

AP Calculus - Chapter 2 Test 1 - Review Problems

1.

x	3.9	3.99	3.999	3.9999	4.0001	4.001	4.01	4.1
$f(x)$	5	-25	125	-625	5.9999	5.999	5.99	5.9

The table above gives values of a function f at selected values of x . Which of the following conclusions is supported by the data in the table?

- (A) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 4} f(x) = 6$
- (B) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 4} f(x) = 6$
- (C) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 4^+} f(x) = 6$
- (D) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 6^+} f(x) = 4$

2.

If f is the function defined by $f(x) = \frac{x-9}{\sqrt{x}-3}$, then $\lim_{x \rightarrow 9} f(x)$ is equivalent to which of the following?

- (A) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 9} (\sqrt{x} - 3)$
 - (B) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 9} (\sqrt{x} + 3)$
 - (C) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 9} \left(\frac{x^2 - 81}{x - 9} \right)$
 - (D) $\frac{\lim_{x \rightarrow 9} (x - 9)}{\lim_{x \rightarrow 9} (\sqrt{x} - 3)}$
- $\frac{x-9}{\sqrt{x}-3} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{x}+3}{\sqrt{x}+3} = \frac{(x-9)(\sqrt{x}+3)}{(x-9)}$
 $\lim_{x \rightarrow 9} \sqrt{x} + 3$

3. Find each limit:

$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{20}{10 + e^{-x}} = \frac{20}{10 + \frac{1}{e^x} \rightarrow 0} = 2$

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

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{7x^5 + 5x^2 + 12x}{3x^5 + 4x}$ is $\frac{0}{0}$

$\frac{7x^4 + 5x + 12}{3x^4 + 4}$
 $\frac{12}{4} = 3$

4.

If $f(x) = \frac{\sin x - 1}{\cos^2 x}$, then $\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}} f(x)$ is equivalent to which of the following?

- (A) $\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{-1}{1 + \sin x}$
 - (B) $\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\sin x - 1}{1 + \sin^2 x}$
 - (C) $\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}} \sec x$
 - (D) $\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}} (\tan x - \sec x)$
- $\frac{\sin x - 1}{1 - \sin^2 x} = \frac{\sin x - 1}{(1 - \sin x)(1 + \sin x)} = \frac{-(1 - \sin x)}{(1 - \sin x)(1 + \sin x)}$
 $= \frac{-1}{1 + \sin x}$

5. If f is the function defined by $f(x) = \frac{1}{x-1}$, then $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x)$ is equivalent to which of the following?

(A) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \left(-\frac{1}{x}\right)$

$$\frac{\frac{1}{x} - 1}{x-1} \cdot \frac{x}{x} = \frac{1-x}{(x-1)x} = -\frac{(x-1)}{(x-1)x} = -\frac{1}{x}$$

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

(C) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \left(\frac{x-1}{x-1}\right)$

(D) $\frac{\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \left(\frac{1}{x} - 1\right)}{\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} (x-1)}$

6. The function g is given by $g(x) = \frac{7x-26}{x-5}$. The function h is given by $h(x) = \frac{3x+14}{2x+1}$. If f is a function that satisfies $g(x) \leq f(x) \leq h(x)$ for $0 < x < 5$, what is $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(x)$? = 4

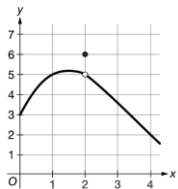
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$$\frac{7(2)-26}{2-5} = \frac{-12}{-3} = 4$$

$$\frac{3(2)+14}{2(2)+1} = \frac{20}{5} = 4$$

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} -x^2 + 3x + 3 & \text{for } x < 2 \\ 6 & \text{for } x = 2 \\ 8 - \frac{3}{2}x & \text{for } x > 2 \end{cases}$$

7.



Let f be the piecewise function defined above. Also shown is a portion of the graph of f . What is the value of $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(f(x))$? =

(A) -15

(B) -7

(C) -1

(D) $\frac{1}{2}$

$$f\left(\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(x)\right) = f(5)$$

Since $5 > 2$

$$8 - \frac{3}{2}(5) = 8 - \frac{15}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

8.

