

Test:

6. $x^3 - 5x^2 + 10x - 18$

$$\begin{array}{r} x+2 \\ \hline 1 & -3 & 0 & 2 & 4 \\ & 2 & -10 & 20 & -36 \\ \hline & 1 & -5 & 10 & -18 & 0 \end{array}$$

$x^3 - 5x^2 + 10x - 18$

7. $x-2$

$$\begin{array}{r} 1 & -3 & 5 & 9 \\ -2 & & 2 & -6 \\ \hline 1 & -1 & 3 & -15 \end{array}$$

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$$(x^2 - x + 3) R = 15$$

Bonus:

$$3^{3x+5}$$

$$(3^5)(3^x)^3 - 279(3^x)^2 + 37(3^x) - 1 = 0$$

$$M = 3^x$$

$$243m^3 - 279m^2 + 37m - 1 = 0$$

$$\therefore M = 1, M = \frac{1}{9}, M = \frac{1}{27}$$

$$3^x = 1 \quad 3^x = \frac{1}{9} \quad 3^x = \frac{1}{27}$$

$$x = 0 \quad x = -2 \quad x = -3$$

$$x = -2 \quad x = -3$$

$$1 \cdot a) (x-2)(x+1)(3x-2)$$

$$b) 3(2x^2-y)(2x^2+y)(16x^8+7x^4y^2+y^4)$$

$$2. Q: (6x^2-x+18) R_{RM}=50$$
$$\begin{array}{r} -x^3 \\ -18x^2 \\ \hline -x^3 \end{array}$$

$$3. \begin{cases} k = -3 \\ p = -3 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2k-3p=3 \\ -8k+3p=15 \\ \hline -6k=18 \end{array}$$

$$k = -3$$

$$4. \begin{cases} x = -4, -\frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{5} \end{cases}$$

$$5. 625x^{12} - 2000x^9y^2 + 2400x^6y^4 - 1280x^3y^6 + 256y^8$$

$$6. \begin{matrix} 3003 & (6^4) & (6561) \\ 14 & 8 & 8 \end{matrix} (2x^3)^5 (3y^5)^8$$

$$= 1260971712$$

$$7. x = \frac{2}{3}, x = 1 \pm 2\sqrt{5}$$

$$3x-2=0$$

$$x = -1 \pm 2\sqrt{5}$$

$$(x+1)^2 = (\pm 2\sqrt{5})^2$$

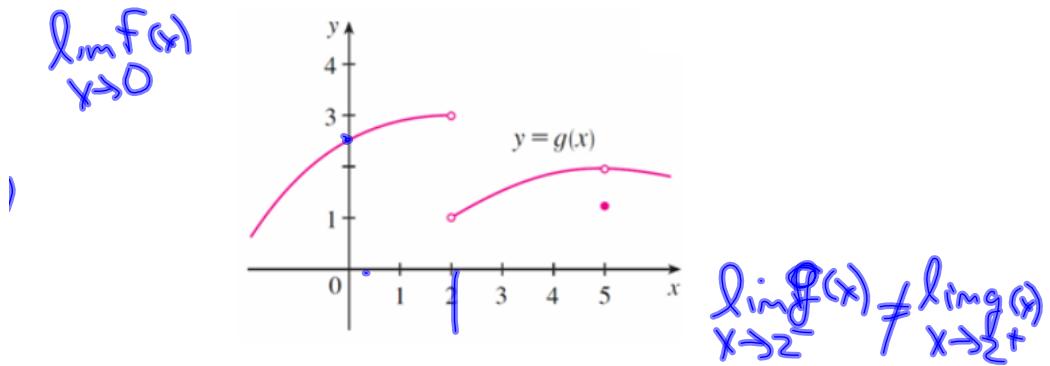
$$x^2 + 2x + 1 = 20$$

$$(3x-2)(x^2 + 2x - 19) = 0$$

$$3x^3 + 4x^2 - 61x + 38 = 0$$

One-sided limits

Use the graph shown below to evaluate the following limits:



$$1. \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} g(x) = 3$$

"as x approaches 2 from the left"

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

"as x approaches 2 from the right"

$$3. \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} g(x) = \text{DNE}$$

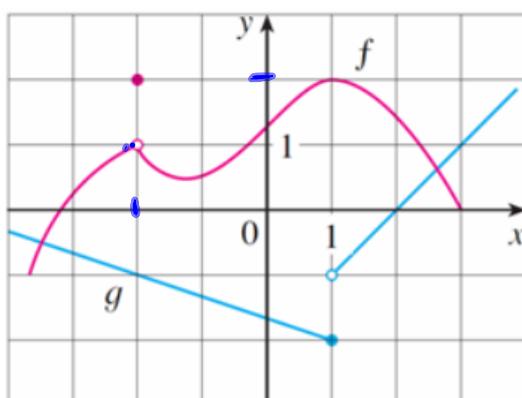
$$4. \lim_{x \rightarrow 5^-} g(x) = 2$$

$$5. \lim_{x \rightarrow 5^+} g(x) = 2$$

$$6. \lim_{x \rightarrow 5} g(x) = 2$$

Notice... $g(5) = 1$

Example:



