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## 4. Multiple Integrals

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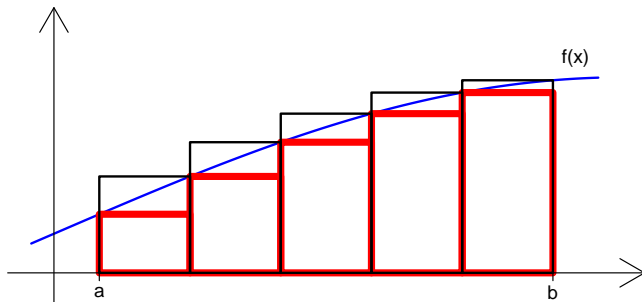
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# Double Integrals

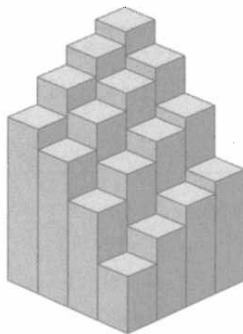
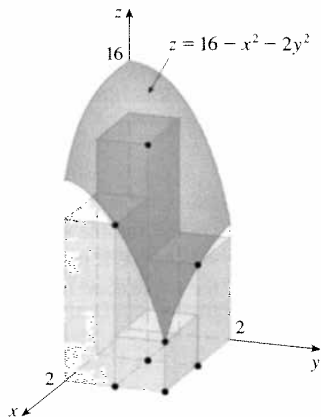
- Review of the definite integral of a single-variable function



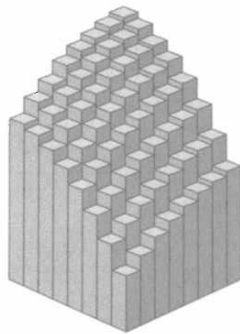
- $$\int_a^b f(x) dx = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} f(a + i\Delta x) \Delta x$$

$$\Delta x = \frac{b - a}{n}$$

# Double Integrals



(a)  $m = n = 4, V \approx 41.5$



(b)  $m = n = 8, V \approx 44.875$

$$\iint_{[0,2] \times [0,2]} f(x, y) dA = \lim_{m, n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^m \sum_{j=1}^n f(i\Delta x, j\Delta y) \Delta A$$

$$\Delta x = \frac{2 - 0}{m}$$

$$\Delta y = \frac{2 - 0}{n}$$

$$\Delta A = \Delta x \Delta y$$

# Double Integrals

- In general, double integral over a rectangle  $R = [a, b] \times [c, d]$

$$\iint_R f(x, y) dA = \lim_{m, n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^m \sum_{j=1}^n f(a + i\Delta x, c + j\Delta y) \Delta A$$

- If  $f(x, y) \geq 0 \quad \forall (x, y) \in R$ , then

$$V = \iint_R f(x, y) dA$$

is the volume of the region above  $R$  and below surface  $z = f(x, y)$

# Properties of Double Integrals

## Linearity Properties:

- $\iint_R [f(x, y) + g(x, y)] dA = \iint_R f(x, y) dA + \iint_R g(x, y) dA$
- $\iint_R cf(x, y) dA = c \iint_R f(x, y) dA$

## Comparison:

- If  $f(x, y) \geq g(x, y) \forall (x, y) \in R$  then

$$\iint_R f(x, y) dA \geq \iint_R g(x, y) dA$$

# Iterated Integrals

- Suppose  $f(x, y)$  is continuous on the rectangle  $R = [a, b] \times [c, d]$
- Partial integration: fix  $x$ , integrate  $f(x, y)$  as a function of  $y$  alone

$$A(x) = \int_c^d f(x, y) dy$$

- An iterated integral is the integral of  $A(x)$  wrt  $x$

$$\int_a^b A(x) dx = \int_a^b \left[ \int_c^d f(x, y) dy \right] dx$$

- Usually the brackets are omitted

$$\int_a^b \int_c^d f(x, y) dy dx = \int_a^b \left[ \int_c^d f(x, y) dy \right] dx$$

- Iterating the other way

$$\int_c^d \int_a^b f(x, y) dx dy = \int_c^d \left[ \int_a^b f(x, y) dx \right] dy$$



# Double Integrals vs. Iterated Integrals

## Big Question:

- What is the relationship between a double integral and an iterated integral?

$$\iint_R f(x, y) \, dA \quad \boxed{?} \quad \int_a^b \int_c^d f(x, y) \, dy \, dx$$

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# Fubini's Theorem

- If  $f(x, y)$  is continuous on the rectangle  $R = [a, b] \times [c, d]$  then

$$\iint_R f(x, y) \, dA = \int_a^b \int_c^d f(x, y) \, dy \, dx = \int_c^d \int_a^b f(x, y) \, dx \, dy$$

