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**Part 1: Simplify completely. Identify any values that are undefined.**

1.  $\frac{16x^{11}}{8x^2}$

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

3.  $\frac{4x - x^2}{x^2 - 2x - 8}$

4.  $\frac{6x^2 + 7x + 2}{6x^2 - 5x - 6}$

**Part 2: Multiply the rational expression**

5.  $\frac{x^2 - 16}{x + 5} \bullet \frac{2x + 10}{x - 4}$

6.  $\frac{x^2 + 9x + 18}{4 - x^2} \bullet \frac{2 - x}{x^2 + 6x}$

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

**Part 3: Divide the rational expression**

8.  $\frac{4x^3}{9x^2y} \div \frac{16}{9y^5}$

9.  $\frac{8m^2}{4m + 16} \div \frac{2m^2 + 6m}{m + 3}$

10.  $\frac{x^2 - 4}{x^2 - x - 6} \div \frac{2x - 4}{9 - 3x}$

**Part 4: Add the rational expression. Identify any values that are undefined.**

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

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

13.  $\frac{x + 4}{x^2 - x - 12} + \frac{2x}{x - 4}$

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**Part 5: Subtract the rational expression. Identify any values that are undefined.**

14.  $\frac{x^2 - 4}{x - 4} - \frac{5x + 10}{x - 4}$

15.  $\frac{4}{x + 4} - \frac{3}{x - 1}$

16.  $\frac{x + 6}{x^2 - 7x - 18} - \frac{2x}{x - 9}$

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**Part 6: Complex Fractions**

17.  $\frac{\frac{20}{x-1}}{\frac{6}{3x-3}}$

18.  $\frac{\frac{x+3}{6}}{1+\frac{x}{3}}$

19.  $\frac{\frac{x}{2}-4}{9+\frac{2}{x}}$

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**Part 7: Solving. Look for extraneous solutions.**

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

21.  $\frac{2}{x-6} = \frac{-5}{x+1}$

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22.  $\frac{x}{x-1} = \frac{2x+10}{x+11}$

23.  $\frac{5x}{x-2} = 7 + \frac{10}{x-2}$

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