

Feb. 1, 2013

Announcements: HW3 Due today (get trucking on HW4)
webwork: 6.2 Volumes due Mon
6.3 Cylindrical Shells due Wed.

Finding the volume of a Solid of Revolution w/ slices

Things to do:

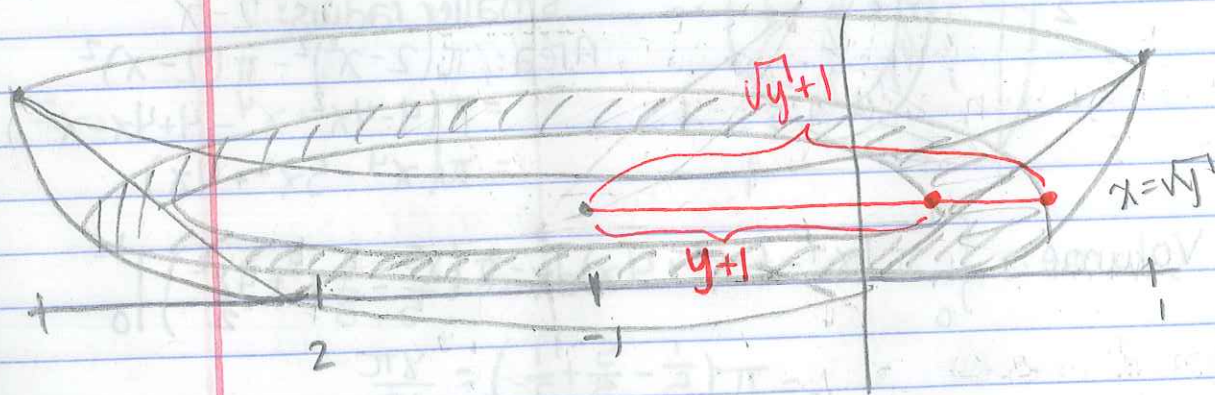
- Decide how you will slice your solid.
 - If slicing perpendicular to x -axis your integral will be in terms of x .
 - If slicing perpendicular to y -axis your integral will be in terms of y .

- Find the area of your slices.

Disk: $A = \pi(\text{radius})^2$

Washer: $A = \pi(\text{outer radius})^2 - \pi(\text{inner radius})^2$

Practice (b) Volume of solid obtained by rotating region enclosed by $y=x$, $y=x^2$ about the line $x=-1$.

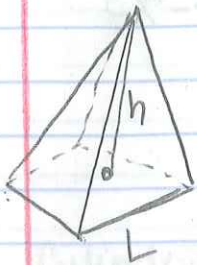


Outer radius = $\sqrt{y}+1$

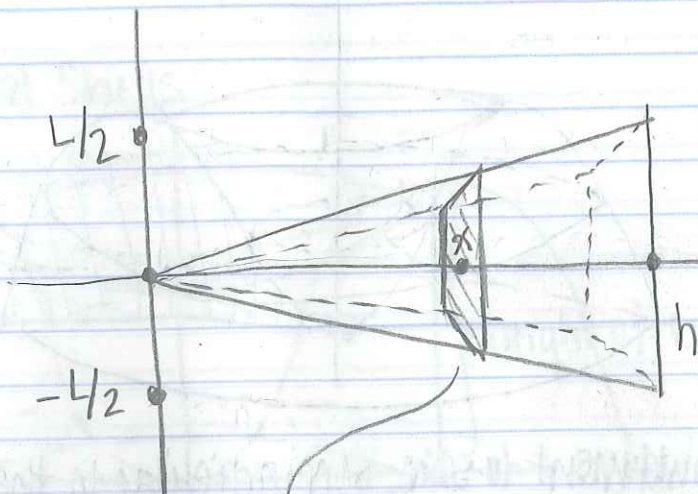
Inner radius = $y+1$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^1 \pi((\sqrt{y}+1)^2 - (y+1)^2) dy &= \int_0^1 \pi(y + 2\sqrt{y} + 1 - y^2 - 2y - 1) dy \\ &= \pi \int_0^1 (2\sqrt{y} - y - y^2) dy = \pi \left(\frac{4}{3} y^{3/2} - \frac{y^2}{2} - \frac{y^3}{3} \right) \Big|_0^1 \\ &= \pi \left(\frac{4}{3} - \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{3} \right) = \pi/2 \end{aligned}$$

(7) Find the volume of a pyramid whose base is a square with side of length L and whose height is h .

