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$$1) (2x) 3x - (2x) \frac{1}{2} - (2x) \frac{1}{x} = 0(2x)$$

$$LCD: 2x$$

$$\frac{2x}{2} \neq \frac{0}{2}$$

$$* x \neq 0 *$$

$$6x^2 - x - 2 = 0$$

$$(2x + 1)(3x - 2) = 0$$

$$2x + 1 = 0 \quad 3x - 2 = 0$$

$$\frac{-1 \quad -1}{2} \quad \frac{+2 \quad +2}{3}$$

$$\frac{2x}{2} = \frac{-1}{2} \quad \frac{3x}{3} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$x = -\frac{1}{2} \quad x = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$3) x(x-4) + \frac{20}{(x-4)}(x-4) = \frac{5x}{(x-4)}(x-4) - 2(x-4)$$

$$LCD: (x-4)$$

$$x-4 \neq 0$$

$$\frac{+4 \quad +4}{x-4}$$

$$* x \neq 4 *$$

$$x^2 - 4x + 20 = 5x - 2x + 8$$

$$x^2 - 4x + 20 = 3x + 8$$

$$\frac{-3x - 8 \quad -3x - 8}{x^2 - 7x + 12 = 0}$$

$$x^2 - 7x + 12 = 0$$

$$(x-4)(x-3) = 0$$

$$x-4 = 0 \quad x-3 = 0$$

$$\frac{+4 \quad +4}{\cancel{x-4}} \quad \frac{+3 \quad +3}{x=3}$$

$$5) x(x-3) + \frac{6}{(x-3)}(x-3) = \frac{2x}{(x-3)}(x-3)$$

$$LCD = x-3$$

$$x-3 \neq 0$$

$$\frac{+3 \quad +3}{x-3}$$

$$* x \neq 3 *$$

$$x^2 - 3x + 6 = 2x$$

$$\frac{-2x \quad -2x}{x^2 - 5x + 6 = 0}$$

$$x^2 - 5x + 6 = 0$$

$$(x-2)(x-3) = 0$$

$$x-2 = 0 \quad x-3 = 0$$

$$\frac{+2 \quad +2}{x=2} \quad \frac{+3 \quad +3}{\cancel{x-3}}$$

$$7) \frac{2x}{3x-4} (6x-1)(3x-4) = \frac{4x+5}{6x-1} (6x-1)(3x-4) - \frac{3}{3x-4} (6x-1)(3x-4)$$

$$LCD : (6x-1)(3x-4)$$

$$6x-1 \neq 0 \quad 3x-4 \neq 0$$

$$\frac{+1}{6x} \frac{+1}{6} \quad \frac{+4}{3x} \frac{+4}{3}$$

$$\frac{6x}{6} \neq \frac{1}{6} \quad \frac{3x}{3} \neq \frac{4}{3}$$

$$* x \neq \frac{1}{6} * * x \neq \frac{4}{3} *$$

$$12x^2 - 2x = 12x^2 - 16x + 15x - 20 - 18x + 3$$

$$12x^2 - 2x = 12x^2 - 19x - 17$$

$$\underline{-12x^2} \quad \underline{-12x^2}$$

$$-2x = -19x - 17$$

$$\underline{+19x} \quad \underline{+19x}$$

$$\frac{17x}{17} = -\frac{17}{17}$$

$$x = -1$$

$$9) \frac{3m}{2m-5} (2)(2m-5)(3m+1) - \frac{7}{3m+1} (2)(2m-5)(3m+1) = \frac{3}{2} (2)(2m-5)(3m+1)$$

