

$$\begin{aligned} 52. \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow -3} \frac{x^2 + x - 6}{x^2 - 9} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow -3} \frac{(x + 3)(x - 2)}{(x + 3)(x - 3)} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow -3} \frac{x - 2}{x - 3} = \frac{-3 - 2}{-3 - 3} = \frac{-5}{-6} = \frac{5}{6} \end{aligned}$$