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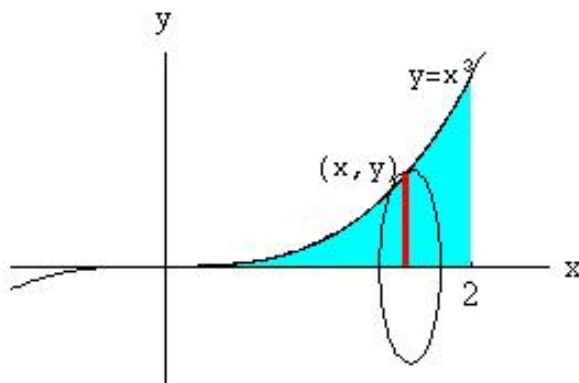
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## Solutions

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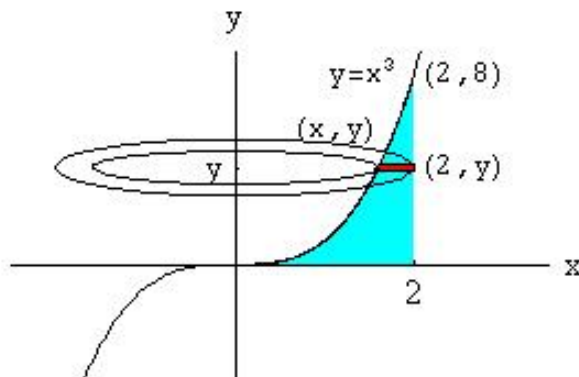
Radius of circle =  $y = x^3$ .

Area of circle =  $\pi y^2 = \pi x^6$ .

$$\text{Volume} = \int_a^b (\text{area of circle}) dx = \pi \int_0^2 x^6 dx = \pi \frac{x^7}{7} \Big|_0^2 = \frac{128\pi}{7}$$

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Radius of inner circle =  $x = y^{1/3}$ .

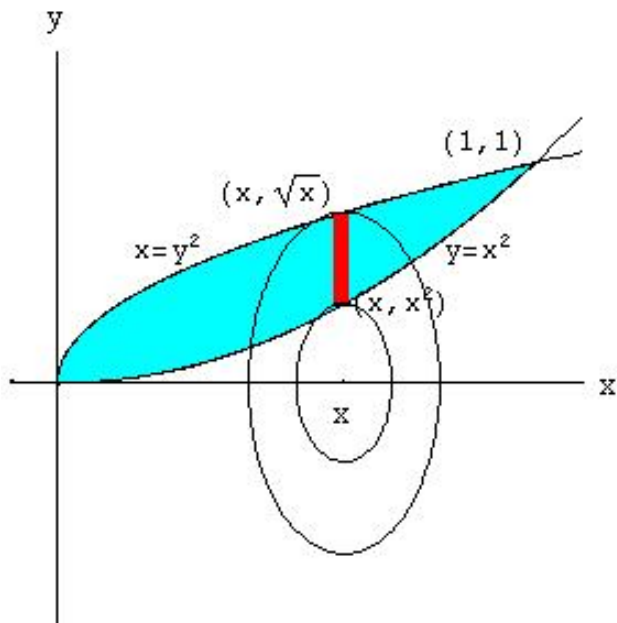
Radius of outer circle = 2.

Area of washer =  $\pi[(\text{radius outer circle})^2 - (\text{radius of inner circle})^2] = \pi[4 - y^{2/3}]$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Volume} &= \int_c^d (\text{area of washer}) dy = \pi \int_0^8 (4 - y^{2/3}) dy = \pi \left( 4y - \frac{y^{5/3}}{5/3} \right)_0^8 \\ &= \pi \left( 32 - \frac{3}{5} 8^{5/3} \right) = \pi \left( 32 - \frac{96}{5} \right) = \frac{64\pi}{5} \end{aligned}$$

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**Solution** First, sketch the situation:



Integration limits: if  $0 < x < 1$ , the washer sweeps out the volume. We integrate with respect to  $x$ .

Radius of outer circle =  $y = \sqrt{x}$ .

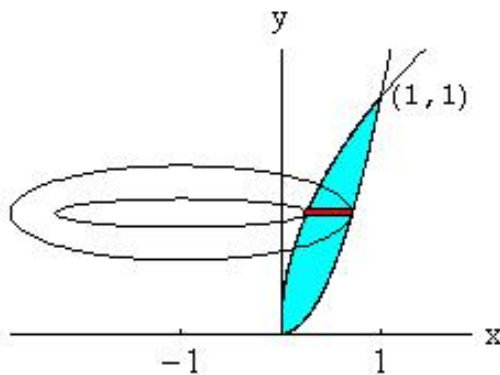
Radius of inner circle =  $y = x^2$ .

Area of washer =  $\pi [ (\text{outer radius})^2 - (\text{inner radius})^2 ] = \pi(x - x^4)$ .

$$\text{Volume} = \int_a^b (\text{area of washer}) dx = \int_0^1 \pi(x - x^4) dx = \pi \left( \frac{x^2}{2} - \frac{x^5}{5} \right) \Big|_0^1 = \frac{3}{10} \pi$$

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Integration limits: if  $0 < y < 1$ , the washer sweeps out the volume. We integrate with respect to  $y$ .

