

# Mr. Wright's Math Extravaganza

## Precalculus Introduction to Calculus

Level 2.0: 70% on test, Level 3.0: 80% on test, Level 4.0: level 3.0 and success on applications

Score I Can Statements

4.0	<input type="checkbox"/> I can demonstrate in-depth inferences and applications that go beyond what was taught.
3.5	In addition to score 3.0 performance, partial success at score 4.0 content
3.0	<input type="checkbox"/> I can evaluate limits. <input type="checkbox"/> I can find the derivative of a function. <input type="checkbox"/> I can evaluate an integral.
2.5	No major errors or omissions regarding score 2.0 content, and partial success at score 3.0 content
2.0	<input type="checkbox"/> I can evaluate limits using a table. <input type="checkbox"/> I can evaluate limits using substitution. <input type="checkbox"/> I can evaluate indeterminate limits. <input type="checkbox"/> I can find the slope of a tangent line to a function. <input type="checkbox"/> I can evaluate limits at infinity. <input type="checkbox"/> I can evaluate the limit of a sequence. <input type="checkbox"/> I can find the limit of sums as $n$ approaches infinity.
1.5	Partial success at score 2.0 content, and major errors or omissions regarding score 3.0 content.
1.0	With help, partial success at score 2.0 content and score 3.0 content.
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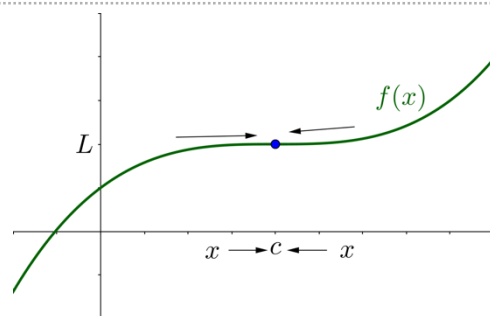
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## 12-01 Introduction to Limits

### Limit

If  $f(x)$  becomes \_\_\_\_\_ close to a unique number  $L$  as  $x$  \_\_\_\_\_  
 $c$  from either side, then the limit of  $f(x)$  as  $x$  approaches  $c$  is \_\_\_\_\_.  

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x) = L$$



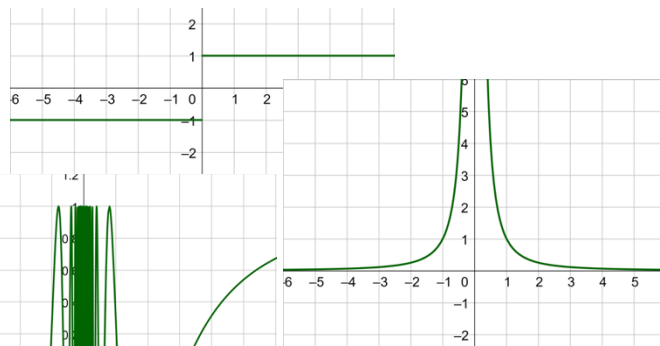
### Ways to find limits

- Estimate Numerically (\_\_\_\_\_)

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

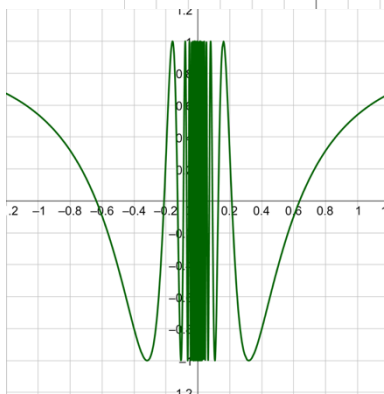
### Limits that fail to exist

- $f(x)$  approaches \_\_\_\_\_ numbers from both sides
- $f(x)$  increases or decreases without \_\_\_\_\_
- $f(x)$  \_\_\_\_\_ between 2 fixed values



### Properties of Limits

- $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} b = b$
- $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} x = c$
- $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} x^n = c^n$
- $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} \sqrt[n]{x} = \sqrt[n]{c}$
- Let  $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x) = L$  and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} g(x) = K$ 
  - $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} bf(x) = bL$
  - $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} [f(x) \pm g(x)] = L \pm K$
  - $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x)g(x) = LK$
  - $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \frac{L}{K}$
  - $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} [f(x)]^n = L^n$



### Evaluate

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} 3x^2$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} (4x^3 - 2x^2 + 17)$$

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

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## 12-02 Evaluating Limits

### Indeterminant Form

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x) = \frac{0}{0}$$

### Dividing out technique

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_ common factors
3. Then find the \_\_\_\_\_

Evaluate  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{x^2 - 8x + 15}{x - 3}$

