

# 9-9.2-10

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## Question:

Find the area of the region bounded by the curve  $y^2 = x$  and the lines  $x = 1$  and  $x = 4$  and the axis in the first quadrant.

## Solution:

The parameters of the conic are

Equations
$y^2 = x$
$x = 1$
$x = 4$

TABLE 0: Given Equations

Conic	Parameters
$V$	$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$
$u$	$\frac{-1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$
$f$	0

$$L : x_i = h + \kappa_i m \quad (0.1)$$

Where,

$$\kappa_i = \frac{1}{m^\top V m} (-m^\top (Vh + u) \pm \sqrt{[m^\top (Vh + u)]^2 - g(h)(m^\top V m)}) \quad (0.2)$$

For the line  $x - 1 = 0$ , the parameters are

$$h_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, m_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad (0.3)$$

Substituting from the above in (0.2)

$$\kappa_i = 1, -1 \quad (0.4)$$

yielding the points of intersection

$$a_o = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, a_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \quad (0.5)$$

Similarly, for the line  $x - 4 = 0$  (0.2)

$$h_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, m_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad (0.6)$$

yielding

$$\kappa_i = 2, -2 \quad (0.7)$$

from which, the points of intersection are

$$a_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, a_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \quad (0.8)$$

Thus, the area of the parabola in between the lines  $x = 1$  and  $x = 4$  is given by

$$\int_0^4 \sqrt{x} dx - \int_0^1 \sqrt{x} dx = \frac{14}{3} \quad (0.9)$$

Area enclosed is  $\frac{14}{3}$ .

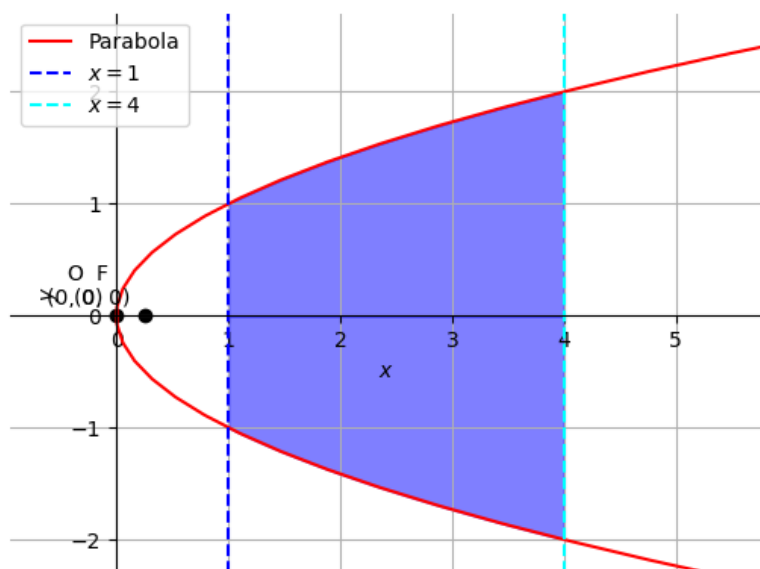


Fig. 0.1