

WS 13.2 & 13.3

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Simplify each and state the excluded values.

$$1) \frac{30n^3}{48n^2} = \frac{5n}{8}, n \neq 0$$

$$2) \frac{5x^2 - 15x}{x - 3} = \frac{5x(x-3)}{(x-3)} = 5x, x \neq 3$$

$$3) \frac{n^2 + 2n - 48}{2n^2 + 16n} = \frac{(n+8)(n-6)}{2n(n+8)}$$

$$= \frac{(n-6)}{2n}, n \neq 0, -8$$

$$4) \frac{r^2 - 49}{r^2 + 12r + 35} = \frac{(r+7)(r-7)}{(r+7)(r+5)}$$

$$= \frac{(r-7)}{(r+5)}, r \neq -7, -5$$

$$5) \frac{3b^3 + 24b^2 + 21b}{2b^3 - 2b^2 - 4b} = \frac{3b(b^2 + 8b + 7)}{2b(b^2 - b - 2)}$$

$$= \frac{3(b+7)(b+1)}{2(b-2)(b+1)} = \frac{3(b+7)}{2(b-2)}, b \neq 2, -1, 0$$

$$6) \frac{2n^2 - 4n - 96}{2n^3 - 2n^2 - 84n} = \frac{2(n^2 - 2n - 48)}{2n(n^2 - n - 42)}$$

$$= \frac{(n-8)(n+6)}{n(n-7)(n+6)} = \frac{(n-8)}{n(n-7)}, n \neq 0, 7, -6$$

Simplify each expression.

$$7) \frac{16n^2 + 8n}{6 + 10n - 4n^2} \div \frac{8n^2 + 64n}{2n^2 - 10n + 12}$$

$$= \frac{8n(2n+1)}{-4n^2 + 10n + 6} \cdot \frac{2(n^2 - 5n + 6)}{8n(n+8)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{-2(2n^2 - 5n - 3)}{-2(2n+1)(n-3)} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{8n(2n+1)}{-2(2n+1)(n-3)} \cdot \frac{2(n-3)(n-2)}{8n(n+8)} = \frac{n-2}{n+8}$$

$$8) \frac{10x + 50}{20x - 10} \div \frac{8x^2 - 64x}{2x - 1} = \frac{10(x+5)}{10(2x-1)} \cdot \frac{2x-1}{8x(x-8)}$$

$$= \frac{x+5}{8x(x-8)}$$

$$9) \frac{3a^2 + 31a + 56}{21a^2 + 76a + 63} \cdot \frac{49a^2 + 105a + 54}{7a + 6}$$

$$= \frac{(3a+7)(a+8)}{(3a+7)(7a+9)} \cdot \frac{(7a+6)(7a+9)}{7a+6}$$

$$= \boxed{a+8}$$

$$11) \frac{6n^2 - 17n + 12}{6n^2 - 5n - 6} \cdot \frac{3n^2 + 5n + 2}{3n - 4}$$

$$= \frac{(2n-3)(3n-4)}{(2n-3)(3n+2)} \cdot \frac{(n+1)(3n+2)}{3n-4}$$

$$= \boxed{n+1}$$

$$13) \frac{20 - 25r}{25r^2 - 35r + 12} \div \frac{1}{35r - 21}$$

$$= \frac{-5(5r-4)}{(5r-3)(5r-4)} \cdot \frac{7(5r-3)}{1}$$

$$= \boxed{-35}$$

$$15) \frac{x+6y}{25x^3} - \frac{2y}{25x^3}$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{x+4y}{25x^3}}$$

$$10) \frac{7x^2 - 66x + 27}{-7x^2 + 59x - 24} \cdot \frac{3x}{3x^2 - 30x}$$

$$= \frac{(x-9)(7x-3)}{-(x-8)(7x-3)} \cdot \frac{3x}{3x(x-10)}$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{-(x-9)}{(x-8)(x-10)}}$$

$$12) \frac{5x-5}{x^2+18x+80} \div \frac{10x^2+40x-50}{20x^2+100x}$$

$$\frac{5(x-1)}{(x+8)(x+10)} \cdot \frac{20x(x+5)}{10(x+5)(x-1)}$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{10x}{(x+8)(x+10)}}$$

$$14) \frac{3n^2 - n - 10}{12n^2 + 20n} \cdot \frac{7n - 63}{7}$$

$$= \frac{(n-2)(3n+5)}{4n(3n+5)} \cdot \frac{7(n-9)}{7}$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{(n-2)(n-9)}{4n}}$$

