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Problem Set 7

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Problem 3:

First, we take a plane (u, v) where $0 < u < \sqrt{P(v/u)}$

This expression can be put in terms of v instead while $u \rightarrow 1$ since we care about the ratio between u and v anyway.

$$u = \sqrt{P(v/u)} = \sqrt{e^{-v/u}} = e^{-v/2u}$$

$$\ln u = \ln[e^{-v/2u}]$$

$$\ln u = -v/2u$$

$$-2u \ln u = v$$

$$\therefore 0 \leq v \leq -2u \ln u \text{ if } 0 \leq u \leq 1$$