

Homework 4

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1. In lecture, we found the volume of a donut by revolving the circles

$$(x - (R - r))^2 + y^2 = r^2$$

along the y -axis where $R > r$.

(a) Derive the integral formula for the volume of the donut. (It was covered in class, but please rewrite it on your own)

First, we solve for x to get an expression in terms of y .

$$(x - (R - r))^2 + y^2 = r^2$$

$$(x - (R - r))^2 = r^2 - y^2$$

$$x - (R - r) = \pm \sqrt{r^2 - y^2}$$

$$x = (R - r) \pm \sqrt{r^2 - y^2}$$

We can then split the expression for x to produce two semicircles, where the positive square root component will produce the right side of the circle, and the negative component for the left side.

$$f_L(y) = (R - r) - \sqrt{r^2 - y^2}$$

$$f_R(y) = (R - r) + \sqrt{r^2 - y^2}$$

Revolving the right-hand component ($f_R(y)$) around the x -axis would give us the outside shape of the donut. Similarly, revolving the left-hand component ($f_L(y)$) around the x -axis would produce the inside portion (the hole) of the donut.

As such, the volume of the donut V would be the volume produced by revolving the outside minus the inside.

$$\begin{aligned} V &= \pi \int_{-r}^r f_R(y)^2 - f_L(y)^2 \, dy \\ &= \pi \int_{-r}^r \left((R - r) + \sqrt{r^2 - y^2} \right)^2 - \left((R - r) - \sqrt{r^2 - y^2} \right)^2 \, dy \end{aligned}$$

Let $A = R - r$ and $B = \sqrt{r^2 - y^2}$. Then,

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \left((R - r) + \sqrt{r^2 - y^2} \right)^2 - \left((R - r) - \sqrt{r^2 - y^2} \right)^2 \\
 &= (A + B)^2 - (A - B)^2 \\
 &= (\cancel{A^2} + \cancel{B^2} + 2AB) - (\cancel{A^2} + \cancel{B^2} - 2AB) \\
 &= 2AB - (-2AB) \\
 &= 4AB \\
 &= 4(R - r)\sqrt{r^2 - y^2}.
 \end{aligned}$$

And so, we have that:

$$\begin{aligned}
 V &= \pi \int_{-r}^r \left((R - r) + \sqrt{r^2 - y^2} \right)^2 - \left((R - r) - \sqrt{r^2 - y^2} \right)^2 dy \\
 &= \pi \int_{-r}^r 4(R - r)\sqrt{r^2 - y^2} dy \\
 &= 4\pi(R - r) \int_{-r}^r \sqrt{r^2 - y^2} dy.
 \end{aligned}$$

(b) Compute the integral and find the volume of the donut. (Substitute $y = r \sin \theta$)

With the integrand being in form $\sqrt{r^2 - y^2}$, we can use trigonometric substitution.

Let $y = r \sin \theta$.

$$y = r \sin \theta \quad \implies \quad dy = r \cos \theta d\theta$$

$$y = r \sin \theta = -r \quad \implies \quad \theta = \sin^{-1}(-1) = -\frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$y = r \sin \theta = r \quad \implies \quad \theta = \sin^{-1}(1) = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\therefore \int_{-r}^r \sqrt{r^2 - y^2} \, dy &= \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \sqrt{r^2 - r^2 \sin^2 \theta} \cdot r \cos \theta \, d\theta \\
&= \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \sqrt{r^2(1 - \sin^2 \theta)} \cdot r \cos \theta \, d\theta \\
&= \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \sqrt{r^2 \cos^2 \theta} \cdot r \cos \theta \, d\theta \\
&= \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} r \cos \theta \cdot r \cos \theta \, d\theta \\
&= \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} r^2 \cos^2 \theta \, d\theta \\
&= r^2 \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \cos^2 \theta \, d\theta \\
&= r^2 \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \frac{1 + \cos 2\theta}{2} \, d\theta \\
&= \frac{r^2}{2} \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} 1 + \cos 2\theta \, d\theta \\
&= \frac{r^2}{2} \left[\theta + \frac{\sin 2\theta}{2} \right]_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \\
&= \frac{r^2}{2} \left(\frac{\pi}{2} + \cancel{\frac{\sin \pi}{2}} + \frac{\pi}{2} - \cancel{\frac{\sin(-\pi)}{2}} \right) \\
&= \frac{\pi r^2}{2}
\end{aligned}$$

