

6.5 - Length of Curves
 6.6 - Surface Area

Announcements:

- Exam 1 on Wed Feb 9 @ 6:30pm
- study guide + FAQs

Shell Method

GOALS:

- Find arc lengths
- Find surface area of curves revolved around a given axis

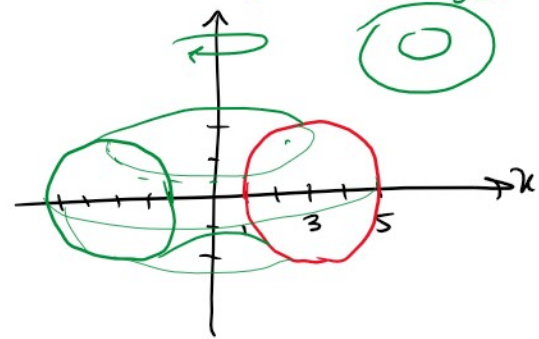
WARM UP: A torus is formed when a circle of $r=2$, centered at $(3,0)$ is revolved around the y -axis.

The Shell method says:

$$V = \int_1^5 2\pi x f(x) dx, \text{ where}$$

$$(a) f(x) = 2\sqrt{4 - (x-3)^2}$$

$$(b) f(x) = 2\sin\left(\frac{\pi(x-1)}{4}\right)$$

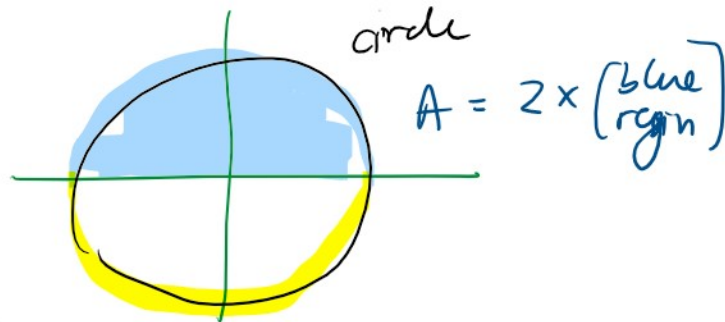


$r = 2$
 center $(3,0)$

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

$$y = \pm \sqrt{4 - (x-3)^2}$$

Symmetric $f(x) = 2\sqrt{4 - (x-3)^2}$



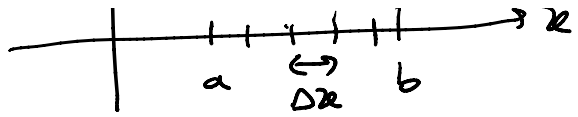
I. Length of Curves:

Given a function $y = f(x)$ on $[a,b]$

Find the length L of the curve $f(x)$
 arc length

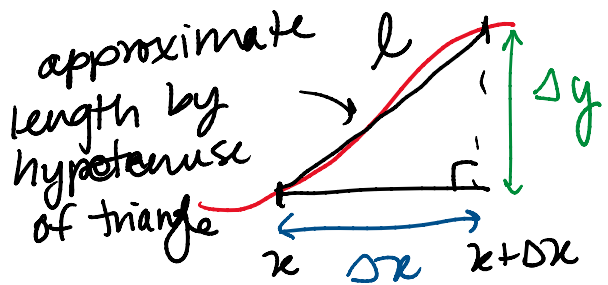


of the curve
arc length



Slice up the x-axis

$$l = \sqrt{(\Delta x)^2 + (\Delta y)^2}$$



$$L \approx \sum_{k=1}^n \sqrt{\frac{(\Delta x)^2 + (\Delta y_k)^2}{(\Delta x)^2}} \Delta x \quad \text{pull out a } \Delta x$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^n \sqrt{1 + \frac{(\Delta y_k)^2}{(\Delta x)^2}} \Delta x$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^n \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{\Delta y_k}{\Delta x}\right)^2} \Delta x$$

limit as $n \rightarrow \infty$

$$L = \int_a^b \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2} dx$$

$$= \int_a^b \sqrt{1 + \{f'(x)\}^2} dx$$

$y = f(x)$

Arc length $y = f(x)$

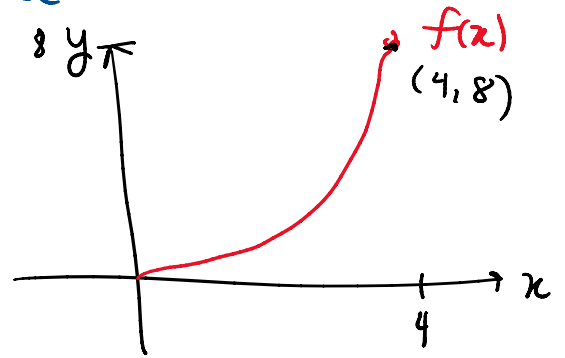
Need $f(x)$ to have a continuous derivative on $(a, b]$

