

12.5: Triple Integrals

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- Instead of integrating $f(x, y)$ over rectangle R in 2-D, need to integrate $f(x, y, z)$ in box in 3-D (solid box)

$B = [a, b] \times [c, d] \times [r, s]$ is a 3-D solid box

$$= \{(x, y, z) : a \leq x \leq b, c \leq y \leq d, r \leq z \leq s\}$$

volume of a sub-box = $\Delta V_{ijk} = \Delta x_i \Delta y_j \Delta z_k$

$$\approx \sum_i \sum_j \sum_k f(x_{ijk}^*, y_{ijk}^*, z_{ijk}^*) \Delta V_{ijk}$$

(triple Riemann sum)

Def. The triple integral of f over the box

$B = [a, b] \times [c, d] \times [r, s]$ is

$$\iiint_B f(x, y, z) dV = \lim_{\max \Delta x_i, \Delta y_j, \Delta z_k \rightarrow 0} \sum_i \sum_j \sum_k f(x_{ijk}^*, y_{ijk}^*, z_{ijk}^*) \Delta V_{ijk},$$

if the limit exists.

Fubini's Theorem If f continuous on $B = [a, b] \times [c, d] \times [r, s]$, then

$$\iiint_B f dV = \int_r^s \int_c^d \int_a^b f(x, y, z) dx dy dz, \text{ for any}$$

order of integration (6 possible):

$$\begin{matrix} r & | & b \\ & & \int_r^b \end{matrix}$$

order of integration

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \int_r^c \int_a^d \int_a^b f(x, y, z) dx dy dz = \int_r^c \int_a^d \int_c^b f(x, y, z) dy dx dz \\
 &= \int_c^d \int_r^s \int_r^b f(x, y, z) dx dz dy \\
 &= \int_a^b \int_r^s \int_c^d f dy dz dx \\
 &= \int_c^d \int_a^b \int_r^s f dz dx dy \\
 &= \int_a^b \int_c^s \int_r^d f dz dy dx
 \end{aligned}$$

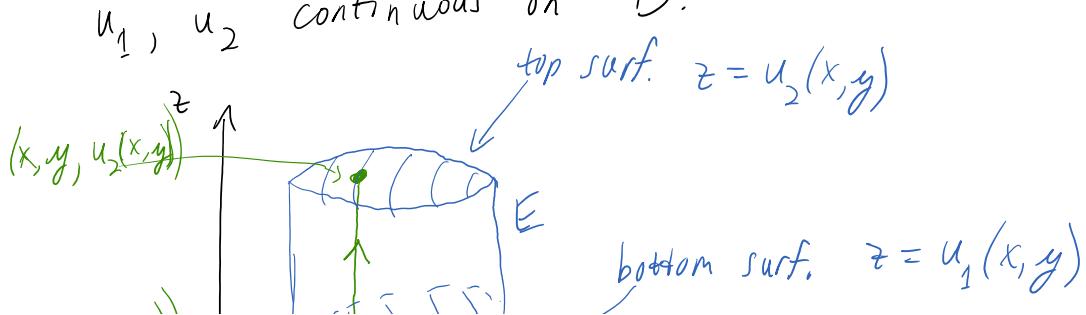
Regions more general than boxes?

