

$$21. \frac{3c-7}{2c-1} + \frac{2c+1}{1-2c} \begin{matrix} (-1) \\ (-1) \end{matrix}$$

* by -1
to match
denominators

$$\frac{3c-7}{2c-1} + \frac{-2c-1}{-1+2c}$$

$$\frac{3c-7-2c+1}{2c-1}$$

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

$$26. \frac{3a+1}{a-1} - \frac{a+4}{a-1}$$

$$\frac{3a+1-a-4}{a-1}$$

$$\frac{2a-3}{a-1}$$

Denominators are
already alike

$$36. \frac{(2g)6g}{(2g)(g+5)} - \frac{(g-2)(g+5)}{2g(g+5)}$$

$$\frac{12g^2 - \overset{\text{FOIL}}{(g-2)(g+5)}}{2g(g+5)}$$

$$\frac{12g^2 - (g^2 + 3g - 10)}{2g(g+5)}$$

$$\frac{12g^2 - g^2 - 3g + 10}{2g(g+5)}$$

$$\frac{11g^2 - 3g + 10}{2g(g+5)}$$

$$39. \frac{-2 \cancel{(t)}}{7r \cancel{(t)}} + \frac{4 \cancel{(7r)}}{t \cancel{(7r)}}$$

$$\frac{-2t + 28r}{7rt}$$

$$45. \frac{w-3}{w^2-w-20} + \frac{w}{w+4}$$

FACTOR
denominators

$$\frac{w-3}{(w-5)(w+4)} + \frac{w(w-5)}{(w+4)(w-5)}$$

$$\frac{w-3+w^2-5w}{(w+4)(w-5)}$$

$$\frac{w^2-4w-3}{(w+4)(w-5)}$$

$$57. \frac{2}{x-1} + \frac{3}{x+1} - \frac{4x-2}{x^2-1}$$

Factor denominator

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

distribute & gather like terms

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

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

cancel like factors

$$63. \frac{5x}{3x^2 + 19x - 14} - \frac{1}{9x^2 - 12x + 4}$$

factor both
denominator

$$\frac{5x \cancel{(3x-2)}}{(x+7)(3x-2)\cancel{(3x-2)}} - \frac{1}{(3x-2)(3x-2)(x+7)}$$

* See next
page for
factoring

$$\frac{15x^2 - 10x - 1x - 7}{(3x-2)(3x-2)(x+7)}$$

$$\frac{15x^2 - 11x - 7}{(3x-2)^2(x+7)}$$

$$\boxed{3x^2 + 19x - 14}$$

product sum

$$\begin{array}{r|l} -42 & 19 \\ \hline 21(-2) & 21+(-2) \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\downarrow \\ &(3x^2 + 21x)(-2x - 14) \\ &3x(x+7) - 2(x+7) \\ &\boxed{(3x-2)(x+7)} \end{aligned}$$

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Group & factor
out GCF

$$\boxed{9x^2 - 12x + 4}$$

$$\begin{array}{r|l} 36 & -12 \\ \hline -6 \cdot -6 & -6 + -6 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &(9x^2 - 6x)(-6x + 4) \\ &3x(3x-2) - 2(3x-2) \\ &(3x-2)(3x-2) \end{aligned}$$

$$24. \frac{5x+2}{2x+5} - \frac{x-8}{2x+5}$$