$$LCD: (2)(2m-5)(3m+1)$$

$$2m-5 \neq 0 \quad 3m+1 \neq 0$$

$$\frac{+5}{2m} \frac{+5}{2} \quad \frac{-1}{3} \frac{-1}{3}$$

$$\frac{2m}{2} \neq \frac{5}{2} \quad \frac{3m}{3} \neq -\frac{1}{3}$$

$$* x \neq \frac{5}{2} * * x \neq -\frac{1}{3} *$$

$$18m^2 + 6m - 28m + 70 = 18m^2 - 39m - 15$$

$$18m^2 - 22m + 70 = 18m^2 - 39m - 15$$

$$\underline{-18m^2} \quad \underline{-18m^2}$$

$$-22m + 70 = -39m - 15$$

$$\underline{+39m} \quad \underline{+39m}$$

$$17m + 70 = -15$$

$$\underline{-70} \quad \underline{-70}$$

$$\frac{17m}{17} = \frac{-85}{17}$$

$$m = -5$$

$$11) \frac{4-x}{1-x} (1-x)(3-x) = \frac{12}{3-x} (1-x)(3-x)$$

$$LCD : (1-x)(3-x)$$

$$1-x \neq 0 \quad 3-x \neq 0$$

$$\frac{+x}{1-x} \frac{+x}{1-x} \quad \frac{+x}{3-x} \frac{+x}{3-x}$$

$$* 1 \neq x * * 3 \neq x *$$

$$12 - 4x - 3x + x^2 = 12 - 12x$$

$$x^2 - 7x + 12 = 12 - 12x$$

$$\underline{+12x - 12} \quad \underline{-12 + 12x}$$

$$x^2 + 5x = 0$$

$$x(x+5) = 0$$

$$x = 0 \quad x + 5 = 0$$

$$\frac{-5 \quad -5}{x = -5}$$

$$13) \frac{7}{y-3} (2)(y-3)(y-4) - \frac{1}{2} (2)(y-3)(y-4) = \frac{y-2}{y-4} (2)(y-3)(y-4)$$

$$LCD : (2)(y-3)(y-4)$$

$$y-3 \neq 0 \quad y-4 \neq 0$$

$$\frac{+3 \quad +3 \quad +4 \quad +4}{*y \neq 3 \quad *y \neq 4*$$

$$14y - 56 - y^2 + 3y + 4y - 12 = 2y^2 - 6y - 4y + 12$$

$$-y^2 + 21y - 68 = 2y^2 - 10y + 12$$

$$\frac{+y^2 - 21y + 68 \quad +y^2 - 21y + 68}{0 = 3y^2 - 31y + 80}$$

$$0 = 3y^2 - 31y + 80$$

$$0 = (3y - 16)(y - 5)$$

$$3y - 16 = 0 \quad y - 5 = 0$$

$$\frac{+16 \quad +16 \quad +5 \quad +5}{\frac{3y}{3} = \frac{16}{3} \quad y = 5}$$

$$\frac{3y}{3} = \frac{16}{3} \quad y = 5$$

$$15) \frac{1}{x+2} (x+2)(x-2) + \frac{1}{2-x} (x+2)(x-2) = \frac{3x+8}{x^2-4} (x+2)(x-2)$$

$$LCD : (x+2)(x-2)$$

$$x+2 \neq 0 \quad x-2 \neq 0$$

$$\frac{-2 \quad -2 \quad +2 \quad +2}{x \neq -2 \quad x \neq 2}$$

$$x-2 + x+2 = 3x+8$$

$$2x = 3x+8$$

$$\frac{-3x \quad -3x}{-\frac{x}{-1} = \frac{8}{-1}}$$

$$-\frac{x}{-1} = \frac{8}{-1}$$

$$x = -8$$

$$17) \frac{(x+1)}{x-1} (6)(x-1)(x+1) + \frac{-x+1}{x+1} (6)(x-1)(x+1) = \frac{5}{6} (6)(x-1)(x+1)$$

$$LCD: (6)(x-1)(x+1)$$

$$x-1 \neq 0 \quad x+1 \neq 0$$

$$\frac{+1 \quad +1 \quad -1 \quad -1}{*x \neq 1 \quad *x \neq -1*$$

$$*x \neq 1 \quad *x \neq -1*$$

$$6x^2 + 6x + 6x + 6 - 6x^2 + 6x + 6x - 6 = 5x^2 - 5$$

$$24x = 5x^2 - 5$$

$$\frac{-24x \quad -24x}{0 = 5x^2 - 24x - 5}$$

$$0 = 5x^2 - 24x - 5$$

$$0 = (5x + 1)(x - 5)$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 5x + 1 = 0 \quad x - 5 = 0 \\
 \underline{-1 \quad -1} \quad \underline{+5 \quad +5} \\
 \frac{5x}{5} = \frac{-1}{5} \quad x = 5 \\
 x = -\frac{1}{5}
 \end{array}$$

