

Largest value of Non Integer ^{-ve} a for which

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \left\{ \frac{-ax + \sin(x-1) + a}{x + \sin(x-1) - 1} \right\}^{1+\sqrt{x}} = \frac{1}{4}$$

then $a = ?$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \left(\frac{a(1-x) + \sin(x-1)}{(x-1) + \sin(x-1)} \right)^{1+\sqrt{x}} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \left(\frac{(\cancel{x-1}) \left(\frac{\sin(x-1)}{(x-1)} \right) / -a}{(\cancel{x-1}) \left(1 + \frac{\sin(x-1)}{(x-1)} \right)} \right)^{1+\sqrt{x}} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \left(\frac{1-a}{1+1} \right)^{1+\sqrt{x}} = \frac{1}{4} \Rightarrow \left(\frac{1-a}{2} \right)^2 = \frac{1}{4} \Rightarrow \frac{1-a}{2} = \frac{1}{2} \text{ or } \frac{1-a}{2} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\boxed{a=0} \quad \boxed{a=2} \text{ (X)}$$

Learning

$$a=2 \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \left(-\frac{1}{2} \right)^{1+\sqrt{x}} = (-ve)$$

$$x = .9999 \dots$$

$$x = 1.0000000001$$

$$(-ve)^{\text{odd}} = -ve$$

$$(-ve)^{\text{Even}} = U.D$$

$$1.9999 \dots = \frac{19999 \dots}{10000000000} = U.D$$

$$2.0000 \dots = \frac{20000000000}{10000000000} = U.D$$

(1)[∞] type

2 Method.

(1) Using $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (1+x)^{\frac{1}{x}} = e$

(2) Using formula.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} (f(x))^{g(x)} = e^{g(x)(f(x)-1)}$$

Q $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + x\right) \right)^{\frac{1}{x} + g}$
 $\xrightarrow{\infty}$ form

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x} \left[\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + x\right) - 1 \right]$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + x\right) - 1}{x} \left(\frac{0}{0} \right) \Rightarrow L$$

$$\tan x \rightarrow \sec^2 x$$

$$\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + x\right) \rightarrow \sec^2\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + x\right)$$

$$\neq (0+1)$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sec^2\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + x\right) - 0}{1}$$

$$\sec^2 \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$= e^2$$

Q $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{\ln(1+x)}{x} \right)^{\frac{1}{x}} = e^{\frac{1}{x} \left[\frac{\ln(1+x)}{x} - 1 \right]}$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\ln(1+x) - x}{x^2} \left(\frac{0}{0} \right) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1+x-1}{2x}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - (1+x)}{2x(1+x)} = e^{-\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{e}}$$

$$Q \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{2x^2+3}{2x^2+5} \right)^{8x^2+3} \xrightarrow{\frac{\infty}{\infty}} \frac{\infty}{\infty} \text{ form.}$$

$$(8x^2+3) \left(\frac{2x^2+3}{2x^2+5} - 1 \right)$$

$$e^{(8x^2+3) \left(\frac{2x^2+3-2x^2-5}{2x^2+5} \right)}$$

$$e^{(8x^2+3) \left(\frac{-2}{2x^2+5} \right)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{-16x^2-6}{2x^2+5} \xrightarrow{\frac{\infty}{\infty}} \frac{\infty}{\infty}$$

$$= e^{-\frac{16}{2}} = e^{-8}$$

$$Q \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{a^x+b^x}{2} \right)^{\frac{1}{x}} \quad a > 0, b > 0$$

$$e^{\frac{1}{x} \left(\frac{a^x+b^x}{2} - 1 \right)} = e^{\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{a^x+b^x-2}{x} \right)}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left| \frac{a^x-1}{x} \right| + \left| \frac{b^x-1}{x} \right|$$

$$e^{\frac{1}{2} (\ln a + \ln b)} = e^{\frac{1}{2} \ln(ab)}$$

$$= e^{\ln(ab)^{\frac{1}{2}}} = (ab)^{\frac{1}{2}} = \sqrt{ab}$$

Results (chain)

$$1) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{a^x + b^x}{2} \right)^{\frac{1}{x}} = (a \cdot b)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$2) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{a^x + b^x + c^x}{3} \right)^{\frac{1}{x}} = (a \cdot b \cdot c)^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$3) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{a^x + b^x + c^x + d^x}{4} \right)^{\frac{1}{x}} = (a \cdot b \cdot c \cdot d)^{\frac{1}{4}}$$

