

Q.1 Find the volume of a solid obtained by rotating the region bound by $y = 6 \sin(2x^2)$, $x = 0$ and $x = \sqrt{\pi/2}$ about the y-axis.

A) To find the limits, $y' = 24x \cos(2x^2) = 0$ (horizontal slope).

$$\implies x = 0 \text{ and } \cos(2x^2) = 0$$

$$\implies x = 0 \text{ and } 2x^2 = \pi/2 \implies x = \sqrt{\pi}/2$$

$$\implies y = 0 \text{ and } y = 6 \sin(\pi/2) = 6$$

Using the “shell method”, the volume,

$$\begin{aligned} V &= \int_0^{\sqrt{\pi/2}} 2\pi x (6 \sin(2x^2)) dx \\ &= 12\pi \int_0^{\sqrt{\pi/2}} x \sin(2x^2) dx \\ &= \int x \sin(2x^2) dx = \frac{1}{4} \int \sin(u) du \text{ for } u = 2x^2 \text{ and } du = 4x dx \\ &= -\frac{1}{4} \cos(u) = -\frac{1}{4} \cos(2x^2) \\ &\implies V = 12\pi \left[-\frac{1}{4} \cos(2x^2) \right]_0^{\sqrt{\pi/2}} \\ &= 12\pi \left(-\frac{1}{4} \cos(\pi) + \frac{1}{4} \cos(0) \right) \\ &= 3\pi(1 + 1) = 6\pi \end{aligned}$$

Q.2 Find the volume of a solid obtained by rotating the region bound by $y = 5\sqrt[3]{x}$, $y = 0$ and $x = 1$ about the y-axis.

A) Using the “shell method”, the volume,

$$\begin{aligned} V &= \int_0^1 2\pi x (5\sqrt[3]{x}) dx \\ &= 10\pi \int_0^1 x \sqrt[3]{x} dx \\ &= 10\pi \int_0^1 x^{\frac{4}{3}} dx \\ &= 10\pi^{\frac{3}{7}} \left[x^{\frac{7}{3}} \right]_0^1 \\ &= \frac{30\pi}{7} \end{aligned}$$

Q.3

Q.4 Find the volume of a solid obtained by rotating the region bounded by $y = \sqrt{4x}$, $y = \frac{x^2}{4}$ about the y-axis.

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