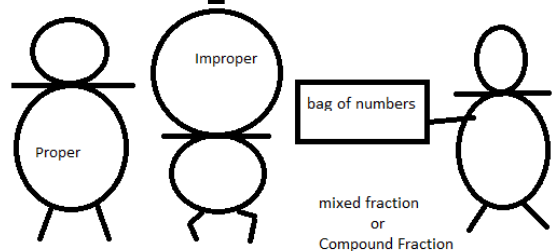


# Chapter 4



**Identity:** An equation which is true for all values of the variable, for example  $\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = 1$  is trigonometry identity &  $5x + 3 = 3x + 1 + 2x + 2$  is Algebraic Identity.

**Improper Fraction:**

A rational fraction  $\frac{p(x)}{q(x)}$  is said to be Improper fraction if degree of  $p(x) \geq$  the degree of  $q(x)$  then it is called improper fraction.

**Proper Fraction:** A rational fraction  $\frac{p(x)}{q(x)}$  is said to be proper fraction if degree of  $p(x) <$  degree of  $q(x)$  then it is called proper fraction.

**Division of Polynomial:**

Quotient

Divident

Divisor

Divisor  $\times$  Quotient

Remainder

its General Formula

$Divident = (Divisor)(Quotient) + Remainder$   
This result is known as “**Division Algorithm**”  
**Converting improper into sum of polynomial and proper fraction**

$\frac{20}{3} = 6\frac{2}{3} = 6 + \frac{2}{3}$

$3 \overline{) \begin{matrix} 20 \\ 18 \\ 2 \end{matrix}}$

**Case 1:** When  $Q(x)$  has non repeated linear factors

$$\frac{4x+5}{(x+a)(x+b)} = \frac{A}{x+a} + \frac{B}{x+b}$$

Exp1: Resolve  $\frac{1}{(x+1)(x+2)}$  into partial fraction

$$\text{Sol: Given } \frac{1}{(x+1)(x+2)} = \frac{A}{x+1} + \frac{B}{x+2} \dots (1)$$

Multiply both sides by  $(x+1)(x+2)$  we get

$$1 = A(x+2) + B(x+1) \dots (2)$$

Put  $x+1=0$  or  $x=-1$  in eq (2)

$$1 = A(-1+2) + B(-1+1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 = A$$

Put  $x+2=0$  or  $x=-2$  in eq (2)

$$1 = A(-2+2) + B(-2+1)$$

$$1 = 0 - B$$

$$\Rightarrow B = -1$$

Now putting these values of A and B in eq (1)

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

$$\text{Or } \frac{1}{(x+1)(x+2)} = \frac{1}{x+1} - \frac{1}{x+2}$$

Exp2: Find the partial fraction of  $\frac{3x+2}{x^2-x-2}$

$$\text{Sol: Since } x^2 - x - 2$$
$$= x^2 - 2x + 1x - 2$$
$$= x(x-2) + 1(x-2)$$
$$= (x+1)(x-2)$$

Therefore,

$$\frac{3x+2}{x^2-x-2} = \frac{3x+2}{(x+1)(x-2)} = \frac{A}{x+1} + \frac{B}{x-2} \dots (1)$$

Multiply each term by  $(x+1)(x-2)$  we get

$$3x+2 = A(x-2) + B(x+1) \dots (2)$$

Put  $x+1=0$  or  $x=-1$  in eq (2)

$$3(-1)+2 = A(-1-2) + B(-1+1)$$

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

$$-1 = -3A$$

$$\Rightarrow A = \frac{1}{3}$$

Put  $x-2=0$  or  $x=2$  in eq (2)

$$3(2)+2 = A(2-2) + B(2+1)$$

$$6+2 = 0 + 3B$$

$$\Rightarrow B = \frac{8}{3}$$

Now putting these values of A and B in eq (1)

$$\frac{3x+2}{x^2-x-2} = \frac{1}{3(x+1)} + \frac{8}{3(x-2)}$$

**Case 2:** When  $Q(x)$  has repeated linear factors.

$$\frac{x}{(x+a)^2} = \frac{A}{x+a} + \frac{B}{(x+a)^2}$$

Exp3: Find the partial fractions of  $\frac{x}{(x+1)^2}$

Sol: Given  $\frac{x}{(x+1)^2}$  has linear repeated factors

$$\frac{x}{(x+1)^2} = \frac{A}{x+1} + \frac{B}{(x+1)^2} \dots (1)$$

Multiply each term by  $(x+1)^2$

$$x = A(x+1) + B \dots (2)$$

Put  $x+1=0$  or  $x=-1$  in eq (2)

$$-1 = A(-1+1) + B$$

$$-1 = 0 + B$$

$$\Rightarrow B = -1$$

Choose  $x=0$  in eq (2) & using  $B=-1$

$$0 = A(0+1) + (-1)$$

$$0 = A - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 = A$$

Now putting these values of A and B in eq (1)

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

Exp4: Find partial fractions of  $\frac{2x^2+1}{(x-2)^2(x+3)}$

Sol:  $\frac{2x^2+1}{(x-2)^2(x+3)}$  has linear repeated factors

$$\frac{2x^2+1}{(x-2)^2(x+3)} = \frac{A}{x+3} + \frac{B}{x-2} + \frac{C}{(x-2)^2} \dots\dots(1)$$

Multiply each term by  $(x-2)^2(x+3)$

$$2x^2+1 = A(x-2)^2 + B(x+3)(x-2) + C(x+3)$$

Put  $x+3=0$  or  $x=-3$  in eq (2)

$$2(-3)^2+1 = A(-3-2)^2 + B(-3+3)(-3-2) + C(-3+3)$$

$$2(9)+1 = A(-5)^2 + 0 + 0$$

$$19 = 25A \quad \Rightarrow A = \frac{19}{25}$$

Put  $x-2=0$  or  $x=2$  in eq (2)

$$2(2)^2+1 = A(2-2)^2 + B(2+3)(2-2) + C(2+3)$$

$$2(4)+1 = 0 + 0 + C(5)$$

$$9 = 5C \quad \Rightarrow C = \frac{9}{5}$$

Choose  $x=0$  in eq (2) & using  $B=-1$

$$2(0)^2+1 = A(0-2)^2 + B(0+3)(0-2) + C(0+3)$$

$$0+1 = A(-2)^2 + B(-6) + C(3) \text{ using } A = \frac{19}{25}, C = \frac{9}{5}$$

$$1 = \frac{19}{25}(-2)^2 - 6B + \frac{9}{5}(3)$$

$$1 = \frac{76}{25} - 6B + \frac{27}{5}$$

$$6B = \frac{76}{25} + \frac{27}{5} \times \frac{5}{5} - \frac{1}{1} \times \frac{25}{25}$$

$$6B = \frac{76+135-25}{25}$$

$$6B = \frac{186}{25} \quad \Rightarrow B = \frac{31}{25}$$

Now putting these values of A, B and C in eq (1)

$$\frac{2x^2+1}{(x-2)^2(x+3)} = \frac{19}{25(x+3)} + \frac{31}{25(x-2)} + \frac{9}{5(x-2)^2}$$

### Exercise 4.1

Q1.  $\frac{3x-2}{2x^2-x}$

Sol:  $\therefore$  fraction is proper and have linear factor

$$\frac{3x-2}{2x^2-x} = \frac{3x-2}{x(2x-1)} \text{ With two linear factors}$$

$$\frac{3x-2}{x(2x-1)} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{B}{2x-1} \dots\dots(1)$$

Multiply equation (1) by  $x(2x-1)$  we get

$$3x-2 = A(2x-1) + Bx \dots\dots(2)$$

Put  $x = 1/2$  in equation (2) we get

$$3\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) - 2 = A\left(2\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) - 1\right) + B\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$\frac{3}{2} - 2 = A(1-1) + \frac{B}{2}$$

$$\frac{3-4}{2} = A(0) + \frac{B}{2}$$

$$\frac{-1}{2} = 0 + \frac{B}{2} \quad \Rightarrow B = -1$$

Put  $x=0$  in equation (2) we get

$$3(0) - 2 = A[2(0) - 1] + B(0)$$

$$-2 = -A + 0 \quad \Rightarrow A = 2$$

Putting the values of A and B in eq (1)

