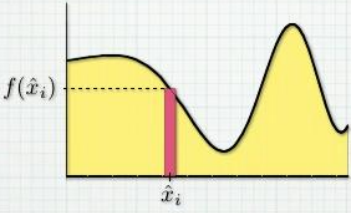


## Find the Area between two curves: (Video #26, is 19 minutes)

<http://online.math.uh.edu/HoustonACT/videocalculus/SV3/26-areas.mov>

Area under the curve:

**Area of a Region Defined by  $0 \leq y \leq f(x)$  and  $a \leq x \leq b$**



**Area of a typical rectangle**  $\Delta A_i = f(\hat{x}_i)\Delta x$

**Riemann sum**  $A \approx \sum \Delta A_i = \sum f(\hat{x}_i)\Delta x$

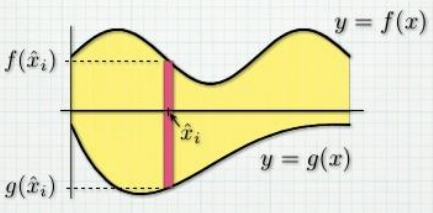
**Area of a typical thin slice**  $dA = f(x) dx$  **The area differential**

**Definite integral**  $A = \int_{x=a}^{x=b} dA = \int_a^b f(x) dx$

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Area between two curves:

**Area of a Region Defined by  $g(x) \leq y \leq f(x)$  and  $a \leq x \leq b$**



**Area of a typical rectangle**  $\Delta A_i = (f(\hat{x}_i) - g(\hat{x}_i))\Delta x$

**Riemann sum**  $A \approx \sum \Delta A_i = \sum (f(\hat{x}_i) - g(\hat{x}_i))\Delta x$

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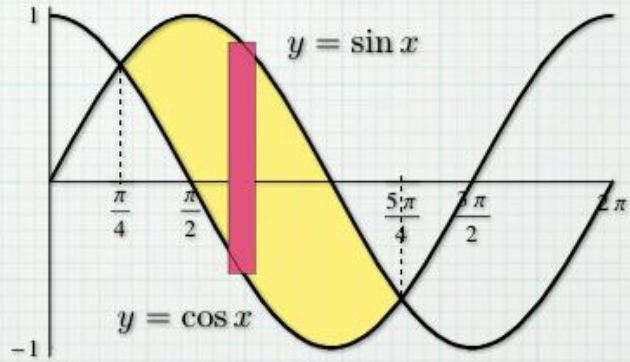
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**Example** Find the area of the region bounded by the graphs of  $y = \sin x$  and  $y = \cos x$  between  $x = \pi/4$  and  $x = 5\pi/4$ .

$$\Delta A_i = (\sin \hat{x}_i - \cos \hat{x}_i) \Delta x$$

$$dA = (\sin x - \cos x) dx$$

$$A = \int_{\pi/4}^{5\pi/4} (\sin x - \cos x) dx$$

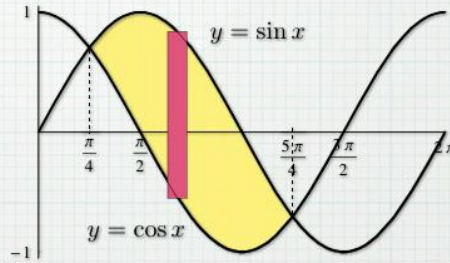


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$$dA = (\sin x - \cos x) dx$$



$$A = \int_{\pi/4}^{5\pi/4} (\sin x - \cos x) dx = (-\cos x - \sin x) \Big|_{\pi/4}^{5\pi/4}$$

$$= \left( \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \right) - \left( -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \right) = 2\sqrt{2}$$

