

Limit

$\lim_{x \rightarrow c} b = b$	$\lim_{x \rightarrow c} x = c$	$\lim_{x \rightarrow c} x^n = c^n$
$\lim_{x \rightarrow c} \sqrt[n]{x} = \sqrt[n]{c} \quad n \text{ is even} \quad c > 0$		
$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left[\frac{p(x)}{q(x)} = \frac{a_n x^n + a_{n-1} x^{n-1} + \dots + a_1 x + a_0}{b_n x^n + b_{n-1} x^{n-1} + \dots + b_1 x + b_0} \right] = \frac{a_n}{b_n}$		
$\lim_{x \rightarrow c} [bf(x)] = b \lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x)$		
$\lim_{x \rightarrow c} [f(x) \pm g(x)] = \lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x) \pm \lim_{x \rightarrow c} g(x)$		
$\lim_{x \rightarrow c} [f(x) \cdot g(x)] = \lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x) \cdot \lim_{x \rightarrow c} g(x)$		
$\lim_{x \rightarrow c} \left[\frac{f(x)}{g(x)} \right] = \frac{\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x)}{\lim_{x \rightarrow c} g(x)}$		
$\lim_{x \rightarrow c} [f(x)]^n = \left[\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x) \right]^n$		
$\lim_{x \rightarrow c} \sqrt[n]{f(x)} = \sqrt[n]{\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x)}$		
$\lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin \theta}{\theta} = 1 \quad (\theta \text{ in rad.})$		
$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{x^n} = 0 \quad n > 0$		
$n \text{ even:} \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow \pm \infty} x^n = \infty$	$n \text{ odd:} \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x^n = \infty \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} x^n = -\infty$	
$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{ x-1 }{x-1} = -1$	$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \frac{ x-1 }{x-1} = 1$	
$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} e^x = \infty$	$\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} e^x = 0$	$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{1}{x}\right)^x = e$
$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \ln(x) = \infty$	$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \ln(x) = 0$	

End Behavior and Asymptotes of Rational Functions

Let $f(x) = \frac{p(x)}{q(x)} = \frac{a_n x^n + a_{n-1} x^{n-1} + \dots + a_1 x + a_0}{b_m x^m + b_{m-1} x^{m-1} + \dots + b_1 x + b_0} = \frac{a_n x^n}{b_m x^m}$ be a rational function.

1. If the degree of numerator is less than of denominator ($n < m$) $\Rightarrow y = 0$
Horizontal Asymptote (HA)
2. If the degree of numerator is equal of denominator ($n = m$) $\Rightarrow y = \frac{a_n}{b_m}$ **Horizontal Asymptote (HA)**
3. If the degree of numerator is greater than of denominator ($n > m$) \Rightarrow No **Horizontal Asymptote**

Vertical Asymptote - Think Domain

Average rate of change: $\frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} = \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}, \quad h \neq 0$

Sandwich Theorem $g(x) \leq f(x) \leq h(x) \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow c} g(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow c} h(x) = L$ *then* $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x) = L$

Precise Definition of a Limit

Let $f(x)$ be defined on an open interval about x_0 , except possibly at x_0 itself. We say that **the limit of $f(x)$ as x approaches x_0 is the number L** , and write: $\lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} f(x) = L$

If, for every number $\varepsilon > 0$, there exists a corresponding number $\delta > 0$ such that for all x ,
 $0 < |x - x_0| < \delta \Rightarrow |f(x) - L| < \varepsilon$

One-Sided Limits

If the approach is from the *right*, the limit is a **right-hand limit**. $\lim_{x \rightarrow c^+} f(x) = L$

If for every number $\varepsilon > 0$ there exists a corresponding number $\delta > 0$ such that for all x

$$x_0 < x < x_0 + \delta \Rightarrow |f(x) - L| < \varepsilon$$

If the approach is from the *left*, the limit is a **left-hand limit**. $\lim_{x \rightarrow c^-} f(x) = M$

If for every number $\varepsilon > 0$ there exists a corresponding number $\delta > 0$ such that for all x

$$x_0 - \delta < x < x_0 \Rightarrow |f(x) - L| < \varepsilon$$

Continuity:

Let c be a number in the interval (a, b) , and let f be a function whose domain contains the interval (a, b) . The function f is continuous at the point c if the following conditions are true.

1. $f(c)$ is defined
2. $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x)$ exists
3. $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x) = f(c)$

Interior point: A function $y = f(x)$ is **continuous at an interior point c** of its domain if

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x) = f(c)$$

Endpoint: A function $y = f(x)$ is **continuous at a left point a** or is **continuous at a right point b** of its domain if

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a^+} f(x) = f(a) \quad \text{or} \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow b^-} f(x) = f(b), \quad \text{respectively}$$

Intermediate Value Theorem

We call a solution of the equation $f(x) = 0$ a **root** of the equation or zero of the function f . The Intermediate Value Theorem said that if f is continuous, then any interval on which f changes sign contains a zero of the function.