

EXERCISE 5.2

Resolve the following into Partial Fraction:

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

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

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

4. $\frac{9}{(x+2)^2(x-1)}$

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Solution:

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

By multiplying $(x-1)^3$ both sides, we get

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

$$x = 1$$

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

$$2 - 3 + 4 = C$$

$$3 = C$$

$$C = 3$$

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

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

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

By equating the co-efficient of x^2 , x and constant

$$A = 2$$

$$-2A + B = -3$$

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

$$-4 + B = -3$$

$$B = -3 + 4$$

$$B = 1$$

So, A=2, B=1 and C=3

Therefore, by putting their value in eq (1)

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

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

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

Solution

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

By multiplying $(x+2)^3$ both sides, we get

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

$$x = -2$$

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

$$20 + 4 + 3 = A(0) + B(0) + C$$

$$C = 27$$

And

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

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

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

by equating the co-efficient of x^2 , x and constant

$$A = 5$$

$$4A + B = -2$$

$$4(5) + B = -2$$

$$20 + B = -2$$

$$B = -2 - 20$$

$$B = -22$$

so;

$$A = 5; B = -22; C = 27$$

Therefore, by putting these values in eq (1)

$$\frac{5x^2 - 2x + 3}{(x+2)^3} = \frac{5}{x+2} - \frac{22}{(x+2)^2} + \frac{27}{(x+2)^3}$$

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

Solution:

$$\text{Let } \frac{4x}{(x+1)^2(x-1)} = \frac{A}{x+1} + \frac{B}{(x+1)^2} + \frac{C}{x-1} \dots\dots(1)$$

By multiplying $(x+1)^2(x-1)$ both sides, we get

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

$$x = 1$$

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

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

$$4 = 4C$$

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

and

$$x = -1$$

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

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

$$-4 = -2B$$

$$B = -\frac{-4}{-2} = 2$$

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

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

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

By equating the co-efficient of x^2 , x and constant

$$A+C=0$$

$$A+1=0$$

$$A=0-1$$

$$A=-1$$

So,

$$\mathbf{A=-1; B=2 \quad \text{and} \quad C=1}$$

Therefore, by putting these values in eq (1)

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

4. $\frac{9}{(x+2)^2(x-1)}$

Solution

Let $\frac{9}{(x+2)^2(x-1)} = \frac{A}{x+2} + \frac{B}{(x+2)^2} + \frac{C}{x-1}$ (1)

By multiplying $(x+2)^2(x-1)$ both sides, we get

$$9 = A(x+2)(x-1) + B(x-1) + C(x+2)^2 \dots\dots(2)$$

$$x = -2$$

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

$$9 = A(0)(-3) + B(-3) + C(0)^2$$

$$9 = -3B$$

$$B = -3$$

And

x=1

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

$$9 = A(3)(0) + B(0)^2 + C(3)^2$$

$$9 = 9C$$

$$C = 1$$

$$9 = A(x^2 + x - 2) + B(x-1) + B(x-1) + C(x^2 + 4x + 4)$$

$$9 = Ax^2 + Ax - 2A + Bx - B$$

$$9 = (A+C)x^2 + (A+B+4C)x + (-2A-B+4C)$$

By equation the co-efficient of x^2 , x and constant

$$A+C=0$$

$$A+1=0$$

$$A=-1$$

SO, $A=-1$; $B=-3$ and $C=1$

Therefore, by putting these values in equation

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

OR

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

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

Solution:

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

By multiplying $(x-3)^2(x-1)$ both sides, we get

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

$$x = 1$$

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

$$1 = 0 + 0 + 16C$$

$$C = \frac{1}{16}$$

And put $x=3$ in eq (2)

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

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

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

$$1 = A(x^2 + 2x - 3) + B(x+1) + C(x^2 - 6x + 9)$$

$$1 = Ax^2 + 2Ax - 3A + Bx + B + Cx^2 - 6Cx + 9C$$

$$1 = (A+C)x^2 + (2A+B-6C)x + (-3A+B+9C)$$

By equating the co-efficient of x^2 , x and constant

$$\mathbf{A+C=0}$$

$$C = -A = \frac{1}{16}$$

so,

$$A = -\frac{1}{16}; B = \frac{1}{4}; C = \frac{1}{16}$$

Therefore, by putting these values in eq (1)

$$\frac{1}{(x-3)^2(x+1)} = -\frac{1}{16(x-3)} + \frac{1}{4(x-3)^2} + \frac{1}{16(x+1)}$$

