

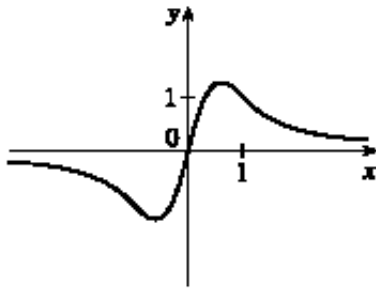
1. (a) As  $x$  approaches 2 (from the right or the left), the values of  $f(x)$  become large.  
 (b) As  $x$  approaches 1 from the right, the values of  $f(x)$  become large negative.  
 (c) As  $x$  becomes large, the values of  $f(x)$  approach 5.  
 (d) As  $x$  becomes large negative, the values of  $f(x)$  approach 3.

4. (a)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} g(x) = 2$       (b)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} g(x) = -2$       (c)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} g(x) = \infty$   
 (d)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} g(x) = -\infty$       (e)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2^+} g(x) = -\infty$       (f) Vertical:  $x = -2, x = 0, x = 3$ ; Horizontal:  $y = -2, y = 2$

5.  $f(0) = 0, f(1) = 1,$

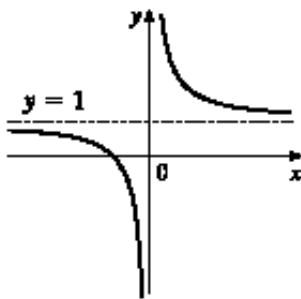
$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = 0,$$

$f$  is odd



6.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \infty, \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = -\infty,$

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



23. First, multiply the factors in the denominator. Then divide both the numerator and denominator by  $u^4$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{u \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4u^4 + 5}{(u^2 - 2)(2u^2 - 1)} &= \lim_{u \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4u^4 + 5}{2u^4 - 5u^2 + 2} = \lim_{u \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{4u^4 + 5}{u^4}}{\frac{2u^4 - 5u^2 + 2}{u^4}} = \lim_{u \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4 + \frac{5}{u^4}}{2 - \frac{5}{u^2} + \frac{2}{u^4}} \\ &= \frac{\lim_{u \rightarrow \infty} \left(4 + \frac{5}{u^4}\right)}{\lim_{u \rightarrow \infty} \left(2 - \frac{5}{u^2} + \frac{2}{u^4}\right)} = \frac{\lim_{u \rightarrow \infty} 4 + 5 \lim_{u \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{u^4}}{\lim_{u \rightarrow \infty} 2 - 5 \lim_{u \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{u^2} + 2 \lim_{u \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{u^4}} = \frac{4 + 5(0)}{2 - 5(0) + 2(0)} = \frac{4}{2} = 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 25. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (\sqrt{9x^2 + x} - 3x) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(\sqrt{9x^2 + x} - 3x)(\sqrt{9x^2 + x} + 3x)}{\sqrt{9x^2 + x} + 3x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(\sqrt{9x^2 + x})^2 - (3x)^2}{\sqrt{9x^2 + x} + 3x} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(9x^2 + x) - 9x^2}{\sqrt{9x^2 + x} + 3x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x}{\sqrt{9x^2 + x} + 3x} \cdot \frac{1/x}{1/x} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x/x}{\sqrt{9x^2/x^2 + x/x^2} + 3x/x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{9 + 1/x} + 3} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{9} + 3} = \frac{1}{3 + 3} = \frac{1}{6} \end{aligned}$$

27.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \cos x$  does not exist because as  $x$  increases  $\cos x$  does not approach any one value, but oscillates between 1 and  $-1$ .

30.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \tan^{-1}(x^2 - x^4) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \tan^{-1}(x^2(1 - x^2))$ . If we let  $t = x^2(1 - x^2)$ , we know that  $t \rightarrow -\infty$  as  $x \rightarrow \infty$ , since  $x^2 \rightarrow \infty$  and  $1 - x^2 \rightarrow -\infty$ . So  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \tan^{-1}(x^2(1 - x^2)) = \lim_{t \rightarrow -\infty} \tan^{-1} t = -\frac{\pi}{2}$ .

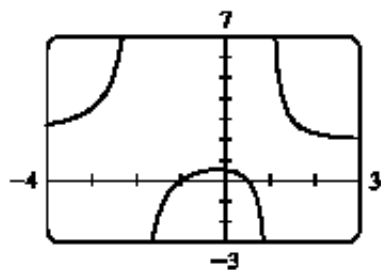
$$\begin{aligned} 35. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2x^2 + x - 1}{x^2 + x - 2} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{2x^2 + x - 1}{x^2}}{\frac{x^2 + x - 2}{x^2}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2 + \frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{x^2}}{1 + \frac{1}{x} - \frac{2}{x^2}} = \frac{\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(2 + \frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{x^2}\right)}{\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{1}{x} - \frac{2}{x^2}\right)} \\ &= \frac{\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} 2 + \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{x} - \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{x^2}}{\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} 1 + \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{x} - 2 \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{x^2}} = \frac{2 + 0 - 0}{1 + 0 - 2(0)} = 2, \text{ so } y = 2 \text{ is a horizontal asymptote.} \end{aligned}$$

$$y = f(x) = \frac{2x^2 + x - 1}{x^2 + x - 2} = \frac{(2x - 1)(x + 1)}{(x + 2)(x - 1)}, \text{ so}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -2^-} f(x) = \infty, \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow -2^+} f(x) = -\infty, \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = -\infty, \text{ and}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = \infty. \text{ Thus, } x = -2 \text{ and } x = 1 \text{ are vertical asymptotes.}$$

The graph confirms our work.



40. Since the function has vertical asymptotes  $x = 1$  and  $x = 3$ , the denominator of the rational function we are looking for must have factors  $(x - 1)$  and  $(x - 3)$ . Because the horizontal asymptote is  $y = 1$ , the degree of the numerator must equal the degree of the denominator, and the ratio of the leading coefficients must be 1. One possibility is  $f(x) = \frac{x^2}{(x - 1)(x - 3)}$ .

45.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{5\sqrt{x}}{\sqrt{x-1}} \cdot \frac{1/\sqrt{x}}{1/\sqrt{x}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{5}{\sqrt{1 - (1/x)}} = \frac{5}{\sqrt{1 - 0}} = 5$  and

$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{10e^x - 21}{2e^x} \cdot \frac{1/e^x}{1/e^x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{10 - (21/e^x)}{2} = \frac{10 - 0}{2} = 5$ . Since  $\frac{5\sqrt{x}}{\sqrt{x-1}} < f(x) < \frac{10e^x - 21}{2e^x}$ , we have

$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = 5$  by the Squeeze Theorem.

47. (a) After  $t$  minutes,  $25t$  liters of brine with 30 g of salt per liter has been pumped into the tank, so it contains  $(5000 + 25t)$  liters of water and  $25t \cdot 30 = 750t$  grams of salt. Therefore, the salt concentration at time  $t$  will be

$$C(t) = \frac{750t}{5000 + 25t} = \frac{30t}{200 + t} \frac{\text{g}}{\text{L}}.$$

- (b)  $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} C(t) = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{30t}{200 + t} = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{30t/t}{200/t + t/t} = \frac{30}{0 + 1} = 30$ . So the salt concentration approaches that of the brine being pumped into the tank.