§6.8 Models for Population Growth

In-class Activity 6.8



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Activity 1:

State the type of indeterminate form and evaluate using L'Hôpital's Rule:

(a)
$$\lim_{x \to 2} \frac{x^3 - 8}{x^4 + 2x - 2}$$

(b)
$$\lim_{x \to 1} \frac{\ln(x)}{x - 1}$$

(c)
$$\lim_{x\to 0} \frac{e^x - x - 1}{\cos(x) - 1}$$

(d)
$$\lim_{x \to \infty} \frac{e^x}{x^2}$$

Activity 2:

State the type of indeterminate form and evaluate using L'Hôpital's Rule:

$$\lim_{x \to \infty} x^3 e^{-x^2}$$

Activity 3:

State the type of indeterminate form and evaluate using L'Hôpital's Rule:

$$\lim_{x \to 0} \left(\csc(x) - \frac{1}{x} \right)$$

Activity 4:

State the type of indeterminate form and evaluate using L'Hôpital's Rule:

(a)
$$\lim_{x \to 0^+} x^{\sqrt{x}}$$

(b)
$$\lim_{x \to 0^+} (1+4x)^{1/2x}$$