

Synthetic Division Worksheet

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Use Synthetic Division to simplify the following expressions

1. $(-7p^4 - 66p^3 - 89p^2 - 70p + 19) \div (p + 8) =$

$$\begin{array}{r|rrrrrr} -8 & -7 & -66 & -89 & -70 & 19 \\ & & 56 & 80 & 72 & -16 \\ \hline & -7 & -10 & -9 & 2 & 3 \end{array}$$

$$-7p^3 - 10p^2 - 9p + 2 + \frac{3}{p+8}$$

2. $(6c^4 - 15c^3 + 9c^2 + c - 18) \div (c - 2) =$

$$\begin{array}{r|rrrrrr} 2 & 6 & -15 & 9 & 1 & -18 \\ & & 12 & -6 & 6 & 14 \\ \hline & 6 & -3 & 3 & 7 & -4 \end{array}$$

$$6c^3 - 3c^2 + 3c + 7 - \frac{4}{c-2}$$

3. $(6m^4 - 43m^3 + m^2 + 39m + 25) \div (m - 7) =$

$$\begin{array}{r|rrrrrr} 7 & 6 & -43 & 1 & 39 & 25 \\ & & 42 & -7 & -42 & -21 \\ \hline & 6 & -1 & -6 & -3 & 4 \end{array}$$

$$6m^3 - m^2 - 6m - 3 + \frac{4}{m-7}$$

4. $(-8v^4 + 54v^3 + 17v^2 - 26v + 32) \div (v - 7) =$

$$\begin{array}{r|rrrrrr} 7 & -8 & 54 & 17 & -26 & 32 \\ & & -56 & -14 & 21 & -35 \\ \hline & -8 & -2 & 3 & -5 & -3 \end{array}$$

$$-8v^3 - 2v^2 + 3v - 5 - \frac{3}{v-7}$$