- The order of iteration does not matter

## Example

- Let  $R = [1, 3] \times [2, 5]$  and  $f(x, y) = 2y - 3x$ . Compute  $\iint_R f(x, y) dA$

$$\begin{aligned}\iint_R f(x, y) dA &= \int_2^5 \left[ \int_1^3 (2y - 3x) dx \right] dy \\&= \int_2^5 \left[ \left( 2xy - \frac{3}{2}x^2 \right) \Big|_1^3 \right] dy \\&= \int_2^5 \left[ \left( 6y - \frac{27}{2} \right) - \left( 2y - \frac{3}{2} \right) \right] dy \\&= \int_2^5 [4y - 12] dy \\&= \left[ 2y^2 - 12y \right] \Big|_2^5 \\&= [50 - 60] - [8 - 24] = 6\end{aligned}$$

## Example (continued)

$$\begin{aligned}\iint_R f(x, y) \, dA &= \int_1^3 \left[ \int_2^5 (2y - 3x) \, dy \right] dx \\&= \int_1^3 \left[ (y^2 - 3xy) \Big|_2^5 \right] dx \\&= \int_1^3 [(25 - 15x) - (4 - 6x)] \, dx \\&= \int_1^3 [21 - 9x] \, dx \\&= \left[ 21x - \frac{9}{2}x^2 \right] \Big|_1^3 \\&= \left[ 63 - \frac{81}{2} \right] - \left[ 21 - \frac{9}{2} \right] = 42 - 36 = 6\end{aligned}$$

# Double Integrals Non-Rectangular Regions

- If  $f(x, y)$  is continuous on a region  $D$  that can be described

$$D = \{(x, y) : a \leq x \leq b, \quad g_1(x) \leq y \leq g_2(x)\}$$

then

$$\iint_D f(x, y) \, dA = \int_a^b \int_{g_1(x)}^{g_2(x)} f(x, y) \, dy \, dx$$

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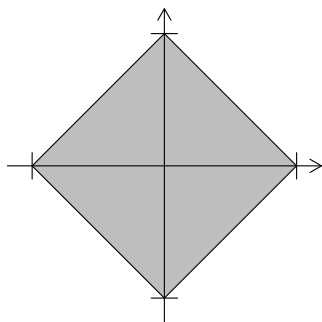
$$D = \{(x, y) : c \leq y \leq d, \quad h_1(y) \leq x \leq h_2(y)\}$$

then

$$\iint_D f(x, y) \, dA = \int_c^d \int_{h_1(y)}^{h_2(y)} f(x, y) \, dx \, dy$$

# Example

- Let  $D = \{(x, y) : |x| + |y| \leq 1\}$   
diamond w/ corners at  $(0, \pm 1)$  and  $(\pm 1, 0)$
- Compute the integral of  $f(x, y) = 1$  over  $D$



$$\iint_D 1 \, dA$$

$$= \int_{-1}^0 \left[ \int_{-1-x}^{1+x} 1 \, dy \right] dx + \int_0^1 \left[ \int_{x-1}^{1-x} 1 \, dy \right] dx$$

$$= \int_{-1}^0 \left[ y \Big|_{-1-x}^{1+x} \right] dx + \int_0^1 \left[ y \Big|_{x-1}^{1-x} \right] dx$$

## Example (continued)

$$\begin{aligned} &= \int_{-1}^0 \left[ [1 + x] - [-1 - x] \right] dx + \int_0^1 \left[ [1 - x] - [x - 1] \right] dx \\ &= \int_{-1}^0 [2 + 2x] dx + \int_0^1 [2 - 2x] dx \\ &= [2x + x^2] \Big|_{-1}^0 + [2x - x^2] \Big|_0^1 \\ &= \left[ [0 + 0] - [-2 + 1] \right] + \left[ [2 - 1] - [0 - 0] \right] \\ &= 1 + 1 \\ &= 2 \end{aligned}$$



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# Change of Variables: Single Variable Case

- Let  $f(x)$  be a continuous function
- Let  $g(s)$  be a continuously differentiable and invertible function
  - Implies  $g(s)$  either strictly increasing or strictly decreasing
- $g(s)$  maps the interval  $[c, d]$  into the interval  $[a, b]$ , i.e.,

$$s \in [c, d] \rightarrow x = g(s) \in [a, b]$$

- Integration by substitution says:

$$\int_{x=a}^{x=b} f(x) dx = \int_{s=g^{-1}(a)}^{s=g^{-1}(b)} f(g(s)) g'(s) ds$$

# Change of Variables: Functions of 2 Variables

- Let  $f(x, y)$  be a continuous function
- Want to compute:  $\iint_D f(x, y) dA$
- Let  $\Omega$  be a domain such that the mapping
  - $x = x(s, t)$
  - $y = y(s, t)$of a point  $(s, t) \in \Omega$  to a point  $(x, y) \in D$  is one-to-one and onto
  - $x(s, t)$  and  $y(s, t)$  continuously differentiable
- That is,

