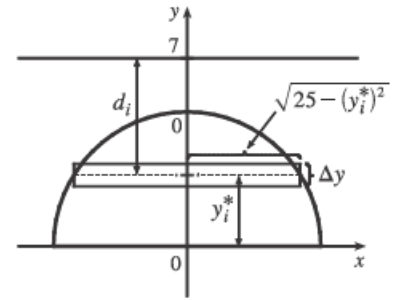


9.3 Solutions

9. Set up coordinate axes as shown in the figure. The length of the i th strip is

$2\sqrt{25 - (y_i^*)^2}$ and its area is $2\sqrt{25 - (y_i^*)^2} \Delta y$. The pressure on this strip is approximately $\delta d_i = 62.5(7 - y_i^*)$ and so the force on the strip is approximately $62.5(7 - y_i^*)2\sqrt{25 - (y_i^*)^2} \Delta y$. The total force

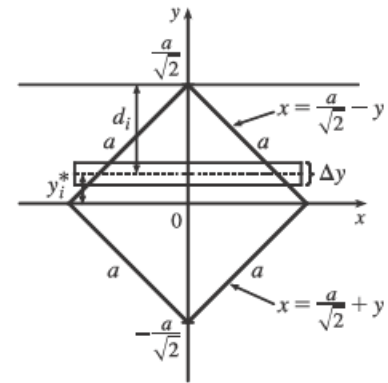


$$\begin{aligned} F &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n 62.5(7 - y_i^*)2\sqrt{25 - (y_i^*)^2} \Delta y = 125 \int_0^5 (7 - y)\sqrt{25 - y^2} dy \\ &= 125 \left\{ \int_0^5 7\sqrt{25 - y^2} dy - \int_0^5 y\sqrt{25 - y^2} dy \right\} = 125 \left\{ 7 \int_0^5 \sqrt{25 - y^2} dy - \left[-\frac{1}{3}(25 - y^2)^{3/2} \right]_0^5 \right\} \\ &= 125 \left\{ 7\left(\frac{1}{4}\pi \cdot 5^2\right) + \frac{1}{3}(0 - 125) \right\} = 125 \left(\frac{175\pi}{4} - \frac{125}{3} \right) \approx 11,972 \approx 1.2 \times 10^4 \text{ lb} \end{aligned}$$

10. Set up coordinate axes as shown in the figure. For the *top half*, the length

of the i th strip is $2(a/\sqrt{2} - y_i^*)$ and its area is $2(a/\sqrt{2} - y_i^*) \Delta y$.

The pressure on this strip is approximately $\delta d_i = \delta(a/\sqrt{2} - y_i^*)$ and so the force on the strip is approximately $2\delta(a/\sqrt{2} - y_i^*)^2 \Delta y$. The total force



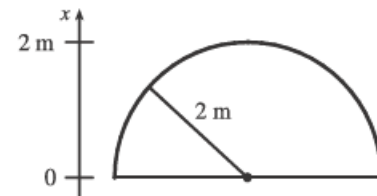
$$\begin{aligned} F_1 &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n 2\delta \left(\frac{a}{\sqrt{2}} - y_i^* \right)^2 \Delta y = 2\delta \int_0^{a/\sqrt{2}} \left(\frac{a}{\sqrt{2}} - y \right)^2 dy \\ &= 2\delta \left[-\frac{1}{3} \left(\frac{a}{\sqrt{2}} - y \right)^3 \right]_0^{a/\sqrt{2}} = -\frac{2}{3}\delta \left[0 - \left(\frac{a}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^3 \right] = \frac{2\delta}{3} \frac{a^3}{2\sqrt{2}} = \frac{\sqrt{2} a^3 \delta}{6} \end{aligned}$$

For the *bottom half*, the length is $2(a/\sqrt{2} + y_i^*)$ and the total force is

$$\begin{aligned} F_2 &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n 2\delta \left(\frac{a}{\sqrt{2}} + y_i^* \right) \left(\frac{a}{\sqrt{2}} - y_i^* \right) \Delta y = 2\delta \int_{-a/\sqrt{2}}^0 \left(\frac{a^2}{2} - y^2 \right) dy = 2\delta \left[\frac{1}{2} a^2 y - \frac{1}{3} y^3 \right]_{-a/\sqrt{2}}^0 \\ &= 2\delta \left[0 - \left(-\frac{\sqrt{2} a^3}{4} + \frac{\sqrt{2} a^3}{12} \right) \right] = 2\delta \left(\frac{\sqrt{2} a^3}{6} \right) = \frac{2\sqrt{2} a^3 \delta}{6} \quad [F_2 = 2F_1] \end{aligned}$$

Thus, the total force $F = F_1 + F_2 = \frac{3\sqrt{2} a^3 \delta}{6} = \frac{\sqrt{2} a^3 \delta}{2}$.

