

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

Q.10  $\frac{1}{3(x+1)} + \frac{7}{6(x-2)} - \frac{3x+2}{2(x^2-2)}$

Q.11  $\frac{1}{3(x-1)} - \frac{x+2}{3(x^2+x+1)}$

Q.12  $\frac{7}{10(x-1)} - \frac{1}{10(x+1)} - \frac{3x-1}{5(x^2+4)}$

#### 4.11 Type IV: Quadratic repeated factors

When the denominator has repeated Quadratic factors.

**Example 1:**

Resolve into partial fraction  $\frac{x^2}{(1-x)(1+x^2)^2}$

**Solution:**

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

Multiplying both sides by L.C.M. i.e.,  $(1-x)(1+x^2)^2$  on both sides, we have

$$x^2 = A(1+x^2)^2 + (Bx+C)(1-x)(1+x^2) + (Dx+E)(1-x) \quad \dots \dots \dots (i)$$

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

Put  $1-x=0 \Rightarrow x=1$  in eq. (i), we have

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

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

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

$$+ D(x-x^2) + E(1-x) \quad \dots \dots \dots (ii)$$

Comparing the co-efficients of like powers of  $x$  on both sides in Equation (II), we have

$$\text{Co-efficient of } x^4 : A - B = 0 \quad \dots \dots \dots (i)$$

$$\text{Co-efficient of } x^3 : B - C = 0 \quad \dots \dots \dots (ii)$$

$$\text{Co-efficient of } x^2 : 2A - B + C - D = 1 \quad \dots \dots \dots (iii)$$

$$\text{Co-efficient of } x : B - C + D - E = 0 \quad \dots \dots \dots (iv)$$

$$\text{Co-efficient term from (i),} \quad A + C + E = 0 \quad \dots \dots \dots (v)$$

$$B = A$$

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

from (i)

$$\Rightarrow C = \frac{1}{4} \quad \therefore C = \frac{1}{4}$$

from (iii)

$$\begin{aligned} D &= 2A - B + C - 1 \\ &= 2\left(\frac{1}{4}\right) - \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{4} - 1 \end{aligned}$$

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

from (v)

E = -A - C

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

Hence the required partial fractions are by putting the values of A, B, C, D, E,

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

**Example 2:**

Resolve into partial fractions  $\frac{x^2 + x + 2}{x^2(x^2 + 3)^2}$

**Solution:**

$$\text{Let } \frac{x^2 + x + 2}{x^2(x^2 + 3)^2} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{B}{x^2} + \frac{Cx + D}{x^2 + 3} + \frac{Ex + F}{(x^2 + 3)^2}$$

Multiplying both sides by L.C.M. i.e.,  $x^2(x^2 + 3)^2$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 + x + 2 &= Ax(x^2 + 3)^2 + B(x^2 + 3)^2 \\ &\quad + (Cx + D)x^2(x^2 + 3) + (Ex + F)(x^2) \end{aligned}$$

Putting  $x = 0$  on both sides, we have

$$\begin{aligned} 2 &= B(0+3)^2 \\ 2 &= 9B \quad \Rightarrow \quad \boxed{B = \frac{2}{9}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } x^2 + x + 2 &= Ax(x^4 + 6x^2 + 9) + B(x^4 + 6x^2 + 9) \\ &\quad + C(x^5 + 3x^3) + D(x^4 + 3x^2) + E(x^3) + Fx^2 \\ x^2 + x + 2 &= (A+C)x^5 + (B+D)x^4 + (6A+3C+E)x^3 \end{aligned}$$

$$+(6B+3D+F)x^2 + (x+9B)$$

Comparing the co-efficient of like powers of  $x$  on both sides of Eq.

(I), we have

$$\text{Co-efficient of } x^5 : A + C = 0 \quad \dots \dots \dots$$

(i)

$$\text{Co-efficient of } x^4 : B - D = 0 \quad \dots \dots \dots$$

(ii)

$$\text{Co-efficient of } x^3 : 6A + 3C + E = 0 \quad \dots \dots \dots$$

(iii)

$$\text{Co-efficient of } x^2 : 6B + 3D + F = 1 \quad \dots \dots \dots$$

(iv)

$$\text{Co-efficient of } x : 9A = 1 \quad \dots \dots \dots$$

(v)

$$\text{Co-efficient term} : 9B = 1 \quad \dots \dots \dots$$

(vi)

$$\text{from (v)} \quad 9A = 1$$

$\Rightarrow$

$$A = \boxed{\frac{1}{9}}$$

from (i)

$$\begin{aligned} A + C &= 0 \\ C &= -A \end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow$