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

Solution

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

By multiplying $(x-2)(x-1)^2$ both sides we get

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

$$x = 1$$

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

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

$$1 = 0 + 0 - C$$

$$C = -1$$

$$x = 2$$

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

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

$$4 = A + 0 + 0$$

$$A = 4$$

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

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

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

By equating the co-efficient of x^2 , x and constant

$$A+B=1$$

$$4+B=1$$

$$B=1-4=-3$$

$$B=-3$$

So,

$$A=4 \quad ; \quad B=-3 \quad ; \quad C=-1$$

Therefore, by putting these values in eq (1)

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

Hence;

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

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

Solution

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

By multiplying $(x-1)^2(x+1)$ both sides we get.

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

Put $x = 1$ in eq. (ii)

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

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

$$1 = 2B$$

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

And put $x = -1$ in eq, (ii)

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

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

$$1 = C(4)$$

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

By equating the coefficient of x^2 , x and constant

$$A + C = 0$$

$$A = 0 - C = -\frac{1}{4}$$

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

So

$$A = -\frac{1}{4} \quad ; \quad B = \frac{1}{2} \quad ; \quad C = \frac{1}{4}$$

Therefore, by putting these values in eq. (i)

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

Hence

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

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

Let $\frac{x^2}{(x-1)^3(x+1)} = \frac{A}{(x-1)} + \frac{B}{(x-1)^2} + \frac{C}{(x-1)^3} + \frac{D}{(x+1)}$ ————— (i)

By multiplying $(x-1)^2(x+1)$ both sides we get

$$x^2 = A(x-1)^2(x+1) + B(x-1)(x+1) + C(x+1) + D(x-1)^3 \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

Put $x = 1$ in eq. (ii)

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

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

$$1 = 2C$$

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

Put $x = -1$ in eq. (ii)

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

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

$$1 = D(-8)$$

$$D = -\frac{1}{8}$$

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

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

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

By equating the co-efficient of x^3, x^2, x and constant

$$A + D = 0$$

$$A = 0 - D = 0 - \left(-\frac{1}{8}\right)$$

$$A = \frac{1}{8}$$

and

$$-A + B - 3D = 1$$

$$-\frac{1}{8} + B - 3\left(\frac{1}{8}\right) = 1$$

$$B = 1 + \frac{1}{8} + \frac{3}{8}$$

$$B = \frac{8+1+3}{8}$$

$$B = \frac{12}{8}$$

$$B = \frac{3}{4}$$

So,

$$A = \frac{1}{8} \quad ; \quad B = \frac{3}{4} \quad ; \quad C = \frac{1}{2} \quad ; \quad D = -\frac{1}{8}$$

Therefore, by putting these values in equation (i)

$$\frac{x^2}{(x-1)^3(x+1)} = \frac{\frac{1}{8}}{(x-1)} + \frac{\frac{3}{4}}{(x-1)^2} + \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{(x-1)^3} + \frac{-\frac{1}{8}}{(x+1)}$$

Hence,

$$\frac{x^2}{(x-1)^3(x+1)} = \frac{1}{8(x-1)} + \frac{3}{4(x-1)^2} + \frac{1}{2(x-1)^3} - \frac{1}{8(x+1)}$$

Q9. $\frac{x-1}{(x-2)(x+1)^3}$

Solution

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

By multiplying $(x-2)(x+1)^3$ both sides we get

$$x-1 = A(x+1)^3 + B(x-2)(x+1)^2 + C(x-2)(x+1) + D(x-2) \text{ ----- (ii)}$$

Put $x = -1$ in eq.(ii)

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

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

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

$$D = \frac{2}{3}$$

Put $x = 2$ in eq. (ii)

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

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

$$1 = A27$$

$$A = \frac{1}{27}$$

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

$$x-1 = (Ax^3 + 3Ax^2 + 3Ax + A) + (Bx - B2)(Bx^2 + 2Bx + B) + (Cx^2 - Cx - 2C) + (Dx - 2D)$$

