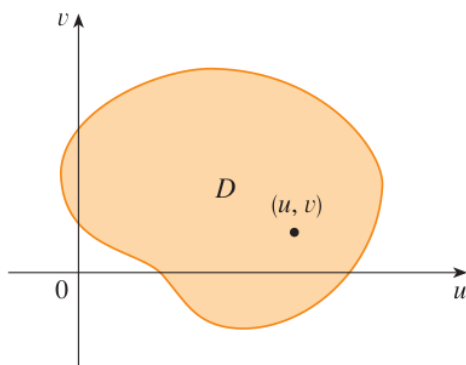
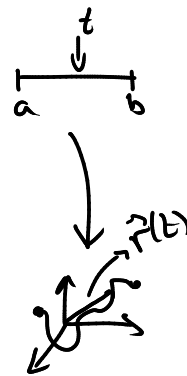
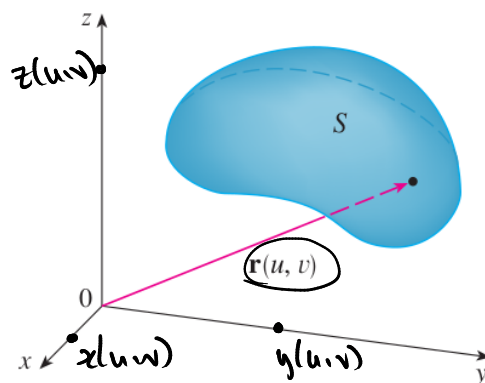


## 16.6 Parametric surfaces and Their Areas.



$\vec{r}$



Vector expression.

Need three fcts  $x, y, z: D \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

$$\vec{r}(u, v) = \langle x(u, v), y(u, v), z(u, v) \rangle$$

$$\vec{r}(u) = \langle x(u), y(u), z(u) \rangle$$

Parametric equations.

Given by

$$x = x(u, v)$$

$$y = y(u, v)$$

$$z = z(u, v)$$

**EXAMPLE 1** Identify and sketch the surface with vector equation

$$\vec{r}(u, v) = 2 \cos u \mathbf{i} + v \mathbf{j} + 2 \sin u \mathbf{k}$$

$$x(u, v) = 2 \cos u, \quad y(u, v) = v, \quad z(u, v) = 2 \sin u.$$

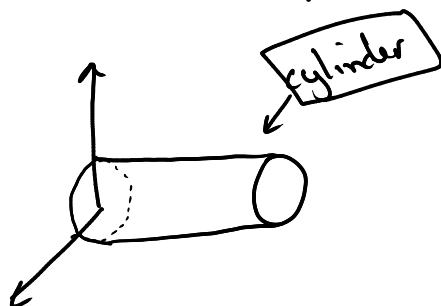
So,

$$x^2 + z^2 = 2^2 \cos^2 u + 2^2 \sin^2 u = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + z^2 = 4 \quad \rightarrow \text{circle.}$$

Now,  $y = v$  (no restriction on  $v$ )

$\rightarrow$  translate the circle  $x^2 + z^2 = 4$  along the  $y$ -axis.

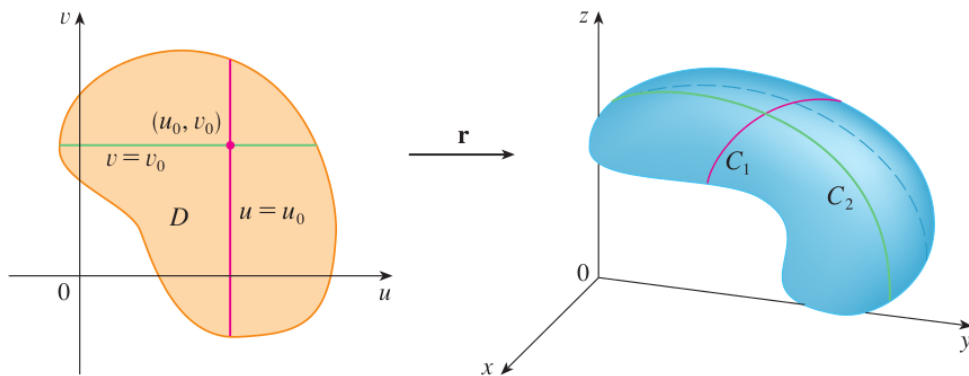


Question: What happen to the surface if we restric one of the parameter?