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

from (i)

$$\begin{aligned} B + D &= 0 \\ D &= -B \end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow$

$$D = \boxed{-\frac{2}{9}}$$

from (iii)  $6A + 3C + E =$

$$6\left(\frac{1}{9}\right) + 3\left(-\frac{1}{9}\right) + E = 0$$

$$E = \frac{3}{9} - \frac{6}{9}$$

$\Rightarrow$

$$E = \boxed{-\frac{1}{3}}$$

from (iv)  $6B + 3D + F = 1$

$$F = 1 - 6B - 3D$$

$$= 1 - 6\left(\frac{2}{9}\right) - 3\left(\frac{2}{9}\right)$$

$$= 1 - \frac{12}{9} + \frac{6}{9}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{F = \frac{1}{3}}$$

Hence the required partial fractions are

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

### Exercise 4.4

Resolve into Partial Fraction:

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

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

Q.3  $\frac{5x^2 + 3x + 9}{x(x^2 + 3)^2}$

Q.4  $\frac{4x^4 + 3x^3 + 6x^2 + 5x}{(x-1)(x^2 + x + 1)^2}$

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

Q.6  $\frac{x^3 - 15x^2 - 8x - 7}{(2x-5)(1+x^2)^2}$

Q.7  $\frac{49}{(x-2)(x^2+3)^2}$

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

Q.9  $\frac{x^4 + x^3 + 2x^2 - 7}{(x+2)(x^2 + x + 1)^2}$

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

Q.11  $\frac{1}{x^4 + x^2 + 1}$

### Answers 4.4

Q.1  $\frac{7}{9(x+1)} - \frac{7x-7}{9(x^2+2)} - \frac{7x-7}{3(x^2+2)^2}$

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

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

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

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

$$\text{Q.6} \quad -\frac{2}{2x-5} + \frac{x+3}{1+x^2} + \frac{x-2}{(1+x^2)^2}$$

$$\text{Q.7} \quad \frac{1}{x-2} - \frac{x+2}{x^2+3} - \frac{7x+14}{(x^2+3)^2}$$

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

$$\text{Q.9} \quad \frac{1}{x+2} + \frac{2x-3}{(x^2+x+1)^2} - \frac{1}{x^2+x+1}$$

$$\text{Q.10} \quad \frac{1}{9(x^2+1)} - \frac{1}{9(x^2+4)} + \frac{2}{3(x^2+4)^2}$$

$$\text{Q.11} \quad -\frac{(x-1)}{2(x^2-x+1)} + \frac{(x+1)}{2(x^2+x+1)}$$

### Summary

Let  $N(x) \neq 0$  and  $D(x) \neq 0$  be two polynomials. The  $\frac{N(x)}{D(x)}$  is called a proper fraction if the degree of  $N(x)$  is smaller than the degree of  $D(x)$ .

For example:  $\frac{x-1}{x^2+5x+6}$  is a proper fraction.

Also  $\frac{N(x^1)}{D(x)}$  is called an improper fraction if the degree of  $N(x)$  is greater than or equal to the degree of  $D(x)$ .

For example:  $\frac{x^5}{x^4-1}$  is an improper fraction.

In such problems we divide  $N(x)$  by  $D(x)$  obtaining a quotient  $Q(x)$  and a remainder  $R(x)$  whose degree is smaller than that of  $D(x)$ .

Thus  $\frac{N(x)}{D(x)} = Q(x) + \frac{R(x)}{D(x)}$  where  $\frac{R(x)}{D(x)}$  is proper fraction.

Types of proper fraction into partial fractions.

Type 1:

Linear and distinct factors in the  $D(x)$

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

Type 2:

Linear repeated factors in D(x)

$$\frac{x-a}{(x+a)(x^2+b^2)} = \frac{A}{x+a} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+b^2}$$

Type 3:

Quadratic Factors in the D(x)

$$\frac{x-a}{(x+a)(x^2+b)^2} = \frac{A}{x+a} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+b^2}$$

Type 4:

Quadratic repeated factors in D(x):

$$\frac{x-a}{(x^2+a^2)(x^2+b^2)} = \frac{Ax+B}{x^2+a^2} + \frac{Cx+D}{x^2+b^2} + \frac{Ex+F}{(x^2+b^2)^2}$$