

MA102: Multivariable Calculus

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Iterated integrals

Let $f : \mathcal{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$. Suppose that for each fixed $x \in [a, b]$

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

exists. If ϕ is Riemann integrable on $[a, b]$ then

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

is called an **iterated integral** of f over \mathcal{R} .

Similarly $\int_c^d \left(\int_a^b f(x, y) dx \right) dy$, when exists, is another iterated integral of f over \mathcal{R} .

Fubini's Theorem

Theorem: Let $f : \mathcal{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be continuous. Then both the iterated limits exist and

$$\begin{aligned}\iint_{\mathcal{R}} f(x, y) dA &= \int_a^b \left(\int_c^d f(x, y) dy \right) dx \\ &= \int_c^d \left(\int_a^b f(x, y) dx \right) dy.\end{aligned}$$

Example: Evaluate $\iint_{\mathcal{R}} xe^{xy} dA$, where $\mathcal{R} = [0, 1] \times [0, 1]$. Since the function is continuous,

$$\iint_{\mathcal{R}} xe^{xy} dA = \int_0^1 \left(\int_0^1 xe^{xy} dy \right) dx = \int_0^1 (e^x - 1) dx = e - 2.$$

Double integrals over general domains

Definition: Let $D \subset \mathbb{R}^2$ be bounded and $f : D \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a bounded function. Then f is said to be **integrable over D** if for some rectangle \mathcal{R} containing D the function

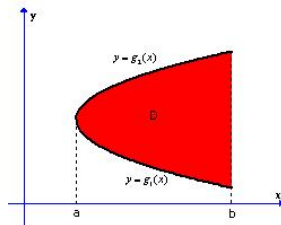
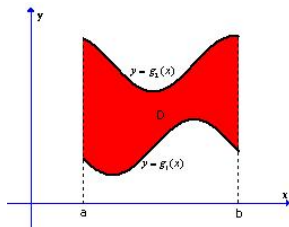
$$F(x, y) := \begin{cases} f(x, y) & \text{if } (x, y) \in D \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

is Riemann integrable over \mathcal{R} . The double integral of f over D is then defined by

$$\iint_D f(x, y) dA := \iint_{\mathcal{R}} F(x, y) dA.$$

Remark: Since F is zero outside D the choice of \mathcal{R} is unimportant in defining double integral of f over D .

Special Regions: Type-I Regions

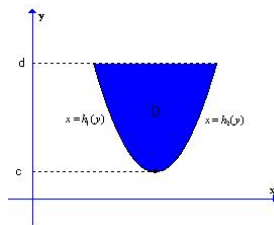
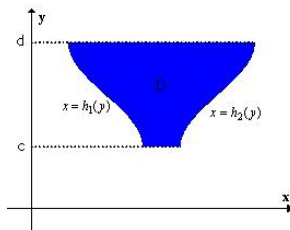


- Type-I Region:

$$D = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : x \in [a, b] \text{ and } g_1(x) \leq y \leq g_2(x)\}$$

where $g_1(x)$ and $g_2(x)$ are continuous functions on $[a, b]$ and $g_1(x) \leq g_2(x)$ for all $x \in [a, b]$.

Type-II Regions

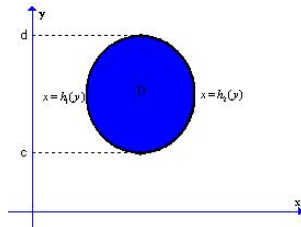
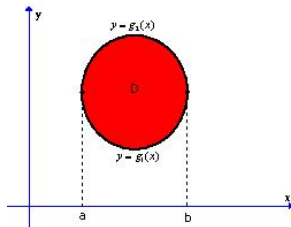


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where $h_1(y)$ and $h_2(y)$ are continuous functions on $[c, d]$ and $h_1(y) \leq h_2(y)$ for all $y \in [c, d]$.

Type-III Regions (Both Type-I and Type-II)



\mathcal{R} is called **Type-III region** if \mathcal{R} is simultaneously of Type-I and Type-II.

Double integral over special domains

Theorem: Let $f : D \subset \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be continuous. If D is Type-I and $D = \{(x, y) : x \in [a, b] \text{ and } \phi_1(x) \leq y \leq \phi_2(x)\}$ then f is integrable over D and

$$\iint_D f(x, y) dA = \int_a^b \left(\int_{\phi_1(x)}^{\phi_2(x)} f(x, y) dy \right) dx.$$

If D is Type-II and

$D = \{(x, y) : \psi_1(y) \leq x \leq \psi_2(y) \text{ and } y \in [c, d]\}$ then f is integrable over D and

$$\iint_D f(x, y) dA = \int_c^d \left(\int_{\psi_1(y)}^{\psi_2(y)} f(x, y) dx \right) dy.$$

Area and Volume

Let $D \subset \mathbb{R}^2$ be a special (Type-I or Type-II or Type-III) domain and $f : D \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be continuous. Then

$$\text{Area}(D) = \iint_D dA.$$

If $f(x, y) \geq 0$ then the volume of the solid S bounded by D and the graph of $z = f(x, y)$ is given by

$$\text{Volume}(S) = \iint_D f(x, y) dA.$$

Example

Find the volume of the solid S bounded by elliptic paraboloid $x^2 + 2y^2 + z = 16$, the planes $x = 2$, $y = 2$, and the coordinate planes.

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Volume}(S) &= \iint_{\mathcal{R}} (16 - x^2 - 2y^2) dA \\ &= \int_0^2 \int_0^2 (16 - x^2 - 2y^2) dx dy = 48.\end{aligned}$$

Example

Evaluate $\iint_D (x + 2y) dA$, where D is the region bounded by the parabolas $y = 2x^2$ and $y = 1 + x^2$.