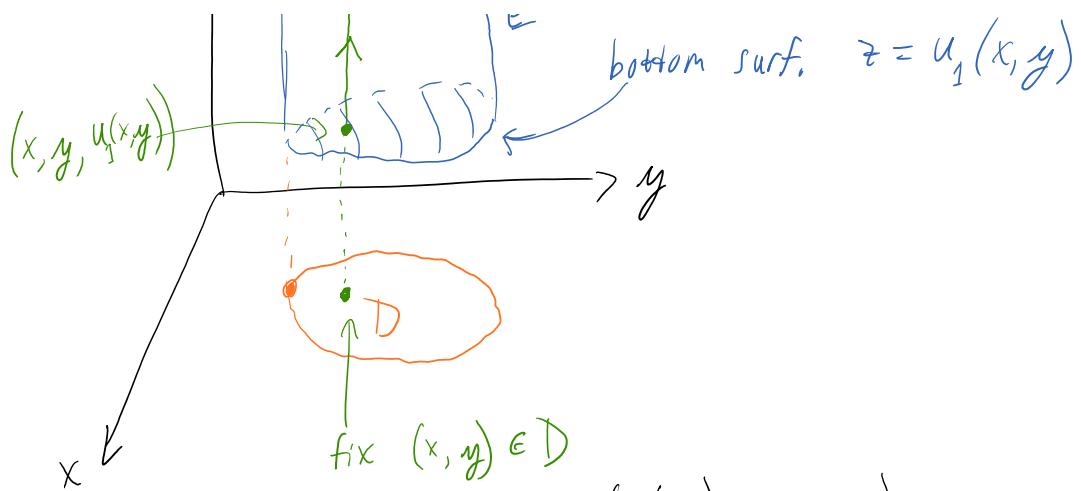
Type I region in \mathbb{R}^3 (surface on bottom $z = u_1(x, y)$
and another surf. on top $z = u_2(x, y)$)

$$E = \left\{ (x, y, z) : (x, y) \in D, u_1(x, y) \leq z \leq u_2(x, y) \right\}$$

where D = projection of E onto xy -plane, and

u_1, u_2 continuous on D .





$$\iiint_E f(x, y, z) dV = \iint_D \left(\int_{u_1(x, y)}^{u_2(x, y)} f(x, y, z) dz \right) dA$$

method for \iint_D depends on which type of region D is
 (type I, II, polar ?)

(i) D type I (in \mathbb{R}^2)

$$E = \left\{ (x, y, z) : a \leq x \leq b, g_1(x) \leq y \leq g_2(x), u_1(x, y) \leq z \leq u_2(x, y) \right\}$$

$$\iiint_E f dV = \int_a^b \int_{g_1(x)}^{g_2(x)} \left(\int_{u_1(x, y)}^{u_2(x, y)} f(x, y, z) dz \right) dy dx$$

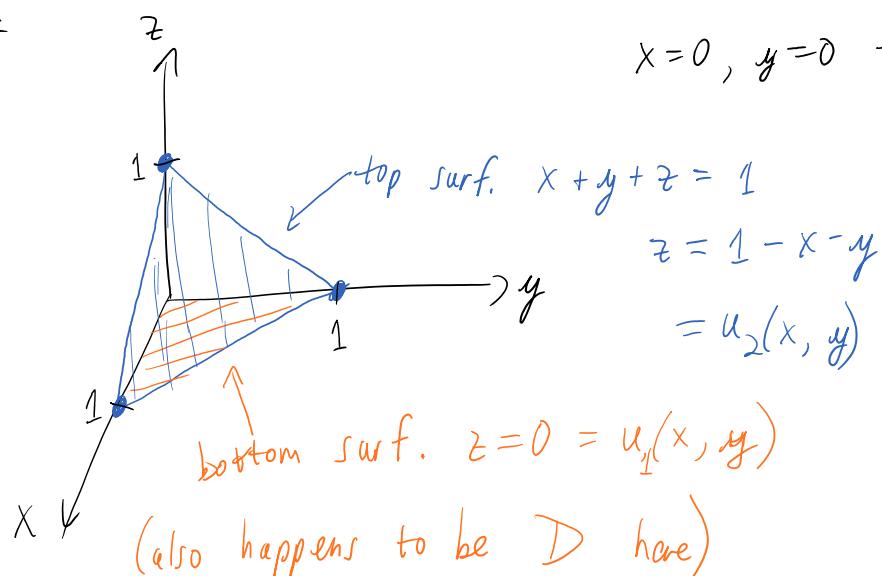
(ii) D type II 2-D region

$$E = \left\{ (x, y, z) : c \leq y \leq d, h_1(y) \leq x \leq h_2(y), u_1(x, y) \leq z \leq u_2(x, y) \right\}$$

$$\iiint_E f \, dV = \int_c^d \left(\int_{h_1(y)}^{h_2(y)} \left(\int_{u_1(x,y)}^{u_2(x,y)} f(x,y,z) \, dz \right) dx \, dy \right)$$

