

The Disk method:

Volume of disk = $\pi \cdot (\text{radius})^2 \cdot \text{thickness} = \pi [f(x)]^2 dx$

$$\text{Volume} = \pi \int_a^b [f(x)]^2 dx .$$

Example 1. Find the volume of the solid obtained by revolving the region bounded by $y = \sqrt{x}$, $x = 4$ and the x -axis about the x -axis.

The Washer method:

Volume of a washer = $\pi \cdot ([f(x)]^2 - [g(x)]^2) \cdot dx$

$$\text{Volume} = \pi \int_a^b ([f(x)]^2 - [g(x)]^2) dx$$

Example 2. Find the volume of the solid obtained by revolving the region bounded by $y = 1$ and $y = x^2$ about the x -axis.

Example 3. Find the volume of the solid obtained by revolving the region bounded by $y = x + 3$ and $y = x^2 + 1$ about the x -axis.

The Shell method:

Volume of a shell = $2\pi \cdot (\text{radius}) \cdot (\text{height}) \cdot (\text{thickness}) = 2\pi x (f(x) - g(x)) dx$

$$\text{Volume} = 2\pi \int_a^b x (f(x) - g(x)) dx$$

Example 4. Find the volume of the solid obtained by revolving the region bounded by $x = \sqrt{y}$, $y = 1$ and the y -axis about the y -axis.

Example 5. Find the volume of the solid obtained by revolving the region bounded by $y = x^{2/3}$, $x = 8$ and the x -axis about the y -axis.