,$$

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(x)$ does not exist.



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20. Write a brief description of the meaning of the

$$\text{notation } \lim_{x \rightarrow 8} f(x) = 25$$



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21. If $f(2) = 4$, can you conclude anything about the limit of $f(x)$ as x approaches 2 ?



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22. If the limit of $f(x)$ as x approaches 2 is 4, can you conclude anything about $f(2)$? Explain reasoning,



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23. Evaluate : $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x^2 - 4}{x - 2}$ if it exists by finding $f(2^-)$ and $f(2^+)$



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24. Verify the existence of $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} f(x)$, where

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{|x-3|}{x-3} & f \text{ or } x \neq 3 \\ 0 & f \text{ or } x = 3 \end{cases}$$



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Exercise 9 2

1. Evaluate the limits :

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x^4 - 16}{x - 2}$$



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2. Evaluate the limits :

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^m - 1}{x^n - 1} \text{ m and n are integers}$$



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3. Evaluate the limits :

$$\lim_{\sqrt{x} \rightarrow 3} \frac{x^2 - 81}{\sqrt{x} - 3}$$



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4. Evaluate the limits :

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{x+h} - \sqrt{x}}{h}, x > 0$$



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5. Evaluate the limits :

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 5} \frac{\sqrt{x+4} - 3}{x - 5}$$



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6. Evaluate the limits :

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{\frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{2}}{x - 2}$$



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7. Evaluate the limits :

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



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8. Evaluate the limits :

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{x^2 + 1} - 1}{\sqrt{x^2 + 16} - 4}$$



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9. Evaluate the limits :

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



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10. Evaluate the limits :

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{\sqrt{7+x^3} - \sqrt{3+5x^2}}{x - 1}$$



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11. Evaluate the limits :

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{2 - \sqrt{x + 2}}{\sqrt[3]{2} - \sqrt[3]{4 - x}}$$



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12. Evaluate the limits :

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{1 + x^2} - 1}{x}$$



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13. Evaluate the limits :

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{1-x} - 1}{x^2}$$



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14. Evaluate the limits :

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



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15. Evaluate the limits :

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{\sqrt{x-b} - \sqrt{a-b}}{x^2 - a^2} \quad (a > b)$$



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Exercise 9 3

1. Find the left and right limits of

$$f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 4}{(x^2 + 4x + 4)(x + 3)} \text{ at } x = -2.$$



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2. Find the limit of $f(x) = \tan x$ at $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$.



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3. Evaluate

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{x^2 - 9}{x^2(x^2 - 6x + 9)}$$



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4. Evaluate

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3}{x - 2} - \frac{2x + 11}{x^2 + x - 6}$$



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5. Evaluate

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^3 + x}{x^4 - 3x^2 + 1}$$



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6. Evaluate

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



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7. Evaluate

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1 + x - 3x^3}{1 + x^2 + 3x^3}$$



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8. Evaluate

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{x^3}{2x^2 - 1} - \frac{x^2}{2x + 1} \right)$$



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9. Show that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + n}{3n^2 + 7n + 2} = \frac{1}{6}$



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10. Show that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1^2 + 2^2 + \dots + (3n)^2}{(1 + 2 + \dots + 5n)(2n + 3)} = \frac{9}{25}$$



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11. Show that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{1.2} + \frac{1}{2.3} + \frac{1}{3.4} + \dots + \frac{1}{n(n+1)} = 1$$



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12. An important problem in fishery is to estimate the number of fish presently spawning in streams and use this information to predict the number of mature fish or "recruits" that will return to the rivers during the reproductive period. If S is the number of spawners and R the number of recruits,

" Beverton-Holt spawner recruit function" is $R(S) =$

$$\frac{S}{(\alpha S + \beta)}$$
 where α and β are positive constants,

Show that this function predicts approximately constant recruitment when the number of spawners is sufficiently large.



