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- **The Riemann Integral and Measurable Sets**
- **Integration in Practice**
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# N-cuboid



3.3.1. **Definition.** Let  $a_k, b_k, k = 1, \dots, n$  be pairs of numbers with  $a_k < b_k$ . Then the set  $Q \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  given by

$$\begin{aligned} Q &= [a_1, b_1] \times \cdots \times [a_n, b_n] \\ &= \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n : x_k \in [a_k, b_k], \ k = 1, \dots, n\} \end{aligned}$$

is called an ***n-cuboid***. We define the volume of  $Q$  to be

$$|Q| := \prod_{k=1}^n (b_k - a_k).$$

We will denote the set of all *n*-cuboids by  $\mathcal{Q}_n$ .

# Upper and Lower Volumes of Sets



3.3.3. Definition. Let  $\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  be a bounded non-empty set. We define the *outer* and *inner volume* of  $\Omega$  by

$$\begin{aligned}\bar{V}(\Omega) &:= \inf \left\{ \sum_{k=0}^r |Q_k| : r \in \mathbb{N}, Q_0, \dots, Q_r \in \mathcal{Q}_n, \Omega \subset \bigcup_{k=1}^r Q_k \right\}, \\ \underline{V}(\Omega) &:= \sup \left\{ \sum_{k=0}^r |Q_k| : r \in \mathbb{N}, Q_0, \dots, Q_r \in \mathcal{Q}_n, \Omega \supset \bigcup_{k=1}^r Q_k, \bigcap_{k=1}^r Q_k = \emptyset \right\}.\end{aligned}$$

It is easy to see that  $0 \leq \underline{V}(\Omega) \leq \bar{V}(\Omega)$ .

# Measurable Sets



3.3.4. Definition. Let  $\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  be a bounded set. Then  $\Omega$  is said to be **(Jordan) measurable** if either

- (i)  $\overline{V}(\Omega) = 0$  or
- (ii)  $\overline{V}(\Omega) = \underline{V}(\Omega)$ .

In the first case, we say that  $\Omega$  has (Jordan) **measure zero**, in the second case we say that

$$|\Omega| := \overline{V}(\Omega) = \underline{V}(\Omega)$$

is the Jordan measure of  $\Omega$ .

# Measurable Sets



## 3.3.5. Examples.

- (i) A set  $\{x\}$  consisting of a single point  $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$  is a set of measure zero.
- (ii) A subset of  $\mathbb{R}^n$  consisting of a finite number of single points is a set of measure zero.
- (iii) A curve of finite length  $\mathcal{C} \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ ,  $n \geq 2$ , is a set of measure zero.
- (iv) A bounded section of a plane in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  is a set of measure zero.
- (v) The set of rational numbers in the interval  $[0, 1]$  has measure zero.
- (vi) The set of irrational numbers in the interval  $[0, 1]$  is not (Jordan) measurable.

# Step Functions of Cuboids



3.3.8. Definition. A **partition**  $P$  of an  $n$ -cuboid  $Q = [a_1, b_1] \times \cdots \times [a_n, b_n]$  is a tuple  $P = (P_1, \dots, P_n)$  such that  $P_k = (a_{k0}, \dots, a_{km_k})$  is a partition of the interval  $[a_k, b_k]$ .

The partition  $P$  of  $Q$  induces cuboids of the form

$$Q_{j_1 j_2 \dots j_n} := [a_{1(j_1-1)}, a_{1j_1}] \times \cdots \times [a_{n(j_n-1)}, a_{nj_n}] \subset Q.$$

3.3.9. Definition. Let  $Q \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  be an  $n$ -cuboid. A function  $f: Q \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is called a **step function with respect to a partition**  $P$  if there exist numbers  $y_{j_1 j_2 \dots j_n} \in \mathbb{R}$  such that  $f(x) = y_{j_1 j_2 \dots j_n}$  whenever  $x \in \text{int } Q_{j_1 j_2 \dots j_n}$ ,  $j_k = 1, \dots, m_k$ ,  $k = 1, \dots, n$ .

