

# 14-5 Triple Integrals in Rectangular Coordinates

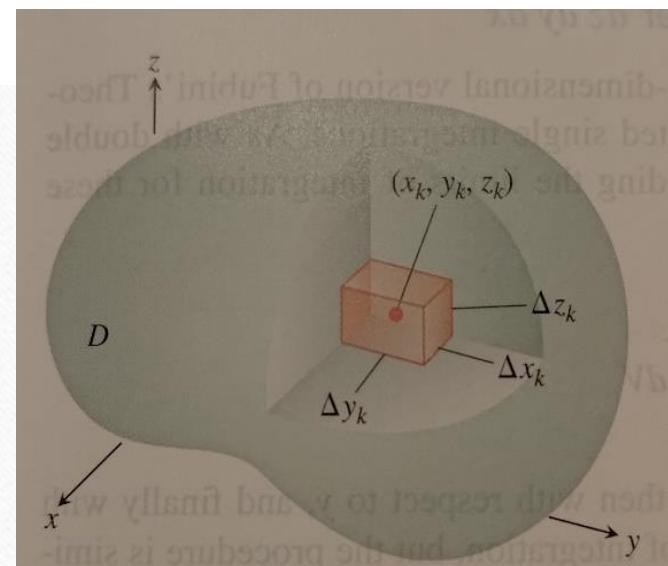
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## Triple Integrals

Let  $F(x, y, z)$  be defined on a closed bounded region  $D$  in space. We partition a rectangular boxlike region containing  $D$  into rectangular cells by planes parallel to the coordinate axes. The volume of  $k$ th cell is

$$\Delta V_k = \Delta x_k \Delta y_k \Delta z_k.$$



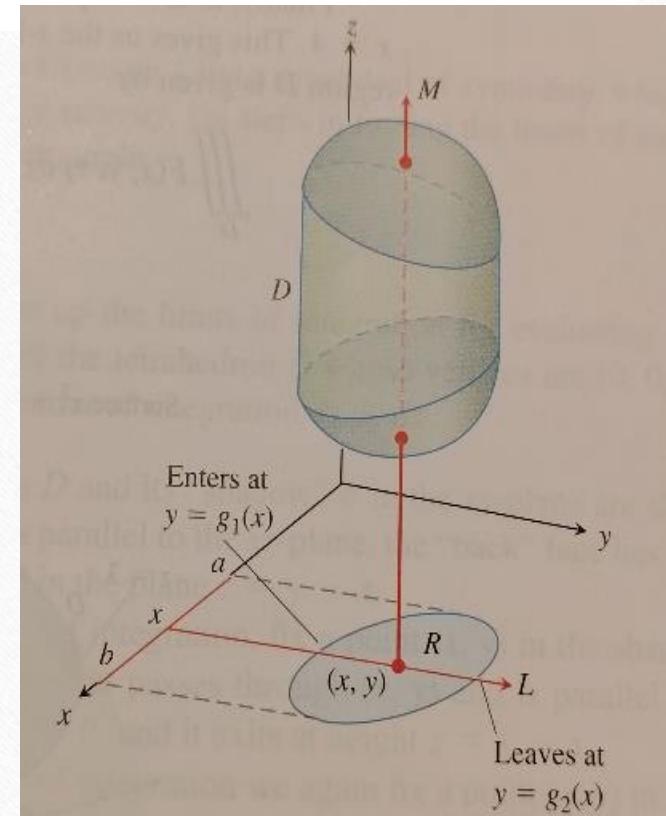
Riemann sum  $S_n = \sum_{k=1}^n F(x_k, y_k, z_k) \Delta V_k$ . Let  $\|P\|$  be the largest value among  $\Delta x_k, \Delta y_k, \Delta z_k$ . As  $\|P\| \rightarrow 0$  and the number of cells  $n$  goes to  $\infty$ , the sums  $S_n$  approach a limit. We call the limit the **triple integral of  $F$  over  $D$**  and write

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_n = \iiint_D F(x, y, z) dV \quad \text{or} \quad \lim_{\|P\| \rightarrow 0} S_n = \iiint_D F(x, y, z) dx dy dz.$$

