

Instructions: (10 points) Solve each of the following problems without error. *Show all details.* Box in your answers. Use good notation, you *will* be marked off for bad notation. **Note:** The value of a limit can be a number, the symbol $+\infty$, the symbol $-\infty$, or may be labeled DNE (for “does not exist”).

(4^{pts}) 1. Compute $\lim_{x \rightarrow -1} \frac{4x^2 + x}{x}$

(3^{pts}) 2. Define the function $f(x) = \begin{cases} 2x^3 - 1 & x < -2 \\ 2 - x^2 & x \geq -2 \end{cases}$. Compute $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2^-} f(x)$, show the details of your reasoning.

(3^{pts}) 3. Compute $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{1 - x}{(x - 2)^2}$