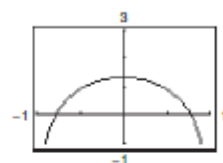


Section 7.7 Indeterminate Forms and L'Hôpital's Rule

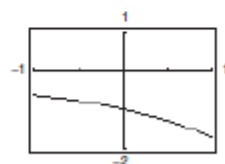
1. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin 4x}{\sin 3x} \approx 1.3333 \left(\text{exact: } \frac{4}{3} \right)$

x	-0.1	-0.01	-0.001	0.001	0.01	0.1
$f(x)$	1.3177	1.3332	1.3333	1.3333	1.3332	1.3177



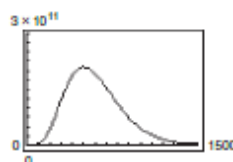
2. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - e^x}{x} \approx -1$

x	-0.1	-0.01	-0.001	0.001	0.01	0.1
$f(x)$	-0.9516	-0.9950	-0.9995	-1.0005	-1.0050	-1.0517



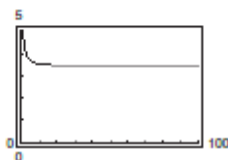
$$3. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x^5 e^{-x/100} \approx 0$$

x	1	10	10^2	10^3	10^4	10^5
$f(x)$	0.9900	90,484	3.7×10^9	4.5×10^{10}	0	0



$$4. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{6x}{\sqrt{3x^2 - 2x}} \approx 3.4641 \quad \left(\text{exact: } \frac{6}{\sqrt{3}} \right)$$

x	1	10	10^2	10^3	10^4	10^5
$f(x)$	6	3.5857	3.4757	3.4653	3.4642	3.4641



$$5. (a) \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{3(x-4)}{x^2-16} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{3(x-4)}{(x-4)(x+4)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{3}{x+4} = \frac{3}{8}$$

$$(b) \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{3(x-4)}{x^2-16} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{d/dx[3(x-4)]}{d/dx[x^2-16]} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{3}{2x} = \frac{3}{8}$$

$$6. (a) \lim_{x \rightarrow -4} \frac{2x^2+13x+20}{x+4} = \lim_{x \rightarrow -4} \frac{(x+4)(2x+5)}{x+4} = \lim_{x \rightarrow -4} (2x+5) = -8+5 = -3$$

$$(b) \lim_{x \rightarrow -4} \frac{2x^2+13x+20}{x+4} = \lim_{x \rightarrow -4} \frac{d/dx[2x^2+13x+20]}{d/dx[x+4]} = \lim_{x \rightarrow -4} \frac{4x+13}{1} = -3$$

$$7. (a) \lim_{x \rightarrow 6} \frac{\sqrt{x+10}-4}{x-6} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 6} \frac{\sqrt{x+10}-4}{x-6} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{x+10}+4}{\sqrt{x+10}+4} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 6} \frac{(x+10)-16}{(x-6)(\sqrt{x+10}+4)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 6} \frac{1}{\sqrt{x+10}+4} = \frac{1}{8}$$

$$(b) \lim_{x \rightarrow 6} \frac{\sqrt{x+10}-4}{x-6} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 6} \frac{d/dx[\sqrt{x+10}-4]}{d/dx[x-6]} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 6} \frac{\frac{1}{2}(x+10)^{-1/2}}{1} = 1/8$$

$$8. (a) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin 6x}{4x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{\sin 6x}{6x} \right) = \frac{3}{2}(1) = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$(b) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin 6x}{4x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{d/dx[\sin 6x]}{d/dx[4x]} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{6 \cos 6x}{4} = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$9. (a) \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{5x^2-3x+1}{3x^2-5} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{5-(3/x)+(1/x^2)}{3-(5/x^2)} = \frac{5}{3}$$

$$(b) \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{5x^2-3x+1}{3x^2-5} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(d/dx)[5x^2-3x+1]}{(d/dx)[3x^2-5]} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{10x-3}{6x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(d/dx)[10x-3]}{(d/dx)[6x]} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{10}{6} = \frac{5}{3}$$

$$10. (a) \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4x-3}{5x^2+1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(4/x)-(3/x^2)}{5+(1/x^2)} = 0$$

$$(b) \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4x-3}{5x^2+1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(d/dx)[4x-3]}{(d/dx)[5x^2+1]} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4}{10x} = 0$$

$$11. \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{x^2-2x-3}{x-3} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{2x-2}{1} = 4$$

$$12. \lim_{x \rightarrow -2} \frac{x^2-3x-10}{x+2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow -2} \frac{2x-3}{1} = -7$$

$$13. \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{25-x^2} - 5}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1}{2}(25-x^2)^{-1/2}(-2x)}{1} \\ = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{-x}{\sqrt{25-x^2}} = 0$$

$$14. \lim_{x \rightarrow 5^-} \frac{\sqrt{25-x^2}}{x-5} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 5^-} \frac{\frac{1}{2}(25-x^2)^{-1/2}(-2x)}{1} \\ = \lim_{x \rightarrow 5^-} \frac{-x}{\sqrt{25-x^2}} = -\infty$$

$$15. \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{e^x - (1+x)}{x^3} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{e^x - 1}{3x^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{e^x}{6x} = \infty$$

$$16. \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{\ln x^3}{x^2 - 1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{3 \ln x}{x^2 - 1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{3/x}{2x} = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$17. \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^{11} - 1}{x^4 - 1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{11x^{10}}{4x^3} = \frac{11}{4}$$

$$18. \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^a - 1}{x^b - 1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{ax^{a-1}}{bx^{b-1}} = \frac{a}{b}$$

