

# Several-Variable Calc II: Homework 7

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**Problem 1.** Evaluate the line integral  $\oint_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$

- (i)  $\mathbf{F} = \langle xy^2 + 4xy, 2y + 2x^2 \rangle$  and  $C$  is the path  $y = x^2$  from  $(-2, 4)$  to  $(1, 1)$  and the line segment from  $(1, 1)$  to  $(-2, 4)$ .
- (ii)  $\mathbf{F} = \langle y \sin(x) - y^4, y^2 - \cos(x) \rangle$  and  $C$  is the union of the half circle  $y = \sqrt{4 - x^2}$  from  $(2, 0)$  to  $(-2, 0)$  and the line segment from  $(-2, 0)$  to  $(2, 0)$ .

*Solution to (i).* The region  $D$  is the region enclosed by the path  $y = x^2$  from  $(-2, 4)$  to  $(1, 1)$  and the line segment from  $(1, 1)$  to  $(-2, 4)$ . The region  $D$  is shown in Figure 1.

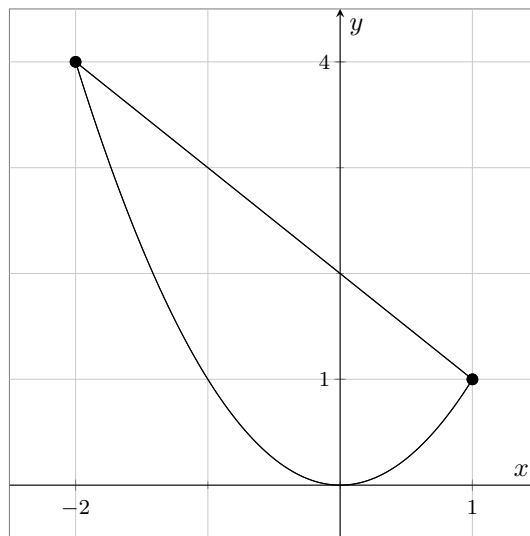


Figure 1: Region  $D$  for Problem 1(i)

Since  $D$  is positively oriented, piecewise-smooth, and simply connected, we can use Green's Theorem to evaluate the line integral, which states that

$$\oint_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \iint_D \left( \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} \right) dA,$$

where  $P = xy^2 + 4xy$  and  $Q = 2y + x^2$ . We have

$$\frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = (4x) - (2xy + 4x) = -2xy.$$

Finding the equation of the line segment from  $(1, 1)$  to  $(-2, 4)$ , we have  $y = -x + 2$ . Therefore, we get the bounds for  $x$  as  $-2 \leq x \leq 1$  and  $x^2 \leq y \leq -x + 2$ . Therefore, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \oint_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} &= \iint_D \left( \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} \right) dA \\ &= \int_{-2}^1 \int_{x^2}^{-x+2} -2xy \, dy \, dx \\ &= \int_{-2}^1 -xy^2 \Big|_{x^2}^{-x+2} dx \\ &= \int_{-2}^1 [-x(-x+2)^2] - [-x(x^2)^2] dx \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \int_{-2}^1 x^5 - x^3 + 4x^2 - 4x \, dx \\
&= \left. \frac{x^6}{6} - \frac{x^4}{4} + \frac{4x^3}{3} - 2x^2 \right|_{-2}^1 \\
&= \left[ \frac{1}{6} - \frac{1}{4} + \frac{4}{3} - 2 \right] - \left[ \frac{64}{6} - 4 - \frac{32}{3} - 8 \right] = \frac{45}{4}. \quad \square
\end{aligned}$$

*Solution to (ii).* The region  $D$  is the region enclosed by the half circle  $y = \sqrt{4 - x^2}$  from  $(2, 0)$  to  $(-2, 0)$  and the line segment from  $(-2, 0)$  to  $(2, 0)$ . The region  $D$  is shown in Figure 2.

