

# Northern Michigan University (Marquette Co, MI)

MA111-04-26W: College Algebra (Andrew A. Poe)  
Quiz 3

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Time: 15 minutes

1. Solve each of the following equations for  $y$ . For each, answer if  $y$  is a function of  $x$ .

$$\begin{array}{ll}
 xy = 17 & y = \frac{17}{x} \quad \text{YFS} \\
 x/y = 17 & x = 17y \quad y = \frac{x}{17} \quad \text{YFS} \\
 x^2 + y^2 = 17 & y^2 = 17 - x^2 \quad y = \pm \sqrt{17 - x^2} \quad \text{NO}
 \end{array}$$

2. Use interval notation to express the range  $5 \leq x < 6$ .

$$[5, 6)$$

What is the complement of this range in interval notation?

$$(-\infty, 5) \cup [6, \infty)$$

3. Find the domain of the following function:

$$f(x) = \frac{\sqrt{x-2}}{5+\sqrt{x-3}}$$

$\leftarrow x-2 \geq 0 \quad x \geq 2$   
 $\nwarrow x-3 \geq 0 \quad x \geq 3$   
 $5 + \sqrt{x-3} \neq 0$   
 ALWAYS TRUE  
 so  $x \geq 3$

$$[3, \infty)$$