

*Limits of Rational Functions: In Exercises 13 – 22, find the limit of each rational function*

a) as  $x \rightarrow \infty$     b)  $x \rightarrow -\infty$

(hass et al., 2018, p. 94)

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$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{9 + \frac{1}{x^3}}{2 + \frac{5}{x^2} - \frac{1}{x^3} + \frac{6}{x^4}}$$

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$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} \frac{9x^4 + x}{2x^4 + 5x^2 - x + 6} = \frac{9}{2}$$

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