The region D is Type-I and

$$\begin{aligned}\iint_D (x + 2y) dA &= \int_{-1}^1 \left(\int_{2x^2}^{1+x^2} (x + 2y) dy \right) dx \\ &= \int_{-1}^1 (-3x^4 - x^3 + 2x^2 + x + 1) dx = \frac{32}{15}.\end{aligned}$$

Riemann sum for Triple integral

Consider the rectangular cube

$V := [a_1, b_1] \times [a_2, b_2] \times [a_3, b_3]$ and a bounded function $f : V \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$.

Let P be a partition of V into sub-cubes V_{ijk} and $c_{ijk} \in V_{ijk}$ for $i = 1, \dots, m$; $j = 1, \dots, n$; $k = 1, \dots, p$. Also let

$\Delta V_{ijk} := \text{Volume}(V_{ijk}) = \Delta x_i \Delta y_j \Delta z_k$ and $\mu(P) := \max_{ijk} \Delta V_{ijk}$.

Consider the **Riemann sum**

$$S(P, f) := \sum_{i=1}^m \sum_{j=1}^n \sum_{k=1}^p f(c_{ijk}) \Delta V_{ijk}.$$

Triple integral

If $\lim_{\mu(P) \rightarrow 0} S(P, f)$ exists then f is said to be **Riemann integrable** and the **(triple) integral** of f over V is given by

$$\iiint_V f(x, y, z) dV = \iiint_V f(x, y, z) dx dy dz = \lim_{\mu(P) \rightarrow 0} S(P, f).$$

Theorem: Let $f : V \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is continuous. Then

- f is Riemann integrable over V .
- **Fubini's theorem** holds, i.e, the iterated integrals exist and are equal to $\iiint_V f dV$.

Example

Evaluate $\iiint_V xyz^2 dV$ where $V = [0, 1] \times [-1, 2] \times [0, 3]$.

By Fubini's theorem,

$$\iiint_V f dV = \int_0^3 \left(\int_{-1}^2 \left(\int_0^1 x dx \right) y dy \right) z^2 dz = \frac{27}{4}.$$

Triple integrals over general domains

Let $D \subset \mathbb{R}^3$ be bounded and $f : D \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a bounded function. Then f is said to be **integrable over D** if for some rectangular cube V containing D the function

$$F(x, y, z) := \begin{cases} f(x, y, z) & \text{if } (x, y, z) \in D \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

is Riemann integrable over V . Then

$$\iiint_D f(x, y, z) dV := \iiint_V F(x, y, z) dV$$

and

$$\text{Volume}(D) := \iiint_D dV.$$

Type-I domain:

A domain $V \subset \mathbb{R}^3$ is **Type-I** if

$$V = \{(x, y, z) : (x, y) \in D \text{ and } u_1(x, y) \leq z \leq u_2(x, y)\}$$

for some $D \subset \mathbb{R}^2$ and **continuous functions** $u_i : D \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$.

If $f : V \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be continuous and D is a **special domain** (e.g., Type-I, Type-II, Type-III) then

$$\iiint_V f(x, y, z) dV = \iint_D \left(\int_{u_1(x, y)}^{u_2(x, y)} f(x, y, z) dz \right) dx dy.$$

Similar results hold for **Type-II** and **Type-III** domains.

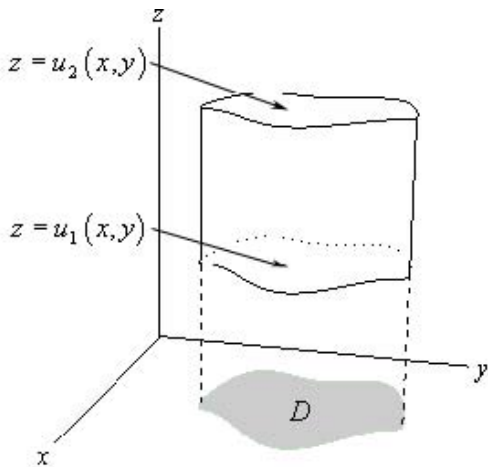


Figure: Type-I domain

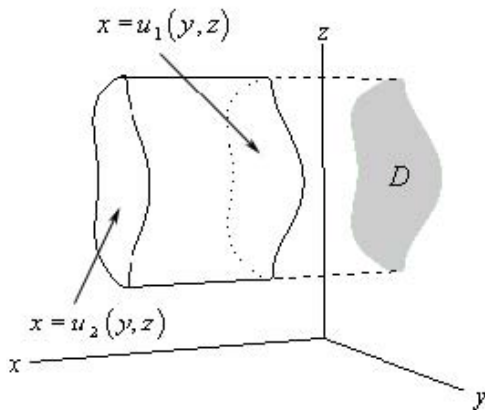


Figure: Type-II domain

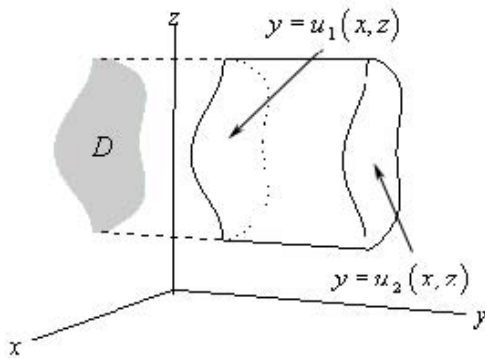


Figure: Type-III domain

Example:

Evaluate $\iiint_V 2x dV$ where V is the region bounded by the planes $x = 0, y = 0, z = 0$ and $2x + 3y + z = 6$.

Note that V is Type-I:

$$0 \leq z \leq 6 - 2x - 3y \text{ and } (x, y) \in D,$$

where D is special domain given by

$$0 \leq x \leq 3 \text{ and } 0 \leq y \leq -\frac{2}{3}x + 2.$$

Thus

$$\begin{aligned} \iiint_V 2x dV &= \iint_D \left(\int_0^{6-2x-3y} 2x dz \right) dA \\ &= \int_0^3 \int_0^{-\frac{2}{3}x+2} (6 - 2x - 3y) 2x dy dx = 9. \end{aligned}$$

Example:

Find the volume of the region bounded by the surfaces $z = x^2 + 3y^2$ and $z = 8 - x^2 - y^2$.

