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In[21]:= ClearAll["Global`*"]

In[22]:= lerp[t_, a_, b_] := a*(1-t) + b*t

In[23]:= cubicInterp[x_] := 3*x^2 - 2*x^3

In[24]:= quinticInterp[x_] := 6*x^5 - 15*x^4 + 10*x^3

In[25]:= bilinear = lerp[u[y], lerp[u[x], a, b], lerp[u[x], c, d]]
Out[25]:= (a*(1-u[x]) + b*u[x])*(1-u[y]) + (c*(1-u[x]) + d*u[x])*u[y]

In[26]:= expansion = Expand[bilinear]
Out[26]:= a - a*u[x] + b*u[x] - a*u[y] + c*u[y] + a*u[x]*u[y] - b*u[x]*u[y] - c*u[x]*u[y] + d*u[x]*u[y]

In[27]:= Total@MonomialList[bilinear, {u[x], u[y]}]
Out[27]:= a + (-a+b)*u[x] + (-a+c)*u[y] + (a-b-c+d)*u[x]*u[y]

In[28]:= dx = Simplify[D[expansion, x]] /. {u -> cubicInterp}
Out[28]:= (6*x - 6*x^2)*(-a+b + (a-b-c+d)*(3*y^2 - 2*y^3))

In[29]:= dy = Simplify[D[expansion, y]] /. {u -> cubicInterp}
Out[29]:= (-a+c + (a-b-c+d)*(3*x^2 - 2*x^3))*(6*y - 6*y^2)

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In[31]:= cubicInterp[x_] := 3*x^2 - 2*x^3

In[32]:= quinticInterp[x_] := 6*x^5 - 15*x^4 + 10*x^3

In[33]:= lerp[t_, a_, b_] := a*(1-t) + b*t

In[34]:= trilinear = lerp[u[z], lerp[u[y], lerp[u[x], a, b], lerp[u[x], c, d]],
                    lerp[u[y], lerp[u[x], e, f], lerp[u[x], g, h]]]
Out[34]:= ((a*(1-u[x]) + b*u[x])*(1-u[y]) + (c*(1-u[x]) + d*u[x])*u[y])*(1-u[z]) +
            ((e*(1-u[x]) + f*u[x])*(1-u[y]) + (g*(1-u[x]) + h*u[x])*u[y])*u[z]

In[35]:= expansion = Expand[trilinear]
Out[35]:= a - a*u[x] + b*u[x] - a*u[y] + c*u[y] + a*u[x]*u[y] - b*u[x]*u[y] - c*u[x]*u[y] +
            d*u[x]*u[y] - a*u[z] + e*u[z] + a*u[x]*u[z] - b*u[x]*u[z] - e*u[x]*u[z] +
            f*u[x]*u[z] + a*u[y]*u[z] - c*u[y]*u[z] - e*u[y]*u[z] + g*u[y]*u[z] -
            a*u[x]*u[y]*u[z] + b*u[x]*u[y]*u[z] + c*u[x]*u[y]*u[z] - d*u[x]*u[y]*u[z] +
            e*u[x]*u[y]*u[z] - f*u[x]*u[y]*u[z] - g*u[x]*u[y]*u[z] + h*u[x]*u[y]*u[z]

In[36]:= Total@MonomialList[trilinear, {u[x], u[y], u[z]}]
Out[36]:= a + (-a+b)*u[x] + (-a+c)*u[y] +
            (a-b-c+d)*u[x]*u[y] + (-a+e)*u[z] + (a-b-e+f)*u[x]*u[z] +
            (a-c-e+g)*u[y]*u[z] + (-a+b+c-d+e-f-g+h)*u[x]*u[y]*u[z]

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In[37]:= **dx = Simplify[D[expansion, x]] /. {u → cubicInterp}**

Out[37]=
$$\begin{aligned} & (6x - 6x^2) (-a + b + (a - b - e + f) (3z^2 - 2z^3) + \\ & (3y^2 - 2y^3) (a - b - c + d + (-a + b + c - d + e - f - g + h) (3z^2 - 2z^3))) \end{aligned}$$

In[38]:= **dy = Simplify[D[expansion, y]] /. {u → cubicInterp}**

Out[38]=
$$\begin{aligned} & (6y - 6y^2) (-a + c + (a - c - e + g) (3z^2 - 2z^3) + \\ & (3x^2 - 2x^3) (a - b - c + d + (-a + b + c - d + e - f - g + h) (3z^2 - 2z^3))) \end{aligned}$$

In[39]:= **dz = Simplify[D[expansion, z]] /. {u → cubicInterp}**

Out[39]=
$$\begin{aligned} & (-a + e + (a - c - e + g) (3y^2 - 2y^3) + \\ & (3x^2 - 2x^3) (a - b - e + f + (-a + b + c - d + e - f - g + h) (3y^2 - 2y^3))) (6z - 6z^2) \end{aligned}$$