

Problem Set 17

MAT237: Advanced Calculus

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Problem 0.1. Determine the Jacobian of the following transformations. Whenever, possible, write the infinitesimal area/volume element in terms of one another.

(a) $(x, y) = (e^\xi, \eta^3)$

(b) $(x, y) = (5u - 2v, u + v)$

(c) $(x, y) = (\sin(u^2v), \cos(v^2u))$

(d) $(x, y, z) = (v + w^2, w + u^2, u + v^2)$

(e) $(x, y, z) = (u^3 - v^2, u^3 + v^2, u^3 + v^2 + w)$

Solution. (a). Let $(x, y) = G(\xi, \eta) = (e^\xi, \eta^3)$. Then:

$$|DG(\xi, \eta)| = \left| \begin{pmatrix} e^\xi & 0 \\ 0 & 3\eta^2 \end{pmatrix} \right| = e^\xi 3\eta^2$$

so that $dx dy = 3e^\xi \eta^2 d\xi d\eta$. To calculate $d\xi d\eta$ in terms of $dx dy$, note that:

$$x = e^\xi, y = \eta^3$$

so that $\log x = \xi$ and $\sqrt[3]{y} = \eta$ so that $(\xi, \eta) = (\log x, \sqrt[3]{y})$. Let $(\xi, \eta) = G^{-1}(x, y) = (\log x, \sqrt[3]{y})$, then:

$$|DG^{-1}(x, y)| = \left| \begin{pmatrix} x^{-1} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{3}y^{-\frac{2}{3}} \end{pmatrix} \right| = \frac{1}{3}x^{-1}y^{-\frac{2}{3}}$$

so that $d\xi d\eta = \frac{1}{3}x^{-1}y^{-\frac{2}{3}} dx dy$.

(b). Let $(x, y) = G(u, v) = (5u - 2v, u + v)$, then:

$$|DG(u, v)| = \left| \begin{pmatrix} 5 & -2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \right| = |5 + 2| = 7$$

so that $dx dy = 7 du dv$ which implies that: $du dv = \frac{1}{7} dx dy$.

(c) Let $(x, y) = G(u, v) = (\sin(u^2v), \cos(v^2u))$, then:

$$\begin{aligned} |DG(u, v)| &= \left| \begin{pmatrix} 2uv \cos(u^2v) & u^2 \cos(u^2v) \\ -v^2 \sin(v^2u) & -2vu \sin(v^2u) \end{pmatrix} \right| \\ &= (uv)^2 [-4 \cos u^2v \sin(v^2u) + \cos u^2v \sin(v^2u)] \\ &= -3(uv)^2 \sin(u^2v) \cos(u^2v) \end{aligned}$$

so that $dx dy = -3(uv)^2 \sin(u^2v) \cos(u^2v) du dv$. Next, we try to express $du dv$ in terms of $dx dy$. First, note that:

$$x = \sin(u^2v), \quad y = \cos(v^2u), \quad (uv)^2 = ???$$

so that $du dv = \frac{-1}{3} xy(???)$.

(d) Let $(x, y, z) = G(v, w, u) = (v + w^2, w + u^2, u + v^2)$, then:

$$\begin{aligned} |DG(u, v)| &= \left| \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2w & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2u \\ 2v & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \right| \\ &= \left| \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2u \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2u \\ 2v & 1 \end{pmatrix} \right| \\ &= 1 + 8uvw \end{aligned}$$

so that $dx dy dz = (1 + 8uvw) du dv dw$. ■

Problem 0.2. Let R be the region bounded by the curves $y = x^2$, $4y = x^2$, $xy = 1$, $xy = 2$. Compute the integral:

$$\iint_R x^2 y^2 dx dy$$

Solution. We are given that $1 \leq xy \leq 2$ and $y \leq x^2 \leq 4y$. Note, that $y \leq x^2 \leq 4y$ is the same as saying $1 \leq \frac{x^2}{y} \leq 4$. Let $u = xy$, $v = \frac{x^2}{y}$ so that:

