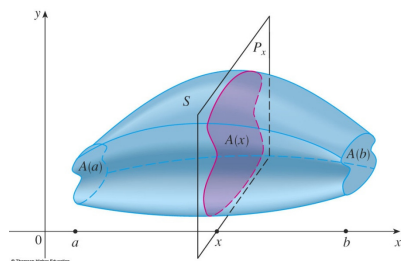


6.2 Volumes



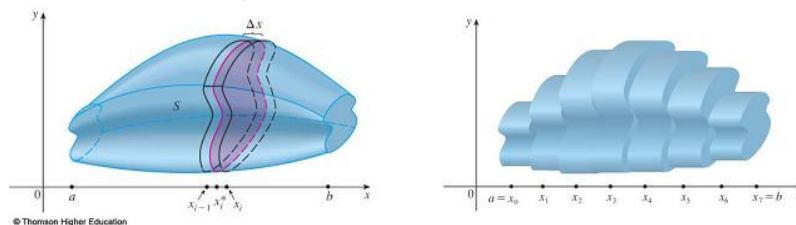
Goal: To find the volume of a solid

Method: “Cutting” the solid into many “pieces”, find the volume of the pieces and add to find the total volume.

- The “pieces” are treated as cylinders.
- The base of each cylinder is called a **cross-section**.

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- The volume of each cylinder is found by taking the area of the cross-section, $A(x_i^*)$, and multiplying by the height, Δx .



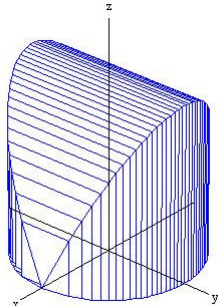
- The volume of the solid can be approximated by the sum of all cylinders.

$$V \approx \sum_{i=1}^n A(x_i^*) \Delta x$$

- Taking the limit as the number of cylinders goes to infinity gives the exact volume of the solid.

$$V = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n A(x_i^*) \Delta x \quad \Rightarrow \quad V = \int_a^b A(x) dx$$

A solid has a circular base of radius 4. If every plane cross section perpendicular to the x -axis is a square, then find the volume of the solid.



The equation of the circle is $x^2 + y^2 = 16$.

The integral is done in terms of x since the squares are moved horizontally.

$$x^2 + y^2 = 16 \Rightarrow y^2 = 16 - x^2 \Rightarrow y = \pm\sqrt{16 - x^2}$$

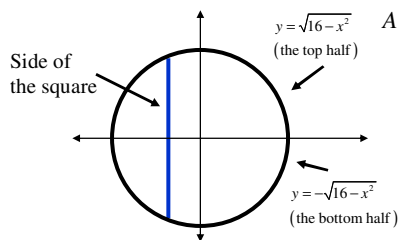
The cross-sections are squares.

The length of the side of a square is $2\sqrt{16 - x^2}$.

The area of a cross-section is :

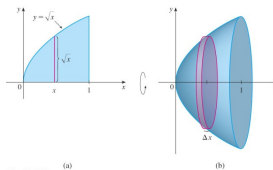
$$A(x) = (2\sqrt{16 - x^2})^2 \Rightarrow A(x) = 4(16 - x^2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} V &= \int_a^b A(x) dx = \int_{-4}^4 4(16 - x^2) dx = 2 \int_0^4 4(16 - x^2) dx \\ &\quad \text{since the integrand is even} \\ &= 8 \left(16x - \frac{x^3}{3} \right) \Big|_0^4 = 8 \left(64 - \frac{64}{3} \right) = 8 \cdot 64 \left(1 - \frac{1}{3} \right) \\ &= 8 \cdot 64 \left(\frac{2}{3} \right) = \frac{1024}{3} \end{aligned}$$

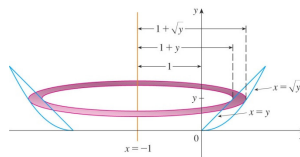


When you revolve a plane region about an axis, the cross-sections are circular and the solid generated is called a **solid of revolution**.

If there is **no gap** between the axis of rotation and the region, then the method used is called the **disk method**.



If there is a **gap** between the axis of rotation and the region, then the method used is called the **washer method**.

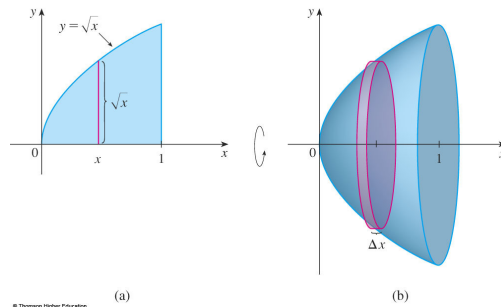


Disk Method with **horizontal axis of rotation** (not necessarily the x -axis)

Cross-sections are circular: $A(x) = \pi [r(x)]^2$
radius as a function of x

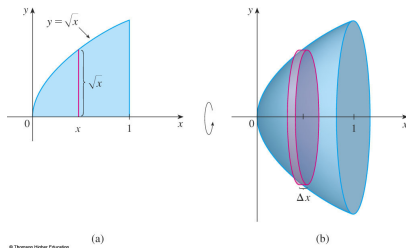
$$Volume = \int_a^b A(x) dx = \pi \int_a^b [r(x)]^2 dx$$

radius as a function of x



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Calculate the volume of the solid generated by rotating the region between the curves $y = \sqrt{x}$ and $y = 0$ about the x -axis.