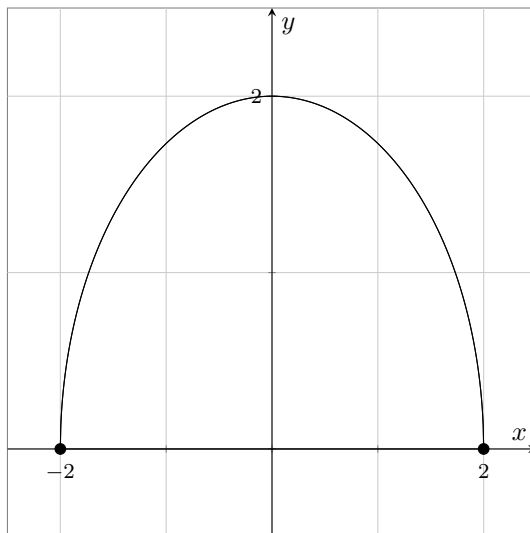


Figure 2: Region  $D$  for Problem 1(ii)

Since  $D$  is positively oriented, piecewise-smooth, and simply connected, we can use Green's Theorem to evaluate the line integral, which states that

$$\oint_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \iint_D \left( \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} \right) dA,$$

where  $P = y \sin(x) - y^4$  and  $Q = y^2 - \cos(x)$ . We have

$$\frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = (-\sin(x)) - (\sin(x) - 4y^3) = 4y^3.$$

Converting to polar coordinates, we get the bounds  $0 \leq r \leq 2$  and  $0 \leq \theta \leq \pi$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
\oint_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} &= \iint_D \left( \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} \right) dA \\
&= \iint_D 4y^3 dA \\
&= \int_0^\pi \int_0^2 4(r \sin(\theta))^3 \cdot r \, dr \, d\theta \\
&= 4 \int_0^\pi \sin^3(\theta) \, d\theta \cdot \int_0^2 r^4 \, dr \\
&= \left( 4 \cdot \frac{32}{5} \right) \cdot \int_0^\pi \sin(\theta)(1 - \cos^2(\theta)) \, d\theta.
\end{aligned}$$

Using the substitution  $u = \cos(\theta)$ , we get  $du = -\sin(\theta) d\theta$ . The bounds for  $u$  are  $u(0) = 1$  and  $u(\pi) = -1$ . Therefore, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 \oint_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} &= \left(4 \cdot \frac{32}{5}\right) \cdot \int_0^\pi \sin(\theta)(1 - \cos^2(\theta)) d\theta \\
 &= \frac{128}{5} \cdot \int_1^{-1} -1 + u^2 du \\
 &= \frac{128}{5} \cdot \int_{-1}^1 1 - u^2 du \\
 &= \frac{128}{5} \cdot \left(u - \frac{u^3}{3}\right) \Big|_{-1}^1 \\
 &= \frac{128}{5} \cdot \left(\left[1 - \frac{1}{3}\right] - \left[-1 + \frac{1}{3}\right]\right) \\
 &= \frac{128}{5} \cdot \left(2 - \frac{2}{3}\right) = \frac{512}{15}. \quad \square
 \end{aligned}$$

**Problem 2.** If a closed and bounded region,  $D$ , has a constant density,  $\rho$ , then the center of mass is called the centroid.

- (i) Use Green's Theorem to show that the centroid of  $D$  has coordinates

$$\bar{x} = \frac{1}{2A} \oint_C x^2 dy \quad \text{and} \quad \bar{y} = -\frac{1}{2A} \oint_C y^2 dx,$$

where  $A$  is the area of  $D$  and  $C$  is the closed boundary of  $D$  with positive orientation.

- (ii) Use these line integrals to find the centroid of the quarter circular region  $D = \{(x, y) \mid x^2 + y^2 \leq a^2, x \geq 0, y \geq 0\}$ .

