

Math 115

Spring 2017

Lecture 27

① Simplify: $\frac{x+8}{x^2-5x-6} + \frac{x+1}{x^2-4x-5}$

$$= \frac{(x+8)(x-5)}{(x-6)(x+1)(x-5)} + \frac{(x+1)(x-6)}{(x-5)(x+1)(x-6)}$$

$$= \frac{x^2 - 5x + 8x - 40 + x^2 - 6x + x - 6}{(x-6)(x+1)(x-5)} = \boxed{\frac{2x^2 - 2x - 46}{(x-6)(x+1)(x-5)}}$$

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

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

$$\{-3, -2\}$$

Solve $\frac{1}{x-7} = \frac{6x}{x^2-5x-14} - \frac{3}{x+2}$

LCD = $(x-7)(x+2)$

E.V.: 7 & -2

$$\cancel{(x-7)}(x+2) \cdot \frac{1}{\cancel{x-7}} = \cancel{(x-7)}\cancel{(x+2)} \cdot \frac{6x}{\cancel{x^2-5x-14}} - \cancel{(x-7)}\cancel{(x+2)} \cdot \frac{3}{\cancel{x+2}}$$

$$x+2 = 6x - 3(x-7)$$

$$x+2 = 6x - 3x + 21$$

$$x+2 = 3x + 21$$

$$x - 3x = 21 - 2$$

$$-2x = 19$$

$$\boxed{x = -\frac{19}{2}}$$

$$\left\{-\frac{19}{2}\right\}$$

Solve: $x + \frac{x}{x-5} = \frac{5}{x-5} - 7$

LCD = $x-5$

E.V.: 5

$$x(x-5) + x = 5 - 7(x-5)$$

$$x^2 - 5x + x = 5 - 7x + 35$$

$$x^2 - 4x + 7x - 40 = 0$$

$$x^2 + 3x - 40 = 0$$

$$(x+8)(x-5) = 0$$

$$x+8=0$$

$$\boxed{x = -8}$$

$$x-5=0$$

$$\cancel{x=5}$$

$$\{-8\}$$

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

$$\text{LCD} = (x+3)(x-1)$$

$$\text{E.V.: } -3 \text{ \& } 1$$

$$2(x-1) + 5-6x = (x+3)(2x+3)$$

$$2x - 2 + 5 - 6x = 2x^2 + 3x + 6x + 9$$

$$-4x + 3 = 2x^2 + 9x + 9 \rightarrow 2x^2 + 13x + 6 = 0$$

$$-4x + 3 - 2x^2 - 9x - 9 = 0$$

$$-2x^2 - 13x - 6 = 0$$

Multiply by -1

$$\{-\frac{1}{2}, -6\}$$

$$2x+1=0$$

$$x+6=0$$

$$\boxed{x = -\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\boxed{x = -6}$$

$$(2x+1)(x+6) = 0$$

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Solve

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

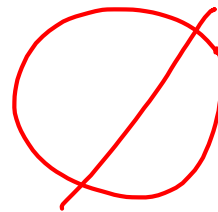
$$\text{LCD} = (x+2)(x-2)$$

$$\text{E.V.: } -2 \text{ \& } 2$$

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

$$2x = 4$$

$$\cancel{x=2}$$



Simplify $\frac{\frac{5x}{x+2}}{\frac{10}{x-2}}$ LCD = $(x+2)(x-2)$

$$= \frac{\cancel{5x}(x-2)}{\cancel{10}(x+2)} = \frac{x(x-2)}{2(x+2)}$$

Simplify:

$$\frac{\frac{x}{y^2} + \frac{1}{y}}{\frac{y}{x^2} + \frac{1}{x}}$$

$$\text{LCD} = x^2 y^2$$

$$= \frac{x^3 + x^2 y}{y^3 + x y^2} = \frac{x^2 \cancel{(x+y)}}{y^2 \cancel{(y+x)}} = \frac{x^2}{y^2}$$

Simplify: $\frac{2 + \frac{1}{x}}{4x - \frac{1}{x}}$ LCD = x

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

$$\frac{3x^{-1} + 3y^{-1}}{4x^{-2} - 9y^{-2}} = \frac{\frac{3}{x} + \frac{3}{y}}{\frac{4}{x^2} - \frac{9}{y^2}} = \frac{3xy^2 + 3x^2y}{4y^2 - 9x^2}$$

Hint: $x^{-n} = \frac{1}{x^n}$

$$\text{LCD} = x^2 y^2$$

$$= \frac{3xy(y+x)}{(2y+3x)(2y-3x)}$$

The sum of a number and its reciprocal is $\frac{29}{10}$. find such number.

