MAKING GUIDE

Question 1: Know $\lim u_n = a$; $\lim v_n = b$. Calculate $\lim (u_n + v_n)$ and $\lim (u_n \cdot v_n)$.

- Step 1: $\lim (u_n + v_n) = a + b$.
- Step 2: $\lim (u_n.v_n) = a.b.$
- Complete two steps to get a perfect score (0.5 points)
- Doing 1 out of two steps correctly gets 0.25 points
- If you do both steps wrong, you will not get points

Question 2: Calculate $\lim u_n$, with $u_n = \frac{5n^2 + 3n - 7}{n^2}$.

- Step 1: We have $\lim u_n = \lim \left(\frac{5n^2}{n^2} + \frac{3n}{n^2} \frac{7}{n^2} \right)$
- Step 2: = $\lim \left(5 + \frac{3}{n} \frac{7}{n^2} \right)$
- Step 3: = 5 + 0 0 = 5
- Doing all three steps correctly gets a perfect score (0.75 points).
- Doing steps 2 and 3 correctly will get a perfect score (0.75 points).
- Doing step 3 incorrectly gets 0.5 points.
- Doing steps 2 and 3 incorrectly gets 0.25 points.
- If the steps are shortened or converted incorrectly, points will not be given.

Question 3: Calculate $\lim \frac{3 \cdot 2^n - 5^n}{5 \cdot 4^n + 6 \cdot 5^n}$

- Step 1: We have $\lim \frac{3 \cdot 2^n 5^n}{5 \cdot 4^n + 6 \cdot 5^n} = \lim \frac{3 \cdot \frac{2^n}{5^n} \frac{5^n}{5^n}}{5 \cdot \frac{4^n}{5^n} + 6 \cdot \frac{5^n}{5^n}}$
- Step 2: = $\lim \frac{3 \cdot \left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^n 1}{5 \cdot \left(\frac{4}{5}\right)^n + 6}$
- Step 3: $=\frac{3.0-1}{5.0+6} = -\frac{1}{6}$.
- Doing all three steps correctly gets a perfect score (0.75 points).
- Doing steps 2 and 3 correctly will get a perfect score (0.75 points).
- Doing step 3 incorrectly gets 0.5 points.
- Doing steps 2 and 3 incorrectly gets 0.25 points.
- If the steps are shortened or converted incorrectly, points will not be given.

Question 4: Calculate $\lim \frac{\sqrt{n^4 + 2n + 2}}{n^2 + 1}$

• Step 1: We have
$$\lim \frac{\sqrt{n^4 + 2n + 2}}{n^2 + 1} = \lim \frac{\sqrt{n^4 \left(1 + \frac{2}{n^3} + \frac{2}{n^4}\right)}}{n^2 \left(1 + \frac{1}{n^2}\right)}$$

• Step 2: =
$$\lim \frac{n^2 \sqrt{1 + \frac{2}{n^3} + \frac{2}{n^4}}}{n^2 \left(1 + \frac{1}{n^2}\right)}$$

• Step 3: =
$$\lim \frac{\sqrt{1 + \frac{2}{n^3} + \frac{2}{n^4}}}{1 + \frac{1}{n^2}}$$

• Step 4:
$$=\frac{\sqrt{1+0+0}}{1+0}=1$$
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- Do step 2, step 3 and step 4 correctly to get a perfect score (1 point)
- Doing step 4 incorrectly gets 0.75 points
- Doing steps 3 and 4 incorrectly gets 0.5 points
- Doing step 2, step 3 and step 4 incorrectly gets 0.25 points.
- If the steps are shortened or converted incorrectly, points will not be given.
- If step 2 is incorrectly shortened or written incorrectly, no points will be given
- If step 3 is incorrectly shortened or written incorrectly, no points will be given

Question 5: Calculate $\lim_{n \to \infty} \left(\sqrt[3]{2n - 3n^3} + n - 1 \right)$.

• Step 1: We have
$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \left(\sqrt[3]{2n - 3n^3} + n - 1 \right) = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left(\sqrt[3]{n^3 \left(\frac{2}{n^2} - 3 \right)} + n \left(1 - \frac{1}{n} \right) \right)$$

• Step 2: =
$$\lim \left(n \sqrt[3]{\frac{2}{n^2} - 3} + n \left(1 - \frac{1}{n} \right) \right)$$

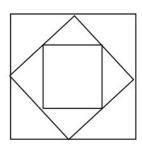
• Step 3: =
$$\lim n \left(\sqrt[3]{\frac{2}{n^2} - 3} + 1 - \frac{1}{n} \right)$$

• Step 4: =
$$\lim_{n \to \infty} n \cdot \lim_{n \to \infty} \left(\sqrt[3]{\frac{2}{n^2} - 3} + 1 - \frac{1}{n} \right)$$

• Step 5: =
$$\lim n \cdot \lim (1 + \sqrt[3]{-3}) = -\infty$$
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- Do 5 steps correctly to get a perfect score (1.25 points)
- Do step 2, step 3, step 4 and step 5 correctly to get a perfect score (1.25 points)
- If you do step 5 wrong, you get 1 point.
- Doing steps 4 and 5 incorrectly gets 0.75 points
- Doing step 3, step 4 and step 5 incorrectly gets 0.5 points.
- Doing step 2, step 3, step 4 and step 5 incorrectly gets 0.25 points.
- If the steps are shortened or converted incorrectly, points will not be given.

Question 6: Let square *ABCD* have length 1. We inscribe in this square a second square, whose vertex is the midpoint of its sides. And so we continue to inscribe as shown below. Calculate the total perimeter of those squares.



• Step 1: We have
$$S_n = 4 + 4 \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + 4 \cdot \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 + \dots + 4 \cdot \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^{n-1}$$

• Step 2: =
$$4 \cdot \left(1 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 + \dots + \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^{n-1}\right) = 4 \cdot \frac{1 - \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^n}{1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}}$$

• Step 3:
$$\lim S_n = \lim 4 \cdot \frac{1 - \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^n}{1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}} = \frac{4\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2} - 1} = 4\left(2 + \sqrt{2}\right).$$

- Doing all three steps correctly gets a perfect score (0.75 points).
- Doing step 1 incorrectly gets 0.25 points.
- Doing steps 1 and 2 incorrectly gets 0.5 points.
- Doing steps 3 or steps 2 and 3 correctly will not get points