The volume is $V = \iiint_{\Omega} dz dy dx$, where Ω is bounded above by the surface $z = 8 - x^2 - y^2$ and below by the surface $z = x^2 + 3y^2$. Therefore, the limits of z are from $z = x^2 + 3y^2$ to $z = 8 - x^2 - y^2$.

The projection of Ω on xy -plane is the solution of

$$8 - x^2 - y^2 = x^2 + 3y^2 \implies x^2 + 2y^2 = 4.$$

Therefore the limits of x and y are to be determined by $D : x^2 + 2y^2 = 4$.

Example (cont.):

$$\begin{aligned} V &= \iint_{\mathcal{R}} \int_{z=x^2+3y^2}^{8-x^2-y^2} dz dA \\ &= \int_{-2}^2 \int_{-\sqrt{(4-x^2)/2}}^{\sqrt{(4-x^2)/2}} (8 - 2x^2 - 4y^2) dy dx \\ &= \int_{-2}^2 \left((8 - x^2)y - \frac{4}{3}y^3 \right) \Big|_{y=-\sqrt{(4-x^2)/2}}^{\sqrt{(4-x^2)/2}} \\ &= \frac{4\sqrt{2}}{3} \int_{-2}^2 (4 - x^2)^{3/2} dx = 8\pi\sqrt{2}. \end{aligned}$$

Example: Change of order of integration

Consider the evaluation of integral $\iint_D \frac{\sin x}{x} dA$ over the triangle formed by $y = 0$, $x = 1$ and $y = x$.

If we write $D = \{(x, y) : 0 \leq y \leq 1, y \leq x \leq 1\}$, then

$$\iint_D \frac{\sin x}{x} dA = \int_0^1 \left(\int_{x=y}^1 \frac{\sin x}{x} dx \right) dy.$$

The innermost integral is difficult to evaluate.

If we change the order of integration, by taking $D = \{(x, y) : 0 \leq x \leq 1, 0 \leq y \leq x\}$, then

$$\iint_D \frac{\sin x}{x} dA = \int_0^1 \int_{y=0}^x \frac{\sin x}{x} dy dx = \int_0^1 \sin x dx = 1 - \cos 1.$$

Example: Change of order of integration

Find the volume of the region bounded by $x + z = 1$, $y + 2z = 2$ in the first quadrant.

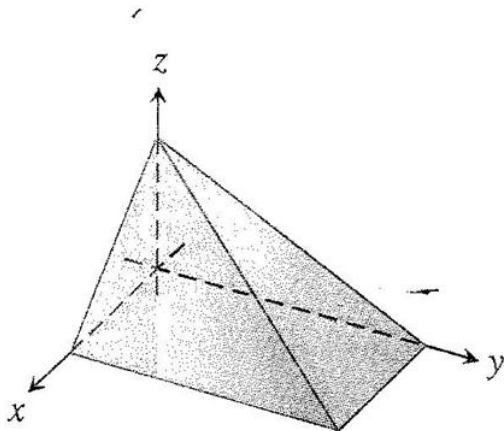


Figure: Region bounded by $x + z = 1$ and $y + 2z = 2$, $x, y, z \geq 0$

Example: Change of order of integration

Draw line parallel to z -axis and note that the upper surfaces are: $2z + y = 2$ over triangle bounded by $x = 0, y = 2, y = 2x$ and $z = 1 - x$ over the triangle bounded by $y = 0, x = 1, y = 2x$. Therefore,

$$V = \int_{y=0}^2 \int_{x=0}^{y/2} \int_{z=0}^{\frac{2-y}{2}} dz \, dx \, dy + \int_{x=0}^1 \int_{y=0}^{2x} \int_{z=0}^{1-x} dz \, dy \, dx = \frac{2}{3}$$

On the other hand, by first drawing the line parallel to x -axis, we get

$$V = \int_{z=0}^1 \int_{y=0}^{2-2z} \int_{x=0}^{1-z} dx \, dy \, dz = \frac{2}{3}$$

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Example (cont.):

Example: Evaluate $I = \int_{z=0}^4 \int_{y=0}^1 \int_{x=2y}^2 \frac{2 \cos(x^2)}{\sqrt{z}} dx dy dz$.

The integral is difficult to evaluate in the given order of integration. We change the order of integration and evaluate the integral:

$$\begin{aligned} I &= \int_{z=0}^4 \int_{x=0}^2 \int_{y=0}^{x/2} \frac{2 \cos(x^2)}{\sqrt{z}} dy dx dz. \\ &= \int_{z=0}^4 \int_{x=0}^2 \frac{x \cos(x^2)}{\sqrt{z}} dx dz = 2 \sin 4. \end{aligned}$$

Change of variable

Let $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ be C^1 given by

$T(u, v) = (x(u, v), y(u, v))$. Then the Jacobian matrix $J(u, v)$ of T is given by

$$J(u, v) := \begin{bmatrix} x_u & x_v \\ y_u & y_v \end{bmatrix}.$$

Define the Jacobian of T by

$$\frac{\partial(x, y)}{\partial(u, v)} := x_u y_v - x_v y_u = \det J(u, v).$$

Polar coordinates: Define $T(r, \theta) := (r \cos \theta, r \sin \theta)$. Then

$$\frac{\partial(x, y)}{\partial(r, \theta)} = \begin{vmatrix} \cos \theta & -r \sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & r \cos \theta \end{vmatrix} = r.$$

Change of variable for double integrals

Suppose T is injective and $J(u, v)$ is nonsingular. Let $D \subset \mathbb{R}^2$ and $G := T(D)$. Suppose that f is integrable on G . Then

$$dA = dxdy = \left| \frac{\partial(x, y)}{\partial(u, v)} \right| dudv$$

and

$$\iint_G f(x, y) dxdy = \iint_D f(x(u, v), y(u, v)) \left| \frac{\partial(x, y)}{\partial(u, v)} \right| dudv.$$

Polar coordinates:

$$\iint_G f(x, y) dxdy = \iint_D f(r \cos \theta, r \sin \theta) r dr d\theta.$$

Example

Evaluate the integral $I = \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} \sqrt{x+y}(y-2x)^2 dA$.