# Step Functions of Cuboids



3.3.11. **Theorem.** Let  $Q \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  be a cuboid and  $f : Q \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  a step function with respect to some partition  $P$  of  $Q$ , then the **integral** is

$$\int_Q f := I_P(f) = \sum_{\substack{j_1=1,\dots,m_1 \\ \vdots \\ j_n=1,\dots,m_n}} |Q_{j_1\dots j_n}| \cdot y_{j_1\dots j_n}$$

# Darboux Integral



3.3.12. Definition. Let  $Q \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  be an  $n$ -cuboid and  $f$  a bounded real function on  $Q$ . let  $\mathcal{U}_f$  denote the set of all step functions  $u$  on  $Q$  such that  $u \geq f$  and  $\mathcal{L}_f$  the set of all step functions  $v$  on  $Q$  such that  $v \leq f$ . The function  $f$  is then said to be **(Darboux)-integrable** if

$$\sup_{v \in \mathcal{L}_f} \int_Q v = \inf_{u \in \mathcal{U}_f} \int_Q u.$$

In this case, the **(Darboux) integral of  $f$  over  $Q$** ,  $\int_Q f$ , is defined to be this common value.

# Riemann Integral



3.3.13. **Theorem.** A bounded function  $f: Q \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is Riemann-integrable if and only if for every  $\varepsilon > 0$  there exist step functions  $u_\varepsilon$  and  $v_\varepsilon$  such that  $v_\varepsilon \leq f \leq u_\varepsilon$  and

$$\int_Q u_\varepsilon - \int_Q v_\varepsilon \leq \varepsilon.$$

3.3.14. **Proposition.** Let  $Q \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  be an  $n$ -cuboid and  $f: Q \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be bounded and continuous almost everywhere. Then  $f$  is (Riemann) integrable.

# Riemann Integral



3.3.16. Lemma. Let  $\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  be a bounded set. Then  $\Omega$  is Jordan-measurable if and only if its boundary  $\partial\Omega$  has Jordan measure zero.

3.3.17. Corollary. Let  $\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  be a bounded Jordan-measurable set and let  $f: \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be continuous a.e. Then  $f$  is integrable on  $\Omega$ .

# Riemann Integral



## 3.3.18. Lemma.

- (i) Let  $\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  be a measurable set. Then

$$|\Omega| = \int_{\Omega} 1.$$

- (ii) Let  $\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  be a set of measure zero and  $f: \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  some function that is integrable on  $\Omega$ . Then  $\int_{\Omega} f = 0$ .
- (iii) Let  $\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  and  $\Omega' \subset \Omega$  be measurable sets and  $f: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  integrable on  $\Omega$ . Then  $f$  is also integrable on  $\Omega'$ .
- (iv) Let  $\Omega, \Omega' \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  measurable sets and  $f: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  integrable on both of them. Then  $f$  is integrable on  $\Omega \cup \Omega'$  and

$$\int_{\Omega \cup \Omega'} f = \int_{\Omega} f + \int_{\Omega'} f - \int_{\Omega \cap \Omega'} f.$$

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# Practical Integration over Cuboids



3.4.1. Fubini's Theorem. Let  $Q_1$  be an  $n_1$ -cuboid and  $Q_2$  an  $n_2$ -cuboid so that  $Q := Q_1 \times Q_2 \subset \mathbb{R}^{n_1+n_2}$  is an  $(n_1 + n_2)$ -cuboid. Assume that  $f: Q \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is integrable on  $Q$  and that for every  $x \in Q_1$  the integral

$$g(x) = \int_{Q_2} f(x, \cdot)$$

exists. Then

$$\int_Q f = \int_{Q_1 \times Q_2} f = \int_{Q_1} g = \int_{Q_1} \left( \int_{Q_2} f \right).$$

# Ordinate and Simple Regions in $\mathbb{R}^2$



3.4.3. Definition. A set  $D \subset \mathbb{R}^2$  is called an **ordinate region with respect to  $x_2$** , if there exists an interval  $I \subset \mathbb{R}$  and continuous, almost everywhere differentiable functions  $\varphi_1, \varphi_2: I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  such that

$$D = \{(x_1, x_2) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : x_1 \in I, \varphi_1(x_1) \leq x_2 \leq \varphi_2(x_1)\}.$$

If the role of  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  above is interchanged, we say that  $D$  is **an ordinate region with respect to  $x_1$** .