$$4) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{a_1^x + a_2^x + \dots + a_n^x}{n} \right)^{\frac{1}{x}} = (a_1 \cdot a_2 \cdot a_3 \dots a_n)^{\frac{1}{n}}$$

$$5) \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{a_1^{\frac{1}{x}} + a_2^{\frac{1}{x}} + \dots + a_n^{\frac{1}{x}}}{n} \right)^x = (a_1 \cdot a_2 \cdot a_3 \dots a_n)^{\frac{1}{n}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} Q \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{1^{\frac{1}{x}} + 2^{\frac{1}{x}} + 3^{\frac{1}{x}} + \dots + n^{\frac{1}{x}}}{n} \right)^x &= ? \\ &= (1 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \dots n)^{\frac{1}{n}} = (n!)^{\frac{1}{n}} \end{aligned}$$

Q $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\left(\frac{n}{n+1} \right)^\alpha + \sin\left(\frac{1}{n}\right) \right)^n$ $n \in \mathbb{Q}$.

good $(1+0)^\infty$ \rightarrow form $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{n'}{n'+1} \right)^\alpha = 1^\alpha = 1$ $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sin\left(\frac{1}{n}\right) = \sin 0 = 0$

$$e^{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \left[\left(\frac{n}{n+1} \right)^\alpha + \sin \frac{1}{n} - 1 \right]}$$

$$e^{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \left[\left(\frac{(n+1)-1}{(n+1)} \right)^\alpha + \sin \frac{1}{n} - 1 \right]} \quad \text{BT}$$

$$e^{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \left[\left(1 - \frac{1}{n+1} \right)^\alpha + \sin \frac{1}{n} - 1 \right]}$$

$$e^{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \left[1 - \frac{1}{n+1} + \sin \frac{1}{n} - 1 \right]}$$

$$= e^{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} -\frac{n^\alpha}{n+1} + n \cdot \sin \frac{1}{n}}$$

$\infty \times 0$
 $\infty \times \sin 0$

$$= e^{-\alpha + \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sin\left(\frac{1}{n}\right)}{\left(\frac{1}{n}\right)}} = e^{1-\alpha}$$

$$Q \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow \lambda} \left(2 - \frac{\lambda}{x} \right)^{\lambda \cdot \tan\left(\frac{\pi x}{2\lambda}\right)} = \frac{1}{e} \text{ then } \lambda = ?$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \lambda} \lambda \tan\left(\frac{\pi x}{2\lambda}\right) \left(2 - \frac{\lambda}{x} - 1 \right) = e^{-1}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \lambda} \lambda \tan\left(\frac{\pi x}{2\lambda}\right) \left(\frac{x-\lambda}{x} \right) = e^{-1}$$

$$\lambda \lim_{x \rightarrow \lambda} \tan\left(\frac{\pi x}{2\lambda}\right) \left(\frac{x-\lambda}{x} \right) = -1$$

$$\lambda \lim_{x \rightarrow \lambda} \frac{\left(1 - \frac{\lambda}{x}\right)}{\left(\cot\left(\frac{\pi x}{2\lambda}\right)\right)} \frac{0}{0} = -1$$

$$\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) \rightarrow -\frac{1}{x^2}$$

$$\cot x \rightarrow -\cot^2 x$$

$$\lambda \lim_{x \rightarrow \lambda} \frac{\left(0 + \frac{\lambda}{x^2}\right)}{-\frac{\pi}{2\lambda} \cdot \cot^2\left(\frac{\pi x}{2\lambda}\right)} = \frac{\lambda \times \frac{\lambda}{x^2}}{-\frac{\pi}{2\lambda} \cot^2\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) \cdot \frac{-\pi}{2x}} = \frac{1}{1}$$

$$+ \frac{2\lambda}{\pi} = +1 \leftarrow \text{given}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\cot\left(\frac{\pi x}{2\lambda}\right)' = -\cot^2\left(\frac{\pi x}{2\lambda}\right) \times \frac{\pi}{2\lambda} \times 1$$

LIMIT

$$\textcircled{1} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (1+ax+bx^2)^{\frac{2}{x}} = e^3$$

for $a, b?$ $\rightarrow 1^\infty$ form.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2}{x} (1+ax+bx^2)^{\frac{1}{x}} = e^3$$

$$e^{2 \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (a+bx)} = e^3$$

$$e^{2a} = e^3$$

$$a = \frac{3}{2} \quad b \in \mathbb{R}$$

0^0 & ∞^0 type

Step 1 take $y = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x)$

Step 2 take log to Both the sides

Step 3 \rightarrow Solve R.H.S only & Don't forget to Remove log.

