

Topic 17: Exercises on Volumes and Shells

Level 3, Part 1

1. By taking strips parallel to the axis of rotation, use the method of cylindrical shells to find the volume of the solid obtained by rotating the region $\{(x, y) : 0 \leq x \leq 1, x^{1/3} \leq y \leq 1\}$ about the line $x = 1$.

$\frac{5\pi}{14} \text{ units}^3$

2. By taking strips parallel to the axis of rotation, use the method of cylindrical shells to find the volume of the solid obtained by rotating the region $\{(x, y): 0 \leq x \leq \frac{\pi}{2}, 0 \leq y \leq \sin x\}$ about the y -axis.

$2\pi \text{ units}^3$

3. By taking strips parallel to the axis of rotation, use the method of cylindrical shells to find the volume of the solid obtained by rotating the region $\{(x, y) : 0 \leq x \leq \frac{\pi}{2}, 0 \leq y \leq \cos x\}$ about the line $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$.

$2\pi \text{ units}^3$

4. By taking strips parallel to the axis of rotation, use the method of cylindrical shells to find the volume of the solid obtained by rotating the region $\{(x, y) : 0 \leq x \leq 1, e^x \leq y \leq e\}$ about the line $y = e$.

$$\frac{\pi}{2}(-e^2 + 4e - 1) \text{ units}^3$$

5. By taking strips parallel to the axis of rotation, use the method of cylindrical shells to find the volume of the solid obtained by rotating the region $\{(x, y) : 0 \leq x \leq 1, e^x \leq y \leq e\}$ about the line $x = 1$.

$$\pi(4 - e) \text{ units}^3$$

6. By taking strips parallel to the axis of rotation, use the method of cylindrical shells to find the volume of the solid obtained by rotating the region $\{(x, y): 0 \leq x \leq 1, 0 \leq y \leq \tan^{-1} x\}$ about the y -axis.

$$\frac{\pi}{2}(\pi - 2) \text{ units}^3$$

7. By taking strips parallel to the axis of rotation, use the method of cylindrical shells to find the volume of the solid obtained by rotating the region $\{(x, y) : 0 \leq x \leq 1, 0 \leq y \leq e^{-x^2}\}$ about the y -axis.

$$\pi(1 - e^{-1}) \text{ units}^3$$