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Example Given the graph of f(x) shown below, determine if f(x) is continuous at x = -2, 0 and 3.



Example Determine where the functions are not continuous, if anywhere.

a.
$$f(x) = \frac{x^2 - x - 2}{x - 2}$$
 b. $g(x) = \frac{4x + 10}{x^2 - 2x - 15}$

c.
$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^2 - x - 2}{x - 2}, & x \neq 2 \\ 3, & x = 2 \end{cases}$$
 d. $h(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x + 1}{1}, & x \leq 1 \\ \frac{1}{x}, & 1 < x < 3 \\ \sqrt{x - 3}, & x \geq 3 \end{cases}$ $x = 1, 3$

Types of Discontinuity

1. 2. 3. 4.

Intermediate Value Theorem

Example Show that $p(x) = 2x^3 - 5x^2 - 10x + 5$ has a root somewhere in the interval [-1, 2].