$$19. \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin 3x}{\sin 5x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{3 \cos 3x}{5 \cos 5x} = \frac{3}{5}$$

$$20. \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin ax}{\sin bx} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{a \cos ax}{b \cos bx} = \frac{a}{b}$$

$$21. \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\arcsin x}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1/\sqrt{1-x^2}}{1} = 1$$

$$22. \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{\arctan x - (\pi/4)}{x - 1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{1/(1+x^2)}{1} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$23. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{5x^2 + 3x - 1}{4x^2 + 5} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{10x + 3}{8x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{10}{8} = \frac{5}{4}$$

$$24. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{5x + 3}{x^3 - 6x + 2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{5}{3x^2 - 6} = 0$$

$$25. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^2 + 4x + 7}{x - 6} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2x + 4}{1} = \infty$$

$$26. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^3}{x + 1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3x^2}{1} = \infty$$

$$27. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^3}{e^{x/2}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3x^2}{(1/2)e^{x/2}} \\ = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{6x}{(1/4)e^{x/2}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{6}{(1/8)e^{x/2}} = 0$$

$$28. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^3}{e^{x^2}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3x^2}{2xe^{x^2}} \\ = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{6x}{(4x^2 + 2)e^{x^2}} \\ = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{6}{4x(2x^2 + 3)e^{x^2}} = 0$$

$$29. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + 1}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + (1/x^2)}} = 1$$

Note: L'Hôpital's Rule does not work on this limit. See Exercise 83.

$$30. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^2}{\sqrt{x^2 + 1}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x}{\sqrt{1 + (1/x^2)}} = \infty$$

$$31. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\cos x}{x} = 0 \text{ by Squeeze Theorem} \\ \left(\frac{\cos x}{x} \leq \frac{1}{x}, \text{ for } x > 0 \right)$$

$$32. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sin x}{x - \pi} = 0$$

Note: Use the Squeeze Theorem for $x > \pi$.

$$-\frac{1}{x - \pi} \leq \frac{\sin x}{x - \pi} \leq \frac{1}{x - \pi}$$

$$33. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\ln x}{x^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1/x}{2x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2x^2} = 0$$

$$34. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\ln x^4}{x^3} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4 \ln x}{x^3} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4/x}{3x^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4}{3x^3} = 0$$

$$35. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{e^x}{x^4} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{e^x}{4x^3} \\ = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{e^x}{12x^2} \\ = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{e^x}{24x} \\ = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{e^x}{24} = \infty$$

$$36. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{e^{x/2}}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(1/2)e^{x/2}}{1} = \infty$$

$$37. \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin 5x}{\tan 9x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{5 \cos 5x}{9 \sec^2 9x} = \frac{5}{9}$$

$$38. \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{\ln x}{\sin \pi x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{1/x}{\pi \cos \pi x} = -\frac{1}{\pi}$$

$$39. \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\arctan x}{\sin x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1/(1+x^2)}{\cos x} = 1$$

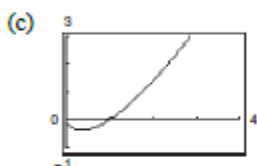
$$40. \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x}{\arctan 2x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{2/(1+4x^2)} = 1/2$$

$$41. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\int_1^x \ln(e^{4t-1}) dt}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\int_1^x (4t-1) dt}{x} \\ = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4x-1}{1} = \infty$$

$$42. \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \frac{\int_1^x \cos \theta d\theta}{x-1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \frac{\cos x}{1} = \cos(1)$$

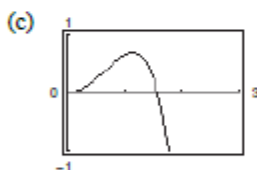
$$43. (a) \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x \ln x, \text{ not indeterminate}$$

$$(b) \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x \ln x = (\infty)(\infty) = \infty$$



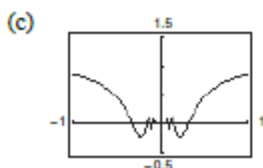
$$44. (a) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} x^3 \cot x = (0)(\infty)$$

$$(b) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} x^3 \cot x = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{x^3}{\tan x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{3x^2}{\sec^2 x} = 0$$



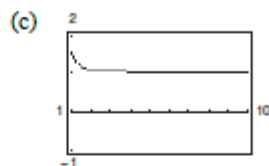
$$45. (a) \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(x \sin \frac{1}{x} \right) = (\infty)(0)$$

$$(b) \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x \sin \frac{1}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sin(1/x)}{1/x} \\ = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(-1/x^2) \cos(1/x)}{-1/x^2} \\ = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \cos \frac{1}{x} = 1$$



$$46. (a) \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(x \tan \frac{1}{x} \right) = (\infty)(0)$$

$$(b) \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x \tan \frac{1}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\tan(1/x)}{1/x} \\ = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{-(1/x^2) \sec^2(1/x)}{-(1/x^2)} \\ = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \sec^2 \frac{1}{x} = 1$$



$$47. (a) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} x^{1/x} = 0^+ = 0, \text{ not indeterminate}$$

(See Exercise 105).

