Exercise 1 Let f(x) = 9x + 0.06 and a = -1. Observe the table of values for $\frac{f(a+h) - f(a)}{h}$:

h	$\frac{f(a+h) - f(a)}{h}$
-0.1	9
-0.01	9
0.01	9
0.1	9

The limit as $h \to 0$ seems to be exactly $\boxed{9}$.