

Calculus(I) Quiz 1, Oct. 02, 2019

Please show all work and simplify solutions.

1. (16 points) Determine whether the statement is true or false.

(a) If $f(s) = f(t)$, then $s = t$. **False**

(b) If f is a function, then $f(3x) = 3f(x)$. **False**

(c) If f and g are functions, then $f \circ g = g \circ f$. **False**

(d) If $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$ and $g(x) = \sqrt{2-x}$, then the domain of $g \circ f$ is the close interval $[0, 4]$. **True**

(e) If $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x) = L_1$ and $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} g(x) = L_2$, then $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} \{f(x) + g(x)\} = \lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x) + \lim_{x \rightarrow c} g(x)$.
(c is a constant and the limit exist) **True**

(f) (Following the previous question)

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow c} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \frac{L_1}{L_2}. \text{ True or False}$$

(g) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} [\sin x] = 0$. ($[]$ is floor function means $n \leq x < n+1 \Rightarrow [x] = n$, $n \in \mathbb{Z}$, ex
 $[1.3] = 1$, $[2.4] = 2$) **False**

(h) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} [4x - x^2] = 3$. **False**

2. (20 points) Evaluate the limits.

(a) (10 points) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^4 - 1}{x - 1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{(x^2 + 1)(x^2 - 1)}{x - 1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{(x^2 + 1)(x + 1)(x - 1)}{x - 1} = 4$

(b) (10 points) $\lim_{x \rightarrow -1} \frac{x^3 + 1}{x^2 - 2x - 3} = \lim_{x \rightarrow -1} \frac{(x + 1)(x^2 - x + 1)}{(x + 1)(x - 3)} = \frac{3}{-4}$

3. (10 points) Find $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{1+x+x^2} - 1}{\sqrt{1+x} - \sqrt{1-x}}$.

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

4. (10 points) Find $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x \sin \frac{1}{x}$. (using squeeze theorem)

$$\because -1 \leq \sin \frac{1}{x} \leq 1 \therefore -x \leq x \sin \frac{1}{x} \leq x$$

$$\because \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (-x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x = 0 \therefore \text{by the squeeze theorem } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x \sin \frac{1}{x} = 0$$

5. (10 points) Find $\lim_{x \rightarrow 10^-} \frac{[x^3] - x^3}{[x] - x}$.

(Def: $n \leq x < n+1 \Rightarrow [x] = n$, $n \in \mathbb{Z}$)

$$\because \lim_{x \rightarrow 10^-} [x^3] = 999$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 10^-} [x] = 9$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 10^-} \frac{999 - x^3}{9 - x} = 1$$

6. (18 points) If $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 & , \text{if } x < 0 \\ x & , \text{if } 0 \leq x < 2 \\ 2 - x & , \text{if } x \geq 2 \end{cases}$, Evaluate the limits

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

$$(b) \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} x = 1$$

$$(c) \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x) = 1 \because \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} x = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} x$$

$$(d) \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} (2 - x) = 0$$

$$(e) \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} x = 2$$

$$(f) \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(x) = \text{do not exist} \because \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} f(x) \neq \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} f(x)$$

7. (16 points) If $f(x) = \llbracket 2x \rrbracket + \llbracket -x - 4 \rrbracket$, show that $\lim_{x \rightarrow 4} f(x)$ exists, but is not equal to $f(4)$.

Ans:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 4^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^+} \llbracket 2x \rrbracket + \llbracket -x - 4 \rrbracket = \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^+} 8 + \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^+} -9 = -1$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 4^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^-} \llbracket 2x \rrbracket + \llbracket -x - 4 \rrbracket = \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^-} 7 + \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^-} -8 = -1$$

$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^+} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^-}$, are equal

$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} f(x)$ is exist that $\lim_{x \rightarrow 4} f(x) = -1$

$$\text{but } f(4) = \llbracket 2 * 4 \rrbracket + \llbracket -4 - 4 \rrbracket = 8 - 8 = 0$$

$f(4)$ is not equal $\lim_{x \rightarrow 4} f(x)$