$\swarrow x$ $\searrow \frac{1}{x}$

$$x + \frac{1}{x} = \frac{29}{10}$$

$$\text{LCD} = 10x$$

$$\cancel{10x} \cdot x + \cancel{10x} \cdot \frac{1}{\cancel{x}} = \cancel{10x} \cdot \frac{29}{\cancel{10}}$$

$$10x^2 + 10 = 29x$$

$$10x^2 - 25x - 4x + 10 = 0$$

$$5x(2x-5) - 2(2x-5) = 0$$

$$(2x-5)(5x-2) = 0$$

$$\Downarrow$$

$$x = \frac{5}{2}$$

$$\Downarrow$$

$$x = \frac{2}{5}$$

$$10x^2 - 29x + 10 = 0$$

$$\frac{5}{2} \text{ \& \; } \frac{2}{5}$$

100

$$P = 100$$

$$S = -29$$

$$-25 \text{ \& \; } -4$$

The difference of reciprocals of two consecutive integers is $\frac{1}{6}$. find such integers.

Two Cons. integers: $x, x+1$

Reciprocal: $\frac{1}{x}, \frac{1}{x+1}$

$$\boxed{\frac{1}{x}} - \boxed{\frac{1}{x+1}} = \boxed{\frac{1}{6}}$$

$$\text{LCD} = 6x(x+1)$$

$$6(x+1) - 6x = x(x+1)$$

$$\cancel{6x} + 6 - \cancel{6x} = x^2 + x$$

$$6 = x^2 + x$$

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

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

$$\Downarrow$$

$$x = -3$$

$$\Downarrow$$

$$x = 2$$

$$2 \text{ \& \; } 3 \text{ or } -3 \text{ \& \; } -2$$

Jose can do a job in 5 hrs alone.
 Mary can do the same job in 4 hrs alone.
 How long if they work together?

$$\frac{1}{5} \cdot t + \frac{1}{4} \cdot t = 1$$

$$\frac{t}{5} + \frac{t}{4} = 1$$

$$\text{LCD} = 20$$

$$4t + 5t = 20$$

$$9t = 20$$

$$t = \frac{20}{9} \approx 2.2 \text{ hrs}$$

Luna drove 210 miles in the same time
 that Rowen drove 180 miles.

Rowen was driving 10 mph slower than Luna.

Use table, then find speed for both.

Car.	$r \cdot t = d$
Luna	$x \cdot t = 210$
Rowen	$x-10 \cdot t = 180$

$$t_{\text{Luna}} = t_{\text{Rowen}}$$

$$\frac{210}{x} = \frac{180}{x-10}$$

Luna @ 70mph

Rowen @ 60mph

$$\boxed{x=70}$$

$$\frac{7}{x} = \frac{6}{x-10}$$

$$7(x-10) = 6x$$

Adam drove 30 miles in Construction Zone,
and 280 miles the rest of way on FWY.

Total trip took 6 hrs.

His speed on FWY was 10 mph faster
than 4 times his speed in the Construction
Zone. Find Speed on the FWY.

Cat.	$r \cdot t = d$
Construction	$x \cdot t_1 = 30$
FWY	$4x+10 \cdot t_2 = 280$

$$t_1 + t_2 = 6$$

$$\frac{30}{x} + \frac{280}{4x+10} = 6$$

$$\frac{\cancel{30}^{15}}{x} + \frac{\cancel{280}^{70}}{2(2x+5)} = \frac{3}{1}$$

Solve $\frac{15}{x} + \frac{70}{2x+5} = 3$

$$LCD = x(2x+5)$$

$$15(2x+5) + 70x = 3x(2x+5)$$

$$30x + 75 + 70x = 6x^2 + 15x$$

$$6x^2 + 15x - 100x - 75 = 0$$

$$6x^2 - 85x - 75 = 0$$

$$(6x + 5)(x - 15) = 0$$

~~$x = -5/6$~~

$$x = 15$$

Construction Zone
70 mph on FWY

John and Jill can do a job together in $\frac{20}{7}$ hrs. working alone, John can do the job 6 hrs longer than Jill working alone. Find time to do work alone.

Jill $\rightarrow x$ hrs
 John $\rightarrow x+6$ hrs

$$\boxed{\frac{1}{x}} \cdot \boxed{\frac{20}{7}} + \boxed{\frac{1}{x+6}} \cdot \boxed{\frac{20}{7}} = 1$$

Rate Time Rate Time

$$\frac{20}{7x} + \frac{20}{7(x+6)} = 1$$

$$LCD = 7x(x+6)$$

$$20(x+6) + 20x = 7x(x+6)$$

$$20(x+6) + 20x = 7x(x+6)$$

$$20x + 120 + 20x = 7x^2 + 42x$$

$$7x^2 + 42x - 40x - 120 = 0$$

$$7x^2 + 2x - 120 = 0$$

$$(7x + 30)(x - 4) = 0$$

$$\cancel{x = \frac{30}{7}}$$

$$x = 4$$

Due Monday
 WP ch. 13
 SG 20

Jill in 4 hrs
 &
 John in 10 hrs