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13. A tank contains 5000 litres of pure water. Brine (very salt water) that contains 30 grams of salt per litre of water is pumped into the tank at a rate of 25 litres per minute. The concentration of salt water after t minutes (in grams per litre) is

$C(t) = \frac{30t}{200 + t}$. What happens to the concentration as $t \rightarrow \infty$



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Exercise 9 4

1. Evaluate the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{1}{x}\right)^{7x}$$



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2. Evaluate the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (1 + x)^{1/3x}$$



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3. Evaluate the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{k}{x}\right)^{mx}$$



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4. Evaluate the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{4x^2 + 5}{4x^2 + 8}\right)^{8x^2 + 5}$$



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5. Evaluate the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{3}{x}\right)^{x+2}$$



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6. Evaluate the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin^3\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)}{x^3}$$



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7. Evaluate the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin ax}{\sin \beta x}$$



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8. Evaluate the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan 2x}{\sin 5x}$$



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9. Evaluate the limits

$$\lim_{a \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(a^n)}{(\sin a)^m}$$



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10. Evaluate the limits

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



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11. Evaluate the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{x^2 + a^2} - a}{\sqrt{x^2 + b^2} - b}$$



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12. Evaluate the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 \arcsin x}{3x}$$



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13. Evaluate the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \cos x}{x^2}$$



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14. Evaluate the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan 2x}{x}$$



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15. Evaluate the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2^x - 3^x}{x}$$



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16. Evaluate the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{3^x - 1}{\sqrt{x + 1} - 1}$$



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17. Evaluate the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \cos^2 x}{x \sin 2x}$$



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18. Evaluate the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x \left[3^{\frac{1}{x}} + 1 - \cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) - e^{\frac{1}{x}} \right]$$



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19. Evaluate the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \{x[\log(x+a) - \log(x)]\}$$



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20. Evaluate the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \pi} \frac{\sin 3x}{\sin 2x}$$



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21. Evaluate the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (1 + \sin x)^{2 \cos ex}$$



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22. Evaluate the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{1 + \cos x}}{\sin^2 x}$$



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23. Evaluate the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{1 + \sin x} - \sqrt{1 - \sin x}}{\tan x}$$



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24. Evaluate the limits

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



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25. Evaluate the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{\sin x}$$



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26. Evaluate the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{ax} - e^{bx}}{x}$$



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27. Evaluate the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x(1 - \cos x)}{x^3}$$



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28. Evaluate the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan x - \sin x}{x^2}$$



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Exercise 9 5

1. Prove that $f(x) = 2x^2 + 3x - 5$ is continuous at all points in R.



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2. Examine the continuity of the following:

$$x + \sin x$$



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3. Examine the continuity of the following:

$$x^2 \cos x$$



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4. Examine the continuity of the following:

$$e^x \tan x$$



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5. Examine the continuity of the following:

$$e^{2x} + x^2$$



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6. Examine the continuity of the following:

$$x \cdot \ln x$$



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7. Examine the continuity of the following:

$$\frac{\sin x}{x^2}$$



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8. Examine the continuity of the following:

$$\frac{x^2 - 16}{x + 4}$$



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9. Examine the continuity of the following:

$$|x + 2| + |x - 1|$$



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10. Examine the continuity of the following:

$$\frac{|x - 2|}{|x + 1|}$$



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11. Examine the continuity of the following:

$$\cot x + \tan x$$



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12. Find the points of discontinuity of the function

f , where

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 4x + 5 & \text{if } x \leq 3 \\ 4x - 5 & f \quad x > 3 \end{cases}$$



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13. Find the points of discontinuity of the function f, where

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x + 2 & \text{if } x \geq 2 \\ x^2 & \text{if } x < 2 \end{cases}$$



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14. Find the points of discontinuity of the function f, where

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^3 - 3 & \text{if } x \leq 2 \\ x^2 + 1 & \text{if } x > 2 \end{cases}$$



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15. Find the points of discontinuity of the function f , where

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \sin x & 0 \leq x \leq \frac{\pi}{4} \\ \cos x & \frac{\pi}{4} < x < \frac{\pi}{2} \end{cases}$$



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16. At the given point x_0 discover whether the given function is continuous or discontinuous citing the reasons for your answer.

$$x_0 = 1, f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^2 - 1}{x - 1} & x \neq 1 \\ 2 & x = 1 \end{cases}$$



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17. At the given point x_0 discover whether the given function is continuous or discontinuous citing the reasons for your answer.

$$x_0 = 3, f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^2 - 9}{x - 3} & x \neq 3 \\ 5 & x = 3 \end{cases}$$



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18. Show that the function $\begin{cases} \frac{x^3 - 1}{x - 1} & \text{if } x \neq 1 \\ 3 & \text{if } x = 1 \end{cases}$ is continuous on $(-\infty, \infty)$



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19. For what value of a is this function

$$f(x) \begin{cases} \frac{x^4 - 1}{x - 1} & \text{if } x \neq 1 \\ a & \text{if } x = 1 \end{cases}$$
 continuous at $x=1$?



