

§ 4.4, I.F. + L.R, part 3

I.F.: $0^\circ, \infty^\circ, 1^\circ$

Ex: $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{3}{x}\right)^x \rightarrow 1^\infty$, I.F.

$$L = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{3}{x}\right)^x$$

$$\boxed{\ln(L)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x \cdot \ln\left(1 + \frac{3}{x}\right) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\ln\left(1 + \frac{3}{x}\right)}{\frac{1}{x}} \rightarrow \frac{0}{0}$$

$$\stackrel{\text{L.R.}}{=} \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{1}{1 + \frac{3}{x}} \cdot \frac{-3}{x^2}}{\frac{-1}{x^2}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3}{1 + \frac{3}{x}} = \boxed{3}$$

$$\ln(L) = 3 \Rightarrow \boxed{L = e^3}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{a}{x}\right)^{bx} = \dots = e^{a \cdot b}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 - \frac{2}{x}\right)^{4x} = e^{(-2)(4)} = e^{-8}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{1}{x}\right)^x = e' = \boxed{e}$$