

# Math 241, Fall 2018, Final Exam

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- You may not use notes or electronic devices on the test.
- Please ask if anything seems confusing or ambiguous.
- You must show all your work.
- You do **not** need to simplify your answers.
- Good luck!

1. Calculate the following limits. Do not use L'Hospital's rule. If the limit is positive or negative infinity, say which.

(a) (5 points)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{x^2 - 4x + 3}{x^2 - 9}$ .  $\xrightarrow{\text{plug in}} \frac{0}{0}$  more work!

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{x^2 - 4x + 3}{x^2 - 9} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{\cancel{(x-3)}(x-1)}{\cancel{(x-3)}(x+3)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{x-1}{x+3} = \frac{3-1}{3+3} = \frac{2}{6} = \boxed{\frac{1}{3}}$$

(b) (5 points)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} \frac{(x+1)^2}{2-x}$ .

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} \frac{(x+1)^2}{2-x} \rightarrow \frac{3^2}{0^-} \rightarrow \boxed{-\infty}$$

(c) (5 points)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin 3x}{2x(x-3)}$ .  $\rightarrow \frac{0}{0}$  more work!

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(3x)}{2x(x-3)} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(3x)}{x} \cdot \frac{1}{2(x-3)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(3x)}{3x} \cdot \frac{3}{2(x-3)} \\ &= 1 \cdot \left( \frac{3}{2(-3)} \right) = 1 \cdot \left( \frac{-1}{2} \right) = \boxed{\frac{-1}{2}} \end{aligned}$$

(d) (5 points)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^2 + 1}{2x^2 + \sin x}$ .  $\rightarrow \frac{\infty}{\infty}$  more work!

$$-1 \leq \sin x \leq 1 \Rightarrow 2x^2 - 1 \leq 2x^2 + \sin x \leq 2x^2 + 1 \quad \left( \begin{array}{l} x \rightarrow \infty \text{ so can assume} \\ 2x^2 - 1 > 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2x^2 - 1} \geq \frac{1}{2x^2 + \sin x} \geq \frac{1}{2x^2 + 1} \Rightarrow \frac{x^2 + 1}{2x^2 - 1} \geq \frac{x^2 + 1}{2x^2 + \sin x} \geq \frac{x^2 + 1}{2x^2 + 1}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^2 + 1}{2x^2 - 1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^2/x^2 + 1/x^2}{2x^2/x^2 - 1/x^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1 + 1/x^2}{2 - 1/x^2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^2 + 1}{2x^2 + 1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^2/x^2 + 1/x^2}{2x^2/x^2 + 1/x^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1 + 1/x^2}{2 + 1/x^2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

So by squeeze theorem

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^2 + 1}{2x^2 + \sin x} = \boxed{\frac{1}{2}}$$

2. (6 points) Using the definition of the derivative as a limit, compute  $f'(2)$  if  $f(x) = \sqrt{2x+1}$ .  
 (Warning: you will get no credit if you use the rules of differentiation).

$$\begin{aligned}
 f'(2) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(2+h) - f(2)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{2(2+h)+1} - \sqrt{2(2)+1}}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{4+2h+1} - \sqrt{5}}{h} \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{5+2h} - \sqrt{5}}{h} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{5+2h} + \sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{5+2h} + \sqrt{5}} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(5+2h) - 5}{h(\sqrt{5+2h} + \sqrt{5})} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cancel{5} + 2h - \cancel{5}}{h(\sqrt{5+2h} + \sqrt{5})} \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2\cancel{h}}{\cancel{h}(\sqrt{5+2h} + \sqrt{5})} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2}{\sqrt{5+2h} + \sqrt{5}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{5} + \sqrt{5}} = \frac{2}{2\sqrt{5}} = \boxed{\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}}
 \end{aligned}$$

3. (4 points) Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} Ax & x \leq -1 \\ x^2 - 3Ax + 3 & x > -1 \end{cases}$ .

