

Mathematical Analysis

Seminar 8

The Jacobian matrix and determinant. Let $h : \Delta \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow D \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$, $h(x) = (h_1(x), \dots, h_n(x))$ with all h_i admitting continuous partial derivative. Then, the Jacobian matrix of h is

$$J_h(x_1, \dots, x_n) = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial h_1}{\partial x_1}(x_1, \dots, x_n) & \dots & \frac{\partial h_1}{\partial x_n}(x_1, \dots, x_n) \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ \frac{\partial h_n}{\partial x_1}(x_1, \dots, x_n) & \dots & \frac{\partial h_n}{\partial x_n}(x_1, \dots, x_n) \end{pmatrix}.$$

The determinant of the Jacobian matrix plays a crucial role in

Theorem (Change of variables). Let $D, \Delta \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$ be two closed, bounded and Jordan measurable sets, while $M \subseteq \Delta$ is a set of zero Jordan measure. Also consider a map $h : \Delta \rightarrow D$ as above such that it is injective on $\Delta \setminus M$ and $\det J_h(x) \neq 0$ for all $x \in \Delta \setminus M$. If $f : D \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is continuous then

$$\int_D f(x) dx = \int_{\Delta} f(h(y)) \det J_h(y) dy.$$

1. Compute $I = \iint_D \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} dx dy$, where $D = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : 2x \leq x^2 + y^2 \leq 4x, y \geq 0\}$.
2. Compute $I = \iiint_D \frac{dx dy dz}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}}$, where $D = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 : 1 \leq x^2 + y^2 + z^2 \leq 4, z \geq 0\}$.
3. Find the volume of

$$D = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 : z \geq x^2 + y^2, (z - 2)^2 \geq x^2 + y^2, z \leq 2\}.$$

4. Compute $I = \iint_D \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} dx dy$, where D is delimited by

$$xy = 1, xy = 2, x^2 - y^2 = 1, x^2 - y^2 = 4.$$

[Hint: use the change of variables defined by $u = xy, v = x^2 - y^2$]