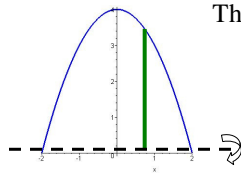
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$$A(x) = \pi [r(x)]^2$$

$$V = \pi \int_0^1 x dx = \pi \left[\frac{x^2}{2} \right]_0^1 = \boxed{\frac{\pi}{2} \text{ un.}^3}$$

Handwritten diagram showing a small square with side length sqrt(x) and width x, representing the cross-section of the solid.

Calculate the volume of the solid generated by rotating the region between the curves $y = 4 - x^2$ and $y = 0$ about the x -axis.



The radius in this case is the distance from the x -axis to the function

$$r(x) = 4 - x^2$$

$$\text{Volume} = \int_a^b A(x) dx = \pi \int_a^b [r(x)]^2 dx$$

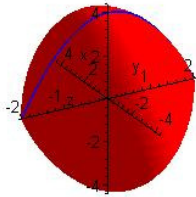
$$V = \pi \int_{-2}^2 [4 - x^2]^2 dx = \pi \int_{-2}^2 [16 - 8x^2 + x^4] dx$$

$$= 2\pi \int_0^2 [16 - 8x^2 + x^4] dx = 2\pi \left[16x - \frac{8x^3}{3} + \frac{x^5}{5} \right]_0^2$$

since the integrand is even

$$= 2\pi \left[32 - \frac{64}{3} + \frac{32}{5} \right] = 2\pi \cdot 32 \left[1 - \frac{2}{3} + \frac{1}{5} \right] = 64\pi \left[\frac{15 - 10 + 3}{15} \right]$$

$$= 64\pi \left[\frac{8}{15} \right] = \frac{512\pi}{15}$$

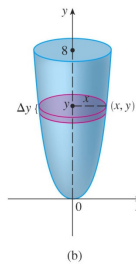
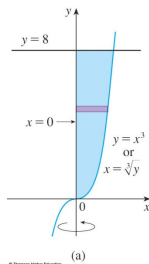


Disk Method with **vertical axis of rotation** (not necessarily the y -axis)

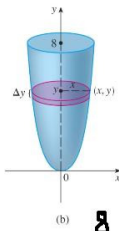
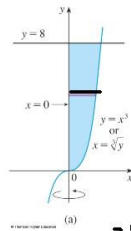
Cross-sections are circular: $A(y) = \pi [r(y)]^2$
radius as a function of y

$$\text{Volume} = \int_a^b A(y) dy = \pi \int_a^b [r(y)]^2 dy$$

a radius as a function of y



Calculate the volume of the solid generated by rotating the region between the curves $y = x^3$, $y = 8$, and $x = 0$ about the y -axis.



$$(8^{1/3})^5$$

$$x = \sqrt[3]{y}$$

$$r(y)$$

$$V = \int_0^8 \pi [r(y)]^2 dy$$

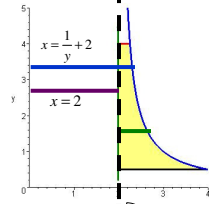
$$= \pi \int_0^8 y^{2/3} dy = \pi \left[\frac{3}{5} y^{5/3} \right]_0^8$$

$$= \frac{3\pi}{5} (8^{5/3} - 0)$$

$$= 3\pi \cdot \frac{3\pi}{5} = \frac{96\pi}{5}$$

Calculate the volume of the solid generated by rotating the region between

the curves $y = \frac{1}{x-2}$ and $x = 2$, $y = \frac{1}{2}$, and $y = 4$ about the line $x = 2$.



The radius in this case is the horizontal distance

from $x = 2$ to the curve $y = \frac{1}{x-2}$

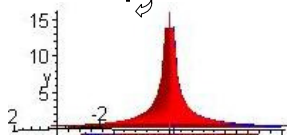
We need to solve for x in terms of y :

$$y = \frac{1}{x-2} \Rightarrow \frac{y}{1} = \frac{1}{x-2} \Rightarrow y(x-2) = 1 \Rightarrow x-2 = \frac{1}{y} \Rightarrow x = \frac{1}{y} + 2$$

cross multiply

The radius is then:

$$r(y) = \left(\frac{1}{y} + 2 \right) - 2 \Rightarrow r(y) = \frac{1}{y}$$



$$Volume = \int_a^b A(y) dx = \pi \int_a^b [r(y)]^2 dy = \pi \int_{1/2}^4 \left(\frac{1}{y} \right)^2 dy = \pi \int_{1/2}^4 y^{-2} dy$$

$$= \pi \left[\frac{-1}{y} \right]_{1/2}^4 = \pi \left[\frac{-1}{4} + 2 \right] = \frac{7\pi}{4}$$

