



Calculus, Homework 7

Calculate the following limits:

Problem 1

Subproblem A

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x^2 + x - 6}{x^2 - 3x + 2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{(x+3)(x-2)}{(x-1)(x-2)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x+3}{x-1} = \frac{2+3}{2-1} = 5$$

Answer:

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

Subproblem C

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^5 - 3x^4 + 3x^3 - x^2}{x^4 - 6x^2 + 8x - 3} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^2(x^3 - 3x^2 + 3x - 1)}{x^4 - 6x^2 + 8x - 3} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^2(x-1)^3}{x^4 - 6x^2 + 8x - 3} = \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^2(x-1)^3}{(x+3)(x-1)^3} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^2}{(x+3)} = \frac{1^2}{1+4} = \frac{1}{4} \end{aligned}$$

Answer:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^5 - 3x^4 + 3x^3 - x^2}{x^4 - 6x^2 + 8x - 3} = \frac{1}{4}$$

Subproblem F

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{\sqrt{x+13} - 2\sqrt{x+1}}{x^2 - 9} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{x+13-4x-4}{(x^2-9)(\sqrt{x+13}+2\sqrt{x+1})} = \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{-3(x-3)}{(x-3)(x+3)(\sqrt{x+13}+2\sqrt{x+1})} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{-3}{(x+3)(\sqrt{x+13}+2\sqrt{x+1})} = \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{-3}{(x+3)(\sqrt{x+13}+2\sqrt{x+1})} = \frac{-3}{6 \times (\sqrt{3+13}+2\sqrt{3+1})} = -\frac{1}{2 \times 8} = -\frac{1}{16} \end{aligned}$$

Answer:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{\sqrt{x+13} - 2\sqrt{x+1}}{x^2 - 9} = -\frac{1}{16}$$

Problem 2

Subproblem A

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{\sin \frac{\pi x}{2}}{x} = \frac{\sin \frac{\pi}{2}}{1} = 1$$

Answer:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{\sin \frac{\pi x}{2}}{x} = 1$$

Subproblem C

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\operatorname{tg} x + \operatorname{tg} 2x + \cdots + \operatorname{tg} nx}{\operatorname{arctg} x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{\operatorname{tg} kx}{\operatorname{arctg} x}$$

Since $\operatorname{tg} x = x + o(x)$ and $\operatorname{arctg} x = x + o(x)$, then

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\operatorname{tg} kx}{\operatorname{arctg} x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{kx + o(x)}{x + o(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (k + o(1)) = k$$

Alternatively, since $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\operatorname{tg} x}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\operatorname{arctg} x}{x} = 1$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\operatorname{tg} kx}{\operatorname{arctg} x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{kx \operatorname{tg} kx}{kx \operatorname{arctg} x} = k \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\operatorname{tg} kx}{kx} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x}{\operatorname{arctg} x} = k \times 1 \times 1^{-1} = k$$

Therefore,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{\operatorname{tg} kx}{\operatorname{arctg} x} = \sum_{k=1}^n k = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$$

Answer:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\operatorname{tg} x + \operatorname{tg} 2x + \cdots + \operatorname{tg} nx}{\operatorname{arctg} x} = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$$

Subproblem D

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\operatorname{tg} x - \sin x}{\sin^3 x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x - \sin x \cos x}{\sin^3 x \cos x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \cos x}{\sin^2 x \cos x} =$$

Since $1 - \cos x = 2 \sin^2 \frac{x}{2}$, $\sin x \cos x = \frac{1}{2} \sin 2x$, $\sin x = x + o(x)$, then:

$$\begin{aligned}\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 \sin^2 \frac{x}{2}}{\frac{1}{2} \sin 2x \sin x} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2(\frac{x}{2} + o(x))^2}{\frac{1}{2}(2x + o(x))(x + o(x))} = 4 \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{x^2}{4} + xo(x) + o(x^2)}{2x^2 + 2xo(x) + xo(x) + o(x^2)} = \\ &= 4 \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{x^2}{4} + o(x^2)}{2x^2 + o(x^2)} = \frac{4}{8} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2 + o(x^2)}{x^2 + o(x^2)} = \frac{1}{2}\end{aligned}$$

