

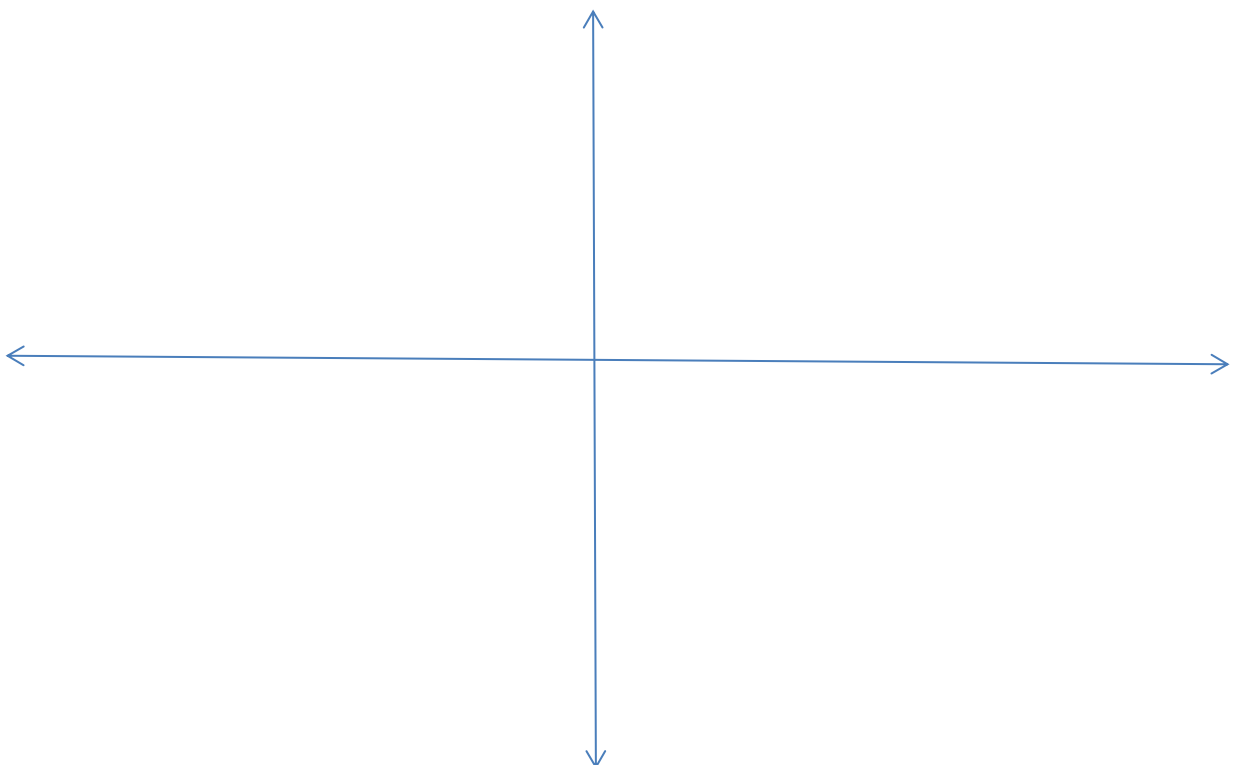
1- Evaluate the limit if it exists

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \left( \frac{x^2 - |x - 1| - 1}{|x - 1|} \right)$$

2- Sketch the graph of a function  $f$  that satisfies all of the following conditions:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -6^-} f(x) = -\infty; \lim_{x \rightarrow -6^+} f(x) = \infty; \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) = -2; \lim_{x \rightarrow -2} f(x) = 1;$$

$$f(x) \text{ is undefined at } -2; \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = -1; \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = 2; f(1) = 4$$



3- Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{6a}{x+1} & \text{if } x > 1 \\ 1 & \text{if } x = 1 \\ a^2 & \text{if } x < 1 \end{cases}$ .

*Find the value(s) of  $a$  so that  $f(x)$  has a jump discontinuity.*

4- *Use the Intermediate Value Theorem to show that the equation  $\cos x = \sqrt{x}$  has at least one real root in the interval  $\left[0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right]$ .*