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#5 $\frac{(p-4)^2}{2p^2-9p+4} = \frac{(p-4)(p-4)}{2p^2-8p-p+4} = \frac{(p-4)(p-4)}{2p(p-4)-1(p-4)}$

 $= \frac{(p-4)(p-4)}{(2p-1)(p-4)} = \frac{p-4}{2p-1}$

9) $\frac{t^2 - 9}{t^3 - 6t^2 + 9t} = \frac{(t-3)(t+3)}{t(t^2 - 6t + 9)} = \frac{(t-3)(t+3)}{t(t-3)(t-3)} = \frac{(t+3)}{t(t-3)}$

11) $(a^2 + ab)(a^2 - b^2)^{-1} = \frac{(a^2 + ab)}{(a^2 - b^2)} = \frac{a(a+b)}{(a-b)(a+b)} = \frac{a}{(a-b)}$

13) $\frac{16 - 9b^2}{3b^2 + 11b - 20} = \frac{(4-3b)(4+3b)}{3b^2 + 15b - 4b - 20} = \frac{(4-3b)(4+3b)}{3b(b+5) - 4(b+5)}$
 $= \frac{(4-3b)(4+3b)}{3b(b+5) - 4(b+5)} = \frac{(4-3b)(4+3b)}{(3b-4)(b+5)} = \frac{(4-3b)(4+3b)}{(-1)(4-3b)(b+5)} = \frac{(4+3b)}{(b+5)}$

15) $\frac{y^4 - 16}{(y+2)^2(y^2 + 4)} = \frac{(y^2 - 4)(y^2 + 4)}{(y+2)(y+2)(y^2 + 4)} = \frac{(y-2)(y+2)}{(y+2)(y+2)} = \frac{(y-2)}{(y+2)}$