

Physical Applications:

Physics Formulas	Associated Calculus Problems
<p><u>Mass:</u> Mass = Density * Volume (for 3-D objects) Mass = Density * Area (for 2-D objects) Mass = Density * Length (for 1-D objects)</p>	<p><u>Mass of a one-dimensional object with variable linear density:</u> $Mass = \int_a^b (\text{linear density}) \frac{dx}{\text{distance}} = \int_a^b \rho(x) dx$</p>
<p><u>Work:</u> Work = Force * Distance Work = Mass * Gravity * Distance Work = Volume * Density * Gravity * Distance</p>	<p><u>Work to stretch or compress a spring (force varies):</u> $Work = \int_a^b (\text{force}) dx = \int_a^b F(x) dx = \int_a^b kx dx$ <small>Hooke's Law for springs</small></p> <p><u>Work to lift liquid:</u> $Work = \int_c^d (\text{gravity})(\text{density})(\text{distance}) \underbrace{(\text{area of a slice})}_{\text{volume}} dy$ $W = \int_c^d 9.8 * \rho * A(y) * (a - y) dy \quad (\text{in metric})$</p>
<p><u>Force/Pressure:</u> Force = Pressure * Area Pressure = Density * Gravity * Depth</p>	<p><u>Force of water pressure on a vertical surface:</u> $Force = \int_c^d (\text{gravity})(\text{density})(\text{depth}) \underbrace{(\text{width})}_{\text{area}} dy$ $F = \int_c^d 9.8 * \rho * (a - y) * w(y) dy \quad (\text{in metric})$</p>