The given domain is the triangle bounded by $x = 0$, $y = 0$ and $x + y = 1$. We take the transformation $u = x + y$ and $v = y - 2x$. Under this transformation, the given triangle will be transformed into triangle bounded by $v = u$, $v = -2u$ and $u = 1$.

The inverse of this transformation is $x = \frac{u-v}{3}$ and $y = \frac{2u+v}{3}$. Hence the Jacobian

$$J = \begin{vmatrix} 1/3 & -1/3 \\ 2/3 & 1/3 \end{vmatrix} = 1/3.$$

Hence

$$I = \frac{1}{3} \int_0^1 \int_{v=-2u}^u \sqrt{u} v^2 dv du$$

Example

Using the transformation $u = 2x + 3y$ and $v = x - 3y$, find the value of the integral $I = \iint_{\mathcal{R}} e^{2x+3y} \cos(x - 3y) \, dx \, dy$ where \mathcal{R} is the region bounded by the parallelogram with vertices $(0, 0)$, $(1, 1/3)$, $(4/3, 1/9)$, $(1/3, -2/9)$.

Under the given transformations, \mathcal{R} will be transformed into the rectangle with vertices $(0, 0)$, $(3, 0)$, $(3, 1)$ and $(0, 1)$. Also, $|J| = \frac{1}{9}$. Thus,

$$I = \frac{1}{9} \int_{v=0}^1 \int_{u=0}^3 e^u \cos v \, du \, dv = \frac{1}{9} (e^3 - 1) \sin 1.$$

Example

Evaluate $\iiint_G \sqrt{x^2 + z^2} dV$ where G is the region bounded by the paraboloid $y = x^2 + z^2$ and $y = 4$.

We have

$$\iiint_G f(x, y, z) dV = \iint_D \left(\int_{x^2+z^2}^4 \sqrt{x^2 + z^2} dy \right) dx dz,$$

where $D = \{(x, z) : x^2 + z^2 \leq 4\}$.

Setting $x = r \cos \theta$ and $z = r \sin \theta$ for $(r, \theta) \in [0, 2] \times [0, 2\pi]$,

$$\iiint_G f(x, y, z) dV = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 r(4 - r^2) r dr d\theta = \frac{128\pi}{5}.$$

Change of variable for multiple integrals

Let $D \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ be open and bounded. Let $T : D \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ be such that T is C^1 , injective and the Jacobian $J(U)$ is nonsingular for $U \in D$.

Let $G := T(D)$ and $f : G \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be integrable over G . Then

$$dx_1 \cdots dx_n = \left| \frac{\partial(x_1, \dots, x_n)}{\partial(u_1, \dots, u_n)} \right| du_1 \cdots du_n$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \int_G f(X) dx_1 \cdots dx_n &= \int_D f(X(U)) \left| \frac{\partial(x_1, \dots, x_n)}{\partial(u_1, \dots, u_n)} \right| du_1 \cdots du_n \\ &= \int_D f(X(U)) \left| \frac{dX}{dU} \right| dU. \end{aligned}$$

Cylindrical coordinates

Consider $T(r, \theta, z) = (r \cos \theta, r \sin \theta, z)$. Then

$$\frac{\partial(x, y, z)}{\partial(r, \theta, z)} = \begin{vmatrix} \cos \theta & -r \sin \theta & 0 \\ \sin \theta & r \cos \theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = r.$$

Thus $dV = r dr d\theta dz$ and

$$\iiint_G f(x, y, z) dV = \iiint_D f(r \cos \theta, r \sin \theta, z) r dr d\theta dz.$$

Example

Evaluate $\iiint_G \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} dV$, where G is the region bounded by $x^2 + y^2 = 1$, $z = 4$ and $z = 1 - x^2 - y^2$.

Consider cylindrical coordinates

$$D := \{(r, \theta, z) : (r, \theta) \in [0, 1] \times [0, 2\pi], 1 - r^2 \leq z \leq 4\}.$$

Then

$$\iiint_G f(x, y, z) dV = \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} \left(\int_{1-r^2}^4 dz \right) r dr d\theta = \frac{12\pi}{5}.$$

Spherical coordinates

Consider $T(\rho, \phi, \theta) = (\rho \sin \phi \cos \theta, \rho \sin \phi \sin \theta, \rho \cos \phi)$.
Then

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial(x, y, z)}{\partial(\rho, \phi, \theta)} &= \begin{vmatrix} \sin \phi \cos \theta & \rho \cos \phi \cos \theta & -\rho \sin \phi \sin \theta \\ \sin \phi \sin \theta & \rho \cos \phi \sin \theta & \rho \sin \phi \cos \theta \\ \cos \phi & -\rho \sin \phi & 0 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \rho^2 \sin \phi. \end{aligned}$$

Thus $dV = \rho^2 \sin \phi d\rho d\phi d\theta$ and

$$\begin{aligned} \iiint_G f(x, y, z) dV &= \\ \iiint_D f(\rho \sin \phi \cos \theta, \rho \sin \phi \sin \theta, \rho \cos \phi) \rho^2 \sin \phi d\rho d\phi d\theta. \end{aligned}$$

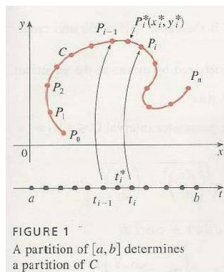
Example

Evaluate $\iiint_G e^{(x^2+y^2+z^2)^{3/2}} dV$, where $G := \{(x, y, z) : x^2 + y^2 + z^2 \leq 1\}$.

