

1 Multiple Integrals

1.1 Double Integrals over Rectangles

Recall that $\int_a^b f(x)dx$ gives the area under the curve from $x = a$ to $x = b$.

Also, $\int_a^b f(x)dx = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=1}^n f(x_k^*) \Delta x_k$ (Riemann sums)

Now we have volume.

Volume Problem: Given a function of 2 variables that is continuous and non-negative on a region R in the xy -plane, find the volume of the solid enclosed between the surface $z = f(x, y)$ and the xy -plane.

Plan:

1. Partition R in rectangles.
2. Choose a point (x_k^*, y_k^*) in each rectangle.
3. Map onto z .
4. Form parallelepiped.

We can then approximate the volume using rectangular parallelepipeds.

Volume \approx area of rectangle \times height \rightarrow Volume $\approx \Delta A_k f(x_k^*, y_k^*)$.

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Volume = $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=1}^n f(x_k^*, y_k^*) \Delta A_k$ (this is the formal definition for the volume problem using Riemann sums)

If f has both positive and negative values, then the volume is the difference in volumes between R and the surface above and below the xy -plane.

Definition

If $f(x, y) \geq 0$, then the volume of the solid that lies above the rectangle R and below the surface $z = f(x, y)$ is:

$$\begin{aligned} V &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=1}^n f(x_k^*, y_k^*) \Delta A_k = \lim_{m, n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^m \sum_{j=1}^n f(x_k^*, y_k^*) \Delta A_k \\ &= \iint_R f(x, y) dA \end{aligned}$$

Example

Estimate the volume of the solid that lies above the square $R = [0, 2] \times [0, 2]$ and below $z = 16 - x^2 - 2y^2$. Divide R into 4 equal squares and choose the sample point to be the upper right corner of each square.

So $V = \iint_R (16 - x^2 - 2y^2) dA$.

This is $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=1}^n f(x_k^*, y_k^*) \Delta A_k$. We will use approximately 4 parallelepipeds.

We get $V \approx 1 \cdot f(1, 1) + 1 \cdot f(2, 1) + 1 \cdot f(1, 2) + 1 \cdot f(2, 2)$.

This is equal to $V \approx 34 \text{ u}^3$. This is an estimate.

Example

If $R = \{(x, y) \mid -1 \leq x \leq 1, -2 \leq y \leq 2\}$, evaluate $\iint_R \sqrt{1-x^2} dA$.

The graph will look like half of a cylinder.

The volume of a cylinder is $\pi r^2 h$.

$V = \frac{1}{2} \pi r^2 h = \frac{1}{2} \pi (1)^2 (4)$, so $\iint_R dA = 2\pi$.

Midpoint Rule - This tells us to evaluate $\iint_R f(x, y) dA$ using Riemann sums and midpoints.

Evaluating Double Integrals \rightarrow uses iterated integration.

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

This integral can be $dx dy$ or $dy dx$.

Example

Integrate $\int_0^3 \int_1^2 x^2 y dy dx$.

First integrate $\int_1^2 x^2 y dy$.

This is $x^2 \cdot \frac{1}{2} y^2$ from $y = 1$ to $y = 2$.

And then we have $\int_0^3 \left(\frac{1}{2} x^2 \cdot 2^2 - \frac{1}{2} x^2 \cdot 1^2 \right) dx$.

This is $\int_0^3 \frac{3}{2} x^2 dx = \frac{1}{2} x^3$ from $x = 0$ to $x = 3$, and the answer is $\frac{27}{2}$.

Example

Evaluate $\int_1^2 \int_0^3 x^2 y dx dy$.

First evaluate $\int_0^3 x^2 y dx$ to get $y \cdot \frac{1}{3} x^3$ from $x = 0$ to $x = 3$.

Then we have $\int_1^2 9y dy$ and this is $\frac{9}{2} y^2$ from $y = 1$ to $y = 2$, so the result of the integral is $\frac{27}{2}$.

$\frac{27}{2}$ in both cases is the area underneath $f(x, y) = x^2 y$ and above $R : [0, 3] \times [1, 2]$. Note that dx and dy are not always interchangeable.

Theorem 1.1: Fubini's Theorem

Let R be a rectangular region defined by $a \leq x \leq b$, $c \leq y \leq d$. If $f(x, y)$ is continuous on this rectangle, then:

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

Example

Evaluate $\iint_R (x - 3y^2) dA$ with $R = [0, 2] \times [1, 2]$.

The integral is $\int_0^2 \int_1^2 (x - 3y^2) dy dx$.

We start with the inner integral and get $xy - y^3$ from $y = 1$ to $y = 2$.

Then we evaluate $\int_0^2 (2x - 8) - (1x - 1) dx$ to get $\int_0^2 (x - 7) dx$.

The result of this integral is -12 .

