Multivariable Calculus Unit 4 Study Guide

1 Double Integrals

1.1 Definition:

$$\iint\limits_{R} f(x,y) \, dA$$

The area of the region R under the surface formed by f(x,y) is computed by summing the tiny areas dA.

$$dA = dxdy$$
 or $dA = dydx$

1.2 Switching Order of Integration:

$$\int_0^2 \int_0^{\sqrt{x}} f(x, y) \, dy dx$$

Given that x ranges from 0 to 2, y varies from 0 to \sqrt{x} . Thus the bound is $y = \sqrt{x} \to x = y^2$, x = 0, and x = 2. Plugging in x = 0 and x = 2 gives that y ranges from 0 to $\sqrt{2}$. Given the bounds, x varies from y^2 to 2.

$$\int_0^{\sqrt{2}} \int_{y^2}^2 f(x, y) \, dx dy$$

2 Volume Given Bounds

2.1 Given integer bounds:

Example: $\iint\limits_R x cos(xy) cos^2(\pi x) \, dA$, given $R = [0, \frac{1}{2}] \times [0, \pi]$

$$\int_{0}^{\frac{1}{2}} \int_{0}^{\pi} x \cos(xy) \cos^{2}(\pi x) \, dy dx$$

$$= \int_{0}^{\frac{1}{2}} \left[\cos^{2}(\pi x) \sin(xy) \right]_{0}^{\pi} \, dx$$

$$= \int_{0}^{\frac{1}{2}} \left[\cos^{2}(\pi x) \sin(\pi x) \right] \, dx$$

$$= \left[-\frac{1}{3\pi} \cos^3(\pi x) \right]_0^{\frac{1}{2}}$$
$$= \frac{1}{3\pi}$$

2.2 Given equation bounds for z = f(x, y):

Example: $x^2 + y^2 = 9$, z = 0, and z = 3 - x

$$V = \iint\limits_{R} (3 - x) \, dA$$

Considering that x ranges from -3 to 3, then y must range from $-\sqrt{9-x^2}$ to $\sqrt{9-x^2}$.

$$V = \int_{-3}^{3} \int_{-\sqrt{9-x^2}}^{\sqrt{9-x^2}} (3-x) \, dy dx$$
$$= \int_{-3}^{3} (6\sqrt{9-x^2} - 2x\sqrt{9-x^2}) \, dx$$
$$= 27\pi$$

2.3 Switching to Polar:

Switch x to $r\cos(\theta)$ and y to $r\sin(\theta)$. Switch dA to $rdrd\theta$. Switch bounds from rectangular coordinates to polar coordinates.

Example: Find the volume of a sphere given the equation $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 9$ which is ouside the cylinder $x^2 + y^2 = 1$.

$$z = \sqrt{9 - x^2 - y^2}$$

$$V = \iint\limits_{R} \sqrt{9 - x^2 - y^2} \, dA = \iint\limits_{R} \left(\sqrt{9 - r^2}\right) r \, dr d\theta$$

Given the bounds, r ranges from 1 to 3, and θ ranges from 0 to 2π .

$$V = 2 * 4 \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \int_1^3 \left(\sqrt{9 - r^2}\right) r \, dr d\theta$$
$$= 8 \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{16\sqrt{2}}{3} \, d\theta$$
$$= \frac{64\sqrt{2}}{3} \pi$$

3 Area Given Bounds

3.1 Given equation bounds for z = f(x, y):

Example: Area under the surface $\frac{x}{\sqrt{1+y^2}}$ enclosed by $y=x^2, y=4$, and x=0.

$$\iint\limits_R \frac{x}{\sqrt{1+y^2}} \, dA$$

Considering that y ranges from 0 to 4, then x must range from 0 to \sqrt{y} .

$$\int_0^4 \int_0^{\sqrt{y}} \frac{x}{\sqrt{1+y^2}} dx dy$$

$$= \int_0^4 \left[\frac{x^2}{2\sqrt{1+y^2}} \right]_0^{\sqrt{y}} dy$$

$$= \int_0^4 \frac{y}{2\sqrt{1+y^2}} dy$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{17} - 1}{2}$$

3.2 Given polar bounds:

Example: The region enclosed by the cardioid $r = 1 - cos(\theta)$.

$$\iint\limits_R 1 \, dA = \iint\limits_R r \, dr d\theta$$

Given bounds, θ ranges from 0 to 2π , and r ranges from 0 to $1 - \cos(\theta)$.

$$A = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{1-\cos(\theta)} r \, dr d\theta$$
$$= \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{(1-\cos(\theta))^2}{2} \, d\theta$$
$$= \frac{3\pi}{2}$$

4 Surface Area

Using Cross Product: $dS = |\frac{\partial \vec{r}}{\partial u} \times \frac{\partial \vec{r}}{\partial v}| du dv$ Given f(u, v), find $\vec{r}(u, v) = \langle u, v, f(u, v) \rangle$.

