

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \cos x}{x} = 0.$$

Proof:

First, let us manipulate the equation.

$$\frac{1 - \cos x}{x} \cdot \frac{1 + \cos x}{1 + \cos x} = \frac{1 - \cos^2 x}{x(1 + \cos x)} = \frac{\sin^2 x}{x(1 + \cos x)}.$$

Therefore,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \cos x}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin^2 x}{x(1 + \cos x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{\sin x}{x} \right) \left( \frac{\sin x}{1 + \cos x} \right) = (1) \left( \frac{0}{2} \right) = 0.$$