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Continuity

- 1) Discuss the continuity of each of the following functions.

a) $f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 3x + 2}{x - 1}$

b) $f(x) = \begin{cases} 2x - 1, & x \leq 2 \\ x^2 + 3, & x > 2 \end{cases}$

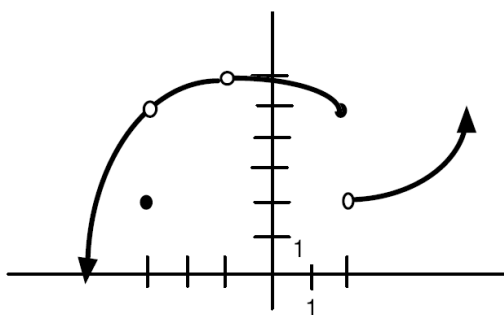
- 2) Determine the value of c such that the function is continuous on the entire real line.

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x + 3, & x \leq 4 \\ cx + 6, & x > 4 \end{cases}$$

- 3) Find the constant a such that the function f is continuous on the entire real line if

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{4 \sin x}{x} & , x < 0 \\ a - 2x & , x \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

- 4) A) For the function f graphed below, find the indicated limit or function value, or state the limit does not exist.



1) $\lim_{x \rightarrow -3} f(x)$

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

3) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(x)$

4) $f(-3)$

5) $f(-1)$

6) $f(1)$

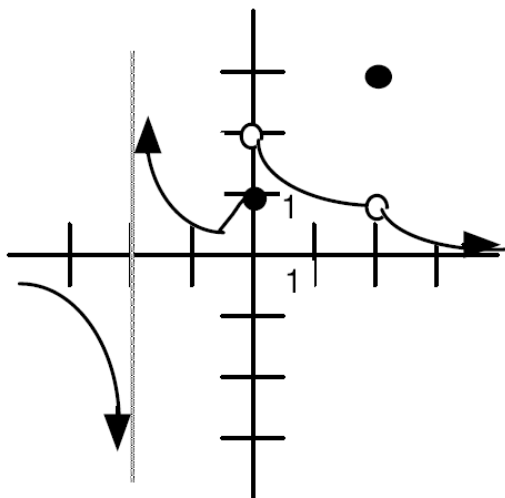
7) $f(2)$

B) Is the function continuous at $x=2$?

C) Is the function continuous at $x=-3$?

D) Is the function continuous at $x=-1$?

- 5) Study the graph below and determine where the function is discontinuous. Identify the removable discontinuities and define the value of the function in order to remove the discontinuity.



- 6) Prove that each of the following functions is continuous at the given value, using the three part definition of continuity at a point c .

1) $f(x) = x - 2$ at $c = 3$

2) $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$ at $c = 4$

3) $f(x) = x - \frac{1}{x}$ at $c = 1$

4) $f(x) = x^2$ at $c = -1$

- 7) Prove that each of the following is discontinuous at the given value

1) $f(x) = 1 - \frac{1}{x}$ at $c = 0$

2) $f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 4}{x - 2}$ at $c = 2$

3) $f(x) = \begin{cases} x - 2 & \text{if } x > 2 \\ x^2 & \text{if } x \leq 2 \end{cases}$ at $c = 0$