Alternatively, since $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x}{x} = 1$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 \sin^2 \frac{x}{2}}{\frac{1}{2} \sin 2x \sin x} = \frac{1}{2} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin^2 \frac{x}{2}}{\frac{x^2}{2^2}} \frac{x}{\sin x} \frac{2x}{\sin 2x} = \frac{1}{2} \times 1^2 \times 1^{-1} \times 1^{-1} = \frac{1}{2}$$

Answer:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\operatorname{tg} x - \sin x}{\sin^3 x} = \frac{1}{2}$$

Subproblem E

$$\begin{aligned}\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{\sin x - \sin a}{x - a} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{2 \sin \frac{x-a}{2} \cos \frac{x+a}{2}}{x - a} \xrightarrow{z=x-a} \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 \sin \frac{z}{2} \cos(\frac{z}{2} + a)}{z} = \\ &= \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{2(\frac{z}{2} + o(z)) \cos(\frac{z}{2} + a)}{z} = \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{(z + o(z)) \cos(\frac{z}{2} + a)}{z} = \\ &= \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{z \cos(\frac{z}{2} + a) + o(z) \cos(\frac{z}{2} + a)}{z} = \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \left(\cos\left(\frac{z}{2} + a\right) + o(1) \cos\left(\frac{z}{2} + a\right) \right) = \\ &= \cos\left(\frac{0}{2} + a\right) + 0 = \cos(a)\end{aligned}$$

Alternatively,

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin \frac{z}{2}}{\frac{z}{2}} \cos\left(\frac{z}{2} + a\right) = 1 \times \cos\left(\frac{0}{2} + a\right) = \cos a$$

Answer:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{\sin x - \sin a}{x - a} = \cos(a)$$

Subproblem F

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{\ln(x^2 + \cos \frac{\pi x}{2})}{\sqrt{x} - 1} = \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{\ln((y+1)^2 + \cos(\frac{\pi y}{2} + \frac{\pi}{2}))}{\sqrt{y+1} - 1} =$$

Since $\cos x = -\sin\left(x + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$, $\sin x = x - \frac{x^3}{6} + o(x^3)$

$$\lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{\ln((y+1)^2 - \sin \frac{\pi y}{2})}{\sqrt{y+1} - 1} = \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{\ln((y+1)^2 - \frac{\pi y}{2} + \frac{\pi^3 y^3}{8} + o(y^3))}{\sqrt{y+1} - 1} = \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{\ln(1 + y^2 + (2 - \frac{\pi}{2})y + \frac{\pi^3 y^3}{8} + o(y^3))}{\sqrt{y+1} - 1} =$$

Since $\sqrt{1+x} = 1 + \frac{x}{2} - \frac{x^2}{8} + \frac{x^3}{16} + o(x^3)$, $\ln(1+x) = x + o(x)$

$$\lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{y^2 + (2 - \frac{\pi}{2})y + \frac{\pi^3 y^3}{8} + o(y^3)}{1 + \frac{y}{2} - \frac{y^2}{8} + \frac{y^3}{16} - 1 + o(y^3)} = \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{y + (2 - \frac{\pi}{2}) + \frac{\pi^3 y^2}{8} + o(y^2)}{\frac{1}{2} - \frac{y}{8} + \frac{y^2}{16} + o(y^2)} = \frac{0 + (2 - \frac{\pi}{2}) + 0 + 0}{\frac{1}{2} - 0 + 0 + 0} = 4 - \pi$$