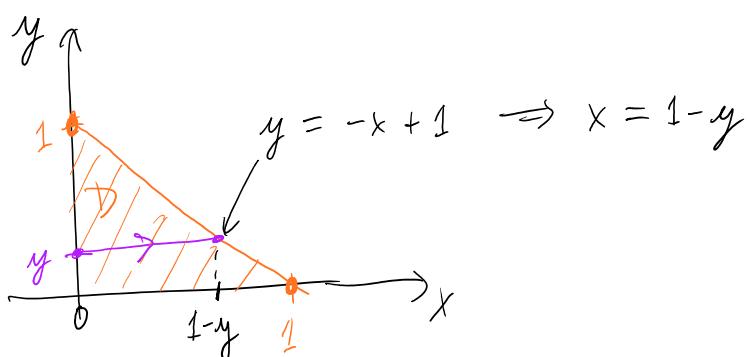
Ex. Evaluate $\iiint_E z \, dV$, E solid tetrahedron bdd by
 $x=0, y=0, z=0, x+y+z=1$.

Sol'n:



$$x=0, y=0 \Rightarrow z=1$$

$$\begin{aligned} z &= 1 - x - y \\ &= u_2(x, y) \end{aligned}$$



$$\iiint_E z \, dV = \iint_D \left(\int_0^{1-x-y} z \, dz \right) dA$$

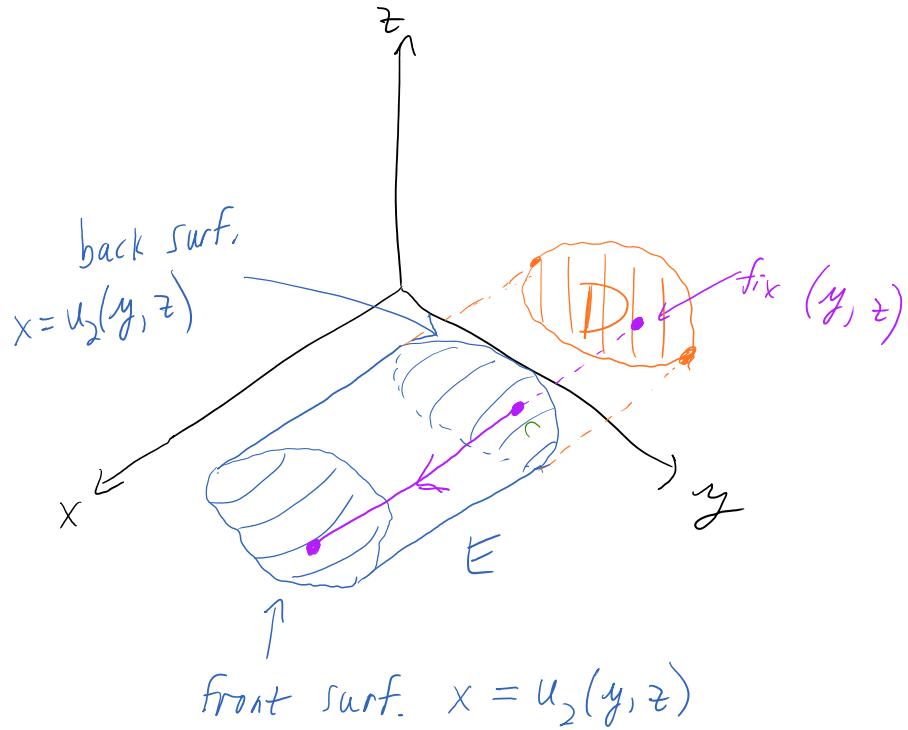
$$= \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-y} \left(\int_0^{1-x-y} z \, dz \right) dx \, dy$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-y} \int_{\frac{z^2}{2}}^{1-x-y} dx dy dz \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-y} (1-x-y)^2 dx dy, \quad u = 1-x-y \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \int_{1-y}^0 u^2 (-du) dy \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-y} u^2 du dy \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \frac{u^3}{3} \Big|_0^{1-y} dy \\
&= \frac{1}{6} \int_0^1 (1-y)^3 dy, \quad t = 1-y \\
&= \frac{1}{6} \int_0^1 t^3 dt \\
&= \boxed{\frac{1}{24}}
\end{aligned}$$

