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$$1) \quad f(x) = \begin{cases} x^3 + 2; & x \leq -1 \\ x^2 + x + 1; & -1 < x < 1 \\ x^4 + 2; & x \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

Find the following limits

(4 Points)

$$a) \lim_{x \rightarrow -1^-} f(x)$$

$$b) \lim_{x \rightarrow -1} f(x)$$

$$c) \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x)$$

$$d) \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x)$$

- 2) Algebraically find the following limits. (please show all your work, you may verify your answer with your calculator, but for credit you must do this problem algebraically):

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{t+2} - 3}{t-7}$$

(3 Pts)

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -4} \frac{\frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{x}}{4+x}$$

(3 Pts)

3) Given $f(x) = \begin{cases} 2x^3 + 16; x \leq -2 \\ x^2 + bx + c; -2 < x < 2 \\ 3x^4 - 48; x \geq 2 \end{cases}$ (3 Pts)

Determine the values for b and c so that $f(x)$ is continuous everywhere.

4) Use the intermediate Value Theorem to show that there is a root for the equation $x^3 + 2x^2 - 42 = 0$ on the interval (0,3). (3 Points)

5) Algebraically find the following limit, if it exists. (4 Points)

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{-x - 2 + 9x^2}{3x^2 + 4x + 1}$$