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

Q2.  $\frac{x-1}{x^2+6x+5}$

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

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

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

With two linear factors

$$\frac{x-1}{(x+1)(x+5)} = \frac{A}{x+1} + \frac{B}{x+5} \dots\dots(1)$$

Multiply equation (1) by  $(x+1)(x+5)$  we get

$$x-1 = A(x+5) + B(x+1) \dots\dots\dots(2)$$

Put  $x = -5$  in equation (2) we get

$$-5-1 = A(-5+5) + B(-5+1)$$

$$-6 = A(0) + B(-4)$$

$$-6 = 0 - 4B$$

$$\Rightarrow B = \frac{-6}{-4} \quad \Rightarrow B = \frac{3}{2}$$

Put  $x = -1$  in equation (2) we get

$$-1-1 = A(-1+5) + B(-1+1)$$

$$-2 = A(4) + B(0)$$

$$-2 = 4A + 0$$

$$\Rightarrow A = \frac{-2}{4} \quad \Rightarrow A = \frac{-1}{2}$$

Putting the values of A and B in eq (1)

$$\frac{x-1}{(x+1)(x+5)} = \frac{-1}{2(x+1)} + \frac{3}{2(x+5)}$$

Q3: Resolve  $\frac{1}{x^2-1}$  into partial fraction

Sol:  $\frac{1}{x^2-1} = \frac{1}{(x-1)(x+1)} = \frac{A}{x-1} + \frac{B}{x+1} \dots\dots(1)$

Multiply both sides by  $(x-1)(x+1)$  we get

$$1 = A(x+1) + B(x-1) \dots\dots\dots(2)$$

Put  $x+1=0$  or  $x=-1$  in eq (2)

$$1 = A(-1+1) + B(-1-1)$$

$$1 = -2B \Rightarrow B = \frac{-1}{2}$$

Put  $x-1=0$  or  $x=1$  in eq (2)

$$1 = A(1+1) + B(1-1)$$

$$1 = 2A + 0 \Rightarrow A = \frac{1}{2}$$

Now putting these values of A and B in eq (1)

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

Q4:  $\frac{x}{x^2+4x-5}$

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

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Since } x^2+4x-5 &= x^2+5x-1x-5 \\ &= x(x+5)-1(x+5) \\ &= (x-1)(x+5) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Therefore } \frac{x}{(x-1)(x+5)} = \frac{A}{x-1} + \frac{B}{x+5} \dots\dots(1)$$

Multiply each term by  $(x-1)(x+5)$

$$x = A(x+5) + B(x-1) \dots\dots\dots(2)$$

Put  $x-1=0$  or  $x=1$  in eq (2)

$$1 = A(1+5) + B(1-1)$$

$$1 = 6A \Rightarrow A = \frac{1}{6}$$

Put  $x+5=0$  or  $x=-5$  in eq (2)

$$-5 = A(-5+5) + B(-5-1)$$

$$-5 = 0 - 6B \Rightarrow B = \frac{5}{6}$$

Putting the values of A and B in eq (1)

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

Q5:  $\frac{4x+2}{(x+2)(2x-1)}$

Sol:  $\frac{4x+2}{(x+2)(2x-1)} = \frac{A}{x+2} + \frac{B}{2x-1} \dots\dots(1)$

Multiply each term by  $(x+2)(2x-1)$

$$4x+2 = A(2x-1) + B(x+2) \dots\dots\dots(2)$$

Put  $2x-1=0$  or  $x=\frac{1}{2}$  in eq (2)

$$4\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + 2 = A\left(2\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) - 1\right) + B\left(\frac{1}{2} + 2\right)$$

$$2+2=0+\frac{5}{2}B$$

$$4 = \frac{5}{2}B \Rightarrow B = \frac{8}{5}$$

Put  $x+2=0$  or  $x=-2$  in eq (2)

$$4(-2)+2 = A(2(-2)-1) + B(-2+2)$$

$$-8+2 = A(-4-1) + 0$$

$$-6 = -5A \Rightarrow A = \frac{6}{5}$$

Now putting these values of A and B in eq (1)

$$\frac{4x+2}{(x+2)(2x-1)} = \frac{6}{5(x+2)} + \frac{8}{5(2x-1)}$$

Q6:  $\frac{x^2+5x+3}{(x^2-1)(x+1)}$

Sol: Given fraction is proper

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

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

with repeating linear factors

$$\frac{x^2+5x+3}{(x-1)(x+1)^2} = \frac{A}{x-1} + \frac{B}{x+1} + \frac{C}{(x+1)^2} \dots\dots(1)$$

Multiply equation (1) by  $(x-1)(x+1)^2$  we get

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{x^2+5x+3}{(x-1)(x+1)^2} (x-1)(x+1)^2 &= \frac{A}{x-1} (x-1)(x+1)^2 \\ &+ \frac{B}{x+1} (x-1)(x+1)^2 + \frac{C}{(x+1)^2} (x-1)(x+1)^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$x^2+5x+3 = A(x+1)^2 + B(x+1)(x-1) + C(x-1) \dots\dots(2)$$

Put  $x=1$  in equation (2) we get

$$1^2+5(1)+3 = A(1+1)^2 + B(1+1)(1-1) + C(1-1)$$

$$1+5+3 = A(2)^2 + 0 + 0$$

$$9 = A(4) \Rightarrow A = \frac{9}{4}$$

Put  $x=-1$  in equation (2) we get

$$(-1)^2+5(-1)+3 = A(-1+1)^2 + B(-1+1)(-1-1) + C(-1-1)$$

$$1-5+3 = A(0) + B(0) + C(-2)$$

$$-1 = 0 + 0 - 2C \Rightarrow C = \frac{1}{2}$$

Choose  $x=0$  and Putting  $A=9/4$  &  $C=1/2$  in eq (2)

$$(0)^2+5(0)+3 = A(0+1)^2 + B(0+1)(0-1) + C(0-1)$$

$$0+0+3 = \frac{9}{4}(1) + B(1)(-1) + \frac{1}{2}(-1)$$

$$3 = \frac{9}{4} - B - \frac{1}{2}$$

$$B = \frac{9}{4} - \frac{1}{2} - 3$$

$$B = \frac{9-2-12}{4} \Rightarrow B = \frac{-5}{4}$$

Putting the values of A, B and C in eq (1)

$$\frac{x^2+5x+3}{(x-1)(x+1)^2} = \frac{9}{4(x-1)} - \frac{5}{4(x+1)} + \frac{1}{2(x+1)^2}$$

Q7:  $\frac{x^2+2}{(x+2)(x^2+5x+6)}$

Sol: Take denominator  $(x+2)(x^2+5x+6)$

$$= (x+2)(x^2+3x+2x+6)$$

$$= (x+2)[x(x+3)+2(x+3)]$$

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

with repeating linear factors

$$\frac{x^2 + 2}{(x+2)^2(x+3)} = \frac{A}{x+2} + \frac{B}{(x+2)^2} + \frac{C}{x+3} \dots (1)$$

Multiply equation (1) by  $(x+2)^2(x+3)$  we get

$$x^2 + 2 = A(x+2)(x+3) + B(x+3) + C(x+2)^2 \dots (2)$$

Put  $x = -2$  in equation (2) we get

$$(-2)^2 + 2 = A(-2+2)(-2+3) + B(-2+3) + C(-2+2)^2$$

$$4 + 2 = A(0)(1) + B(1) + C(0)^2$$

$$6 = 0 + B + 0$$

$$\Rightarrow B = 6$$

Put  $x = -3$  in equation (2) we get

$$(-3)^2 + 2 = A(-3+2)(-3+3) + B(-3+3) + C(-3+2)^2$$

$$9 + 2 = A(-1)(0) + B(0) + C(-1)^2$$

$$11 = 0 + 0 + C$$

$$\Rightarrow C = 11$$

Choose  $x=0$  & Putting  $B=6$  &  $C=11$  in eq (2) we get

$$0^2 + 2 = A(0+2)(0+3) + 6(0+3) + 11(0+2)^2$$

$$0 + 2 = A(2)(3) + 6(3) + 11(4)$$

$$2 = 6A + 18 + 44$$

$$-6A = 18 + 44 - 2$$

$$-6A = 60$$

$$A = -10$$

Putting the values of A, B and C in eq (1)

$$\frac{x^2 + 2}{(x+2)(x^2 + 5x + 6)} = \frac{-10}{x+2} + \frac{6}{(x+2)^2} + \frac{11}{x+3}$$