Type II region in 3D (surface on back $x = u_1(y, z)$
 and on front $x = u_2(y, z)$)

$$E = \left\{ (x, y, z) : (y, z) \in D, u_1(y, z) \leq x \leq u_2(y, z) \right\}$$

$D = \text{proj. of } E \text{ onto } yz\text{-plane}$

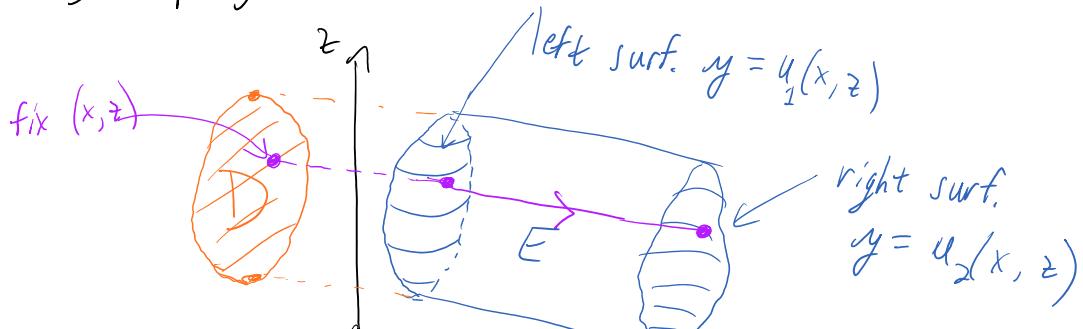


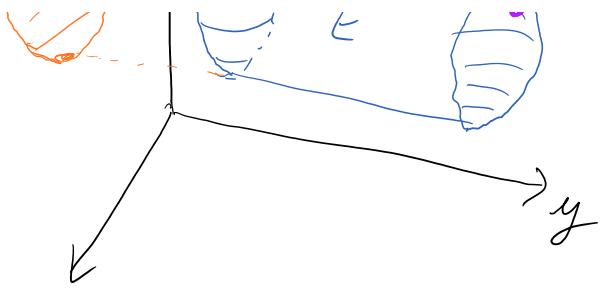
$$\iiint_E f \, dV = \iint_D \left(\int_{u_1(y, z)}^{u_2(y, z)} f(x, y, z) \, dx \right) \, dA$$

Type III region in \mathbb{R}^3 (surf. on left $y = u_1(x, z)$
and on right $y = u_2(x, z)$)

