

$\frac{4x-4}{x}$

$\frac{4x}{x}$  and  $\frac{4+x}{x}$

a)  $\frac{4x}{x} = 4$  correct?

Yes  $x \neq 0$

b)  $\frac{4+x}{x} = 5$  correct? sub three values in for x to justify answer.

$x = 1$

$\frac{4+1}{1} = \frac{5}{1} = 5 \checkmark$

$\frac{4+2}{2} = \frac{6}{2} = 3 \neq 5$

$\frac{4+3}{3} = \frac{7}{3} \neq 5$

c) when can an expression be simplified when numerator & denominator are single terms or products of factors

d) which is simplified correctly?

i.  $\frac{x^2+x+3}{x+3} \rightarrow x^2$  No

ii.  $\frac{(x+2)(x+3)}{x+3} \rightarrow x+2$  Yes