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20. Graph the function. Show that $f(x)$ continuous

on $(-\infty, \infty)$



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21. If f and g are continuous functions with $f(3)=5$

and $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} [2f(x) - g(x)] = 4$, find $g(3)$.



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22. Find the points at which f is discontinuous . At which of these points f is continuous from the right, from the left, or neither? Sketch the graph of f .

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 2x + 1 & \text{if } x \leq -1 \\ 3x & \text{if } -1 < x < 1 \\ 2x - 1 & \text{if } x \geq 1 \end{cases}$$



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23. Find the points at which f is discontinuous . At which of these points f is continuous from the

right, from the left, or neither? Sketch the graph of f .

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} (x - 1)^3 & \text{if } x < 0 \\ (x + 1)^3 & \text{if } x > 0 \end{cases}$$



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24. A function f is defined as follows:

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & f \text{ or } x < 0 \\ x & f \text{ or } 0 \leq x < 1 \\ -x^2 + 4x - 2 & f \text{ or } 1 \leq x < 3 \\ 4 - x & f \text{ or } x \geq 3 \end{cases}$$



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25. Which of the following f has removable discontinuity at $x = x_0$? If the discontinuity is removable, find a function g that agrees with f for $x \neq x_0$ and is continuous on \mathbb{R} .

$$f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 2x - 8}{x + 2}, x_0 = -2$$



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26. Which of the following f has removable discontinuity at $x = x_0$? If the discontinuity is removable, find a function g that agrees with f for

$x \neq x_0$ and is continuous on R.

$$f(x) = \frac{x^3 + 64}{x + 4}, x_0 = -4$$



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$$f(x) = \frac{3 - \sqrt{x}}{9 - x}, x_0 = 9$$



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28. Find the constant b that makes g continuous on $(-\infty, \infty)$

$$g(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 - b^2 & \text{if } x < 4 \\ bx + 20 & \text{if } x \geq 4 \end{cases}$$



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29. Consider the function $f(x) = x \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{x}\right)$. What value must we give $f(0)$ in order to make the function continuous everywhere?



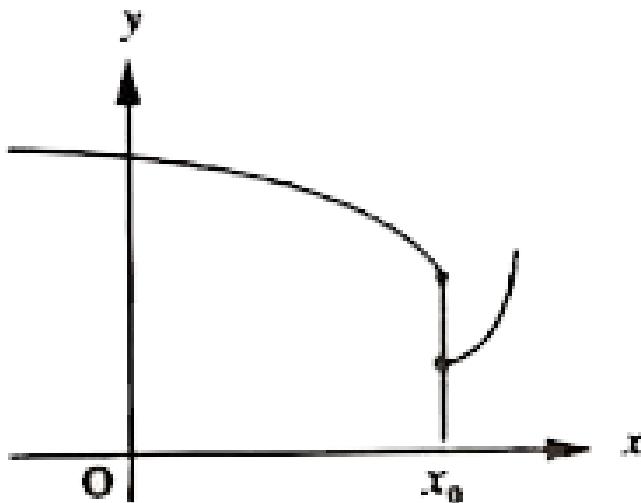
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30. The function $f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 1}{x^3 - 1}$ is not defined at $x=1$. What value must we give $f(1)$ in order to make $f(x)$ continuous at $x=1$?