Using spherical coordinates we have

$$\begin{aligned}\iiint_D f(x, y, z) dV &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^\pi \int_0^1 e^{\rho^3} \rho^2 \sin \phi d\rho d\phi d\theta \\ &= \frac{4}{3}\pi(e - 1).\end{aligned}$$

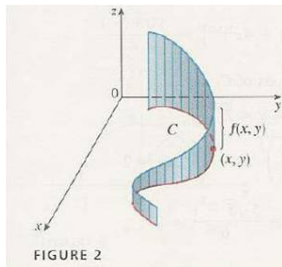
Line Integral: Partition of curves



Let Γ be a curve in \mathbb{R}^n parametrized by $r : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$. Then a partition $\mathcal{P} := (a = t_0 < \dots < t_m = b)$ of $[a, b]$ induces a partition of Γ into m subarcs with arclengths $\Delta s_1, \dots, \Delta s_m$.

Define $\mu(\mathcal{P}) := \max_{1 \leq j \leq m} \Delta s_j$.

Riemann sum w.r.t. arclength



Let $f : \Gamma \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$. Then for any P_j in the j -th subarc, consider the Riemann sum of f w.r.t. to the partition \mathcal{P}

$$S(\mathcal{P}, f) := \sum_{j=1}^m f(P_j) \Delta s_j.$$

Line integral

Definition: Suppose that Γ is a piecewise smooth curve in \mathbb{R}^n parametrized by $r : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ and $f : \Gamma \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$. Then the **line integral of f along Γ** is defined by

$$\int_{\Gamma} f \, ds := \lim_{\mu(\mathcal{P}) \rightarrow 0} S(\mathcal{P}, f) = \lim_{\mu(\mathcal{P}) \rightarrow 0} \sum_{j=1}^m f(P_j) \Delta s_j$$

if the limit exists (independent of the partitions \mathcal{P} and the chosen points P_j).

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Fact: If f is continuous and $r(t)$ is piecewise smooth then we have

$$\int_{\Gamma} f \, ds = \int_a^b f(r(t)) \|r'(t)\| dt.$$

Line integral

For the plane curve $\Gamma : r(t) = (x(t), y(t)), t \in [a, b]$ we have

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Example: Evaluate $\int_{\Gamma} (2 + x^2 y) ds$, where Γ is the upper half of the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 1$.

Considering $x(t) = \cos t, y(t) = \sin t, 0 \leq t \leq \pi$, we have

$$\int_{\Gamma} (2 + x^2 y) ds = \int_0^{\pi} (2 + \cos^2 t \sin t) dt = 2\pi + 2/3.$$

Properties of line integrals

Fact: Let Γ be parametrized by a piecewise smooth curve $r : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ and $f, g : \Gamma \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be continuous. Then the following hold:

- $\int_{\Gamma} (f + \alpha g) ds = \int_{\Gamma} f ds + \alpha \int_{\Gamma} g ds$ for $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$.

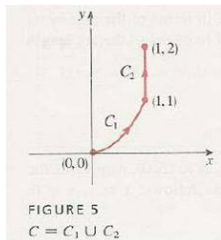
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Application

Suppose a thin wire in the shape of a curve Γ parametrized by a smooth path $r : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ has density $\rho(x, y)$. Then the **total mass** of the wire is given by

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Remark: The total work done by F on a particle traversing the path Γ and then reversing back to the initial point is

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Green's Theorem

Let $D \subset \mathbb{R}^2$ be a **simply connected** (no holes) region with **positively oriented** (counter clockwise direction) boundary ∂D . Let $F = (P, Q)$ be C^1 on D . Then

$$\begin{aligned}\iint_D \left(\frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} \right) dA &= \oint_{\partial D} (P(x, y) dx + Q(x, y) dy) \\ &= \oint_{\partial D} F \bullet dr.\end{aligned}$$

Let C be a circle of radius a centered at the origin. Find $\oint_C F \bullet dr$ for $F = (-y, x)$ using Green's theorem.

$$\oint_C F \bullet dr = \iint_D 2 dA = 2 \iint_D dA = 2\pi a^2.$$

Applications of Green's Theorem

- Evaluation of area

$$\text{Area}(D) = \iint_D dA = \frac{1}{2} \oint_{\partial D} (x dy - y dx).$$

Taking $F = (0, x)$ and $G = (y, 0)$, we have

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Thus every vector field on $U \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ is uniquely determined by a function from $U \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$.

Examples of vector fields

- The **gravitational force field** describes the force of attraction of the earth on a mass m and is given by

$$F(X) = -\frac{mMG}{r^3}X,$$

where $X = (x, y, z)$, $r := \|X\|$. The vector field F points to the centre of the earth.

- The vector field $F : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ given by $F(x, y) := (-y, x)$ is a **rotational vector field** in \mathbb{R}^2 which rotates a vector in the anti-clockwise direction by an angle $\pi/2$.
- Let $r : [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ be C^1 and $\Gamma := r([0, 1])$. Then $F : \Gamma \subset \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ given by $F(r(t)) = r'(t)$ is a **tangent vector field** on Γ .

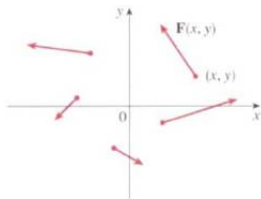


FIGURE 2
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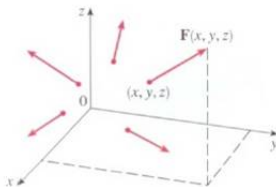


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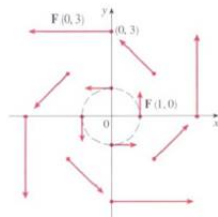


FIGURE 4
 $F(x, y) = -y\mathbf{i} + x\mathbf{j}$

Figure: Examples of vector fields

Path Independence

Let $F : D \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ be a continuous vector field on D . We say that the vector field F has **independence of path** on D if for **every pair** of piecewise smooth, oriented curves C_1 and C_2 in D with a common initial point and a common final point, we have
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Important Example

Let $F(x, y) = \frac{-y\hat{i} + x\hat{j}}{x^2 + y^2}$ for $(x, y) \in D^* = \mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \{(0, 0)\}$.