Q8.  $\frac{2x-1}{x(x-3)^2}$

Sol: fraction is proper with repeating linear factors

$$\frac{2x-1}{x(x-3)^2} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{B}{x-3} + \frac{C}{(x-3)^2} \dots (1)$$

Multiply equation (1) by  $x(x-3)^2$  we get

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{2x-1}{x(x-3)^2} \times x(x-3)^2 &= \frac{A}{x} \times x(x-3)^2 \\ &+ \frac{B}{x-3} \times x(x-3)^2 + \frac{C}{(x-3)^2} \times x(x-3)^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$2x-1 = A(x-3)^2 + Bx(x-3) + Cx \dots (2)$$

Put  $x = 0$  in equation (2) we get

$$2(0)-1 = A(0-3)^2 + B(0)(0-3) + C(0)$$

$$0-1 = A(9) + 0 + 0$$

$$-1 = 9A \quad \Rightarrow A = \frac{-1}{9}$$

Put  $x = 3$  in equation (2) we get

$$2(3)-1 = A(3-3)^2 + B(3)(3-3) + C(3)$$

$$6-1 = A(0) + B(3)(0) + 3C$$

$$5 = 0 + 0 + 3C \quad \Rightarrow C = \frac{5}{3}$$

Choose  $x=1$  and Put  $A=-1/9$  &  $C=5/3$  in eq (2)

$$2(1)-1 = \frac{-1}{9}(1-3)^2 + B(1)(1-3) + \frac{5}{3}(1)$$

$$2-1 = \frac{-1}{9}(-2)^2 + B(1)(-2) + \frac{5}{3}$$

$$1 = \frac{-1}{9}(4) - 2B + \frac{5}{3}$$

$$2B = \frac{-4}{9} + \frac{5}{3} - 1$$

$$2B = \frac{-4+15-9}{9} = \frac{2}{9} \quad \Rightarrow B = \frac{1}{9}$$

Putting the values of A, B and C in eq (1)

$$\frac{2x-1}{x(x-3)^2} = \frac{-1}{9x} + \frac{1}{9(x-3)} + \frac{5}{3(x-3)^2}$$

Q9.  $\frac{x^2}{x^2+2x+1}$

Sol: Given  $\frac{x^2}{x^2+2x+1}$  is improper

$$x^2 + 2x + 1 \overline{) \begin{array}{r} x^2 \\ \pm x^2 \pm 2x \pm 1 \\ \hline -2x - 1 \end{array}}$$

So,  $\frac{x^2}{x^2+2(x)(1)+1^2} = 1 + \frac{-2x-1}{(x+1)^2} \dots (1)$

Take  $\frac{-2x-1}{(x+1)^2} = \frac{A}{x+1} + \frac{B}{(x+1)^2} \dots (2)$

Multiply each term by  $(x+1)^2$

$$-2x-1 = A(x+1) + B \dots (3)$$

Put  $x+1=0$  or  $x=-1$  in eq (3)

$$-2(-1)-1 = A(-1+1) + B$$

$$2-1 = 0 + B \quad \Rightarrow 1 = B$$

Choose  $x=0$  in eq (3) & Using  $B=1$

$$-2(0)-1 = A(0+1) + 1$$

$$-1 = A + 1 \quad \Rightarrow A = -2$$

Putting the values of A and B in eq (2)

$$\frac{-2x-1}{(x+1)^2} = \frac{-2}{x+1} + \frac{1}{(x+1)^2} \text{ Now put in (1)}$$

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

Q10.  $\frac{x^2}{(x+1)(x-1)^2}$

Sol:  $\frac{x^2}{(x+1)(x-1)^2}$  has linear repeated factors

$$\frac{x^2}{(x+1)(x-1)^2} = \frac{A}{x+1} + \frac{B}{x-1} + \frac{C}{(x-1)^2} \dots (1)$$

Multiply each term by  $(x-1)^2(x+1)$

$$x^2 = A(x-1)^2 + B(x+1)(x-1) + C(x+1) \dots (2)$$

Put  $x+1=0$  or  $x=-1$  in eq (2)

$$(-1)^2 = A(-1-1)^2 + B(-1+1)(-1-1) + C(-1+1)$$

$$1 = A(-2)^2 + 0 + 0$$

$$1 = 4A \quad \Rightarrow A = \frac{1}{4}$$

Put  $x-1=0$  or  $x=1$  in eq (2)

$$(1)^2 = A(1-1)^2 + B(1+1)(1-1) + C(1+1)$$

$$1 = 0 + 0 + 2C$$

$$1 = 2C \quad \Rightarrow C = \frac{1}{2}$$

Choose  $x = 0$  in eq (2) & using A and C

$$(0)^2 = A(0-1)^2 + B(0+1)(0-1) + C(0+1)$$

$$0 = A - B + C$$

$$B = A + C \text{ Using } A = \frac{1}{4}, C = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$B = \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{2}{2} \quad \Rightarrow B = \frac{3}{4}$$

Now putting these values of A, B and C in eq (1)

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

**Case 3:** When Q(x) has non repeated irreducible quadratic factors.

$$\frac{Bx + C}{(ax^2 + bx + c)(dx^2 + ex + f)} = \frac{Ax + B}{(ax^2 + bx + c)} + \frac{Cx + D}{(dx^2 + ex + f)}$$

Exp5:  $\frac{1}{(x+1)(x^2+2)}$

Sol:  $\frac{1}{(x+1)(x^2+2)} = \frac{A}{x+1} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+2} \dots\dots(1)$

Multiply each fraction by  $(x+1)(x^2+2)$

$$1 = A(x^2+2) + (Bx+C)(x+1) \dots\dots\dots(2)$$

Put  $x+1=0$  or  $x=-1$  in eq (2)

$$1 = A((-1)^2+2) + (B(-1)+C)(-1+1)$$

$$1 = A(1+2) + (-B+C)(0)$$

$$1 = 3A \quad \Rightarrow A = \frac{1}{3}$$

Again from eq (2)

$$1 = Ax^2 + 2A + Bx^2 + Bx + Cx + C \text{ Rearranging}$$

$$1 = Ax^2 + Bx^2 + Bx + Cx + 2A + C$$

$$1 = (A+B)x^2 + (B+C)x + 2A + C$$

Comparing the coefficients

Coefficients of $x^2$	Coefficients of $x$
$A + B = 0$	$B + C = 0$
$B = -A$	$C = -B$
$B = -\frac{1}{3}$	$C = -(-\frac{1}{3})$
	$C = \frac{1}{3}$

Putting the values of A, B and C in eq (1)

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

Exp6:  $\frac{4x^2-28}{x^4-x^2-6}$

Sol: Take  $x^4 - x^2 - 6 = x^4 - 3x^2 + 2x^2 - 6$   
 $= x^2(x^2 - 3) + 2(x^2 - 3)$   
 $= (x^2 - 3)(x^2 + 2)$

So  $\frac{4x^2-28}{x^4-x^2-6} = \frac{4x^2-28}{(x^2-3)(x^2+2)}$

$$\frac{4x^2-28}{(x^2-3)(x^2+2)} = \frac{Ax+B}{x^2-3} + \frac{Cx+D}{x^2+2} \dots\dots(1)$$

Multiply each fraction by  $(x^2-3)(x^2+2)$

$$4x^2 - 28 = (Ax+B)(x^2+2) + (Cx+D)(x^2-3)$$

$$4x^2 - 28 = Ax^3 + 2Ax + Bx^2 + 2B + Cx^3 - 3Cx + Dx^2 - 3D$$

Rearranging the terms according to power of x

$$4x^2 - 28 = Ax^3 + Cx^3 + Bx^2 + Dx^2 + 2Ax - 3Cx + 2B - 3D$$

$$4x^2 - 28 = (A+C)x^3 + (B+D)x^2 + (2A-3C)x + 2B-3D$$

Comparing the coefficients

Coefficients of $x^3$	coefficients of $x^2$
$A + C = 0$	$B + D = 4$
$C = -A \dots\dots(i)$	$D = 4 - B \dots\dots(ii)$

Coefficients of $x$	Constant
$2A - 3C = 0 \dots\dots(iii)$	$2B - 3D = -28 \dots\dots(iv)$

