

Recitation 06: Area Between Curves & Solids of Revolution, Pt I

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Example (Rec Ntbk, #2). A mass hanging from a spring is set in motion and its ensuing velocity is given by $v(t) = 2\pi \cos(\pi t)$

a.

b.

c.

d.

Solution.

Revolutions about the x -axis:

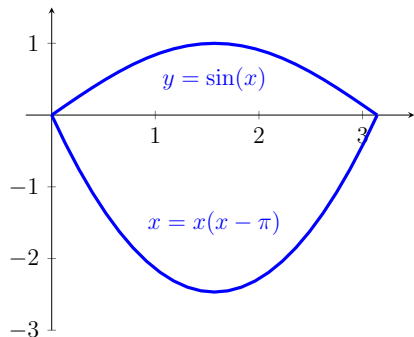
Disk Method	$V = \int_a^b \pi f(x)^2 dx$
Washer Method	$V = \int_a^b \pi [f(x)^2 - g(x)^2] dx$

Revolutions about the y -axis:

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Washer Method	$V = \int_a^b \pi [f(y)^2 - g(y)^2] dy$

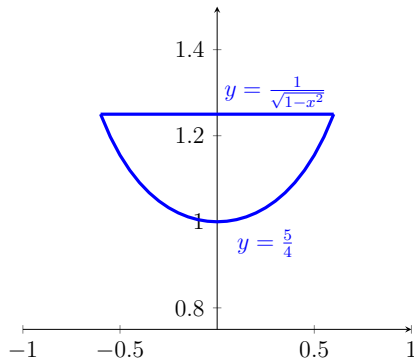
Example (Rec Notebk: §6.2, # 2). **Region between curves** Sketch the region and find its area. The region bounded by $y = \sin(x)$ and $y = x(x - \pi)$ for $0 \leq x \leq \pi$.

$$\begin{aligned} A &= \int_0^{\pi} [\sin(x) - x(x - \pi)] dx \\ &= \int_0^{\pi} [\sin(x) - x^2 + \pi x] dx \\ &= \left[-\cos(x) - \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{\pi x^2}{2} \right]_0^{\pi} \\ &= 2 + \frac{\pi^3}{6} \end{aligned}$$



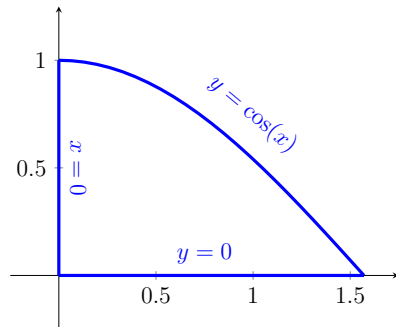
Example (Rec Notebk: §6.2, # 3). **Region between curves** Sketch the region and find its area. The region bounded by $y = 5/4$ and $y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$.

$$\begin{aligned} A &= \int_{-3/5}^{3/5} \left[\frac{5}{4} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} \right] dx \\ &= 2 \int_0^{3/5} \left[\frac{5}{4} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} \right] dx \\ &= 2 \left[\frac{5x}{4} - \arcsin(x) \right]_0^{3/5} \\ &= \frac{3}{2} - 2 \arcsin \left(\frac{3}{5} \right). \end{aligned}$$



Example (Rec Notebk: §6.3, # 2). **Disk method** Let R be the region bounded by the following curves. Use the disk method to find the volume of the solid generated when R is revolved around the x -axis. $y = \cos(x)$, $y = 0$, $x = 0$ (Recall that $\cos^2(x) = \frac{1}{2}(1 + \cos(2x))$.)

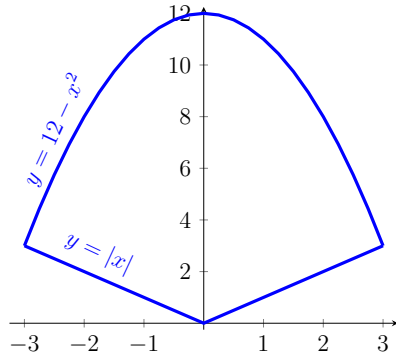
$$\begin{aligned} V &= \int_0^{\pi/2} \pi \cos^2(x) dx \\ &= \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{\pi(1 + \cos(2x))}{2} dx \\ &= \left[\frac{\pi x}{2} + \frac{\pi \sin(2x)}{4} \right]_0^{\pi/2} \\ &= \frac{\pi^2}{4}. \end{aligned}$$



Example (Rec Notebk: §6.3, # 4). **Washer method** Let R be the region bounded by the following curves. Use the washer method to find the volume of the solid generated when R is revolved around the x -axis. $y = |x|$, $y = 12 - x^2$.

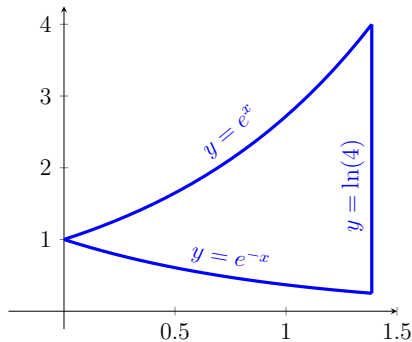
Notice the area is symmetric about the y -axis, so we can consider only the right half and double it.

$$\begin{aligned} V &= \int_{-3}^3 \pi [(12 - x^2)^2 - x^2] dx \\ &= 2\pi \int_0^3 [(12 - x^2)^2 - x^2] dx \\ &= 2\pi \int_0^3 [x^4 - 25x^2 + 144] dx \\ &= 2\pi \left[\frac{x^5}{5} - \frac{25x^3}{3} + 144x \right]_0^3 \\ &= \frac{2556\pi}{5}. \end{aligned}$$



Example (Rec Notebk: §6.3, # 6). **Solids of Revolution** Find the volume of the solid of revolution. Sketch the region in question. The region bounded by $y = e^{-x}$, $y = e^x$, $x = 0$, and $x = \ln(4)$ revolved about the x -axis.

$$\begin{aligned} V &= \int_0^{\ln(4)} \pi [(e^x)^2 - (e^{-x})^2] dx \\ &= \int_0^{\ln(4)} \pi [e^{2x} - e^{-2x}] dx \\ &= \int_0^{\ln(4)} \pi [e^{2x} - e^{-2x}] dx \\ &= \left[\frac{\pi e^{2x}}{2} - \frac{\pi e^{-2x}}{2} \right]_0^{\ln(4)} \\ &= \frac{225\pi}{32}. \end{aligned}$$



Assignment

Recitation Notebook:

§6.1 - #1,

§6.2 - #1, #5

§6.3 - #1, #3, #5

As always, you may work in groups, but every member must individually submit a homework assignment.