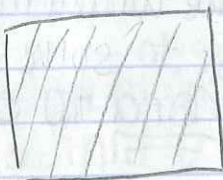


put on coordinate axes to make computations as easy as possible.



cross-section is a square:

Length of cross-sectional square is L at $x=h$ and 0 at $x=0$ and decreases linearly so



length at x is $\frac{L}{h} \cdot x$

Area of cross-section is $\left(\frac{L}{h} \cdot x\right)^2 = \frac{L^2}{h^2} x^2$

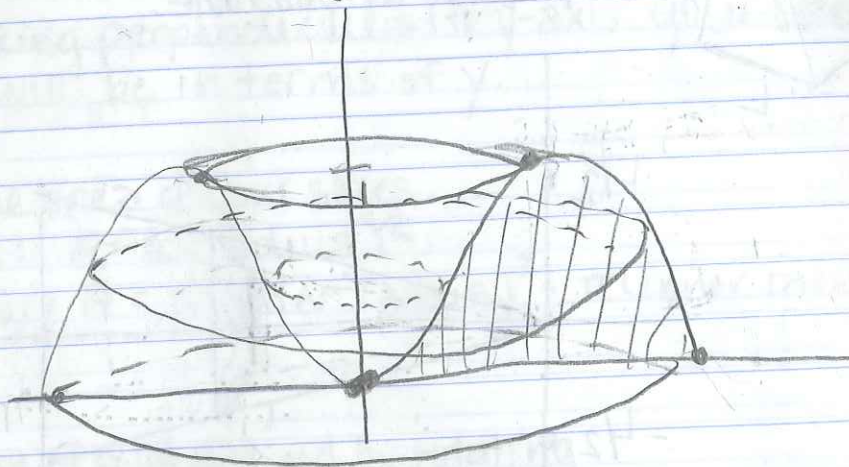
Integrate: $V = \int_0^h \frac{L^2}{h^2} x^2 dx = \frac{L^2}{h^2} \int_0^h x^2 dx$

Constants

$$= \frac{L^2}{h^2} \left(\frac{x^3}{3}\right) \Big|_0^h = \frac{L^2}{h^2} \cdot \frac{h^3}{3} = \boxed{\frac{1}{3} L^2 h}$$

Cylindrical Shells

Find the volume of the solid obtained by rotating the region bounded by $y = 2x^2 - x^3$ and $y = 0$ about the y -axis



Slicing:

We would want to slice perpendicular to the y -axis.

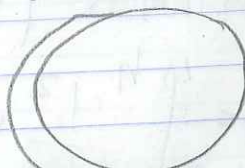
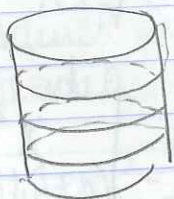
Then we would integrate w/ respect to y ,
so we have to solve for x ,

It's hard to solve this equation for x

We need a new method.

- Instead of slicing our solid into disks or washers
we are going cut out cylindrical shells

Slicing:

