



Dividing Polynomials - Box Method

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Divide the polynomials using box method.

1)
$$\frac{g^4 + 2g^3 + 8g^2 + 17g + 28}{g^2 + 3g + 4} =$$

g^2		
$3g$		
4		

3)
$$\frac{21z^4 - 21z^3 - 8z^2 - 27z - 45}{7z^2 + 9} =$$

$7z^2$		
$0z$		
9		

5)
$$\frac{20q^4 - 19q^3 - 19q^2 + 4q + 2}{5q^2 - 6q - 2} =$$

$5q^2$		
$-6q$		
-2		

2)
$$\frac{2d^4 + d^3 - 15d^2 + d + 20}{2d^2 - d - 4} =$$

$2d^2$		
$-d$		
-4		

4)
$$\frac{24x^4 - 14x^3 - 7x^2 + 11x - 14}{8x^2 + 2x - 7} =$$

$8x^2$		
$2x$		
-7		

6)
$$\frac{w^4 - 5w^3 - 7w^2 + 40w - 8}{w^2 - 5w + 1} =$$

w^2		
$-5w$		
1		



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$$1) \frac{g^4 + 2g^3 + 8g^2 + 17g + 28}{g^2 + 3g + 4} = g^2 - g + 7$$

	g^2	$-g$	7
g^2	g^4	$-g^3$	$7g^2$
3g	$3g^3$	$-3g^2$	$21g$
4	$4g^2$	$-4g$	28

$$3) \frac{21z^4 - 21z^3 - 8z^2 - 27z - 45}{7z^2 + 9} = 3z^2 - 3z - 5$$

	$3z^2$	$-3z$	-5
$7z^2$	$21z^4$	$-21z^3$	$-35z^2$
0z	$0z^3$	$0z^2$	$0z$
9	$27b^2$	$-27z$	-45

$$5) \frac{20q^4 - 19q^3 - 19q^2 + 4q + 2}{5q^2 - 6q - 2} = 4q^2 + q - 1$$

	$4q^2$	q	-1
$5q^2$	$20q^4$	$5q^3$	$-5q^2$
-6q	$-24q^3$	$-6q^2$	$6q$
-2	$-8q^2$	$-2q$	2

$$2) \frac{2d^4 + d^3 - 15d^2 + d + 20}{2d^2 - d - 4} = d^2 + d - 5$$

	d^2	d	-5
$2d^2$	$2d^4$	$2d^3$	$-10d^2$
-d	$-d^3$	$-d^2$	$5d$
-4	$-4d^2$	$-4d$	20

$$4) \frac{24x^4 - 14x^3 - 7x^2 + 11x - 14}{8x^2 + 2x - 7} = 3x^2 - x + 2$$

	$3x^2$	-x	2
$8x^2$	$24x^4$	$-8x^3$	$16x^2$
2x	$-6x^3$	$-2x^2$	$4x$
-7	$-21x^2$	$7x$	-14

$$6) \frac{w^4 - 5w^3 - 7w^2 + 40w - 8}{w^2 - 5w + 1} = w^2 - 8$$

	w^2	0w	-8
w^2	w^4	$0w^3$	$-8w^2$
-5w	$-5w^3$	$0w^2$	$40w$
1	w^2	$0w$	-8