

# U2D2\_T Functions-vs-relations and Function Notation MCR 3UI

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## Functions Versus Relations

A **relation** is a set of ordered components (often ordered pairs).

Relations can be expressed as:

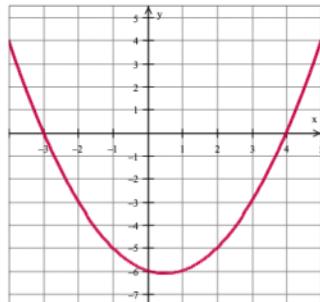
1.  $B = \left\{ (4, -2), (3, 11), \left(\pi, \frac{3}{4}\right) \right\}$  set

2.

x	y
0	1
1	4
2	7

table of values

3.

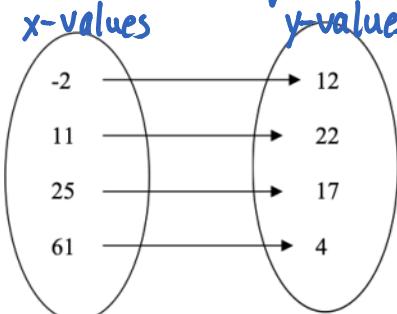


graph

4.  $y = 2x^2 - 1$

equation

5.



a mapping

A **function** is relation in which no two ordered pairs have the same first component. ( ie, A function is a relation such that to each value of the independent variable there corresponds only one value of the dependent variable.)

A function is a special type of relation. All functions are relations, but not all relations are functions.

**Domain** is the set of all possible values of the independent variable (all x-values)

**Range** is the set of all possible values of the dependent variable (all y-values)

1. Determine if the following relations are

(Yes – it is a function, No – it is not a function). State the domain and range for (a) – (d) (h)

a)  $B = \{(1,3), (4,5), (6,7), (9,11)\}$  Yes

D:{1, 4, 6, 9}

R:{3, 5, 7, 11}

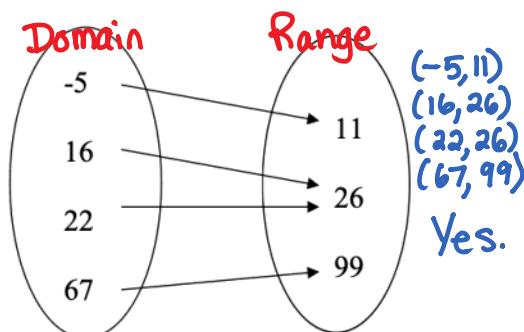
$Q = \{(-7,3), (14,-5), (-7,7), (89,11), (1,4)\}$  No

D:{-7, 1, 14, 89} R:{-5, 3, 4, 7, 11}

$P = \{(-7,3), (14,3), (7,3), (89,3), (1,3)\}$  Yes

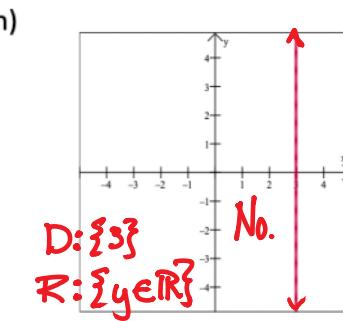
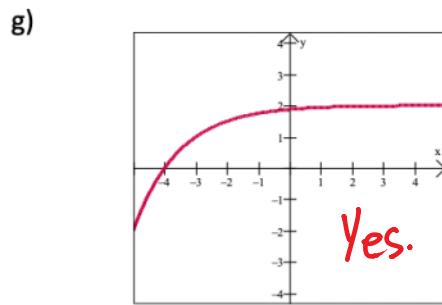
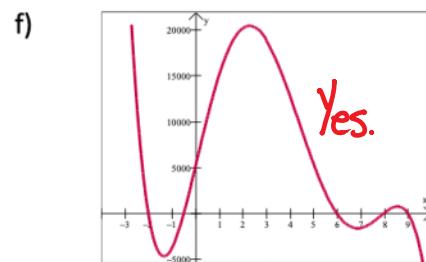
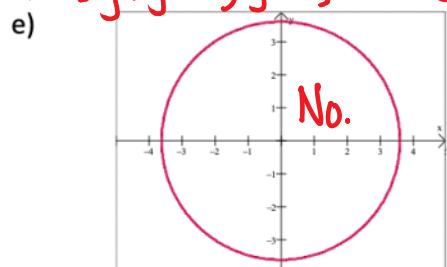
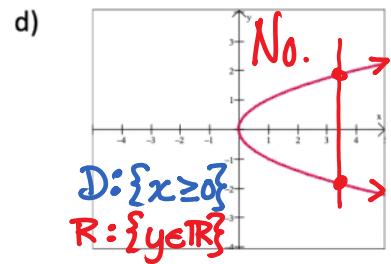
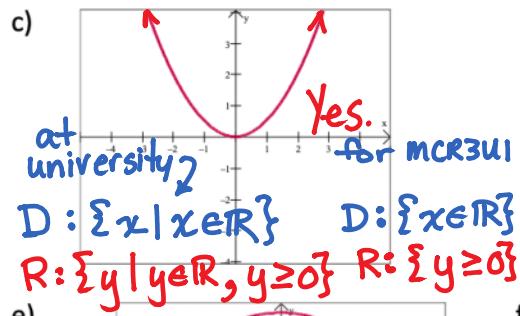
D:{-7, 1, 7, 14, 89} R:{3}

b)



