

Part A. Directions: Answer these questions *without* using your calculator.

1. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x^2 - 4}{x^2 + 4}$ is $\frac{2^2 - 4}{2^2 + 4} = \frac{0}{8} = 0$
 (A) 1 (B) 0 (C) $-\frac{1}{2}$ (D) -1 (E) ∞
2. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4 - x^2}{x^2 - 1}$ is H.A. $y = -1$
 (A) 1 (B) 0 (C) -4 (D) -1 (E) ∞
3. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{x - 3}{x^2 - 2x - 3}$ is $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{(x-3)}{(x-3)(x+1)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{1}{x+1} = \frac{1}{4}$
 (A) 0 (B) 1 (C) $\frac{1}{4}$ (D) ∞ (E) none of these
4. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x}{x}$ is $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} 1 = 1$
 (A) 1 (B) 0 (C) ∞ (D) -1 (E) nonexistent
5. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x^3 - 8}{x^2 - 4}$ is $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{(x-2)(x^2 + 2x + 4)}{(x-2)(x+2)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x^2 + 2x + 4}{x+2} = \frac{12}{4} = 3$
 (A) 4 (B) 0 (C) 1 (D) 3 (E) ∞

6. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4 - x^2}{4x^2 - x - 2}$ is H.A. $y = -\frac{1}{4}$
 (A) -2 (B) $-\frac{1}{4}$ (C) 1 (D) 2 (E) nonexistent

7. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{5x^3 + 27}{20x^2 + 10x + 9}$ is Slant Asymptote
 (A) $-\infty$ (B) -1 (C) 0 (D) 3 (E) ∞

8. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3x^2 + 27}{x^3 - 27}$ is H.A. $y = 0$
 (A) 3 (B) ∞ (C) 1 (D) -1 (E) 0

9. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2^{-x}}{2^x}$ is $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2^x \cdot 2^x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2^{2x}} = 0$
 (A) -1 (B) 1 (C) 0 (D) ∞ (E) none of these

10. $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{2^{-x}}{2^x}$ is $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{1}{2^{2x}} = \infty$
 (A) -1 (B) 1 (C) 0 (D) ∞ (E) none of these

11. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin 5x}{5x} = 5(1)$
 (A) = 0 (B) = $\frac{1}{5}$ (C) = 1 (D) = 5 (E) does not exist

12. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin 2x}{3x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2}{3} \cdot \frac{\sin(2x)}{2x} = \frac{2}{3}(1) = \frac{2}{3}$
 (A) = 0 (B) = $\frac{2}{3}$ (C) = 1 (D) = $\frac{3}{2}$ (E) does not exist

13. The graph of $y = \arctan x$ has

$\tan(x)$

$\tan^{-1}(x)$

V.A. $x = \frac{\pi}{2} + \pi n, n \in \mathbb{Z}$

H.A. $y = \pm \frac{\pi}{2}$

- (A) vertical asymptotes at $x = 0$ and $x = \pi$
- (B)** horizontal asymptotes at $y = \pm \frac{\pi}{2}$
- (C) horizontal asymptotes at $y = 0$ and $y = \pi$
- (D) vertical asymptotes at $x = \pm \frac{\pi}{2}$
- (E) none of these

14. The graph of $y = \frac{x^2 - 9}{3x - 9}$ has

$y = \frac{(x-3)(x+3)}{3(x-3)} = \frac{x+3}{3}$

Hole $x=3$

- (A) a vertical asymptote at $x = 3$
- (B) a horizontal asymptote at $y = \frac{1}{3}$
- (C)** a removable discontinuity at $x = 3$
- (D) an infinite discontinuity at $x = 3$
- (E) none of these

15. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x}{x^2 + 3x}$ is $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x}{x} \cdot \frac{1}{x+3} = 1 \left(\frac{1}{3}\right) = \frac{1}{3}$