$$(s, t) \in \Omega \longleftrightarrow (x, y) = (x(s, t), y(s, t)) \in D$$

- Want to find a function  $h(s, t)$  such that

$$\iint_D f(x, y) dx dy = \iint_{\Omega} h(s, t) ds dt$$

# Change of Variables

- Get started

$$f(x, y) = f(x(s, t), y(s, t))$$

- In the single variable case, if  $x = g(s)$  then

$$dx = g'(s) ds$$

- In the 2-variable case,  $(x, y) = (x(s, t), y(s, t))$  is a vector-valued function of 2 variables
- The gradient of  $(x(s, t), y(s, t))$  is the  $2 \times 2$  array

$$D(x(s, t), y(s, t)) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial x}{\partial s} & \frac{\partial x}{\partial t} \\ \frac{\partial y}{\partial s} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial t} \end{bmatrix}$$

- The 2-variable equivalent of  $dx = g'(s) ds$  is

$$dx dy = \left| \left[ \frac{\partial x}{\partial s} \frac{\partial y}{\partial t} - \frac{\partial x}{\partial t} \frac{\partial y}{\partial s} \right] \right| ds dt$$

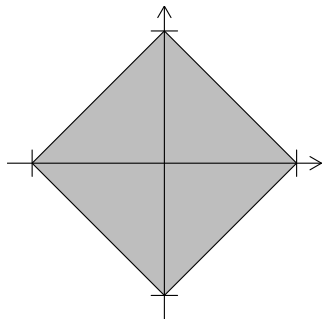
and the quantity in the square brackets is called the Jacobian

- 2 dimensional change of variables formula:

$$\iint_D f(x, y) dx dy = \iint_{\Omega} f(x(s, t), y(s, t)) \left| \frac{\partial x}{\partial s} \frac{\partial y}{\partial t} - \frac{\partial x}{\partial t} \frac{\partial y}{\partial s} \right| ds dt$$

# Example

- Example from previous section
- Let  $D = \{(x, y) : |x| + |y| \leq 1\}$   
diamond w/ corners at  $(0, \pm 1)$  and  $(\pm 1, 0)$
- Compute the integral of  $f(x, y) = 1$  over  $D$



$$\iint_D 1 \, dA = \int_{-1}^0 \left[ \int_{-1-x}^{1+x} 1 \, dy \right] dx + \int_0^1 \left[ \int_{x-1}^{1-x} 1 \, dy \right] dx$$

## Example (continued)

- Consider the change of variables:

$$s = x + y, \quad t = x - y$$

- Solve for  $x$  and  $y$  in terms of  $s$  and  $t$ :

$$x = \frac{s + t}{2}, \quad y = \frac{s - t}{2}$$

- Compute the partial derivatives of the change of variables:

$$\frac{\partial x}{\partial s} = \frac{1}{2}, \quad \frac{\partial x}{\partial t} = \frac{1}{2}, \quad \frac{\partial y}{\partial s} = \frac{1}{2}, \quad \frac{\partial y}{\partial t} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

- Compute the Jacobian:

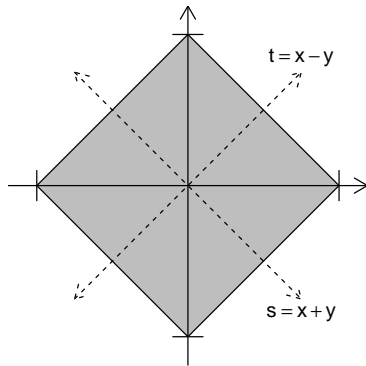
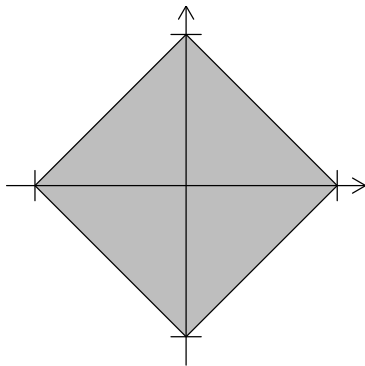
$$\frac{\partial x}{\partial s} \frac{\partial y}{\partial t} - \frac{\partial x}{\partial t} \frac{\partial y}{\partial s} = \frac{1}{2} \left( -\frac{1}{2} \right) - \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{2} = -\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{4} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

## Example (continued)

- Multivariate change of variables formula:

$$\iint_D 1 \, dx \, dy = \iint_{\Omega} 1 \left| \frac{\partial x}{\partial s} \frac{\partial y}{\partial t} - \frac{\partial x}{\partial t} \frac{\partial y}{\partial s} \right| ds \, dt = \iint_{\Omega} \frac{1}{2} ds \, dt$$

- Finally, domain of integration ( $\Omega$ ):





