

1. A student throws a frisbee across Norlin quad. The function $s(t)$ gives the distance in yards the frisbee has flown after t seconds.

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|-----------------|---|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| t in seconds | 0 | 2 | 4 | 6 | 8 | 10 | 12 | 14 | 16 |
| $s(t)$ in yards | 0 | 15 | 28 | 39 | 48 | 55 | 60 | 63 | 64 |

- (a) (3 points) What is the average velocity of the frisbee between $t = 2$ and $t = 10$ seconds? Include units.

$$\frac{s(10) - s(2)}{10 - 2} = \frac{55 - 15}{8} = \frac{40}{8} = \boxed{5 \text{ yards/sec}}$$

- (b) (3 points) Estimate the instantaneous velocity at $t = 14$ seconds. Include units.

$$V_{\text{AVG on } [14, 16]} = \frac{s(16) - s(14)}{16 - 14} = \frac{64 - 63}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$V_{\text{AVG on } [12, 14]} = \frac{s(14) - s(12)}{14 - 12} = \frac{63 - 60}{2} = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\text{INST VEL AT } t = 14 \approx \frac{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{2}}{2} = \frac{2}{2} = \boxed{1 \text{ yard/sec}}$$

- (c) (3 points) Assume that $s'(8) = 4$. What does the value 4 represent in the context of the problem? Include units.

4 IS THE INSTANTANEOUS VELOCITY
 AT TIME 8 sec; 4 IS MEASURED
 IN UNITS OF yards/sec

2. Evaluate the following limits. Show your work.

$$(a) \text{ (4 points) } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{2x}}{\cos(2x)} = \frac{e^{2 \cdot 0}}{\cos(2 \cdot 0)} = \frac{e^0}{\cos 0} = \frac{1}{1} = \boxed{1}$$

$$(b) \text{ (4 points) } \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x^2 - x - 2}{x^2 - 2x}$$

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

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x+1}{x}$$

$$= \frac{2+1}{2} = \boxed{\frac{3}{2}}$$

3. Evaluate the following limits. Show your work.

(a) (6 points) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{2 - \sqrt{3+x}}{x-1}$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \left[\frac{2 - \sqrt{3+x}}{x-1} \cdot \frac{2 + \sqrt{3+x}}{2 + \sqrt{3+x}} \right]$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{4 - (3+x)}{(x-1)(2 + \sqrt{3+x})} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{1-x}{(x-1)(2 + \sqrt{3+x})}$$

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

$$= \frac{-1}{2 + \sqrt{3+1}} = \frac{-1}{2+2} = \boxed{-\frac{1}{4}}$$

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

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

DNE BECAUSE LEFT AND RIGHT LIMITS ARE DIFFERENT

For $x > 3$, $|x-3| = x-3$ so $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3^+} \frac{|x-3|}{(x-3)(x+3)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 3^+} \frac{x-3}{(x-3)(x+3)}$
 $= \lim_{x \rightarrow 3^+} \frac{1}{x+3} = \frac{1}{6}$

For $x < 3$, $|x-3| = -(x-3)$ so $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3^-} \frac{|x-3|}{(x-3)(x+3)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 3^-} \frac{-(x-3)}{(x-3)(x+3)}$
 $= \lim_{x \rightarrow 3^-} \frac{-1}{x+3} = -\frac{1}{6}$

4. (3 points) Complete the definition of continuity.

A function f is continuous at a number a if:

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

5. (8 points) Consider the piece-wise function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} e^{(bx-3)} & x < 1 \\ \ln(x) + 1 & x \geq 1. \end{cases}$$

Find the value of b that makes $f(x)$ continuous everywhere. Show your work.