If  $D \subset \mathbb{R}^2$  is an ordinate region both with respect to  $x_1$  and  $x_2$ , we say that  $D$  is a **simple region**.

# Ordinate Regions in $\mathbb{R}^n$

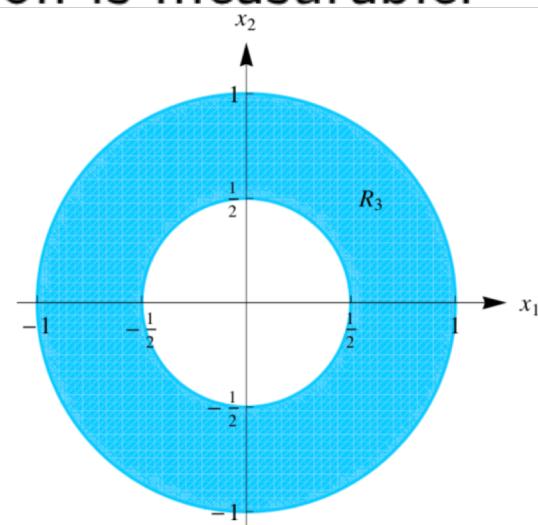
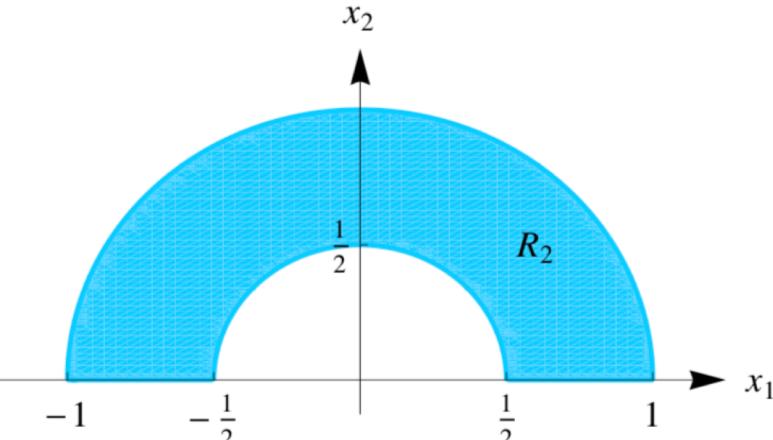


3.4.7. Definition. A subset  $U \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  is said to be an **ordinate region (with respect to  $x_k$ )** if there exists a measurable set  $\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^{n-1}$  and continuous, almost everywhere differentiable functions  $\varphi_1, \varphi_2: \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ , such that

$$U = \{(x \in \mathbb{R}^n : x \in \Omega, \varphi_1(\hat{x}^{(k)}) \leq x_k \leq \varphi_2(\hat{x}^{(k)}))\}.$$

If  $U$  is an ordinate region with respect to each  $x_k$ ,  $k = 1, \dots, n$ , it is said to be a **simple region**.

3.4.8. Lemma. Any ordinate region is measurable.



# Substitution Rule



3.4.12. Substitution Rule. Let  $\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  be open and  $g: \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$  injective and continuously differentiable. Suppose that  $\det J_g(y) \neq 0$  for all  $y \in \Omega$ . Let  $K$  be a compact measurable subset of  $\Omega$ . Then  $g(K)$  is compact and measurable and if  $f: g(K) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is integrable, then

$$\int_{g(K)} f(x) dx = \int_K f(g(y)) \cdot |\det J_g(y)| dy.$$

# Coordinate System



(i) Polar coordinates in  $\mathbb{R}^2$  are defined by a map

$$\phi: (0, \infty) \times [0, 2\pi) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \{0\}, \quad (r, \phi) \mapsto (x, y)$$

where

$$x = r \cos \phi, \quad y = r \sin \phi.$$

Note that this map is bijective and even  $C^\infty$  in the interior of its domain. An alternative (but rarely used) version of polar coordinates would map  $x = r \sin \phi$ ,  $y = r \cos \phi$ . This simply corresponds to a different geometrical interpretation of the angle  $\phi$ . In any case,

$$|\det J_\phi(r, \phi)| = \left| \det \begin{pmatrix} \cos \phi & -r \sin \phi \\ \sin \phi & r \cos \phi \end{pmatrix} \right| = r$$

