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**Math 10/11 Honors HW Section 5.6 Partial Fractions:**

1. How would you split the rational expression into separate fractions when all the binomials in the denominator are unique linear binomials? Explain:

le:  $\frac{3x+2}{(x+4)(x-5)}$

2. How would you split the rational expression into separate fractions when the binomials in the denominator NOT unique linear binomials? Explain:

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

3. How would you split the rational expression into separate fractions when the binomials in the denominator are quadratic? Explain: Write the following as a partial fraction:

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

4. Split the following rational expressions into partial fractions:

a) $\frac{11}{(3x-1)(6x+9)}$	b) $\frac{10}{(2x+1)(x+3)}$
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$$\text{c) } \frac{2x}{(x+1)(x-2)}$$

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

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

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

$$\text{g) } \frac{5x-1}{(x-1)(x-2)(x-3)}$$

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

5. Express the following as a sum of rational expression:

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

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

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

d)  $\frac{3x-4}{(x+2)(x^2+9)}$

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

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

g) $\frac{5x}{(x^2 + x + 1)(x - 2)}$	h) $\frac{x^2 - 3x - 7}{(x^2 + x + 2)(2x - 1)}$
i) $\frac{13}{(2x + 3)(x^2 + 1)}$	j) $\frac{x}{(x^2 - x + 1)(3x - 2)}$

6. What process would you need to perform first before splitting a rational expression into partial fractions if the degree of the numerator is greater than the degree in the denominator? Explain:

7. Express the following as partial fractions:

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