1.5 Infinite Limits Homework

Determine whether f(x) approaches ∞ or $-\infty$ as x approaches -2 from the left and from the right.





Find the vertical asymptotes (if any) of the graph of the function.

9.
$$f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2}$$
 12. $g(x) = \frac{2+x}{x^2(1-x)}$ 15. $g(t) = \frac{t-1}{t^2+1}$ 16. $h(x) = \frac{2x-3}{x^2-25}$

18.
$$f(x) = \sec \pi x$$

21. $f(x) = \frac{x}{x^2 + x - 2}$
24. $h(x) = \frac{x^2 - 4}{x^3 + 2x^2 + x + 2}$
27. $s(t) = \frac{t}{\sin t}$

Determine whether the graph of the function has a vertical asymptote or a removable discontinuity at x = -1. Graph the function using a graphing calculator to confirm your answer.

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29.
$$f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 1}{x + 1}$$
 30. $f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 6x - 7}{x + 1}$ 32. $f(x) = \frac{\sin(x + 1)}{x + 1}$

Find the limit.

33.
$$\lim_{x \to 1^+} \frac{x-3}{x-2}$$
 36.
$$\lim_{x \to 4^-} \frac{x^2}{x^2+16}$$
 39.
$$\lim_{x \to 1} \frac{x^2-x}{(x^2+1)(x-1)}$$
 42.
$$\lim_{x \to 0^-} \left(x^2-\frac{1}{x}\right)$$

Find the limit.

45.
$$\lim_{x \to \pi} \frac{\sqrt{x}}{\csc x}$$
 48. $\lim_{x \to \frac{1}{2}} x^2 \tan \pi x$

Use a graphing calculator to graph the function and determine the one-sided limit.

49.
$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= \frac{x^2 + x + 1}{x^3 - 1} \\ &\lim_{x \to 1^+} f(x) \end{aligned} \quad 50. \quad \begin{aligned} f(x) &= \frac{x^3 - 1}{x^2 + x + 1} \\ &\lim_{x \to 1^-} f(x) \end{aligned} \quad 52. \quad \begin{aligned} f(x) &= \sec \frac{\pi x}{6} \\ &\lim_{x \to 3^+} f(x) \end{aligned}$$

Determine whether the statement is true or false. If it is false, explain why or give an example that shows it is false.

67. If p(x) is a polynomial, then the graph of the function given by $f(x) = \frac{p(x)}{x-1}$

has a vertical asymptote at x = 1.

- 68. The graph of a rational function has at least one vertical asymptote.
- 69. The graphs of polynomial functions have no vertical asymptotes.
- 70. If f has a vertical asymptote at x=0, then f is undefined at x=0.