D : {-5, 16, 22, 67}

R : {11, 26, 99}



### The Vertical Line Test

If a vertical line can be drawn between any 2 points on a graph, the graph is not a function.

2. Identify whether the given equations are functions or relations. HINT:  
You may draw a graph and use the vertical line test.

a)  $y = 3x + 5$  ↗  
**function**  
(sloped line)

b)  $x^2 + y^2 = 16$  ↗  
**not a function (relation)**  
(circle)

c)  $y = 2x^2 + 4x - 3$  ↗  
**function**  
(quadratic)

d)  $y = 3$  ↘  
**function**  
(horizontal line)

e)  $x = 8$  ↘  
**relation**  
(vertical line)

#### FUNCTION NOTATION: Revisited

1. The equation  $y = x^2 + 5x - 4$  can also be written using function notation as  $f(x) = x^2 + 5x - 4$ .

Evaluate the following:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{a. } f(-3) &= (-3)^2 + 5(-3) - 4 & \text{b. } f\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) &= \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + 5\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) - 4 \\ &= 9 - 15 - 4 & &= \frac{1}{4} + \frac{5}{2} - 4 \\ &= -10 & &= \frac{1+10-16}{4} \\ & & &= -\frac{5}{4} \end{aligned}$$

c.  $x$ , when  $f(x) = 10$

Solve for  $x$  when  $y = 10$

$$x^2 + 5x - 4 = 10$$

$$x^2 + 5x - 14 = 0$$

$$(x+7)(x-2) = 0$$

$$x = -7 \text{ or } x = 2$$

d.  $f(a+1)$

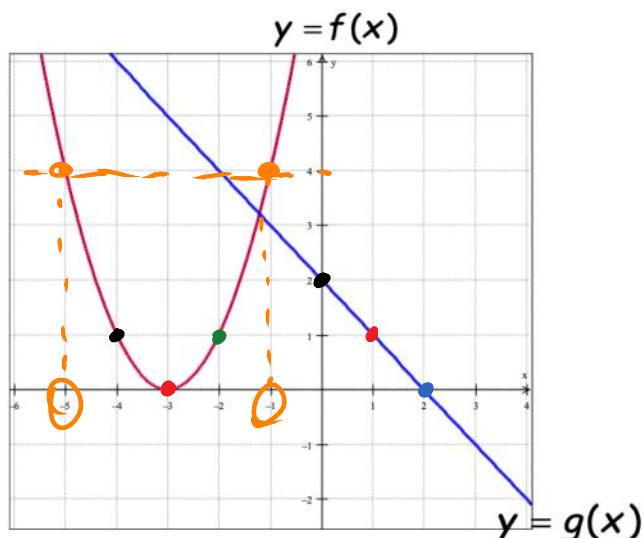
$$\begin{aligned} &= (a+1)^2 + 5(a+1) - 4 \\ &= a^2 + 2a + 1 + 5a + 5 - 4 \\ &= a^2 + 7a + 2 \end{aligned}$$

2. Now consider  $g(x) = 3x - 2$  as well as  $f(x) = x^2 + 5x - 4$ .

a. Evaluate  $f(2) - g(3)$ . b. Simplify:  $2f(x) - g(-x)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= (2)^2 + 5(2) - 4 - [3(3) - 2] = 2[x^2 + 5x - 4] - [3(-x) - 2] \\
 &= 4 + 10 - 4 - (7) \quad \left. \begin{aligned} &= 2x^2 + 10x - 8 - (-3x - 2) \\ &= 2x^2 + 10x - 8 + 3x + 2 \\ &= 2x^2 + 13x - 6 \end{aligned} \right\} \\
 &= 3
 \end{aligned}$$

3. Consider the following graphs of  $y = f(x)$  and  $y = g(x)$ .



Use the graphs to evaluate the following.

a.  $f(-3) = 0$       b.  $f(-2) = 1$       c.  $f(-4) = 3$       d.  $g(0) = 2$

e.  $g(1) = 1$   
 $= 0 + 1$   
 $= 1$

f.  $g(2) + f(-4)$

$x = -5 \text{ or } x = -1$