LIMIT

$$Q \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (x)^x \rightarrow 0^0$$

$$(1) \text{ Let } y = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (x)^x$$



(2) TLBTS.

$$\log y = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x \log x \rightarrow 0 \times \infty$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log x}{\frac{1}{x}} \left(\frac{\infty}{\infty} \right) \text{ DL}$$

$$\log y = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1}{x}}{-\frac{1}{x^2}} = -\frac{x^2}{x} = 0$$

$$y = e^0 = 1$$

0^0 & ∞^0 type

Step 1 take $y = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x)$

Step 2 take log to Both the sides

Step 3 \rightarrow Solve RHS only & Don't forget to Remove log.

LIMIT

Q $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (x)^{\frac{1}{\sin x}} + \left(\frac{1}{x}\right)^{\sin x}$

$\frac{0}{0} \rightarrow \infty$ $\frac{1}{\sin x} \rightarrow \infty$ $\frac{1}{x} \rightarrow \infty$ $\sin x \rightarrow 0$

$\infty \cdot 0$ Indeterminate form.

here we have to find $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{1}{x}\right)^{\sin x}$ only.

$$\ln\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = \ln 1 - \ln x$$

$$= 0 - \ln x$$

① $y = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{1}{x}\right)^{\sin x}$

② $\log_e y = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \sin x \cdot \ln\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \sin x \ln x \quad 0 \times \infty$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\ln x}{-\cot x} \quad \frac{\infty}{\infty} \text{ DL} = + \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1}{x}}{+\cot x \cot x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x}{x}$$

$$\ln y = 1 \times \ln e = 0 \Rightarrow y = e^0 = 1$$

Expansion Series (Rambaan I Laaj)

Taylor Series

$$f(x) = f(0) + \frac{f'(0)}{1!}x + \frac{f''(0)}{2!}x^2 + \frac{f'''(0)}{3!}x^3 + \dots$$

$$f(x) = e^x \rightarrow f(0) = e^0 = 1$$

$$f'(x) = e^x \Rightarrow f'(0) = e^0 = 1$$

$$f''(x) = e^x \Rightarrow f''(0) = e^0 = 1$$

$$f'''(x) = e^x \rightarrow f'''(0) = e^0 = 1$$

$$1) e^x = 1 + \frac{x}{1!} + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \dots$$

$$2) \ln(1+x) = x - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3} - \frac{x^4}{4} + \dots \rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\ln(1+x)}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3} - \dots)}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x(1 - \frac{x}{2} + \frac{x^2}{3} - \dots)}{x} = 1$$

$$3) \sin x = x - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} - \dots$$

$\sin x < x$

$$(4) \cos x = 1 - \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} - \dots$$

$\cos x < 1$

$$(5) \tan x = x + \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{2x^5}{15} + \dots$$

$\tan x > x$

$$(6) (1+x)^{\frac{1}{x}} = e - \frac{e}{2}x + \frac{11e}{24}x^2 - \dots \rightarrow Q. \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (1+x)^{\frac{1}{x}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (e - \frac{e}{2}x + \frac{11e}{24}x^2 - \dots) = e$$

LIMIT

$$Q \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{x^3} - 1 - x^3}{\sin^6(2x)}$$

$$1) e^x = 1 + \frac{x}{1!} + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!}$$

$$\sin^2 \theta = (\sin \theta)^2$$

$$\sin^6 \theta = (\sin \theta)^6$$

$$2) \sin x = x - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} \rightarrow (\sin x)^6 \left(1 - \frac{x^2}{3!}\right)^6$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\left(x + \cancel{\frac{x^3}{1!}} + \frac{x^5}{2!}\right) - x - \cancel{x^3}}{\left(2x - \frac{(2x)^3}{6}\right)^6} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cancel{x^5}}{2!} \cdot \frac{1}{\cancel{x^6} \left(2 - \frac{(2\cancel{x})^3}{6x}\right)^6} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{(2)^6} = \frac{1}{2^7} = \frac{1}{128}$$

$$Q \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan x - \sin x}{x^3} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\left(x + \frac{x^3}{3}\right) - \left(x - \frac{x^3}{6}\right)}{x^3} = \frac{x^3 \left(\frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{6}\right)}{x^3} = \frac{1}{2}$$