Let $C : r(t) = (\cos t, \sin t)$ for $t \in [0, 2\pi]$.

Then $r'(t) = (-\sin t, \cos t)$ for $t \in [0, 2\pi]$.

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So, F is **NOT** independent of path in D^* .

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Thus, **gradient field implies path independence.**

Gradient vector fields and path independence

In summary, we have the following necessary and sufficient condition for a continuous vector field to be gradient vector field.

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We now find a necessary and sufficient condition for continuously differentiable vector field to be gradient vector field.

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We wish to find f such that $F = \nabla f$. If f exists then $f_x(x, y) = 3 + 2xy \Rightarrow f(x, y) = 3x + x^2y + h(y)$.

Thus $f_y(x, y) = x^2 + h'(y) = x^2 - 3y^2 \Rightarrow h'(y) = -3y^2$.
Hence $h(y) = -y^3 + c$ for some constant c . Consequently,

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Remark: The necessary condition $\partial_i F_j = \partial_j F_i$ is also sufficient for conservativeness of F when the domain of F is simply connected. This is a consequence of Green's theorem.

Necessary and sufficient condition for C^1 vector field

Let $F(x, y) := (P, Q)$ be C^1 defined in a simply connected domain U . Then F is a gradient field (conservative field) if and only if

$$Q_x = P_y.$$

Proof: We have already proved that $Q_x = P_y$ is a necessary condition. To prove that this condition is sufficient, we apply Green's theorem. Let C be a closed path (positively oriented) in U . Let D be the region bounded by C . Since U is simply connected, so $D \subseteq U$. By Green's theorem,

$$\oint_C F \bullet dr = \iint_D \left(\frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} \right) dA = 0.$$

Thus, F is conservative.

Surfaces

- 1 Locus of a point moving in space with 2 degrees of freedom.
- 2 Level curve of a scalar field $F : D \subseteq \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$. For example, $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = c$, $z = x^2 + y^2$, etc.
- 3 Sometimes surfaces can be described by

$$\{(x, y, z) : z = f(x, y), (x, y) \in D\}.$$

This is called explicit representation.

- 4 The unit sphere is a union of two such explicit representations:

$$\begin{aligned} & \{(x, y, z = \sqrt{1 - x^2 - y^2}) : x^2 + y^2 \leq 1\} \\ & \cup \{(x, y, z = -\sqrt{1 - x^2 - y^2}) : x^2 + y^2 \leq 1\} \end{aligned}$$

Parametric representation of a surface

A surface may also be described by

$$x = X(u, v), \quad y = Y(u, v), \quad z = Z(u, v),$$

where $u, v \in D$ and D is a connected subset of the uv -plane, for example, plane region like circle, rectangle, etc.

Definition: A continuous function $R : D \subset \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ is called a **parametric surface** in \mathbb{R}^3 . The image $S := R(D)$ is called a **geometric surface** in \mathbb{R}^3 .

If the surface has an explicit representation given by a continuous function $z = f(x, y)$, $(x, y) \in D$, then

$$R(x, y) = x \hat{i} + y \hat{j} + f(x, y) \hat{k}$$

is a parametric representation.

Parametric representation of a sphere of radius a

If we take spherical coordinates, then

$$x = X(\theta, \phi) = a \sin \phi \cos \theta,$$

$$y = Y(\theta, \phi) = a \sin \phi \sin \theta,$$

$$z = Z(\theta, \phi) = a \cos \phi,$$

where $0 \leq \phi \leq \pi$, $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$. This gives a parametric representation of the sphere:

$$R(\phi, \theta) = a \sin \phi \cos \theta \hat{i} + a \sin \phi \sin \theta \hat{j} + a \cos \phi \hat{k},$$

where $0 \leq \phi \leq \pi$, $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$.

Parametric representation of a cone

We find a parametrization of the cone

$$z = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}, \quad 0 \leq z \leq 1$$

Here cylindrical coordinates provide everything we need.

$$x(r, \theta) = r \cos \theta, \quad y(r, \theta) = r \sin \theta, \quad z = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = r.$$

Also $0 \leq r \leq 1$ and $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$.

So the required parametrization is

$$R(r, \theta) = r \cos \theta \hat{i} + r \sin \theta \hat{j} + r \hat{k}, \quad 0 \leq r \leq 1, \quad 0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi.$$

Smooth parametric surface

Let $R : D \subset \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be a parametric surface and let $R(u, v) = (x(u, v), y(u, v), z(u, v))$. Then the partial derivatives of R , when exist, are given by

$$R_u = (x_u, y_u, z_u) \text{ and } R_v = (x_v, y_v, z_v).$$

The surface $S = R(D)$ is said to be **smooth** if R is C^1 and $R_u \times R_v \neq 0$ for $(u, v) \in D$.

Assumptions:

- D is connected
- R is injective except possibly on the boundary of D
- R is C^1 and $R_u \times R_v \neq 0$ for $(u, v) \in D$.

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Surface Integration: Scalar surface integrals

Let S be a surface parametrized by $R : D \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ such that R is C^1 . Let $f : S \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be bounded on S . Then the **surface integral** of f over S is given by

$$\iint_S f(x, y, z) d\sigma := \iint_D f(R(u, v)) \|R_u \times R_v\| du dv$$

whenever the double integral on the right exists.

Example: Evaluate the surface integral $\iint_S (x + y + z) d\sigma$ over the surface of the cylinder $x^2 + y^2 = 9, 0 \leq z \leq 4$.

Solution: Using the cylindrical coordinates, the surface can be represented as

$$R(\theta, z) = 3 \cos \theta \hat{i} + 3 \sin \theta \hat{j} + z \hat{k}$$

over the parameter domain $\{(\theta, z) : 0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi, 0 \leq z \leq 4\}$.

