

THEREFORE WE CAN DESCRIBE WHAT WE JUST DID AS:

$$\text{TOTAL DISTANCE} = \sum_{i=1}^4 (\text{MEAN VELOCITY}_i) \cdot (0.5 \text{ SECONDS})$$

THE ANALOGY IS:

$$\begin{array}{c} \Delta t \\ \rightarrow dt \end{array}$$

$$\Delta X = \text{TOTAL DISTANCE} = \int V(t) \cdot dt$$

ALLOW VELOCITY TO BE A FUNCTION OF TIME.

CAN ALSO BE THOUGHT OF AS

$$\int \frac{dx}{dt} \cdot dt = \int dx$$

IN PHYSICS THERE IS A CALCULUS RELATION AMONGST POSITION, VELOCITY, AND ACCELERATION.

THE FOLLOWING IS TRUE:

$$V = \frac{dx}{dt}$$

$$A = \frac{dv}{dt} = \frac{d^2x}{dt^2}$$

$$\text{TOTAL DISTANCE} = \sum (\Delta x)$$

INTUITIVE!

= SUM OF ALL SMALLER DISTANCES

(*)

VELOCITY IS THE FIRST DERIVATIVE OF POSITION

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ACCEL. IS THE FIRST DERIV OF VELOCITY
 " " " " 2ND " " " " POSITION

THESE RELATIONS INVOLVING DERIVATIVES, ALSO IMPLY
CALCULUS RELATIONS INVOLVING ANTI-DERIVATIVES
(ie INTEGRALS) THATS,

LOOK @ $V = \frac{dx}{dt}$ (WE'LL ALLOW V TO BE
A FUNCTION OF t , ie. $V(t)$.)

$$\Rightarrow V(t) \cdot dt = dx$$

$$\Rightarrow \int V(t) \cdot dt = \int dx \approx \sum \Delta x = \text{TOTAL DISTANCE TRAVELED (NET CHANGE IN X)}$$

"TOTAL DISTANCE" IS THE INTEGRAL OF VELOCITY

Also From $A = \frac{dv}{dt}$

$$\int_{t_1}^{t_2} A(t) \cdot dt = \int dv = \sum(\Delta v) = \text{NET CHANGE IN VELOCITY FROM } t_1 \text{ TO } t_2$$



THE DERIVATIVE \leftrightarrow ANTI-DERIVATIVE
(ie INTEGRALS)

CONCEPTS OF CALCULUS ARE EASILY
DEMONSTRATED FOR PHYSICS, IN THE
FORM OF A TABLE...



TABLE 1

DESCRIBING POSITION (3-D) AND TIME IN A CALCULUS MANNER.

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	WRITE AS A DERIVATIVE	"BASE CASE"	WRITE AS AN INTEGRAL
X	$X = \frac{d}{dt} \int x dt$	$X = X$	$X = \int v dt = \int dx$
V	$V = \frac{dx}{dt}$	$V = V$	$V = \int A dt = \int dv$
A	$A = \frac{dv}{dt} = \frac{d^2x}{dt^2}$	$A = A$	$A = \int J dt = \int dA$
Jerk $= J$	$J = \frac{dA}{dt} = \frac{d^3x}{dt^3}$	ETC...	
SNAP CRACKLE POP ↓	$\frac{d}{dt} \int J dt$	$\frac{d}{dt} \int J dt$	$\frac{d}{dt} \int J dt$

SO FOCUS ON X FOR A MOMENT: 2 MAIN RELATIONS ARE IMPORTANT

$$V = \frac{dx}{dt}$$

↑
VELOCITY -

$$\text{THUS } \Delta X = \int V \cdot dt$$

↑
DISTANCE TRAVELLED



RELATION BETWEEN 2 & 3-DIM'S
w/ CALCULUS:

CONSIDER A CIRCLE (A 2-DIM "BALL")

WE KNOW ...

$$\text{AREA} = \pi R^2$$

$$\text{CIRCUM} = \pi \cdot \text{DIAM}$$

$$= 2 \cdot \pi \cdot R$$

NOTICE:

$$\frac{d}{dR} \text{AREA} = \text{CIRCUM}$$

$$\frac{d}{dR} \pi R^2 = 2\pi R$$

FOR A "3-D CIRCLE" (ie A SPHERE, A
"BALL" IF YOU WILL) IT IS TRUE THAT:

