

Check evens from yesterday:

8. $x = \text{real numbers}$

10. $t \neq -2$

12. $x > 1$

14. $x \geq 0$

($x \neq -1$ isn't necessary since it is already excluded from $x \geq 0$)

**Today's assignment: 1.4 #34,36,40,42,46,86
33-53odd, 85,87,88**

Factor and Simplify

$$\begin{aligned} 34. \quad & \frac{2x+1}{2x^2+x-15} \div \frac{6x^2-x-2}{x+3} = \frac{2x+1}{2x^2+x-15} \cdot \frac{x+3}{6x^2-x-2} \\ & = \frac{\cancel{(2x+1)}}{(2x-5)\cancel{(x+3)}} \cdot \frac{\cancel{(x+3)}}{\cancel{(2x+1)}(3x-2)} \\ & = \frac{1}{(2x-5)(3x-2)} \end{aligned}$$

Simplify using a common denominator:

$$40. \frac{3x-2}{(x+1)} - \frac{2}{1} \frac{(x+1)}{(x+1)} = \frac{3x-2-2x-2}{x+1}$$

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

Simplify using a common denominator:

$$46. \frac{x}{(x+1)^2} + \frac{2}{(x+1)(x+1)}$$

$$= \frac{x + 2x + 2}{(x+1)^2} = \boxed{\frac{3x+2}{(x+1)^2}}$$

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- ▶ Check odd answers as you progress through the assignment.
- ▶ If something is incorrect, try to find your error and fix it...or ask someone how they solved the problem.
- ▶ Homework (written and online) is graded on completion and is worth 5 points per assignment.
- ▶ Late work is not accepted unless you come in during tutorial to finish it. Two late assignments per unit allowed.