Putting value of C

$$2A - 3(-A) = 0 \quad 2B - 3(4 - B) = 28$$

$$2A + 3A = 0 \quad 2B - 12 + 3B = 28$$

$$5A = 0 \quad 5B = 12 + 28$$

$$\Rightarrow A = 0 \quad \Rightarrow B = 8$$

Put B=8 in eq (ii)

$$D = 4 - 8$$

$$D = -4$$

Putting the values of A, B, C and D in eq (1)

$$\frac{4x^2-28}{(x^2-3)(x^2+2)} = \frac{0x+8}{x^2-3} + \frac{0x+(-4)}{x^2+2}$$

$$\frac{4x^2-28}{(x^2-3)(x^2+2)} = \frac{8}{x^2-3} - \frac{4}{x^2+2}$$

Exp7:  $\frac{1}{(x-1)(x^2+1)^2}$

Sol:  $\frac{1}{(x-1)(x^2+1)^2} = \frac{A}{x-1} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+1} + \frac{Dx+E}{(x^2+1)^2} \dots(1)$

Multiply each fractions by  $(x-1)(x^2+1)^2$

$$\frac{1}{(x-1)(x^2+1)^2} = \frac{A}{x-1} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+1} + \frac{Dx+E}{(x^2+1)^2}$$

$$1 = A(x^2+1)^2 + (Bx+C)(x-1)(x^2+1) + (Dx+E)(x-1)$$

Put  $x-1=0$  or  $x=1$  in eq (2)

$$1 = A(1^2+1)^2 + (B.1+C)(0)(1+1) + (D+E)(0)$$

$$1 = A(2)^2 + 0 + 0 \quad \Rightarrow A = \frac{1}{4}$$

Form eq (2)

$$1 = A(x^4 + 2x^2 + 1) + (Bx+C)(x^3 + x - x^2 - 1) + (Dx+E)(x-1)$$

$$1 = Ax^4 + 2Ax^2 + A + Bx^4 + Bx^2 - Bx^3 - Bx + Cx^3 + Cx - Cx^2 - C + Dx^2 - Dx + Ex - E$$



Rearranging according to powers of x

$$1 = Ax^4 + Bx^4 - Bx^3 + Cx^3 + 2Ax^2 + Bx^2 - Cx^2 + Dx^2 - Bx + Cx - Dx + Ex + A - C - E$$

$$1 = (A+B)x^4 + (-B+C)x^3 + (2A+B-C+D)x^2 + (-B+C-D+E)x + A-C-E$$

Comparing the coefficients

Coefficients of $x^4$	coefficients of $x^3$
$A+B=0$	$-B+C=0$

$B = -A$

$C = B$

$B = \frac{-1}{4}$

$C = \frac{-1}{4}$

Constant

coefficients of x

$A - C - E = 1$

$-B + C - D + E = 0$

$\frac{1}{4} - \left(\frac{-1}{4}\right) - E = 1$

$-\left(\frac{-1}{4}\right) + \left(\frac{-1}{4}\right) + \left(\frac{-1}{2}\right) = D$

$\frac{1}{2} - E = 1$

$D = \frac{-1}{2}$

$E = \frac{1}{2} - 1 = \frac{-1}{2}$

Putting the values of A, B, C, D and E

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

**Exercise 4.2**

Q1.  $\frac{1}{x(x^2+1)}$

Sol: Given fraction is proper with linear factor and Quadratic factor

$$\frac{1}{x(x^2+1)} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+1} \dots (1)$$

Multiply equation (1) by  $x(x^2+1)$  we get

$$\frac{1}{x(x^2+1)} \times x(x^2+1) = \frac{A}{x} \times x(x^2+1) + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+1} \times x(x^2+1)$$

$1 = A(x^2+1) + (Bx+C)x$

$1 = Ax^2 + A + Bx^2 + Cx$

$1 = Ax^2 + Bx^2 + Cx + A$

$1 = (A+B)x^2 + Cx + A \dots (2)$

Comparing the coefficients of equation (2)

constant terms

coefficients of x

$1 = A$

$C = 0$

coefficients of  $x^2$ 

$A + B = 0$

$B = -A \quad \text{or} \quad B = -1$

Putting the values of A, B and C in eq (1)

$$\frac{1}{x(x^2+1)} = \frac{1}{x} + \frac{-1x+0}{x^2+1}$$

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

Q2.  $\frac{x^2+3x+1}{(x-1)(x^2+3)}$

Sol:  $\frac{x^2+3x+1}{(x-1)(x^2+3)} = \frac{A}{x-1} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+3} \dots (1)$

Multiply equation (1) by  $(x-1)(x^2+3)$  we get

$x^2+3x+1 = A(x^2+3) + (Bx+C)(x-1) \dots (2)$

$x^2+3x+1 = Ax^2+3A+Bx^2-Bx+Cx-C$

$x^2+3x+1 = Ax^2+Bx^2-Bx+Cx-C+3A$

$x^2+3x+1 = (A+B)x^2 + (-B+C)x + (-C+3A) \dots (3)$

Put x = 1 in eq (2) we get

$1^2+3(1)+1 = A(1^2+3) + (B(1)+C)(1-1)$

$1+3+1 = A(1+3) + (B+C)(0)$

$5 = 4A + 0 \Rightarrow A = \frac{5}{4}$

Comparing coefficients of eq (3)

coefficients of  $x^2$ 

coefficients of x

$1 = A + B$

$-B + C = 3$

$1 - A = B$

$C = 3 + B$

$B = 1 - \frac{5}{4}$

$C = 3 + \frac{-1}{4}$

$B = \frac{-1}{4}$

$C = \frac{12-1}{4}$

$C = \frac{11}{4}$

Putting the values of A, B and C in eq (1)

$$\frac{x^2+3x+1}{(x-1)(x^2+3)} = \frac{5}{4(x-1)} + \frac{-x+11}{4(x^2+3)}$$

$$\frac{x^2+3x+1}{(x-1)(x^2+3)} = \frac{5}{4(x-1)} - \frac{x-11}{4(x^2+3)}$$

Q3.  $\frac{2x+1}{(x-1)(x^2+1)}$

proper with linear factor

Sol:  $\frac{2x+1}{(x-1)(x^2+1)} = \frac{A}{x-1} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+1} \dots (1)$

Multiply each term by  $(x-1)(x^2+1)$ 

$2x+1 = A(x^2+1) + (Bx+C)(x-1) \dots (2)$

Put x = 1 in eq (2) we get

$2(1)+1 = A(1^2+1) + (B(1)+C)(1-1)$

$2+1 = A(1+1) + (B+C)(0)$

$3 = 2A + 0 \Rightarrow A = \frac{3}{2}$

From eq (2)

$2x+1 = Ax^2 + A + Bx^2 - Bx + Cx - C$

$2x+1 = Ax^2 + Bx^2 - Bx + Cx + A - C$

$2x+1 = (A+B)x^2 + (-B+C)x + A - C \dots (3)$

Comparing coefficients

coefficients of  $x^2$ 

coefficients of x

$A + B = 0$

$-B + C = 2$

$B = -A$

$C = 2 + B$

$B = \frac{-3}{2}$

$C = 2 - \frac{3}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$

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

Q4.  $\frac{-3}{x^2(x^2+5)}$

Solution: we have proper fraction with linear repeating factor and Quadratic factor

$$\frac{-3}{x^2(x^2+5)} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{B}{x^2} + \frac{Cx+D}{x^2+5} \dots\dots\dots(1)$$

Multiply equation (1) by  $x^2(x^2+5)$  we get

$$-3 = Ax(x^2+5) + B(x^2+5) + (Cx+D)x^2 \dots\dots(2)$$

Put  $x=0$  in eq (2)

$$-3 = A0(0^2+5) + B(0^2+5) + (C.0+D)(0)^2$$

$$-3 = 0 + 5B + 0 \quad \Rightarrow B = \frac{-3}{5}$$

From eq (2)

$$-3 = Ax^3 + 3Ax + Bx^2 + 3B + Cx^3 + Dx^2$$

$$-3 = Ax^3 + Cx^3 + Bx^2 + Dx^2 + 3Ax + 3B$$

$$-3 = (A+C)x^3 + (B+D)x^2 + 3Ax + 3B \dots\dots(3)$$

Comparing the coefficient of eq (3)

coefficients of $x$	coefficients of $x^3$
$3A = 0$	$A + C = 0$

$A = 0$	$C = 0 \quad \therefore A = 0$
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coefficients of  $x^2$

$$B + D = 0$$

$$D = -B \quad \Rightarrow D = \frac{3}{5}$$

Putting the values of A,B and C in eq (1)

$$\frac{1}{x^2(x^2+3)} = \frac{0}{x} + \frac{3}{5x^2} + \frac{0.x + \frac{3}{5}}{x^2+3}$$

