

Problems 1-8: Simplify each expression

1. $\frac{2}{7x} + \frac{4}{x^2}$

2. $\frac{11}{6x} + \frac{5}{2x^2}$

3. $\frac{2}{x+1} - \frac{3}{x+2} + \frac{8}{x^2 + 3x + 2}$

4. $\frac{9}{x+4} + \frac{6}{x-4} - \frac{12}{x^2 - 16}$

5. $\frac{x^2 - 49}{x^2 - 4x - 60} \cdot \frac{x^2 + 10x + 24}{4x - 28}$

6. $\frac{x^2 + 8x - 9}{3x - 12} \cdot \frac{x^2 + 5x - 36}{x^2 + x - 2}$

7. $\frac{\frac{12}{x-4}}{\frac{1}{5} - \frac{3}{x-4}}$

8. $\frac{4x - 20}{x^2 + 3x - 40} \div \frac{8x + 16}{x^2 - 64}$

Problems 9-16: Identify any holes, vertical and horizontal asymptotes for the following functions. Then find the x & y intercepts and graph each function.

9. $f(x) = \frac{(x-1)(x+3)}{(x+3)(x-6)}$

10. $f(x) = \frac{(x-2)(x+2)}{(x+1)(x-1)}$

11. $f(x) = \frac{4x-3}{x+1}$

12. $f(x) = \frac{-3x+2}{x-2}$

13. $f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 1}{x^2 + 5x + 4}$

14. $f(x) = \frac{x^2 + 5x + 6}{x^2 - 2x - 8}$

15. $f(x) = \frac{3x^2 - 4x + 1}{3x^2 + 5x - 2}$

16. $f(x) = \frac{6x^2 + 13x - 5}{2x^2 + 9x + 10}$

Problems 23-25: Solve the system of rational equations algebraically or graphically.

23.
$$\begin{cases} y = \frac{6}{x+1} \\ y = x \end{cases}$$

Problems 17-22: Solve the rational equation and checking for extraneous solutions.

17. $\frac{2}{x} = \frac{x+7}{x}$

18. $\frac{x^2 - 3x - 4}{x+6} = \frac{50}{x+6}$

24.
$$\begin{cases} y = \frac{x}{x+2} \\ y = \frac{2x}{x-1} \end{cases}$$

19. $\frac{2}{x+3} = 4 - \frac{2x}{x+3}$

20. $\frac{-1}{x-1} = x - \frac{x}{x-1}$

25.
$$\begin{cases} xy = 720 \\ x + y = 149 \end{cases}$$

21. $\frac{1}{r-2} + \frac{1}{r^2 - 7r + 10} = \frac{6}{r-2}$

22. $\frac{7x}{x^2 - x - 12} = \frac{x}{x-4} - \frac{4}{x+3}$