Surface Integration: Scalar surface integrals

Then $\|R_\theta \times R_z\| = \sqrt{9\cos^2\theta + 9\sin^2\theta} = 3$. The given integral is equal to

$$\begin{aligned}& \iint_S (x + y + z) d\sigma \\&= \iint_S (3\cos\theta + 3\sin\theta + z) \|R_\theta \times R_z\| d\theta dz \\&= 3 \int_{z=0}^4 \int_{\theta=0}^{2\pi} (3\cos\theta + 3\sin\theta + z) d\theta dz \\&= 6\pi \int_0^4 z dz \\&= 48\pi.\end{aligned}$$

Oriented surface

Let S be a surface parametrized by a C^1 function $R : D \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$. Let \hat{n} denote the unit normal to S . Then,

$$\hat{n} = \frac{R_u \times R_v}{\|R_u \times R_v\|}.$$

If \hat{n} is a continuous function on D , then S together with \hat{n} is called an **oriented surface**, that is, the pair (S, \hat{n}) is called an **oriented surface**.

Example: $R_1(\phi, \theta) = a \sin \phi \cos \theta \hat{i} + a \sin \phi \sin \theta \hat{j} + a \cos \phi \hat{k}$, where $0 \leq \phi \leq \pi/2, 0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$.

Then $\hat{n}_1 = \frac{\frac{\partial R_1}{\partial \phi} \times \frac{\partial R_1}{\partial \theta}}{\|\frac{\partial R_1}{\partial \phi} \times \frac{\partial R_1}{\partial \theta}\|} = \frac{1}{a} R_1(\phi, \theta)$ is the normal.

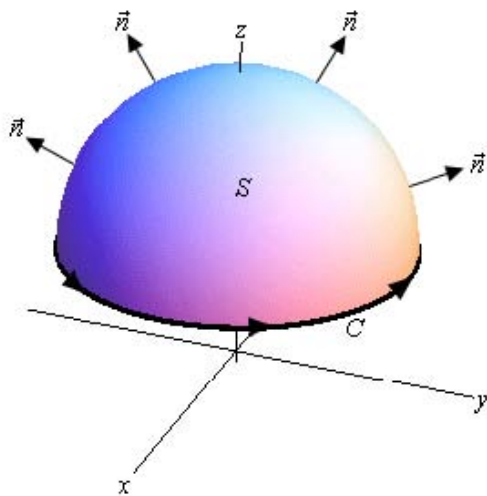


Figure : Orientation induced by $R_1(\phi, \theta)$

Surface integrals of vector fields

Let (S, \hat{n}) be an oriented surface in R^3 and let $F : S \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be a continuous vector field. Then $F \bullet \hat{n}$ is the **normal component** of F .

The **surface integral** of F (also called the **flux integral**) over the **oriented surface** (S, \hat{n}) is defined as

$$\iint_S F \bullet \hat{n} d\sigma.$$

If $S = R(D)$, where R is a smooth parametrization of S over the parameter domain D , then

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_S F \bullet \hat{n} d\sigma &= \iint_D F(R(u, v)) \bullet \frac{R_u \times R_v}{\|R_u \times R_v\|} \|R_u \times R_v\| du dv \\ &= \iint_D F(R(u, v)) \bullet (R_u \times R_v) du dv. \end{aligned}$$

Example

Let $F(x, y, z) := (z, y, x)$. Evaluate the flux integral $\iint_S F \bullet \hat{n} d\sigma$ over the unit sphere $S : x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$.

We have

$$R(u, v) = (\sin u \cos v, \sin u \sin v, \cos u), (u, v) \in [0, \pi] \times [0, 2\pi],$$

$$R_u \times R_v = (\sin^2 u \cos v, \sin^2 u \sin v, \sin u \cos u).$$

Thus

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_S F \bullet \hat{n} d\sigma &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^\pi (2 \sin^2 u \cos u \cos v + \sin^3 u \sin^2 v) du dv \\ &= \frac{4\pi}{3}. \end{aligned}$$

One more example: Surface over the xz -plane

Find the outward flux of $F = yz \hat{i} + x \hat{j} - z^2 \hat{k}$ through the parabolic cylinder $y = x^2$, $0 \leq x \leq 1$, $0 \leq z \leq 4$.

Step 1: Writing the Parametric Equation of S

We parameterize S by the equation

$$\phi(x, z) = (x, x^2, z) \quad \text{for } (x, z) \in D$$

where $D = \{(x, z) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : 0 \leq x \leq 1, 0 \leq z \leq 4\}$ in the xz -plane.

Step 2: Computing $\phi_x \times \phi_z$

$$\phi_x = (1, 2x, 0) \quad \text{and} \quad \phi_z = (0, 0, 1).$$

$$\phi_x \times \phi_z = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 1 & 2x & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 2x \hat{i} - \hat{j}$$

Example (cont.)

Step 3: Evaluation of the Vector Surface Integral

$$\begin{aligned}& \iint_S F \bullet \hat{n} \, d\sigma \\&= \iint_D F(\phi(x, z)) \bullet (\phi_x \times \phi_z) \, dx \, dz \\&= \int_{x=0}^1 \int_{z=0}^4 (2xyz - x) \, dz \, dx \\&= \int_{x=0}^1 \int_{z=0}^4 (2x^3z - x) \, dz \, dx \quad (\text{By putting } y = x^2) \\&= \int_{x=0}^1 (16x^3 - 4x) \, dx \\&= 2.\end{aligned}$$

Curl of a vector field

$F(x, y, z) = M(x, y, z) \hat{i} + N(x, y, z) \hat{j} + P(x, y, z) \hat{k}$ for $(x, y, z) \in D \subset \mathbb{R}^3$.