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

Q5.  $\frac{3x-2}{(x+4)(3x^2+1)}$

Solution: we have proper fraction with linear factor and Quadratic factor

$$\frac{3x-2}{(x+4)(3x^2+1)} = \frac{A}{x+4} + \frac{Bx+C}{3x^2+1} \dots\dots\dots(1)$$

Multiply equation (1) by  $(x+4)(3x^2+1)$

$$3x-2 = A(3x^2+1) + (Bx+C)(x+4) \dots\dots\dots(2)$$

Put  $x+4=0$  or  $x=-4$

$$3(-4)-2 = A(3(-4)^2+1) + (B(-4)+C)(-4+4)$$

$$-12-2 = A(48+1) + (-4B+C)(0)$$

$$-14 = 49A \quad \Rightarrow A = \frac{-2}{7}$$

$$3x-2 = 3Ax^2 + A + Bx^2 + 4Bx + Cx + 4C$$

$$3x-2 = 3Ax^2 + Bx^2 + 4Bx + Cx + 4C + A$$

$$3x-2 = (3A+B)x^2 + (4B+C)x + (4C+A) \dots\dots(3)$$

Comparing the coefficients of equation (3)

Coefficients of  $x^2$       Coefficients of  $x$

$$3A+B=0$$

$$4B+C=3$$

$$B=-3A$$

$$C=3-4B$$

$$B=-3\left(\frac{-2}{7}\right)=\frac{6}{7}$$

$$C=3-4\left(\frac{6}{7}\right)$$

$$C=\frac{21-24}{7}=\frac{-3}{7}$$

Putting the values of A,B and C in eq (1)

$$\frac{3x-2}{(x+4)(3x^2+1)} = \frac{-2}{7(x+4)} + \frac{6x-3}{7(3x^2+1)}$$

Q6.  $\frac{5x}{(x+1)(x^2-2)^2}$

Sol:  $\frac{5x}{(x+1)(x^2-2)^2} = \frac{A}{x+1} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2-2} + \frac{Dx+E}{(x^2-2)^2} \dots\dots(1)$

Multiply equation (1) by  $(x+1)(x^2-2)^2$

$$5x = A(x^2-2)^2 + (Bx+C)(x+1)(x^2-2) + (Dx+E)(x+1)$$

put  $x+1=0$  or  $x=-1$  in eq (2)

$$5(-1) = A((-1)^2-2)^2 + (B(-1)+C)(0)((-1)^2-2) + (D(-1)+E)(0)$$

$$-5 = A(1-2)^2 + 0 + 0 \quad \Rightarrow A = -5$$

From eq (2)

$$5x = A(x^4 - 4x^2 + 4) + (Bx+C)(x^3 - 2x + x^2 - 2) + Dx^2 + Dx + Ex + E$$

$$5x = Ax^4 - 4Ax^2 + 4A + Bx^4 - 2Bx^2 + Bx^3 - 2Bx + Cx^3 - 2Cx + Cx^2 - 2C + Dx^2 + Dx + Ex + E$$

$$5x = Ax^4 + Bx^4 + Bx^3 + Cx^3 - 4Ax^2 - 2Bx^2 + Cx^2 + Dx^2 - 2Bx - 2Cx + Dx + Ex + 4A - 2C + E$$

$$5x = (A+B)x^4 + (B+C)x^3 + (-4A-2B+C+D)x^2 + (-2B-2C+D+E)x + (4A-2C+E) \dots\dots(3)$$

Comparing the coefficients in equation (3)

coefficients of  $x^4$       coefficients of  $x^3$

$$A+B=0$$

$$B+C=0$$

$$B=-A=-(-5)$$

$$C=-B$$

$$B=5$$

$$C=-5$$

Constant

coefficients of  $x^2$

$$4A-2C+E=0$$

$$-4A-2B+C+D=0$$

$$4(-5)-2(-5)+E=0 \quad -4(-5)-2(5)+(-5)+D=0$$

$$-20+10+E=0$$

$$20-10-5+D=0$$

$$E-10=0$$

$$D+5=0$$

$$E=10$$

$$D=-5$$

Putting the values of A,B,C,D and E in eq (1)

$$\frac{5x}{(x+1)(x^2-2)^2} = \frac{-5}{x+1} + \frac{5x-5}{x^2-2} + \frac{-5x+10}{(x^2-2)^2}$$

Q7.  $\frac{5x^2-4x+8}{(x^2+1)^2(x-2)}$

Sol: we have proper fraction with linear factor and Quadratic repeating factors

$$\frac{5x^2 - 4x + 8}{(x^2 + 1)^2(x - 2)} = \frac{Ax + B}{x^2 + 1} + \frac{Cx + D}{(x^2 + 1)^2} + \frac{E}{x - 2} \dots (1)$$

Multiply equation (1) by  $(x^2 + 1)^2(x - 2)$

$$5x^2 - 4x + 8 = (Ax + B)(x^2 + 1)(x - 2) + (Cx + D)(x - 2) + E(x^2 + 1)^2 \dots (2)$$

$$5x^2 - 4x + 8 = (Ax + B)(x^3 - 2x^2 + x - 2) + Cx^2 - 2Cx + Dx - 2D + E(x^4 + 2x^2 + 1)$$

$$5x^2 - 4x + 8 = Ax^4 - 2Ax^3 + Ax^2 - 2Ax + Bx^3 - 2Bx^2 + Bx - 2B + Cx^2 - 2Cx + Dx - 2D + Ex^4 + 2Ex^2 + E$$

$$5x^2 - 4x + 8 = (A + E)x^4 + (-2A + B)x^3 + (A - 2B + C + 2E)x^2 + (-2A + B - 2C + D)x + (-2B - 2D + E) \dots (3)$$

put  $x = 2$  in equation (2) we get

$$5(4) - 4(2) + 8 = (2A + B)(4 + 1)(0) + (2C + D)(0) + E(4 + 1)^2$$

$$20 - 8 + 8 = 0 + 0 + E(25)$$

$$20 = 25E$$

$$E = \frac{20}{25} \Rightarrow E = \frac{4}{5}$$

Comparing the coefficients in equation (3)

coefficients of  $x^4$       coefficients of  $x^3$

$$A + E = 0$$

$$-2A + B = 0$$

$$A = -E$$

$$B = 2A$$

$$A = \frac{-4}{5}$$

$$B = 2\left(\frac{-4}{5}\right) = \frac{-8}{5}$$

Constant

$$-2B - 2D + E = 8$$

$$-2B + E - 8 = 2D$$

$$-2\left(\frac{-8}{5}\right) + \frac{4}{5} - 8 = 2D$$

$$\frac{16 + 4 - 40}{5} = 2D$$

$$\frac{-20}{10} = D \Rightarrow D = -2$$

Putting the values of A, B, C, D and E in eq (1)

$$\frac{5x^2 - 4x + 8}{(x^2 + 1)^2(x - 2)} = \frac{-4x - 8}{5(x^2 + 1)} + \frac{x - 2}{(x^2 + 1)^2} + \frac{4}{5(x - 2)}$$

$$Q8. \frac{4x - 5}{(x^2 + 4)^2}$$

$$\text{Sol: } \frac{4x - 5}{(x^2 + 4)^2} = \frac{Ax + B}{x^2 + 4} + \frac{Cx + D}{(x^2 + 4)^2} \dots (1)$$

