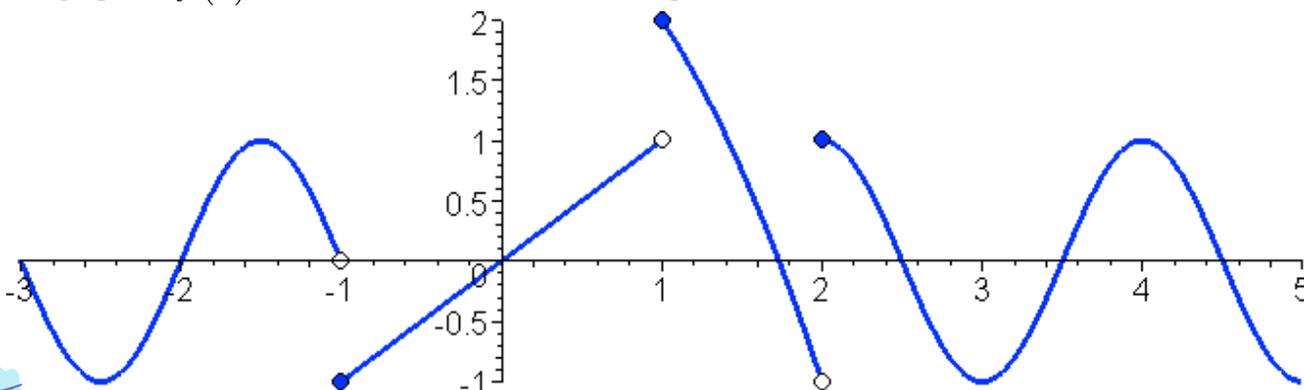


PreAP Precalculus

TEST Chapter 2.1-2.3, Form A. No Calculator

Part I: Multiple Choice, Put your **CAPITAL LETTER** answer choice in the blank to the left of the number.

Use the graph of $f(x)$ below for $-3 \leq x \leq 5$ to answer questions 1- 5.



- E 1. $\lim_{x \rightarrow -1} f(x) =$ **DNE** $\lim_{x \rightarrow -1^-} f(x) = 0, \lim_{x \rightarrow -1^+} f(x) = -1, 0 \neq -1$
 (A) -1 (B) 0 (C) 1 (D) 2 (E) DNE

- D 2. $f(x)$ is monotonic/strictly increasing on which of the following given intervals? $\leftarrow x$
 (A) $(-3, -2)$ (B) $(-1, 2)$ (C) $(1, 2)$ (D) $(3, 4)$ (E) $(-2, -1)$
dwn & up *up & down* *dwn* *up* *up & dwn*

- B 3. $f(x)$ has a relative/local minimum of **(y-value in a valley)**
 (A) 5 (B) -1 (C) 3 (D) 2 (E) $f(x)$ has no relative/local minimum

- A 4. $f(x)$ has a relative/local maximum at **(x-value of a hill)**
 (A) 1 (B) -1 (C) 3 (D) -2 (E) $f(x)$ has no relative/local maximum

- E 5. Which of the following is NOT true about the graph of $f(x)$?
 (A) $f(x)$ is continuous at $x = 0$ (B) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} f(x) = f(-1)$ (C) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x) = DNE$
 (D) $f(x)$ has a local max of 2. (E) $f(x)$ has a local min of -1 at 2.

E

6. If $h(x) = 2x^2 + 5$, find the average rate of change of $h(x)$ on the interval $x \in [-1, 3]$.

- (A) $\frac{21}{4}$
- (B) $\frac{17}{4}$
- (C) 8
- (D) 5
- (E) 4

$$\text{Avg} = \frac{h(3) - h(-1)}{3 - (-1)} = \frac{(18+5) - (2+5)}{4} = \frac{23-7}{4} = \frac{16}{4} = 4$$

E

7. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{333 + 4444x^{4444} + 555x^{555}}{111x^{555} + 222x^{444} + 333} =$ $4444 > 555$

- (A) 555
- (B) 5
- (C) 0
- (D) 3
- (E) ∞

E

8. Which of the following is true about $f(x) = \frac{2x^2 - 15x - 8}{x^3 - 7x^2 - 8x}$

- (A) $f(x)$ has a vertical asymptote at $x = 8$
- (B) $f(x)$ is an odd function $\frac{N}{D} = \frac{N}{D}$
- (C) $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = \infty$

- (D) $f(x)$ has a hole at $(8, \frac{11}{72})$
- (E) $f(x)$ has horizontal asymptote at $y = 0$

$x=8$ is not even a root of the denominator
 $8^3 - 7(8^2) - 8 = 512 - 448 - 8 = 56 \neq 0$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = \frac{2x^2 + \dots}{x^3 + \dots}$$