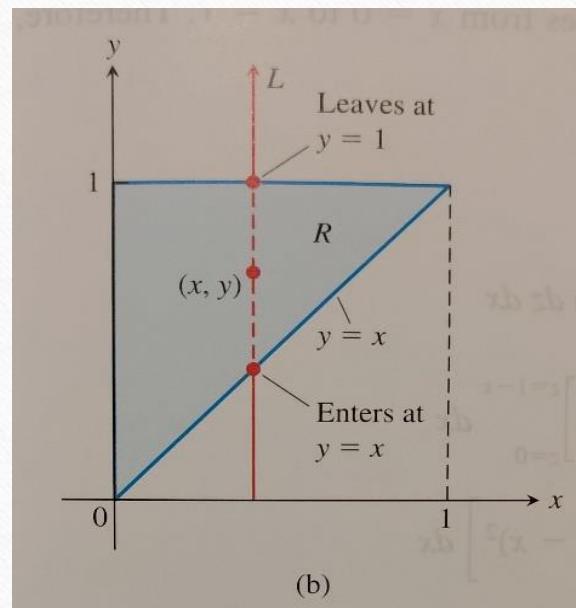
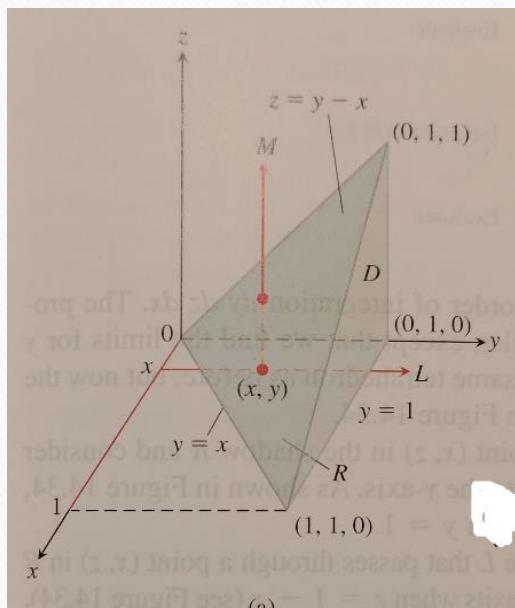
**Definition** The volume of a closed, bounded region  $D$  in space is  $V = \iiint_D dV$ .

### Finding Limits of Integration in the Order $dz\,dy\,dx$

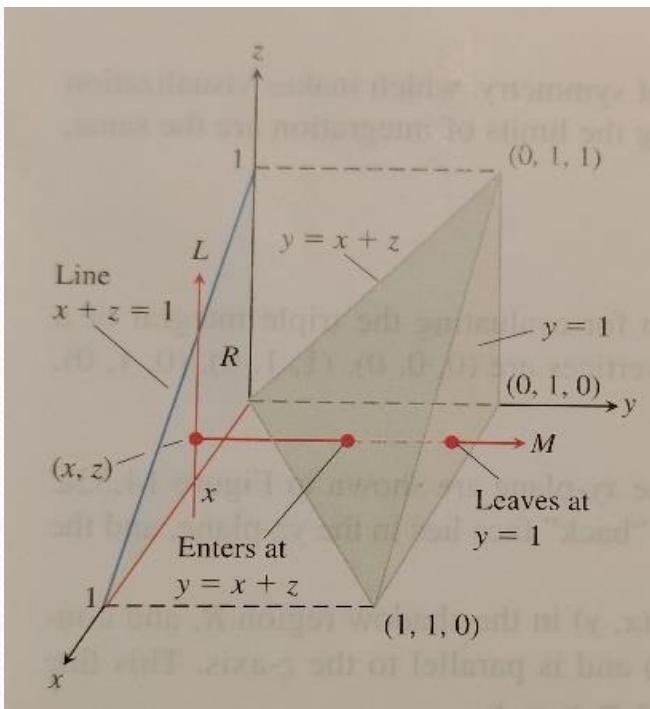
$$\int_{x=a}^{x=b} \int_{y=g_1(x)}^{y=g_2(x)} \int_{z=f_1(x,y)}^{z=f_2(x,y)} F(x, y, z) dz dy dx$$



Ex2(p825) Set up the limits of integration for evaluating the triple integral of a function  $F(x, y, z)$  over the tetrahedron  $D$  whose vertices are  $(0, 0, 0), (1, 1, 0), (0, 1, 0), (0, 1, 1)$ . Use the order of integration  $dz dy dx$ .



Ex3(p826) Find the volume of the tetrahedron  $D$  from Example 2 by integrating  $F(x, y, z) = 1$  over the region using the order  $dz dy dx$ . Then do the same calculation using the order  $dy dz dx$ .



Ex4(p827) Find the volume of the region  $D$  enclosed by the surface  
 $z = x^2 + 3y^2$  and  $z = 8 - x^2 - y^2$ .

**Average value of  $F$  over  $D$**  =  $\frac{1}{\text{volume of } D} \iiint_D F dV$ .

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