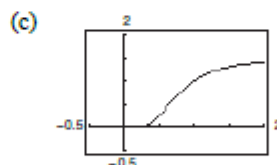
$$(b) \text{ Let } y = x^{1/x}$$

$$\ln y = \ln x^{1/x} = \frac{1}{x} \ln x.$$

Because $x \rightarrow 0^+$, $\frac{1}{x} \ln x \rightarrow (\infty)(-\infty) = -\infty$. So,

$$\ln y \rightarrow -\infty \Rightarrow y \rightarrow 0^+.$$

$$\text{Therefore, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} x^{1/x} = 0.$$



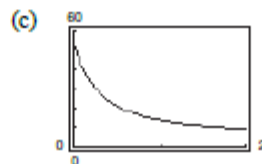
$$48. (a) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} (e^x + x)^{2/x} = 1^+$$

$$(b) \text{ Let } y = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} (e^x + x)^{2/x}.$$

$$\ln y = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{2 \ln(e^x + x)}{x} \\ = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{2(e^x + 1)/(e^x + x)}{1} = 4$$

So, $\ln y = 4 \Rightarrow y = e^4 \approx 54.598$. Therefore,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} (e^x + x)^{2/x} = e^4.$$



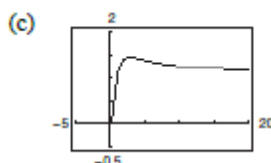
49. (a) $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x^{1/x} = \infty^0$

(b) Let $y = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x^{1/x}$.

$$\ln y = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\ln x}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1/x}{1} = 0$$

So, $\ln y = 0 \Rightarrow y = e^0 = 1$. Therefore,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x^{1/x} = 1.$$



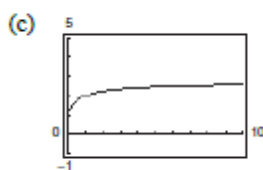
50. (a) $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{1}{x}\right)^x = 1^+$

(b) Let $y = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{1}{x}\right)^x$.

$$\begin{aligned} \ln y &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left[x \ln \left(1 + \frac{1}{x}\right) \right] = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\ln \left[1 + (1/x)\right]}{1/x} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\left[\frac{-1/x^2}{1 + (1/x)} \right]}{\left[-1/x^2 \right]} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{1 + (1/x)} = 1 \end{aligned}$$

So, $\ln y = 1 \Rightarrow y = e^1 = e$. Therefore,

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



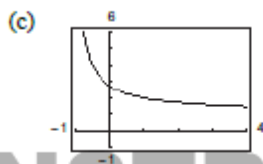
51. (a) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} (1+x)^{1/x} = 1^+$

(b) Let $y = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} (1+x)^{1/x}$.

$$\begin{aligned} \ln y &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\ln(1+x)}{x} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \left(\frac{1/(1+x)}{1} \right) = 1 \end{aligned}$$

So, $\ln y = 1 \Rightarrow y = e^1 = e$.

Therefore, $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} (1+x)^{1/x} = e$.



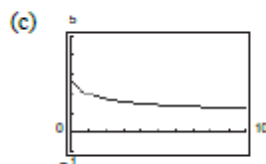
52. (a) $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (1+x)^{1/x} = \infty^0$

(b) Let $y = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (1+x)^{1/x}$.

$$\ln y = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\ln(1+x)}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{1/(1+x)}{1} \right) = 0$$

So, $\ln y = 0 \Rightarrow y = e^0 = 1$.

Therefore, $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (1+x)^{1/x} = 1$.

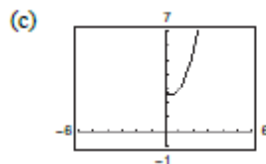


53. (a) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} [3(x)^{x/2}] = 0^0$

(b) Let $y = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} 3(x)^{x/2}$.

$$\begin{aligned} \ln y &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \left[\ln 3 + \frac{x}{2} \ln x \right] \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \left[\ln 3 + \frac{\ln x}{2/x} \right] \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \ln 3 + \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{1/x}{-2/x^2} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \ln 3 - \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{x}{2} \\ &= \ln 3 \end{aligned}$$

So, $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} 3(x)^{x/2} = 3$.

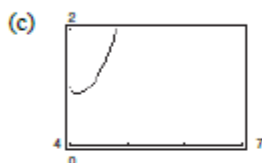


$$54. (a) \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^+} [3(x-4)]^{x-4} = 0^0$$

$$(b) \text{ Let } y = \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^+} [3(x-4)]^{x-4}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \ln y &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^+} (x-4) \ln[3(x-4)] \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^+} \frac{\ln[3(x-4)]}{1/(x-4)} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^+} \frac{1/(x-4)}{-1/(x-4)^2} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^+} [-(x-4)] = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^+} [3(x-4)]^{x-4} = 1.$$



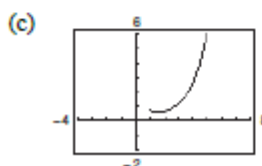
$$55. (a) \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} (\ln x)^{x-1} = 0^0$$

$$(b) \text{ Let } y = (\ln x)^{x-1}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \ln y &= \ln[(\ln x)^{x-1}] = (x-1) \ln(\ln x) \\ &= \frac{\ln(\ln x)}{(x-1)^{-1}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \ln y &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \frac{\ln(\ln x)}{(x-1)^{-1}} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \frac{1/(x \ln x)}{-(x-1)^{-2}} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \frac{-(x-1)^2}{x \ln x} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \frac{-2(x-1)}{1 + \ln x} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Because } \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \ln y = 0, \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} y = 1.$$



$$56. \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x\right) = \sin x$$

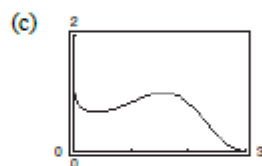
$$(a) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \left[\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x\right)\right]^x = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} [\sin x]^x = 0^0$$

$$(b) \text{ Let } y = (\sin x)^x$$

$$\ln y = x \ln(\sin x) = \frac{\ln(\sin x)}{1/x}$$

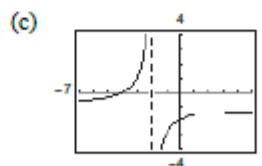
$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\ln(\sin x)}{1/x} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\cos x / \sin x}{-1/x^2} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{-x^2 \cos x}{\sin x} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{x}{\sin x} \left(\frac{-x \cos x}{1} \right) \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \left[\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x\right)\right]^x = 1.$$



$$57. (a) \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} \left(\frac{8}{x^2 - 4} - \frac{x}{x-2}\right) = \infty - \infty$$

$$\begin{aligned} (b) \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} \left(\frac{8}{x^2 - 4} - \frac{x}{x-2}\right) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} \frac{8 - x(x+2)}{x^2 - 4} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} \frac{(2-x)(4+x)}{(x+2)(x-2)} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} \frac{-(x+4)}{x+2} = -\frac{3}{2} \end{aligned}$$