## Example (continued)

- Domain of integration:  $\Omega = [-1, 1] \times [-1, 1]$

$$\begin{aligned}\iint_D 1 \, dA &= \int_{-1}^0 \left[ \int_{-1-x}^{1+x} 1 \, dy \right] dx + \int_0^1 \left[ \int_{x-1}^{1-x} 1 \, dy \right] dx \\&= \iint_{\Omega} \frac{1}{2} \, ds \, dt \\&= \int_{t=-1}^{t=1} \left[ \int_{s=-1}^{s=1} \frac{1}{2} \, ds \right] dt \\&= \int_{t=-1}^{t=1} \left[ \left. \frac{s}{2} \right|_{s=-1}^{s=1} \right] dt \\&= \int_{t=-1}^{t=1} 1 \, dt \\&= 2\end{aligned}$$

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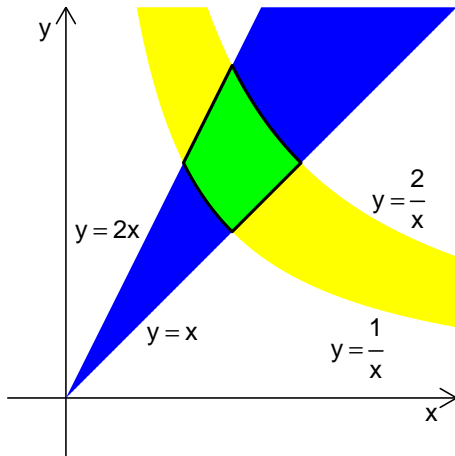
# Change of Variables Example

- Evaluate  $\iint_D x \, dx \, dy$  where

$$D = \left\{ (x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : x \geq 0, \right. \\ \left. 1 \leq xy \leq 2, \right. \\ \left. 1 \leq \frac{y}{x} \leq 2 \right\}$$

- Can assume  $x > 0$

$$D = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{1}{x} \leq y \leq \frac{2}{x} \\ x \leq y \leq 2x \end{array} \right.$$



$$\iint_D x \, dx \, dy = \int_{\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}}^1 \int_{\frac{1}{x}}^{2x} x \, dy \, dx + \int_1^{\sqrt{2}} \int_x^{\frac{2}{x}} x \, dy \, dx$$

$$= \int_{\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}}^1 \left[ \int_{\frac{1}{x}}^{2x} x \, dy \right] dx + \int_1^{\sqrt{2}} \left[ \int_x^{\frac{2}{x}} x \, dy \right] dx$$

$$= \int_{\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}}^1 \left[ xy \Big|_{y=\frac{1}{x}}^{y=2x} \right] dx + \int_1^{\sqrt{2}} \left[ xy \Big|_{y=x}^{y=\frac{2}{x}} \right] dx$$

$$= \int_{\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}}^1 [2x^2 - 1] \, dx + \int_1^{\sqrt{2}} [2 - x^2] \, dx$$

$$= \left[ \frac{2}{3}x^3 - x \right] \Big|_{\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}}^1 + \left[ 2x - \frac{1}{3}x^3 \right] \Big|_1^{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$= \left[ \left( \frac{2}{3} - 1 \right) - \left( \frac{2}{3} \frac{(\sqrt{2})^3}{2^3} - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \right) \right] + \left[ \left( 2\sqrt{2} - \frac{1}{3}(\sqrt{2})^3 \right) - \left( 2 - \frac{1}{3} \right) \right]$$

$$= -\frac{1}{3} - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{6} + \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{6} + \frac{12\sqrt{2}}{6} - \frac{4\sqrt{2}}{6} - \frac{5}{3} = \frac{-12 + 10\sqrt{2}}{6} = \frac{-6 + 5\sqrt{2}}{3}$$

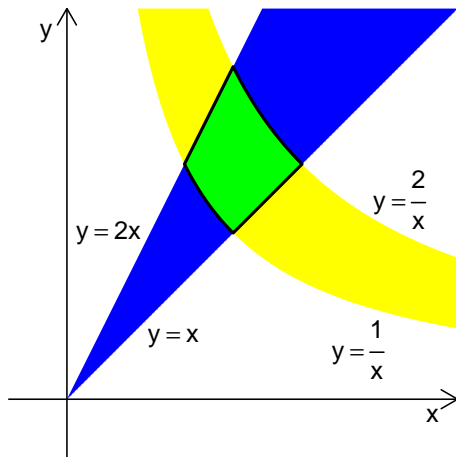
# Again, Using a Change of Variables

- Consider the change of variables

$$s = xy, \quad t = \frac{y}{x}$$

$$D = \left\{ (x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : x \geq 0, \right. \\ \left. 1 \leq xy \leq 2, \right. \\ \left. 1 \leq \frac{y}{x} \leq 2 \right\}$$