LIMIT

$a-b=-1 \mid b=a+1$
 $-3a+b=6 \mid -2a=5$
 Expansion Method mostly usable in
 Qs having Unknown.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x(1+a \cos x) - b \sin x}{x^3} = 1 \quad a, b? \quad -5/2, 1-\frac{3}{2}$$

$$Q \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{a \cdot e^x - b \cos x + (e^{-x})}{x \cdot (\sin x)} = 2 \quad a, b, c=?$$

$x \cdot x = x^2$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{a(1+x+\frac{x^2}{2}) - b(1-\frac{x^2}{2}) + (1-x+\frac{x^2}{2})}{x^2} = 2$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x(1+a \cdot (1-\frac{x^2}{2})) - b(x-\frac{x^3}{6})}{x^3} = 1$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x(1+a-\frac{ax^2}{2}) - bx + \frac{bx^3}{6}}{x^3} = 1$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x(1+a-b) + x^3(-\frac{a}{2} + \frac{b}{6})}{x^3} = 1$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(1+a-b)}{x^2} + \frac{x^3(-\frac{a}{2} + \frac{b}{6})}{x^3} = 1$$

$1+a-b=0 \mid -\frac{a}{2} + \frac{b}{6} = 1$

$a=1$
 $b=2$
 $c=1$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{a-b+c+x(a-c)+x^2(\frac{a}{2}+\frac{b}{2}+\frac{c}{2})}{x^2} = 2$$

$a-b+c=0 \rightarrow b=2a-c$
 $a-c=0 \rightarrow a=c=1$
 $\frac{a}{2} + \frac{b}{2} + \frac{c}{2} = 2$
 $a+2a+a=4 \Rightarrow a=1$

$$Q \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n^2 \left\{ \sqrt{\underbrace{\left(1 - G\frac{1}{n}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}}_{\frac{1}{2}} \underbrace{\left(1 - G\frac{1}{n}\right)^{\frac{1}{4}}}_{\frac{1}{4}} \underbrace{\left(1 - G\frac{1}{n}\right)^{\frac{1}{8}}}_{\frac{1}{8}} \dots \infty} \right\}$$

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$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n^2 \left(1 - G\frac{1}{n}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \cdot \left(1 - G\frac{1}{n}\right)^{\frac{1}{4}} \left(1 - G\frac{1}{n}\right)^{\frac{1}{8}} \dots \infty$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n^2 \times \left(1 - G\frac{1}{n}\right)^{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{8} \dots \infty}$$

\rightarrow GP Sum = 1

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n^2 \left(1 - G\frac{1}{n}\right) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1 - G\left(\frac{1}{n}\right)}{\left(\frac{1}{n}\right)^2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

\downarrow
 $\infty \times (1 - G \cdot 0) = \infty \times 0$

(21)

$$(x^2 + 2x + 1 + 2)$$

$$(x+1)^2 + 2$$

$$\text{Min} = 2$$

$$\sum_{r=0}^n 2^r \cdot \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{n-r}$$

$$\sum 2^r \cdot 2^{r-n}$$

$$\sum 2^r \cdot 2^r \cdot \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n$$

$$\frac{1}{2^n} \sum_{r=0}^n 4^r = \frac{1}{2^n} (4^0 + 4^1 + 4^2 + \dots + 4^n)$$

$$= \frac{1 \cdot (4^{n+1} - 1)}{(4 - 1) \times 2^n}$$

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$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{|\cos(\sin(3x))| - 1}{x^2}$ equals

(A) $\frac{-9}{2}$

(B) $\frac{-3}{2}$

(C) $\frac{3}{2}$

(D) $\frac{9}{2}$

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Let $a = \min\{x^2 + 2x + 3, x \in \mathbb{R}\}$ and $b = \lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \cos \theta}{\theta^2}$. Then value of $\sum_{r=0}^n a^r \cdot b^{n-r}$ is :

