

Chapter review 5

1 a $V = \int \pi y^2 dx = \pi \int_0^4 4x dx$
 $= \pi \left[2x^2 \right]_0^4$
 $= 32\pi \text{ cm}^3$

b $M \bar{x} = \rho \int x \pi y^2 dx = \rho \pi \int_0^4 4x^2 dx$
 $= \rho \pi \left[\frac{4}{3} x^3 \right]_0^4$
 $= \frac{256}{3} \rho \pi$
 $\therefore 32\pi \rho \bar{x} = \frac{256}{3} \pi \rho$
 $\therefore \bar{x} = \frac{8}{3} \text{ cm}$

2 a $V = \int \pi y^2 dx = \pi \int_1^2 \frac{1}{x^2} dx$
 $= \pi \left[\frac{-1}{x} \right]_1^2$
 $= \pi \left[\frac{-1}{2} + 1 \right]$

Volume = $\frac{\pi}{2} \text{ m}^3$

b $M \bar{x} = \rho \int x \pi y^2 dx = \rho \pi \int_1^2 x \times \frac{1}{x^2} dx$
 $= \rho \pi \int_1^2 \frac{1}{x} dx$
 $= \rho \pi [\ln x]_1^2$
 $= \rho \pi \ln 2$
 $\therefore \frac{\pi}{2} \rho \bar{x} = \rho \pi \ln 2$
 $\therefore \bar{x} = 2 \ln 2$

So the distance of the centre of mass from the plane face $x = 1$ is $2 \ln 2 - 1 = 0.386 \text{ m}$ (3 s.f.) i.e. 39 cm to the nearest cm.

Mechanics 3**Solution Bank**

- 3 Let the density of the solids be ρ . Let O be the centre of the circular base of the solid.

Shape	Mass	Ratio of masses	Distance of centre of mass from O
Cylinder	$\pi \times 40^2 \times 40\rho$	1	20 cm
Hemisphere	$\frac{2}{3}\pi\rho \times 40^3$	$\frac{2}{3}$	$\left(40 + \frac{3}{8} \times 40\right) \text{cm}$
Solid	$\pi\rho \times 40^3 \left(1 + \frac{2}{3}\right)$	$\frac{5}{3}$	\bar{x}

$$\begin{aligned}\text{COM}(O) \frac{5}{3} \bar{x} &= 1 \times 20 + \frac{2}{3} \times \left(40 + \frac{3}{8} \times 40\right) \\ &= 20 + \frac{110}{3} \\ \therefore \bar{x} &= \frac{170}{5} \\ &= 34\end{aligned}$$

\therefore The centre of mass of the solid is at a height of 34 cm above the ground.

- 4 Let the mass per unit volume be ρ .

Shape	Mass	Mass ratios	Distance of centre of mass from plane face
Cylinder	$\pi\rho r^2 \times r$	1	$\frac{r}{2}$
Cone	$\frac{1}{3}\pi\rho r^2 \times 2r$	$\frac{2}{3}$	$r + \frac{2r}{4}$
Model	$\pi\rho r^2 \times 1\frac{2}{3}r$	$\frac{5}{3}$	\bar{x}

Note that the cylindrical base of this rocket has height r .

$$\text{COM}(\text{plane face}) : 1\frac{2}{3} \bar{x} = 1 \times \frac{r}{2} + \frac{2}{3} \times \left(r + \frac{2r}{4}\right)$$

$$\text{i.e. } \frac{5}{3} \bar{x} = \frac{r}{2} + \frac{2r}{3} + \frac{r}{3}$$

$$\text{i.e. } \frac{5}{3} \bar{x} = \frac{3r}{2}$$

$$\therefore \bar{x} = \frac{9r}{10}$$

\therefore The centre of mass is at a distance $\frac{9r}{10}$ from the plane face.

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Solution Bank

5 $\sin^2 x = \frac{1}{2}(1 - \cos 2x)$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(x \sin 2x) = 2x \cos 2x + \sin 2x$$

$$x \sin 2x = 2 \int x \cos 2x \, dx + \int \sin 2x \, dx$$

$$= 2 \int x \cos 2x \, dx - \frac{1}{2} \cos 2x$$

$$2 \int x \cos 2x \, dx = \frac{1}{2} \cos 2x + x \sin 2x$$

$$\int x \cos 2x \, dx = \frac{1}{4} \cos 2x + \frac{1}{2} x \sin 2x$$

$$\bar{x} = \frac{\int y^2 x \, dx}{\int y^2 \, dx} = \frac{\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{6}} x \sin^2 x \, dx}{\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{6}} \sin^2 x \, dx}$$

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{6}} y^2 x \, dx = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{6}} x \sin^2 x \, dx = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{6}} x(1 - \cos 2x) \, dx$$