*Solution to (i).* The centroid  $(\bar{x}, \bar{y})$  of a region  $D$  with uniform density is given by

$$\bar{x} = \frac{1}{A} \iint_D x dA \quad \text{and} \quad \bar{y} = \frac{1}{A} \iint_D y dA.$$

Converting the double integral for  $\bar{x}$  to a line integral, we set  $P = 0$  and  $Q = x^2/2$ . Therefore, we have

$$\frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = x.$$

Therefore,

$$\bar{x} = \frac{1}{A} \iint_D x dA = \frac{1}{2A} \oint_C x^2 dy.$$

Similarly, converting the double integral for  $\bar{y}$  to a line integral, we set  $P = y^2/2$  and  $Q = 0$ . Therefore, we have

$$\frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = -y.$$

Therefore, we have

$$\bar{y} = \frac{1}{A} \iint_D y dA = -\frac{1}{2A} \oint_C y^2 dx.$$

Therefore, the centroid of  $D$  has coordinates

$$\bar{x} = \frac{1}{A} \iint_D x dA = \frac{1}{2A} \oint_C x^2 dy \quad \text{and} \quad \bar{y} = \frac{1}{A} \iint_D y dA = -\frac{1}{2A} \oint_C y^2 dx. \quad \square$$

*Solution to (ii).* The region  $D$  is the quarter circular region  $D = \{(x, y) \mid x^2 + y^2 \leq a^2, x \geq 0, y \geq 0\}$ . The region  $D$  is shown in Figure 3.

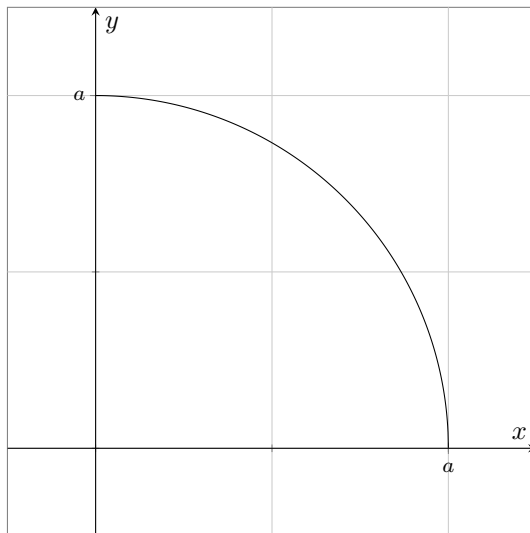


Figure 3: Region  $D$  for Problem 2(ii)

The area of  $D$  is  $A = \pi a^2/4$ .

We break the boundary of  $D$  into three parts:  $C_1$  is the circular arc  $r = a$ ,  $C_2$  is the line segment  $y = 0$ , and  $C_3$  is the line segment  $x = 0$ . Note that the paths  $C_2$  and  $C_3$  don't contribute to the line integrals for the centroid. We know that  $x = a \cos(\theta)$  and  $y = a \sin(\theta)$ , giving us the differential  $dy = a \cos(\theta) d\theta$ . The bounds are clearly  $0 \leq \theta \leq \pi/2$ . Substituting these into the line integrals for the centroid, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \oint_{C_1} x^2 dy &= \int_0^{\pi/2} (a \cos(\theta))^2 \cdot a \cos(\theta) d\theta \\ &= a^3 \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^3(\theta) d\theta \\ &= a^3 \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos(\theta)(1 - \sin^2(\theta)) d\theta. \end{aligned}$$

Using the substitution  $u = \sin(\theta)$ , we get  $du = \cos(\theta) d\theta$ . The bounds for  $u$  are  $u(0) = 0$  and  $u(\pi/2) = 1$ . Therefore, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \oint_{C_1} x^2 dy &= a^3 \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos(\theta)(1 - \sin^2(\theta)) d\theta \\ &= a^3 \int_0^1 (1 - u^2) du \\ &= a^3 \left( u - \frac{u^3}{3} \Big|_0^1 \right) \\ &= a^3 \left( 1 - \frac{1}{3} \right) = \frac{2a^3}{3}. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, the center for the  $x$ -coordinate is

$$\bar{x} = \frac{1}{2A} \oint_C x^2 dy = \frac{1}{2 \cdot \pi a^2/4} \cdot \frac{2a^3}{3} = \frac{4a}{3\pi}.$$

Similarly, we have

$$\begin{aligned}\oint_{C_1} y^2 dx &= \int_0^{\pi/2} (a \sin(\theta))^2 \cdot -a \sin(\theta) d\theta \\ &= -a^3 \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^3(\theta) d\theta \\ &= -a^3 \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin(\theta)(1 - \cos^2(\theta)) d\theta.\end{aligned}$$