Multiply each term by  $(x^2 + 4)^2$

$$4x - 5 = (Ax + B)(x^2 + 4) + Cx + D$$

$$4x - 5 = Ax^3 + 4Ax + Bx^2 + 4B + Cx + D$$

$$4x - 5 = Ax^3 + Bx^2 + (4A + C)x + 4B + D$$

Comparing the coefficients

Coefficients of  $x^3$       coefficients of  $x^2$

$$A = 0$$

$$B = 0$$

Coefficients of  $x$

Constant terms

$$4A + C = 4$$

$$4B + D = -5$$

$$4(0) + C = 4$$

$$4(0) + D = -5$$

$$C = 4$$

$$D = -5$$

Putting A, B, C and D in eq (1)

$$\frac{4x - 5}{(x^2 + 4)^2} = \frac{0x + 0}{x^2 + 4} + \frac{4x + (-5)}{(x^2 + 4)^2}$$

$$\frac{4x - 5}{(x^2 + 4)^2} = \frac{4x - 5}{(x^2 + 4)^2}$$

$$Q9. \frac{8x^2}{(x^2 + 1)(1 - x^4)}$$

$$\text{Sol: } \frac{8x^2}{(x^2 + 1)(1 - x^4)} = \frac{8x^2}{(x^2 + 1)(1 + x^2)(1 - x)(1 + x)}$$

$$\frac{8x^2}{(x^2 + 1)^2(1 + x)(1 - x)} = \frac{A}{1 + x} + \frac{B}{1 - x} + \frac{Cx + D}{x^2 + 1} + \frac{Ex + F}{(x^2 + 1)^2} \quad (1)$$

Multiply each term by  $(x^2 + 1)^2(1 + x)(1 - x)$

$$8x^2 = A(1 - x)(x^2 + 1)^2 + B(x^2 + 1)^2(1 + x) + (Cx + D)(x^2 + 1)(1 - x^2) + (Ex + F)(1 - x^2) \quad (2)$$

Put  $x = 1$  in eq (2)

$$8(1)^2 = A(0)(1 + 1)^2 + B(1 + 1)^2(1 + 1) + (C + D)(1 + 1)(0) + (E + F)(0)$$

$$8 = 8B \Rightarrow B = 1$$

Put  $x = -1$  in eq (2)

$$8(-1)^2 = A(2)(1 + 1)^2 + B(1 + 1)^2(0) + (-C + D)(1 + 1)(0) + (-E + F)(0)$$

$$8 = 8A \Rightarrow A = 1$$

From eq (2)

$$8x^2 = A(1 - x)(x^4 + 2x^2 + 1) + B(x^4 + 2x^2 + 1)(1 + x) + (Cx + D)(1 + x^2)(1 - x^2) + (Ex + F)(1 - x^2)$$

$$8x^2 = A(x^4 + 2x^2 + 1 - x^5 - 2x^3 - x) + B(x^4 + 2x^2 + 1 + x^5 + 2x^3 + x)$$

$$+ (Cx + D)(1 - x^4) + (Ex + F)(1 - x^2)$$

$$8x^2 = Ax^4 + 2Ax^2 + A - Ax^5 - 2Ax^3 - Ax + Bx^4 + 2Bx^2 + B + Bx^5 + 2Bx^3 + Bx$$

$$+ Cx - Cx^5 + D - Dx^4 + Ex - Ex^3 + F - Fx^2$$

Rearranging terms according to powers of x

$$8x^2 = Bx^5 - Ax^5 - Cx^5 + Ax^4 + Bx^4 - Dx^4 - 2Ax^3 + 2Bx^3 - Ex^3 + 2Ax^2 + 2Bx^2 - Fx^2 - Ax + Bx + Cx + Ex + A + B + D + F$$

$$8x^2 = (B - A - C)x^5 + (A + B - D)x^4 + (-2A + 2B - E)x^3 + (2A + 2B - F)x^2 + (-A + B + C + E)x + A + B + D + F$$

Comparing the coefficients

Coefficients of  $x^5$       coefficients of  $x^4$

$$B - A - C = 0$$

$$A + B - D = 0$$

$$1 - 1 - C = 0$$

$$1 + 1 - D = 0$$

$$C = 0$$

$$D = 2$$

Coefficients of  $x^3$

coefficients of  $x^2$



$$\begin{aligned}
 -2A + 2B - E &= 0 & 2A + 2B - F &= 8 \\
 -2 + 2 - E &= 0 & 2 + 2 - F &= 8 \\
 E &= 0 & 4 - 8 &= F \\
 & & F &= -4
 \end{aligned}$$

Putting A, B, C, D, E, F in eq (1)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{8x^2}{(x^2+1)^2(1+x)(1-x)} &= \frac{1}{1+x} + \frac{1}{1-x} + \frac{0x+2}{x^2+1} + \frac{0x-4}{(x^2+1)^2} \\
 \frac{8x^2}{(x^2+1)^2(1+x)(1-x)} &= \frac{1}{1+x} + \frac{1}{1-x} + \frac{2}{x^2+1} - \frac{4}{(x^2+1)^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

Q10.  $\frac{2x^2+4}{(x^2+1)^2(x-1)}$

Sol: we have proper fraction with linear factor and Quadratic repeating factors

$$\frac{2x^2+4}{(x^2+1)^2(x-1)} = \frac{Ax+B}{x^2+1} + \frac{Cx+D}{(x^2+1)^2} + \frac{E}{x-1} \dots (1)$$

Multiply equation (1) by  $(x^2+1)^2(x-1)$

$$2x^2+4 = (Ax+B)(x^2+1)(x-1) + (Cx+D)(x-1) + E(x^2+1)^2 \dots (2)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 2x^2+4 &= (Ax+B)(x^3-x^2+x-1) \\
 &\quad + Cx^2-Cx+Dx-D + E(x^4+2x^2+1)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 2x^2+4 &= Ax^4 - Ax^3 + Ax^2 - Ax + Bx^3 - Bx^2 \\
 &\quad + Bx - B + Cx^2 - Cx + Dx - D + Ex^4 + 2Ex^2 + E
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 2x^2+4 &= (A+E)x^4 + (-A+B)x^3 + (A-B+C+2E)x^2 \\
 &\quad + (-A+B-C+D)x + (-B-D+E) \dots (3)
 \end{aligned}$$

put  $x = 1$  in equation (2) we get

$$2(1)+4 = (A+B)(1+1)(0) + (C+D)(0) + E(1+1)^2$$

$$2+4 = 0+0+4E$$

$$6 = 4E$$

$$\Rightarrow E = \frac{6}{4} \quad \Rightarrow E = \frac{3}{2}$$

Comparing the coefficients in equation (3)

coefficients of  $x^4$       coefficients of  $x^3$

$$A+E=0$$

$$-A+B=0$$

$$A=-E$$

$$B=A$$

$$A = -\frac{3}{2}$$

$$B = -\frac{3}{2}$$

Constant

$$-B-D+E=4$$

coefficients of  $x$

$$-(-\frac{3}{2}) + \frac{3}{2} - 4 = D$$

$$-A+B-C+D=0$$

$$3-4=D$$

$$-(-\frac{3}{2}) + (-\frac{3}{2}) + (-1) = C$$

$$\Rightarrow D = -1$$

$$-1 = C$$

Putting the values of A, B, C, D and E in eq (1)

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

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

i).  $\frac{1}{x^2-1} = \dots\dots\dots$

☐  $\frac{1}{x+1} - \frac{1}{x-1}$

☐  $\frac{1}{2(x+1)} - \frac{1}{2(x-1)}$

☐  $\frac{1}{2(x-1)} - \frac{1}{2(x+1)}$

☐  $\frac{2}{x-1} - \frac{1}{2(x+1)}$

ii). If  $P(x)$  and  $Q(x)$  are two polynomial then

$\frac{P(x)}{Q(x)}, Q(x) \neq 0$  is ..... fraction

☐ Rational

☐ Irrational

☐ Proper

☐ Improper

iii).  $\frac{x^2+2}{x^2+2x+2}$  is ..... fraction

☐ Proper

☐ Improper

☐ Irrational

☐ None of these

iv). What is quotient when  $x^3 - 8x^2 + 16x - 5$  is divided by  $x-5$

☐  $x^2 - x + 5$

☐  $x^2 - 3x + 2$

☐  $x^2 - 3x + 1$

☐  $x^2 + 13x - 49 + \frac{240}{x+5}$

Q2. Resolve into partial fractions.