Fix  $u = 0$ , then

$$\vec{r}(v) \leftarrow \vec{r}(0, v) = \langle x(0, v), y(0, v), z(0, v) \rangle$$

Grid curves.



$C_1: \vec{r}(u_0, v)$   
 $\hookrightarrow$  param. of a curve.

$C_2: \vec{r}(u, v_0)$   
 $\hookrightarrow$  param. of a curve.

**EXAMPLE 2** Use a computer algebra system to graph the surface

$$\mathbf{r}(u, v) = \langle (2 + \sin v) \cos u, (2 + \sin v) \sin u, u + \cos v \rangle$$

Which grid curves have  $u$  constant? Which have  $v$  constant?

Python:  $x = (2 + \sin v) \cos u$      $y = (2 + \sin v) \sin u$   
 or  
 software  $z = u + \cos v$

Grid curves.

$$u=0 \rightarrow \vec{r}(0, v) = \langle 2 + \sin v, 0, \cos v \rangle$$

$$= \langle 2, 0, 0 \rangle + \langle \sin v, 0, \cos v \rangle$$

$$v=0 \rightarrow \vec{r}(u, 0) = \langle 2 \cos u, 2 \sin u, u \rangle$$

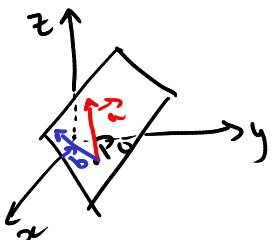
see python's script.

**EXAMPLE 3** Find a vector function that represents the plane that passes through the point  $P_0$  with position vector  $\mathbf{r}_0$  and that contains two nonparallel vectors  $\mathbf{a}$  and  $\mathbf{b}$ .

$$ax + by + cz = d$$

$$\vec{n} = \langle a, b, c \rangle$$

$$\vec{r} \cdot (\langle x, y, z \rangle - P_0) = 0$$



The points on the plane are obtained by moving along the direction of  $\vec{a}$  and  $\vec{b}$

1st) Move to  $P_0$ .

2nd) Move in the direction  $\vec{a}$  &/or  $\vec{b}$ .

$$P_0 = \vec{r}_0$$

$$\rightarrow \boxed{\vec{r}(u, v) = \vec{r}_0 + u\vec{a} + v\vec{b}}$$

**EXAMPLE 4** Find a parametric representation of the sphere

$$x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = a^2$$

$$\begin{matrix} a=2 \\ a=3 \end{matrix}$$



Recall:  $x = \rho \cos \theta \sin \phi$      $y = \rho \sin \theta \sin \phi$      $z = \rho \cos \phi$

Fix  $\rho = a$ ,     $u = \theta$  &     $v = \phi$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{r}(u, v) = \langle a \cos u \sin v, a \sin u \sin v, a \cos v \rangle$$

$$0 \leq u \leq 2\pi \quad 0 \leq v \leq \pi$$

$x, y$  as parameters

$$\vec{r}_+(x, y) = \langle x, y, \sqrt{a^2 - x^2 - y^2} \rangle$$

**EXAMPLE 6** Find a vector function that represents the elliptic paraboloid  $z = x^2 + 2y^2$ .

Simple sol.

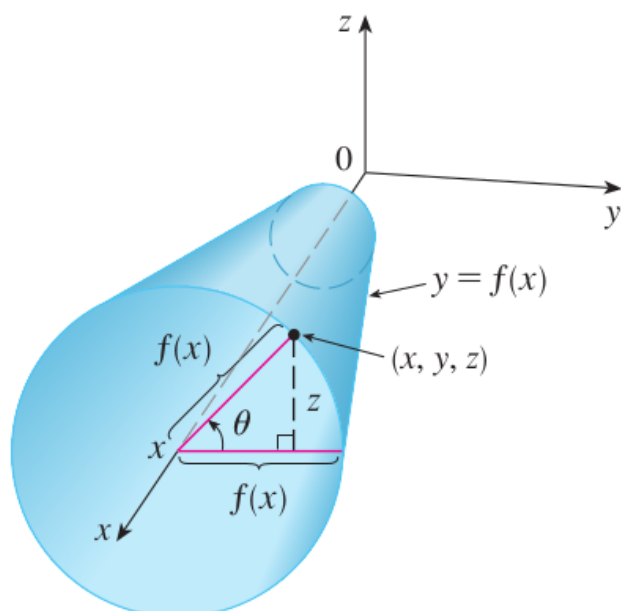
$$\begin{matrix} u=x \\ v=y \end{matrix} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \vec{r}(u, v) = \left\langle \underbrace{u}_x, \underbrace{v}_y, \underbrace{u^2 + 2v^2}_z \right\rangle$$