$$19) \frac{3}{2x+1} \frac{(2x+1)(2x-1)}{1} + \frac{-2x-1}{2x-1} \frac{(2x+1)(2x-1)}{1} = 1 \frac{(2x+1)(2x-1)}{1} - \frac{8x^2}{4x^2-1} \frac{(2x+1)(2x-1)}{1}$$

$$LCD : (2x + 1)(2x - 1)$$

$$2x + 1 \neq 0 \quad 2x - 1 \neq 0$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 \underline{-1 \quad -1} \quad \underline{+1 \quad +1} \\
 \frac{2x}{2} \neq \frac{-1}{2} \quad \frac{2x}{2} \neq \frac{1}{2} \\
 * x \neq -\frac{1}{2} * \quad * x \neq \frac{1}{2} *
 \end{array}$$

$$6x - 3 - 4x^2 - 2x - 2x - 1 = 4x^2 - 1 - 8x^2$$

$$-4x^2 + 2x - 4 = -4x^2 - 1$$

$$\underline{+4x^2} \quad \underline{+4x^2}$$

$$2x - 4 = -1$$

$$\underline{+4 \quad +4}$$

$$\frac{2x}{2} = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$21) \frac{x-2}{x+3} (x+3)(x-2) - \frac{1}{x-2} (x+3)(x-2) = \frac{1}{x^2+x-6} (x+3)(x-2)$$

$$(x-2)(x+3)$$

$$LCD : (x+3)(x-2)$$

$$x+3 \neq 0 \quad x-2 \neq 0$$

$$\underline{-3 \quad -3} \quad \underline{+2 \quad +2}$$

$$* x \neq -3 * * x \neq 2 *$$

$$x^2 - 4x + 4 - x - 3 = 1$$

$$x^2 - 5x + 1 = 1$$

$$\underline{-1 \quad -1}$$

$$x^2 - 5x = 0$$

$$x(x-5) = 0$$

$$x = 0 \quad x - 5 = 0$$

$$\underline{+5 \quad +5}$$

$$x = 5$$

$$23) \frac{3}{x+2} + \frac{x-1}{x+5} = \frac{5x+20}{6x+24}$$

$$\frac{3}{x+2} (6)(x+2)(x+5) + \frac{x-1}{x+5} (6)(x+2)(x+5) = \frac{5}{6} (6)(x+2)(x+5)$$

$$LCD : (6)(x+2)(x+5)$$

$$x+2 \neq 0 \quad x+5 \neq 0$$

$$\frac{-2 \quad -2 \quad -5 \quad -5}{}$$

$$*x \neq -2 \quad **x \neq -5*$$

$$18x + 90 + 6x^2 + 12x - 6x - 12 = 5x^2 + 25x + 10x + 50$$

$$6x^2 + 24x + 78 = 5x^2 + 35x + 50$$

$$\frac{-5x^2 - 35x - 50 \quad -5x^2 - 35x - 50}{}$$

$$x^2 - 11x + 28 = 0$$

$$(x-7)(x-4) = 0$$

$$x-7 = 0 \quad x-4 = 0$$

$$\frac{+7 \quad +7}{x=7} \quad \frac{+4 \quad +4}{x=4}$$

$$25) \frac{x}{x-1} (x+1)(x-1) - \frac{2}{x+1} (x+1)(x-1) = \frac{4x^2}{x^2-1} (x+1)(x-1)$$

$$LCD : (x+1)(x-1)$$

$$x+1 \neq 0 \quad x-1 \neq 0$$

$$\frac{-1 \quad -1 \quad +1 \quad +1}{}$$

$$*x \neq -1 \quad *x \neq 1*$$

$$x^2 + x - 2x + 2 = 4x^2$$

$$x^2 - x + 2 = 4x^2$$

$$\frac{-x^2 + x - 2 \quad -x^2 + x - 2}{}$$

$$0 = 3x^2 + x - x$$

$$0 = (3x-2)(x+1)$$

$$3x-2 = 0 \quad x+1 = 0$$

$$\frac{+2 \quad +2}{\frac{3x}{3} = \frac{2}{3}} \quad \frac{-1 \quad -1}{x = -1}$$

$$x = \frac{2}{3}$$

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$$27) \frac{2x}{x+1} (x+1)(x+5) - \frac{3}{x+5} (x+1)(x+5) = \frac{-8x^2}{x^2+6x+5} (x+1)(x+5)$$