The function h is defined by $h(x) = \frac{x^2-7}{x-3}$. Which of the following statements must be true?

(A) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3^-} h(x) = -\infty$ and $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3^+} h(x) = -\infty$

(B) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3^-} h(x) = +\infty$ and $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3^+} h(x) = -\infty$

(C) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3^-} h(x) = -\infty$ and $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3^+} h(x) = +\infty$

(D) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3^-} h(x) = +\infty$ and $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3^+} h(x) = +\infty$

C 3 $\frac{2}{0}$

$$3^- = \frac{+}{-small} = -\infty$$

$$3^+ = \frac{+}{+small} = +\infty$$

9.

Let f be a function such that $\lim_{x \rightarrow 5} f(x) = \infty$. Which of the following statements must be true?

- (A) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 5^+} f(x) = \infty$
- (B) f is undefined at $x = 5$.
- (C) The graph of f has a vertical asymptote at $x = 5$.
- (D) The graph of f has a vertical asymptote at $x = -5$.

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} t^2 + 10t + 25 & \text{for } 0 \leq t < 6 \\ g(t) & \text{for } 6 \leq t \leq 12 \end{cases}$$

t (hours)	6	8	10	12
$g(t)$ (cubic meters)	306	376	428	474

At an excavation site, the amount of dirt that has been removed, in cubic meters, is modeled by the function f defined above, where g is a differentiable function and t is measured in hours. Values of $g(t)$ at selected values of t are given in the table above.

10.

(a) According to the model f , what is the average rate of change of the amount of dirt removed over the time interval $6 \leq t \leq 12$ hours?

$$\frac{g(12) - g(6)}{12 - 6} = \frac{474 - 306}{12 - 6} = \frac{168}{6} = 28 \text{ m}^3/\text{h}$$

(b) Use the data in the table to approximate $f'(9)$, the instantaneous rate of change in the amount of dirt removed, in cubic meters per hour, at time $t = 9$ hours. Show the computations that lead to your answer.

$$f'(9) \approx \frac{g(10) - g(8)}{10 - 8} = \frac{428 - 376}{2} = \frac{52}{2} = 26 \text{ m}^3/\text{h}$$

(d) Find $f'(2)$, the instantaneous rate of change in the amount of dirt removed, in cubic meters per hour, at time $t = 2$ hours.

$$f(2) = 96 + 4 \cdot \frac{8}{12} = 99\frac{2}{3} = \frac{298}{3}$$

need slope @ 2, $(2, 99)$ (t, t^2 + 10t + 25)

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow 2} \frac{t^2 + 10t + 25 - 49}{t - 2} = \frac{t^2 + 10t - 24}{t - 2}$$

x	-2	-1	0	1	2
$g(x)$	-3	2	1	0	5

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow 2} \frac{(t-2)(t+12)}{t-2} = 14 \text{ m}^3/\text{h}$$

11.

Selected values of a function g are shown in the table above. What is the average rate of change of g over the interval $[-2, 2]$?

$$\frac{g(2) - g(-2)}{2 - (-2)} = \frac{5 - (-3)}{4} = \frac{8}{4} = 2$$

Let f be the function defined by $f(x) = e^{2x}$. The average rate of change of f over the interval $[1, b]$ is 20, where $b > 1$. Which of the following is an equation that could be used to find the value of b ?

- (A) $f(b) = 20$
- (B) $f(b) - f(1) = 20$
- (C) $\frac{f(b) - f(1)}{b - 1} = 20$
- (D) $\frac{f(b) + f(1)}{2} = 20$

$$\frac{f(b) - f(1)}{b - 1} = 20$$

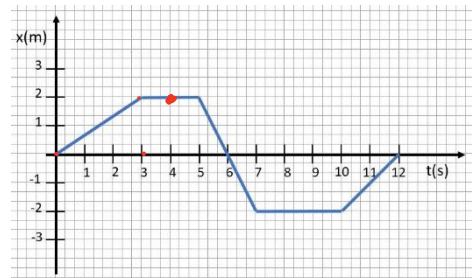
12. The position of a particle is given by the following graph:

a) What is the speed of the particle at $t = 4$ seconds?

