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Question : In which step below is there an error?

$$\frac{x+2}{m+n+2} = \frac{x-2}{m+n-2} \tag{1}$$

$$\frac{x+2}{m+n+2} - 1 = \frac{x-2}{m+n-2} - 1 \tag{2}$$

$$\frac{x+2-m-n-2}{m+n+2} = \frac{x-2-m-n+2}{m+n-2}$$
(3)

$$\frac{x - (m+n)}{m+n+2} = \frac{x - (m+n)}{m+n-2} \tag{4}$$

$$\frac{1}{m+n+2} = \frac{1}{m+n-2}$$
(5)

$$m + n + 2 = m + n - 2 \tag{6}$$

$$2 = -2$$