For which values of  $A$  is the function  $f$  continuous?

$$\text{want } \lim_{x \rightarrow -1^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow -1^+} f(x) = f(-1)$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -1^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow -1^-} (Ax) = A(-1) = -A$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -1^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow -1^+} (x^2 - 3Ax + 3) = (-1)^2 - 3A(-1) + 3 = 1 + 3A + 3 = 4 + 3A$$

$$f(-1) = A(-1) = -A$$

$$\text{want } -A = 4 + 3A \Rightarrow -4A = 4 \Rightarrow \boxed{A = -1}$$

4. Differentiate the following functions. You do not need to simplify your answers.

(a) (5 points)  $f(x) = \frac{x^3}{2x^2 - 5}$  **quotient rule**

$$f'(x) = \frac{(2x^2 - 5)(3x^2) - (x^3)(4x)}{(2x^2 - 5)^2}$$

(b) (5 points)  $g(x) = 3x \sin(x^2)$

$$g'(x) = \boxed{3\sin(x^2) + 3x \cos(x^2)(2x)}$$

(product and chain rule)

(c) (5 points)  $h(x) = (\sqrt{x} - \frac{1}{x^4} + \pi^3)^5$

$$h(x) = (x^{1/2} - x^{-4} + \pi^3)^5$$

$$h'(x) = 5(x^{1/2} - x^{-4} + \pi^3)^4 \left( \frac{1}{2}x^{-1/2} + 4x^{-5} \right)$$

(Chain rule)

(d) (5 points)  $R(x) = \int_1^{2x} (t + t^4)^3 dt$

$$\text{let } u = 2x \Rightarrow \frac{du}{dx} = 2$$

$$R'(x) = \left( \frac{d}{du} \int_1^u (t + t^4)^3 dt \right) \frac{du}{dx} = (u + u^4)^3 (2) = \boxed{2(2x + (2x)^4)^3}$$

5. (a) (5 points) Use linear approximation and the fact that  $\sqrt{4} = 2$  to find an approximation to  $\sqrt{3.99}$ .

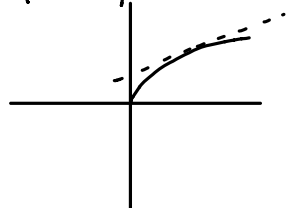
$$f(x) = \sqrt{x} = x^{1/2} \Rightarrow f'(x) = \frac{1}{2} x^{-1/2} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} \quad a=4$$

$$L(x) = f(a) + f'(a)(x-a) = \sqrt{4} + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{4}}(x-4) = 2 + \frac{1}{4}(x-4)$$

$$L(3.99) = 2 + \frac{3.99-4}{4} = \boxed{2 - \frac{0.01}{4}}$$

- (b) (1 point) Is the exact value for  $\sqrt{3.99}$  more or less than the number you calculated in the previous part?

Graph of  $y = \sqrt{x}$



concave down so tangent line lies above  
 $\Rightarrow$  **LESS**

6. (6 points) Find an equation for the tangent line to the graph of  $x^3 - 3x^2y + 2xy^2 = 0$  at the point (1, 1).

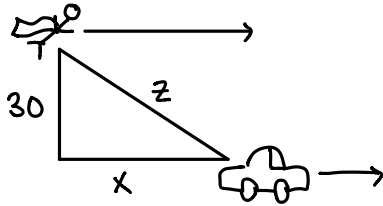
$$x^3 - 3x^2y + 2xy^2 = 0 \Rightarrow 3x^2 - \overbrace{(6xy + 3x^2 \frac{dy}{dx})}^{\text{product rules}} + \overbrace{(2y^2 + 2x(2y \frac{dy}{dx}))}^{\text{product rules}} = 0$$

plug in  $x=1, y=1$

$$3 - (6 + 3 \frac{dy}{dx}) + (2 + 4 \frac{dy}{dx}) = 0 \Rightarrow 3 - 6 - 3 \frac{dy}{dx} + 2 + 4 \frac{dy}{dx} = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} - 1 = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = 1$$

$$\boxed{y-1 = 1(x-1)}$$

7. (10 points) Superman is chasing a villain who is driving along a straight highway in a car. Superman flies at a speed of 200 feet per second, and at a constant height of 30 feet. The villain is driving at a speed of 100 feet per second. What is the rate of change of the distance between Superman and the villain when Superman is directly above a point that is 40 feet behind the villain's car?



