

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) $\mathbf{F} = \langle xy^2 + 4xy, 2y + x^2 \rangle$ 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.

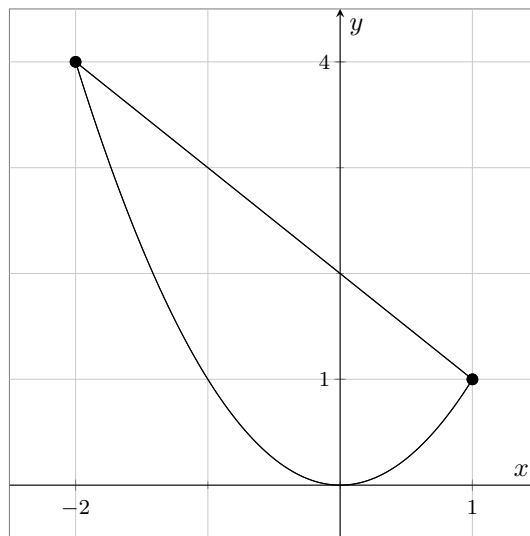


Figure 1: Region D for Problem 1(i)

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

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

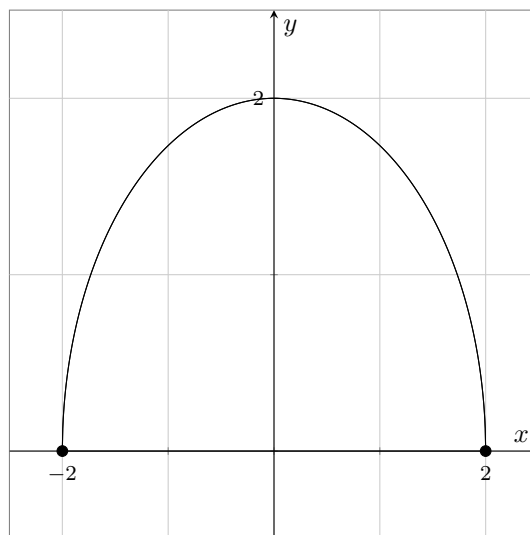
Finding the equation of the line segment from $(1, 1)$ to $(-2, 4)$, we have $y = -x + 2$. Therefore, we get the bounds for x as $-2 \leq x \leq 1$ and $x^2 \leq y \leq -x + 2$. Therefore, we have

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

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \int_{-2}^1 [x^3 - 2x^2] - [x^5 - 2x^3] \, dx \\
&= \int_{-2}^1 -x^5 + 3x^3 - 2x^2 \, dx \\
&= -\frac{x^6}{6} + \frac{3x^4}{4} - \frac{2x^3}{3} \Big|_{-2}^1 \\
&= \left[-\frac{(1)^6}{6} + \frac{3(1)^4}{4} - \frac{2(1)^3}{3} \right] - \left[-\frac{(-2)^6}{6} + \frac{3(-2)^4}{4} - \frac{2(-2)^3}{3} \right] \\
&= -\frac{27}{4}.
\end{aligned}$$

□

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

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

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

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

$$= \left(-4 \cdot \frac{32}{5}\right) \cdot \int_0^\pi \sin(\theta)(1 - \cos^2(\theta)) d\theta.$$

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

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

Problem 2. If a closed and bounded region, D , has a constant density, ρ , 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.

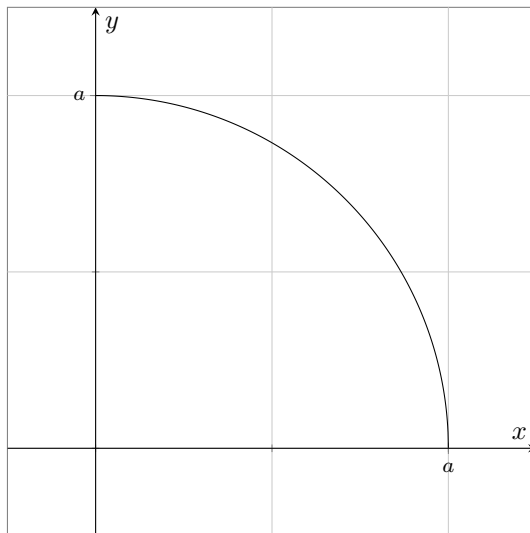


Figure 3: Region D for Problem 2(ii)

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

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

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 θ 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

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

The magnitude of the normal vector is

$$\begin{aligned} |\mathbf{r}_r \times \mathbf{r}_\theta| &= \sqrt{r^2 + 4r^2 \cos^2(\theta) + 4r^2 \sin^2(\theta)} \\ &= \sqrt{r^2 + 4r^2} = \sqrt{5r^2} = r\sqrt{5}. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, the surface area element is

$$dS = |\mathbf{r}_r \times \mathbf{r}_\theta| dA = r\sqrt{5} dr d\theta.$$

The surface area integral is

$$\begin{aligned} A &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^4 r\sqrt{5} dr d\theta \\ &= \sqrt{5} \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta \cdot \int_0^4 r dr \\ &= 2\pi\sqrt{5} \cdot \frac{4^2}{2} = 16\pi\sqrt{5}. \end{aligned}$$

□

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 y are $0 \leq y \leq 2$ and $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$.

We know that

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

The normal vector is

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

The magnitude of the normal vector is

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

Therefore, the surface area element is

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

The surface area integral is

$$\begin{aligned}A &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 2 dy d\theta \\ &= 2 \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta \cdot \int_0^2 dy \\ &= 4\pi \cdot 2 = 8\pi.\end{aligned}$$

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