More interesting approach.

**EXAMPLE 7** Find a parametric representation for the surface  $z = 2\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$ , that is, the top half of the cone  $z^2 = 4x^2 + 4y^2$ .

## Surfaces of revolution.

Equations.

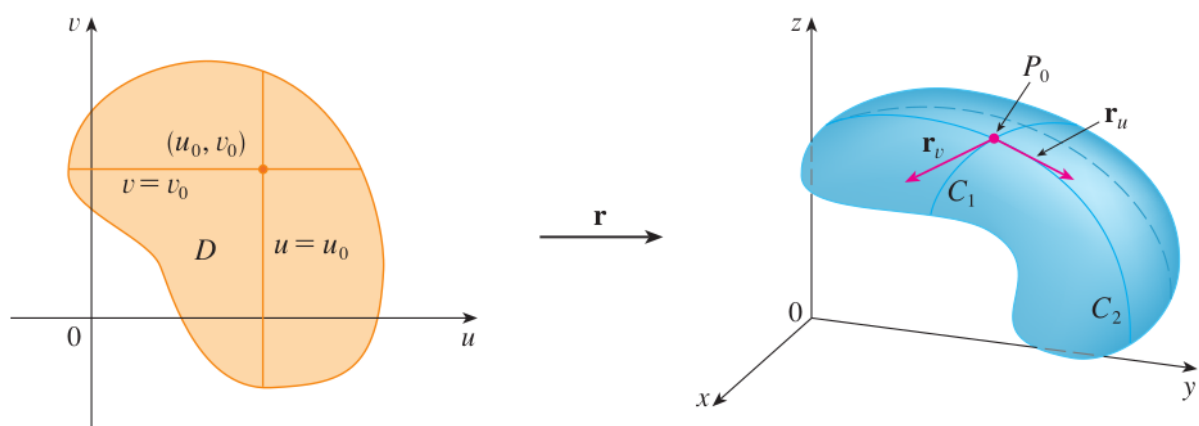


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**EXAMPLE 8** Find parametric equations for the surface generated by rotating the curve  $y = \sin x$ ,  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ , about the  $x$ -axis. Use these equations to graph the surface of revolution.

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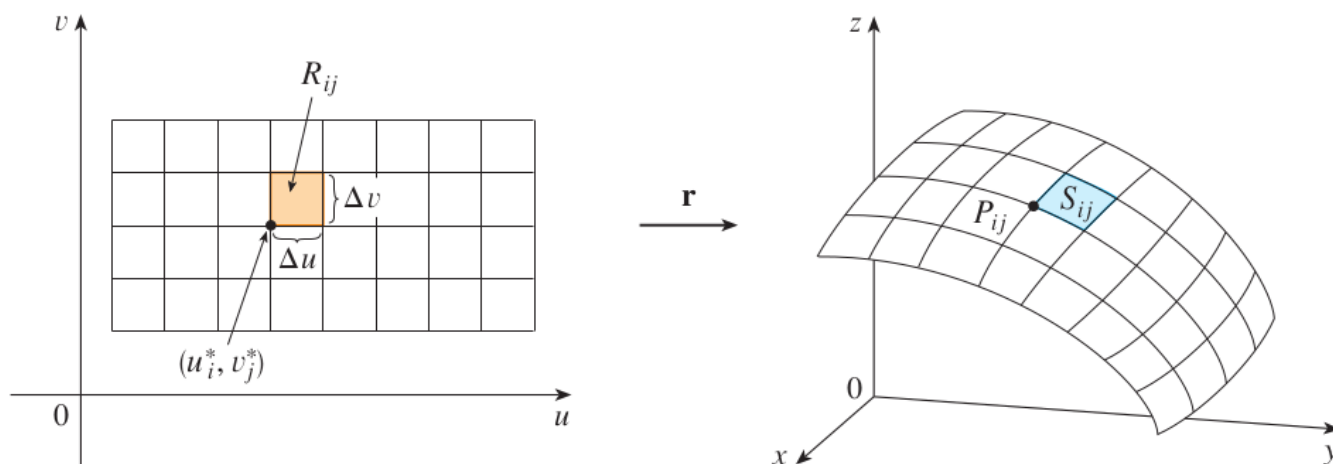
Question: What are the equations of a surface obtained by rotating a function about another axis?