A few properties:

1. $\iint_R cf(x, y)dA = c \iint_R f(x, y)dA$
2. $\iint_R [f(x, y) \pm g(x, y)]dA = \iint_R f(x, y)dA \pm \iint_R g(x, y)dA$
3. $\iint_R f(x, y)dA = \iint_{R_1} f(x, y)dA + \iint_{R_2} f(x, y)dA$
4. $\iint_R g(x)h(y)dA = \int_a^b g(x) \int_c^d h(y)dy$ where $R = [a, b] \times [c, d]$.

Example

Evaluate $\iint_R \sin x \cos y dA$ where $R = [0, \frac{\pi}{2}] \times [0, \pi]$.

We can use the fourth property above to get $\int_0^{\pi/2} \sin x dx \cdot \int_0^{\pi} \cos y dy$.

We get $\cos x$ from 0 to $\pi/2$ and subtract $\sin y$ from 0 to π from this.

The answer is 0.

Example

Find the volume of the solid that is bounded above by $f(x, y) = y \sin(xy)$ and below by $R = [1, 2] \times [0, \pi]$.

$$V = \int_0^{\pi} \int_1^2 y \sin(xy) dx dy = \int_1^2 \int_0^{\pi} y \sin(y) dy dx.$$

The first option is better.

So we start with $y \cdot -\frac{1}{y} \cos(xy)$ from $x = 1$ to $x = 2$

$$\text{Then, } \int_0^{\pi} (-\cos 2y + \cos y) dy = 0.$$

$$\text{Average Value: } f_{avg} = \frac{1}{A(R)} \iint_R f(x, y) dA$$

Example

Find the average value of $f(x, y) = x^2 y$ over R with vertices $(-1, 0)$, $(-1, 5)$, $(1, 5)$, and $(1, 0)$.

The area of the rectangle is $A_R = 10$.

$$\text{Set up the integral to get } f_{avg} = \frac{1}{10} \int_{-1}^1 \int_0^5 x^2 y dy dx /$$

1.2 Double Integrals over General Regions

There are 2 Types of regions:

The biggest question is finding the limits of integration.

$$\text{So if we have } y \text{ in terms of } x, \text{ then we use } \iint_D f(x, y) dA = \int_{g_1(x)}^{g_2(x)} f(x, y) dy dx.$$

$$\text{If we have } x \text{ in terms of } y, \text{ then } \iint_D f(x, y) dA = \int_{h_1(y)}^{h_2(y)} f(x, y) dx dy$$

Example

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

We have both equations being $y = \text{something}$, so we are integrating with respect to y first in this case. Though the reason for this is mostly because we are integrating vertically.

So the integration is $\int_{-1}^1 \int_{2x^2}^{1+x^2} (x + 2y) dy dx$.

We then get $xy + y^2$ with limits of integration $y = 2x^2$ to $y = 1 + x^2$.

So this results in $\int_{-1}^1 [x(1+x^2) + (1+x^2)^2] - [x(2x^2) + (2x^2)^2] dx = \int_{-1}^1 (-3x^4 - x^3 + 2x^2 + x + 1) dx = \frac{32}{15}$.

Example

Set up only! Evaluate $\iint_R xy dA$ where R is the region bounded by $y = -x + 1$, $y = x + 1$, and $y = 3$.

Draw to see the region. We can see from the graph that integrating by x first is probably the better idea, because y would require 2 double integrals.

So setting up the integral gives $\int_1^3 \int_{1-y}^{y-1} xy dx dy$. (Setting the equations in terms of $x =$)

Example

Find the volume of the solid that lies under $z = xy$ and above D where D is the region bounded by $y = x - 1$ and $y^2 = 2x + 6$.

By drawing this, we see we will go by dx first.

Setting up the integral is $\int_{-2}^4 \int_{\frac{1}{2}y^2-3}^{y+1} xy dx dy$.

Starting the integration, we get $\frac{1}{2}x^2y$ with the limits of the first integral.

This gives $\frac{1}{2} \int_{-2}^4 (y+1)^2 \cdot y - (\frac{1}{2}y^2-3)^2 \cdot y dy$.

Simplifying some more gives $\frac{1}{2} \int_{-2}^4 -\frac{1}{4}y^5 + 4y^3 + 2y^2 - 8y dy$ and this gives 36 as an answer.

Example

$$\int_0^1 \int_x^1 \sin(y^2) dy dx$$

If we draw the region, we have $y = 1$ and $y = x$.

We go from $x = 0$ to $x = y$ and for the y limits, we go from 0 to 1.

Therefore the integral is $\int_0^1 \int_0^y \sin(y^2) dx dy$.

Solving this integral gives $-\frac{1}{2} \cos(1) + \frac{1}{2}$.

Example

Use a double integral to find the area of the region enclosed between $y = x^3$ and $y = 2x$ in the first quadrant.