$$E = \{(x, y, z) : (x, z) \in D, u_1(x, z) \leq y \leq u_2(x, z)\}$$

$D = \text{proj. of } E \text{ onto } xz\text{-plane}$

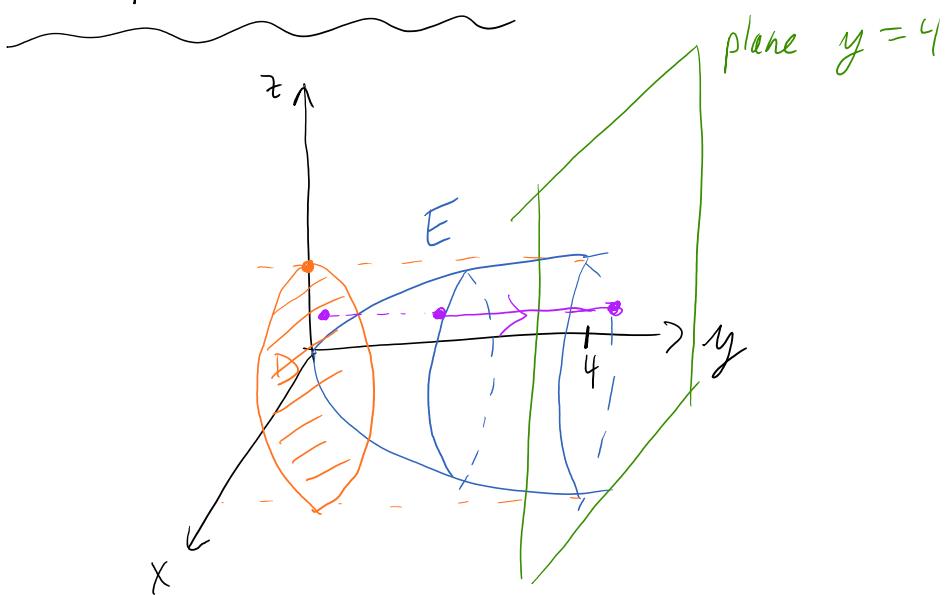




$$y = u_2(x, z)$$

$$\iiint_E f \, dV = \iint_D \left(\int_{u_j(x, z)}^{u_2(x, z)} f(x, y, z) \, dy \right) dA$$

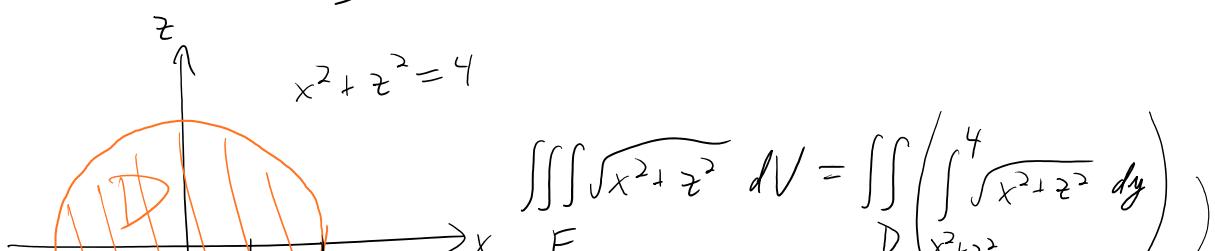
Ex. $\iiint_E \sqrt{x^2 + z^2} \, dV$, E bdd by paraboloid $y = x^2 + z^2$
and plane $y = 4$.



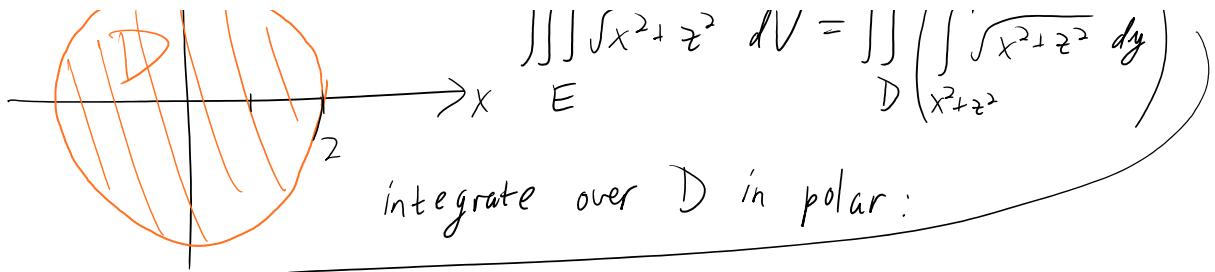
As type III:

- left surf. $y = x^2 + z^2 = u_j(x, z)$
- right " $y = 4 = u_2(x, z)$

• D is disk cent. at $(0, 0)$, radius = 2



$$\iiint_E \sqrt{x^2 + z^2} \, dV = \iint_D \left(\int_{x^2 + z^2}^4 \sqrt{x^2 + z^2} \, dy \right))$$



integrate over D in polar:

