- 1. Since the degree of the numerator is smaller than the degree of the denominator,  $\lim_{x\to\infty} \frac{1}{x\sqrt{x}} = 0$ .
- 2. Since the degree of the numerator is smaller than the degree of the denominator,  $\lim_{x\to\infty} \frac{x+4}{x^2-2x+5} = 0$ .
- 3. First, multiply the binomials out.

Since the degree of the numerator and denominator are equal we divide the coefficients of the highest degreed terms and get  $\lim_{x \to \infty} \frac{-x^2 - x + 2}{-6x^2 + x + 2} = \frac{1}{6}.$ 

- 4. Since the degree of the numerator is smaller than the degree of the denominator,  $\lim_{x\to\infty} \frac{1}{3+\sqrt{x}} = 0$ .
- 5. Since the degree of the numerator is smaller than the degree of the denominator,  $\lim_{r \to \infty} \frac{r^4 r^2 + 1}{r^5 + r^3 r} = 0.$
- 6. Since the degree of the numerator and denominator are equal we carefully divide the coefficients of the highest degreed terms and get  $\lim_{x \to \infty} \frac{\sqrt{1+4x^2}}{4+x} = 2.$
- 7. Since the degree of the numerator and denominator are equal we carefully divide the coefficients of the highest degreed terms and get  $\lim_{x\to\infty} \frac{1-\sqrt{x}}{1+\sqrt{x}} = -1$ .

8. 
$$\lim_{x \to \infty} \left( \sqrt{x^2 + 1} - \sqrt{x^2 - 1} \right) = 0$$

9. 
$$\lim_{x \to \infty} \left( \sqrt{1+x} - \sqrt{x} \right) = 0$$

10. 
$$\lim_{x \to \infty} \sqrt{x} = \infty \quad (\nexists)$$

11. 
$$\lim_{x \to \infty} \left( x - \sqrt{x} \right) = \infty \quad (\nexists)$$

- 12.  $\lim_{x \to -\infty} (x^3 5x^2) = -\infty \quad (\nexists)$
- 13. Since the degree of the numerator is greater than the degree of the denominator, the limit will not exist. (The value of the expression will go to  $\pm \infty$ ).

$$\lim_{x \to \infty} \frac{x^7 - 1}{x^6 + 1} = \infty \quad (\nexists)$$

- 14. Since the degree of the numerator is smaller than the degree of the denominator,  $\lim_{x\to\infty} \frac{\sqrt{x+3}}{x+3} = 0$ .
- 15.  $\lim_{x \to -\infty} \frac{\sqrt{x+3}}{x+3} \not\equiv$  because we cannot take the square root of a negative number.
- 16. Vertical Asymptotes

Since 
$$\frac{x}{x+4} \not\equiv \text{at } x = -4$$
 and  $\lim_{x \to -4} \frac{x}{x+4} = \pm \infty$  there is a vertical asymptote at  $x = -4$ .

# Horizontal Asymptotes

Since  $\lim_{x \to \infty} \frac{x}{x+4} = 1$  there is a horizontal asymptote at y = 1. Since  $\lim_{x \to -\infty} \frac{x}{x+4} = 1$  there is a horizontal asymptote at y = 1.

# 17. Vertical Asymptotes

Since 
$$\frac{x^3}{x^2 + 3x - 10} \not\equiv \text{at } x = -5 \text{ and } \lim_{x \to -5} \frac{x^3}{x^2 + 3x - 10} = \pm \infty$$
 there is a vertical asymptote at  $x = -5$   
Since  $\frac{x^3}{x^2 + 3x - 10} \not\equiv \text{at } x = 2$  and  $\lim_{x \to 2} \frac{x^3}{x^2 + 3x - 10} = \pm \infty$  there is a vertical asymptote at  $x = 2$ .

### Horizontal Asymptotes

Since  $\lim_{x\to\infty} \frac{x^3}{x^2 + 3x - 10} = \infty$  there is *no* horizontal asymptote. Since  $\lim_{x\to-\infty} \frac{x^3}{x^2 + 3x - 10} = -\infty$  there is *no* horizontal asymptote.

### 18. Vertical Asymptotes

Since  $\frac{x}{\sqrt[4]{x^4+1}} \exists \forall x \therefore$  there are no vertical asymptotes.

### Horizontal Asymptotes

Since  $\lim_{x \to \infty} \frac{x}{\sqrt[4]{x^4 + 1}} = 1$  there is a horizontal asymptote at y = 1. Since  $\lim_{x \to -\infty} \frac{x}{\sqrt[4]{x^4 + 1}} = -1$  there is a horizontal asymptote at y = -1.

# 19. Vertical Asymptotes

Since 
$$\frac{x^2 - 25}{x - 5} \not\equiv$$
 at  $x = 5$  but  $\lim_{x \to 5} \frac{x^2 - 25}{x - 5} = 10$  there is *no* vertical asymptote at  $x = 5$ .

# Horizontal Asymptotes

Since  $\lim_{x\to\infty} \frac{x^2 - 25}{x-5} = \infty$  there is *no* horizontal asymptote. Since  $\lim_{x\to-\infty} \frac{x^2 - 25}{x-5} = -\infty$  there is *no* horizontal asymptote.

### 20. Vertical Asymptotes

Since 
$$\frac{x-3}{x+2} \not\equiv \text{at } x = -2$$
 and  $\lim_{x \to 2} \frac{x-3}{x+2} = \pm \infty$  there is a vertical asymptote at  $x = -2$ .

#### Horizontal Asymptotes

Since  $\lim_{x \to \infty} \frac{x-3}{x+2} = 1$  there is a horizontal asymptote at y = 1. Since  $\lim_{x \to -\infty} \frac{x-3}{x+2} = 1$  there is a horizontal asymptote at y = 1.