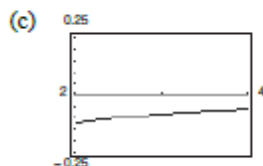


$$58. (a) \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} \left(\frac{1}{x^2 - 4} - \frac{\sqrt{x-1}}{x^2 - 4} \right) = \infty - \infty$$

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

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

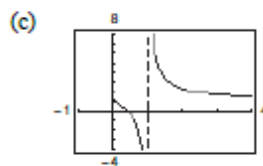
$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} \frac{-1}{4x\sqrt{x-1}} = -\frac{1}{8}$$



$$59. (a) \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \left(\frac{3}{\ln x} - \frac{2}{x-1} \right) = \infty - \infty$$

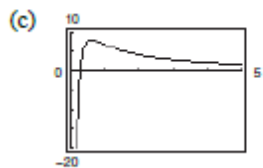
$$(b) \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \left(\frac{3}{\ln x} - \frac{2}{x-1} \right) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \frac{3x - 3 - 2 \ln x}{(x-1) \ln x}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \frac{3 - (2/x)}{[(x-1)/x] + \ln x} = \infty$$



$$60. (a) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \left(\frac{10}{x} - \frac{3}{x^2} \right) = \infty - \infty$$

$$(b) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \left(\frac{10}{x} - \frac{3}{x^2} \right) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \left(\frac{10x - 3}{x^2} \right) = -\infty$$



67.

x	10	10^2	10^4	10^6	10^8	10^{10}
$\frac{(\ln x)^4}{x}$	2.811	4.498	0.720	0.036	0.001	0.000

68.

x	1	5	10	20	30	40	50	100
$\frac{e^x}{x^5}$	2.718	0.047	0.220	151.614	4.40×10^5	2.30×10^9	1.66×10^{13}	2.69×10^{33}

$$61. \frac{0}{0}, \frac{\infty}{\infty}, 0 \cdot \infty, 1^-, 0^0, \infty - \infty, \infty^0$$

62. See Theorem 7.4.

63. (a) Let $f(x) = x^2 - 25$ and $g(x) = x - 5$.

(b) Let $f(x) = (x - 5)^2$ and $g(x) = x^2 - 25$.

(c) Let $f(x) = x^2 - 25$ and $g(x) = (x - 5)^3$.
(Answers will vary.)

64. Let $f(x) = x + 25$ and $g(x) = x$.

(Answers will vary.)

65. (a) Yes: $\frac{0}{0}$

(b) No: $\frac{0}{-1}$

(c) Yes: $\frac{\infty}{\infty}$

(d) Yes: $\frac{0}{0}$

(e) No: $\frac{-1}{0}$

(f) Yes: $\frac{0}{0}$

66. (a) From the graph, $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = \infty$.

(b) From the graph, $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = -\infty$.

(c) From the graph, $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x)$ does not exist.

$$69. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^2}{e^{5x}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2x}{5e^{5x}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2}{25e^{5x}} = 0$$

$$70. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^3}{e^{2x}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3x^2}{2e^{2x}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{6x}{4e^{2x}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{6}{8e^{2x}} = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} 71. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(\ln x)^3}{x} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3(\ln x)^2(1/x)}{1} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3(\ln x)^2}{x} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{6(\ln x)(1/x)}{1} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{6(\ln x)}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{6}{x} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 72. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(\ln x)^2}{x^3} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(2 \ln x)/x}{3x^2} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2 \ln x}{3x^3} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2/x}{9x^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2}{9x^3} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 73. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(\ln x)^n}{x^m} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n(\ln x)^{n-1}/x}{mx^{m-1}} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n(\ln x)^{n-1}}{mx^m} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n(n-1)(\ln x)^{n-2}}{m^2 x^m} \\ &= \cdots = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n!}{m^n x^m} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 74. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^m}{e^{nx}} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{mx^{m-1}}{ne^{nx}} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{m(m-1)x^{m-2}}{n^2 e^{nx}} \\ &= \cdots = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{m!}{n^m e^{nx}} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$75. y = x^{1/x}, x > 0$$

Horizontal asymptote: $y = 1$ (See Exercise 49.)

$$\ln y = \frac{1}{x} \ln x$$

$$\left(\frac{1}{y}\right) \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{x} \left(\frac{1}{x}\right) + (\ln x) \left(-\frac{1}{x^2}\right)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = x^{1/x} \left(\frac{1}{x^2}\right) (1 - \ln x) = x^{(1/x)-2} (1 - \ln x) = 0$$

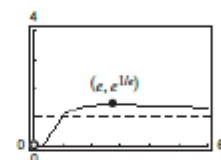
Critical number: $x = e$

Intervals: $(0, e)$ (e, ∞)

Sign of dy/dx : $+$ $-$

$y = f(x)$: Increasing Decreasing

Relative maximum: $(e, e^{1/e})$



$$76. y = x^x, x > 0$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x^x = \infty \text{ and } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} x^x = 1$$

