

Is it a FUNCTION?



If x-values <u>are</u> repeating......

Each value MUST have the SAME y-value.....that makes it A FUNCTION.

If *an x-value is repeating* but has a *DIFFERENT y-value*.....it is *NOT a FUNCTION*!

The Vertical Line Test

When given a GRAPH, it is a FUNCTION if.....



A <u>VERTICAL LINE does **NOT** touch 2 points</u> at the <u>same time</u>.

Writing an EQUATION for a FUNCTION

Ask yourself.....

What do I do to the x-value to get y?

<u>Remember</u>....it has to work for EVERY VALUE!

Set-up the equation like this:

V =

Input	Output

What do I do to the x-value to get y?



Input	Output

Graphing a FUNCTION and making a TABLE



EQUATION to get the y-values.

Step 4: <u>GRAPH each ORDERED PAIR</u> and connect the points to <u>form a LINE</u>.

Step 5: LABEL the line with the EQUATION

