

Calculus 12
Limits Self-Exam
June 2020

You can use this as more of a review than an exam. Don't be afraid to have your notes and materials out to assist you. Solutions at end of Exam.

Evaluate each limit.

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

2. $\lim_{x \rightarrow -3} \frac{(x+3)(x-4)}{x^2 + 4x + 3}$

3. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 25} \frac{\sqrt{x} - 5}{x - 25}$

4. $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2} \frac{x-4}{x^2 - 2x - 8}$

5. $\lim_{x \rightarrow -3} \frac{x^2 + 2x - 3}{x^2 + 7x + 12}$

6. $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2} \frac{x^3 + 8}{x + 2}$

7. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 5} \frac{x-5}{|x-5|}$

8. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 8} \frac{1}{x-8}$

9. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} e^{-x}$

10. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2x + 5x^2 - 6x^3}{15x^4 + 100x^2}$

11. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2x + 3}{5 - 3x}$

12. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \ln x$

13. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} \frac{|x-2|}{x-2}$

14. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin 5x}{x}$

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

16. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{1}{x}$

17. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \arctan x$

18. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}} \sin x$

19. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \cos x$

20. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} [x]$

21. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan 3x}{5x}$

22. $\lim_{n \rightarrow 0} \left(5^n + \frac{1}{5^n} \right)$

23. $\lim_{n \rightarrow 0} \frac{(1+n)^2 - 1}{n}$

24. $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(n-2)(n+1)}{n^2}$

25. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2x-5}{x}$

26. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin^2 x}{x}$

27. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin 3x}{5x}$

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

29. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f[g(x)]$, where $f(x) = 3x - 2$ and $g(x) = x^2 - 1$

$$30. \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{4}} \frac{\sin x - \cos x}{\cos 2x}$$

$$31. \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan 6t}{\sin 2t}$$

$$32. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x - \sqrt{x^2 + 7}$$

$$33. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^x$$

$$34. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} xe^{-x} + 5e^{-x}$$

$$35. \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{1}{2^{\tan(x)}}$$

$$36. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \ln x$$

$$37. \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \ln x$$

$$38. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \sin x$$

$$39. \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x^2}$$

$$40. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^2 \cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)}{2x^2 - 1}$$

$$41. \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{2x - 7}{\sqrt{3x^2 + 1}}$$

$$42. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3^x - 3^{-x}}{3^x + 3^{-x}}$$

$$43. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4x^{\frac{5}{2}} - 7x}{x^2 + 10x}$$

$$44. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\cos(\pi x)}{x}$$

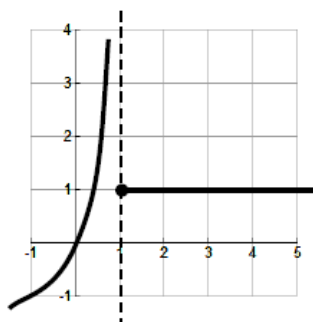
45-50: For each of the following determine: a) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x)$ b) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x)$ c) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x)$

$$45. f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 - 1 & x < 1 \\ 4 - x & x \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

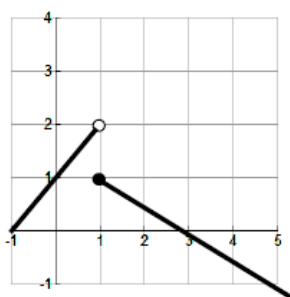
$$46. f(x) = \begin{cases} 3x - 1 & x \leq 1 \\ 3 - x & x > 1 \end{cases}$$

$$47. f(x) = \begin{cases} -x^2 & x < 1 \\ 2 & x = 1 \\ x - 2 & x > 1 \end{cases}$$

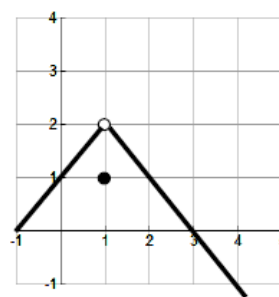
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**AP Calculus AB
Limit Worksheet Ans**