- $\Omega = [1, 2] \times [1, 2]$



$$\iint_D x \, dx \, dy = \int_{t=1}^{t=2} \int_{s=1}^{s=2} x \, dx \, dy$$

## Again, Using a Change of Variables

- First, solve for functions  $x = x(s, t)$  and  $y = y(s, t)$ :

$$x = \sqrt{\frac{s}{t}}, \quad y = \sqrt{st}$$

- Partial derivatives for the change of variables are:

$$\frac{\partial x}{\partial s} = \frac{\partial}{\partial s} [s^{\frac{1}{2}} t^{-\frac{1}{2}}]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} s^{-\frac{1}{2}} t^{-\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{st}}$$

$$\frac{\partial y}{\partial s} = \frac{\partial}{\partial s} [s^{\frac{1}{2}} t^{\frac{1}{2}}]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} s^{-\frac{1}{2}} t^{\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{\sqrt{t}}{2\sqrt{s}}$$

$$\frac{\partial x}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial}{\partial t} [s^{\frac{1}{2}} t^{-\frac{1}{2}}]$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} s^{\frac{1}{2}} t^{-\frac{3}{2}} = -\frac{\sqrt{s}}{2t\sqrt{t}}$$

$$\frac{\partial y}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial}{\partial t} [s^{\frac{1}{2}} t^{\frac{1}{2}}]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} s^{\frac{1}{2}} t^{-\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{\sqrt{s}}{2\sqrt{t}}$$

## Again, Using a Change of Variables

- Jacobian for the change of variables:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial x}{\partial s} \frac{\partial y}{\partial t} - \frac{\partial x}{\partial t} \frac{\partial y}{\partial s} &= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{st}} \frac{\sqrt{s}}{2\sqrt{t}} - \left( -\frac{\sqrt{s}}{2t\sqrt{t}} \right) \frac{\sqrt{t}}{2\sqrt{s}} \\ &= \frac{1}{4t} + \frac{1}{4t} \\ &= \frac{1}{2t}\end{aligned}$$

- Change of variables formula:

$$\iint_D x \, dx \, dy = \int_{t=1}^{t=2} \int_{s=1}^{s=2} \sqrt{\frac{s}{t}} \frac{1}{2t} \, ds \, dt$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\int_{t=1}^{t=2} \left[ \int_{s=1}^{s=2} \sqrt{\frac{s}{t}} \frac{1}{2t} ds \right] dt &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{t=1}^{t=2} \left[ \int_{s=1}^{s=2} s^{\frac{1}{2}} t^{-\frac{3}{2}} ds \right] dt \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \int_{t=1}^{t=2} \left[ \frac{2}{3} s^{\frac{3}{2}} t^{-\frac{3}{2}} \bigg|_{s=1}^{s=2} \right] dt \\
&= \frac{1}{3} \int_{t=1}^{t=2} \left[ 2\sqrt{2} t^{-\frac{3}{2}} - t^{-\frac{3}{2}} \right] dt \\
&= \frac{1}{3} \int_{t=1}^{t=2} (2\sqrt{2} - 1) t^{-\frac{3}{2}} dt \\
&= \frac{2\sqrt{2} - 1}{3} \left[ -2t^{-\frac{1}{2}} \bigg|_{t=1}^{t=2} \right] \\
&= \frac{2\sqrt{2} - 1}{3} (2 - \sqrt{2}) \\
&= \frac{5\sqrt{2} - 6}{3}
\end{aligned}$$



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# Separable Functions

- Take another look at the example in the last section

$$\int_{t=1}^{t=2} \left[ \int_{s=1}^{s=2} \sqrt{\frac{s}{t}} \frac{1}{2t} ds \right] dt = \frac{1}{2} \int_{t=1}^{t=2} \left[ \int_{s=1}^{s=2} s^{\frac{1}{2}} t^{-\frac{3}{2}} ds \right] dt$$

- Since  $t$  (and any function of  $t$ ) is constant while integrating wrt  $s$

$$\int_{t=1}^{t=2} \left[ \int_{s=1}^{s=2} \sqrt{\frac{s}{t}} \frac{1}{2t} ds \right] dt = \frac{1}{2} \int_{t=1}^{t=2} t^{-\frac{3}{2}} \left[ \int_{s=1}^{s=2} s^{\frac{1}{2}} ds \right] dt$$

- The double integral is the product of 2 single-variable definite integrals

$$\int_{t=1}^{t=2} \left[ \int_{s=1}^{s=2} \sqrt{\frac{s}{t}} \frac{1}{2t} ds \right] dt = \frac{1}{2} \left[ \int_{s=1}^{s=2} s^{\frac{1}{2}} ds \right] \left[ \int_{t=1}^{t=2} t^{-\frac{3}{2}} dt \right]$$