$$\text{need slope} = 0$$

b) What is the speed of the particle at $t = 2$ seconds?

$$m = \frac{2}{3}$$

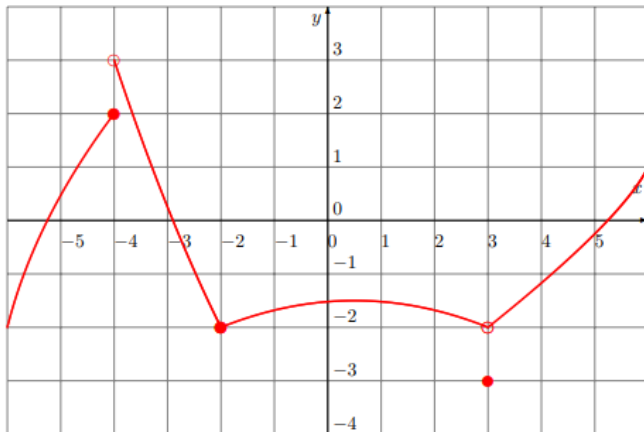


13. Suppose f is the function shown. Then find:

a) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} f(x) = (2)^2 + 3(2) + 3 = \boxed{5}$
 b) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} f(x) = 8 - \frac{3}{2}(2) = \boxed{5}$
 c) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(x) = \boxed{5}$
 d) $f(2) = \boxed{6}$

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} -x^2 + 3x + 3 & \text{for } x < 2 \\ 6 & \text{for } x = 2 \\ 8 - \frac{3}{2}x & \text{for } x > 2 \end{cases}$$

14. Suppose f is the function shown in the graph below:

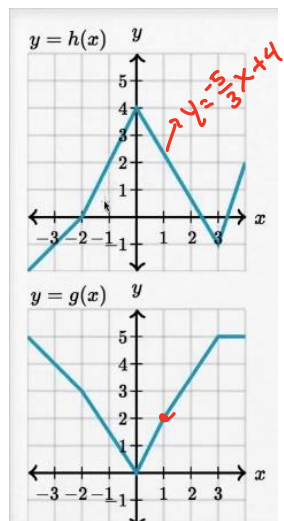


Find the following limits:

a) $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2^-} f(x) = \boxed{-2}$ b) $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2^+} f(x) = \boxed{-2}$ c) $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2} f(x) = \boxed{-2}$ d) $\lim_{x \rightarrow -4} f(x) = \boxed{\text{DNE}}$ e) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} f(x) = \boxed{-2}$

The graphs of $h(x)$ and $g(x)$ are shown. Solve each of the following.

a) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{h(x)}{g(x)} = \frac{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} h(x)}{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} g(x)} = \frac{4}{0} = \boxed{\text{DNE}}$ b) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{h(x)}{g(x)} = \frac{2\frac{1}{3}}{2} = \boxed{\frac{7}{6}}$ $h(x) = -\frac{5}{3}x + 4$
 c) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{h(x)+2}{g(x)} = \frac{1+2}{5} = \boxed{\frac{3}{5}}$ d) $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2} [3h(x) + 2g(x)] = 3(0) + 2(3) = \boxed{6}$



Let $f(x) = 2x^2 - 1$ and P be the point $(-1, 1)$.

a) Find the slope of the ~~curve~~ ^{curve} $y = f(x)$ at P.

$P(-1, 1)$ $Q(x, 2x^2 - 1)$
 $\lim_{x \rightarrow -1} \frac{2x^2 - 1 - 1}{x + 1} = \frac{2x^2 - 2}{x + 1} = \frac{2(x-1)(x+1)}{(x+1)} = 2(-1-1) = \boxed{-4 = m}$

b) The equation of the tangent at P.

$$y - 1 = -4(x + 1)$$

c) The equation of the normal at P. $\rightarrow m_{\perp} = \frac{1}{4}$

$m = -4$ so

$$y - 1 = \frac{1}{4}(x + 1)$$