

Asymptotes

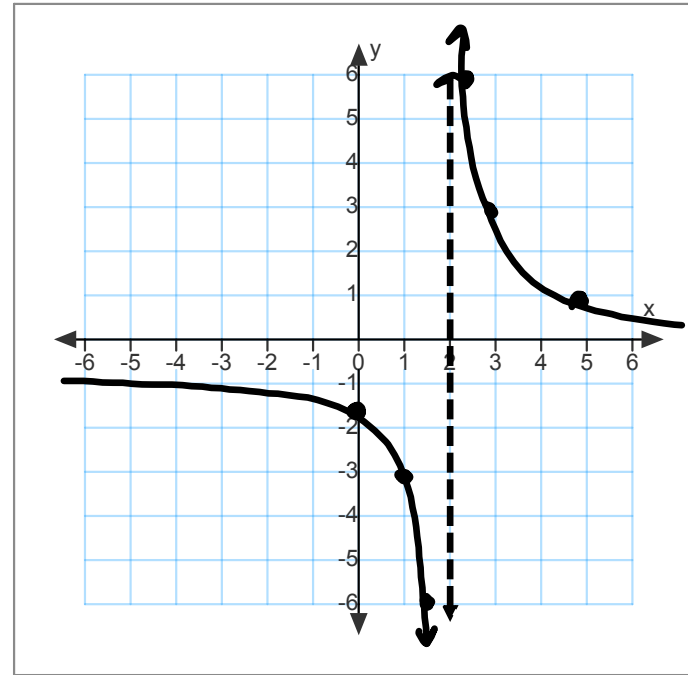
$$f(x) = \frac{3}{x-2}$$

x	0	1	1.5	1.99
y	-1.5	-3	-6	-300

as $x \rightarrow 2^-$, $f(x) \rightarrow -\infty$

x	5	3	2.5	2.01
y	1	3	6	300

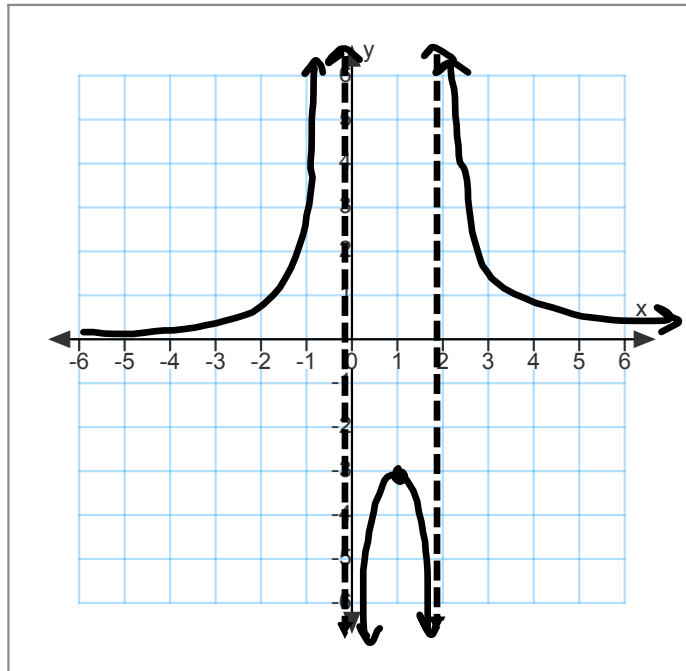
as $x \rightarrow 2^+$, $f(x) \rightarrow \infty$



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

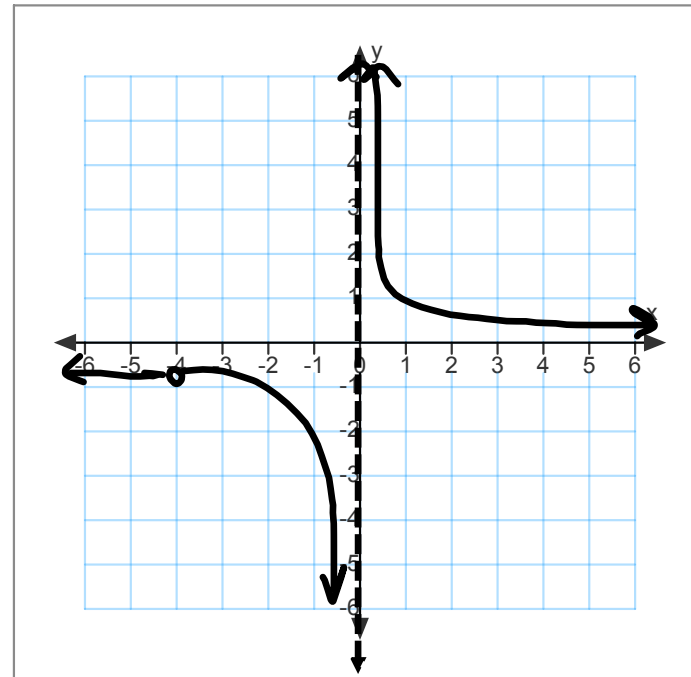
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 $x(x-2)$

VA @ : 0, 2



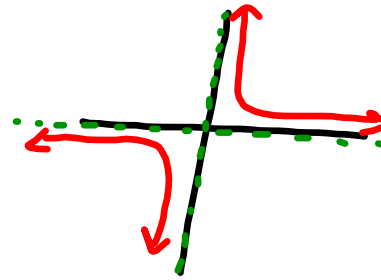
$$f(x) = \frac{x+4}{x^2+4x} = \frac{\cancel{1x+4}}{x(\cancel{x+4})}$$

VA : 0
Hole : -4

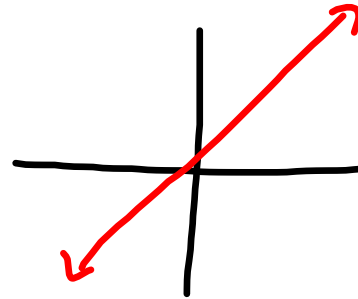


Horizontal Asymptotes

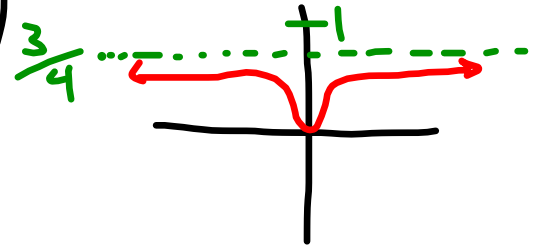
- 1) If the degree of the denominator is greater than the numerator then a HA exists at $y=0$
- 2) If the degree of the numerator is greater than the denominator, then there is no HA.
- 3) If the degree of the numerator and denominator are equal, then a HA exists at $y = \frac{\text{Leading coefficient}(N)}{\text{Leading coefficient}(D)}$



$$f(x) = 1/x$$



$$f(x) = x$$



$$f(x) = 5x^6/(7x^6 - 4x^2)$$

$$f(x) = \frac{3x^2}{4x^2 + 1}$$

A small business spends \$5000 in start up costs on a new products. In addition, every new product costs \$0.50 to make. Find the average cost of producing 10 units, 100 units, 1000 units, and infinity units. What happens to the average price as I produce more units?

$$\text{Cost} = 0.50x + 5000$$

$$\text{Average Cost} = \frac{0.5x + 5000}{x} = 0.5 + \frac{5000}{x}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{0.5x + 5000}{x} = 0.5 + \frac{5000}{x}$$

X	Y
10	\$500.50
100	\$50.50
1000	\$5.50
10,000	\$1.00
100,000	\$0.55
1,000,000	\$0.505
∞	\$0.50

