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4) $\frac{2x-6}{x^2} + \frac{1}{x^2} = \frac{1}{3x^2}$

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{ $\frac{8}{3}$ }

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$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} -5 \\ 3 \end{array} \right\}$$

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