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 \left(\int_{r^2}^4 r^2 dy \right) r dr d\theta \\
 &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 \int_{r^2}^4 r^2 dy dr d\theta \\
 &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 r^2 \left(\int_{r^2}^4 dy \right) dr d\theta \\
 &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 r^2 (4 - r^2) dr d\theta \\
 &= 2\pi \left[\frac{4}{3} r^3 - \frac{r^5}{5} \right]_0^2 \\
 &= 2\pi \left(\frac{4(2^3)}{3} - \frac{2^5}{5} \right) \\
 &= 2^6 \pi \left(\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{5} \right) \\
 &= 2^6 \pi \left(\frac{2}{15} \right) \\
 &= \boxed{\frac{128\pi}{15}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$x = r \cos(\theta)$$

$$z = r \sin(\theta)$$

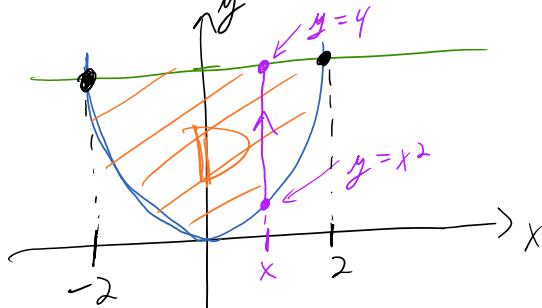
$$\sqrt{x^2 + z^2} = \sqrt{r^2} = r \quad (r \geq 0)$$

$$4r^2 - r^4$$

As type I:

$$y = x^2 + z^2, \quad y = 4 \Rightarrow z = 0 \Rightarrow M = x^2$$

$$y = x^2 + z^2, \quad y = 4 \quad \Rightarrow \quad z=0 \Rightarrow y = x^2$$



$$\iiint_E \sqrt{x^2 + z^2} \, dV = \iint_D \left(\int_{u_1(x,y)}^{u_2(x,y)} \sqrt{x^2 + z^2} \, dz \right) dA$$

$$= \iint_D \left(\int_{-\sqrt{y-x^2}}^{\sqrt{y-x^2}} \sqrt{x^2 + z^2} \, dz \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} y &= x^2 + z^2 \\ z^2 &= y - x^2 \\ z &= \pm \sqrt{y - x^2} \end{aligned}$$

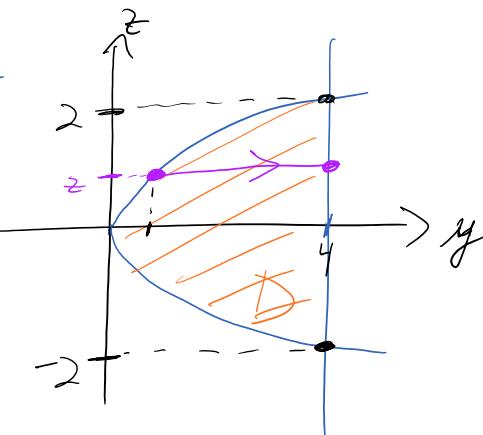
$$= \int_{-2}^2 \int_{x^2}^4 \left(\int_{-\sqrt{y-x^2}}^{\sqrt{y-x^2}} \sqrt{x^2 + z^2} \, dz \right) dy \, dx \quad \begin{pmatrix} \text{type I} \\ \text{in 3-D} \end{pmatrix}$$

