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# VOLUMES OF REVOLUTION



The "ONLY" formula:

$$V = \int_a^b dV$$

Useless, unless you can determine  $dV$  and limits



Get cross-section of Area =  $\pi(f^2(x) - g^2(x))$

Again, cross-section of area =  $\pi(h^2(y) - e^2(y))$

S<sub>o</sub>,  $V = \pi \int_a^b [f^2(x) - g^2(x)] dx$

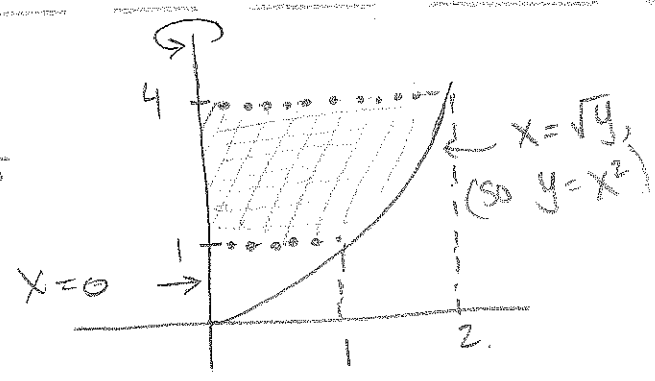
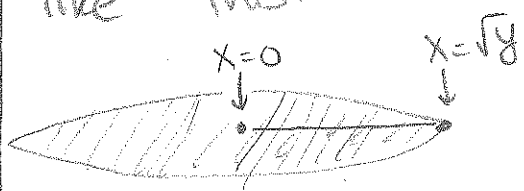
S<sub>o</sub>,  $V = \pi \int_c^d [h^2(y) - e^2(y)] dy$

Q1. Find the volume of the solid obtained by rotating the region between  $x = \sqrt{y}$  and  $x = 0$  for  $y$  in  $[1, 4]$  about the Y-axis.

Ans.

PICTURE:

Cross-section of  $y$  looks like this:



= A disk of radius  $\sqrt{y}$ , which has area =  $\frac{\pi y}{2}$ .

So,  $V = \int_1^4 \frac{\pi y}{2} dy = \pi \frac{y^2}{2} \Big|_1^4 = \pi (16/2 - 1/2)$

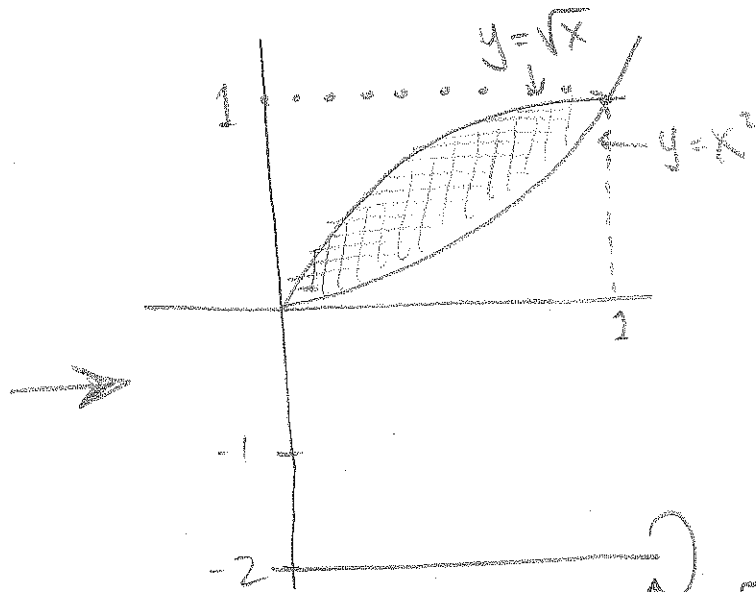
$= \boxed{\frac{15\pi}{2}}$

Q2.

Region between  $y = x^2$  and  $y = \sqrt{x}$ , rotate about the line  $y = -2$ !

Ans

PICTURE!

