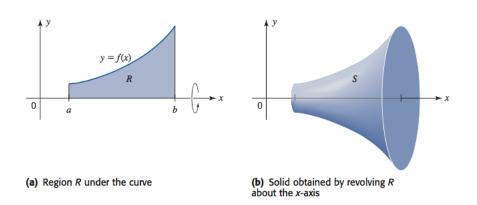
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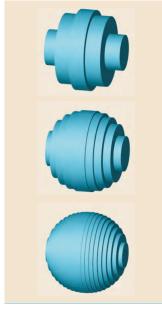
## Notesheet. Section 7.5: Surfaces of Revolution

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**Definition 1.** A solid of revolution is



**Challenge 2.** We try to approximate the volume of a sphere by looking at the surface of revolution given by rotating the region under  $f(x) = \sqrt{r^2 - x^2}$  (a semicircle) on [-r, r].



**Theorem 3.** The volume V of the solid of revolution obtained by revolving the region below the graph of a nonnegative function y = f(x) from x = a to x = b about the x-axis is

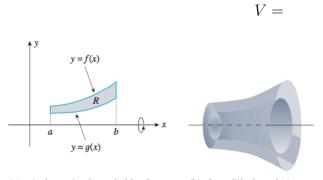
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Challenge 4. Compute the volume of the following solids of revolution.

(a) Let  $f(x) = \frac{1}{3}x$  and rotate the area under the function from [0,3] around the x-axis.

(b) Let f(x) = 4 and rotate the area under the function from [0,7] around the x-axis.

**Theorem 5.** Let R be a region bounded by the curves y = f(x) and y = g(x) from x = a to x = b. Then, the volume V of the solid of revolution obtained by revolving R about the x-axis is given by



(a) R is the region bounded by the curves y = f(x) and y = g(x) from x = a to x = b.

(b) The solid of revolution obtained by revolving *R* about the *x*-axis.