

## 6.2 Volumes Using Shell Method

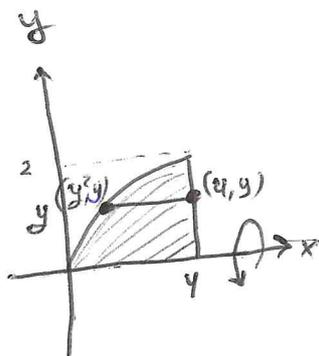
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a) The volume of the solid generated by revolving the region about x-axis is

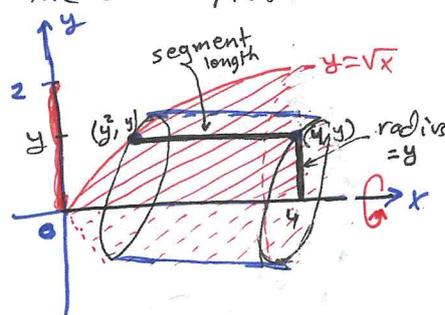
$$V = \int_c^d 2\pi (\text{shell radius}) (\text{shell length}) dy, \quad \text{where}$$

- shell radius: is the distance from the axis of revolution and the shell length.
- shell length: is the segment's length parallel to the axis of revolution.

Example: Find the volume of the solid generated by <sup>revolving</sup> the region bounded by the curve  $y = \sqrt{x}$ , x-axis and the line  $x = 4$ , about x-axis. Use the Shell Method.



$$\begin{aligned} V &= 2\pi \int_0^2 (y)(4 - y^2) dy \\ &= 2\pi \int_0^2 (4y - y^3) dy \\ &= 2\pi \left[ 2y^2 - \frac{y^4}{4} \right]_0^2 = 8\pi \end{aligned}$$



The shell thickness variable is  $y$

b) The volume of the solid generated by revolving the region about y-axis is

$$V = \int_a^b 2\pi (\text{shell radius}) (\text{shell height}) dx, \quad \text{where}$$

- shell radius: is the distance from the axis of revolution and the shell height.
- shell height: is the segment's height parallel to the axis of revolution.

Example: Use the shell method to find the volume of the solid generated by revolution the region bounded by the curve  $y = \sqrt{x}$ , the x-axis, and the line  $x = 4$  about y-axis.

Use Washer Method ←

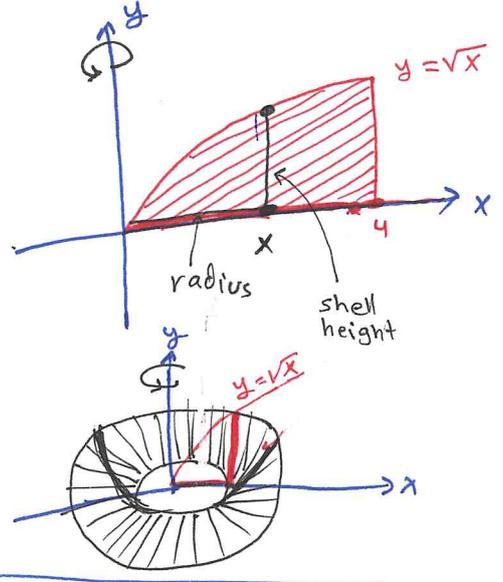
$$V = \pi \int_0^2 [16 - y^4] dy$$

$$= \frac{128}{5} \pi$$

$$V = 2\pi \int_0^4 (x)(\sqrt{x}) dx$$

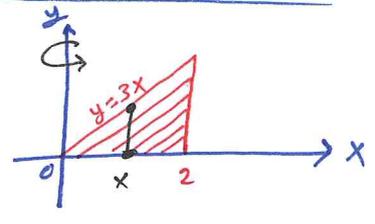
$$= 2\pi \int_0^4 x^{\frac{3}{2}} dx = 2\pi \frac{2}{5} x^{\frac{5}{2}} \Big|_0^4$$

$$= \frac{128}{5} \pi$$



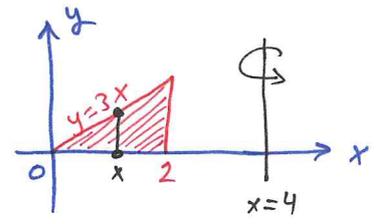
Example Q23 a)  $V = 2\pi \int_a^b (\text{shell radius})(\text{shell height}) dx$

$$= 2\pi \int_0^2 (x)(3x) dx = 16\pi$$



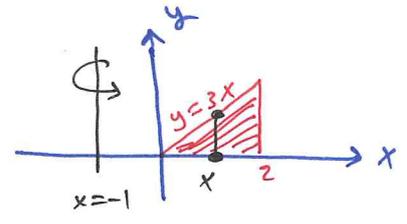
b)  $V = 2\pi \int_a^b (\text{shell radius})(\text{shell height}) dx$

$$= 2\pi \int_0^2 (4-x)(3x) dx = 32\pi$$



c)  $V = 2\pi \int_a^b (\text{shell radius})(\text{shell height}) dx$

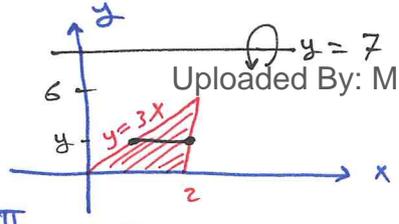
$$= 2\pi \int_0^2 (x-(-1))(3x) dx = 28\pi$$



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d)  $V = 2\pi \int_c^d (\text{shell radius})(\text{shell length}) dy$

$$= 2\pi \int_0^6 (7-y)(2-\frac{y}{3}) dy = 60\pi$$



use disk method

$$\int_0^2 (3x)^2 \pi dx \rightarrow d$$

$$= 9\pi \int_0^2 x^2 dx = 24\pi$$

e)  $V = 2\pi \int_c^d (\text{shell radius})(\text{shell length}) dy$

$$= 2\pi \int_0^6 (y)(2-\frac{y}{3}) dy = 24\pi$$

f)  $V = 2\pi \int_0^6 (y-(-2))(2-\frac{y}{3}) dy = 48\pi$