$$16) \frac{x-3}{2x^2-18} + \frac{4x+5}{2x^2-18}$$

$$= \frac{5x+2}{2(x^2-9)} = \boxed{\frac{5x+2}{2(x+3)(x-3)}}$$

$$17) \frac{5v}{6u} + \frac{u+4v}{6v^3} \cdot \frac{u}{u}$$

$$= \frac{5v^4 + (u^2 + 4uv)}{6uv^3}$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{5v^4 + u^2 + 4uv}{6uv^3}}$$

$$19) \frac{2v}{v+2} - \frac{4}{6v+36} \cdot \frac{v+2}{v+2}$$

$$= \frac{(12v^2 + 72v) - (4v + 8)}{6(v+2)(v+6)}$$

$$= \frac{12v^2 + 68v - 8}{6(v+2)(v+6)} = \frac{4(3v^2 + 17v - 2)}{6(v+2)(v+6)}$$

$$21) \frac{k+7}{k+6} + \frac{k-2}{k-6} \cdot \frac{k+6}{k+6}$$

$$= \frac{(k^2 + k - 42) + (k^2 + 4k - 12)}{(k+6)(k-6)}$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{2k^2 + 5k - 54}{(k+6)(k-6)}}$$

$$23) \frac{5}{b+4} + \frac{4b}{3b+8} \cdot \frac{b+4}{b+4}$$

$$= \frac{15b + 40 + (4b^2 + 16b)}{(b+4)(3b+8)}$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{4b^2 + 31b + 40}{(b+4)(3b+8)}}$$

$$18) \frac{2b}{3b+3} - \frac{2}{b+5} \cdot \frac{3b+3}{3b+3}$$

$$= \frac{(2b^2 + 10b) - (6b + 6)}{(3b+3)(b+5)}$$

$$= \frac{2b^2 + 4b - 6}{3(b+1)(b+5)} = \boxed{\frac{2(b+3)(b-1)}{3(b+1)(b+5)}}$$

$$20) \frac{6x}{5x-4} - \frac{x+1}{x+5} \cdot \frac{5x-4}{5x-4}$$

$$= \frac{6x^2 + 30x - (5x^2 + x - 4)}{(5x-4)(x+5)}$$

$$\rightarrow = \boxed{\frac{x^2 + 29x + 4}{(5x-4)(x+5)}}$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{2(3v^2 + 17v - 2)}{3(v+2)(v+6)}}$$

$$22) \frac{3}{7v-3} + \frac{2}{5v+2} \cdot \frac{7v-3}{7v-3}$$

$$= \frac{15v + 6 + (14v - 6)}{(7v-3)(5v+2)}$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{29v}{(7v-3)(5v+2)}}$$

$$24) \frac{6}{m-5} + \frac{5}{3m-2} \cdot \frac{m-5}{m-5}$$

$$= \frac{18m - 12 + (5m - 25)}{(m-5)(3m-2)}$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{23m - 37}{(m-5)(3m-2)}}$$

$$25) \frac{5r+8}{3r^3+24r^2} + \frac{5r}{5r+8} \cdot \frac{3r^3+24r^2}{3r^2(r+8)}$$

$$= \frac{35r+56 + (15r^4 + 120r^3)}{3r^2(r+8)(5r+8)}$$

$$= \frac{15r^4 + 120r^3 + 35r^2 + 56}{3r^2(r+8)(5r+8)}$$

$$27) \frac{\frac{4x}{5}}{\frac{x^2}{5}} = \frac{4x}{5} \cdot \frac{5}{x^2}$$

$$= \frac{4}{x}$$

$$26) \frac{3n-9}{n+3} - \frac{n-6}{3n-9} \cdot \frac{n+3}{3(n-3)}$$

$$= \frac{18n-54 - (n^2-3n-18)}{3(n+3)(n-3)}$$

$$= \frac{-n^2 + 21n - 36}{3(n+3)(n-3)}$$

$$28) \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{\frac{u}{2u+6}} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{2u+6}{u}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{2(u+3)}{u} = \frac{u+3}{u}$$

$$29) \frac{\frac{25}{4}}{\frac{25}{x} + \frac{4}{5} \cdot x} = \frac{25}{4} \cdot \frac{5x}{4x+125}$$

$$= \frac{4x+125}{5x} = \frac{125x}{4(4x+125)}$$

$$30) \frac{\frac{a+3}{a-1}}{\frac{3a-1}{a-1}} = \frac{a+3}{a-1} \cdot \frac{a-1}{3a-1}$$

$$= \frac{a+3}{3a-1}$$

$$31) \frac{\frac{x-2}{x+8}}{\frac{2}{x+8}} = \frac{x-2}{x+8} \cdot \frac{x+8}{2}$$

$$= \frac{x-2}{2}$$

$$32) \frac{\frac{36}{u-7}}{\frac{6}{u-7}} = \frac{36}{u-7} \cdot \frac{u-7}{6}$$

$$= 6$$