$$x^2 + (30)^2 = z^2$$

Given:  $\frac{dx}{dt} = 200 - 100 = 100$

want  $\frac{dz}{dt}$  when  $x = 40$

When  $x = 40$ :  $(40)^2 + (30)^2 = z^2 \Rightarrow 1600 + 900 = z^2 \Rightarrow 2500 = z^2 \Rightarrow z = 50$

$$x^2 + (30)^2 = z^2 \Rightarrow 2x \frac{dx}{dt} + 0 = 2z \frac{dz}{dt} \Rightarrow 2(40)(100) = 2(50) \frac{dz}{dt}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dz}{dt} = \frac{2(40)(100)}{100} = \boxed{80 \text{ ft/sec}}$$

8. (10 points) A landscape artist plans to create a rectangular garden whose area is  $10 \text{ m}^2$ . She plans to enclose three sides of the rectangle using trees that cost \$25 per meter, and to use fencing which costs \$20 per meter on the fourth side. Find the dimensions of the garden that will minimize her cost.



$$C = 25x + 25y + 25x + 20y = 50x + 45y$$

$$10 = xy \Rightarrow y = \frac{10}{x}$$

$$C(x) = 50x + 45 \left( \frac{10}{x} \right) = 50x + \frac{450}{x} = 50x + 450x^{-1}$$

$$C'(x) = 50 - 450x^{-2} = 50 - \frac{450}{x^2}$$

$$C'(x) = 0 \Rightarrow 50 = \frac{450}{x^2} \Rightarrow 50x^2 = 450 \Rightarrow x^2 = 9 \Rightarrow x = 3 \Rightarrow y = \frac{10}{3}$$

$$\boxed{3 \text{ m} \times \frac{10}{3} \text{ m}}$$

9. Let  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2 - 1}$ . You may use that  $f' = \frac{-2x}{(x^2-1)^2}$  and  $f'' = \frac{6x^2+2}{(x^2-1)^3}$ .

(a) (2 points) Find the vertical asymptotes of the graph of  $f$ .

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2 - 1} = \frac{1}{(x-1)(x+1)} \Rightarrow \text{V.A are } \boxed{x=1, x=-1}$$

(b) (2 points) Find the horizontal asymptotes of the graph.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{x^2 - 1} = 0 \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{1}{x^2 - 1} = 0$$

$$\text{so H.A. is } \boxed{y=0}$$

(c) (2 points) Find the intervals where  $f$  is increasing.

increasing when  $f' > 0$        $f'(x) = 0 \Rightarrow x = 0$   
 $f'(x)$  undef. when  $(x^2-1)^2 = 0 \Rightarrow (x-1)^2(x+1)^2 = 0 \Rightarrow x = \pm 1$

$$f' \begin{array}{c} + \quad + \quad - \quad - \\ -1 \quad 0 \quad 1 \end{array} \Rightarrow \boxed{(-\infty, -1), (-1, 0)}$$



Recall that  $f' = \frac{-2x}{(x^2-1)^2}$  and  $f'' = \frac{6x^2+2}{(x^2-1)^3}$

(d) (2 points) Find the intervals where  $f$  is concave up.

Concave up when  $f'' > 0$

$f'(x) = 0$  never,  $f''(x)$  undef when  $(x^2-1)^3 = 0 \Rightarrow (x-1)^3(x+1)^3 = 0 \Rightarrow x = \pm 1$

$f'' \begin{array}{c} + \quad - \quad + \\ | \quad | \quad | \\ -1 \quad 1 \end{array} \Rightarrow \boxed{(-\infty, -1), (1, \infty)}$

(e) (2 points) Find the maximal value of  $f$  in the interval  $[4, 6]$

cr # = 0 (outside int.)

