

$$\textcircled{1} \quad (a) \quad \frac{x^4 + 2x^3 + 2x + 4}{x^3 + 2x^2} = \frac{\cancel{x^3}(x+2) + 2(x+2)}{\cancel{x^2}(x+2)} = \frac{(x+2)(x^3 + 2)}{x^2(x+2)} =$$

$$= \frac{x^3 + 2}{x^2}, \quad \text{Dom} \cap \mathbb{R}^0 = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : x \neq 0 \text{ & } x \neq -2\}$$

$$(b) \quad \frac{w^3 - 7w^2}{w^2 - 14w + 49} = \frac{\cancel{w^2}(w-7)}{(w-7)^2} = \frac{w^2}{w-7}, \quad \text{Dom} = \mathbb{R} - \{7\}$$

$$(c) \quad \frac{x+1}{x^4 - x^2} = \frac{x+1}{x^2(x^2 - 1)} = \frac{x+1}{x^2(x+1)(x-1)} = \frac{1}{x^2(x-1)}, \quad \text{Dom} = \mathbb{R} - \{0, 1, -1\}$$

$$(d) \quad \frac{27n^3 - 8}{6n - 4} = \frac{(3n)^3 - 2^3}{2(3n - 2)} = \frac{(3n-2)(9n^2 + 6n + 4)}{2(3n-2)} =$$

$$\frac{9n^2 + 6n + 4}{2} \quad \text{Dom} = \mathbb{R} - \left\{ \frac{2}{3} \right\}.$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad (a) \quad \frac{z^3 - 125}{z^2} \times \frac{z^2 + 5z}{z^2 - 25} = \frac{z^3 - 5^3}{z^2} \times \frac{z(z+5)}{z^2 - 5^2} =$$

$$= \frac{(z-5)(z^2 + 5z + 25)}{z^2} \times \frac{z(z+5)}{(z+5)(z-5)} = \frac{z^2 + 5z + 25}{z}$$

$$(b) \quad \frac{\frac{xy}{2y-2}}{\frac{xyz + xz}{y^2-1}} = \frac{xy}{2(y-1)} \cdot \frac{(y+1)(y-1)}{xz(y+1)} = \frac{y}{2z}$$

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$$(C) \frac{2}{x+1} - \frac{1}{x+2} - \frac{2}{(x+1)(x+2)} = \frac{2(x+2) - (x+1) - 2}{(x+1)(x+2)} =$$

$$= \frac{2x+4 - x - 1 - 2}{(x+1)(x+2)} = \frac{x+1}{(x+1)(x+2)} = \frac{1}{x+2}$$

$$(D) \frac{(x+1)^2}{x^2-1} = \frac{(x+1)(x+1)}{\cancel{(x+1)(x-1)}} = \frac{x+1}{x-1}$$

$$(E) \frac{u^3 - v^3}{u^2 - v^2} = \frac{(u-v)(u^2 + uv + v^2)}{\cancel{(u-v)(u+v)}} = \frac{u^2 + uv + v^2}{u+v}$$

$$(F) \frac{x^3 - 8y^3}{x^2 - 4xy + 4y^2} = \frac{x^3 - (2y)^3}{(x-2y)^2} = \frac{(x-2y)(x^2 + 2xy + 4y^2)}{(x-2y)^2} =$$

$$= \frac{x^2 + 2xy + 4y^2}{x-2y}$$

$$(G) \frac{(x^2 + 14x + 49)(x^2 - 49)}{x^2 - 14x + 49} = \frac{(x+7)^2(x+7)(x-7)}{(x-7)^2} = \frac{(x+7)^3}{x-7}$$

$$(H) \frac{ax+2a+5x+10}{a^2+10a+25} = \frac{a(x+2) + 5(x+2)}{(a+5)^2} = \frac{(x+2)(a+5)}{(a+5)^2} =$$

$$= \frac{x+2}{a+5}$$

$$(i) \frac{1}{a^2-ab} - \frac{1}{ab-b^2} = \frac{1}{a(a-b)} - \frac{1}{b(a-b)} =$$

$$= \frac{b}{ab(a-b)} - \frac{a}{ab(a-b)} = \frac{b-a}{ab(a-b)} = \frac{-(a-b)}{ab(a-b)} = \frac{-1}{ab}$$

$$(j) \frac{2a-2b}{10} \div \frac{a^2-b^2}{5a+5b} = \frac{2(a-b)}{10} \times \frac{5(a+b)}{(a-b)(a+b)} =$$

$$= 1$$

~~$$(k) \frac{3}{1+y} - \frac{4}{1-y} - \frac{8}{1-y^2} = \frac{3(1-y) + 4(1+y) - 8}{(1+y)(1-y)} =$$~~
~~$$\frac{3-3y+4+4y-8}{(1+y)(1-y)} = \frac{-5-4-7y}{(1+y)(1-y)} = \frac{-5-7y}{(1+y)(1-y)}$$~~

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$$(k) \frac{3}{1+y} - \frac{4}{1-y} - \frac{8}{1-y^2} =$$

$$(l) \frac{(a^2b^2)^4(a^3b^2)^3}{(a^4b^2)^2} = \frac{\cancel{a^8b^8}^4 \cancel{a^9b^6}}{\cancel{a^8b^4}} = a^9b^{10} \quad \boxed{4}$$

③ (a) $5(2x-3)^2 - 20 = 5(2x-3)^2 - 5 \cdot 4 =$
 $= 5((2x-3)^2 - 4) = 5((2x-3)^2 - 2^2) = 5[((2x-3)+2)((2x-3)-2)) =$
 $= 5((2x-1)(2x-5)) = 5(2x-1)(2x-5)$

(b) $3x^4 + 24x = x(3x^3 + 24) = 3x(x^3 + 8) = 3x(x^3 + 2^3) =$
 $= 3x(x+2)(x^2 - 2x + 4) = \cancel{3x(x+2)(x^2 - 2x + 4)}$

(c) $18y^3 + 48y^2 + 32y = \cancel{2y(9y^2 + 24y + 16)} =$
 ~~$\cancel{2y(9y^2 + 24y + 16)}$~~ $= 2y((3y)^2 + 2 \cdot (3y) \cdot 4 + (4)^2) =$
 $= 2y(3y + 4)^2$