

## Rational Expressions

**State the excluded values for each.**

1)  $\frac{60x^3}{12x}$

2)  $\frac{70v^2}{100v}$

3)  $\frac{m+7}{m^2 + 4m - 21}$

4)  $\frac{n^2 + 6n + 5}{n + 1}$

5)  $\frac{35x - 35}{25x - 40}$

6)  $\frac{-n^2 + 16n - 63}{n^2 - 2n - 35}$

**Simplify each and state the excluded values.**

7)  $\frac{p+4}{p^2 + 6p + 8}$

8)  $\frac{9}{15a - 15}$

9)  $\frac{2a^2 + 10a}{3a^2 + 15a}$

10)  $\frac{p^2 - 3p - 10}{p^2 + p - 2}$

11)  $\frac{x^2 + x - 6}{x^2 + 8x + 15}$

12)  $\frac{a^2 + 5a + 4}{a^2 + 9a + 20}$

$$13) \frac{x^2 - 2x - 15}{x^2 - 6x + 5}$$

$$14) \frac{10x - 6}{10x - 6}$$

$$15) \frac{(v-7)(v+8)}{(v+8)(v-10)} \div \frac{1}{v-10}$$

$$16) \frac{n+3}{n+2} \div \frac{(n-1)(n+3)}{(n-1)^2}$$

$$17) \frac{x+3}{4} \cdot \frac{3(x-6)}{3(x+3)}$$

$$18) \frac{x-8}{(x+6)(x-8)} \cdot \frac{4x(x+10)}{x+10}$$

$$19) \frac{2b^2 - 12b}{b+5} \div \frac{b-6}{b+5}$$

$$20) \frac{1}{n+9} \div \frac{6-n}{3n-18}$$

$$21) \frac{28-7b}{b-4} \cdot \frac{1}{b+10}$$

$$22) \frac{2}{v^2 - 12v + 27} \cdot \frac{v^2 - 12v + 27}{3}$$

$$23) \frac{1}{5p^2} \div \frac{9p - 36}{5p^3 - 35p^2}$$

$$24) \frac{8 - 7x - x^2}{x + 8} \cdot \frac{x + 5}{9x - 9}$$

$$25) \frac{x^2 - 16}{9 - x} \cdot \frac{x^2 + x - 90}{x^2 + 14x + 40}$$

$$26) \frac{10x^2 - 20x}{40x^3 - 80x^2} \cdot \frac{16x^3 + 80x^2}{6x + 30}$$

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1)  $\frac{60x^3}{12x}$

{0}

2)  $\frac{70v^2}{100v}$

{0}

3)  $\frac{m+7}{m^2 + 4m - 21}$

{-7, 3}

4)  $\frac{n^2 + 6n + 5}{n + 1}$

{-1}

5)  $\frac{35x - 35}{25x - 40}$

{8  
5}

6)  $\frac{-n^2 + 16n - 63}{n^2 - 2n - 35}$

{-5, 7}

**Simplify each and state the excluded values.**

7)  $\frac{p+4}{p^2 + 6p + 8}$

 $\frac{1}{p+2}$ ; {-2, -4}

8)  $\frac{9}{15a - 15}$

 $\frac{3}{5(a-1)}$ ; {1}

9)  $\frac{2a^2 + 10a}{3a^2 + 15a}$

 $\frac{2}{3}$ ; {0, -5}

10)  $\frac{p^2 - 3p - 10}{p^2 + p - 2}$

 $\frac{p-5}{p-1}$ ; {-2, 1}

11)  $\frac{x^2 + x - 6}{x^2 + 8x + 15}$

 $\frac{x-2}{x+5}$ ; {-3, -5}

12)  $\frac{a^2 + 5a + 4}{a^2 + 9a + 20}$

 $\frac{a+1}{a+5}$ ; {-4, -5}

$$13) \frac{x^2 - 2x - 15}{x^2 - 6x + 5}$$

$$\frac{x+3}{x-1}; \{1, 5\}$$

$$15) \frac{(v-7)(v+8)}{(v+8)(v-10)} \div \frac{1}{v-10}$$

$$v-7; \{-8, 10\}$$

$$17) \frac{x+3}{4} \cdot \frac{3(x-6)}{3(x+3)}$$

$$\frac{x-6}{4}; \{-3\}$$

$$19) \frac{2b^2 - 12b}{b+5} \div \frac{b-6}{b+5}$$

$$2b; \{-5, 6\}$$

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$$-\frac{7}{b+10}; \{4, -10\}$$

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$$\frac{p-7}{9(p-4)}; \{0, 7, 4\}$$

$$25) \frac{x^2 - 16}{9-x} \cdot \frac{x^2 + x - 90}{x^2 + 14x + 40}$$

$$-(x-4); \{9, -4, -10\}$$

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$$1; \left\{\frac{3}{5}\right\}$$

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$$\frac{n-1}{n+2}; \{-2, 1, -3\}$$

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$$\frac{4x}{x+6}; \{-6, 8, -10\}$$

$$20) \frac{1}{n+9} \div \frac{6-n}{3n-18}$$

$$-\frac{3}{n+9}; \{-9, 6\}$$

$$22) \frac{2}{v^2 - 12v + 27} \cdot \frac{v^2 - 12v + 27}{3}$$

$$\frac{2}{3}; \{3, 9\}$$

$$24) \frac{8-7x-x^2}{x+8} \cdot \frac{x+5}{9x-9}$$

$$-\frac{(x+5)}{9}; \{-8, 1\}$$

$$26) \frac{10x^2 - 20x}{40x^3 - 80x^2} \cdot \frac{16x^3 + 80x^2}{6x + 30}$$

$$\frac{2x}{3}; \{0, 2, -5\}$$