Finally, we substitute the result of this integral into our expression for volume.

$$\begin{aligned}
V &= 4\pi(R - r) \int_{-r}^r \sqrt{r^2 - y^2} \, dy \\
&= 4\pi(R - r) \frac{\pi r^2}{2} \\
&= 2\pi^2 r^2 (R - r)
\end{aligned}$$

2. Find the volume of the solid of revolution by rotating the region bounded by $y = 2x^2$, $y = 8$ and the y -axis.

Question open to interpretation

Axis of revolution not specified. Assuming revolution around the y-axis.

$$y = 2x^2 \implies x = \pm \sqrt{\frac{y}{2}}$$

Since the region is bounded by the y-axis, we only consider the positive component.

$$x = \sqrt{\frac{y}{2}}$$

And at $x = 0, y = 0$. So, the integral for the volume V is

$$\begin{aligned} V &= \pi \int_0^8 \left(\sqrt{\frac{y}{2}} \right)^2 dy \\ &= \pi \int_0^8 \frac{y}{2} dy \\ &= \pi \left[\frac{y^2}{4} \right]_0^8 \\ &= 16\pi. \end{aligned}$$

Long Question 1

In Figure 1, the region R is enclosed by the parabola $y = 4 - (x - 3)^2$ and the line segment AC where A, C are the points $(1, 0)$ and $(5, 0)$ respectively. B is the vertex of the parabola.

(a) (i) Write down the coordinates of B .

$$y = 4 - (x - 3)^2 \implies \frac{dy}{dx} = -2(x - 3)$$

$$-2(x - 3) = 0 \implies x = 3$$

$$x = 3 \implies y = 4 - (3 - 3)^2 = 4$$

$$\therefore B = (3, 4)$$

(ii) Write down the equation of the curve AB and BC as a function of $x = f(y)$.

$$y = 4 - (x - 3)^2$$

$$y - 4 = -(x - 3)^2$$

$$-y + 4 = (x - 3)^2$$

$$\pm \sqrt{-y + 4} = x - 3$$

$$x = 3 \pm \sqrt{-y + 4}$$

$$\therefore f_{AB}(y) = 3 - \sqrt{4 - y}$$

$$f_{BC}(y) = 3 + \sqrt{4 - y}$$

A jelly ring in the shape of solid of revolution of the region R is revolved the y -axis as shown in Figure 2. The jelly ring contains two layers and we let h be the height of the lower layer.

(b) (i) Show that the volume of the lower layer of the jelly ring is

$$8\pi(8 - (4 - h)^{3/2})$$

Similar to question one, revolving the right-hand side ($f_{BC}(y)$) will produce the volume of the entire jelly. Revolving the left-hand side ($f_{AB}(y)$) will produce the volume of the hole.

As such, the volume of the lower portion of the jelly ring V_{lower} would be the volume produced by revolving the outside minus the inside from 0 to height h .

$$\begin{aligned} V_{\text{lower}} &= \pi \int_0^h f_{BC}(y)^2 - f_{AB}(y)^2 \, dy \\ &= \pi \int_0^h (3 + \sqrt{4 - y})^2 - (3 - \sqrt{4 - y})^2 \, dy \end{aligned}$$

Let $A = 3$ and $B = \sqrt{4 - y}$. Then,

$$\begin{aligned} &(3 + \sqrt{4 - y})^2 - (3 - \sqrt{4 - y})^2 \\ &= (A + B)^2 - (A - B)^2 \\ &= 4AB \\ &= 12\sqrt{4 - y}. \end{aligned}$$