∴ find the length of the curve $f(x) = x^{3/2}$

Ex: Find the length of the curve $f(x) = x^{3/2}$ between $x=0$ and $x=4$

$$y = f(x) = x^{3/2}$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{3}{2} x^{1/2}$$



$$L = \int_a^b \sqrt{1 + \{f'(x)\}^2} dx$$

$$= \int_0^4 \sqrt{1 + \left\{ \frac{3}{2} x^{1/2} \right\}^2} dx = \int_0^4 \sqrt{1 + \frac{9}{4} x} dx$$

u-substitution

$$u = 1 + \frac{9x}{4}$$

$$du = \frac{9}{4} dx$$

@ $x=0$ $u=1$
 @ $x=4$ $u = 1 + \frac{9 \cdot 4}{4}$
 $u=10$

$$= \int_1^{10} u^{1/2} \left(\frac{4}{9} du \right) = \frac{4}{9} \int_1^{10} u^{1/2} du$$

$$= \frac{4}{9} \left[\frac{u^{3/2}}{3/2} \right]_1^{10} = \frac{4}{9} \left(\frac{2}{3} \right) \left[10^{3/2} - 1^{3/2} \right]$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{8}{27} [10\sqrt{10} - 1]} = L$$

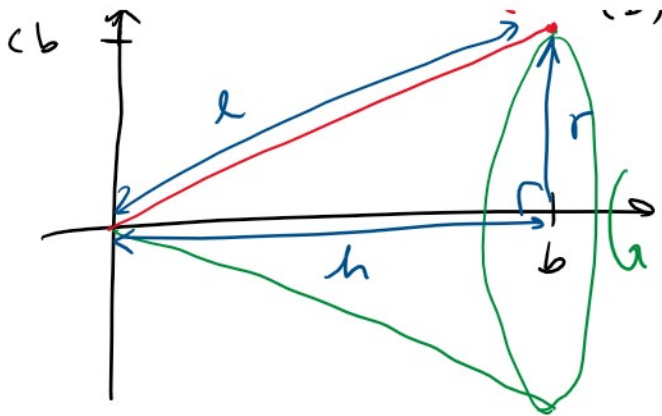
II. Surface Area:

$f(x) = cx$ with $c > 0$ on $[0, b]$ $b > 0$

revolve around x-axis



Cone



Cone
 height $h = b$
 base radius $r = cb$
 slant height l

$$l = \sqrt{h^2 + r^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{b^2 + (cb)^2}$$

$$= b\sqrt{1 + c^2}$$

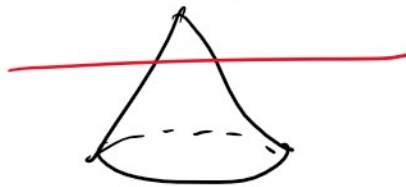
Surface area of cone

$$S = \pi r l$$

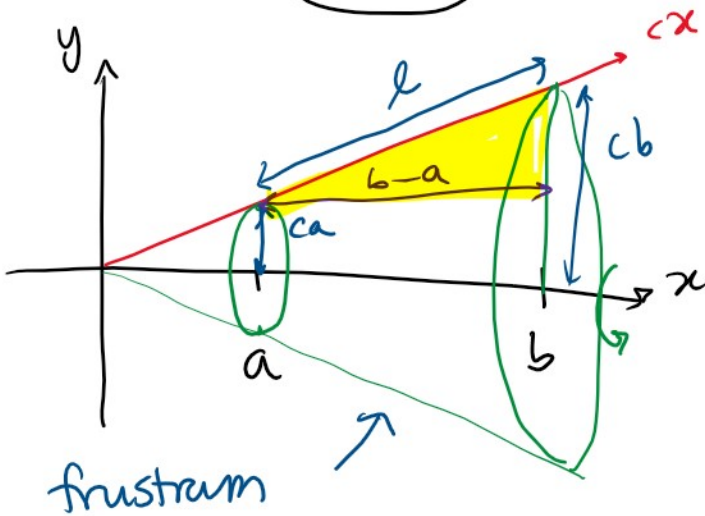
$$= \pi (cb) [b\sqrt{1 + c^2}]$$

$$= \pi c b^2 \sqrt{1 + c^2}$$

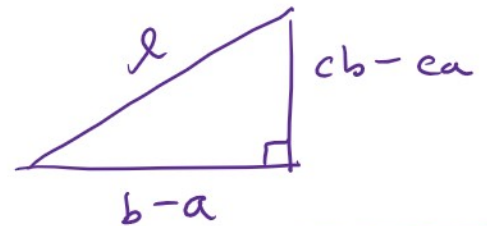
Def: The frustrum is a cone with the top chopped off



frustrum
 lamp shade



Q: What is the slant height l ?