Q2i).  $\frac{2x^2+1}{(x+1)(x-1)}$

Solution: improper so  $\frac{2x^2+1}{(x+1)(x-1)} = \frac{2x^2+1}{x^2-1}$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 2 \\
 x^2-1 \overline{) 2x^2+1} \\
 \underline{+2x^2-2} \\
 3
 \end{array}$$

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

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

Take

$$\frac{3}{(x+1)(x-1)} = \frac{A}{x+1} + \frac{B}{x-1} \dots (2)$$

Multiply equation (2) by  $(x+1)(x-1)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{3}{(x+1)(x-1)}(x+1)(x-1) &= \frac{A}{x+1}(x+1)(x-1) \\
 &\quad + \frac{B}{x-1}(x+1)(x-1)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$3 = A(x-1) + B(x+1) \dots (3)$$

Put  $x = 1$  in equation (3)

$$3 = A(1-1) + B(1+1)$$

$$3 = A(0) + B(2)$$

$$3 = 0 + 2B \quad \Rightarrow B = \frac{3}{2}$$

Put  $x = -1$  in equation (3)

## Review Exercise 4

Q1 Fill in the correct circle only

$$3 = A(-1-1) + B(-1+1)$$

$$3 = A(-2) + B(0)$$

$$3 = -2A + 0 \quad \Rightarrow A = \frac{-3}{2}$$

Putting the value of A and B in (2)

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

Thus equation (1) becomes

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

Q2ii).  $\frac{2x^3 - 3x^2 + 9x + 8}{x^2 - 3x + 2}$

Solution: improper so

$$\begin{array}{r} 2x+3 \\ x^2-3x+2 \overline{) 2x^3-3x^2+9x+8} \\ \underline{\pm 2x^3 \mp 6x^2 \pm 4x} \phantom{+8} \\ 3x^2+5x+8 \\ \underline{\pm 3x^2 \mp 9x \pm 6} \\ 14x+2 \end{array}$$

$$\frac{2x^3 - 3x^2 + 9x + 8}{x^2 - 3x + 2} = 2x + 3 + \frac{14x + 2}{x^2 - 3x + 2} \dots (1)$$

Take  $\frac{14x+2}{x^2-3x+2} = \frac{14x+2}{x^2-2x-x+2}$

$$\frac{14x+2}{x^2-3x+2} = \frac{14x+2}{x(x-2)-1(x-2)}$$

$$\frac{14x+2}{(x-1)(x-2)} = \frac{A}{x-1} + \frac{B}{x-2} \dots (2)$$

Multiply equation (2) by  $(x-1)(x-2)$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{14x+2}{(x-1)(x-2)}(x-1)(x-2) &= \frac{A}{x-1}(x-1)(x-2) \\ &+ \frac{B}{x-2}(x-1)(x-2) \end{aligned}$$

$$14x+2 = A(x-2) + B(x-1) \dots (3)$$

Put  $x = 1$  in equation (3)

$$14(1) + 2 = A(1-2) + B(1-1)$$

$$14 + 2 = A(-1) + B(0)$$

$$16 = -A \quad \Rightarrow A = -16$$

Put  $x = 2$  in equation (3)

$$14(2) + 2 = A(2-2) + B(2-1)$$

$$28 + 2 = A(0) + B(1)$$

$$30 = B \quad \Rightarrow B = 30$$

Putting the value of A and B in (2)

$$\frac{14x+2}{(x-1)(x-2)} = \frac{-16}{x-1} + \frac{30}{x-2}$$

Thus equation (1) becomes

$$\frac{2x^3 - 3x^2 + 9x + 8}{x^2 - 3x + 2} = 2x + 3 + \frac{-16}{x-1} + \frac{30}{x-2}$$

Q2iii).  $\frac{3x-1}{x^3-2x^2+x}$

Sol:  $\frac{3x-1}{x^3-2x^2+x} = \frac{3x-1}{x\{x^2-2x+1\}}$

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

with linear factors with linear repeating

$$\frac{3x-1}{x(x-1)^2} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{B}{x-1} + \frac{C}{(x-1)^2} \dots (1)$$

Multiply equation (1) by  $x(x-1)^2$  we get

$$3x-1 = A(x-1)^2 + Bx(x-1) + Cx \dots (2)$$

Put  $x = 1$  in equation (2) we get

$$3(1) - 1 = A(1-1)^2 + B(1)(1-1) + C(1)$$

$$3 - 1 = A(0) + B(1)(0) + C$$

$$\Rightarrow C = 2$$

Put  $x = 0$  in equation (2) we get

$$3(0) - 1 = A(0-1)^2 + B(0)(0-1) + C(0)$$

$$0 - 1 = A(1) + B(0)(-1) + 0$$

$$\Rightarrow A = -1$$

Choose  $x = 2$  and using  $A = -1$  &  $C = 2$  in (2)

$$3(2) - 1 = -1(2-1)^2 + B(2)(2-1) + 2(2)$$

$$6 - 1 = -1(1) + B(2)(1) + 4$$

$$5 = -1 + 2B + 4$$

$$5 + 1 - 4 = 2B$$

$$2 = 2B \quad \Rightarrow B = 1$$

Putting the values of A and B in eq (1)

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

Q2iv).  $\frac{x+1}{(x-1)^2}$

Sol:  $\frac{x+1}{(x-1)^2} = \frac{A}{x-1} + \frac{B}{(x-1)^2} \dots (1)$

Multiply equation (1) by  $(x-1)^2$  we get

$$x+1 = A(x-1) + B \dots (2)$$

Put  $x = 1$  in equation (2) we get

$$1+1 = A(1-1) + B$$

$$2 = A(0) + B \quad \Rightarrow B = 2$$

Choose  $x = 2$  and using  $B = 2$  in (2)

$$2+1 = A(2-1) + 2$$

$$3 = A(1) + 2$$

$$A = 3 - 2 \quad \Rightarrow A = 1$$

Putting the values of A and B in eq (1)

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

Q2v).  $\frac{2x^2}{x^4 - 4}$

Sol:  $\frac{2x^2}{x^4 - 4} = \frac{2x^2}{(x^2)^2 - (2)^2}$

$$\frac{2x^2}{x^4 - 4} = \frac{Ax + B}{x^2 + 2} + \frac{Cx + D}{x^2 - 2} \dots (2)$$

Multiply equation (1) by  $(x^2 - 2)(x^2 + 2)$

$$2x^2 = (Ax + B)(x^2 + 2) + (Cx + D)(x^2 - 2)$$

$$2x^2 = Ax^3 + 2Ax + Bx^2 + 2B + Cx^3 - 2Cx + Dx^2 - 2D$$

$$2x^2 = Ax^3 + Cx^3 + Bx^2 + Dx^2 + 2Ax - 2Cx + 2B - 2D$$

$$2x^2 = (A + C)x^3 + (B + D)x^2 + (2A - 2C)x + (2B - 2D) \dots (2)$$

Comparing the coefficients in equation (3)

Constant coefficients of x

$$2B - 2D = 0 \quad 2A - 2C = 0$$

$$B - D = 0 \quad A - C = 0$$

$$B = D \quad A = C$$

coefficients of  $x^2$  coefficients of  $x^3$

$$B + D = 2 \quad A + C = 0$$

$$B + B = 2 \quad \therefore B = D \quad A + A = 0 \quad \therefore A = C$$

$$2B = 2 \quad 2A = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow B = 1 = D \quad \Rightarrow A = 0 = C$$

Putting the values of A, B, C and D in eq (1)

$$\frac{2x^2}{x^4 - 4} = \frac{0x + 1}{x^2 + 2} + \frac{0x + 1}{x^2 - 2}$$

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

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

Sol:  $\frac{3x^2 + 3x + 2}{x^4 - 1} = \frac{3x^2 + 3x + 2}{(x^2)^2 - 1^2}$

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

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

with two linear and one Quadratic factor

$$\frac{3x^2 + 3x + 2}{(x + 1)(x - 1)(x^2 + 1)} = \frac{A}{x + 1} + \frac{B}{x - 1} + \frac{Cx + D}{x^2 + 1} \dots (1)$$

Multiply equation (1) by  $(x - 1)(x + 1)(x^2 + 1)$

$$3x^2 + 3x + 2 = A(x - 1)(x^2 + 1) + B(x + 1)(x^2 + 1) + (Cx + D)(x^2 - 1) \dots (2)$$

$$3x^2 + 3x + 2 = A(x^3 + x - x^2 - 1) + B(x^3 + x + x^2 + 1) + Cx^3 - Cx + Dx^2 - D$$

$$3x^2 + 3x + 2 = Ax^3 + Ax - Ax^2 - A + Bx^3 + Bx + Bx^2 + B + Cx^3 - Cx + Dx^2 - D$$

$$3x^2 + 3x + 2 = Ax^3 + Bx^3 + Cx^3 - Ax^2 + Bx^2 + Dx^2 + Ax + Bx - Cx - A + B - D$$

$$3x^2 + 3x + 2 = (A + B + C)x^3 + (-A + B + D)x^2 + (A + B - C)x + (-A + B - D) \dots (3)$$