Using the substitution  $u = \cos(\theta)$ , we get  $du = -\sin(\theta) d\theta$ . The bounds for  $u$  are  $u(0) = 1$  and  $u(\pi/2) = 0$ . Therefore, we have

$$\begin{aligned}\oint_{C_1} y^2 dx &= -a^3 \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin(\theta)(1 - \cos^2(\theta)) d\theta \\ &= -a^3 \int_1^0 1 - u^2 du \\ &= -a^3 \left( u - \frac{u^3}{3} \Big|_1^0 \right) \\ &= -a^3 \left( 0 - \frac{0^3}{3} - 1 + \frac{1^3}{3} \right) \\ &= -a^3 \left( -\frac{1}{3} \right) = \frac{a^3}{3}.\end{aligned}$$

Therefore, the center for the  $y$ -coordinate is

$$\bar{y} = -\frac{1}{2A} \oint_C y^2 dx = -\frac{1}{2 \cdot \pi a^2/4} \cdot \left( -\frac{a^3}{3} \right) = \frac{4a}{3\pi}.$$

Therefore, the centroid of the quarter circular region  $D$  is

$$\left( \frac{4a}{3\pi}, \frac{4a}{3\pi} \right).$$

□

**Problem 3.** Find parametric equations and the parameter domain that define the following surfaces. Then use the parametric equations to find the surface area of the surfaces.

Note: All steps used for computing the normal vector must be included.

- (i) The portion of the sphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 4$  between the planes  $z = -1$  and  $z = \sqrt{3}$ .
- (ii) The portion of the paraboloid  $x = y^2 + z^2$  that lies inside the cylinder  $y^2 + z^2 = 16$ .
- (iii) The portion of the cylinder  $x^2 + z^2 = 4$  that is above  $z = 0$  and inside the cylinder  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ .

*Solution to (i).* The equation has a radius of  $r = 2$  centered at the origin and the given constraints are  $z = -1$  and  $z = \sqrt{3}$ , which define a spherical cap. Using spherical coordinates, we have

$$x = 2 \sin(\theta) \cos(\varphi), \quad y = 2 \sin(\theta) \sin(\varphi), \quad \text{and} \quad z = 2 \cos(\theta).$$

From  $z = 2 \cos(\theta)$ , we set bounds for  $\theta$  using

$$\begin{aligned}-1 &= 2 \cos(\theta) \Rightarrow \cos(\theta) = -\frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{2\pi}{3} \\ \sqrt{3} &= 2 \cos(\theta) \Rightarrow \cos(\theta) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{6}.\end{aligned}$$

Thus, we get the bounds  $\pi/6 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi/3$  and  $0 \leq \varphi \leq 2\pi$ .

We know that

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{r}_\theta &= \left\langle \frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta}, \frac{\partial y}{\partial \theta}, \frac{\partial z}{\partial \theta} \right\rangle = \langle 2 \cos(\theta) \cos(\varphi), 2 \cos(\theta) \sin(\varphi), -2 \sin(\theta) \rangle \\ \mathbf{r}_\varphi &= \left\langle \frac{\partial x}{\partial \varphi}, \frac{\partial y}{\partial \varphi}, \frac{\partial z}{\partial \varphi} \right\rangle = \langle -2 \sin(\theta) \sin(\varphi), 2 \sin(\theta) \cos(\varphi), 0 \rangle.\end{aligned}$$