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### Answer to Page 4

**Example** Find the area of the region bounded by the graphs of  $y = x^2$  and  $y = x + 2$ .

**Points of intersection**

$$x^2 = x + 2$$

$$x^2 - x - 2 = 0$$

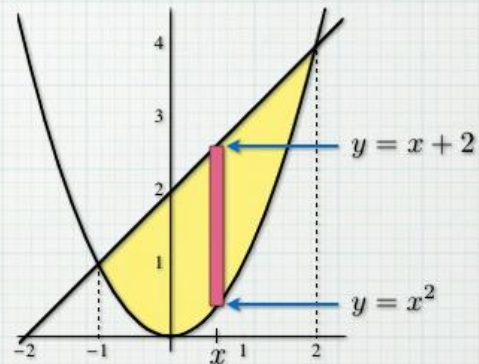
$$(x + 1)(x - 2) = 0$$

$$x = -1, 2$$

$$A = \int_{-1}^2 (x + 2 - x^2) dx$$

$$= \left( \frac{1}{2} x^2 + 2x - \frac{1}{3} x^3 \right) \Big|_{-1}^2$$

$$= \left( 2 + 4 - \frac{8}{3} \right) - \left( \frac{1}{2} - 2 + \frac{1}{3} \right) = 8 - \frac{9}{3} - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{9}{2}$$



$$dA = (x + 2 - x^2) dx$$

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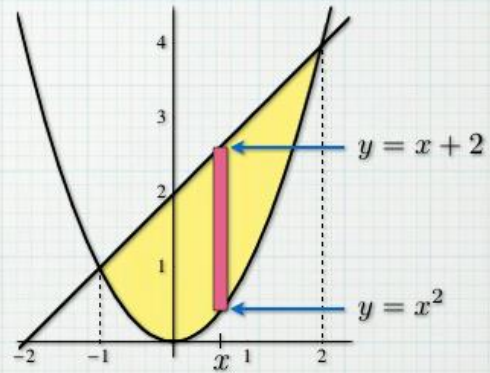
Solve this problem (Page 4)

**Example** Find the area of the region bounded by the graphs of  $y = x^2$  and  $y = x + 2$ .

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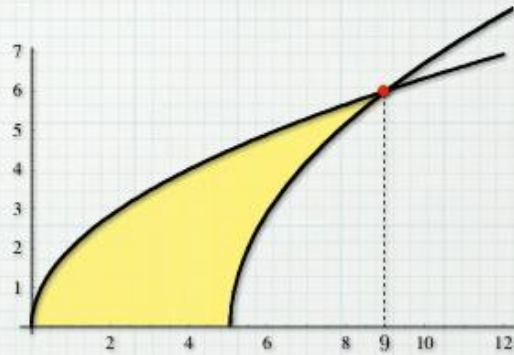
$$dA = (x + 2 - x^2) dx$$



Lets talk about **dx** (Vertical Rectangle) and **dy** (Horizontal Rectangle) options

**Example** Find the area of the region bounded by the graphs of

$$y = 2\sqrt{x}, \quad y = 0, \quad \text{and} \quad y = 3\sqrt{x-5}.$$



$$2\sqrt{x} = 3\sqrt{x-5}$$

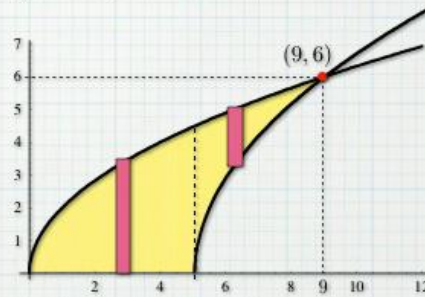
$$4x = 9(x-5)$$

$$45 = 5x$$

$$x = 9$$

## Using dx (Vertical Rectangle):

**Example** Find the area of the region bounded by the graphs of  $y = 2\sqrt{x}$ ,  $y = 0$ , and  $y = 3\sqrt{x-5}$ .



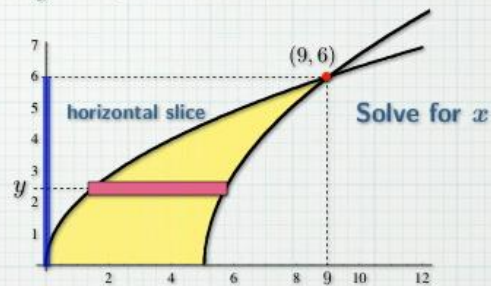
$$A = \int_0^5 2\sqrt{x} dx + \int_5^9 (2\sqrt{x} - 3\sqrt{x-5}) dx$$

