

Limits

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Limit of the form $\frac{0}{0}$ or $\frac{\infty}{\infty}$

For these types of limits, we will use **L'Hospital Rule**.

Theorem (L'Hospital Rule)

For a limit $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)}$ of the indeterminate form $\frac{0}{0}$ or $\frac{\infty}{\infty}$,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f'(x)}{g'(x)}$$

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$$6. \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \left(t + \frac{1}{t} \right) \left((4 - t)^{3/2} - 8 \right)$$

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