No horizontal asymptotes

$$\ln y = x \ln x$$

$$\left(\frac{1}{y}\right) \frac{dy}{dx} = x \left(\frac{1}{x}\right) + \ln x$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = x^x (1 + \ln x) = 0$$

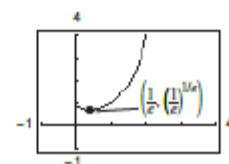
Critical number: $x = e^{-1}$

Intervals: $(0, e^{-1})$ (e^{-1}, ∞)

Sign of dy/dx : $-$ $+$

$y = f(x)$: Decreasing Increasing

Relative maximum: $(e^{-1}, (e^{-1})^{e^{-1}}) = \left(\frac{1}{e}, \left(\frac{1}{e}\right)^{1/e}\right)$



77. $y = 2xe^{-x}$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2x}{e^x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2}{e^x} = 0$$

Horizontal asymptote: $y = 0$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dy}{dx} &= 2x(-e^{-x}) + 2e^{-x} \\ &= 2e^{-x}(1 - x) = 0\end{aligned}$$

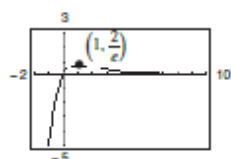
Critical number: $x = 1$

Intervals: $(-\infty, 1)$ $(1, \infty)$

Sign of dy/dx : $+$ $-$

$y = f(x)$: Increasing Decreasing

Relative maximum: $\left(1, \frac{2}{e}\right)$



78. $y = \frac{\ln x}{x}$

Horizontal asymptote: $y = 0$ (See Example 2.)

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{x(1/x) - (\ln x)(1)}{x^2} = \frac{1 - \ln x}{x^2} = 0$$

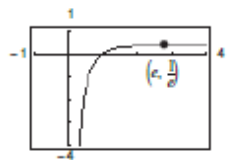
Critical number: $x = e$

Intervals: $(0, e)$ (e, ∞)

Sign of dy/dx : $+$ $-$

$y = f(x)$: Increasing Decreasing

Relative maximum: $\left(e, \frac{1}{e}\right)$



79. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{e^{-x}}{1 + e^{-x}} = \frac{0}{1 + 0} = 0$

Limit is not of the form $0/0$ or ∞/∞ .

L'Hôpital's Rule does not apply.

80. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x \cos \frac{1}{x} = \infty(1) = \infty$

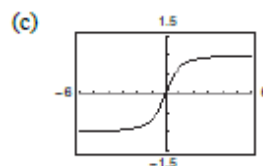
Limit is not of the form $0/0$ or ∞/∞ .

L'Hôpital's Rule does not apply.

81. (a) Applying L'Hôpital's Rule twice results in the original limit, so L'Hôpital's Rule fails:

$$\begin{aligned}\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + 1}} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{x/\sqrt{x^2 + 1}} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sqrt{x^2 + 1}}{x} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x/\sqrt{x^2 + 1}}{1} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + 1}}\end{aligned}$$

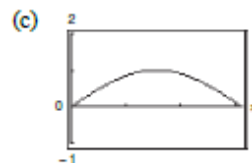
(b) $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + 1}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x/x}{\sqrt{x^2 + 1}/x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + 1/x^2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + 0}} = 1$



82. (a) Applying L'Hôpital's Rule twice results in the original limit, so L'Hôpital's Rule fails:

$$\begin{aligned}\lim_{x \rightarrow (\pi/2)^-} \frac{\tan x}{\sec x} &\text{ is indeterminate: } \frac{\infty}{\infty} \\ \lim_{x \rightarrow (\pi/2)^-} \frac{\tan x}{\sec x} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow (\pi/2)^-} \frac{\sec^2 x}{\sec x \tan x} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow (\pi/2)^-} \frac{\sec x}{\tan x} \left(\frac{\infty}{\infty} \right) \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow (\pi/2)^-} \frac{\sec x \tan x}{\sec^2 x} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow (\pi/2)^-} \frac{\tan x}{\sec x}\end{aligned}$$

(b) $\lim_{x \rightarrow (\pi/2)^-} \frac{\tan x}{\sec x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow (\pi/2)^-} \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} (\cos x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow (\pi/2)^-} \sin x = 1$



$$83. f(x) = \sin 3x, g(x) = \sin 4x$$

$$f'(x) = 3 \cos 3x, g'(x) = 4 \cos 4x$$

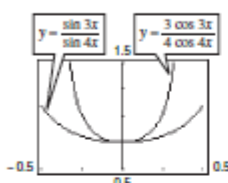
$$y_1 = \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \frac{\sin 3x}{\sin 4x},$$

$$y_2 = \frac{f'(x)}{g'(x)} = \frac{3 \cos 3x}{4 \cos 4x}$$

As $x \rightarrow 0$, $y_1 \rightarrow 0.75$ and $y_2 \rightarrow 0.75$

By L'Hôpital's Rule,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin 3x}{\sin 4x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{3 \cos 3x}{4 \cos 4x} = \frac{3}{4}$$



$$84. f(x) = e^{3x} - 1, g(x) = x$$

$$f'(x) = 3e^{3x}, g'(x) = 1$$

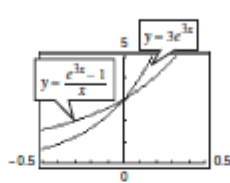
$$y_1 = \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \frac{e^{3x} - 1}{x},$$