The **curl** of F is denoted by $\text{curl}(F)$ and is defined by

$$\begin{aligned}\text{curl} F &= \nabla \times F = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ M(x, y, z) & N(x, y, z) & P(x, y, z) \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \left(\frac{\partial P}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial N}{\partial z} \right) \hat{i} - \left(\frac{\partial P}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial M}{\partial z} \right) \hat{j} + \left(\frac{\partial N}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial M}{\partial y} \right) \hat{k}\end{aligned}$$

Stoke's Theorem (3-D version of Green's Theorem)

Stoke's Theorem: Assume that S is a smooth parametric surface, say $S = R(D)$, where D is a region in the uv -plane bounded by a closed, simple, piecewise smooth curve Γ . Assume that R is C^2 and one-to-one on some open set containing $D \cup \Gamma$. Let C denote the image of Γ , that is, $C = R(\Gamma)$. Let $F(x, y, z) = M(x, y, z)\hat{i} + N(x, y, z)\hat{j} + P(x, y, z)\hat{k}$ be a continuously differentiable vector field on S . Then

$$\oint_C F \bullet dr = \oint_C M dx + N dy + P dz = \iint_S (\text{curl}(F) \bullet \hat{n}) d\sigma,$$

where $\hat{n} = (R_u \times R_v) / \|R_u \times R_v\|$. The curve Γ is traversed in the positive (counterclockwise) direction and the curve C is traversed in the direction inherited from Γ through R .

Example

Verify Stoke's Theorem for the vector field

$F(x, y, z) = 2z \hat{i} + 3x \hat{j} + 5y \hat{k}$ taking S to be the portion of the paraboloid $z = 4 - x^2 - y^2$ for which $z \geq 0$.

The boundary curve of S is the circle $C : x^2 + y^2 = 4$ in the xy -plane with counterclockwise direction.

$C : r(t) = 2 \cos t \hat{i} + 2 \sin t \hat{j} + 0 \hat{k}$ for $t \in [0, 2\pi]$.

$$\begin{aligned}\oint_C F \bullet dr &= \int_C 2z dx + 3x dy + 5y dz \\&= \int_{t=0}^{2\pi} (0 + (6 \cos t)(2 \cos t) + 0) dt = \int_{t=0}^{2\pi} 12 \cos^2 t dt \\&= 12 \left[\frac{t}{2} + \frac{\sin(2t)}{4} \right]_{t=0}^{2\pi} = 12\pi .\end{aligned}$$

Example (cont.)

$$\operatorname{curl}(F) = 5\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k} .$$

$$\hat{n} = \frac{2x\hat{i} + 2y\hat{j} + \hat{k}}{\sqrt{1 + 4x^2 + 4y^2}} .$$

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_S (\operatorname{curl}(F) \bullet \hat{n}) \, d\sigma &= \iint_S \frac{(5\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}) \bullet (2x\hat{i} + 2y\hat{j} + \hat{k})}{\sqrt{1 + 4x^2 + 4y^2}} \, d\sigma \\ &= \iint_S \frac{10x + 4y + 3}{\sqrt{1 + 4x^2 + 4y^2}} \, d\sigma \\ &= \int_{\theta=0}^{2\pi} \int_{r=0}^2 (10r \cos \theta + 4r \sin \theta + 3) \, r \, dr \, d\theta \\ &= \int_{\theta=0}^{2\pi} \left(\frac{80}{3} \cos \theta + \frac{32}{3} \sin \theta + 6 \right) \, d\theta = 12\pi . \end{aligned}$$

Thus,

$$\oint_C F \bullet dr = 12\pi = \iint_S (\operatorname{curl}(F) \bullet \hat{n}) \, d\sigma .$$

Example

Find $\iint_S \text{curl}(F) \bullet \hat{n} d\sigma$, where $F(x, y, x) = (y^2, xy, xz)$ and S is the upper hemisphere of the unit sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$.

Solution: Using Stoke's theorem, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \iint_S (\text{curl}(F) \bullet \hat{n}) d\sigma \\ &= \oint_C [y^2 dx + xy dy + xz dz] \quad (C := \{(x, y, 0) : x^2 + y^2 = 1\}) \\ &= \int_{\theta=0}^{2\pi} [\sin^2 \theta (-\sin \theta) + \cos^2 \theta \sin \theta] d\theta \\ &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

Gauss's Divergence Theorem

Divergence Theorem: Let $V \subset \mathbb{R}^3$ be a solid region bounded by an oriented closed surface S , and let \hat{n} be the unit outward normal to S . Let $F = (P, Q, R)$ be a C^1 vector field on any open subset of \mathbb{R}^3 containing $V \cup S$. Then

$$\iint_S F \bullet \hat{n} d\sigma = \iiint_V \operatorname{div}(F) dV,$$

where $\operatorname{div}(F) = \frac{\partial P}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial Q}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial R}{\partial z}$.

Gauss's Divergence Theorem

Example: Evaluate $\iint_S F \bullet \hat{n} d\sigma$ using Divergence Thm, where $F(x, y, z) = (x + y)\hat{i} + z^2\hat{j} + x^2\hat{k}$ and S is the surface of $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1, z \geq 0$, \hat{n} being the outer normal.

Solution: By Divergence Theorem,

$$\iiint_D \operatorname{div} F \, dV = \iint_S F \bullet \hat{n} d\sigma + \iint_{S_1} F \bullet \hat{n}_1 d\sigma,$$

where \hat{n} is the outer normal to S and \hat{n}_1 is the outer normal to

$S_1 = \{(x, y, 0) : x^2 + y^2 \leq 1\}$ and

$D = \{(x, y, z) : x^2 + y^2 + z^2 \leq 1, z \geq 0\}$.

We have $\operatorname{div} F = 1$ and hence $\iiint_D \operatorname{div} F \, dV = \frac{2}{3}\pi$. Now,

$$\iint_{S_1} F \bullet \hat{n}_1 d\sigma = \iint_{S_1} [(x+y)\hat{i} + z^2\hat{j} + x^2\hat{k}] \bullet (-\hat{k}) d\sigma = - \iint_{S_1} x^2 d\sigma = -\pi/4.$$

Hence,

$$\iint_S F \bullet \hat{n} d\sigma = \iiint_D \operatorname{div} F \, dV - \iint_{S_1} F \bullet \hat{n}_1 d\sigma = \frac{2\pi}{3} + \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{11}{12}\pi.$$