# Separable Functions

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{1}{2} \left[ \int_{s=1}^{s=2} s^{\frac{1}{2}} ds \right] \left[ \int_{t=1}^{t=2} t^{-\frac{3}{2}} dt \right] &= \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{2}{3} s^{\frac{3}{2}} \Big|_{s=1}^{s=2} \right] \left[ -2t^{-\frac{1}{2}} \Big|_{t=1}^{t=2} \right] \\&= \frac{-2}{3} \left[ s^{\frac{3}{2}} \Big|_{s=1}^{s=2} \right] \left[ t^{-\frac{1}{2}} \Big|_{t=1}^{t=2} \right] \\&= -\frac{2}{3} \left[ 2\sqrt{2} - 1 \right] \left[ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} - 1 \right] \\&= -\frac{2}{3} \left[ 2 - 2\sqrt{2} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + 1 \right] \\&= -\frac{1}{3} \left[ 4 - 4\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{2} + 2 \right] \\&= \frac{5\sqrt{2} - 6}{3}\end{aligned}$$

# Separable Functions

- Let  $R = [a, b] \times [c, d]$  be a rectangle
- Let  $f(x, y)$  be a continuous, separable function

$$f(x, y) = g(x) h(y)$$

$g(x)$  and  $h(x)$  continuous

- Double integral of  $f$  over  $R$  is the product of single-variable integrals

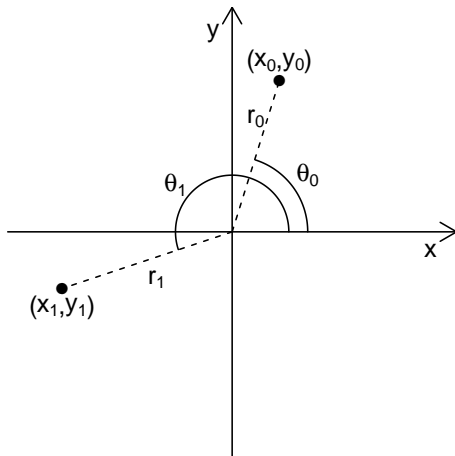
$$\begin{aligned}\iint_R f(x, y) \, dx \, dy &= \int_c^d \int_a^b g(x) h(y) \, dx \, dy \\ &= \int_c^d h(y) \left[ \int_a^b g(x) \, dx \right] dy \\ &= \left[ \int_a^b g(x) \, dx \right] \left[ \int_c^d h(y) \, dy \right]\end{aligned}$$

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# Polar Coordinates

- Describe points in  $\mathbb{R}^2$  using
  - $r \in [0, \infty)$
  - $\theta \in [0, 2\pi)$
- $r$  = distance from origin
- $\theta$  = angle counter clockwise from positive  $x$ -axis
- $(x, y) \longleftrightarrow (r, \theta)$ 
$$x(r, \theta) = r \cos(\theta)$$
$$y(r, \theta) = r \sin(\theta)$$
- Can simplify integration problems



# Change of Variables to Polar Coordinates

- The change of variables is:

$$x(r, \theta) = r \cos(\theta) \quad y(r, \theta) = r \sin(\theta)$$

- The partial derivatives of the change of variables are:

$$\frac{\partial x}{\partial r} = \cos(\theta) \quad \frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta} = -r \sin(\theta) \quad \frac{\partial y}{\partial r} = \sin(\theta) \quad \frac{\partial y}{\partial \theta} = r \cos(\theta)$$

- The Jacobian is:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial x}{\partial r} \frac{\partial y}{\partial \theta} - \frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta} \frac{\partial y}{\partial r} &= \cos(\theta) \cdot r \cos(\theta) - (-r \sin(\theta)) \cdot \sin(\theta) \\ &= r [\cos^2(\theta) + \sin^2(\theta)] \\ &= r \end{aligned}$$

# Change of Variables to Polar Coordinates

- The change of variable formula to polar coordinates:

$$\iint_D f(x, y) \, dx \, dy = \iint_D f(r \cos(\theta), r \sin(\theta)) \, r \, dr \, d\theta$$

- Integrate  $f(x, y)$  over a disk of radius  $R$  centered at the origin:

$$\iint_{D(0, R)} f(x, y) \, dx \, dy = \int_0^{2\pi} \left[ \int_0^R f(r \cos(\theta), r \sin(\theta)) \, r \, dr \right] d\theta$$

- Integrate  $f(x, y)$  over the plane  $\mathbb{R}^2$ :

$$\iint_{\mathbb{R}^2} f(x, y) \, dx \, dy = \int_0^{2\pi} \left[ \int_0^\infty f(r \cos(\theta), r \sin(\theta)) \, r \, dr \right] d\theta$$