As type II (project E onto yz -plane)

$$\iiint_E \sqrt{x^2 + z^2} \, dV = \iint_D \left(\int_{-\sqrt{y-z^2}}^{\sqrt{y-z^2}} \sqrt{x^2 + z^2} \, dx \right), \quad \begin{aligned} y &= x^2 + z^2 \\ x &= \pm \sqrt{y - z^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \int_{-2}^2 \int_{z^2}^4 \int_{-\sqrt{y-z^2}}^{\sqrt{y-z^2}} \sqrt{x^2 + z^2} \, dx$$

$$\begin{aligned} x &= 0 \\ y &= z^2 \end{aligned}$$



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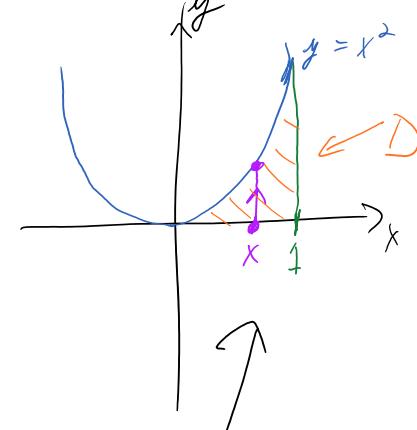
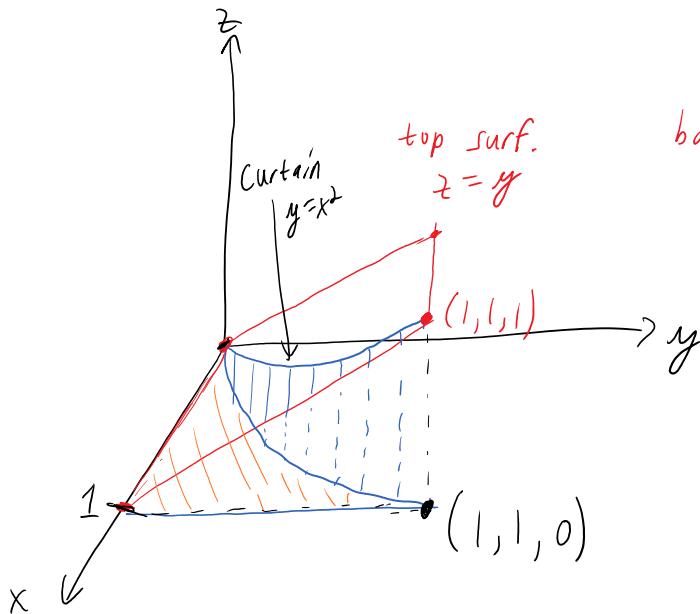
* Easiest to do $\int \int \int_D$ when D disk (i.e. type III)

Ex. Change $\int_0^1 \int_{0 \leq y \leq x} \int_{0 \leq z \leq y} f(x, y, z) dz dy dx$ to integrate
in that order (i.e. $dx dz dy$)

w.r.t. x, z, y

$$:= \int \int_D \left(\int_0^y f dz \right) dA$$

Sol'n:

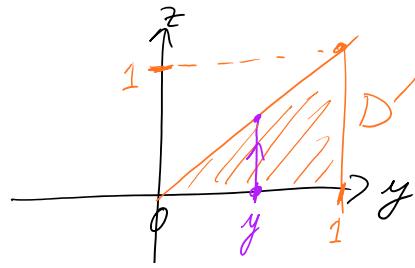


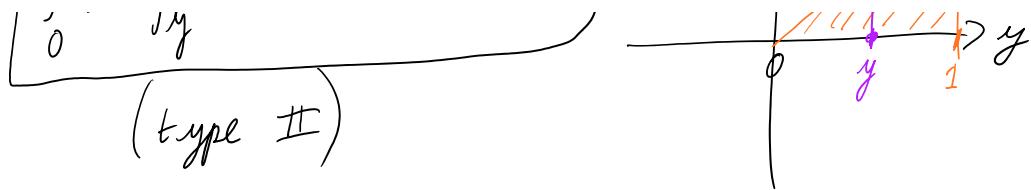
$$\iiint_E f dV = \iint_D \left(\int_{u_1(y, z)}^{u_2(y, z)} f(x, y, z) dx \right)$$

