

FORMULAS GOVERNING VECTOR FUNCTIONS

- (1) $(\vec{\mathbf{F}} + \vec{\mathbf{G}})(t) = \vec{\mathbf{F}}(t) + \vec{\mathbf{G}}(t)$
- (2) $(\vec{\mathbf{F}} - \vec{\mathbf{G}})(t) = \vec{\mathbf{F}}(t) - \vec{\mathbf{G}}(t)$
- (3) $(\phi\vec{\mathbf{F}})(t) = \phi(t)\vec{\mathbf{F}}(t)$
- (4) $(\vec{\mathbf{F}} \times \vec{\mathbf{G}})(t) = \vec{\mathbf{F}}(t) \times \vec{\mathbf{G}}(t)$
- (5) $(\vec{\mathbf{F}} \cdot \vec{\mathbf{G}})(t) = \vec{\mathbf{F}}(t) \cdot \vec{\mathbf{G}}(t)$ - Notice that this is a scalar.

Rules of Vector Limits

- (1) Limit of a sum or difference

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow t_0} [\vec{\mathbf{F}}(t) \pm \vec{\mathbf{G}}(t)] = \lim_{t \rightarrow t_0} \vec{\mathbf{F}}(t) \pm \lim_{t \rightarrow t_0} \vec{\mathbf{G}}(t)$$

- (2) Limit of a scalar multiple

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow t_0} [\phi(t)\vec{\mathbf{F}}(t)] = [\lim_{t \rightarrow t_0} \phi(t)] [\lim_{t \rightarrow t_0} \vec{\mathbf{F}}(t)]$$

- (3) Limit of a dot product

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow t_0} [\vec{\mathbf{F}}(t) \cdot \vec{\mathbf{G}}(t)] = [\lim_{t \rightarrow t_0} \vec{\mathbf{F}}(t)] \cdot [\lim_{t \rightarrow t_0} \vec{\mathbf{G}}(t)]$$

- (4) Limit of a cross product

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow t_0} [\vec{\mathbf{F}}(t) \times \vec{\mathbf{G}}(t)] = [\lim_{t \rightarrow t_0} \vec{\mathbf{F}}(t)] \times [\lim_{t \rightarrow t_0} \vec{\mathbf{G}}(t)]$$