- (A) 1
- (B)** $\frac{1}{3}$
- (C) 3
- (D) ∞
- (E) $\frac{1}{4}$

16. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \sin \frac{1}{x}$ is

- (A) ∞
- (B) 1
- (C)** nonexistent
- (D) -1
- (E) none of these

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x} = \infty$

$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \sin(x)$ oscillates

17. Which statement is true about the curve $y = \frac{2x^2 + 4}{2 + 7x - 4x^2}$? $= \frac{2(x^2+2)}{-(4x+1)(x-2)}$

- (A)** The line $x = -\frac{1}{4}$ is a vertical asymptote.
- (B) The line $x = 1$ is a vertical asymptote.
- (C) The line $y = -\frac{1}{4}$ is a horizontal asymptote.
- (D) The graph has no vertical or horizontal asymptote.
- (E) The line $y = 2$ is a horizontal asymptote.

18. $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2} \frac{2x^2 + 1}{(2-x)(2+x)}$ is

H.A. $y = -2$

- (A) -4
- (B)** -2
- (C) 1
- (D) 2
- (E) nonexistent

19. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{|x|}{x}$ is

- (A) 0
- (B)** nonexistent
- (C) 1
- (D) -1
- (E) none of these

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{|x|}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{-x}{x} = -1$
 $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{|x|}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{x}{x} = 1$
 $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{|x|}{x} = \text{DNE}$

20. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x \sin \frac{1}{x}$ is

- (A) 0
- (B)** ∞
- (C) nonexistent
- (D) -1
- (E)** 1

$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sin(\frac{1}{x})}{\frac{1}{x}} = 1$

$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{x} = 0$

21. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \pi} \frac{\sin(\pi-x)}{\pi-x}$ is = 1

- (A)** 1
- (B) 0
- (C) ∞
- (D) nonexistent
- (E) none of these

22. Let $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^2 - 1}{x - 1} & \text{if } x \neq 1 \\ 4 & \text{if } x = 1. \end{cases}$

Which of the following statements is (are) true?

- I. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x)$ exists ✓
- II. $f(1)$ exists ✓
- III. f is continuous at $x = 1$

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x) = 2$
 $f(1) = 4$

- (A) I only
- (B) II only
- (C)** I and II
- (D) none of them
- (E) all of them

23. If $\begin{cases} f(x) = \frac{x^2-x}{2x} = \frac{x(x-1)}{2x} = \frac{x-1}{2} & \text{for } x \neq 0, \\ f(0) = k, \end{cases}$ $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{-1}{2} = k$
and if f is continuous at $x = 0$, then $k =$
(A) -1 (B) $-\frac{1}{2}$ (C) 0 (D) $\frac{1}{2}$ (E) 1

24. Suppose $\begin{cases} f(x) = \frac{3x(x-1)}{x^2-3x+2} & \text{for } x \neq 1, 2, \\ f(1) = -3, \\ f(2) = 4. \end{cases}$ $\frac{3x(x-1)}{(x-2)(x-1)} = \frac{3x}{x-2}$ $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{3x}{x-2} = \text{DNE (V.A.)}$
 $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{3x}{x-2} = -3 = f(1)$
Then $f(x)$ is continuous
(A) except at $x = 1$ (B) except at $x = 2$ (C) except at $x = 1$ or 2
(D) except at $x = 0, 1$, or 2 (E) at each real number

25. The graph of $f(x) = \frac{4}{x^2-1}$ has V.A. $x = \pm 1$
(A) one vertical asymptote, at $x = 1$ H.A. $y = 0$
(B) the y -axis as vertical asymptote
(C) the x -axis as horizontal asymptote and $x = \pm 1$ as vertical asymptotes
(D) two vertical asymptotes, at $x = \pm 1$, but no horizontal asymptote
(E) no asymptote