$$LCD : (x+1)(x+5)$$

$$x+1 \neq 0 \quad x+5 \neq 0$$

$$\frac{-1 \quad -1}{x+1} \quad \frac{-5 \quad -5}{x+5}$$

$$* x \neq -1 \quad * x \neq -5 *$$

$$2x^2 + 10x - 3x - 3 = -8x^2$$

$$2x^2 + 7x - 3 = -8x^2$$

$$\frac{+8x^2}{2x^2 + 7x - 3} \quad \frac{+8x^2}{-8x^2}$$

$$10x^2 + 7x - 3 = 0$$

$$(10x - 3)(x + 1) = 0$$

$$10x - 3 = 0 \quad x + 1 = 0$$

$$\frac{+3 \quad +3}{10x - 3} \quad \frac{-1 \quad -1}{x + 1}$$

$$\frac{10x}{10} = \frac{3}{10} \quad x = -1$$

$$x = \frac{3}{10}$$

$$29) \frac{x-5}{x-9} (x-9)(x-3) + \frac{x+3}{x-3} (x-9)(x-3) = \frac{-4x^2}{x^2-12x+27} (x-9)(x-3)$$

$$LCD : (x-9)(x-3)$$

$$x-9 \neq 0 \quad x-3 \neq 0$$

$$\frac{+9 \quad +9}{x-9} \quad \frac{+3 \quad +3}{x-3}$$

$$* x \neq 9 \quad * x \neq 3 *$$

$$x^2 - 3x - 5x + 15 + x^2 - 9x + 3x - 27 = -4x^2$$

$$2x^2 - 14x - 12 = -4x^2$$

$$\frac{+4x^2}{2x^2 - 14x - 12} \quad \frac{+4x^2}{-4x^2}$$

$$6x^2 - 14x - 12 = 0$$

$$2(3x^2 - 7x - 6) = 0$$

$$2(3x + 2)(x - 3) = 0$$

$$3x + 2 = 0 \quad x - 3 = 0$$

$$\frac{-2 \quad -2}{3x + 2} \quad \frac{+3 \quad +3}{x - 3}$$

$$\frac{3x}{3} = \frac{-2}{3} \quad x = 3$$

$$x = -\frac{2}{3}$$

$$31) \frac{x-3}{x-6} (x-6)(x+3) + \frac{x+5}{x+3} (x-6)(x+3) = \frac{-2x^2}{x^2-3x-18} (x-6)(x+3)$$

$$LCD : (x-6)(x+3)$$

$$x-6 \neq 0 \quad x+3 \neq 0$$

$$\frac{+6 \quad +6 \quad -3 \quad -3}{*x \neq 6* \quad *x \neq -3*}$$

$$x^2 - 9 + x^2 - 6x + 5x - 30 = -2x^2$$

$$2x^2 - x - 90 = -2x^2$$

$$\frac{+2x^2}{4x^2 - x - 90} = \frac{+2x^2}{-2x^2}$$

$$4x^2 - x - 90 = 0$$

$$(4x - 13)(x + 3) = 0$$

$$4x - 13 = 0 \quad x + 3 = 0$$

$$\frac{+13 \quad +13 \quad -3 \quad -3}{\frac{4x}{4} = \frac{13}{4} \quad x = -3}$$

$$x = \frac{13}{4}$$

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$$33) \frac{4x+1}{x+3} (x+3)(x-1) + \frac{5x-3}{x-1} (x+3)(x-1) = \frac{8x^2}{x^2+2x-3} (x+3)(x-1)$$

$$LCD : (x+3)(x-1)$$

$$x+3 \neq 0 \quad x-1 \neq 0$$

$$\frac{-3 \quad -3 \quad +1 \quad +1}{*x \neq -3* \quad *x \neq 1*}$$

$$4x^2 - 4x + x - 1 + 5x^2 + 15x - 3x - 9 = 8x^2$$

$$9x^2 + 9x - 10 = 8x^2$$

$$\frac{-8x^2}{x^2 + 9x - 10} = \frac{-8x^2}{-8x^2}$$

$$x^2 + 9x - 10 = 0$$

$$(x+10)(x-1) = 0$$

$$x+10 = 0 \quad x-1 = 0$$

$$\frac{-10 \quad -10 \quad +1 \quad +1}{x = -10 \quad x = 1}$$