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

By equating the co-efficient of x^3, x^2, x and constant

$$A + B = 0$$

$$\frac{1}{27} + B = 0$$

$$B = \frac{-1}{27}$$

and

$$3\left(\frac{1}{27}\right) - 3\left(\frac{-1}{27}\right) - C + \frac{2}{3} = 1$$

$$\frac{3}{27} + \frac{3}{27} - C + \frac{2}{3} = 1$$

$$-C = \frac{9-6-1-1}{9}$$

$$C = -\frac{1}{9}$$

So

$$A = \frac{1}{27} \quad ; \quad B = \frac{-1}{27} \quad ; \quad C = \frac{-1}{9} \quad ; \quad D = \frac{2}{3}$$

Therefore, by putting these values in equation (i)

$$\frac{x-1}{(x-2)(x+1)^3} = \frac{1/27}{(x-2)} + \frac{-1/27}{(x+1)} + \frac{-1/9}{(x+1)^2} + \frac{2/3}{(x+1)^3}$$

Hence

$$\frac{x-1}{(x-2)(x+1)^3} = \frac{1}{27(x-2)} - \frac{1}{27(x+1)} - \frac{1}{9(x+1)^2} + \frac{2}{3(x+1)^3}$$

Q10. $\frac{4x^3}{(x^2-1)(x+1)^2}$

Solution

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

$$\frac{4x^3}{(x-1)(x+1)^3} = \frac{A}{(x-1)} + \frac{B}{(x+1)} + \frac{C}{(x+1)^2} + \frac{D}{(x+1)^3} \text{----- (i)}$$

By multiplying $(x-1)(x+1)^3$ both sides we get

$$4x^3 = A(x+1)^3 + B(x-1)(x+1)^2 + C(x-1)(x+1) + D(x-1) \text{----- (ii)}$$

Put $x = 1$ in eq. (ii)

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

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

$$4 = A8$$

$$A = \frac{4}{8}$$

$$A = \frac{1}{2}$$

And put $x = -1$ in eq. (ii)

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

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

$$-4 = D(-2)$$

$$D = 2$$

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

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

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

By equating the co-efficient of x^3, x^2, x and constant

$$A + B = 4$$

$$B = 4 - A$$

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

$$B = \frac{8-1}{2} = \frac{7}{2}$$

and

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

$$\frac{1}{2} - \frac{7}{2} - C - 2 = 0$$

$$C = \frac{1-7-4}{2}$$

$$C = -5$$

So

$$A = \frac{1}{2} \quad ; \quad B = \frac{7}{2} \quad ; \quad C = -5 \quad ; \quad D = 2$$

Therefore, by putting the values in equation (i)

$$\frac{4x^3}{(x-1)(x+1)^3} = \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{(x-1)} + \frac{\frac{7}{2}}{(x+1)} + \frac{-5}{(x+1)^2} + \frac{2}{(x+1)^3}$$

Hence

$$\frac{4x^3}{(x-1)(x+1)^3} = \frac{1}{2(x-1)} + \frac{7}{2(x+1)} - \frac{5}{(x+1)^2} + \frac{2}{(x+1)^3}$$

Q11. $\frac{2x+1}{(x+3)(x-1)(x+2)^2}$

Solution

Let $\frac{2x+1}{(x+3)(x-1)(x+2)^2} = \frac{A}{(x+3)} + \frac{B}{(x-1)} + \frac{C}{(x+2)} + \frac{D}{(x+2)^2}$ _____ (i)

By multiplying $(x+3)(x-1)(x+2)^2$ both sides we get

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

Put $x=1$ in eq. (ii)

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

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

$$3 = B36$$

$$B = \frac{3}{36}$$

$$B = \frac{1}{12}$$

And put $x=-2$ in eq. (ii)

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

$$-4+1 = A(0) + B(0) + C(0) + D(1)(-3)$$

$$-3 = D(-3)$$

$$D = 1$$

And put $x = -3$ in eq.(ii)

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

$$-6+1 = A(-4)(-1)^2 + B(0) + C(0) + D(0)$$

$$-5 = A(-4)$$

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

$$2x+1 = A(x-1)(x^2+4x+4) + B(x+3)(x^2+4x+4) + C(x^2+5x+6)(x-1) + D(x^2+2x-3)$$

$$2x+1 = A(x^3+3x^2-4) + B(x^3+7x^2+16x+12) + C(x^3+4x^2+x+6) + D(x^2+2x-3)$$

$$2x+1 = (A+B+C)x^3 + (3A+7B+4C+D)x^2 + (16B+C+2D)x + (-4A+12B)+6(6C-3D)$$

By equating the co-efficient of x^3, x^2, x and constant

$$A+B+C=0$$

$$\frac{5}{4} + \frac{1}{2} + C = 0$$

$$\frac{15+1}{12} + C = 0$$

$$C = \frac{-16}{12}$$

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

So,

$$A = \frac{5}{4} \quad ; \quad B = \frac{1}{12} \quad ; \quad C = \frac{-4}{3} \quad \text{and} \quad D = 1$$