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{6}} x \sin^2 x \, dx = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{6}} x - \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{6}} x \cos 2x \, dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} [x^2]_0^{\frac{\pi}{6}} - \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{1}{4} \cos 2x + \frac{1}{2} x \sin 2x \right]_0^{\frac{\pi}{6}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} [x^2]_0^{\frac{\pi}{6}} - \frac{1}{8} [\cos 2x]_0^{\frac{\pi}{6}} - \frac{1}{4} [x \sin 2x]_0^{\frac{\pi}{6}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \times \frac{\pi^2}{36} - \frac{1}{8} \left[\frac{1}{2} - 1 \right] - \frac{1}{4} \left[\frac{\pi}{6} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right]$$

$$= \frac{\pi^2}{144} + \frac{1}{16} - \frac{\pi\sqrt{3}}{48}$$

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{6}} \sin^2 x \, dx = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{6}} (1 - \cos 2x) \, dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} [x]_0^{\frac{\pi}{6}} - \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{1}{2} \sin 2x \right]_0^{\frac{\pi}{6}}$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{12} - \frac{1}{4} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{12} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{8}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\bar{x} &= \frac{\int y^2 x \, dx}{\int y^2 \, dx} \\ &= \frac{\frac{\pi^2}{144} + \frac{1}{16} - \frac{\pi\sqrt{3}}{48}}{\frac{\pi}{12} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{8}} \\ &= 0.390 \text{ (3 s.f.)}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}6 \quad \frac{d}{dx}(x^n \ln x) &= \frac{x^n}{x} + nx^{n-1} \\ &= x^{n-1} + nx^{n-1} \ln x \\ x^n \ln x &= \int x^{n-1} \, dx + n \int x^{n-1} \ln x \, dx \\ &= \frac{x^n}{n} + n \int x^{n-1} \ln x \, dx \\ n \int x^{n-1} \ln x \, dx &= x^n \ln x - \frac{x^n}{n} \\ \int x^{n-1} \ln x \, dx &= \frac{x^n \ln x}{n} - \frac{x^n}{n^2}\end{aligned}$$

For $n = 1$:

$$\int \ln x \, dx = x \ln x - x = x(\ln x - 1)$$

For $n = 2$:

$$\int \ln x \, dx = \frac{x^2 \ln x}{2} - \frac{x^2}{4} = \frac{x^2}{2} \left(\ln x - \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\bar{x} &= \frac{\int y^2 x \, dx}{\int y^2 \, dx} \\ &= \frac{\frac{1}{2} \int_1^2 x \ln x \, dx}{\int_1^2 \ln x \, dx} \\ &= \frac{\frac{2^2 \ln 2}{2} - \frac{2^2}{4} - \left(\frac{1 \times \ln 1}{2} - \frac{1}{4} \right)}{2(\ln 2 - 1) - 1(\ln(1) - 1)} \\ &= \frac{2 \ln 2 - 1 + \frac{1}{4}}{2 \ln 2 - 2 + 1}\end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{2 \ln 2 - \frac{3}{4}}{2 \ln 2 - 1}$$

So the coordinate is $\left(\frac{2 \ln 2 - \frac{3}{4}}{2 \ln 2 - 1}, 0 \right)$ or $(1.647, 0)$ (3 s.f.)

Challenge

$$\frac{d}{dx}(x \sin 2x) = \sin 2x + 2x \cos 2x$$

$$\begin{aligned} x \sin 2x &= \int \sin 2x \, dx + 2 \int x \cos 2x \, dx \\ &= -\frac{1}{2} \cos 2x + 2 \int x \cos 2x \, dx \end{aligned}$$

$$2 \int x \cos 2x \, dx = x \sin 2x + \frac{1}{2} \cos 2x$$

$$\int x \cos 2x \, dx = \frac{1}{2} x \sin 2x + \frac{1}{4} \cos 2x$$

$$\bar{x} = \frac{\int y^2 x \, dx}{\int y^2 \, dx}$$

$$= \frac{\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} x \cos^2 x \, dx}{\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^2 x \, dx}$$

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} x \cos^2 x \, dx = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} x (\cos 2x + 1) \, dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} x \, dx + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} x \cos 2x \, dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} [x^2]_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} + \frac{1}{4} [x \sin 2x]_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} + \frac{1}{8} [\cos 2x]_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \times \frac{\pi^2}{4} + \frac{1}{4} [0 - 0] + \frac{1}{8} [-1 - 1]$$

$$= \frac{\pi^2}{16} - \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^2 x \, dx = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} (\cos 2x + 1) \, dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} [\sin 2x]_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} + \frac{1}{2} [x]_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} [0] + \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\bar{x} &= \frac{\int y^2 x \, dx}{\int y^2 \, dx} \\ &= \frac{\frac{\pi^2}{16} - \frac{1}{4}}{\frac{\pi}{4}} \\ &= \frac{\pi^2 - 4}{4\pi}\end{aligned}$$