

Homework

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Calculus 1 - Finding Limits Numerically

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Exercise 1. $f(x)$ is given by formula:

Exercise 1. We are finding limits by using the "plug-in method" for numbers approaching 3 from the right :

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 3^+} (x^2 + 2) = ?$$

Consider for "x" : 3.1, 3.01, 3.001, 3.0001

$$\lim(3.1^2 + 2) = 11.61$$

$$\lim(3.01^2 + 2) = 11.0601$$

$$\lim(3.001^2 + 2) = 11.006001$$

$$\lim(3.0001^2 + 2) = 11.0006$$

Proposition . $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3^+} (x^2 + 2)$ Let $x = 11$.

Proof. Since all of the outcomes just keep getting closer to 11 one can assume that the limit as "x" approaches 3 from the right the limit will be equal to 11. \square