- 1. Suppose an object is moving in a straight line according to the formula  $s(t) = 5t^2 + 7$ . Here the time, t, is measured in seconds and the distance traveled, s, is measured in meters.
  - (a) Find the average velocity over the time period from t = 7 to t = 8. If you use this as an estimate for the instantaneous velocity at t = 7, is it an over-estimate or under-estimate?
  - (b) Find the average velocity for the time period from t = 7 to t = 7 + h, where h is a constant. (Your answer will be a function of h.)
  - (c) Simplify your expression from part b) so that there is no h in the denominator. Then plug in values  $h = \pm 1$ ,  $h = \pm 0.5$ , and  $h = \pm 0.1$ . What is the physical meaning of the numbers you computed?
  - (d) What happens to your expression as h becomes very close to zero from both directions? What is the meaning of considering such values of h?
  - (e) What is the instantaneous velocity of the object at time t = 7? Make sure to state the correct units.
- 2. For the following graph of f(x), find:
  - (a)  $\lim_{x \to -5} f(x)$
  - (b)  $\lim_{x \to -3} f(x)$
  - (c)  $\lim_{x \to -2} f(x)$
  - (d)  $\lim_{x \to 0} f(x)$
  - (e)  $\lim_{x \to 1} f(x)$
  - (f)  $\lim_{x \to 3} f(x)$
  - (g)  $\lim_{x \to 4} f(x)$



- 3. For each of the four cases below, sketch a graph of some function that satisfies the stated condition.
  - (a)  $\lim_{x\to 2} f(x) = 3$  and f(2) = 4
  - (b)  $\lim_{x\to 4+} f(x) = 5$  and  $\lim_{x\to 4-} f(x) = 7$
  - (c)  $\lim_{x\to 0} f(x)$  does not exist and |f(x)| < 2 for all x
  - (d)  $\lim_{x\to 0} f(x) = f(0) + 1$