

Problems of Asymptotes of functions

1) Find out the vertical asymptotes for the graph of the following function and the position of the curve relative to the asymptotes:

$$f(x) = \frac{(x + 6)^2}{x + 3}$$

2) Find out the vertical asymptotes for the graph of the following function and the position of the curve relative to the asymptotes:

$$f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 4}{x + 3}$$

3) Find out the horizontal asymptotes for the graph of the following function and the position of the curve relative to the asymptotes:

$$f(x) = \frac{5x}{x^2 + 4}$$

4) Find out the horizontal asymptotes for the graph of the following function and the position of the curve relative to the asymptotes:

$$f(x) = (x - 5)e^{x-3}$$

5) Find out the oblique asymptotes for the graph of the following function and the position of the curve relative to the asymptotes:

$$f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 1}{x + 4}$$

6) Find out the oblique asymptotes for the graph of the following function and the position of the curve relative to the asymptotes:

$$f(x) = \frac{x^2}{x - 1}$$

7) Find out all asymptotes (vertical, horizontal and oblique) for the graph of the following function and the position of the curve relative to the asymptotes:

$$f(x) = \frac{9x - 2}{x + 4}$$

8) Find out all asymptotes (vertical, horizontal and oblique) for the graph of the following function and the position of the curve relative to the asymptotes:

$$f(x) = \frac{-8x}{x^2 + 2}$$

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9) Find out all asymptotes (vertical, horizontal and oblique) for the graph of the following function and the position of the curve relative to the asymptotes:

$$f(x) = (1/2)^{-x}$$

10) Find out all asymptotes (vertical, horizontal and oblique) for the graph of the following function and the position of the curve relative to the asymptotes:

$$f(x) = \frac{x^2}{x-1}$$

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Answers:

- 1) Vertical asymptote: $x = -3$; $\lim_{x \rightarrow -3^-} f(x) = -\infty$, $\lim_{x \rightarrow -3^+} f(x) = +\infty$.
- 2) Vertical asymptote: $x = -3$; $\lim_{x \rightarrow -3^-} f(x) = -\infty$, $\lim_{x \rightarrow -3^+} f(x) = +\infty$.
- 3) Horizontal asymptote: $y = 0$. Position of the curve relative to the asymptote:
 $f(x)$ is situated below the asymptote if $x \rightarrow -\infty$.
 $f(x)$ is situated above the asymptote if $x \rightarrow +\infty$.
- 4) Horizontal asymptote: $y = 0$. Position of the curve relative to the asymptote:
 $f(x)$ is situated below the asymptote if $x \rightarrow -\infty$.
- 5) Oblique asymptote: $y = x - 4$. Position of the curve relative to the asymptote:
 $f(x)$ is situated below the asymptote if $x \rightarrow -\infty$.
 $f(x)$ is situated above the asymptote if $x \rightarrow +\infty$.
- 6) Oblique asymptote: $y = x + 1$. Position of the curve relative to the asymptote:
 $f(x)$ is situated below the asymptote if $x \rightarrow -\infty$.
 $f(x)$ is situated above the asymptote if $x \rightarrow +\infty$.
- 7) Vertical asymptote: $x = -4$. $\lim_{x \rightarrow -4^-} f(x) = +\infty$, $\lim_{x \rightarrow -4^+} f(x) = -\infty$.
 Horizontal asymptote: $y = 9$. Position of the curve relative to the asymptote:
 $f(x)$ is situated above the asymptote if $x \rightarrow -\infty$.
 $f(x)$ is situated below the asymptote if $x \rightarrow +\infty$.
 f has no oblique asymptote.
- 8) f has no vertical asymptote.
 Horizontal asymptote: $y = 0$. Position of the curve relative to the asymptote:
 $f(x)$ is situated above the asymptote if $x \rightarrow -\infty$.
 $f(x)$ is situated below the asymptote if $x \rightarrow +\infty$.
 f has no oblique asymptote.
- 9) f has no vertical asymptote.
 Horizontal asymptote: $y = 0$. Position of the curve relative to the asymptote:
 $f(x)$ is situated above the asymptote if $x \rightarrow -\infty$.
 f has no oblique asymptote.
- 10) Vertical asymptote: $x = 1$; $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = -\infty$, $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = +\infty$.
 f has no horizontal asymptote.
 Oblique asymptote: $y = x + 1$. Position of the curve relative to the asymptote:
 $f(x)$ is situated below the asymptote if $x \rightarrow -\infty$.
 $f(x)$ is situated above the asymptote if $x \rightarrow +\infty$.