

* Solve $\frac{1}{3y} + \frac{y}{6} = \frac{1}{y}$

Multiply both sides by LCM $\rightarrow 3y, 6, y$
(to cancel out denominators)

$$\text{LCM} = 2 \cdot 3 \cdot y = 6y$$

$$\left(\frac{6y}{1}\right) \left(\frac{1}{3y} + \frac{y}{6}\right) = \left(\frac{1}{y}\right) \left(\frac{6y}{1}\right)$$

$$\frac{2 \cdot 1 \cdot y}{1} \cdot \frac{1}{3y} + \frac{1 \cdot y}{1} \cdot \frac{y}{6}$$

$$2 + y^2 = 6$$

$$y^2 - 4 = 0$$
$$(y+2)(y-2) = 0$$

$$y+2=0 \quad y-2=0$$
$$\underline{-2 \quad -2} \quad \underline{+2 \quad +2}$$

$$y = -2$$

$$y = 2$$

$$y = (-2, 2) \checkmark$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 3y \\ 3(-2) \\ -6 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} y \\ -2 \end{array}$$

throw out any answer that causes
the original equation to be undefined