# Coordinate System



(ii) Cylindrical coordinates in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  are given through a map

$$\phi: (0, \infty) \times [0, 2\pi) \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \{0\}, \quad (r, \phi, \zeta) \mapsto (x, y, z)$$

defined by

$$x = r \cos \phi, \quad y = r \sin \phi, \quad z = \zeta$$

In this case,

$$|\det J_\phi(r, \phi, \zeta)| = \left| \det \begin{pmatrix} \cos \phi & -r \sin \phi & 0 \\ \sin \phi & r \cos \phi & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \right| = r$$

# Coordinate System



(iii) Spherical coordinates in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  are often defined through a map

$$\begin{aligned}\phi: (0, \infty) \times [0, 2\pi) \times (0, \pi) &\rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \{0\}, \quad (r, \phi, \theta) \mapsto (x, y, z), \\ x &= r \cos \phi \sin \theta, \quad y = r \sin \phi \sin \theta, \quad z = r \cos \theta.\end{aligned}$$

Of course, there is a certain freedom in defining  $\theta$  and  $\phi$ , so there are alternative formulations. The modulus of the determinant of the Jacobian is given by

$$\begin{aligned}|\det J_\phi(r, \phi, \theta)| &= \left| \det \begin{pmatrix} \cos \phi \sin \theta & -r \sin \phi \sin \theta & r \cos \phi \cos \theta \\ \sin \phi \sin \theta & r \cos \phi \sin \theta & r \sin \phi \cos \theta \\ \cos \theta & 0 & -r \sin \theta \end{pmatrix} \right| \\ &= r^2 \sin \theta\end{aligned}$$

# Coordinate System



(iv) In  $\mathbb{R}^n$ , we can define spherical coordinates by

$$x_1 = r \cos \theta_1$$

$$x_2 = r \sin \theta_1 \cos \theta_2$$

$$x_3 = r \sin \theta_1 \sin \theta_2 \cos \theta_3$$

$$\vdots$$

$$x_{n-1} = r \sin \theta_1 \sin \theta_2 \dots \sin \theta_{n-2} \cos \theta_{n-1}$$

$$x_n = r \sin \theta_1 \sin \theta_2 \dots \sin \theta_{n-2} \sin \theta_{n-1}$$

with  $r > 0$  and  $0 < \theta_k < \pi$ ,  $k = 1, \dots, n - 2$ , and  $0 < \theta_{n-1} < 2\pi$ .

Here, the determinant of the Jacobian can be shown to be

$$|\det J_\phi(r, \theta_1, \dots, \theta_{n-1})| = r^{n-1} \sin^{n-2} \theta_1 \sin^{n-3} \theta_2 \dots \sin \theta_{n-1}.$$

# Small Exercise-Gauss Integral



3.4.17. Example. Our aim is to prove that the Gauß integral

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-x^2/2} dx$$

# Green's Theorem



3.4.18. **Green's Theorem.** Let  $R \subset \mathbb{R}^2$  be a bounded, simple region and  $\Omega \supset R$  an open set containing  $R$ . Let  $F : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  be a continuously differentiable vector field. Then

$$\int_{\partial R^*} F \cdot d\vec{s} = \int_R \left( \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial x_1} - \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial x_2} \right) dx$$

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# Exercise 1: Evaluate the integral

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- Problem 1&2: See Black Board;

# Exercise 2: Green's Theorem

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- See Black Board:

# Exercise 3: Thinking Problem

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- Calculate the volume  $V(B)$  of the n-dimensional ball:
- $B = \{x = (x^1, x^2, \dots, x^n) : \|x\| \leq R\}$

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