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$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2}{1 - \cos x} \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} 0 \\ \hline 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2x}{\sin x} \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} 0 \\ \hline 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2}{\cos x}$$
$$= 2$$

$$3. \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{\frac{\pi}{2} + \arctan x}{\frac{1}{x}} \left(\begin{array}{l} 0 \\ 0 \end{array} \right)$$

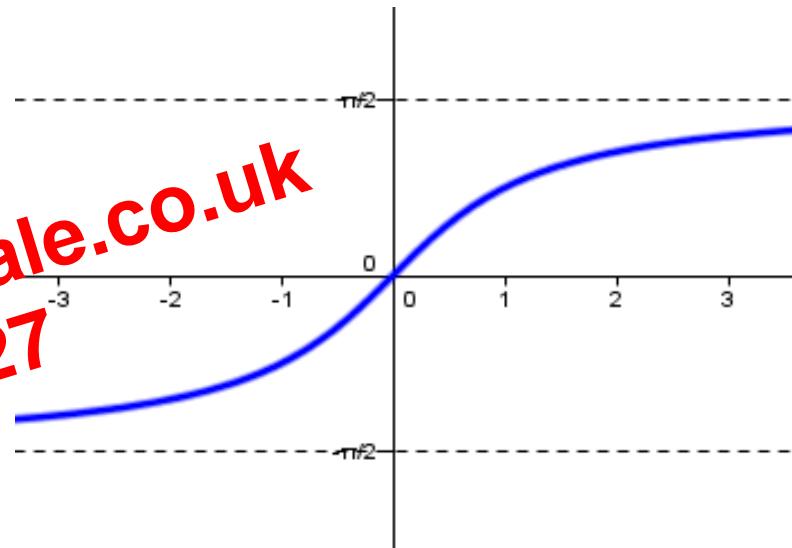
$$\stackrel{L}{=} \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{\frac{1}{1+x^2}}{-\frac{1}{x^2}}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{-x^2}{1+x^2} \left(\begin{array}{l} \infty \\ \infty \end{array} \right)$$

$$\stackrel{L}{=} \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{-2x}{2x}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} (-1)$$

$$= -1$$



Example 1.7.5

Evaluate $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} x^{x^2}$.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} x^{x^2} = \infty$$

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Let $y = x^{x^2}$

$$\ln y = \ln x^{x^2}$$

$$\ln y = x^2 \ln x$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \ln y = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} x^2 \ln x \quad (0 \cdot \infty)$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\ln x}{\frac{1}{x^2}} \quad \left(\frac{\infty}{\infty} \right)$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \ln y = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} x^2 \ln x$$

$$\stackrel{\text{H}\ddot{\text{o}}\text{pital's Rule}}{=} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\ln x}{\frac{1}{x^2}}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\cancel{x}}{\cancel{x^3}}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \left(-\frac{x^2}{2} \right)$$

$$= 0$$