- The latter can be useful for integrating probability density functions



## Example

- Let  $D = \{(x, y) : x^2 + y^2 \leq 1\}$  (disk of radius 1 centered at origin)
- Compute the integral

$$\iint_D (1 - x^2 - y^2) \, dx \, dy$$

- Try once using xy-coordinates
- Then try once using polar coordinates

$$\begin{aligned}
\iint_D f(x, y) \, dy \, dx &= \int_{-1}^1 \left[ \int_{-\sqrt{1-x^2}}^{\sqrt{1-x^2}} (1 - x^2 - y^2) \, dy \right] dx \\
&= \int_{-1}^1 \left[ \left( (1 - x^2)y - \frac{y^3}{3} \right) \bigg|_{y=-\sqrt{1-x^2}}^{y=\sqrt{1-x^2}} \right] dx \\
&= \int_{-1}^1 \left[ 2(1 - x^2)\sqrt{1 - x^2} - \frac{2(\sqrt{1 - x^2})^3}{3} \right] dx \\
&= \int_{-1}^1 \left[ \frac{6(\sqrt{1 - x^2})^3 - 2(\sqrt{1 - x^2})^3}{3} \right] dx \\
&= \frac{4}{3} \int_{-1}^1 [(\sqrt{1 - x^2})^3] \, dx \\
&\quad \vdots \\
&= \frac{1}{6} \left( x\sqrt{1 - x^2}(5 - 2x^2) + 3 \arcsin(x) \right) \bigg|_{-1}^1
\end{aligned}$$

## Example (in polar coordinates)

$$\begin{aligned}\iint_D f(x, y) \, dy \, dx &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 [1 - r^2 \cos^2(\theta) - r^2 \sin^2(\theta)] \, r \, dr \, d\theta \\&= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 [1 - r^2 (\cos^2(\theta) + \sin^2(\theta))] \, r \, dr \, d\theta \\&= \int_0^{2\pi} \left[ \int_0^1 [r - r^3] \, dr \right] \, d\theta \\&= \int_0^{2\pi} \left[ \left( \frac{r^2}{2} - \frac{r^4}{4} \right) \Big|_0^1 \right] \, d\theta \\&= \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{1}{4} \, d\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}\end{aligned}$$

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# The Standard Normal Density

- The standard normal density

$$\phi(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}}$$

- The function  $\Phi$  used in the Black-Scholes formula

$$\Phi(x) = \int_{-\infty}^x \phi(t) dt$$

- Raises  $2\frac{1}{2}$  questions:

- 1 Where does the  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}}$  come from?
- 2 Why not use a closed-form expression for  $\Phi$ ?
- $2\frac{1}{2}$  Where does the  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}}$  come from?

# The Standard Normal Density

- Since  $\phi$  is a probability density function

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \phi(x) dx = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \phi(x) dx = 1$$

- Implies that

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}} dx = \sqrt{2\pi}$$

- Change of variables

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-x^2} dx = \sqrt{\pi}$$

- The problem is  $e^{-x^2}$  does not have an antiderivative

# Change to Polar Coordinates

- Let

$$M = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-x^2} dx$$

- Want to show that  $M = \sqrt{\pi}$

- Can also express  $M$  as

$$M = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-y^2} dy$$

- Now want to show that  $M^2 = \pi$

$$M^2 = \left[ \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-x^2} dx \right] \left[ \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-y^2} dy \right]$$

- This is the double integral of a separable function

# Change to Polar Coordinates

- Unseparate the double integral

$$M^2 = \left[ \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-x^2} dx \right] \left[ \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-y^2} dy \right]$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-x^2} \left[ \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-y^2} dy \right] dx$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-x^2} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-y^2} dy$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-(x^2+y^2)} dy dx$$

$$= \iint_{\mathbb{R}^2} e^{-(x^2+y^2)} dy dx$$

- Change to polar coordinates

$$= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\infty} e^{-[r \cos(\theta)]^2 - [r \sin(\theta)]^2} r dr d\theta$$



## Change to Polar Coordinates

$$M^2 = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^\infty e^{-[r \cos(\theta)]^2 + [r \sin(\theta)]^2} r \, dr \, d\theta$$

$$= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^\infty e^{-r^2[\cos^2(\theta) + \sin^2(\theta)]} r \, dr \, d\theta$$

$$= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^\infty e^{-r^2} r \, dr \, d\theta$$

let  $u = -r^2$

$$= \left[ \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta \right] \left[ -\frac{1}{2} \int_{u=0}^{u=-\infty} e^u (-2r \, dr) \right]$$

$du = -2r \, dr$

$$= \left[ \theta \Big|_0^{2\pi} \right] \left[ -\frac{1}{2} e^u \Big|_0^{-\infty} \right]$$

$$= [2\pi - 0] \left[ -\frac{1}{2} \left( \lim_{t \rightarrow -\infty} e^t - 1 \right) \right] = 2\pi \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \pi$$

