

**Chapter 9 Study Guide**

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**Simplify each expression.**

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

2)  $\frac{2}{4p} + \frac{p-3}{2p+2}$

3)  $\frac{b-5}{b-7} - \frac{8}{6b}$

4)  $\frac{5}{3} + \frac{4n}{3n+21}$

5)  $\frac{1}{8r} \div \frac{2r+10}{2r^2-2r-60}$

6)  $\frac{27x^3+90x^2}{6x^2+17x-10} \div \frac{1}{2x-1}$

7)  $\frac{80n^2}{7n-9} \div \frac{n-10}{7n-9}$

8)  $\frac{m+2}{\frac{4}{m+2} + \frac{3}{2}}$

9)  $\frac{\frac{x}{4} - \frac{5}{x}}{4}$

10)  $\frac{\frac{x+1}{x} - \frac{3x-4}{x^2+x}}{3x-4}$

**Solve each equation. Remember to check for extraneous solutions.**

11)  $\frac{1}{2a} + \frac{a-1}{a^2} = \frac{a-1}{a}$

12)  $5 + \frac{1}{n^2} = \frac{n-4}{n}$

13)  $\frac{2}{x^2+8x} = \frac{1}{x^2+8x} + \frac{1}{x+8}$

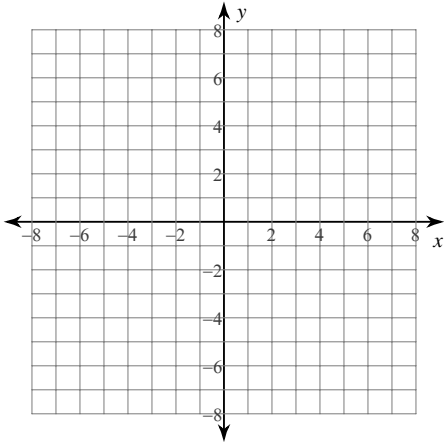
14)  $\frac{1}{x} = \frac{7}{x^2-7x} + \frac{2}{x-7}$

15)  $\frac{6k+48}{k^2+4k} = \frac{1}{k} - \frac{k+8}{k^2+4k}$

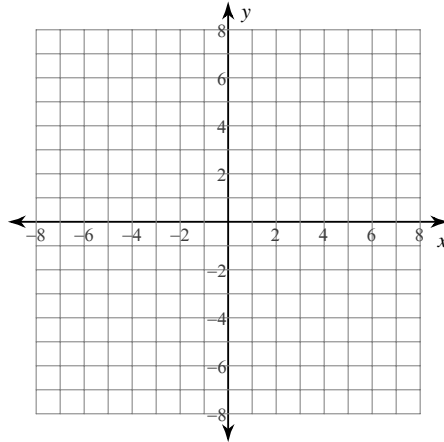
16)  $\frac{5}{n^2-6n} + \frac{1}{n-6} = \frac{1}{n^2-6n}$

**Graph each function.**

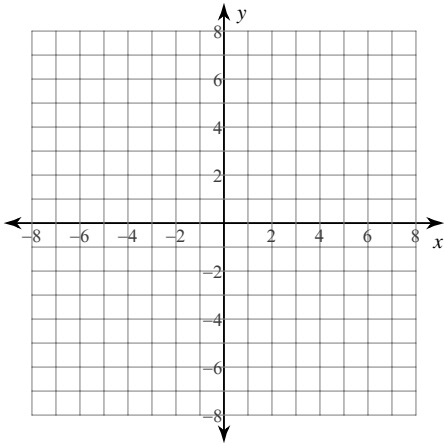
17)  $f(x) = \frac{2}{x+1}$



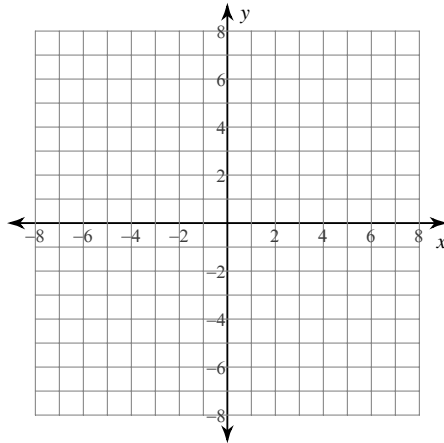
18)  $f(x) = \frac{3x}{x-2}$



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



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



21) Direct, Inverse, or neither?

- A)  $x y = 8$
- B)  $y = 5 x + 2$
- C)  $y / 5 = 2 x$

22) If  $x$  varies inversely with  $y$  and jointly with  $w$  and  $z$  and  $x=8$  when  $w=4$ ,  $z=3$  and  $y=6$ ,  
 a) write an equation that relates  $x$ ,  $y$ ,  $w$ , and  $z$ , then b) find  $w$  when  $z=1$ ,  $x=4$  and  $y=3$ .

23) If  $x$  varies directly with  $y$  and  $x=12$  when  $y=2$ , a) write an equation that relates  $x$  and  $y$ ,  
 then b) find  $y$  when  $x=48$ .

24) The variable  $w$  varies jointly with  $x$  and  $y$ . Write an equation to relate  $w$ ,  $x$ , and  $y$  when  $w=18$ ,  $x=6$  and  $y=2$ . Then find  $x$  when  $w=9$  and  $y=6$ .