And so, we have that:

$$\begin{aligned}
V_{\text{lower}} &= \pi \int_0^h (3 + \sqrt{4-y})^2 - (3 - \sqrt{4-y})^2 \, dy \\
&= \pi \int_0^h 12\sqrt{4-y} \, dy \\
&= 12\pi \int_0^h \sqrt{4-y} \, dy \\
&= 12\pi \int_0^h (4-y)^{1/2} \, dy \\
&= 12\pi \left[-\frac{2(4-y)^{3/2}}{3} \right]_0^h \\
&= 12\pi \left(-\frac{2(4-h)^{3/2}}{3} + \frac{2(4-0)^{3/2}}{3} \right) \\
&= 12\pi \left(-\frac{2(4-h)^{3/2}}{3} + \frac{16}{3} \right) \\
&= 12\pi \left(\frac{1}{3} \right) (-2(4-h)^{3/2} + 16) \\
&= 12\pi \left(\frac{1}{3} \right) (2)(-(4-h)^{3/2} + 8) \\
&= 8\pi(-(4-h)^{3/2} + 8) \\
&= 8\pi(8 - (4-h)^{3/2})
\end{aligned}$$

which matches the provided expression for volume.

(ii) If the upper and the lower layers have the same volume, find the value of h . (You leave your answer of h in three decimal places).

Since the integral found for the lower portion is valid for the entire jelly ring, we simply need to change its bound to reflect the upper portion.

$$\begin{aligned}
V_{\text{upper}} &= \pi \int_h^4 12\sqrt{4-y} \, dy \\
&= 12\pi \int_h^4 \sqrt{4-y} \, dy \\
&= 12\pi \left[-\frac{2(4-y)^{3/2}}{3} \right]_h^4 \\
&= 12\pi \left(-\cancel{\frac{2(4-4)^{3/2}}{3}} + \frac{2(4-h)^{3/2}}{3} \right) \\
&= \frac{24\pi(4-h)^{3/2}}{3} \\
&= 8\pi(4-h)^{3/2}
\end{aligned}$$

Since $V_{\text{upper}} = V_{\text{lower}}$, we can then solve for h .

$$V_{\text{upper}} = V_{\text{lower}}$$

$$\cancel{8\pi}(4-h)^{3/2} = \cancel{8\pi}(8-(4-h)^{3/2})$$

$$\sqrt{(4-h)^3} = 8 - \sqrt{(4-h)^3}$$

$$2\sqrt{(4-h)^3} = 8$$

$$\sqrt{(4-h)^3} = 4$$

$$(4-h)^3 = 16$$

$$4-h = \sqrt[3]{16}$$

$$h = -2\sqrt[3]{2} + 4$$

$$\approx 1.480$$

(c) If milk is poured into the center of the jelly ring until it is fully filled. Find the volume of the milk required.

Revolving $f_{AB}(y)$ around the y -axis produces the volume of the hole. So, its volume is also the volume of the milk.

$$\begin{aligned} V_{\text{milk}} &= \pi \int_0^4 f_{AB}(y)^2 \, dy \\ &= \pi \int_0^4 (3 - \sqrt{4 - y})^2 \, dy \\ &= \pi \int_0^4 (9 + (4 - y) - 6\sqrt{4 - y}) \, dy \\ &= \pi \int_0^4 (13 - y - 6(4 - y)^{1/2}) \, dy \\ &= \pi \left[13y - \frac{y^2}{2} + \frac{12(4 - y)^{3/2}}{3} \right]_0^4 \\ &= \pi \left[13y - \frac{y^2}{2} + 4(4 - y)^{3/2} \right]_0^4 \\ &= \pi \left(13(4) - \frac{16}{2} - 4(4)^{3/2} \right) \\ &= 12\pi \end{aligned}$$