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20.  $f(x) = x^3 + x^2$   
find the derivative

$$\begin{array}{cccc} & & & (a+b)^0 \\ & & & (a+b)^1 \\ & & 1 & 2 & 1 & (a+b)^2 \\ & 1 & 3 & 3 & 1 & (a+b)^3 \\ 1 & 4 & 6 & 4 & 1 \end{array}$$

$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x+h)^3 + (x+h)^2 - (x^3 + x^2)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cancel{x^3} + 3x^2h + 3xh^2 + h^3 + \cancel{x^2} + 2xh + h^2 - \cancel{x^3} - \cancel{x^2}}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h(3x^2 + 3xh + h^2 + 2x + h)}{h} = \boxed{3x^2 + 2x}$$

$f(x) = \frac{3}{x}$  Find  $f'(x)$ .

$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{3}{x+h} - \frac{3}{x}}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{3x - 3(x+h)}{x(x+h)} \cdot \frac{1}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{3x - 3x - 3h}{(x^2 + xh)h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-3h}{(x^2 + xh)h}$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{-3}{x^2}}$$

1. Find the limit, then use the  $\varepsilon - \delta$  definition to prove that the limit is  $L$ .

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 8} (3x - 20) = 3(8) - 20 = 24 - 20 = \boxed{4 = L}$$

$$|f(x) - L| = |3x - 20 - 4| = |3x - 24| = 3|x - 8| < \frac{\varepsilon}{3}$$

Proof:

Given  $\varepsilon > 0$ , we want to find a  $\delta > 0$  such that  $|f(x) - L| < \varepsilon$  whenever  $|x - c| < \delta$ .

Take  $\delta = \varepsilon/3$ .

Then whenever  $|x - c| < \delta$  i.e.  $|x - 8| < \varepsilon/3$ , we have

$$|f(x) - L| = |3x - 20 - 4| = 3|x - 8| < 3 \cdot \frac{\varepsilon}{3} = \varepsilon. \quad \square$$

2. Find the limit (if it exists).

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -3} \frac{x^2 + 7x + 12}{x^2 - 9} = \lim_{x \rightarrow -3} \frac{\cancel{(x+3)}(x+4)}{\cancel{(x+3)}(x-3)} = \frac{-3+4}{-3-3} = \boxed{\frac{-1}{6}}$$

3. Find the limit (if it exists).

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}, \text{ where } f(x) = 5x^2 + 3$$

Equivalent directions could have been  
"find the derivative" or "find  $f'(x)$ "

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{5(x+h)^2 + 3 - (5x^2 + 3)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{5(x^2 + 2xh + h^2) + 3 - 5x^2 - 3}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cancel{5x^2} + 10xh + \cancel{5h^2} + \cancel{3} - \cancel{5x^2} - \cancel{3}}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cancel{h}(10x + 5h)}{\cancel{h}} \\ &= \boxed{10x} \end{aligned}$$

4. Find the limit (if it exists).

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{5 \sin 2x}{3x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{\sin 2x}{2x} \cdot \frac{5 \cdot 2}{3} \right) = \boxed{\frac{10}{3}}$$

5. Find the limit (if it exists).

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -5} f(x), \quad f(x) = \begin{cases} -x^2 + 8, & x \leq -5 \\ 2x + 3, & x > -5 \end{cases}$$

$$-(-5)^2 + 8 = -17$$

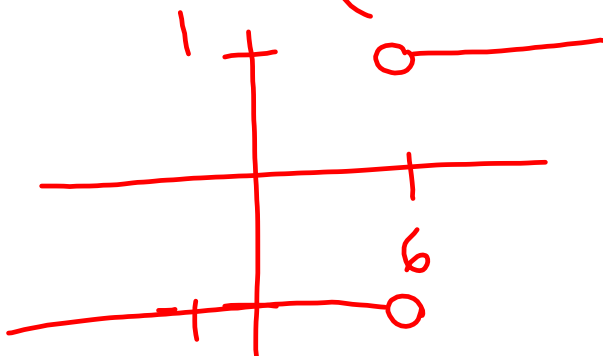
$$2(-5) + 3 = -7$$

⇒ The limit does not exist

6. Find the limit (if it exists). Show SOME sort of work, whether it's a graph or definition of absolute value of  $x-6$  -- show me how you arrived at your answer.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 6^-} \frac{|x-6|}{x-6} = \boxed{-1}$$

$$\frac{|x-6|}{x-6} = \begin{cases} \frac{x-6}{x-6} = 1, & x-6 > 0 \\ & x > 6 \\ \frac{-(x-6)}{x-6} = -1, & x-6 < 0 \\ & x < 6 \end{cases}$$



7. Use the Squeeze Theorem to find  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$ . You must show use of the squeeze theorem.

$$f(x) = 5x^2 \sin \frac{1}{x}$$

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

$$-5x^2 \leq 5x^2 \sin \frac{1}{x} \leq 5x^2$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (-5x^2) \leq \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (5x^2 \sin \frac{1}{x}) \leq \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (5x^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (5x^2 \sin \frac{1}{x}) = \boxed{0}$$

8. Determine if the Intermediate Value Theorem guarantees a  $c$  in the interval  $[-2, 3]$  such that  $f(c) = -4$ , and if so, find all such values of  $c$ .

$$f(x) = x^2 - 7x + 2$$

$$f(-2) = (-2)^2 - 7(-2) + 2 = 4 + 14 + 2 = 20 > -4$$

$$f(3) = 3^2 - 7(3) + 2 = 9 - 21 + 2 = -10 < -4$$

$\Rightarrow$  IVT guarantees a  $c$  in  $[-2, 3]$

$f(c) = -4$  when

$$c^2 - 7c + 2 = -4$$

$$\cancel{c=6} \ \& \ \boxed{c=1}$$

$$c^2 - 7c + 6 = 0$$

$$(c-6)(c-1) = 0$$

9. Discuss the continuity of the function (identify all discontinuities, if any, as removable or non-removable).

$$f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 7x + 10}{x^2 - 3x + 2} = \frac{(x-5)\cancel{(x-2)}}{(x-1)\cancel{(x-2)}}$$

⇒ removable discontinuity @ 2  
nonremovable discontinuity @ 1

f is cts. on  $(-\infty, 1) \cup (1, 2) \cup (2, \infty)$

10. Find the limit (if it exists).

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow -2^+} \frac{\sqrt{x+11} - 3}{x^2 + 5x + 6} & \cdot \frac{\sqrt{x+11} + 3}{\sqrt{x+11} + 3} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow -2^+} \frac{x+11 - 9}{(x+2)(x+3)(\sqrt{x+11} + 3)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow -2^+} \frac{\cancel{x+2} \cdot 1}{(\cancel{x+2})(x+3)(\sqrt{x+11} + 3)} \\ &= \frac{1}{(-2+3)(\sqrt{-2+11} + 3)} = \frac{1}{1(\sqrt{9} + 3)} = \boxed{\frac{1}{6}} \end{aligned}$$