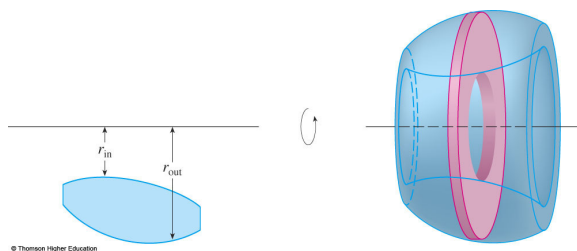
Washer Method with **horizontal axis of rotation** (not necessarily the x -axis)

Draw a radius from the axis of rotation to the outer curve and call this **outer radius**

Draw a radius from the axis of rotation to the inner curve and call this **inner radius**

$$Volume = \int_a^b A(x) dx = \pi \int_a^b \left(\left[r_{out}(x) \right]^2 - \left[r_{in}(x) \right]^2 \right) dx$$

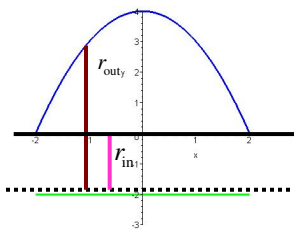
outer radius as a function of x inner radius as a function of x



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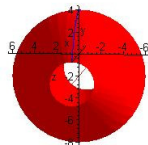
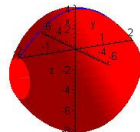
Calculate the volume of the solid generated by rotating the region between

the curves $y = 4 - x^2$ and $y = 0$ about the line $y = -2$.



The outside radius (r_{out}) can be found $r_{out} = 2 + (4 - x^2)$
by drawing a line from the axis of rotation **through** the region. $r_{out} = 6 - x^2$

The inside radius (r_{in}) can be found $r_{in} = 2$
by drawing a line from the axis of rotation **to** the region.



$$\begin{aligned}
 V &= \pi \int_a^b \left(\left[r_{out}(x) \right]^2 - \left[r_{in}(x) \right]^2 \right) dx = \pi \int_{-2}^2 \left(\left[6 - x^2 \right]^2 - \left[2 \right]^2 \right) dx \\
 &= \pi \int_{-2}^2 \left((36 - 12x^2 + x^4) - 4 \right) dx = \pi \int_{-2}^2 (32 - 12x^2 + x^4) dx \\
 &= 2\pi \int_0^2 (32 - 12x^2 + x^4) dx = 2\pi \left[32x - 4x^3 + \frac{x^5}{5} \right]_0^2 \\
 &= 2\pi \left[64 - 32 + \frac{32}{5} \right] = 2\pi \cdot 32 \left[2 - 1 + \frac{1}{5} \right] = 64\pi \left[\frac{6}{5} \right] = \boxed{\frac{384\pi}{5}}
 \end{aligned}$$

since the integrand is even

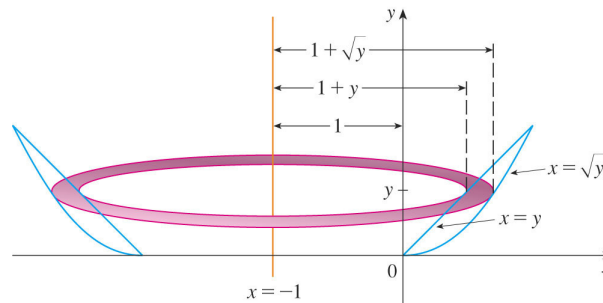
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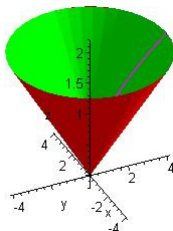
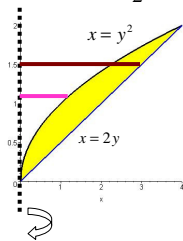
outer radius as a function of y
inner radius as a function of y



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Calculate the volume of the solid generated by rotating the region between

the curves $y = \frac{x}{2}$ and $y = \sqrt{x}$ about the y-axis.



We need to solve for x in terms of y:

$$r_{out} = 2y \quad y = \frac{x}{2} \Rightarrow x = 2y$$

$$r_{in} = y^2 \quad y = \sqrt{x} \Rightarrow x = y^2$$

$$V = \pi \int_a^b \left([r_{out}(y)]^2 - [r_{in}(y)]^2 \right) dy$$

outer radius as a function of y
inner radius as a function of y

$$V = \pi \int_0^2 \left([2y]^2 - [y^2]^2 \right) dy = \pi \int_0^2 (4y^2 - y^4) dy$$

$$= \pi \left[\frac{4y^3}{3} - \frac{y^5}{5} \right]_0^2 = \pi \left[\frac{32}{3} - \frac{32}{5} \right] = 32\pi \left[\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{5} \right]$$

$$= 32\pi \left[\frac{5-3}{15} \right] = \boxed{\frac{64\pi}{15}}$$

$$y^2 = \sqrt{x}$$

$$x = 2\sqrt{x}$$

$$x^2 = 4x$$

$$x^2 - 4x = 0$$

$$x(x-4) = 0$$

$$x = 0 \quad x = 4$$

$$y = 0 \quad y = 2$$