The normal vector is

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{N} = \mathbf{r}_\theta \times \mathbf{r}_\varphi &= \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ 2 \cos(\theta) \cos(\varphi) & 2 \cos(\theta) \sin(\varphi) & -2 \sin(\theta) \\ -2 \sin(\theta) \sin(\varphi) & 2 \sin(\theta) \cos(\varphi) & 0 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \langle (2 \cos(\theta) \sin(\varphi))(0) - (-2 \sin(\theta))(2 \sin(\theta) \cos(\varphi)), \\ &\quad - [(2 \cos(\theta) \cos(\varphi))(0) - (-2 \sin(\theta))(-2 \sin(\theta) \sin(\varphi))], \\ &\quad (2 \cos(\theta) \cos(\varphi))(2 \sin(\theta) \cos(\varphi)) - (2 \cos(\theta) \sin(\varphi))(-2 \sin(\theta) \sin(\varphi)) \rangle \\ &= \langle 4 \sin^2(\theta) \cos(\varphi), 4 \sin^2(\theta) \sin(\varphi), 4 \cos(\theta) \sin(\theta) \cos^2(\varphi) + 4 \cos(\theta) \sin(\theta) \sin^2(\varphi) \rangle.\end{aligned}$$

The magnitude of the normal vector is

$$\begin{aligned}|\mathbf{r}_\theta \times \mathbf{r}_\varphi| &= \sqrt{(4 \sin^2(\theta) \cos(\varphi))^2 + (4 \sin^2(\theta) \sin(\varphi))^2 + (4 \cos(\theta) \sin(\theta) \cos^2(\varphi) + 4 \cos(\theta) \sin(\theta) \sin^2(\varphi))^2} \\ &= \sqrt{16 \sin^4(\theta) \cos^2(\varphi) + 16 \sin^4(\theta) \sin^2(\varphi) + 16 \cos^2(\theta) \sin^2(\theta)} \\ &= 4 \sqrt{\sin^2(\theta) (\sin^2(\theta) \cos^2(\varphi) + \sin^2(\theta) \sin^2(\varphi) + \cos^2(\theta))} \\ &= 4 \sin(\theta) \sqrt{\sin^2(\theta) \cos^2(\varphi) + \sin^2(\theta) \sin^2(\varphi) + \cos^2(\theta)} \\ &= 4 \sin(\theta) \sqrt{\sin^2(\theta) (\cos^2(\varphi) + \sin^2(\varphi)) + \cos^2(\theta)} \\ &= 4 \sin(\theta) \sqrt{\sin^2(\theta) + \cos^2(\theta)} \\ &= 4 \sin(\theta).\end{aligned}$$

Therefore, the surface area element is

$$dS = |\mathbf{r}_\theta \times \mathbf{r}_\varphi| dA = 4 \sin(\theta) d\theta d\varphi.$$

The surface area integral is

$$\begin{aligned}A &= \int_{\pi/6}^{2\pi/3} \int_0^{2\pi} 4 \sin(\theta) d\theta d\varphi \\ &= 4 \int_{\pi/6}^{2\pi/3} \sin(\theta) d\theta \int_0^{2\pi} d\varphi \\ &= -8\pi \cos(\theta) \Big|_{\pi/6}^{2\pi/3} \\ &= -8\pi \left( \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}\right) - \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) \right) \\ &= -8\pi \left( -\frac{1}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right) \\ &= 4\pi + 4\sqrt{3}\pi.\end{aligned}$$

□



*Solution to (ii).* Using cylindrical coordinates, we have

$$x = r^2, \quad y = r \cos(\theta), \quad \text{and} \quad z = r \sin(\theta),$$

we get the parametric equation for the surface area as

$$\mathbf{r} = \langle r^2, r \cos(\theta), r \sin(\theta) \rangle.$$

The bounds for  $r$  are  $0 \leq r \leq 4$  and  $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$ .

We know that

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{r}_r &= \left\langle \frac{\partial x}{\partial r}, \frac{\partial y}{\partial r}, \frac{\partial z}{\partial r} \right\rangle = \langle 2r, \cos(\theta), \sin(\theta) \rangle \\ \mathbf{r}_\theta &= \left\langle \frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta}, \frac{\partial y}{\partial \theta}, \frac{\partial z}{\partial \theta} \right\rangle = \langle 0, -r \sin(\theta), r \cos(\theta) \rangle. \end{aligned}$$