Alternatively, since $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(y+1)^\alpha - 1}{y} = \alpha$, $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x}{x} = 1$

$$\lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{\ln((y+1)^2 - \sin \frac{\pi y}{2})}{\sqrt{y+1} - 1} = \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{y}{(y+1)^{\frac{1}{2}} - 1} \frac{(y+2 - \frac{\pi}{2} \frac{\sin \frac{\pi y}{2}}{\frac{\pi y}{2}}) \ln(1 + y(y+2 - \frac{\pi}{2} \frac{\sin \frac{\pi y}{2}}{\frac{\pi y}{2}}))}{(y+2 - \frac{\pi}{2} \frac{\sin \frac{\pi y}{2}}{\frac{\pi y}{2}})y} =$$

$$\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{-1} \times \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \left(y+2 - \frac{\pi}{2} \frac{\sin \frac{\pi y}{2}}{\frac{\pi y}{2}}\right) \times 1 = 2 \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \left(y+2 - \frac{\pi}{2} \times 1\right) = 2 \left(0+2 - \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = 4 - \pi$$

Answer:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{\ln(x^2 + \cos \frac{\pi x}{2})}{\sqrt{x} - 1} = 4 - \pi$$

Subproblem G

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow +0} \frac{\sqrt{1 - e^{-x}} - \sqrt{1 - \cos x}}{\sqrt{\sin x}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow +0} \frac{\sqrt{1 - e^{-x}}}{\sqrt{\sin x}} - \lim_{x \rightarrow +0} \frac{\sqrt{1 - \cos x}}{\sqrt{\sin x}}$$

Since $e^x = 1 + x + o(x)$, $\sin x = x + o(x)$

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

Alternatively, since $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^x - 1}{x} = 1$

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

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

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

$$\sqrt{\lim_{x \rightarrow +0} \frac{1 - \cos x}{\sin^2 x} \lim_{x \rightarrow +0} \sin x} = \sqrt{\left(1 - \frac{x^2}{2}\right) \lim_{x \rightarrow +0} \sin x} = \sqrt{\left(1 - \frac{x^2}{2}\right) \times 0} = 0$$

Therefore,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow +0} \frac{\sqrt{1 - e^{-x}}}{\sqrt{\sin x}} - \lim_{x \rightarrow +0} \frac{\sqrt{1 - \cos x}}{\sqrt{\sin x}} = 1 - 0 = 1$$

Answer:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow +0} \frac{\sqrt{1 - e^{-x}} - \sqrt{1 - \cos x}}{\sqrt{\sin x}} = 1$$

Subproblem H

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

Since $\ln(x + 1) = x - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3} + o(x^3)$ and $\ln(x + 1) = x + o(x)$

$$\lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{\ln(y + 1) + \ln(2y + 1)}{\ln(y + 1) + \ln(y^3 + 3y^2 + 4y + 1)} = \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{y - \frac{y^2}{2} + \frac{y^3}{3} + o(y^3) + 2y - 2y^2 + \frac{8y^3}{3} + o(y^3)}{y - \frac{y^2}{2} + \frac{y^3}{3} + o(y^3) + y^3 + 3y^2 + 4y + o(y^3)} =$$

$$\lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{3y - \frac{5y^2}{2} + 3y^3 + o(y^3)}{5y + \frac{5y^2}{2} + \frac{4y^3}{3} + o(y^3)} = \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{3 - \frac{5y}{2} + 3y^2 + o(y^2)}{5 + \frac{5y}{2} + \frac{4y^2}{3} + o(y^2)} = \frac{3 - 0 + 0 + 0}{5 + 0 + 0 + 0} = \frac{3}{5}$$

Alternatively, since $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\ln(1 + x)}{x} = 1$

$$\lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{y \ln(y+1)}{y} + \frac{2y \ln(2y+1)}{2y}}{\frac{y \ln(y+1)}{y} + \frac{(y^3+3y^2+4y) \ln(y^3+3y^2+4y+1)}{y^3+3y^2+4y}} = \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{y + 2y}{y + y^3 + 3y^2 + 4y} = \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{3}{5 + y^2 + 3y} = \frac{3}{5}$$

Answer:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{\ln(2x^2 - x)}{\ln(x^4 + x^2 - x)} = \frac{3}{5}$$