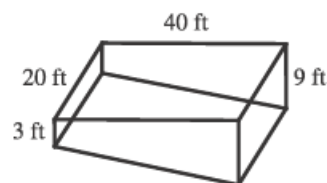
$$\begin{aligned} 14. F &= \int_0^2 \rho g (10 - x) 2\sqrt{4 - x^2} dx \\ &= 20\rho g \int_0^2 \sqrt{4 - x^2} dx - \rho g \int_0^2 \sqrt{4 - x^2} 2x dx \\ &= 20\rho g \frac{1}{4}\pi(2^2) - \rho g \int_0^4 u^{1/2} du \quad [u = 4 - x^2, du = -2x dx] \\ &= 20\pi\rho g - \frac{2}{3}\rho g \left[u^{3/2} \right]_0^4 = 20\pi\rho g - \frac{16}{3}\rho g = \rho g \left(20\pi - \frac{16}{3} \right) \\ &= (1000)(9.8) \left(20\pi - \frac{16}{3} \right) \approx 5.63 \times 10^5 \text{ N} \end{aligned}$$



9.3 Solutions

17. (a) The area of a strip is $20 \Delta x$ and the pressure on it is δx_i .

$$\begin{aligned} F &= \int_0^3 \delta x 20 dx = 20\delta \left[\frac{1}{2} x^2 \right]_0^3 = 20\delta \cdot \frac{9}{2} = 90\delta \\ &= 90(62.5) = 5625 \text{ lb} \approx 5.63 \times 10^3 \text{ lb} \end{aligned}$$



- (b) $F = \int_0^9 \delta x 20 dx = 20\delta \left[\frac{1}{2} x^2 \right]_0^9 = 20\delta \cdot \frac{81}{2} = 810\delta = 810(62.5) = 50,625 \text{ lb} \approx 5.06 \times 10^4 \text{ lb}$.

- (c) For the first 3 ft, the length of the side is constant at 40 ft. For $3 < x \leq 9$, we can use similar triangles to find the length a :

$$\frac{a}{40} = \frac{9-x}{6} \Rightarrow a = 40 \cdot \frac{9-x}{6}.$$

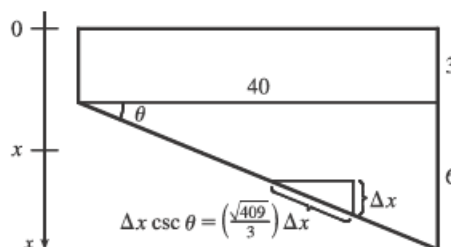
$$\begin{aligned} F &= \int_0^3 \delta x 40 dx + \int_3^9 \delta x (40) \frac{9-x}{6} dx = 40\delta \left[\frac{1}{2} x^2 \right]_0^3 + \frac{20}{3}\delta \int_3^9 (9x - x^2) dx = 180\delta + \frac{20}{3}\delta \left[\frac{9}{2} x^2 - \frac{1}{3} x^3 \right]_3^9 \\ &= 180\delta + \frac{20}{3}\delta \left[\left(\frac{729}{2} - 243 \right) - \left(\frac{81}{2} - 9 \right) \right] = 180\delta + 600\delta = 780\delta = 780(62.5) = 48,750 \text{ lb} \approx 4.88 \times 10^4 \text{ lb} \end{aligned}$$

- (d) For any right triangle with hypotenuse on the bottom,

$$\sin \theta = \frac{\Delta x}{\text{hypotenuse}} \Rightarrow$$

$$\text{hypotenuse} = \Delta x \csc \theta = \Delta x \frac{\sqrt{40^2 + 6^2}}{6} = \frac{\sqrt{409}}{3} \Delta x.$$

$$\begin{aligned} F &= \int_3^9 \delta x 20 \frac{\sqrt{409}}{3} dx = \frac{1}{3} (20 \sqrt{409}) \delta \left[\frac{1}{2} x^2 \right]_3^9 \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \cdot 10 \sqrt{409} \delta (81 - 9) \approx 303,356 \text{ lb} \approx 3.03 \times 10^5 \text{ lb} \end{aligned}$$



24. $M_x = \sum_{i=1}^4 m_i y_i = 6(-2) + 5(4) + 1(-7) + 4(-1) = -3$, $M_y = \sum_{i=1}^4 m_i x_i = 6(1) + 5(3) + 1(-3) + 4(6) = 42$,

and $m = \sum_{i=1}^4 m_i = 16$, so $\bar{x} = \frac{M_y}{m} = \frac{42}{16} = \frac{21}{8}$ and $\bar{y} = \frac{M_x}{m} = -\frac{3}{16}$; the center of mass is $(\bar{x}, \bar{y}) = \left(\frac{21}{8}, -\frac{3}{16} \right)$.

26. The region in the figure is “left-heavy” and “bottom-heavy,” so we know $\bar{x} < 1$

and $\bar{y} < 1.5$, and we might guess that $\bar{x} = 0.7$ and $\bar{y} = 1.2$.

$$3x + 2y = 6 \Leftrightarrow 2y = 6 - 3x \Leftrightarrow y = 3 - \frac{3}{2}x.$$

$$A = \int_0^2 \left(3 - \frac{3}{2}x \right) dx = \left[3x - \frac{3}{4}x^2 \right]_0^2 = 6 - 3 = 3.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{x} &= \frac{1}{A} \int_0^2 x \left(3 - \frac{3}{2}x \right) dx = \frac{1}{3} \int_0^2 \left(3x - \frac{3}{2}x^2 \right) dx = \frac{1}{3} \left[\frac{3}{2}x^2 - \frac{1}{2}x^3 \right]_0^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{3} (6 - 4) = \frac{2}{3}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\bar{y} = \frac{1}{A} \int_0^2 \frac{1}{2} \left(3 - \frac{3}{2}x \right)^2 dx = \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \int_0^2 \left(9 - 9x + \frac{9}{4}x^2 \right) dx = \frac{1}{6} \left[9x - \frac{9}{2}x^2 + \frac{3}{4}x^3 \right]_0^2 = \frac{1}{6} (18 - 18 + 6) = 1.$$

Thus, the centroid is $(\bar{x}, \bar{y}) = \left(\frac{2}{3}, 1 \right)$.