$$l = \sqrt{(b-a)^2 + (cb-ca)^2}$$

$$= (b-a)\sqrt{1 + c^2}$$

Surface area of the frustrum

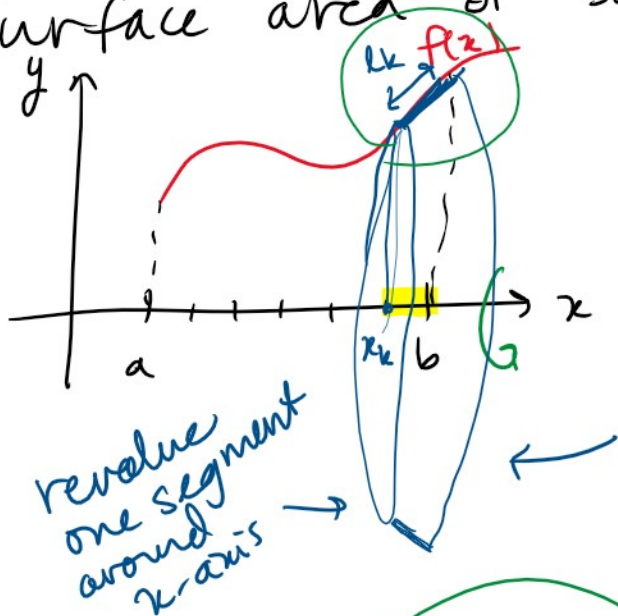
$$2\sqrt{\dots} = \pi a^2 \sqrt{1 + c^2}$$

the frustum

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_f &= S_b - S_a = \pi c b^2 \sqrt{1+c^2} - \pi c a^2 \sqrt{1+c^2} \\
 &\quad \underbrace{\hspace{1cm}}_{\text{cone } h=b} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1cm}}_{\text{cone } h=a} = \pi c (b^2 - a^2) \sqrt{1+c^2} \\
 &= \pi c (b+a) \underbrace{(b-a)}_l \sqrt{1+c^2} \\
 &= \pi c (b+a) l = \pi \underbrace{(cb)}_{f(b)} \underbrace{+ ca}_{f(a)} l
 \end{aligned}$$

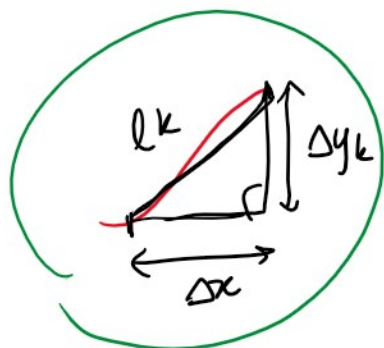
$$S_f = \pi (f(b) + f(a)) l$$

Surface area of solids of revolution $f(x)$ on $[a, b]$ revolve around x -axis



approximate by a frustum

$$S_k \approx \pi [f(x_k) + f(x_k + \Delta x)] l_k$$



$$l_k \approx \sqrt{(\Delta x)^2 + (\Delta y_k)^2}$$

$$\dots \sum_{k=1}^n \pi [f(x_k) + f(x_k + \Delta x)] \sqrt{(\Delta x)^2 + (\Delta y_k)^2}$$

$$S \approx \sum_{k=1}^n \pi [f(x_k) + f(x_k + \Delta x)] \sqrt{(\Delta x)^2 + (\Delta y_k)^2}$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^n \pi [f(x_k) + f(x_k + \Delta x)] \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x}\right)^2} \Delta x$$

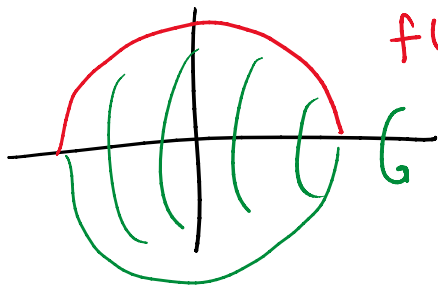
limit $n \rightarrow \infty$

$$S = \int_a^b \pi (2f(x)) \sqrt{1 + \{f'(x)\}^2} dx$$

$$S = \int_a^b 2\pi f(x) \sqrt{1 + \{f'(x)\}^2} dx$$

Surface Area

Ex: Surface area of unit sphere



$$f(x) = \sqrt{1-x^2}$$

revolve around
x-axis

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{2} (1-x^2)^{-1/2} (-2x)$$

$$= \frac{-x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$$

$$S = \int_{-1}^1 2\pi \sqrt{1-x^2} \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{-x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}\right)^2} dx$$

$$= \int_{-1}^1 2\pi \sqrt{1-x^2} \left(\frac{1-\cancel{x^2}+\cancel{x^2}}{1-x^2} \right) dx$$

$$= \int_{-1}^1 2\pi \frac{\sqrt{1-\cancel{x^2}}}{\sqrt{1-\cancel{x^2}}} dx = [2\pi x]_{-1}^1 = \boxed{4\pi = S}$$

$$\boxed{S = 4\pi r^2}$$