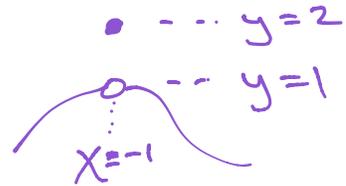
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9. The function $f(x) = \begin{cases} 3x+4, & x < -1 \\ 2, & x = -1 \\ 2x^2-1, & x > -1 \end{cases}$

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

$$f(-1) = 2$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -1^+} f(x) = 1$$



- (A) has a jump at $x = -1$
- (B) has a hole at $x = -1$
- (C) has a VA at $x = -1$

- (D) is continuous at $x = -1$
- (E) is an even function

Part II: Free Response

Show all work in the space provided. Use proper notation and show all steps. Remember that on this section, your PROCESS is as important as your PRODUCT.

Given

$$f(x) = 2x^2 - 2x - 24 \quad g(x) = x^2 + 3x - 28 \quad k(x) = 3x^9 - 7x^5 + x^3 - 2x \quad p(x) = -2x^6 + 8x^4 + 1$$

10. Let $h(x) = \frac{g(x)}{f(x)} = \frac{x^2 + 3x - 28}{2x^2 - 2x - 24}$

(a) Find the domain of $h(x)$.

$$h(x) = \frac{(x+7)(x-4)}{2(x^2 - x - 12)}$$

$$D_h: \{x \mid x \neq \underbrace{-3}_{\sqrt{1}}, \underbrace{4}_{\sqrt{2}}\}$$

$$h(x) = \frac{(x+7)(x-4)}{2(x+3)(x-4)}$$

$$D_h: (-\infty, -3) \cup (-3, 4) \cup (4, \infty)$$

* Lose 1 check if poor notation

(b) Find the **equation** of any vertical asymptote of $h(x)$.

$$h(x) = \frac{(x+7)(x-4)}{2(x+3)(x-4)}$$

VA @ $x = -3$
 $\sqrt{3}$

(c) Find the **coordinate**, (x, y) , of any removable point discontinuity of $h(x)$.

Hole @ $(4, \frac{11}{14})$
 $\sqrt{4}$ $\sqrt{5}$

$$h(x) = \frac{(x+7)}{2(x+3)}, x \neq 4$$

when $x=4$: $h(4) = \frac{4+7}{2(4+3)} = \frac{11}{14}$

so, $\lim_{x \rightarrow 4} h(x) = \frac{11}{14}$

(d) Find the **equation** of any horizontal asymptote of $h(x)$.

$$h(x) = \frac{x^2 + 3x - 28}{2x^2 - 2x - 24}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} h(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1x^2 + \dots}{2x^2 + \dots} = \frac{1}{2}$$

so, $h(x)$ has a HA @ $y = \frac{1}{2}$
 $\sqrt{6}$

(e) Find the **coordinate**, (x, y) , of any x-intercepts of $h(x)$.

* Holes cannot be x-ints, so use the $h(x)$ version w/o the HOLE factor.

$$h(x) = \frac{(x+7)}{2(x+3)}, x \neq 4$$

$$h(x) = 0$$

$$\frac{x+7}{2(x+3)} = 0$$

when $x+7=0$
when $x=-7$

so, $h(x)$ has an x-intercept @ $(-7, 0)$
 $\sqrt{7}$

$$11. \text{ Let } m(x) = \frac{k(x)}{p(x)} = \frac{3x^9 - 7x^5 + x^3 - 2x}{-2x^6 + 8x^4 + 1}$$

(a) Is $m(x)$ even, odd, or neither. Justify.

$$m(x) = \frac{\text{ODD}}{\text{EVEN}} = \text{ODD} \quad (\checkmark 8)$$

So, $m(x)$ is an odd function

(b) Find $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} m(x)$

$$m(x) = \frac{3x^9 - 7x^5 + x^3 - 2x}{-2x^6 + 8x^4 + 1}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3x^9 + \dots}{-2x^6 + \dots} = -\infty \quad (\checkmark 9)$$

Since $9 > 6 \rightarrow \pm \infty$

$$\text{and } \frac{3(+)^9}{-2(+)^6} = \frac{+}{-} = -$$

(c) Find the y-intercept of $m(x)$. List it as an ordered pair.

$$m(x) = \frac{3x^9 - 7x^5 + x^3 - 2x}{-2x^6 + 8x^4 + 1}$$

$$m(0) = \frac{0}{1} = 0$$

So, $m(x)$ has a y-intercept @

$$(0, 0) \quad (\checkmark 10)$$