$$y_2 = \frac{f'(x)}{g'(x)} = 3e^{3x}$$

As $x \rightarrow 0$, $y_1 \rightarrow 3$ and $y_2 \rightarrow 3$

By L'Hôpital's Rule,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{3x} - 1}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{3e^{3x}}{1} = 3$$



$$85. \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{32(1 - e^{-kt} + \frac{v_0 k e^{-kt}}{32})}{k} = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{32(1 - e^{-kt})}{k} + \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} (v_0 e^{-kt}) = \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{32(0 + t e^{-kt})}{1} + \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{v_0}{e^{kt}} \right) = 32t + v_0$$

$$86. A = P \left(1 + \frac{r}{n} \right)^{nt}$$

$$\ln A = \ln P + nt \ln \left(1 + \frac{r}{n} \right) = \ln P + \frac{\ln \left(1 + \frac{r}{n} \right)}{\frac{1}{nt}}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[\frac{\ln \left(1 + \frac{r}{n} \right)}{\frac{1}{nt}} \right] = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[\frac{\frac{r}{n^2} \left(\frac{1}{1 + (r/n)} \right)}{-\left(\frac{1}{n^2 t} \right)} \right] = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[rt \left(\frac{1}{1 + \frac{r}{n}} \right) \right] = rt$$

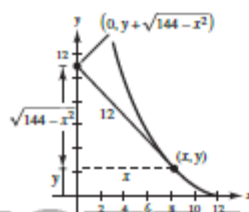
Because $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \ln A = \ln P + rt$, you have $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} A = e^{(\ln P + rt)} = e^{\ln P} e^{rt} = P e^{rt}$. Alternatively,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} A = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P \left(1 + \frac{r}{n} \right)^{nt} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P \left[\left(1 + \frac{r}{n} \right)^{n/r} \right]^r = P e^{rt}.$$

87. Let N be a fixed value for n . Then

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^{N-1}}{e^x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(N-1)x^{N-2}}{e^x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(N-1)(N-2)x^{N-3}}{e^x} = \dots = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left[\frac{(N-1)!}{e^x} \right] = 0. \quad (\text{See Exercise 74.})$$

$$88. (a) m = \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y - (y + \sqrt{144 - x^2})}{x - 0} = -\frac{\sqrt{144 - x^2}}{x}$$



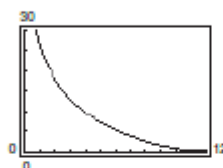
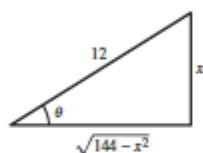
$$(b) \ y = -\int \frac{\sqrt{144 - x^2}}{x} dx$$

$$\text{Let } x = 12 \sin \theta, dx = 12 \cos \theta d\theta, \sqrt{144 - x^2} = 12 \cos \theta.$$

$$\begin{aligned} y &= -\int \frac{12 \cos \theta}{12 \sin \theta} 12 \cos \theta d\theta = -12 \int \frac{1 - \sin^2 \theta}{\sin \theta} d\theta \\ &= -12 \int (\csc \theta - \sin \theta) d\theta = -12 \ln |\csc \theta - \cot \theta| - 12 \cos \theta + C \\ &= -12 \ln \left| \frac{12}{x} - \frac{\sqrt{144 - x^2}}{x} \right| - 12 \left(\frac{\sqrt{144 - x^2}}{12} \right) + C = -12 \ln \left| \frac{12 - \sqrt{144 - x^2}}{x} \right| - \sqrt{144 - x^2} + C \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{When } x = 12, y = 0 \Rightarrow C = 0. \text{ So, } y = -12 \ln \left(\frac{12 - \sqrt{144 - x^2}}{x} \right) - \sqrt{144 - x^2}.$$

$$\text{Note: } \frac{12 - \sqrt{144 - x^2}}{x} > 0 \text{ for } 0 < x \leq 12$$



(c) Vertical asymptote: $x = 0$

$$(d) \ y + \sqrt{144 - x^2} = 12 \Rightarrow y = 12 - \sqrt{144 - x^2}$$

$$\text{So, } 12 - \sqrt{144 - x^2} = -12 \ln \left(\frac{12 - \sqrt{144 - x^2}}{x} \right) - \sqrt{144 - x^2}$$

$$-1 = \ln \left(\frac{12 - \sqrt{144 - x^2}}{x} \right)$$

$$xe^{-1} = 12 - \sqrt{144 - x^2}$$

$$(xe^{-1} - 12)^2 = (-\sqrt{144 - x^2})^2$$

$$x^2 e^{-2} - 24xe^{-1} + 144 = 144 - x^2$$

$$x^2(e^{-2} + 1) - 24xe^{-1} = 0$$

$$x[x(e^{-2} + 1) - 24e^{-1}] = 0$$

$$x = 0 \text{ or } x = \frac{24e^{-1}}{e^{-2} + 1} \approx 7.77665.$$

$$\text{Therefore, } s = \int_{7.77665}^{12} \sqrt{1 + \left(-\frac{\sqrt{144 - x^2}}{x} \right)^2} dx = \int_{7.77665}^{12} \sqrt{\frac{x^2 + (144 - x^2)}{x^2}} dx$$

$$= \int_{7.77665}^{12} \frac{12}{x} dx = [12 \ln |x|]_{7.77665}^{12} = 12(\ln 12 - \ln 7.77665) \approx 5.2 \text{ meters.}$$

$$89. f(x) = x^3, g(x) = x^2 + 1, [0, 1]$$

$$\frac{f(b) - f(a)}{g(b) - g(a)} = \frac{f'(c)}{g'(c)}$$

$$\frac{f(1) - f(0)}{g(1) - g(0)} = \frac{3c^2}{2c}$$

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

$$c = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$90. f(x) = \frac{1}{x}, g(x) = x^2 - 4, [1, 2]$$

