

**NOTES SECTION 2.3: CALCULATING LIMITS USING THE LIMIT LAWS**

**LIMIT LAWS**

Suppose that  $c$  is a constant and the limits  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x)$  and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} g(x)$  exist. Then

1)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} [f(x) + g(x)] =$

2)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} [f(x) - g(x)] =$

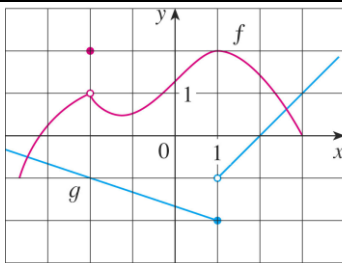
3)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} [cf(x)] =$

4)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} [f(x)g(x)] =$

5)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \left[ \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} \right] =$

**EXAMPLE I**

Use the Limit Laws and the graphs of  $f$  and  $g$  to evaluate the following limits, if they exist.



a)

b)

c)

**LIMIT LAWS**

6)

7)

8)

9)

10)	11)
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**EXAMPLE 2**

Evaluate the following limits and justify each step.

a)	b)
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**EXAMPLE 3**

**EXAMPLE 4**

**EXAMPLE 5**

**EXAMPLE 6**