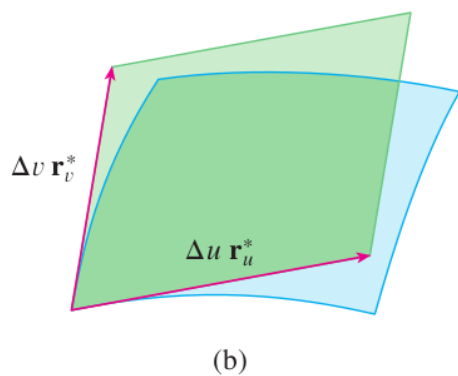
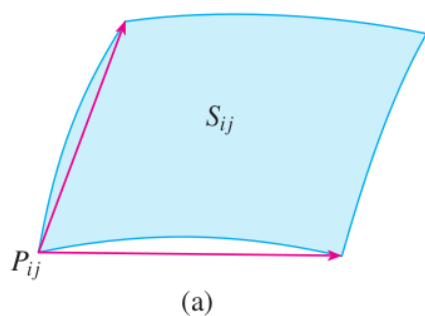
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**EXAMPLE 9** Find the tangent plane to the surface with parametric equations  $x = u^2$ ,  $y = v^2$ ,  $z = u + 2v$  at the point  $(1, 1, 3)$ .

## Surface Area.



Closer look.



**6 Definition** If a smooth parametric surface  $S$  is given by the equation

$$\mathbf{r}(u, v) = x(u, v) \mathbf{i} + y(u, v) \mathbf{j} + z(u, v) \mathbf{k} \quad (u, v) \in D$$

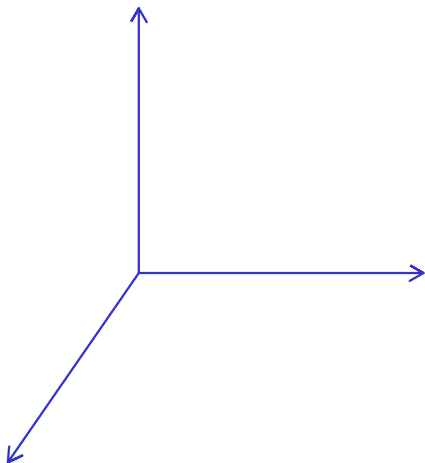
and  $S$  is covered just once as  $(u, v)$  ranges throughout the parameter domain  $D$ , then the **surface area** of  $S$  is

$$A(S) = \iint_D |\mathbf{r}_u \times \mathbf{r}_v| dA$$

where  $\mathbf{r}_u = \frac{\partial x}{\partial u} \mathbf{i} + \frac{\partial y}{\partial u} \mathbf{j} + \frac{\partial z}{\partial u} \mathbf{k}$   $\mathbf{r}_v = \frac{\partial x}{\partial v} \mathbf{i} + \frac{\partial y}{\partial v} \mathbf{j} + \frac{\partial z}{\partial v} \mathbf{k}$

- 41.** The part of the plane  $x + 2y + 3z = 1$  that lies inside the cylinder  $x^2 + y^2 = 3$  (Find the area)

## Surface Area of a Graph of a Function.



$$A(S) = \iint_D \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial y}\right)^2} dA$$

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**EXAMPLE 11** Find the area of the part of the paraboloid  $z = x^2 + y^2$  that lies under the plane  $z = 9$ .