## Using dy (Horizontal Rectangle)

**Example** Find the area of the region bounded by the graphs of  $y = 2\sqrt{x}$ ,  $y = 0$ , and  $y = 3\sqrt{x-5}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} dA &= \left( \frac{1}{9} y^2 + 5 - \frac{1}{4} y^2 \right) dy \\ &= \left( 5 - \frac{5}{36} y^2 \right) dy \\ &= \frac{5}{36} (36 - y^2) dy \end{aligned}$$

$$A = \frac{5}{36} \int_0^6 (36 - y^2) dy$$



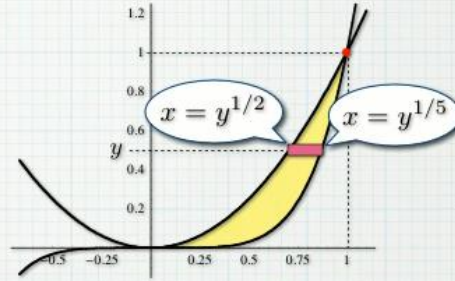
$A = 20$  Sq Units for figures above:

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**Example** Find the area of the region bounded by the graphs of  $y = x^2$  and  $y = x^5$  two ways.

Answer to page 6

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**Vertical slices:**  
Integration with respect to  $x$

$$dA = (x^2 - x^5) dx$$

$$A = \int_0^1 (x^2 - x^5) dx = \left( \frac{1}{3} x^3 - \frac{1}{6} x^6 \right) \Big|_0^1 = \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{6} = \frac{1}{6}$$

**Horizontal slices:** Integration with respect to  $y$

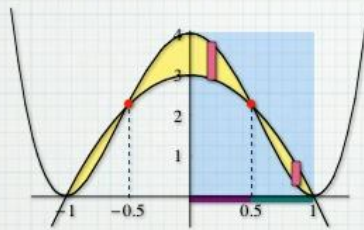
$$dA = (y^{1/5} - y^{1/2}) dy$$

$$A = \int_0^1 (y^{1/5} - y^{1/2}) dy = \left( \frac{5}{6} y^{6/5} - \frac{2}{3} y^{3/2} \right) \Big|_0^1 = \frac{5}{6} - \frac{2}{3} = \frac{1}{6}$$

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Answer to page 7:

**Example** Find the area of the region bounded by the graphs of  $y = 3(1 - x^2)$  and  $y = 4(1 - x^2)^2$ .



**Intersections**

$$\begin{aligned} 3(1 - x^2) &= 4(1 - x^2)^2 \\ 3 &= 4(1 - x^2) \\ 3 &= 4 - 4x^2 \\ 4x^2 &= 1 \\ x &= \pm \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{2} A &= \int_0^{1/2} (4(1 - x^2)^2 - 3(1 - x^2)) dx + \int_{1/2}^1 (3(1 - x^2) - 4(1 - x^2)^2) dx \\ &= \int_0^{1/2} (4x^4 - 5x^2 + 1) dx + \int_{1/2}^1 (-4x^4 + 5x^2 - 1) dx \\ &= \left( \frac{4}{5} x^5 - \frac{5}{3} x^3 + x \right) \Big|_0^{1/2} + \left( -\frac{4}{5} x^5 + \frac{5}{3} x^3 - x \right) \Big|_{1/2}^1 \\ &= \left( \frac{4}{5} \frac{1}{32} - \frac{5}{3} \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{2} \right) - 0 + \left( -\frac{4}{5} + \frac{5}{3} - 1 \right) - \left( -\frac{4}{5} \frac{1}{32} + \frac{5}{3} \frac{1}{8} - \frac{1}{2} \right) \\ &= \frac{8}{160} - \frac{10}{24} - \frac{4}{5} + \frac{5}{3} = \frac{1}{20} - \frac{5}{12} - \frac{4}{5} + \frac{5}{3} = \frac{3-25-48+100}{60} = \frac{30}{60} = \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

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Do not forget  $A = 2(1/2) = 1$  Sq Unit, because the work above was right hand side.



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