

W varies jointly with C and the cube of M and inversely with the product of G and the square of X.

$W=0.648$ when $M=3$, $C=6$, $G=8$, and $X=10$.

Find the value of M when $W=500$, $C=5$, $G=2$, and $X=11$

$$W = k \frac{C \cdot M^3}{G \cdot X^2}$$

$$.648 = k \frac{6 \cdot 27}{8 \cdot 100}$$

$$k = 3.2$$

$$W = 3.2 \frac{C \cdot M^3}{G \cdot X^2}$$

$$500 = 3.2 \frac{5 M^3}{2 \cdot 121}$$

$$M^3 = 7562.5$$

$$M = \sqrt[3]{7562.5} = 19.63$$

Simplify.

$$\frac{5}{x^2 - 9} + \frac{x}{x^2 - x - 12}$$

$$\frac{3}{4x^2 - 28x + 48} \rightarrow 4(x^2 - 7x + 12)$$

$$\frac{\cancel{4(x-4)} \cdot 5}{\cancel{4(x-4)}(x+3)\cancel{(x-3)}} + \frac{x}{(x-4)(x+3)} \cdot \frac{\cancel{4(x-3)}}{\cancel{4(x-3)}} = \frac{20x - 80 + 4x^2 - 12x}{3(x+3)}$$
$$= \frac{4x^2 + 8x - 80}{3(x+3)}$$