26. The graph of $y = \frac{2x^2+2x+3}{4x^2-4x}$ has $\frac{2x^2+2x+3}{4x(x-1)}$
(A) a horizontal asymptote at $y = \frac{1}{2}$ but no vertical asymptote
(B) no horizontal asymptote but two vertical asymptotes, at $x = 0$ and $x = 1$
(C) a horizontal asymptote at $y = \frac{1}{2}$ and two vertical asymptotes, at $x = 0$ and $x = 1$
(D) a horizontal asymptote at $x = 2$ but no vertical asymptote
(E) a horizontal asymptote at $y = \frac{1}{2}$ and two vertical asymptotes, at $x = \pm 1$

27. Let $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^2+x}{x} = \frac{x(x+1)}{x} = x+1 & \text{if } x \neq 0 \\ 1 & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases}$
Which of the following statements is (are) true?

- ✓ I. $f(0)$ exists $f(0) = 1$
✓ II. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$ exists $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = 1$
✓ III. f is continuous at $x = 0$ $f(0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$
(A) I only (B) II only (C) I and II only
(D) all of them (E) none of them

Part B. Directions: Some of the following questions require the use of a graphing calculator.

28. If $[x]$ is the greatest integer not greater than x , then $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1/2} [x]$ is Direct Substitution
(A) $\frac{1}{2}$ (B) 1 (C) nonexistent (D) 0 (E) none of these

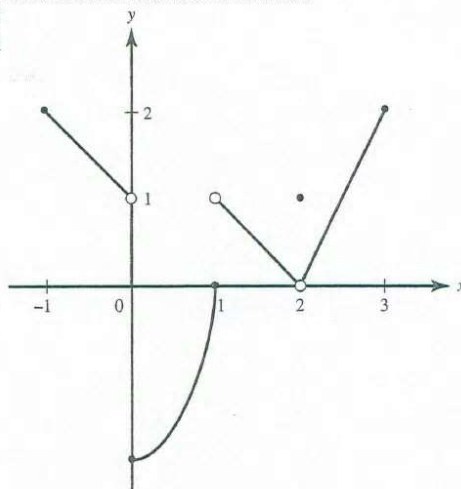
29. (With the same notation) $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2} [x]$ is $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2} [x] = -3$ $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2^+} [x] = -2$
(A) -3 (B) -2 (C) -1 (D) 0 (E) none of these

30. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \sin x$
(A) is -1 (B) is infinity (C) oscillates between -1 and 1
(D) is zero (E) does not exist

31. The function $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2/x & (x \neq 0) \\ 0 & (x = 0) \end{cases} = \begin{cases} x, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$
(A) is continuous everywhere
(B) is continuous except at $x = 0$
(C) has a removable discontinuity at $x = 0$
(D) has an infinite discontinuity at $x = 0$
(E) has $x = 0$ as a vertical asymptote

Questions 32–36 are based on the function f shown in the graph and defined below:

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1-x & (-1 \leq x < 0) \\ 2x^2 - 2 & (0 \leq x \leq 1) \\ -x+2 & (1 < x < 2) \\ 1 & (x = 2) \\ 2x-4 & (2 < x \leq 3) \end{cases}$$



32. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(x)$

- (A) equals 0 (B) equals 1 (C) equals 2
 (D) does not exist (E) none of these

33. The function f is defined on $[-1, 3]$

- (A) if $x \neq 0$ (B) if $x \neq 1$ (C) if $x \neq 2$
 (D) if $x \neq 3$ (E) at each x in $[-1, 3]$

34. The function f has a removable discontinuity at

- (A) $x = 0$ (B) $x = 1$ (C) $x = 2$ (D) $x = 3$ (E) none of these

35. On which of the following intervals is f continuous?

- (A) $-1 \leq x \leq 0$ (B) $0 < x < 1$ (C) $1 \leq x \leq 2$
 (D) $2 \leq x \leq 3$ (E) none of these

36. The function f has a jump discontinuity at

- (A) $x = -1$ (B) $x = 1$ (C) $x = 2$
 (D) $x = 3$ (E) none of these