Put  $x = 1$  in equation (2)

$$3(1)^2 + 3(1) + 2 = A(1 - 1)(1^2 + 1) + B(1 + 1)(1^2 + 1) + (C(1) + D)(1^2 - 1)$$

$$3 + 3 + 2 = A(0)(2) + B(2)(2) + (C + D)(0)$$

$$8 = 0 + 4B + 0 \quad \Rightarrow B = \frac{8}{4} = 2$$

Put  $x = -1$  in equation (2)

$$3(-1)^2 + 3(-1) + 2 = A(-1 - 1)((-1)^2 + 1) + B(-1 + 1)((-1)^2 + 1) + (C(-1) + D)((-1)^2 - 1)$$

$$3 - 3 + 2 = A(-2)(2) + B(0)(2) + (-C + D)(0)$$

$$2 = -4A + 0 + 0 \quad \Rightarrow A = \frac{-1}{2}$$

Comparing the coefficients in equation (3)

Constant coefficients of x

$$-A + B - D = 2 \quad A + B - C = 3$$

$$-\left(\frac{-1}{2}\right) + 2 - 2 = D \quad \frac{-1}{2} + 2 - 3 = C$$

$$D = \frac{1}{2} \quad C = \frac{-1}{2} - 1 \quad \Rightarrow C = \frac{-3}{2}$$

Putting the values of A, B, C and D in eq (1)

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

Q7.  $\frac{x^3 + 3x^2 + 1}{(x^2 + 1)^2}$

Sol:  $\frac{x^3 + 3x^2 + 1}{(x^2 + 1)^2} = \frac{Ax + B}{x^2 + 1} + \frac{Cx + D}{(x^2 + 1)^2} \dots (1)$

Multiply equation (1) by  $(x^2 + 1)^2$  we get

$$x^3 + 3x^2 + 1 = (Ax + B)(x^2 + 1) + (Cx + D) \dots (2)$$

$$x^3 + 3x^2 + 1 = Ax^3 + Ax + Bx^2 + B + Cx + D$$

$$x^3 + 3x^2 + 1 = Ax^3 + Bx^2 + (A + C)x + B + D \dots (3)$$

Comparing the coefficients in equation (3)

coefficients of  $x^3$  coefficients of  $x^2$

$$A = 1 \quad B = 3$$

coefficients of x Constant

$$A + C = 0 \quad B + D = 1$$

$$C = -A \quad D = 1 - B$$

$$C = -1 \quad D = 1 - 3$$

$$D = -2$$

Putting the values of A, B, C and D in eq (1)

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

Q2viii).  $\frac{2x^3 - 1}{x^3 + x^2}$

Sol:  $\frac{2x^3 - 1}{x^3 + x^2}$  is an improper fraction

$$x^3 + x^2 \quad \begin{array}{|c|} \hline 2 \\ \hline 2x^3 \quad -1 \\ \hline \pm 2x^3 \pm 2x^2 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

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

$$\frac{-2x^2-1}{x^2(x+1)} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{B}{x^2} + \frac{C}{x+1} \dots\dots\dots(2)$$

Multiply each term by  $x^2(x+1)$

$$-2x^2-1 = Ax(x+1) + B(x+1) + Cx^2 \dots\dots(3)$$

Put  $x=0$  in eq (3)

$$-2(0)^2-1 = A(0)(0+1) + B(0+1) + C(0)^2$$

$$0-1 = 0+B+0$$

$$B = -1$$

Put  $x=-1$  in eq (3)

$$-2(-1)^2-1 = A(-1)(-1+1) + B(-1+1) + C(-1)^2$$

$$-2-1 = 0+0+C$$

$$C = -3$$

Choose  $x=2$

$$-2(2)^2-1 = A(2)(2+1) + B(2+1) + C(2)^2$$

$$-8-1 = 6A+3B+4C \text{ using } B=-1, C=-3$$

$$-9 = 6A+3(-1)+4(-3)$$

$$-9 = 6A-3-12$$

$$-9+3+12 = 6A$$

$$6 = 6A \Rightarrow A = 1$$

Putting the values of A,B and C in eq (2)

$$\frac{-2x^2-1}{x^2(x+1)} = \frac{1}{x} + \frac{-1}{x^2} + \frac{-3}{x+1} \text{ Put in eq (1)}$$

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

Q2ix).  $\frac{4x^2+3x+14}{x^3-8}$

Sol:  $\frac{4x^2+3x+14}{x^3-2^3} = \frac{4x^2+3x+14}{(x-2)(x^2+2x+4)}$

$$\frac{4x^2+3x+14}{(x-2)(x^2+2x+4)} = \frac{A}{x-2} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+2x+4} \dots\dots(1)$$

Multiply each term by  $(x-2)(x^2+2x+4)$

$$4x^2+3x+14 = A(x^2+2x+4) + (Bx+C)(x-2) \dots\dots(2)$$

Put  $x=2$  in eq (2)

$$4(2)^2+3(2)+14 = A((2)^2+2(2)+4) + (2B+C)(0)$$

$$4(4)+6+14 = A(4+4+4) + 0$$

$$16+20 = 12A$$

$$36 = 12A \Rightarrow A = 3 \text{ Form eq (2)}$$

$$4x^2+3x+14 = Ax^2+2Ax+4A$$

$$+Bx^2-2Bx+Cx-2C$$

$$4x^2+3x+14 = (A+B)x^2 + (2A-2B+C)x + 4A-2C$$

Comparing the coefficients

Coefficients of  $x^2$  constant

$$A+B=4$$

$$4A-2C=14$$

$$3+B=4$$

$$4(3)-14=2C$$

$$B=1$$

$$-2=2C \Rightarrow C=-1$$

Putting the values of A,B and C in eq (1)

$$\frac{4x^2+3x+14}{(x-2)(x^2+2x+4)} = \frac{3}{x-2} + \frac{x-1}{x^2+2x+4}$$

Q3. Resolve  $\frac{x^4+3x^2+x+1}{(x+1)(x^2+1)^2}$

Sol:  $\frac{x^4+3x^2+x+1}{(x+1)(x^2+1)^2} = \frac{A}{x+1} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+1} + \frac{Dx+E}{(x^2+1)^2}$

Multiply each term by  $(x+1)(x^2+1)^2$

$$x^4+3x^2+x+1 = A(x^2+1)^2 + (Bx+C)(x+1)(x^2+1) + (Dx+E)(x+1) \dots\dots\dots(2)$$

$$x^4+3x^2+x+1 = A(x^4+2x^2+1)$$

$$+ (Bx+C)(x^3+x+x^2+1)$$

$$+ (Dx+E)(x+1)$$

$$x^4+3x^2+x+1 = Ax^4+2Ax^2+A+Bx^4+Bx^2+Bx^3$$

$$+Bx+Cx^3+Cx+Cx^2+C+Dx^2+Dx+Ex+E$$

$$x^4+3x^2+x+1 = (A+B)x^4 + (B+C)x^3$$

$$+ (2A+B+C+D)x^2 + (B+C+D+E)x$$

$$+A+C+E \dots\dots\dots(3)$$

Put  $x=-1$  in eq (2)

$$1+3-1+1 = A(1+1)^2 + (-B+C)(0)(1+1) + (-D+E)(0)$$

$$4 = 4A+0+0 \Rightarrow A = 1$$

Comparing the coefficients of eq (3)

coefficients of  $x^4$  coefficients of  $x^3$

$$A+B=1$$

$$B+C=0$$

$$1+B=1$$

$$0+C=0$$

$$B=0$$

$$C=0$$

Constant

coefficients of  $x^2$

$$A+C+E=1$$

$$2A+B+C+D=3$$

$$1+0+E=1$$

$$2+0+0+D=3$$

$$E=0$$

$$D=1$$

Putting the values of A,B,C,D & E in eq (1)

$$\frac{x^4+3x^2+x+1}{(x+1)(x^2+1)^2} = \frac{1}{x+1} + \frac{0x+0}{x^2+1} + \frac{1x+0}{(x^2+1)^2}$$

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