e^{bx-3} IS CONT EVERYWHERE

$\ln(x) + 1$ IS CONT FOR $x \geq 1$

FIND b SO THAT $f(x)$ IS CONT AT $a=1$

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

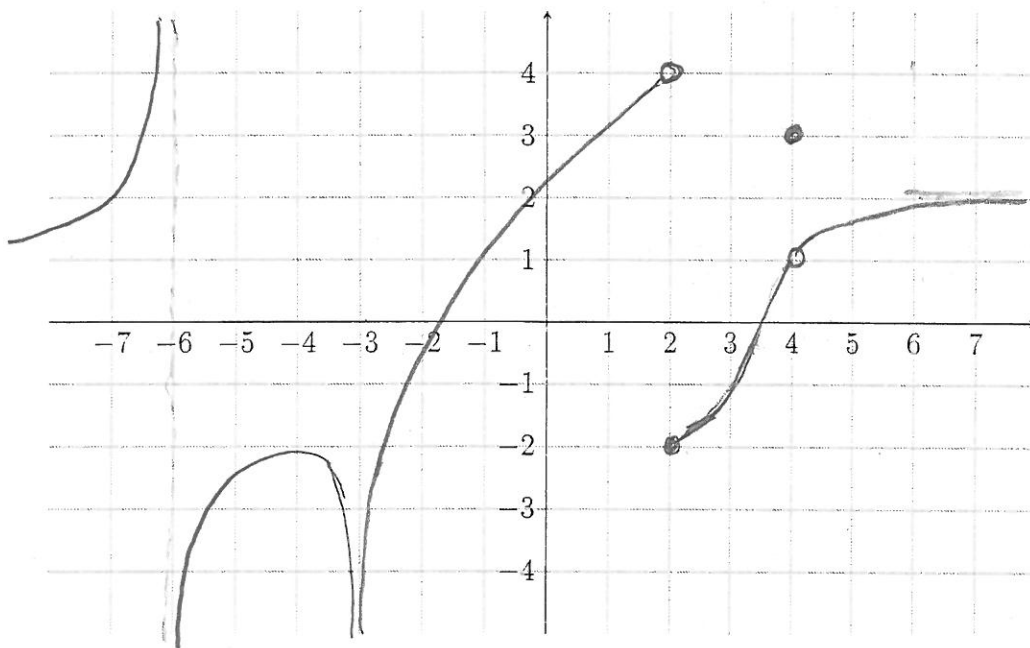
SO MUST HAVE $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = 1$

$$1 = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} e^{bx-3} = e^{b \cdot 1 - 3} = e^{b-3}$$

$$e^{b-3} = 1 \Rightarrow b-3 = 0 \Rightarrow \boxed{b=3}$$

6. (10 points) Sketch the graph of a function $f(x)$ which satisfies ALL the conditions below.
 Draw any vertical and horizontal asymptotes.

- (i) f has an infinite discontinuity at $x = -6$
- (ii) $\lim_{x \rightarrow -3} f(x) = -\infty$
- (iii) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} f(x) = 4$
- (iv) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} f(x) = -2$
- (v) $f(2) = -2$
- (vi) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 4} f(x) = 1$
- (vii) f has a removable discontinuity at $x = 4$
- (viii) $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = 2$



7. (12 points) Multiple Choice. Evaluate the following limits. Circle the correct answer.
 You do not need to show work.

(a) $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4t^2 - 3t + 2}{t^4 - 2t^2 + t - 5}$

- I) 0 II) 4 III) ∞ IV) $-\infty$

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(b) $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{6x^3 + x^2 - 4x + 1}{3x^3 - 2x^2 + 5}$

- I) 0 II) 2 III) ∞ IV) $-\infty$

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RATIO OF LEADING COEFFS = $\frac{6}{3} = 2$

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

- I) 0 II) 1 III) ∞ IV) $-\infty$

as $x \rightarrow 1^+$: $\frac{3}{x-1} \rightarrow \frac{3}{0^+} = +\infty$, THEN $2^{\frac{3}{x-1}} \rightarrow +\infty$
 as $x \rightarrow 1^+$

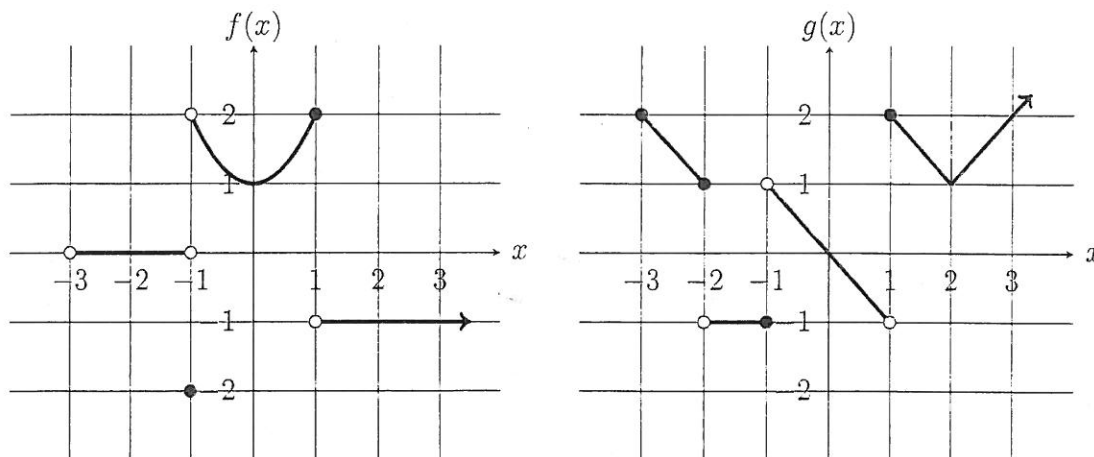
(d) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x^2 + 2x - 4}{x - 2}$