# Change to Polar Coordinates

## In summary:

- Started out with

$$M = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-x^2} dx$$

- Showed that  $M^2 = \pi$  and thus that  $M = \sqrt{\pi}$

- Can conclude that

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-x^2} dx = \sqrt{\pi}$$

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# Marginal Density of a Bivariate Normal Distribution

Bivariate normal density function:  $f_{X,Y}(x, y; \mu_x, \mu_y, \sigma_x, \sigma_y, \rho)$

$$\frac{1}{2\pi\sigma_x\sigma_y\sqrt{1-\rho^2}} \exp \left[ -\frac{\frac{(x-\mu_x)^2}{\sigma_x^2} - \frac{2\rho(x-\mu_x)(y-\mu_y)}{\sigma_x\sigma_y} + \frac{(y-\mu_y)^2}{\sigma_y^2}}{2(1-\rho^2)} \right]$$

The marginal density is

$$f_Y(y) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f_{X,Y}(x, y) dx$$

- Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be returns on an asset in consecutive periods
- Assume that  $\mu_x = \mu_y = \mu$  and  $\sigma_x = \sigma_y = \sigma$

## Marginal Density

$$\begin{aligned} f_X(x) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f_{X,Y}(x, y) dy \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2\pi\sigma^2\sqrt{1-\rho^2}} \exp\left[-\frac{(x-\mu)^2 - 2\rho(x-\mu)(y-\mu) + (y-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2(1-\rho^2)}\right] dy \end{aligned}$$

Guess that  $f_X(x)$  is normal with mean  $\mu$  and variance  $\sigma^2$

$$\begin{aligned} f_X(x) &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} \exp\left[-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}\right] \\ &\quad \times \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \mathcal{C} \exp\left[\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2} - \frac{(x-\mu)^2 - 2\rho(x-\mu)(y-\mu) + (y-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2(1-\rho^2)}\right] dy \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{where } \mathcal{C} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma\sqrt{1-\rho^2}}$$

# Marginal Density

Lets look at the quantity in the square brackets

$$\begin{aligned}& \left[ \frac{(x - \mu)^2}{2\sigma^2} - \frac{(x - \mu)^2 - 2\rho(x - \mu)(y - \mu) + (y - \mu)^2}{2\sigma^2(1 - \rho^2)} \right] \\&= \left[ \frac{(1 - \rho^2)(x - \mu)^2 - (x - \mu)^2 + 2\rho(x - \mu)(y - \mu) - (y - \mu)^2}{2\sigma^2(1 - \rho^2)} \right] \\&= \left[ \frac{-\rho^2(x - \mu)^2 + 2\rho(x - \mu)(y - \mu) - (y - \mu)^2}{2\sigma^2(1 - \rho^2)} \right] \\&= \left[ -\frac{\rho^2(x - \mu)^2 - 2\rho(x - \mu)(y - \mu) + (y - \mu)^2}{2\sigma^2(1 - \rho^2)} \right] \\&= \left[ -\frac{[\rho(x - \mu) - (y - \mu)]^2}{2\sigma^2(1 - \rho^2)} \right] = \left[ -\frac{[y - (\mu + \rho(x - \mu))]^2}{2(\sigma\sqrt{1 - \rho^2})^2} \right]\end{aligned}$$

## Marginal Density

$$f_X(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} \exp\left[-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}\right] \\ \times \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \mathcal{C} \exp\left[\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2} - \frac{(x-\mu)^2 - 2\rho(x-\mu)(y-\mu) + (y-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2(1-\rho^2)}\right] dy$$

Lets look just at the integrand

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}(\sigma\sqrt{1-\rho^2})} \exp\left[-\frac{[y - (\mu + \rho(x-\mu))]^2}{2(\sigma\sqrt{1-\rho^2})^2}\right]$$

Let  $m = (\mu + \rho(x-\mu))$  and  $s = (\sigma\sqrt{1-\rho^2})$ , the integrand becomes

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}s} \exp\left[-\frac{(y-m)^2}{2s^2}\right]$$

# Marginal Density

- The integral becomes

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}s} \exp \left[ -\frac{(y-m)^2}{2s^2} \right] dy$$

- Integral of a normal density over the real line, thus equal to 1
- The guess for the marginal density was correct

$$\begin{aligned} f_X(x) &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} \exp \left[ -\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2} \right] \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}s} \exp \left[ -\frac{(y-m)^2}{2s^2} \right] dy \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} \exp \left[ -\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2} \right] \end{aligned}$$



## Bonus: Conditional Density Function

- The function that we integrated out is the conditional density
- Denoted by  $f_{Y|X}(y|x)$

$$f_{Y|X}(y|x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}(\sigma\sqrt{1-\rho^2})} \exp \left[ -\frac{[y - (\mu + \rho(x - \mu))]^2}{2(\sigma\sqrt{1-\rho^2})^2} \right]$$



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