

L'Hôpital's Rule — Type $0/0$ and ∞/∞

A. For each limit, identify the *indeterminate form* by direct substitution. Write $\frac{0}{0}$, $\frac{\infty}{\infty}$, $\frac{-\infty}{\infty}$, $\frac{\infty}{-\infty}$, $\frac{-\infty}{-\infty}$, or determinate.

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

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

3. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\ln x}{\sqrt{x}}$

4. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{e^{-x}}{x^3}$

5. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\ln x}{1/x}$

6. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\csc x}{-\cot x}$

B. Evaluate the following limits.

1. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(3x)}{x}$

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

3. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \pi^-} \frac{\sin x}{1 - \cos x}$.

$$4. \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan x - x}{x^3}$$

$$5. \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\ln(1 + 2x) - 2x}{x^2}$$

$$6. \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^x - 1 - x}{x^2}$$

$$7. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{e^x}{x^2}$$

$$8. \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\ln x}{\tan(x - \frac{\pi}{2})}$$

C. In the graph below, the blue curve is $f(x)$ and the red curve is $g(x)$. Both pass through $(2, 0)$ and are differentiable at $x = 2$. The dashed lines are the tangent lines at $x = 2$. Evaluate $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)}$.