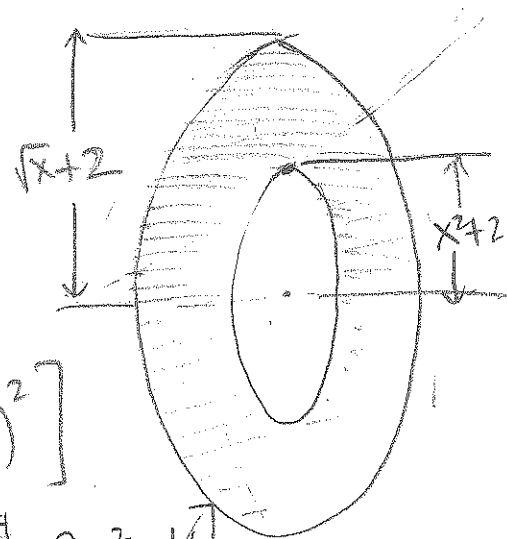


Now, cross-section looks like:  
and has area

$$\begin{aligned}
 A(x) &= \pi \left[ (\sqrt{x}+2)^2 - (x^2+2)^2 \right] \\
 &= \pi \left[ x + 4\sqrt{x} + 4 - x^4 - 2x^2 - 4 \right] \\
 &= \pi \left[ x + 4\sqrt{x} - x^4 - 2x^2 \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

So,  $dV = A(x) dx$  and finally,

$$\begin{aligned}
 V &= \pi \int_0^1 [x + 4\sqrt{x} - x^4 - 2x^2] dx \\
 &= \text{(easy integral!)}
 \end{aligned}$$



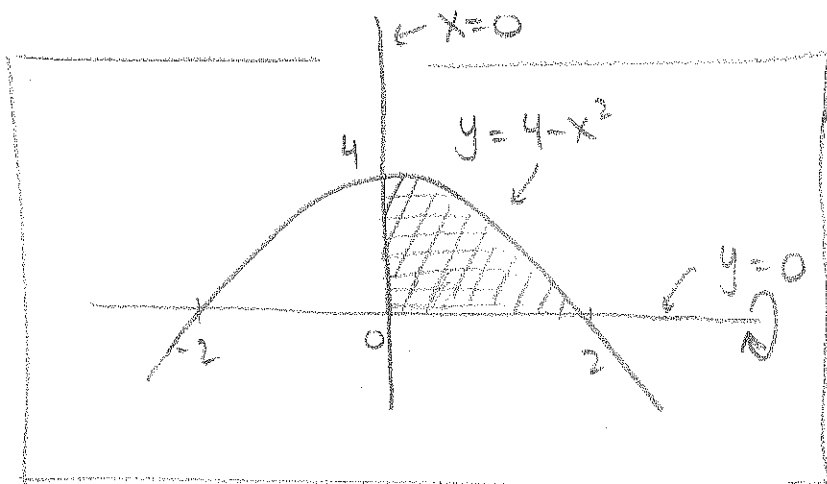
In previous examples, the CROSS-SECTIONS were chosen in the direction PERPENDICULAR to the axis of rotation, which gave us (differences of) disks. If we choose PARALLEL cross sections we get cylinders instead...

Q3

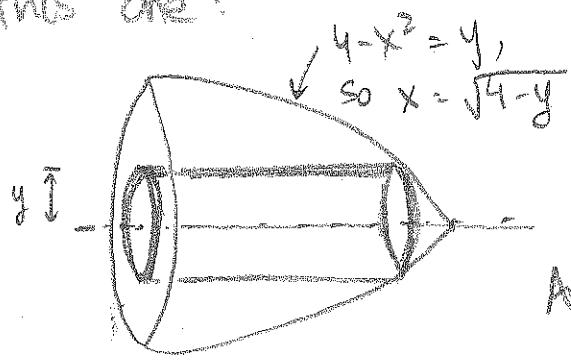
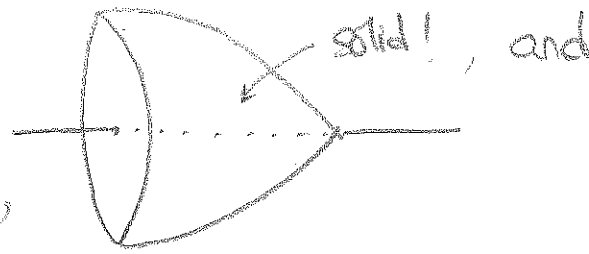
Compute the volume of the solid given by rotating the region between  $y = 4 - x^2$ ,  $x = 0$  and  $y = 0$  about the  $x$ -axis