FACT VOLUME = $\frac{4}{3} \pi R^3$ R = RADIUS

SURFACE AREA = $4 \pi R^2$

THUS

$$\frac{d}{dR} \text{VOLUME} = \text{SURFACE AREA}$$

COMPARE TO:

↗ 3-DIM

↖ 2-DIM

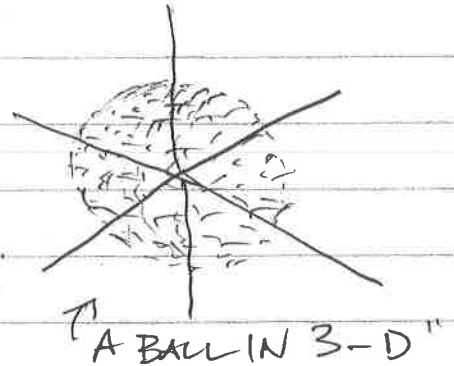
$$\frac{d}{dR} \text{AREA} = \text{CIRCUM.}$$

SINCE

$$\frac{d \text{VOLUME}}{dR} = \text{SURFACE AREA}$$

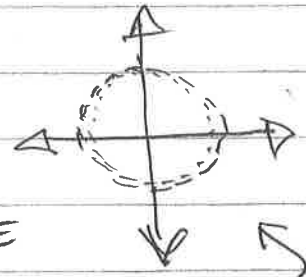
THIS IMPLIES:

$$(3-D) \quad \text{VOLUME} = \int \text{SURF AREA}$$



$$(2-D) \quad \text{AREA} = \int \text{CIRCUM.}$$

(2-D) \Rightarrow
A PLOT OF THE
X-Y POINTS ON THE
CIRCUMFERENCE



WHAT MIGHT WE CARE ABOUT
IN FINANCE? (NOT PHYSICS)

- THINGS LIKE
- EXPECTED RATES OF RETURN
 - EXPECTED VARIANCES OF RETURNS
 - BASIC PRESENT VALUE, (AND VAR-COV MATRICES)
 - ESTIMATION OF REGRESSION "BETAS"

- SIMPLIFYING DIFFICULT EQUATIONS
(IE TAYLOR SERIES)

ALL THESE THINGS
BECOME MORE POWERFUL
ONCE YOU CAN WRITE THEM
IN A CALCULUS MANNER.

- "DIAGNOSTICS" & PRICING OF DERIVATIVE FINANCIAL SECURITIES (eg OPTIONS/SWAPS) FUTURES



EXPECTED RETURNS:

IMPORTANT
CONCEPT!

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↑ THIS RELATES TO CALCULUS VIA

FACT: $E[f(x)] = \int f(x) \cdot \text{pdf}(x) \cdot dx$

NOTE IF $f(x) = x$
THEN
 $E[x] = \int x \cdot \text{pdf}(x) \cdot dx$

PROBABILITY
DISTRIBUTION
FUNCTION FOR

x

↑ EXPECTED "RETURNS" ($w(x=r)$)

WE'LL OFTEN ASSUME THE pdf FOR
RETURNS IS NORMAL. THE NORMAL pdf
HAS TERMS THAT LOOK LIKE

$$e^{-\frac{1}{2} z^2}$$



$$w(z) = \frac{x - \bar{x}}{\sigma}$$

↑
THE "Z-STAT"
FROM HYPOTHESIS
TESTING ETC.

THIS WE NEED TO
EVALUATE INTEGRALS THAT
LOOK SOMETHING LIKE

$$\int r \cdot e^{-\frac{1}{2} r^2} dr$$

BY THE WAY
WHICH IS NOT OF THE FORM $\int r \cdot e^{A \cdot r} dr$
(SO INT-BY-PARTS IS NOT OF USE HERE)
BUT INT-BY-SUB IS OF HELP.

WE WRITE:

$$E[r] = \int r \cdot \text{pdf}(r) \cdot dr$$



WE ALSO CARE ABOUT VARIANCE (TOTAL RISK)
VARIANCE CAN BE CALCULATED A
FEW DIFFERENT WAYS.

MOST COMMON:

$$\text{VAR}(X) = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^N (x_i - \bar{x})^2}{N-1}$$

BUT VARIANCE CAN ALSO BE WRITTEN
IN TERMS OF "EXPECTED VALUES" (OF X
AND X^2).

