Math 141 - Homework 12

Calculate the following limits. You can use L'Hospital's rule if it is appropriate.

1.
$$\lim_{x \to 4} \frac{x^2 - 16}{x - 4}$$

$$2. \lim_{x \to a} \frac{x - a}{x^n - a^n}$$

3.
$$\lim_{x \to 4} \frac{x^2 - 16}{x + 4}$$

4.
$$\lim_{x \to \pi} \frac{\cos(x/2)}{x - \pi}$$

$$5. \lim_{x \to \infty} \frac{x^2}{5x + \sqrt{x}}$$

6.
$$\lim_{h \to \infty} \frac{6x^5 - 3x^4 + 7x}{5x^5 + 16x^3 - 9x^2}$$

Calculate the antiderivates of the following functions.

7.
$$f(x) = 4x^3 + 3x^2$$

8.
$$f(x) = \sec^2 x + \cos x$$
 9. $f(x) = 10x^4 - 5$

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10.
$$f(x) = \sqrt{x+1}$$

11.
$$f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2}$$

$$12. \ f(x) = \frac{5}{\sqrt{x}}$$

13.
$$f(x) = 0$$

14.
$$f(x) = \frac{x^5 + x^3}{x^2}$$

15.
$$f(x) = x^{-1/3} + x^{1/3}$$
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16. Find a function f(x) such that f'(x) = 4x and f(1) = 5.

17. Solve the initial value problem $\frac{dy}{dx} = \cos x + \sin x$ with y(0) = 3.

18. Find the horizontal asymptotes of $f(x) = \frac{4x}{\sqrt{x^2 + 3}}$ by calculating the limits as x approaches $+\infty$ and $-\infty$, then sketch a graph of the function. Hint: This function is always increasing because its derivative $f'(x) = 12(x^2 + 3)^{-3/2}$ is always positive.