

8.4 Varying Density

- Density over length, area or volume:
Substance mass with density varying over a volume g/cm^3
Population quantity like people/square mile, bacteria/cc.
- **Slice so density is approximately constant:**

If $\delta = f(x)$, then slice $\perp x$, for constant density slices
mass = \sum density \cdot length (Δx), area, or volume

If $\delta = f(r)$, then slice from center outward, annular rings
population = \sum density \cdot area $\rightarrow \int_a^b 2\pi r \delta(r) dr$

- Key: figure out slicing variable, then $\int \delta \cdot$ length or $\int \delta \cdot$ area or $\int \delta \cdot$ volume in that variable