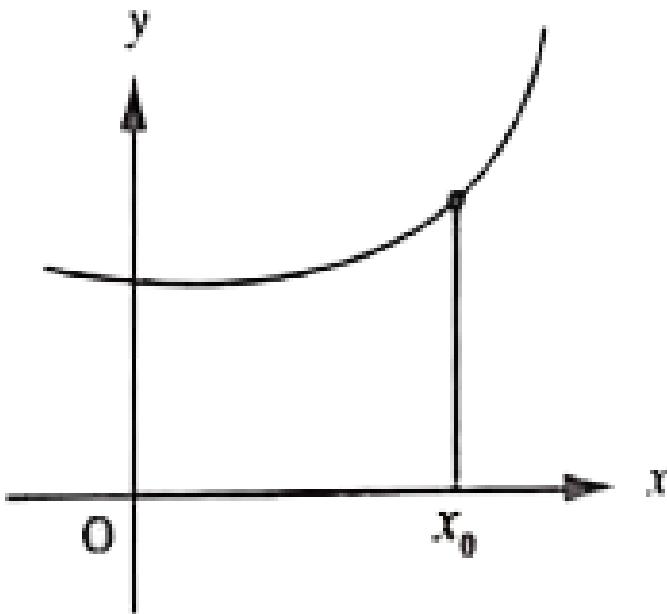
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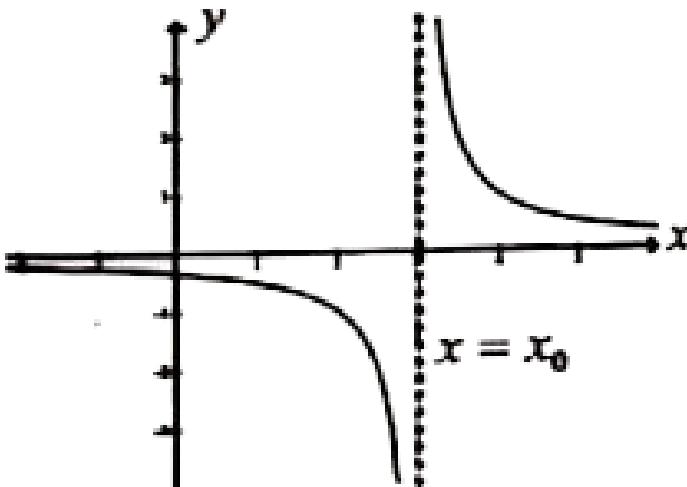
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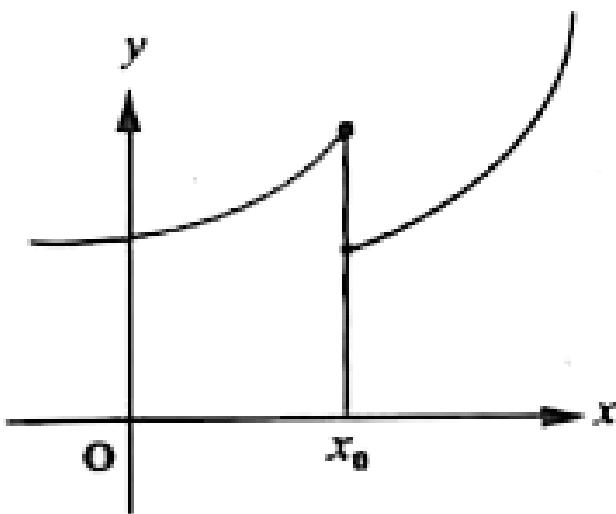
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- 33.** State how continuity is destroyed at $x = x_0$ for each of the following graphs.



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34. State how continuity is destroyed at $x = x_0$ for each of the following graphs.



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1. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sin x}{x} \dots\dots$

A. 1

B. 0

C. ∞

D. $-\infty$

Answer: B



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$$2. \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{(2x - \pi)}{\cos x} \dots \dots \dots$$

A. 2

B. 1

C. -2

D. 0

Answer: C



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$$3. \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{1 + \cos 2x}}{x} \dots\dots$$

A. 0

B. 1

C. 2

D. $\sqrt{2}$

Answer: D



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$$4. \lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin \sqrt{\theta}}{\sqrt{\sin \theta}} \dots\dots$$

A. 1

B. -1

C. 0

D. 2

Answer: A



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5. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{x^2 + 5x + 3}{x^2 + x + 3} \right)^x$ is.....

