

**Proposition 6.43.** In the case  $x_0 \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $l \in \mathbb{R}$ , we divide the definition into two conditions: <sup>46</sup>

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$\limsup_{x \rightarrow x_0} f(x) \leq l$	$\forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists \delta > 0, \forall x,  x - x_0  < \delta, x \neq x_0, x \in I \Rightarrow f(x) < l + \varepsilon$
$\limsup_{x \rightarrow x_0} f(x) \geq l$	$\forall \varepsilon > 0, \forall \delta > 0, \exists x,  x - x_0  < \delta, x \neq x_0, x \in I, f(x) > l - \varepsilon$
$\limsup_{x \rightarrow x_0^+} f(x) \leq l$	$\forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists \delta > 0, \forall x,  x - x_0  < \delta, x > x_0, x \in I \Rightarrow f(x) < l + \varepsilon$
$\limsup_{x \rightarrow x_0^+} f(x) \geq l$	$\forall \varepsilon > 0, \forall \delta > 0, \exists x,  x - x_0  < \delta, x > x_0, x \in I, f(x) > l - \varepsilon$
$\limsup_{x \rightarrow x_0^-} f(x) \leq l$	$\forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists \delta > 0, \forall x,  x - x_0  < \delta, x < x_0, x \in I \Rightarrow f(x) < l + \varepsilon$
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In the case  $x_0 \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $l = \pm\infty$ :

$\limsup_{x \rightarrow x_0} f(x) = \infty$	$\forall z, \forall \delta > 0, \exists x,  x - x_0  < \delta, x \neq x_0, x \in I, f(x) > z$
$\limsup_{x \rightarrow x_0^+} f(x) = \infty$	$\forall z, \forall \delta > 0, \exists x,  x - x_0  < \delta, x > x_0, x \in I, f(x) > z$
$\limsup_{x \rightarrow x_0^-} f(x) = \infty$	$\forall z, \forall \delta > 0, \exists x,  x - x_0  < \delta, x < x_0, x \in I, f(x) > z$
$\limsup_{x \rightarrow x_0} f(x) = -\infty$	$\forall z, \exists \delta > 0, \forall x,  x - x_0  < \delta, x \neq x_0, x \in I \Rightarrow f(x) < z$
$\limsup_{x \rightarrow x_0^+} f(x) = -\infty$	$\forall z, \exists \delta > 0, \forall x,  x - x_0  < \delta, x > x_0, x \in I \Rightarrow f(x) < z$
$\limsup_{x \rightarrow x_0^-} f(x) = -\infty$	$\forall z, \exists \delta > 0, \forall x,  x - x_0  < \delta, x < x_0, x \in I \Rightarrow f(x) < z$
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$\liminf_{x \rightarrow x_0^+} f(x) = \infty$	$\forall z, \exists \delta > 0, \forall x,  x - x_0  < \delta, x > x_0, x \in I \Rightarrow f(x) > z$
$\liminf_{x \rightarrow x_0^-} f(x) = \infty$	$\forall z, \exists \delta > 0, \forall x,  x - x_0  < \delta, x < x_0, x \in I \Rightarrow f(x) > z$
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$\liminf_{x \rightarrow x_0^+} f(x) = -\infty$	$\forall z, \forall \delta > 0, \exists x,  x - x_0  < \delta, x > x_0, x \in I, f(x) < z$
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In the case  $x_0 = \pm\infty$  and  $l = \pm\infty$ :

$\limsup_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = \infty$	$\forall z, \forall y, \exists x, x > y, x \in I, f(x) > z$
$\limsup_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) = \infty$	$\forall z, \forall y, \exists x, x < y, x \in I, f(x) > z$
$\limsup_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = -\infty$	$\forall z, \exists y, \forall x, x > y, x \in I \Rightarrow f(x) < z$
$\limsup_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) = -\infty$	$\forall z, \exists y, \forall x, x < y, x \in I \Rightarrow f(x) < z$
$\liminf_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = \infty$	$\forall z, \exists y, \forall x, x > y, x \in I \Rightarrow f(x) > z$
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$\liminf_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = -\infty$	$\forall z, \forall y, \exists x, x > y, x \in I, f(x) < z$
$\liminf_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) = -\infty$	$\forall z, \forall y, \exists x, x < y, x \in I, f(x) < z$

In the case  $x_0 = \pm\infty$  and  $l \in \mathbb{R}$ :

$\limsup_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) \leq l$	$\forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists y, \forall x, x > y, x \in I \Rightarrow f(x) < l + \varepsilon$
$\limsup_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) \geq l$	$\forall \varepsilon > 0, \forall y, \exists x, x > y, x \in I, f(x) > l - \varepsilon$
$\limsup_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) \leq l$	$\forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists y, \forall x, x < y, x \in I \Rightarrow f(x) < l + \varepsilon$
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<sup>46</sup>In the following tables all commas “,” after the last quantifier should be interpreted as conjunctions “^”, but were written as “,” for lighten the notation.