1. 11

2. $\frac{7}{2}$

3. $\frac{1}{10}$

4. *DNE*

5. -4

6. 12

7. *DNE*

8. *DNE*

9. 0

10. 0

11. $-\frac{2}{3}$

12. $-\infty$

13. 1

14. 5

15. 0

16. $-\infty$

17. $\frac{\pi}{2}$

18. 1

19. *DNE*

20. 1

21. $\frac{3}{5}$

22. 2

23. 2

24. 1

25. 2

26. 0

27. $\frac{3}{5}$

28. $\frac{1}{2}$

29. 7

30. $-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$

31. 3

32. 0

33. 0

34. 0

35. $+\infty$

36. $+\infty$

37. $-\infty$

38. *DNE*

39. $+\infty$

40. $\frac{1}{2}$

41. $-\frac{2\sqrt{3}}{3}$

42. 1

43. $+\infty$

44. 0

45. 0, 3, *DNE*

46. 2, 2, 2

47. -1, -1, -1

48. $+\infty, 1, \text{DNE}$

49. 2, 1, *DNE*

50. 2, 2, 2

Limits, Continuity and Piecewise Functions

Evaluate each limit if it exists.

$$1. \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(x) = \begin{cases} x+1 & \text{if } x < 2 \\ x^2 - 1 & \text{if } x \geq 2 \end{cases}$$

$$2. \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x) = \begin{cases} 2-x & \text{if } x < 1 \\ x+4 & \text{if } x \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

$$3. \lim_{x \rightarrow 5} \frac{x-5}{x-5}$$

$$4. \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{x^2 - 9}{x^2 + 9}$$

$$5. \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x^3 - 8}{x^3 - 4}$$

$$6. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2-x+x^3}{4x^3 - 5x + 100}$$

13. Find the value of k such that f is continuous at $x=1$

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} -(x-1)^2 + 1 & \text{if } x < 1 \\ k & \text{if } x = 1 \\ (x-1)^2 + 1 & \text{if } x > 1 \end{cases}$$

14. Find the value of k such that f is continuous at $x=2$

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^2 - 4}{x - 2} & \text{if } x \neq 2 \\ k & \text{if } x = 2 \end{cases}$$

15. Find the value of k such that f is continuous at $x=0$

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{2x^2 - x}{3x} & \text{if } x \neq 0 \\ f(0) = k \end{cases}$$

16. Is the function $f(x)$ continuous? If not, state where and what type of discontinuity it contains.

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{3x(x-1)}{x^2 - 3x + 2} & \text{if } x \neq 1, 2 \\ f(1) = -3 \\ 4 & \text{if } x = 2 \end{cases}$$

17. If $f(x) = \begin{cases} 2x^2 + 3 & \text{if } x \geq 1 \\ g(x) & \text{if } x < 1 \end{cases}$ then f will be continuous at $x=1$, if $g(x) = ?$

- x
- $\cos(x+4)$
- $6-x$
- x^2+2
- $2x^2-3$

18. Given $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 - 4 & \text{if } x \neq 1 \\ 2 & \text{if } x = 1 \end{cases}$, determine which statement(s) must be true.

- $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x) = \text{exists}$
- $f(1)$ exists
- f is continuous at $x=1$

$$7. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{7x^5 + 100x^6}{x^2 - 11x^5}$$

$$8. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sqrt{x^2 + 5x + 12}}{x - 3}$$

$$9. \lim_{x \rightarrow 9} \frac{\sqrt{x} - 3}{x - 9}$$

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$$2. \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x) = \begin{cases} 2-x & \text{if } x < 1 \\ x+4 & \text{if } x \geq 1 \end{cases} = DNE$$

$$3. \lim_{x \rightarrow 5} \frac{x-5}{x-5} = 1$$

$$4. \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{x^2-9}{x^2+9} = 0$$

$$5. \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x^3-8}{x^2-4} = 3$$

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$$9. \lim_{x \rightarrow 9} \frac{\sqrt{x}-3}{x-9} = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$10. \lim_{x \rightarrow -1} \frac{|x+1|}{x+1} = 1$$

$$11. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} xe^x = 0$$

$$12. \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan 8x}{\sin 3x} = \frac{8}{3}$$