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#9)  $6x^2 - 18x - 18 = 6$   
 $6x^2 - 18x - 24 = 0$   
 $6(x^2 - 3x - 4) = 0$   
 $6(x^2 - 4x + x - 4) = 0$   $ac = -4$   
 $6(x(x-4) + 1(x-4)) = 0$   $b = -3$   
 $6(x-4)(x+1) = 0$   $\frac{-4}{4} \frac{+}{1}$   
 $6(x-4)(x+1) = 0$   
 $(6x-24)(x+1) = 0$  *Zero Factor Theorem*  
 $a \cdot b = 0$

①  $6x - 24 = 0$   
 $6x = 24$   
 $x = 4$

②  $x + 1 = 0$   
 $x = -1$

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*Simplifying Rational Expressions*

① *IFIF*  $\frac{a}{b} \cdot \frac{c}{c} = \frac{\frac{ac}{bc}}{\frac{bc}{bc}} = \frac{a}{b}$   
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*Dividing out Common factor*

② *Multiplication*  
 $\frac{a}{b} \rightarrow \frac{c}{d} = \frac{ac}{bd}$

③ *Division*  
 $\frac{a}{b} \div \frac{c}{d} = \frac{a}{b} \cdot \frac{d}{c} = \frac{ad}{bc}$

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$$\frac{8x^2y^3}{5z^4} \div \frac{2x^4y}{20x^2z^9}$$

$$\frac{8x^2y^3}{5z^4} \cdot \frac{20x^2z^9}{2x^4y}$$

$$\frac{8y^2}{1} \cdot \frac{2z^5}{1} = \boxed{16y^2z^5}$$

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$$\frac{6x-6}{x^2-49} \div \frac{x^2-5x-14}{5-5x}$$

$$\frac{6(x-1)}{(x+7)(x-7)} \div \frac{(x-7)(x+2)}{5(1-x)}$$

$$\frac{6(x-1)}{(x+7)(x-7)} \rightarrow \frac{5(1-x)}{(x-7)(x+2)}$$

$$\boxed{\frac{30(x-1)(1-x)}{(x+7)(x-7)(x-7)(x+2)}}$$

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