

2.2.25

$$\frac{x^2 + 3x - 10}{x + 5} = \frac{(x + 5)(x - 2)}{x + 5} = x - 2 \xrightarrow{x \rightarrow -5} (-5) - 2 = -7.$$

2.4.17

a As $x \rightarrow -2^+$,

$$\begin{aligned}x &> -2, \\x + 2 &> 0, \\|x + 2| &= x + 2.\end{aligned}$$

Then

$$(x + 3) \frac{|x + 2|}{x + 2} = (x + 3) \frac{x + 2}{x + 2} = x + 3 \xrightarrow{x \rightarrow -2^+} (-2) + 3 = 1.$$

b As $x \rightarrow -2^-$,

$$\begin{aligned}x &< -2, \\x + 2 &< 0, \\|x + 2| &= -(x + 2).\end{aligned}$$

Then

$$(x + 3) \frac{|x + 2|}{x + 2} = (x + 3) \frac{-(x + 2)}{x + 2} = -(x + 3) \xrightarrow{x \rightarrow -2^-} -((-2) + 3) = -1.$$