- I) 0 II) $\frac{1}{2}$ III) 2 IV) DNE

$x^2 + 2x - 4 \rightarrow 2^2 + 2 \cdot 2 - 4 = 4$ as $x \rightarrow 2$

$x - 2 \rightarrow 0^+$ if $x \rightarrow 2^+$
 $x - 2 \rightarrow 0^-$ if $x \rightarrow 2^-$] SO 1-SIDED LIMITS ARE DIFFERENT

8. (12 points) The graphs of two piece-wise functions, $f(x)$ and $g(x)$, are shown below.



Evaluate the following limits. Circle the correct answer. You do **not** need to show work.

(a) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} f(x)g(x) = \left(\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} f(x) \right) \cdot \left[\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} g(x) \right] = (-1) \cdot (2) = -2$

I) 0 II) 1 III) -2 IV) DNE

(b) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x) + g(x)$

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

I) 0 II) 1 III) 2 IV) DNE

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

← SAME

(c) $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2^-} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \frac{0}{1} = 0$

I) 0 II) -1 III) -2 IV) DNE

(d) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(g(x))$

I) 0 II) -1 III) 2 IV) DNE

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} f(g(x)) : g(x) \rightarrow 1^+$ and $f(x) \rightarrow -1$

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} f(g(x)) : g(x) \rightarrow 1^-$ and $f(x) \rightarrow -1$

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9. (8 points) Evaluate the following limit. Show all of your work and be sure to cite any theorems you use.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} (x-3)^2 \cos\left(\frac{1}{x-3}\right) = \boxed{0}$$

$$-1 \leq \cos\left(\frac{1}{x-3}\right) \leq 1 \quad \text{for } x \neq 3$$

$$-(x-3)^2 \leq (x-3)^2 \cdot \cos\left(\frac{1}{x-3}\right) \leq (x-3)^2$$

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as $x \rightarrow 3$

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as $x \rightarrow 3$

So $\boxed{0}$
as $x \rightarrow 3$

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10. (10 points) Use the limit definition of derivative to compute $f'(1)$ if $f(x) = x^2 + x$.

$$f'(a) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(a+h) - f(a)}{h}$$

$$f(x) = x^2 + x$$

so $f'(1) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1+h) - f(1)}{h}$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{[(1+h)^2 + 1+h] - [1^2 + 1]}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 + 2h + h^2 + 1 + h - 2}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{3h + h^2}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h(3+h)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (3+h) = 3+0 = \boxed{3}$$

11. (8 points) Use the Intermediate Value Theorem to show that the equation

$$x^3 + x^2 + x - 2 = 0$$

has a solution in the interval $[0, 1]$. You must check that the hypotheses of the Intermediate Value Theorem are satisfied to receive full credit.

Let $f(x) = x^3 + x^2 + x - 2$

Then $f(0) = 0^3 + 0^2 + 0 - 2 = -2$
and $f(1) = 1^3 + 1^2 + 1 - 2 = 1$

OPPOSITE SIGNS
0 IS IN BETWEEN
SO PICK $k=0$

IVT: If f is CONT on $[0, 1]$, then
for every k between $f(0) = -2$ and $f(1) = 1$
[pick $k=0$]

THERE IS c in $[0, 1]$ SUCH THAT
 $f(c) = 0$. c IS THE SOLUTION TO
 $c^3 + c^2 + c - 2 = 0$

and $f(x)$ IS A POLYNOMIAL SO CONTINUOUS EVERYWHERE AND SO CONTINUOUS on $[0, 1]$