### Rationalizing Technique

- Get \_\_\_\_\_ out of \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

Evaluate  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{x+9}-3}{x}$

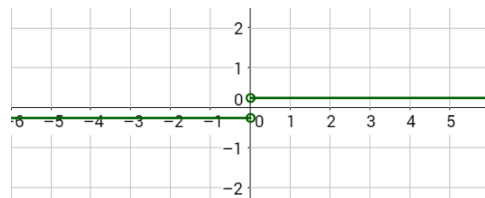
### One-sided Limits

- Limit found from only \_\_\_\_\_ direction
- $\lim_{x \rightarrow c^-} f(x)$  - from \_\_\_\_\_
- $\lim_{x \rightarrow c^+} f(x)$  - from \_\_\_\_\_

Evaluate

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{|x|}{4x}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{|x|}{4x}$$



**A limit from calculus**

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

- \_\_\_\_\_ gives indeterminate case

For the function  $f(x) = 2x^2 + 1$  find  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(2+h) - f(2)}{h}$

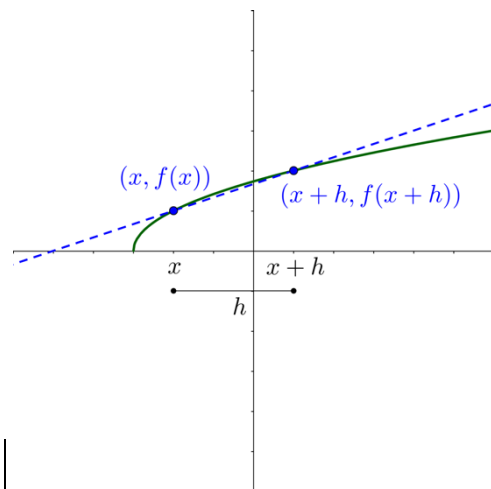
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## 12-03 Derivatives

Calculus is based on two main problems

- Finding the \_\_\_\_\_ of the tangent line to a function (finding \_\_\_\_\_)
- Find \_\_\_\_\_

$$\text{Slope of tangent line} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$



### Derivative

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

Gives a function for slope, or rate of change, of a function

Find the slope of  $f(x) = x^3$  at (2, 8)

Find the derivative of  $f(x) = x^2 - 2$

Find the derivative of  $f(x) = \sqrt{x} + 1$

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## 12-04 Limits at Infinity and Limits of Sequences

### Limits at Infinity

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{x^r} = 0$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{1}{x^r} = 0$$

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

### Shortcut

- N = degree of \_\_\_\_\_
- D = degree of \_\_\_\_\_
- N < D  $\rightarrow$  \_\_\_\_\_
- N = D  $\rightarrow$  \_\_\_\_\_
- N > D  $\rightarrow$  \_\_\_\_\_

Evaluate

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

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

### Limits of Sequences

- If terms of a sequence approach a \_\_\_\_\_ as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , then it \_\_\_\_\_.
- Otherwise, it \_\_\_\_\_.

Find the limit of the sequence  $a_n = \frac{(n-3)(4n-1)}{4-3n-n^2}$

Find the limit of  $a_n = \frac{5}{n^3} \cdot \left[ \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6} \right]$ .

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## 12-05 Integrals

### Properties of Sums

$$\sum_{i=1}^n c = cn$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n i = \frac{n(n+1)}{2} = \frac{n^2 + n}{2}$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n i^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6} = \frac{2n^3 + 3n^2 + n}{6}$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n i^3 = \frac{n^2(n+1)^2}{4} = \frac{n^4 + 2n^3 + n^2}{4}$$

- Associative Property

$$\sum_{i=1}^n (a_i \pm b_i) = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i \pm \sum_{i=1}^n b_i$$

- Distributive Property (Factoring)

$$\sum_{i=1}^n ka_i = k \sum_{i=1}^n a_i$$

Find the limit of  $S_n = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{i-5}{n^2}$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{i-5}{n^2}$$

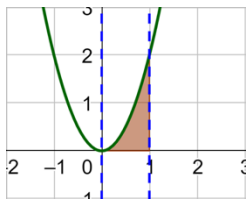
### The Area Problem

- Find the area between the graph and the x-axis between two x-values  $a$  and  $b$

$$Area = \int_a^b f(x) dx = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n f\left(a + \frac{b-a}{n}i\right) \left(\frac{b-a}{n}\right)$$



Find the area bounded by  $f(x) = 2x^2$  and  $x = 0$  and  $x = 1$



Find the area bounded by  $f(x) = 4x - x^2$  and  $x = 1$  to  $x = 3$