$$1 \leq u \leq 2 \quad \text{and} \quad 1 \leq v \leq 4$$

Since $y \neq 0$, $(u, v) = G(x, y) = (xy, \frac{x^2}{y})$ is a diffeomorphism. Note,

$$|DG(x, y)| = \left| \begin{pmatrix} y & x \\ \frac{2x}{y} & -\frac{x^2}{y^2} \end{pmatrix} \right| = \left| -\frac{x^2}{y} - \frac{2x^2}{y} \right| = \frac{3x^2}{y}$$

so that $du dv = \frac{3x^2}{y} dx dy$ which implies $\frac{y}{3x^2} du dv = dx dy$ so that we need to write $\frac{y}{3x^2}$ in terms of u, v . Note:

$$\frac{1}{3} v^{-1} = \frac{y}{3x^2}$$

so $dx dy = (3v)^{-1} du dv$ so that by the change of variables theorem, we have that:

$$\begin{aligned}\iint_R x^2 dx dy &= \int_1^4 \int_1^2 (u^2)(3v)^{-1} du dv \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \int_1^4 v^{-1} dv \cdot \int_1^2 u^2 du \\ &= \frac{1}{9} [\log v]_{v=1}^{v=4} \cdot [u^3]_{u=1}^{u=2} \\ &= \frac{7}{9} \log 4\end{aligned}$$

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Problem 0.3. Determine $\iint_S \frac{(x+y)^4}{(x-y)^5} dA$ where $S = \{-1 \leq x+y \leq 1, 1 \leq x-y \leq 3\}$.

Solution. We are given that:

$$-1 \leq x+y \leq 1, 1 \leq x-y \leq 3$$

so let $u = x+y$ and $v = x-y$ which is a diffeomorphism. Then, note:

$$|DG(x, y)| = \left| \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \right| = 1$$

so that $du dv = dx dy$. Then by the change of variables theorem:

$$\iint_S \frac{(x+y)^4}{(x-y)^5} dA = \int_1^3 \int_{-1}^1 \frac{u^4}{v^5} du dv = \int_1^3 v^{-5} dv \cdot \int_{-1}^1 u^4 du$$

which can be computed easily.

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Problem 0.4. Compute $\iint_R (4x+8y) dA$ where R is the quadrilateral with endpoints: $(-1, 3)$, $(1, -3)$, $(3, -1)$, $(-3, 1)$.

Problem 0.5. Compute $\iint_R \sin(9x^2 + 4y^2) dA$ where R is the circle $9x^2 + 4y^2 = 36$.

Solution. We use elliptical coordinates, specifically, let:

$$x = 3^{-1}r \cos(\theta), y = 2^{-1}r \sin(\theta)$$

We note that $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$ and to bound r , consider the following:

$$\begin{aligned}9x^2 + 4y^2 &= 36 \\ 9(3^{-1}r \sin(\theta))^2 + 4(2^{-1}r \cos(\theta))^2 &= 36 \\ r^2 \sin^2(\theta) + r^2 \cos^2(\theta) &= 36 \\ r^2(\sin^2(\theta) + \cos^2(\theta)) &= 36 \\ r &= \pm 4\end{aligned}$$

so that $-4 \leq r \leq 4$. Since we have already computed the determinant of the Jacobian of a polar coordinates change of coordinates, and an elliptical change of coordinates only differ

by constants, then: $dx dy = 2^{-1}3^{-1}r dr d\theta$. Thus, by the change of variables theorem, we have that:

$$\begin{aligned}\iint_R \sin(9x^2 + 4y^2) dA &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_{-4}^4 \sin(r^2) 2^{-1}3^{-1}r dr d\theta \\ &= \frac{1}{6} \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta \cdot \int_{-4}^4 r \sin(r^2) dr\end{aligned}$$

which can be computed easily by making the substitution (in \mathbb{R}^1) $u = r^2$ to the right-most integral. ■