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Math 231 Quiz 2

1. (8 pts) Evaluate the limit, if it exists.

(a)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow -3} \frac{x + 2}{x + 3}$

(b)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{1 - x}{(x - 2)^2}$

(c)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{(2x + 1)^2}{2x(x - 1)}$

(d)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt{x + 1} - \sqrt{x}$

2. (1) (4pts) Write out the definition of  $f'(x)$  in terms of limit.
- (2) (6pts) Let  $f(x) = x^2 + x + 1$ . Use the definition of derivative to evaluate  $f'(1)$ .
- (3) (2pts) Find an equation of the tangent line to graph of  $f$  at  $(1, 3)$ .
- (4) (bonus: 2pts) Let  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x}$ . Use the definition of derivative to find  $f'(x)$ .