

# Meditations Review: Arguments 1 & 2

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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1. What does Descartes doubt first? (2 pt.)
2. Why would he be called crazy if he doubted his senses? (2 pt.)
3. What can he do that madmen cannot do? (2 pt.)
4. Explain being awake and dreaming.  
How does Descartes justify being awake *in the beginning of this argument?*  
(2 pt.)



Why is this reason not enough? (2 pt.)  
Hint: When I am \_\_\_\_\_, I have visions like madmen when they are \_\_\_\_\_.

◇ What does Descartes think dreams are? (2 pt.)

5. According to Descartes, things that are **simple and universal** are sound, or certain, while things that are **complex** are doubtful. What examples does he give for each of these? (4 pts.)