The normal vector is

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{N} = \mathbf{r}_r \times \mathbf{r}_\theta &= \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ 2r & \cos(\theta) & \sin(\theta) \\ 0 & -r \sin(\theta) & r \cos(\theta) \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \langle (\cos(\theta))(r \cos(\theta)) - (\sin(\theta))(-r \sin(\theta)), -[(2r)(r \cos(\theta)) - (\sin(\theta))(0)], 2r(-r \sin(\theta)) - (\sin(\theta))(0) \rangle \\ &= \langle r \cos^2(\theta) + r \sin^2(\theta), -2r^2 \cos(\theta), 2r^2 \sin(\theta) \rangle \\ &= \langle r, -2r^2 \cos(\theta), 2r^2 \sin(\theta) \rangle \end{aligned}$$

The magnitude of the normal vector is

$$\begin{aligned} |\mathbf{r}_r \times \mathbf{r}_\theta| &= \sqrt{r^2 + 4r^4 \cos^2(\theta) + 4r^4 \sin^2(\theta)} \\ &= \sqrt{r^2 + 4r^4} = r\sqrt{1 + 4r^2}. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, the surface area element is

$$dS = |\mathbf{r}_r \times \mathbf{r}_\theta| dA = r\sqrt{1 + 4r^2} dr d\theta.$$

The surface area integral is

$$A = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^4 r\sqrt{1 + 4r^2} dr d\theta.$$

Let  $u = 1 + 4r^2$ , then  $du = 8r dr$ . The bounds for  $u$  are  $u(0) = 1$  and  $u(4) = 65$ . Therefore, we have

$$\begin{aligned} A &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_1^{65} \frac{1}{8} \sqrt{u} du d\theta \\ &= \frac{1}{8} \left( \frac{2}{3} u \sqrt{u} \Big|_1^{65} \right) \cdot 2\pi \\ &= \frac{1}{6} (65\sqrt{65} - 1) \pi. \end{aligned}$$

□

*Solution to (iii).* Using cylindrical coordinates, we have

$$x = 2 \cos(\theta), \quad y = y, \quad \text{and} \quad z = 2 \sin(\theta),$$

where  $r = 2$ . Therefore, we get the parametric equation for the surface area as  $\mathbf{r} = \langle 2 \cos(\theta), y, 2 \sin(\theta) \rangle$ . The bounds for  $\theta$  are  $0 \leq \theta \leq \pi$  and  $0 \leq y \leq 2$ . Since  $x = 2 \cos(\theta)$  and  $4 \cos^2(\theta) + y^2 \leq 4$ , we have

$$y^2 \leq 4 - 4 \cos^2(\theta) = 4 \sin^2(\theta).$$

Therefore, the bounds for  $y$  are  $-2|\sin(\theta)| \leq y \leq 2|\sin(\theta)|$ .

We know that

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{r}_\theta &= \left\langle \frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta}, \frac{\partial y}{\partial \theta}, \frac{\partial z}{\partial \theta} \right\rangle = \langle -2 \sin(\theta), 0, 2 \cos(\theta) \rangle \\ \mathbf{r}_y &= \left\langle \frac{\partial x}{\partial y}, \frac{\partial y}{\partial y}, \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \right\rangle = \langle 0, 1, 0 \rangle.\end{aligned}$$

The normal vector is

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{N} = \mathbf{r}_\theta \times \mathbf{r}_y &= \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ -2 \sin(\theta) & 0 & 2 \cos(\theta) \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \langle -2 \cos(\theta), 0, -2 \sin(\theta) \rangle.\end{aligned}$$

The magnitude of the normal vector is

$$|\mathbf{r}_\theta \times \mathbf{r}_y| = \sqrt{4 \cos^2(\theta) + 4 \sin^2(\theta)} = 2.$$

Therefore, the surface area element is

$$dS = |\mathbf{r}_\theta \times \mathbf{r}_y| dA = 2 dy d\theta.$$

The surface area integral is

$$\begin{aligned}A &= \int_0^\pi \int_{-2|\sin(\theta)|}^{2|\sin(\theta)|} 2 dy d\theta \\ &= \int_0^\pi 2 \cdot 4|\sin(\theta)| d\theta \\ &= -8 \cos(\theta) \Big|_0^\pi = 16.\end{aligned}$$

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