$f(4) = \frac{1}{16-1} = \frac{1}{15}$      $f(6) = \frac{1}{36-1} = \frac{1}{35}$

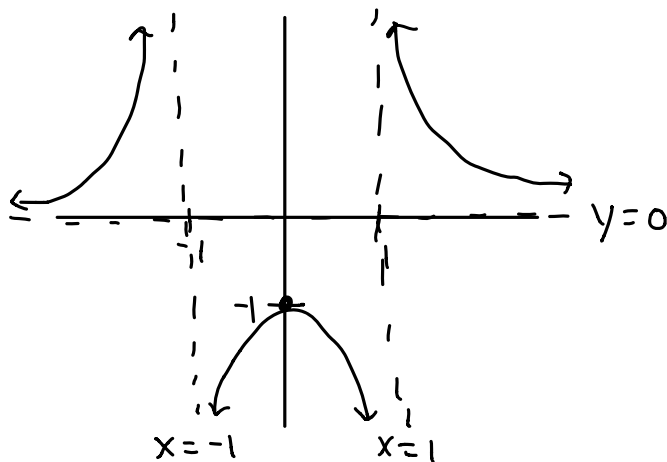
max is  $\boxed{\frac{1}{15}}$

(f) (2 points) Sketch of the graph of  $y = f(x)$ .

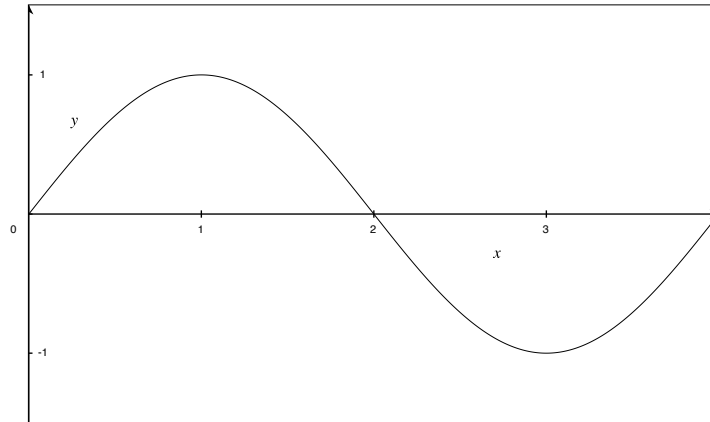
$f': \begin{array}{c} + \quad + \quad - \quad - \\ | \quad | \quad | \quad | \\ -1 \quad 0 \quad 1 \end{array}$

$(0, -1)$  rel max

$f'': \begin{array}{c} + \quad - \quad + \\ | \quad | \quad | \\ -1 \quad 1 \end{array}$



10. Below is the graph of the derivative of the function  $f$  in the interval  $0 \leq x \leq 4$ .



(a) (3 points) Find the intervals in which  $f$  is increasing.

when  $f' > 0$  (above x-axis):  $\boxed{(0,2)}$

(b) (3 points) Find the intervals in which  $f$  is concave down.

when  $f'' < 0$  (graph dec.):  $\boxed{(1,3)}$

(c) (3 points) At which  $x$  between 0 and 4 does  $f$  attain its maximal value? Explain your answer.

graph changes from above x-axis to below (i.e.  $f'$  changes from + to -) at  $x=2$  (only sign change) so  $\boxed{x=2}$

(d) (1 point) Is it possible for the equation  $f(x) = 0$  to have 3 solutions in the interval  $1 \leq x \leq 3$ ?

