

Answer on Question #61967 – Math – Calculus

Question

1 Evaluate the limit

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 2(-3+h)^2 - 18h$$

- 12
- 8
- 14
- 6

Solution

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (2(-3 + h)^2 - 18h) = (2(-3 + 0)^2 - 18 \cdot 0) = 18.$$

Answer: 18.

Question

2 Evaluate the limit

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow 4} \frac{\sqrt{3t+4} - 4}{t - 4}$$

- 3/8
- 5/8
- 1/8
- 3/4

Solution

$$\begin{aligned}\lim_{t \rightarrow 4} \frac{t - \sqrt{3t+4}}{4 - t} &= \lim_{t \rightarrow 4} \frac{(t - \sqrt{3t+4})(t + \sqrt{3t+4})}{(4 - t)(t + \sqrt{3t+4})} = \lim_{t \rightarrow 4} \frac{t^2 - (3t + 4)}{(4 - t)(t + \sqrt{3t+4})} = \\ &= \lim_{t \rightarrow 4} \frac{t^2 - 3t - 4}{(4 - t)(t + \sqrt{3t+4})} = \lim_{t \rightarrow 4} \frac{(t-4)(t+1)}{(4-t)(t+\sqrt{3t+4})} = -\lim_{t \rightarrow 4} \frac{t+1}{t+\sqrt{3t+4}} = -\frac{4+1}{4+\sqrt{3 \cdot 4+4}} = -\frac{5}{8}.\end{aligned}$$

Answer: $-\frac{5}{8}$.