$$\frac{\partial \vec{r}}{\partial u} = \langle 1, 0, \frac{\partial f}{\partial u} \rangle$$

$$\begin{split} \frac{\partial \vec{r}}{\partial v} &= \langle 0, 1, \frac{\partial f}{\partial v} \rangle \\ \left| \frac{\partial \vec{r}}{\partial u} \times \frac{\partial \vec{r}}{\partial v} \right| &= \left| \left\langle \frac{\partial f}{\partial u}, \frac{\partial f}{\partial v}, 1 \right\rangle \right| = \sqrt{\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial u}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial v}\right)^2 + 1} \end{split}$$

Using Jacobian: dS = |J| dudv, given $\vec{r}(u, v) = \langle \vec{r}_1(u, v), \vec{r}_2(u, v) \rangle$

$$|J| = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial \vec{r}_1}{\partial u} & \frac{\partial \vec{r}_2}{\partial u} \\ \frac{\partial \vec{r}_1}{\partial v} & \frac{\partial \vec{r}_2}{\partial v} \end{vmatrix}$$

4.1 Given integer bounds:

Example: $y^2 + z^2 = 9$, given $R = [0, 2] \times [-3, 3]$

$$z = \sqrt{9 - y^2}$$

$$\vec{r}(x, y) = \langle x, y, \sqrt{9 - y^2} \rangle$$

$$\frac{\partial \vec{r}}{\partial x} = \langle 1, 0, 0 \rangle$$

$$\frac{\partial \vec{r}}{\partial y} = \langle 0, 1, -\frac{y}{\sqrt{9 - y^2}} \rangle$$

$$\left| \frac{\partial \vec{r}}{\partial x} \times \frac{\partial \vec{r}}{\partial y} \right| = \sqrt{1 + \left(-\frac{y}{\sqrt{9 - y^2}} \right)^2} = \sqrt{\frac{9 - y^2 + y^2}{9 - y^2}} = \frac{3}{\sqrt{9 - y^2}}$$

$$S = \int_0^2 \int_{-3}^3 \frac{3}{\sqrt{9 - y^2}} \, dy dx$$

$$= \int_0^2 3\pi \, dx$$

$$= 6\pi$$

4.2 Given equation bounds:

Example: $z^2 = 4x^2 + 4y^2$ bounded by y = x and $y = x^2$

$$\vec{r}(x,y) = \langle x, y, \sqrt{4x^2 + 4y^2} \rangle$$

$$2z \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = 8x \qquad 2z \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = 8y$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = \frac{4x}{z} \qquad \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = \frac{4y}{z}$$

$$\frac{\partial \vec{r}}{\partial x} = \langle 1, 0, \frac{4x}{z} \rangle$$

$$\begin{split} \frac{\partial \vec{r}}{\partial y} &= \langle 0, 1, \frac{4y}{z} \rangle \\ \left| \frac{\partial \vec{r}}{\partial x} \times \frac{\partial \vec{r}}{\partial y} \right| &= \sqrt{\left(\frac{4x}{z}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{4y}{z}\right)^2 + 1} = \sqrt{\frac{4(4x^2 + 4y^2)}{z^2} + 1} = \sqrt{4 + 1} = \sqrt{5} \end{split}$$

Given the bounds, x ranges from 0 to 1, and y ranges from x^2 to x.

$$S = \int_0^1 \int_{x^2}^x \sqrt{5} \, dy dx$$
$$= \int_0^1 \sqrt{5} (x - x^2) \, dx$$
$$= \frac{\sqrt{5}}{6}$$

4.3 Switching to Polar:

Example: z = xy bounded by $y = \frac{x}{\sqrt{3}}$, y = 0, and $x^2 + y^2 = 9$

$$\begin{split} \vec{r}(x,y) &= \langle x,y,xy \rangle \\ \frac{\partial \vec{r}}{\partial x} &= \langle 1,0,y \rangle \\ \frac{\partial \vec{r}}{\partial y} &= \langle 0,1,x \rangle \\ \left| \frac{\partial \vec{r}}{\partial x} \times \frac{\partial \vec{r}}{\partial y} \right| &= \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + 1} = \sqrt{r^2 + 1} \end{split}$$

Given the bounds, r ranges from 0 to 3 because of the circle equation, and θ ranges from 0 to $\frac{\pi}{6}$ because of the line equation and that $tan^{-1}(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}) = \frac{\pi}{6}$.

$$S = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{6}} \int_0^3 (\sqrt{r^2 + 1}) r \, dr d\theta$$
$$= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{6}} \frac{1}{3} (10\sqrt{10} - 1) \, d\theta$$
$$= \frac{\pi}{18} (10\sqrt{10} - 1)$$