

# Solving Rationals 1

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

$$1) \frac{n-3}{n} + \frac{1}{3} = \frac{n-4}{n}$$

$$2) \frac{1}{5x} = \frac{1}{x^2} + \frac{1}{x}$$

$$3) \frac{1}{3r} + \frac{1}{r} = \frac{3r-5}{r^2}$$

$$4) \frac{2}{3n} = \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{6n}$$

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

$$6) \frac{1}{2b} + \frac{5}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$7) \frac{3}{a} - \frac{a+1}{2a^2} = \frac{a+2}{a^2}$$

$$8) \frac{2}{v} = \frac{1}{5v^2} + \frac{v-6}{v^2}$$

$$9) 2 - \frac{6}{p} = \frac{p+1}{p}$$

$$10) \frac{6k+36}{k^2} = \frac{1}{k} - \frac{1}{k^2}$$

$$11) \frac{x-8}{x^2} = \frac{8}{3x} + \frac{x-6}{x^2}$$

$$12) \frac{1}{n^2} = \frac{1}{n} - \frac{5}{7n^2}$$

$$13) \frac{1}{r^2 - 8r} + \frac{4}{r} = \frac{7}{r - 8}$$

$$14) 1 - \frac{1}{6n - 5} = \frac{2}{6n - 5}$$

$$15) \frac{1}{m^2 + 4m} = \frac{8m - 8}{3m^2 + 12m} - \frac{1}{3m^2 + 12m}$$

$$16) \frac{x + 2}{x^2 - 7x} = \frac{x - 4}{x^2 - 7x} - \frac{6}{x}$$

## Answers to Solving Rationals 1 (ID: 1)

1)  $\{-3\}$

2)  $\left\{-\frac{5}{4}\right\}$

3)  $\{3\}$

4)  $\{3\}$

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

6)  $\left\{-\frac{2}{3}\right\}$

7)  $\left\{\frac{5}{3}\right\}$

8)  $\left\{-\frac{29}{5}\right\}$

9)  $\{7\}$

10)  $\left\{-\frac{37}{5}\right\}$

11)  $\left\{-\frac{3}{4}\right\}$

12)  $\left\{\frac{12}{7}\right\}$

13)  $\left\{-\frac{31}{3}\right\}$

14)  $\left\{\frac{4}{3}\right\}$

15)  $\left\{\frac{3}{2}\right\}$

16)  $\{6\}$