Radius of outer circle =  $1 + x = 1 + \sqrt{y}$ .

Radius of inner circle =  $1 + x = 1 + y^2$ .

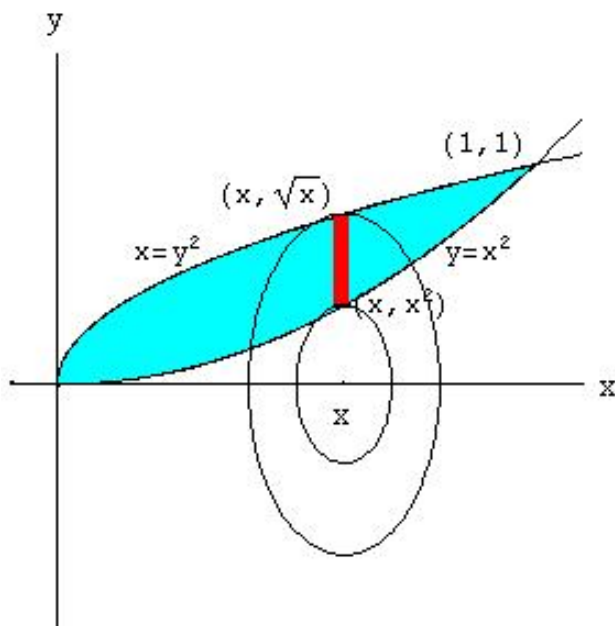
This creates a washer: area of washer =  $\pi[(\text{outer radius})^2 - (\text{inner radius})^2] = \pi((1 + \sqrt{y})^2 - (1 + y^2)^2)$ .

$$\text{Volume} = \int_0^1 \pi((1 + \sqrt{y})^2 - (1 + y^2)^2) dy$$

$$= \pi \int_0^1 (2\sqrt{y} + y - 2y^2 - y^4) dy = \pi \left( \frac{2y^{3/2}}{3/2} + \frac{y^2}{2} - 2\frac{y^3}{3} - \frac{y^5}{5} \right)_0^1 = \pi \left( \frac{4}{3} + \frac{1}{2} - \frac{2}{3} - \frac{1}{5} \right) = \frac{29}{30}\pi$$

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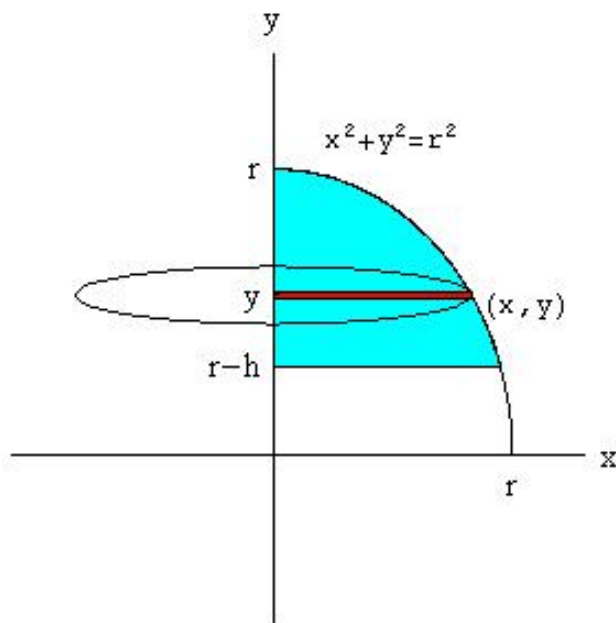
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**Example** Find the volume of the solid that is the cap of a sphere with radius  $r$  and height  $h$ .

**Solution** First, sketch the situation. Rotating the shaded region about the  $y$  axis will produce the cap of the sphere with the required dimensions.



Integration limits: if  $r - h < y < r$ , the circle sweeps out the volume. We integrate with respect to  $y$ .

Radius of circle =  $x = \sqrt{r^2 - y^2}$ .

Area of circle =  $\pi(\text{radius})^2 = \pi(r^2 - y^2)$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Volume} &= \int_a^b (\text{area of circle}) dy \\
 &= \int_{r-h}^r \pi(r^2 - y^2) dy \\
 &= \pi \left( r^2 y - \frac{y^3}{3} \right) \Big|_{r-h}^r \\
 &= \pi \left[ \left( r^2(r) - \frac{r^3}{3} \right) - \left( r^2(r-h) - \frac{(r-h)^3}{3} \right) \right] \\
 &= \pi \left[ \frac{2r^3}{3} - r^3 + r^2 h + \frac{1}{3}(r^3 - 3hr^2 + 3h^2 r - h^3) \right] \\
 &= \pi \left[ -\frac{r^3}{3} + r^2 h + \frac{r^3}{3} - hr^2 + h^2 r - \frac{h^3}{3} \right] \\
 &= \pi \left[ h^2 r - \frac{h^3}{3} \right] \\
 &= \pi h^2 \left[ r - \frac{h}{3} \right]
 \end{aligned}$$