MATH FACT:

$$\text{VAR}(X) = E[X^2] - (E[X])^2$$

IF THE RANDOM VARIABLE IS ALREADY
DE-MEANED (i.e. HAS MEAN = ZERO) THEN
THE TERM $(E[X])^2$ IS ZERO AND
THE $\text{VAR}(X)$ IS SIMPLY $E[X^2]$. THIS
MEANS WE CARE ABOUT INTERGALS SUCH
AS

$$E[X^2] = \int x^2 \cdot \text{pdf}(x) \cdot dx$$



VALUATION & CALCULUS:

$$PV = \sum PV(\text{INDIVIDUAL CF'S})$$

$$= \sum PV(R(t))$$



w/ $R(t)$ A FUNCTION THAT

NOTES THE TOTAL FLOW
OF MONEY (IGNORING DISCOUNTING)
 $IS = \sum R(t)$

DESCRIBES HOW MONEY
ENTERS THE ACCOUNT.

IT MAY BE DISCRETELY
(IE IN "CHUNKS", OR CONTINUOUSLY
LIKE A FLOW OF LIQUID)

• DISCRETE EXAMPLES

$$R(t) = \$10 @ t=1, 2, 3$$

$$= \$0 \text{ OTHERWISE}$$

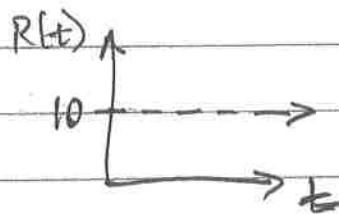
THEN

$$PV = PV(\$10 @ t=1) + PV(\$10 @ t=2) +$$

$$+ PV(\$10 @ t=3)$$

• CONTINUOUS EXAMPLE

$$R(t) = \$10/\text{min}$$



← FLOWING IN
CONTINUOUSLY
(AND AT A
CONSTANT RATE)

$$PV = \sum PV(R(t) \cdot \Delta t)$$

$$= \int e^{-r \cdot t} \cdot R(t) \cdot dt$$

NOTE

IN BOTH EXAMPLES, \$30 IN TOTAL FLOWS INTO THE ACCOUNT, BUT THE CONT. COMPOUNDED (i.e. CONTINUOUS FLOW) CASE WILL BE MORE VALUABLE SINCE IT PROVIDES THE \$30 FASTER.

THUS, PV INVOLVES INTEGRALS, AND IS QUITE HELPFUL IF WE HAVE THE RATE OF FLOW (OF MONEY) VARYING IN SOME DYNAMIC WAY. — IN WHICH CASE WE CAN WRITE $R(t)$ IN A "DYNAMIC MANNER"

eg.

$$R(t) \equiv \begin{cases} = \frac{3}{2}\pi \cdot t^2 \text{ /YR} & 0 \leq t < 5 \\ = \$0 \text{ /YR} & \text{— IF — } 5 \leq t < 8 \\ = \$10 \text{ /YR} & \text{— IF — } 8 \leq t \end{cases}$$

UNITS: DOLLARS PER YEAR

Q: IGNORING PV ISSUES, HOW MUCH ^{TOTAL} MONEY FLOWS INTO THE ACCT IN THE FIRST 4.5 YEARS?

$$\text{QUANTITY} = \int \text{RATE} \cdot dt$$

$$\$ \text{TOTAL AMOUNT} = \int_0^{4.5} \frac{3}{2}\pi \cdot t^2 \cdot dt$$

✓ EASY TO EVALUATE

EX#2

FIND PV OF ALL MONEY FLOWING FROM
 $t=1.5$ TO $t=9.5$

$$PV = \int_{1.5}^5 e^{-r \cdot t} \cdot \left(\frac{3}{2}\pi\right) \cdot t^2 \cdot dt + 0 + \int_8^{9.5} e^{-r \cdot t} \cdot 10 \cdot dt$$

= PV OF THE
 MONEY FLOW OCCURRING FROM
 $t=1.5$ TO $t=5.0$

PV OF THE
 MONEY FLOWING FROM
 $t=8$ TO $t=9.5$

INT-BY-PARTS, TWICE.