$$= \iint_D \left(\int_{\sqrt{y}}^1 f(x, y, z) dx \right)$$

$$= \boxed{\int_0^1 \int_0^y \int_{\sqrt{y}}^1 f(x, y, z) dx dz dy}$$

$$y = x^2 \\ x = \pm \sqrt{y}$$





Note

$$1) E \subset \mathbb{R}^3, \text{ vol}(E) = \iiint_E 1 \, dV$$

$$\cdot \int_a^b dx = b - a. \quad \text{If } a < b, \text{ then } \int_a^b dx = \text{length of } [a, b]$$

$$= \int_{[a, b]} dx$$

$$\cdot \iint_R 1 \, dA = \text{area}(R)$$

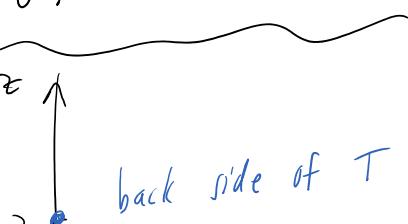
$$2) E \text{ type I in 3-D} \Rightarrow \iiint_E dV = \text{vol}(E)$$

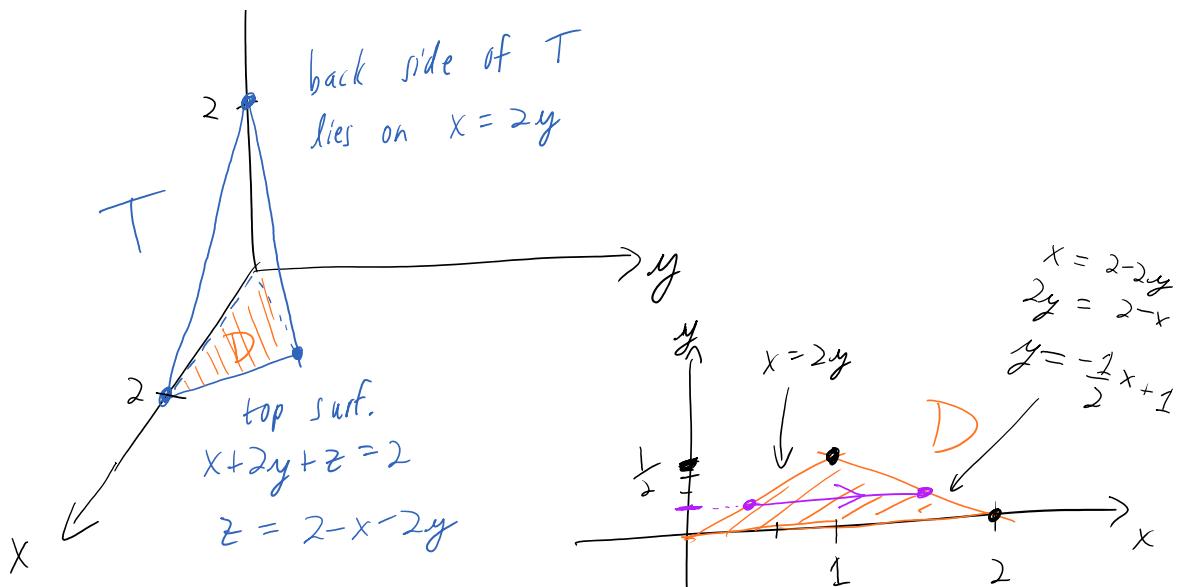
$$= \iint_D \left(\int_{u_1(x, y)}^{u_2(x, y)} dz \right) dA$$

$$= \iint_D u_2(x, y) - u_1(x, y) \, dA$$

Ex. Use a triple int. to find the vol. of the tetrahedron T bdd by $x + 2y + z = 2$, $x = 2y$,

$$x = 0, \quad y = 0,$$





$$\begin{aligned}
 V &= \iiint_T dV = \iint_D \left(\int_0^{2-x-2y} dz \right) dA \\
 &= \int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} \int_{2y}^{2-x-2y} \int_0^1 dz dx dy \\
 &= \boxed{\frac{1}{3}}
 \end{aligned}$$