$$\frac{f(2) - f(1)}{g(2) - g(1)} = \frac{f'(c)}{g'(c)}$$

$$\frac{-1/2}{3} = \frac{-1/c^2}{2c}$$

$$-\frac{1}{6} = -\frac{1}{2c^3}$$

$$2c^3 = 6$$

$$c = \sqrt[3]{3}$$

$$91. f(x) = \sin x, g(x) = \cos x, \left[0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right]$$

$$\frac{f(\pi/2) - f(0)}{g(\pi/2) - g(0)} = \frac{f'(c)}{g'(c)}$$

$$\frac{1}{-1} = \frac{\cos c}{-\sin c}$$

$$-1 = -\cot c$$

$$c = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$97. \text{Area of triangle: } \frac{1}{2}(2x)(1 - \cos x) = x - x \cos x$$

Shaded area: Area of rectangle - Area under curve

$$\begin{aligned} 2x(1 - \cos x) - 2 \int_0^x (1 - \cos t) dt &= 2x(1 - \cos x) - 2[t - \sin t]_0^x \\ &= 2x(1 - \cos x) - 2(x - \sin x) \\ &= 2 \sin x - 2x \cos x \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Ratio: } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x - x \cos x}{2 \sin x - 2x \cos x} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 + x \sin x - \cos x}{2 \cos x + 2x \sin x - 2 \cos x} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 + x \sin x - \cos x}{2x \sin x} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x \cos x + \sin x + \sin x}{2x \cos x + 2 \sin x} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x \cos x + 2 \sin x}{2x \cos x + 2 \sin x} \cdot \frac{1/\cos x}{1/\cos x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x + 2 \tan x}{2x + 2 \tan x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 + 2 \sec^2 x}{2 + 2 \sec^2 x} = \frac{3}{4} \end{aligned}$$

$$92. f(x) = \ln x, g(x) = x^3, [1, 4]$$

$$\frac{f(4) - f(1)}{g(4) - g(1)} = \frac{f'(c)}{g'(c)}$$

$$\frac{\ln 4}{63} = \frac{1/c}{3c^2} = \frac{1}{3c^3}$$

$$3c^3 \ln 4 = 63$$

$$c^3 = \frac{21}{\ln 4}$$

$$c = \sqrt[3]{\frac{21}{\ln 4}} \approx 2.474$$

93. False. L'Hôpital's Rule does not apply because

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (x^2 + x + 1) \neq 0.$$

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

94. False. If $y = e^x/x^2$, then

$$y' = \frac{x^2 e^x - 2x e^x}{x^4} = \frac{x e^x (x - 2)}{x^4} = \frac{e^x (x - 2)}{x^3}.$$

95. True

96. False. Let $f(x) = x$ and $g(x) = x + 1$. Then

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x}{x + 1} = 1, \text{ but } \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} [x - (x + 1)] = -1.$$

98. (a) $\sin \theta = BD$

$\cos \theta = DO \Rightarrow AD = 1 - \cos \theta$

Area $\triangle ABD = \frac{1}{2}bh = \frac{1}{2}(1 - \cos \theta) \sin \theta = \frac{1}{2} \sin \theta - \frac{1}{2} \sin \theta \cos \theta$

(b) Area of sector: $\frac{1}{2} \theta$

Shaded area: $\frac{1}{2} \theta - \text{Area } \triangle OBD = \frac{1}{2} \theta - \frac{1}{2}(\cos \theta)(\sin \theta) = \frac{1}{2} \theta - \frac{1}{2} \sin \theta \cos \theta$

(c) $R = \frac{(1/2) \sin \theta - (1/2) \sin \theta \cos \theta}{(1/2) \theta - (1/2) \sin \theta \cos \theta} = \frac{\sin \theta - \sin \theta \cos \theta}{\theta - \sin \theta \cos \theta}$

(d) $\lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} R = \lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin \theta - (1/2) \sin 2\theta}{\theta - (1/2) \sin 2\theta} = \lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos \theta - \cos 2\theta}{1 - \cos 2\theta} = \lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} \frac{-\sin \theta + 2 \sin 2\theta}{2 \sin 2\theta} = \lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} \frac{-\cos \theta + 4 \cos 2\theta}{4 \cos 2\theta} = \frac{3}{4}$

99. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{4x - 2 \sin 2x}{2x^3} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{4 - 4 \cos 2x}{6x^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{8 \sin 2x}{12x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{16 \cos 2x}{12} = \frac{16}{12} = \frac{4}{3}$

Let $c = \frac{4}{3}$.

100. Let $y = (e^x + x)^{1/x}$.

$\ln y = \frac{1}{x} \ln(e^x + x) = \frac{\ln(e^x + x)}{x}$

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

So, $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (e^x + x)^{1/x} = e^2$.

Let $c = e^2 \approx 7.389$.

101. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{a - \cos bx}{x^2} = 2$

Near $x = 0$, $\cos bx \approx 1$ and $x^2 \approx 0 \Rightarrow a = 1$.

Using L'Hôpital's Rule,

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \cos bx}{x^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{b \sin bx}{2x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{b^2 \cos bx}{2} = 2$

So, $b^2 = 4$ and $b = \pm 2$.

