

## Syntax Chart for MathPass V.3

Procedure or object	Desired output	What you type
<b>Exponentiation</b>	$x^2$	x^2
<b>Exponentiation</b>	$x^{2/3}$	x^(2/3)
<b>Square root</b>	$\sqrt{x}$	sqrt(x)
<b>Cube root</b>	$\sqrt[3]{x}$	cbrt(x) OR root(x,3)
<b>Fourth root</b>	$\sqrt[4]{x}$	frt(x) OR root(x,4)
<b>Fractions</b>	$\frac{1}{x}$	1/x
<b>Rational expression</b>	$\frac{(x+3)(x-2)}{x+5}$	(x+3)(x-2)/(x+5)
<b>Rational expression</b>	$\frac{(x+3)}{(x+5)(x-2)}$	(x+3)/((x+5)(x-2)) Note the double parentheses in the denominator. DO NOT use brackets [ ]
<b>Rational expression with exponents</b>	$\frac{(x+3)(x-2)}{(x+5)^{2/3}}$	(x+3)(x-2)/(x+5)^(2/3)
<b>Infinity</b>	$\infty$	INF
<b>Undefined</b>	undefined	undefined
<b>Parentheses or brackets for an interval</b>	(     ) or (     ] or [     ) or [     ]	Click on the parenthesis that is next to the answer box. It opens to a drop-down box where you can choose between ( and [ or ) and ].