

$$9. \lim_{x \rightarrow b} \frac{x-b}{x^2-b}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow b} \frac{x-b}{(x-b)(x+b)}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow b} \frac{1}{x+b}$$

$$= \frac{1}{12}$$

$$10. \lim_{x \rightarrow 9} \frac{9-x}{x^2-81}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 9} \frac{9-x}{(x-9)(x+9)}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 9} \frac{1}{x+9}$$

$$= \frac{1}{18}$$

$$11. \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x^2-x-2}{x-2}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{(x-2)(x+1)}{(x-2)}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} x+1$$

$$= 3$$

$$12. \lim_{x \rightarrow -1} \frac{x^2+6x+5}{x+1}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow -1} \frac{(x+1)(x+5)}{x+1}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow -1} x+5$$

$$= 4$$

$$13. \lim_{x \rightarrow -1} \frac{1-2x-3x^2}{1+x}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow -1} \frac{(1+x)(-3x+1)}{1+x}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow -1} -3x+1$$

$$= 4$$

$$14. \lim_{x \rightarrow -4} \frac{2x^2+7x-4}{x+4}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow -4} \frac{(x+4)(2x-1)}{x+4}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow -4} 2x-1$$

$$= -9$$

$$15. \lim_{t \rightarrow 2} \frac{t^3 - 8}{t - 2}$$

$$= \lim_{t \rightarrow 2} \frac{(t-2)(t^2 + 2t + 4)}{t-2}$$

$$= \lim_{t \rightarrow 2} t^2 + 2t + 4$$

$$= 4 + 4 + 4 = 12$$

$$16. \lim_{a \rightarrow 4} \frac{a^3 + 6a}{a + 4}$$

$$= \lim_{a \rightarrow 4} \frac{(a+4)(a^2 - 4a + 16)}{a+4}$$

$$= \lim_{a \rightarrow 4} a^2 - 4a + 16$$

$$= 16 - 16 + 16 = 16$$

$$17. \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x^5 - 32}{x - 2}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{(x-2)(x^4 + 2x^3 + 4x^2 + 8x + 16)}{x-2}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} x^4 + 2x^3 + 4x^2 + 8x + 16$$

$$= 2^4 + 2 \cdot 2^3 + 4 \cdot 2^2 + 8 \cdot 2 + 16$$

$$= 80$$

$$18. \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^4 - 1}{x - 1}$$

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

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} (x^2 + 1)(x + 1)$$

$$= 2 \cdot 2 = 4$$

19.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -4} \frac{x^2 + x - 12}{x^2 + 6x + 8}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow -4} \frac{(x+4)(x-3)}{(x+2)(x+4)}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow -4} \frac{x-3}{x+2}$$

$$= \frac{-7}{-6} = \frac{7}{6}$$

$$20. \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{x^2 - 8x + 15}{x^2 - 2x - 3}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{(x-3)(x-5)}{(x-3)(x+1)}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{x-5}{x+1}$$

$$= \frac{3-5}{3+1}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$21. \lim_{x \rightarrow -1} \frac{x^3 + 2x^2 - x - 2}{x^3 + 4x^2 - x + 4}$$

$$= \frac{(-1)^3 + 2(-1)^2 - (-1) - 2}{(-1)^3 + 4(-1)^2 - (-1) + 4}$$

$$= \frac{-1 + 2 + 1 - 2}{-1 + 4 + 1 + 4}$$

$$= \frac{0}{8} = 0$$

$$22. \lim_{x \rightarrow -3} \frac{x^3 + 2x^2 - 9x - 18}{x^3 + x^2 - 9x - 9}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow -3} \frac{2+x}{1+x} \cdot \left(\frac{x^2-9}{x^2-9} \right)$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow -3} \frac{2+x}{1+x}$$

$$= \frac{2-3}{1-3}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}$$

$$23. \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{5+y} - \sqrt{5}}{y}$$

$$= \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{(\sqrt{5+y} - \sqrt{5})(\sqrt{5+y} + \sqrt{5})}{y(\sqrt{5+y} + \sqrt{5})}$$

$$= \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{5+y-5}{y(\sqrt{5+y} + \sqrt{5})}$$

$$= \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\sqrt{5+y} + \sqrt{5}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{5}}$$

$$24. \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{7-z} - \sqrt{7}}{z}$$

$$= \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\sqrt{7-z} + \sqrt{7}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{7}}$$

$$25. \lim_{x \rightarrow -3} \frac{\sqrt{x+7} - 2}{x+3}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow -3} \frac{(\sqrt{x+7} - 2)(\sqrt{x+7} + 2)}{(x+3)(\sqrt{x+7} + 2)}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow -3} \frac{x+7-4}{(x+3)(\sqrt{x+7} + 2)}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow -3} \frac{1}{\sqrt{x+7} + 2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2+2} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$26. \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{4 - \sqrt{18-x}}{x-2}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{16 - 18 + x}{(x-2)(4 + \sqrt{18-x})}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{1}{4 + \sqrt{18-x}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4 + \sqrt{16}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{8}$$

$$27. \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1}{x+1} - 1}{x}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - (x+1)}{(x+1) \cdot x}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{-x}{(x+1)x}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{-1}{x+1}$$

$$= -1$$

$$28. \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1}{x+f} - \frac{1}{f}}{x}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f - x - f}{(x+f) \cdot f}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{(f+x) \cdot f}$$

$$= \frac{1}{64}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 29. \quad & \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1}{x+4} - \frac{1}{4}}{x} \\
 &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{4 - x - 4}{(x+4)4}}{x} \\
 &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{-1}{(x+4)4} \\
 &= -\frac{1}{16}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 30. \quad & \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1}{2+x} - \frac{1}{2}}{x} \\
 &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{2 - 2 - x}{(2+x)^2}}{x} \\
 &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{-1}{(2+x)^2} \\
 &= -\frac{1}{4}
 \end{aligned}$$