Ans

Pict... you get the idea:



We get something like  
want to decompose it  
into concentric cylinders,  
like this one:



Radius =  $y$   
Height =  $\sqrt{4 - y}$

Area =  $2\pi R H$   
=  $2\pi y \sqrt{4 - y}$

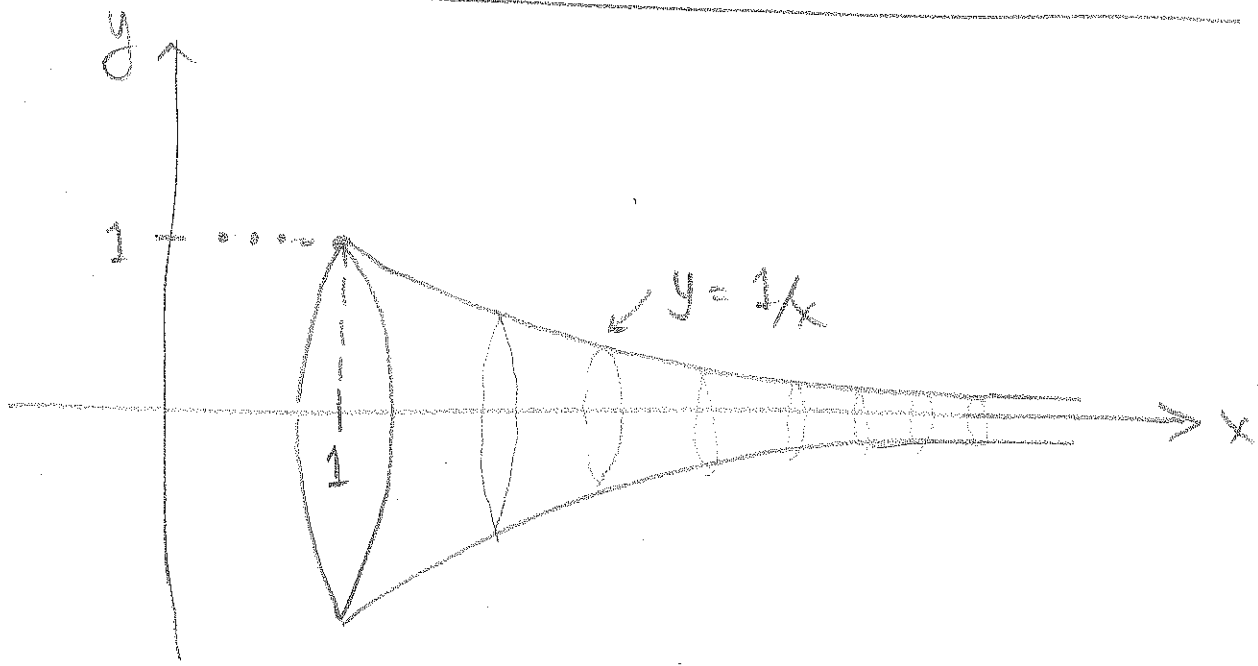
$dV = A(y) dy = 2\pi y \sqrt{4 - y} dy$   
So,  $V = 2\pi \int_0^4 y \sqrt{4 - y} dy$

Use substitution  $u = 4 - y$ , easy!

Q4

[The Horn of GABRIEL] What are the surface area and volume of the region generated by rotating  $y = 1/x$  about the x-axis between 1 and  $\infty$ ?

Ans



First, VOLUME: the cross-section over  $x$  is a disk of radius  $1/x$ , with area  $\pi/x^2$ .

So,  $dV = \pi x^{-2} dx$ , and

$$V = \int_1^{\infty} \pi x^{-2} dx$$

$$= \pi \int_1^{\infty} x^{-2} dx = \pi \cdot (1)$$

Type-B  
p-integral  
 $p=2$  !!

So, volume =  $\pi$ .

Next, AREA: the cross-section is a circle of radius  $1/x$ , so  $dA = 2\pi x^{-1} dx$

$$A = \int_1^{\infty} 2\pi x^{-1} dx = 2\pi \int_1^{\infty} x^{-1} dx$$

But  $\int_1^{\infty} x^{-1} dx = \infty$ , p-test again.

So, GABRIEL'S HORN HAS FINITE VOLUME  
But INFINITE AREA!