$\boxed{\text{no}}$  by MVT  $\Rightarrow f' = 0$  at least twice

11. Compute each of the following.

(a) (6 points)  $\int (\sqrt{x} - x^{\frac{3}{2}} - \frac{4}{x^2}) dx$

$$\int (\sqrt{x} - x^{\frac{3}{2}} - \frac{4}{x^2}) dx = \int (x^{1/2} - x^{3/2} - 4x^{-2}) dx$$

$$= \frac{x^{3/2}}{3/2} - \frac{x^{5/2}}{5/2} - \frac{4x^{-1}}{-1} + C = \boxed{\frac{2}{3}x^{3/2} - \frac{2}{5}x^{5/2} + 4x^{-1} + C}$$

(b) (6 points)  $\int_0^{\pi} (\sin x)(\cos x + 2)^3 dx$

$$u = \cos x + 2 \Rightarrow du = -\sin x dx \Rightarrow dx = \frac{du}{-\sin x}$$

$$x=0 \Rightarrow u = 1+2=3, \quad x=\pi \Rightarrow u = -1+2=1$$

$$\int_3^1 \cancel{\sin x} u^3 \frac{du}{-\cancel{\sin x}} = -\int_3^1 u^3 du = \left. \frac{-u^4}{4} \right|_3^1 = \frac{-1}{4} - \frac{-81}{4} = \frac{-1+81}{4} = \frac{80}{4} = \boxed{20}$$

(c) (6 points)  $\int \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2+1}} dx$

$$u = x^2+1 \Rightarrow du = 2x dx \Rightarrow dx = \frac{du}{2x}$$

$$\int \frac{\cancel{x}}{\sqrt{u}} \frac{du}{2\cancel{x}} = \frac{1}{2} \int u^{-1/2} du = \frac{1}{2} \frac{u^{1/2}}{1/2} + C = u^{1/2} + C = \boxed{\sqrt{x^2+1} + C}$$

12. A ball is thrown upwards from a height of 20 meters, at a speed of  $15\text{m/s}$ . The gravity of the earth causes the ball to accelerate **downwards** at a rate of  $10\text{m/s}^2$ .

(a) (4 points) Write a function  $f$  that describes the height of the ball at time  $t$ .

$$s(0) = 20$$

$$v(0) = 15$$

$$a(t) = -10$$

$$v(t) = \int a(t) dt = -10t + C$$

$$v(0) = 15 \Rightarrow C = 15 \Rightarrow v(t) = -10t + 15$$

$$s(t) = \int v(t) dt = \frac{-10t^2}{2} + 15t + D = -5t^2 + 15t + D$$

$$s(0) = 20 \Rightarrow D = 20 \Rightarrow \boxed{s(t) = -5t^2 + 15t + 20}$$

(b) (2 points) When will the ball reach its highest point?

$$\text{when } v(t) = 0$$

$$-10t + 15 = 0 \Rightarrow 10t = 15 \Rightarrow t = \frac{15}{10} = \boxed{\frac{3}{2} \text{ sec}}$$

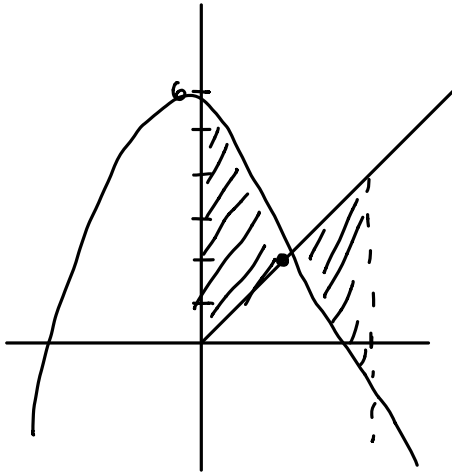
(c) (2 points) When will the ball hit the ground?

$$\text{when } s(t) = 0$$

$$-5t^2 + 15t + 20 = 0 \Rightarrow t^2 - 3t - 4 = 0 \Rightarrow (t-4)(t+1) = 0 \Rightarrow t = 4, -1$$

$$\text{so } \boxed{4 \text{ sec}}$$

13. (a) (2 points) Sketch the region in the plane bounded by the lines  $x = 0$ ,  $x = 4$ ,  $y = x$ , and  $y = 6 - x^2$ .



