

Problem 1. Let

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 3 & x > 9 \\ 6 & x = 9 \\ -x + 11 & -6 \leq x < 9 \\ 17 & x < -6 \end{cases}$$

Find the following limits if they exist (if not, write DNE).

a. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 9^-} f(x)$

b. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 9^+} f(x)$

c. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 9} f(x)$

d. $\lim_{x \rightarrow -6^-} f(x)$

e. $\lim_{x \rightarrow -6^+} f(x)$

f. $\lim_{x \rightarrow -6} f(x)$

Problem 2. Evaluate each limit.

a. $\lim_{x \rightarrow -1} \frac{x-5}{7x^2-5x+3}$

b. $\lim_{a \rightarrow 6} \frac{1/a - 1/6}{a-6}$

c. $\lim_{y \rightarrow 16} \frac{16-y}{4-\sqrt{y}}$

d. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{5+x^2} - \sqrt{5-x^2}}{x^2}$

e. $\lim_{x \rightarrow -6} \frac{2x+12}{|x+6|}$

f. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}^-} \frac{2x-1}{|2x^3-x^2|}$

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

h. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \left(\frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{|x|} \right)$

i. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \left(\frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{|x|} \right)$

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

k. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 16} \frac{4-\sqrt{x}}{16x-x^2}$

l. $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(3+h)^{-1} - 3^{-1}}{h}$

m. $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1/(x+h)^2 - 1/x^2}{h}$

n. $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x+h)^3 - x^3}{h}$

o. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{x+1} - x}{3x}$