A. e^4

B. e^2

C. e^3

D. 1

Answer: A



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$$6. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sqrt{x^2 + 1}}{2x + 1} \dots\dots$$

A. 1

B. 0

C. -1

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

Answer: D



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$$7. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a^x - b^x}{x} \dots\dots$$

A. $\log ab$

B. $\log\left(\frac{a}{b}\right)$

C. $\log\left(\frac{b}{a}\right)$

D. $\frac{a}{b}$

Answer: B



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

A. $2\log 2$

B. $2(\log 2)^2$

C. $\log 2$

D. $3 \log 2$

Answer: B



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9. If $f(x) = x(-1) \left[\frac{1}{x} \right] x \leq 0$, then the value of

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$ is equal to

A. -1

B. 0

C. 2

D. 4

Answer: B



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$$10. \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} |x| = \dots\dots\dots$$

A. 2

B. 3

C. does not exist

D. 0

Answer: C



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11. Let the function f be defined

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 3x & 0 \leq x \leq 1 \\ -3x + 5 & 1 < x \leq 2 \end{cases} \text{ then.....}$$

A. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x) = 1$

B. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x) = 3$

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

D. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x) = \text{does not exist}$

Answer: D



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12. If $f: R \rightarrow R$ is defined by

$f(x) = \lfloor x - 3 \rfloor + \lfloor x - 4 \rfloor$ for x in R then

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

A. -2

B. -3

C. 0

D. 1

Answer: B

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13. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{xe^x - \sin x}{x}$ is.....

A. 1

B. 2

C. 3

D. 0

Answer: D



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14. If $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin px}{\tan 3x} = 4$ then the value of p is.....

A. 6

B. 9

C. 12

D. 4

Answer: C



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15. $\lim_{a \rightarrow \pi/4} \frac{\sin a - \cos a}{a - \pi/4}$ is..... .

A. $\sqrt{2}$

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

C. 1

D. 2

Answer: A



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16.

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{1}{n^2} + \frac{2}{n^2} + \frac{3}{n^2} + \frac{4}{n^2} + \dots + \frac{n}{n^2} \right) \dots \dots \dots$$

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

B. 0

C. 1

D. ∞

Answer: A



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$$17. \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{\sin x} - 1}{x} = \dots\dots$$

A. 1

B. e

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

D. 0

Answer: A



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18. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{\sin x} - e^x}{\sin x - x} \dots \dots \dots$

A. 1

B. e

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

D. 0

Answer: A



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19. The value of $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x}{\sqrt{x^2}}$ is.....

A. 1

B. -1

C. 0

D. ∞

Answer: D



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20. The value of $\lim_{x \rightarrow k^-} x - [x]$, where k is an integer is.....

A. -1

B. 1

C. 0

D. 2

Answer: B



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21. At $x = \frac{3}{2}$ the function $f(x) = \frac{|2x - 3|}{2x - 3}$
is.....

- A. Continuous
- B. discontinuous
- C. Differentiable
- D. non zero

Answer: B



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22. Let $f: R \rightarrow R$ be defined by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x & x \text{ is irrational} \\ 1-x & x \text{ is rational} \end{cases}$$

then f is.....

- A. Discontinuous at $x = \frac{1}{2}$
- B. Continuous at $x = \frac{1}{2}$
- C. Continuous everywhere
- D. Discontinuous everywhere

Answer: B



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23. The function $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^2 - 1}{x^3 + 1} & x \neq -1 \\ P & x = -1 \end{cases}$ is not defined for $x = -1$. The value of $f(-1)$ so that the function extended by this value is continuous is.....

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

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

C. 1

D. 0

Answer: B



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24. Let f be a continuous function on $[2, 5]$. If f takes only rational values for all x and $f(3)=12$, then $f(4.5)$ is equal to.....

A. $\frac{f(3) + f(4.5)}{7.5}$

B. 12

C. 17.5

D. $\frac{f(4.5) + f(3)}{1.5}$

Answer: B



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25. Let a function f be defined by

$$f(x) = \frac{x - |x|}{x} f \text{ or } x \neq 0 \text{ and } f(0)=2. \text{ Then } f \text{ is}$$

- A. Continuous nowhere
- B. Continuous everywhere
- C. Continuous for all x except $x=1$
- D. Continuous for all x except $x=0$

Answer: D



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