intersection:

$$x = 6 - x^2 \Rightarrow x^2 + x - 6 = 0 \Rightarrow (x+3)(x-2) = 0 \\ \Rightarrow x = -3, 2$$

- (b) (8 points) Calculate the area of the region you sketched in the previous part.

$$A = \int_0^2 ((6-x^2) - x) dx + \int_2^4 (x - (6-x^2)) dx$$

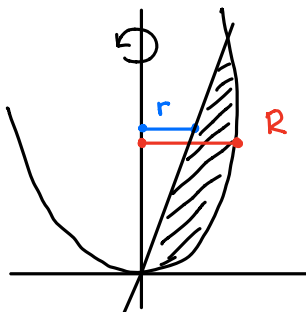
$$= \int_0^2 (6-x^2-x) dx + \int_2^4 (x-6+x^2) dx$$

$$= \left( 6x - \frac{x^3}{3} - \frac{x^2}{2} \right) \Big|_0^2 + \left( \frac{x^2}{2} - 6x + \frac{x^3}{3} \right) \Big|_2^4$$

$$= \left[ \left( 6(2) - \frac{(2)^3}{3} - \frac{(2)^2}{2} \right) - \left( 6(0) - \frac{(0)^3}{3} - \frac{(0)^2}{2} \right) \right] + \left[ \left( \frac{(4)^2}{2} - 6(4) + \frac{(4)^3}{3} \right) - \left( \frac{(2)^2}{2} - 6(2) + \frac{(2)^3}{3} \right) \right]$$

14. Let  $R$  be the region bounded by the graphs  $y = x^2$  and  $y = 9x$ .

- (a) (5 points) The region  $R$  is rotated about the  $y$ -axis. Set up, but **do not evaluate** an integral describing the volume of the resulting shape. You may use any method you like.



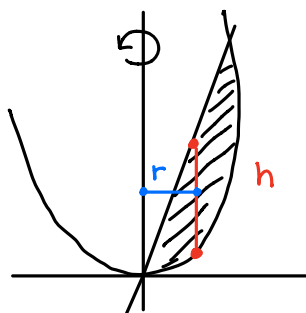
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$$x = \sqrt{y}, \quad x = y/9$$

$$\text{intersection: } \sqrt{y} = \frac{y}{9} \Rightarrow 9y^{1/2} = y \Rightarrow 9 = y^{1/2}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 81$$

$$V = \int_0^{81} \pi(R^2 - r^2) dy = \int_0^{81} \pi\left(\sqrt{y} - \frac{y}{9}\right) dy$$



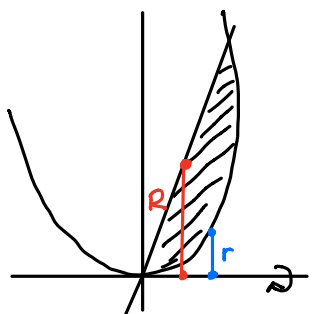
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$$h = 9x - x^2, \quad r = x$$

$$\text{intersection: } x^2 = 9x \Rightarrow x = 9$$

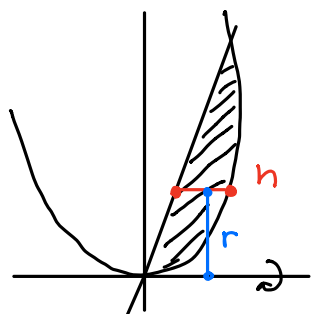
$$V = \int_0^9 2\pi r h dx = \int_0^9 2\pi x(9x - x^2) dx$$

- (b) (5 points) The region  $R$  is rotated about the  $x$ -axis. Set up, but **do not evaluate** an integral describing the volume of the resulting shape. You may use any method you like.



washer:

$$V = \int_0^9 \pi(R^2 - r^2) dx = \int_0^9 \pi(9x - x^2) dx$$



shell:

$$V = \int_0^{81} 2\pi r h dy = \int_0^{81} 2\pi y\left(\sqrt{y} - \frac{y}{9}\right) dy$$