Answer: $a = 1, b = \pm 2$

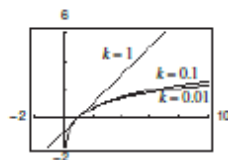
102. $f(x) = \frac{x^k - 1}{k}$

$k = 1, f(x) = x - 1$

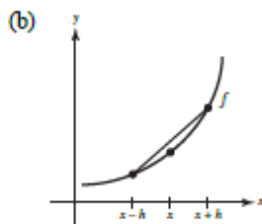
$k = 0.1, f(x) = \frac{x^{0.1} - 1}{0.1} = 10(x^{0.1} - 1)$

$k = 0.01, f(x) = \frac{x^{0.01} - 1}{0.01} = 100(x^{0.01} - 1)$

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



103. (a) $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x-h)}{2h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f'(x+h)(1) - f'(x-h)(-1)}{2} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{f'(x+h) + f'(x-h)}{2} \right] = \frac{f'(x) + f'(x)}{2} = f'(x)$



Graphically, the slope of the line joining $(x-h, f(x-h))$ and $(x+h, f(x+h))$

is approximately $f'(x)$. So, $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x-h)}{2h} = f'(x)$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 104. \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - 2f(x) + f(x-h)}{h^2} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f'(x+h)(1) + f'(x-h)(-1)}{2h} \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f'(x+h) - f'(x-h)}{2h} \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f''(x+h)(1) - f''(x-h)(-1)}{2} \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f''(x+h) + f''(x-h)}{2} \\
 &= \frac{f''(x) + f''(x)}{2} = f''(x)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$105. \lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x)^{g(x)}$$

$$y = f(x)^{g(x)}$$

$$\ln y = g(x) \ln f(x)$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} g(x) \ln f(x) = (\infty)(-\infty) = -\infty$$

As $x \rightarrow a$, $\ln y \Rightarrow -\infty$, and therefore $y = 0$.

$$\text{So, } \lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x)^{g(x)} = 0.$$

$$106. \lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x)^{g(x)}$$

$$y = f(x)^{g(x)}$$

$$\ln y = g(x) \ln f(x)$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} g(x) \ln f(x) = (-\infty)(-\infty) = \infty$$

As $x \rightarrow a$, $\ln y \Rightarrow \infty$, and therefore $y = \infty$.

$$\text{So, } \lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x)^{g(x)} = \infty.$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 107. \int_a^b f''(t)(t-b) dt &= f'(a)(b-a) - \left[\int_a^b f'(t)(t-b) dt \right] \\
 &= f'(a)(b-a) + f'(a)(a-b) + \left[f(t) \right]_a^b = f(b) - f(a)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$dv = f''(t) dt \Rightarrow v = f'(t)$$

$$u = t - b \Rightarrow du = dt$$

$$108. (a) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} x^{(\ln 2)/(1+\ln x)} \text{ is of form } 0^0.$$

$$\text{Let } y = x^{(\ln 2)/(1+\ln x)}$$

$$\ln y = \frac{\ln 2}{1 + \ln x} \ln x$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \ln y = \frac{\ln 2(1/x)}{1/x} = \ln 2.$$

$$\text{So, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} x^{(\ln 2)/(1+\ln x)} = 2.$$

$$(b) \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x^{(\ln 2)/(1+\ln x)} \text{ is of form } \infty^0.$$

$$\text{Let } y = x^{(\ln 2)/(1+\ln x)}$$

$$\ln y = \frac{\ln 2}{1 + \ln x} \ln x$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \ln y = \frac{\ln 2(1/x)}{1/x} = \ln 2.$$

$$\text{So, } \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x^{(\ln 2)/(1+\ln x)} = 2.$$

$$(c) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (x+1)^{(\ln 2)/(x)} \text{ is of form } 1^\infty.$$

$$\text{Let } y = (x+1)^{(\ln 2)/(x)}$$

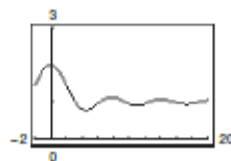
$$\ln y = \frac{\ln 2}{x} \ln(x+1)$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \ln y = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(\ln 2)1/(x+1)}{1} = \ln 2.$$

$$\text{So, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (x+1)^{(\ln 2)/(x)} = 2.$$

$$109. (a) h(x) = \frac{x + \sin x}{x}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} h(x) = 1$$



$$(b) h(x) = \frac{x + \sin x}{x} = \frac{x}{x} + \frac{\sin x}{x} = 1 + \frac{\sin x}{x}, x \neq 0$$

$$\text{So, } \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} h(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left[1 + \frac{\sin x}{x} \right] = 1 + 0 = 1.$$

(c) No. $h(x)$ is not an indeterminate form.

$$110. (a) \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x + x \sin x}{x^2 - 4} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1 + \sin x}{x - 4/x} = 0$$

(Because $|1 + \sin x| \leq 1$ and $x \rightarrow \infty$.)

$$(b) \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x(1 + \sin x) = \infty$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} g(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (x^2 - 4) = \infty$$

$$(c) \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f'(x)}{g'(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1 + \sin x + x \cos x}{2x} \quad \text{undefined}$$

(d) No. If $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f'(x)}{g'(x)}$ does not exist, then you cannot assume anything about $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)}$.

$$111. \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{4e^x - \sin x - 4}{x^2 + 4x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{4e^x - \cos x}{2x + 4} \quad (\text{By L'Hôpital's Rule})$$

$$= \frac{4 - 1}{4} = \frac{3}{4}$$

So, the answer is B.

$$112. \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} (-x \ln x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} -\frac{\ln x}{\frac{1}{x}}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\frac{1}{x}}{\frac{1}{x^2}}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} x$$

$$= 0$$

So, the answer is A.

$$113. \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{\int_2^x e^{t/2} dt}{x^3 - 8} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{e^{x/2}}{3x^2}$$

$$= \frac{e^1}{3(2)^2}$$

$$= \frac{e}{12}$$

So, the answer is C.