Precalculus Section 1.3 Exercises

- 1. Determine whether or not the relation represents y as a function of x. Find the domain and range of those relations which are functions.
 - (a) (25, 37), (-8, 121), (25, 3), (0.11, -51), (9.9, 23), (-8, 1.5)
 - (b) (-25, 37), (8, 121), (2.5, -3), (11, 51), (22, 23), (-8, 15)
 - (c) $\{(x, 3x^2) \mid x \text{ is a real number}\}$
- 2. Determine whether or not the equation represents y as a function of x.
 - (a) $xy = 1 y^2 + x$ (b) $x^2 + 2xy - y = 12$ (c) $y = \frac{\sqrt{x^2 - 1}}{x^2 - 4}$
- 3. Explain why the relation between your classmates and their email addresses may not be a function. What about the relation between your classmates and their phone numbers? Between your classmates and their social security numbers?