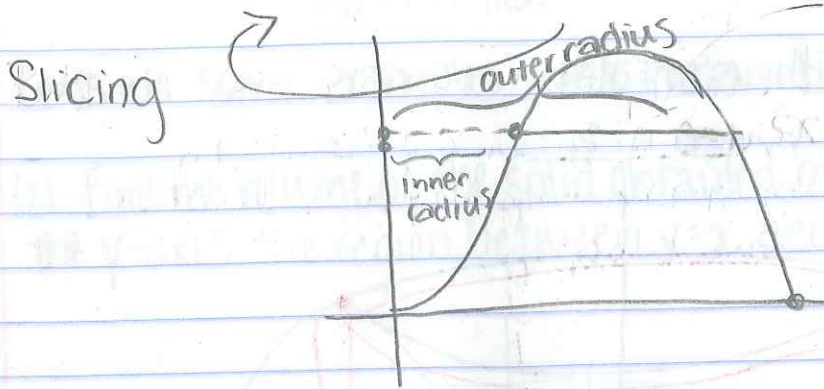


A slice

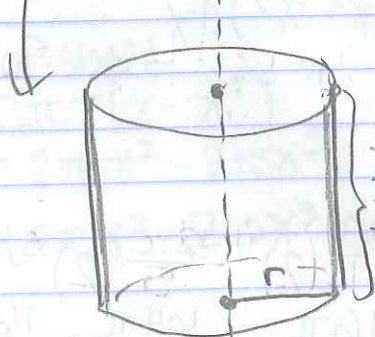
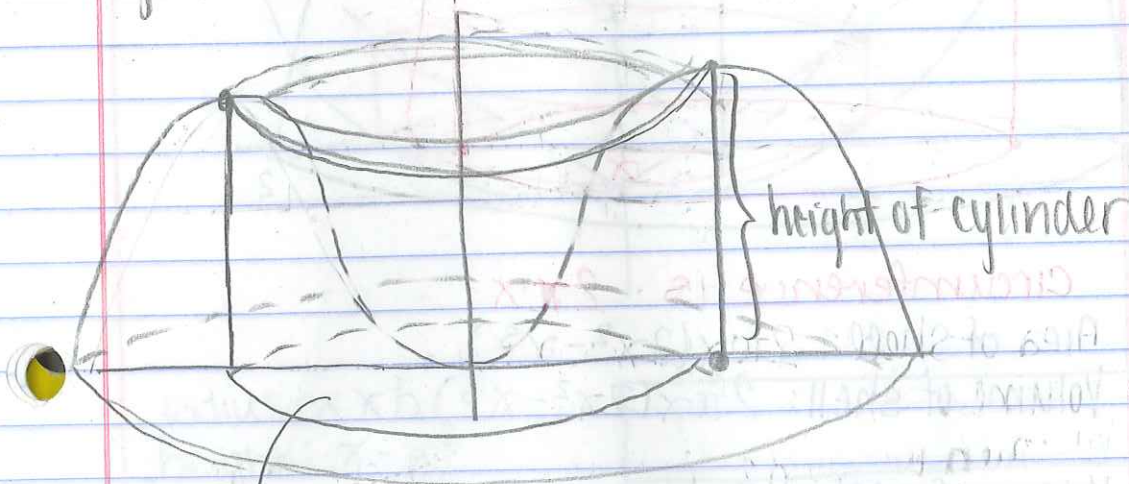
Cylindrical
shells



A shell
(hollow inside)



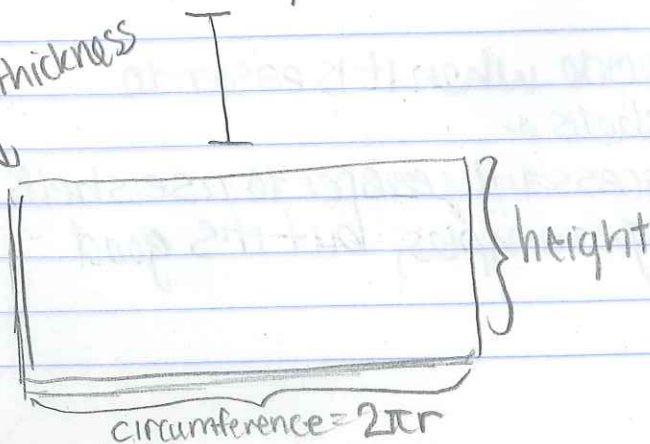
Cylindrical Shells:



A hollow cylinder w/
infinitely thin walls.

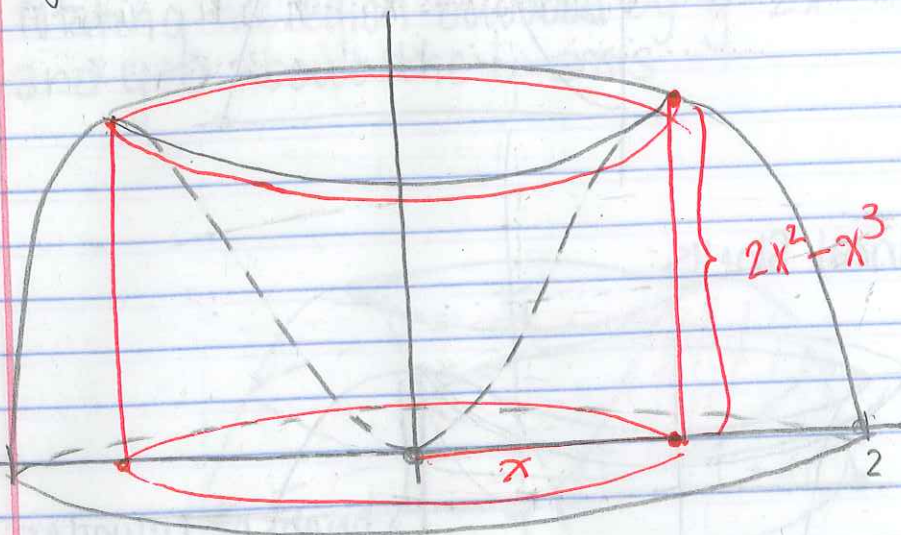
What would the volume of
one of these cylinders be?

dx is
thickness



Back to the example:

$$y = 2x^2 - x^3, y = 0$$



Circumference is $2\pi x$

$$\text{Area of shell: } 2\pi x(2x^2 - x^3)$$

$$\text{Volume of shell: } 2\pi x(2x^2 - x^3) dx$$

$$\text{Volume of solid: } \int_0^2 2\pi x(2x^2 - x^3) dx$$

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

$$= \pi x^4 - \frac{2\pi}{5} x^5 \Big|_0^2 = \pi(2)^4 - \frac{2\pi}{5}(2)^5$$
$$= 16\pi - \frac{64\pi}{5} = \frac{16}{5}\pi$$

* You need to decide when it is easier to use slices or shells *

It's not necessarily easier to use shells on the following examples, but it's good practice.