EASY TO EVALUATE
 THIS INTEGRAL



(ie APPROXIMATIONS)
 ✓ OF FUNCTIONS

TAYLOR SERIES EXPANSIONS ALSO REQUIRES
 CALCULUS...

3RD ORDER
 EX

A TAYLOR SERIES EXPANSION OF A FUNCTION, $f(x)$
 AROUND A POINT $x=x_0$ IS WRITTEN AS:

$$f(x) = f(x_0) + \left. \frac{df}{dx} \right|_{x_0} \cdot (x-x_0)^1 + \frac{1}{2!} \left. \frac{d^2f}{dx^2} \right|_{x_0} \cdot (x-x_0)^2 +$$

REQUIRES
 CALC!

$$+ \frac{1}{3!} \left. \frac{d^3f}{dx^3} \right|_{x_0} \cdot (x-x_0)^3$$

• CALCULUS AND OPTIONS/FUTURES/SWAPS

↳ MANY PARTIAL DERIVATIVES OF B-SCHOLES ARE OF INTEREST

B-SCHOLES ITSELF IS A SOLUTION TO ANOTHER EQUATION WHICH IS WRITTEN IN A CALCULUS (i.e. DIFFERENTIAL CALCULUS) MANNER. THE EQN IS KNOWN AS A "DIFFERENTIAL EQN" (IT DESCRIBES HOW MONEY IN A NO-ARBITRAGE WORLD MUST FLOW)

↳ FLOW RATES... CALCULUS...

THE SOLUTION TO THE DIFFERENTIAL EQUATION IS BLACK SCHOLES.

(1973 - MIT)

ALSO NOTICE THAT A LOT OF DERIVATIVE SECURITY PRICING IS VERY MATHEMATICALLY INVOLVED...

BUT EVEN THOUGH WE MAY NOT ^{THEORETICALLY} PRICE DERIVATES IN OUR DAILY LIVES (RATHER WE "LOOK-UP" PRICES IN THE WSJ) - WE STILL WANT TO UNDERSTAND HOW OPTION PRICES VARY WHEN INPUT VARIABLES CHANGE

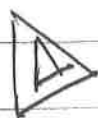
⇒ PARTIAL DERIVATIVES,

▷ EXPECTED VALUES WHEN THERE ARE MORE THAN 1 INPUT (X) TO THE FUNCTION f :

ASSUME $\begin{matrix} X \\ Y \end{matrix} \rightarrow f(x, y)$ THAT IS, f DEPENDS UPON BOTH X AND Y

FACT:

$$E[f(x, y)] = \underbrace{\int \int}_{\text{DOUBLE INTEGRAL}} f(x, y) \cdot \underbrace{\text{pdf}(x, y)}_{\text{(NEEDED FOR 2 INPUTS X AND Y)}} dx \cdot dy$$



A QUICK OVERVIEW OF DOUBLE, TRIPPLE, (ETC) INTEGRALS. LET'S JUST DO ONE...

EX) $\int_{z_1}^{z_2} \int_{y_1}^{y_2} \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \pi x^2 y^3 z^4 dx dy dz$

DO INNER MOST INTEGRAL FIRST

$$\pi y^3 z^4 \int_{x_1}^{x_2} x^2 dx dy dz$$

↑
TREAT EVERYTHING NOT INVOLVING x AS A CONSTANT.

$$= \pi y^3 z^4 \int_{z_1}^{z_2} \int_{y_1}^{y_2} \frac{1}{3} x^3 dy dz$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{3} x^3 z^4 \int \int y^3 dy \cdot dz$$

EVALUATE THIS (TREAT x & z 's AS CONSTANTS)

$$= \frac{\pi}{3} x^3 z^4 \int_{z_1}^{z_2} \frac{1}{4} y^4 dz$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{12} x^3 y^4 \int z^4 dz = \frac{\pi}{12} x^3 y^4 \left(\frac{1}{5} z^5 \right)$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{60} x^3 y^4 z^5$$

TREAT x & y AS CONSTANTS.

THE ANSWER



THUS, ^{TAKING} PARTIAL DERIVATIVES IS SOMEWHAT SIMILAR TO TAKING MULTIPLE INTEGRALS (IN THAT YOU WORK w/ ONE VARIABLE AT A TIME AND TREAT ALL OTHERS AS CONSTANTS)