

Nature of the problem

Given Jacobian:

$$\text{determinant: } -abc\rho^2\sin(\varphi)$$

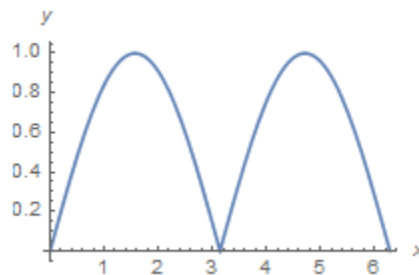
Triple Integral:

- The triple integral will need to be broken up into 2 integrals

$$|abc\rho^2(-\sin(\varphi))| = |abc\rho^2| * |-\sin(\varphi)|$$

$|abc|$  is just a constant and  $|\rho^2|$  will always range from 0 to 1 and won't be negative

$|-\sin(\varphi)|$  On the other hand is different from  $-\sin(\varphi)$  and looks like this:



- Therefore it needs to be broken up into two integrals, one from 0 to  $\pi$  and the other from  $\pi$  to  $2\pi$
- Luckily, due to symmetry, you have:

$$2 \int_0^\pi \int_0^\pi \int_0^1 [(abc)\rho^2 \sin(\varphi)] d\rho d\varphi d\theta$$

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$$V = \left(\frac{2}{3}\right) abc \int_0^\pi \int_0^\pi \sin(\varphi) d\varphi d\theta$$

$$V = \left(\frac{2}{3}\right) abc \int_0^\pi d\theta [-\cos(\varphi)] \bigg|_0^\pi$$

$$V = \left(\frac{2}{3}\right) abc(-(-1) + (1)) \int_0^\pi d\theta$$

$$V = \left(\frac{2}{3}\right) abc(2)[\theta] \bigg|_0^{\pi}$$

$$V = \left(\frac{4}{3}\right) abc[\pi - 0]$$

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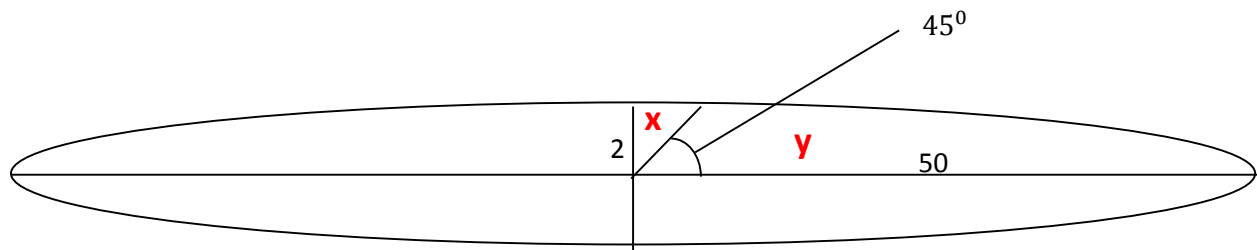
Unfortunately, this still does not solve the problem for values other than increments of  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ . For example if we integrated the ellipsoid using this jacobian from 0 to  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  for  $\varphi$  and 0 to  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  for  $\theta$ , I do not get an accurate volume for that portion of an ellipsoid. This means the way I am approaching this problem is fundamentally wrong.

$$V_y = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \int_0^1 [(abc)\rho^2 \sin(\varphi)] d\rho d\varphi d\theta = \frac{\pi}{12} abc$$

This is only true if  $a = b = c$

$$V_x = \int_{\frac{\pi}{4}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \int_0^1 [(abc)\rho^2 \sin(\varphi)] d\rho d\varphi d\theta = \frac{\pi}{12} abc$$

But what if  $a = 50, b = 2$  and  $c = 2$ ?



$x \neq y$

But according to the above integration, it does. This is what I need to fix.

**\*Below is the start of an integration that I cannot finish. It is possible it can be done through iterations but it would be best if a symbolic definite integral can be found\***

Unfinished triple integral without using jacobian transformation:

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} + \frac{z^2}{c^2} = 1$$

$$\frac{\rho^2 \sin^2(\varphi) \sin^2(\theta)}{a^2} + \frac{\rho^2 \sin^2(\varphi) \cos^2(\theta)}{b^2} + \frac{\rho^2 \cos^2(\varphi)}{c^2} = 1$$

$$\rho^2 \left[ \frac{\sin^2(\varphi) \sin^2(\theta)}{a^2} + \frac{\sin^2(\varphi) \cos^2(\theta)}{b^2} + \frac{\cos^2(\varphi)}{c^2} \right] = 1$$

$$\rho = \pm \sqrt{a^2 \csc^2(\varphi) \csc^2(\theta) + b^2 \csc^2(\varphi) \sec^2(\theta) + c^2 \sec^2(\varphi)}$$

$$V = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^\pi \int_0^{\sqrt{a^2 \csc^2(\varphi) \csc^2(\theta) + b^2 \csc^2(\varphi) \sec^2(\theta) + c^2 \sec^2(\varphi)}} d\rho d\varphi d\theta$$

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$$V = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^\pi \sqrt{\csc^2(\varphi) [a^2 \csc^2(\theta) + b^2 \sec^2(\theta)] + c^2 \sec^2(\varphi)} d\varphi d\theta$$

This is where I get stuck.