(A) $\frac{2^{n+1} - 1}{3 \cdot 2^n}$

(B) $\frac{2^{n+1} + 1}{3 \cdot 2^n}$

(C) $\frac{4^{n+1} - 1}{3 \cdot 2^n}$

(D) none of these

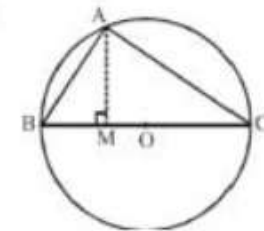
3. Let BC is diameter of a circle centred at O. Point A is a variable point, moving on the circumference of circle. if $BC = 1$ unit, then $\lim_{A \rightarrow B} \frac{BM}{(\text{Area of sector OAB})^2}$ is equal

(A) 1

(B) 2

(C) 4

(D) 16



4. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{x^2 - 2x + 1}{x^2 - 4x + 2} \right)^x$ is equal to

(A) 1

(B) e

(C) $\frac{1}{e^2}$

(D) e^2

5. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (1 + \sin x)^{\cos x}$ is equal to

(A) 0

(B) e

(C) 1

(D) $\frac{1}{e}$

6. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (\cos x + a \sin bx)^{1/x}$ is equal to :

(A) e^a

(B) e^{ab}

(C) e^b

(D) $e^{a/b}$

7. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\tan \left(\frac{\pi}{4} + x \right) \right)^{1/x}$ is equal to

(A) e^{-2}

(B) $\frac{1}{e}$

(C) e

(D) e^2

8. $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (4^n + 5^n)^{1/n}$ is equal to

(A) 5

(B) 4

(C) 0

(D) D.N.E.

9. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{1^{1/x} + 2^{1/x} + 3^{1/x} + \dots + n^{1/x}}{n} \right)^{nx}$ is equal to

(A) $n!$

(B) 1

(C) $\frac{1}{n!}$

(D) 0

10. If $\lim_{x \rightarrow \lambda} \left(2 - \frac{\lambda}{x} \right)^{\lambda \tan \left(\frac{\pi x}{2\lambda} \right)} = \frac{1}{e}$, then λ is equal to -

(A) $-\pi$

(B) π

(C) $\frac{\pi}{2}$

(D) $-\frac{2}{\pi}$

11. If $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (1 + ax + bx^2)^{2/x} = e^3$, then

(A) $a = \frac{3}{2}$ and $b \in \mathbb{R}$

(B) $a = \frac{3}{2}$ and $b \in \mathbb{R}^+$

(C) $a = 0$ and $b = 1$

(D) $a = 1$ and $b = 0$

12. If $f(x)$ is a polynomial of least degree, such that $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(1 + \frac{f(x) + x^2}{x^2} \right)^{1/x} = e^2$, then $f(2)$ is -

(A) 2

(B) 8

(C) 10

(D) 12

13. Let $f(x) = \frac{\tan x}{x}$, then the value of $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} ([f(x)] + x^2)^{\frac{1}{f(x)}}$ is equal to (where $[\cdot], \{ \cdot \}$ denotes greatest integer function and fractional part function respectively)-
 (A) e^{-3} (B) e^3 (C) e^2 (D) non-existent
14. $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{e^n}{\left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^{n^2}}$ equals -
 (A) 1 (B) $\frac{1}{2}$ (C) e (D) \sqrt{e}
15. If $f(x)$ is odd linear polynomial with $f(1) = 1$, then $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2f(\tan x) - 2f(\sin x)}{x^2 f(\sin x)}$ is :
 (A) 1 (B) $\ln 2$ (C) $\frac{1}{2} \ln 2$ (D) $\cos 2$
16. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x(1 + a \cos x) - b \sin x}{x^3} = 1$ then
 (A) $a = -5/2$ (B) $a = -3/2, b = -1/2$
 (C) $a = -3/2, b = -5/2$ (D) $a = -5/2, b = -3/2$
17. $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(a+3h) - 3\sin(a+2h) + 3\sin(a+h) - \sin a}{h^3}$ is equal to
 (A) $\cos a$ (B) $-\cos a$ (C) $\sin a$ (D) $\sin a \cos a$
18. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}} \tan^2 x (\sqrt{2\sin^2 x + 3\sin x + 4} - \sqrt{\sin^2 x + 6\sin x + 2})$ is equal to
 (A) $\frac{3}{4}$ (B) $\frac{1}{6}$ (C) $\frac{1}{12}$ (D) $\frac{5}{12}$
19. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x \left(\arctan \frac{x+1}{x+2} - \arctan \frac{x}{x+2} \right)$ is equal to
 (A) $\frac{1}{2}$ (B) $-\frac{1}{2}$ (C) 1 (D) D.N.E.