

4. (a) [10 points] Does the following limit exist? Explain.

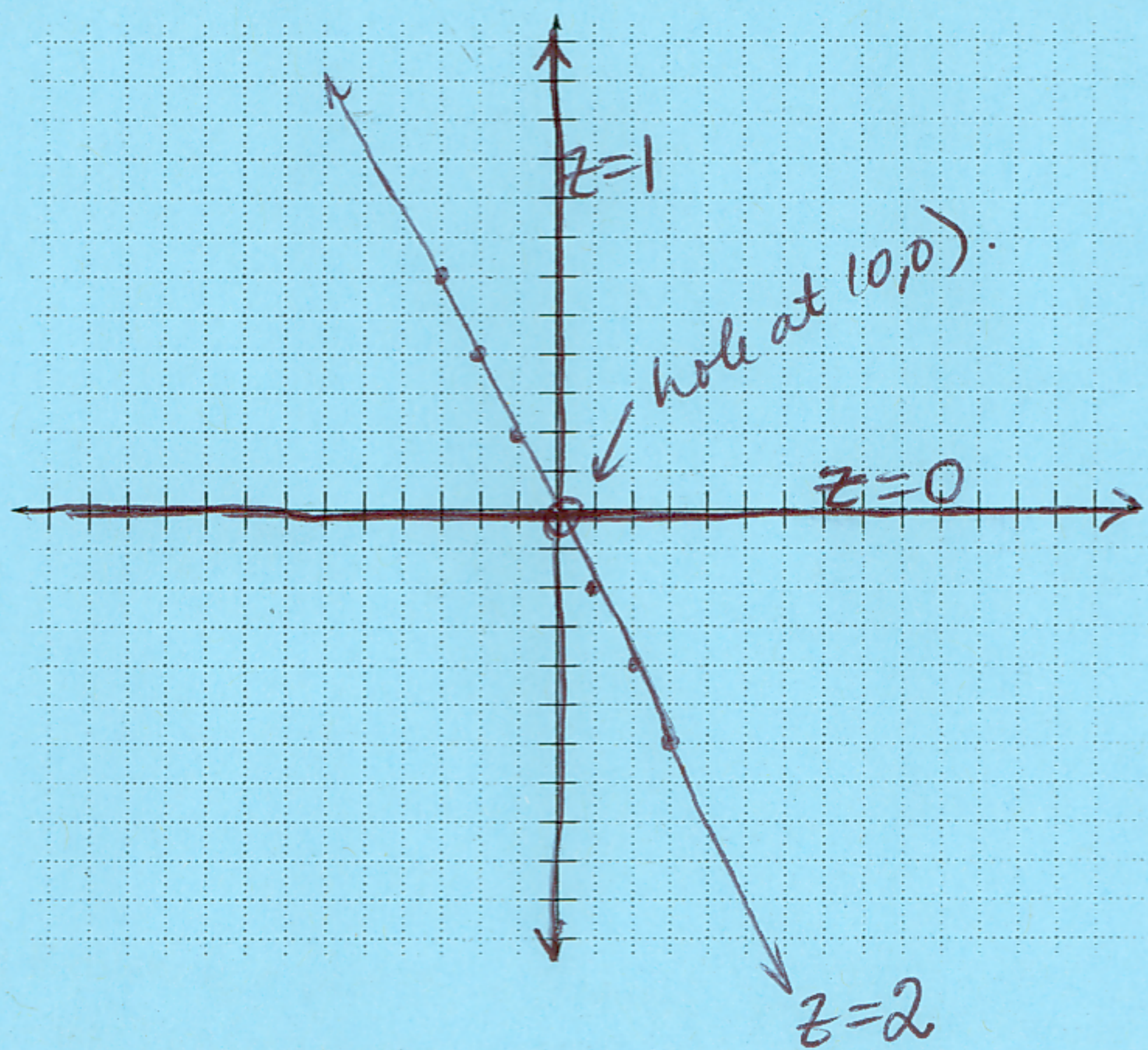
$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{y}{x+y}$$

approaching $(0,0)$ along
the line $x=0$: $\lim_{(0,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{y}{y} = \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} 1 = 1$

approaching $(0,0)$ along
the line $y=0$: $\lim_{(x,0) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{0}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} 0 = 0$

Since we get two different values for the limit by approaching $(0,0)$ along 2 different paths, the limit does not exist.

(b) [6 points] Sketch at least 3 level curves of $f(x,y) = \frac{y}{x+y}$ ← undefined at $(x,y) = (0,0)$.



$z=0$: $0 = \frac{y}{x+y} \Rightarrow \underline{y=0}$

$z=1$: $1 = \frac{y}{x+y} \Rightarrow x+y=y$
 $\Rightarrow \underline{x=0}$

$z=2$: $2 = \frac{y}{x+y}$

$$2x + 2y = y$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = -y$$

$$\underline{y = -2x}$$