Therefore, by putting the values in equation (i)

$$\frac{2x+1}{(x+3)(x-1)(x+2)^2} = \frac{\frac{5}{4}}{(x+3)} + \frac{\frac{1}{12}}{(x-1)} + \frac{\frac{-4}{3}}{(x+2)} + \frac{1}{(x+2)^2}$$

Hence

$$\frac{2x+1}{(x+3)(x-1)(x+2)^2} = \frac{5}{4(x+3)} + \frac{1}{12(x-1)} - \frac{4}{3(x+2)} + \frac{1}{(x+2)^2}$$

Q12. $\frac{2x^4}{(x-3)(x+2)^2}$

Solution

$$\frac{2x^4}{(x-3)(x^2+4x+4)} = \frac{2x^4}{x^3+4x^2-4x-3x^2-12x-12}$$

$$= \frac{3x^4}{x^3 + x^2 - 8x - 12}$$

Since the fraction is improper because the order of numerator is 4 and denominator's order is 3. Convert the improper fraction to proper fraction.

$$\begin{array}{r} x^3 + x^2 - 8x - 12 \overline{) 2x^4} \\ \underline{\pm 2x^4 \pm 2x^3 \mp 16x^2 \mp 24x} \\ +2x^3 + 16x^2 + 24x \\ \underline{\mp 2x^3 \mp 2x^2 \pm 16x + 24} \\ 18x^2 + 8x + 24 \end{array}$$

$$\frac{2x^4}{(x-3)(x+2)^2} = (2x-2) + \frac{18x^2 - 8x - 24}{(x-3)(x+2)^2}$$

$$\frac{18x^2 - 8x - 24}{(x-3)(x+2)^2} = \frac{A}{x-3} + \frac{B}{x+2} + \frac{C}{(x+2)^2} \quad (i)$$

By multiplying $(x-3)(x+2)^2$ both sides we get

$$18x^2 + 8x - 24 = A(x+2)^2 + B(x-3)(x+2) + C(x-3) \quad (ii)$$

Put $x = 3$ in eq. (ii)

$$18(3)^2 + 8(3) - 24 = A(3+2)^2 + B(3-3)(3+2) + C(3-3)$$

$$162 + 24 - 24 = A(5)^2 = B(0) + C(0)$$

$$162 = A25$$

$$A = \frac{162}{25}$$

Put $x = -2$ in eq. (ii)

$$18(-2)^2 + 8(-2) - 24 = A(-2+2)^2 + B(-2-3)(-2+2) + C(-2-3)$$

$$72 - 16 - 24 = A(0) + B(0) + C(-5)$$

$$32 = -5C$$

$$C = -\frac{32}{5}$$

$$18x^2 + 8x - 24 = A(x^2 + 4x + 4) + B(x^2 - x - 6) + C(x - 3)$$

$$18x^2 + 8x - 24 = (Ax^2 + 4Ax + 4A) + (Bx^2 - Bx - 6B) + (Cx - 3C)$$

$$18x^2 + 8x - 24 = (A + B)x^2 + (4A - B + C)x + (4 - 6B - 3C)$$

By equating the co-efficient of x^2, x and constant

$$A + B = 18$$

$$\frac{162}{25} + B = B$$

$$B = \frac{400 - 162}{25}$$

$$B = \frac{288}{25}$$

So,

$$A = \frac{162}{25} \quad ; \quad B = \frac{288}{25} \quad ; \quad \text{and } C = -\frac{32}{5}$$

Therefore, putting these values in eq. (i)

$$\frac{18x^2 - 8x - 24}{(x-3)(x+2)^2} = \frac{162/25}{(x-3)} + \frac{288/25}{(x+2)} + \frac{-32/5}{(x+2)^2}$$

Hence

$$\frac{18x^2 - 8x - 24}{(x-3)(x+2)^2} = \frac{162}{25(x-3)} + \frac{288}{25(x+2)} - \frac{32}{5(x+2)^2}$$

