



8.  $(ax^2 + bx + c)^4 y''''_{xxxx} = ky.$

The transformation

$$\xi = \int \frac{dx}{ax^2 + bx + c}, \quad w = \frac{y}{(ax^2 + bx + c)^{3/2}}$$

leads to a constant coefficient linear equation:

$$w''''_{\xi\xi\xi\xi} - \frac{5}{2} Dw''_{\xi\xi} + \left(\frac{9}{16} D^2 - k\right) w = 0,$$

where  $D = b^2 - 4ac.$

### Reference

**Polyanin, A. D. and Zaitsev, V. F.,** *Handbook of Exact Solutions for Ordinary Differential Equations, 2nd Edition*, Chapman & Hall/CRC, Boca Raton, 2003.