Evaluate each of the following:

$$f(-2) = 2$$

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

$$g(1) = -2$$

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

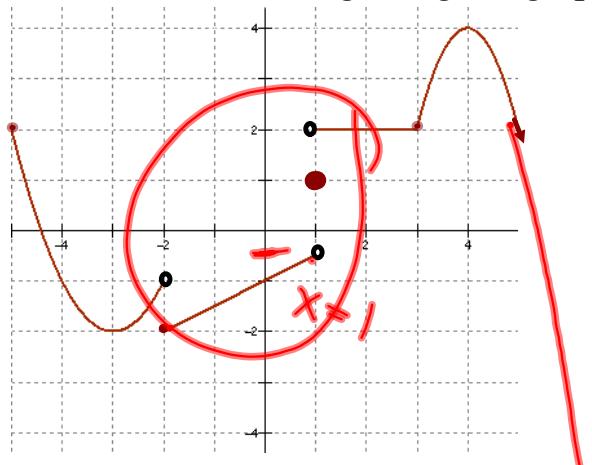
$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} g(x) = \text{DNE}$$

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

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

EXAMPLE...

Evaluate the following using the graph of $f(x)$ shown below...



Domain: $x \geq -5$
 Range: $[-5, \infty)$

$$y \leq x$$

$$(-\infty, +\infty]$$

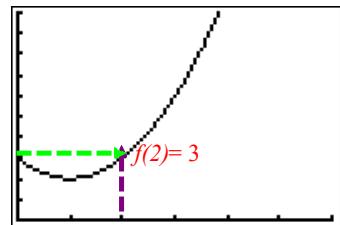
1. $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2^-} f(x) = -1$
2. $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2^+} f(x) = -2$
3. $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2} f(x) = \text{DNE}$
4. $f(-2) = -2$
5. $f(1) = 1$
6. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = -\frac{1}{2}$
7. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = 2$

Limit of a Function

Let's examine the function $f(x) = x^2 - 2x + 3$

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Plot2 Plot3  
Y1=X^2-2X+3  
Y2=  
Y3=  
Y4=  
Y5=  
Y6=  
Y7=
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X	Y1
0	3
1	2
2	3
3	6
4	11
5	18
6	27



We can see that $f(2) = 3$... let's check the behaviour of f as we get closer and closer to $x = 2$.

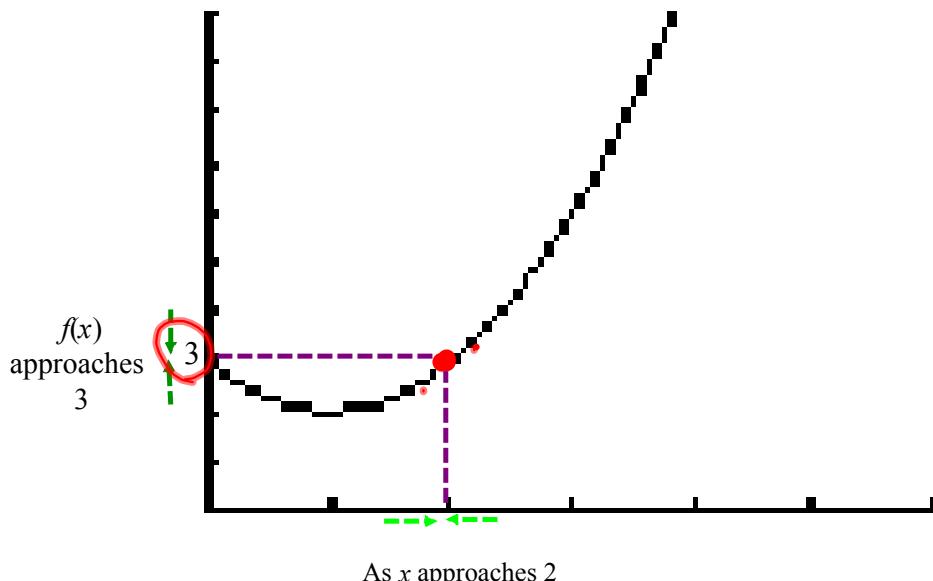
X	Y1
1.9	2.7225
1.95	2.91
1.99	2.9925
2.05	3.0025
2.1	3.01
2.15	3.0225

$X=1.85$

As x gets closer to 2 from the left
 y is getting closer to 3.

As x gets closer to 2 from the right
 y is getting closer to 3.

From the above, the notion of the limit of a function arises...



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

"The limit of the function $f(x)$ as x approaches 2 is equal to 3."

Evaluating Limits

I. Using a Graph:

- We looked at this in the previous two examples

II. Algebraically:

- Direct Substitution...

Examples:

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

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{(-2)^2 - 2(-2) + 1}{-2 + 3} \\ &= \frac{9}{1} \\ &= 9 \end{aligned}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} (16 - x^2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= 16 - (3)^2 \\ &= 7 \end{aligned}$$

- Indeterminate limits... \Rightarrow Direct substitution leads to $\frac{0}{0}$

- ⇒ Factor
- ⇒ Rationalize
- ⇒ Expand
- ⇒ Find Common Denominators

Examples:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{x^2 - 6x + 9}{9 - x^2} = \frac{9 - 18 + 9}{9 - 9} = \frac{0}{0}$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{4+h} - 2}{h} \left(\frac{\sqrt{4+h} + 2}{\sqrt{4+h} + 2} \right)$$

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

$$= \frac{(3-3)(-1)}{(3+3)}$$

$$= \frac{0}{6} = 0$$

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

$$\begin{aligned} &\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h^{-1}}{h(\sqrt{4+h} + 2)} \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{4+0} + 2} = \frac{1}{4} \end{aligned}$$