Practice Assessment 4 Area Between Curves

These practice problems are designed to help you prepare for our course exams and assess your understanding of the course material at the expected level. Aim to complete them in class, during tutoring, office hours, or on your own, and try to solve them without notes or a calculator, just like on the actual exams. Remember, practice makes perfect, so don't hesitate to ask for help if you get stuck.

1. For each of the following problems, graph the equations and shade the area of the region between the curves. Determine its area by integrating over the x-axis.

(a)
$$y = x^2$$
 and $y = -x^2 + 18x$

(b) $y = e, y = e^x$, and $y = e^{-x}$.

2. For each of the following problems, graph the equations and shade the area of the region between the curves. If necessary, break the region into sub-regions to determine its entire area.

(a)
$$y = 12 - x$$
, $y = \sqrt{x}$, and $y = 1$

(b) $y = x^3$ and $y = x^2 - 2x$ over $x \in [-1, 1]$.

3. For each of the following problems, graph the equations and shade the area of the region between the curves. Determine its area by integrating over the y-axis.

(a)
$$y = x^3$$
 and $x = 3y - 2$

(b) x = |y| and $2x = -y^2 + 2$.