Set up the integral $A = \int_0^{\sqrt{2}} \int_{x^3}^{2x} x$ to get the area.

Exercise Evaluate by reversing the order of integration: $\int_0^2 \int_{y/2}^1 e^{x^2} dx dy$.

1.3 Double Integrals in Polar Coordinates

Recall that polar coordinates are in form (r, θ) and rectangular coordinates are in (x, y) .

In polar, for the unit circle, we can write $0 \leq r \leq 1$ or $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$.

We have 3 equations for converting:

- $r^2 = x^2 + y^2$
- $x = r \cos \theta$
- $y = r \sin \theta$

To find the volume, the process is similar to the Riemann sum process for double integrals.

$$V = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=1}^n f(r_k^*, \theta_k^*) \Delta A_k = \iint f(r, \theta) dA$$

In the above, ΔA_k represents the area of the polar rectangle.

Now we need to find the area of a polar rectangle.

First we know that the area of a sector is $\frac{1}{2}r^2\theta$ and that ΔA_k is the large sector minus the little sector.

Therefore we have $\frac{1}{2}(r_k^* + \frac{1}{2}\Delta r_k)^2 \Delta\theta_k - \frac{1}{2}(r_k^* - \frac{1}{2}\Delta r_k)^2 \Delta\theta_k$.

And this simplifies to $r_k^* \Delta r_k \Delta\theta_k$, so $\Delta A_k = r_k^* \Delta r_k \Delta\theta_k$.

So, $V = \iint_R f(r, \theta) dA = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=1}^n f(r_k^*, \theta_k^*) r_k^* \Delta r_k \Delta\theta_k$.

So we have

$$V = \iint_R f(r, \theta) r dr d\theta$$

Example

Find $\iint_R \sin \theta dA$ where R is the region outside the circle $r = 2$ and inside $r = 2 + 2 \cos \theta$ in the 1st quadrant.

We see that the circle will be hit first, then the other polar curve.

So the integral is $\int_0^{\pi/2} \int_2^{2+2\cos\theta} \sin \theta \cdot r dr d\theta$.

Note the outer integral goes to $\frac{\pi}{2}$ because that is the first quadrant.

So the inner integral becomes $\sin \theta \cdot \frac{1}{2}r^2$ from the bounds $r = 2$ to $r = 2 + 2 \cos \theta$.

We then integrate $\frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin \theta [(2 + 2 \cos \theta)^2 - 2^2] d\theta$.

Solving this gives $8/3$.

Example

Find the volume of the solid bounded by $z = 0$ and $z = 1 - x^2 - y^2$.

The graph of $z = 1 - x^2 - y^2$ will be a paraboloid.

So R is a circle with radius 1 when we draw this paraboloid.

We could integrate as $V = \int_{-1}^1 \int_{-\sqrt{1-x^2}}^{\sqrt{1-x^2}} (1 - x^2 - y^2) dy dx$, or we could convert to polar.

In polar, we know R is a circle and then we can convert to polar to get $\int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 (1 - r^2) \cdot r dr d\theta$, which is equal to $V = \frac{\pi}{2}$.

Area is the same as before, recall this was $A = \iint_R 1 \cdot dA$, and now it is $\iint_R r dr d\theta$.

Example

Use a double integral to find the area enclosed by one loop of the four-leaf rose of $r = \cos 2\theta$.

If you know how to draw this, then we can find the area $A = \int_{-\pi/4}^{\pi/4} \int_0^{\cos 2\theta} r dr d\theta$, and this integral is simple to solve, the answer is $\pi/8$.

Example

Find the volume of the solid that lies under $z = x^2 + y^2$, above the xy -plane, and inside $x^2 + y^2 = 2x$.

The graph $x^2 + y^2 = 2x$ can be rearranged to complete the square. We have then $(x - 1)^2 + y^2 = 1$.

So if we were to convert $x^2 + y^2$ to polar, we get r^2 .

We have $r^2 = 2r \cos \theta$ and $r = 2 \cos \theta$.

The integral then we get $\int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \int_0^{2 \cos \theta} (r^2) \cdot r dr d\theta$.

The integral is $V = \frac{3\pi}{2}$

1.4 Surface Area

The formula for surface area is

$$A(S) = \lim_{n \rightarrow 0} \sum_{k=1}^n \sqrt{(z_x)^2 + (z_y)^2 + 1} \Delta A$$

which becomes

$$A(S) = \iint_R \sqrt{(z_x)^2 + (z_y)^2 + 1} dA$$

Example

Find the surface area of the part of the surface $z = x^2 + 2y$ that lies above the triangular region with vertices $(0, 0)$, $(1, 0)$, and $(1, 1)$.

$z = x^2 + 2y$, $z_x = 2x$ and $z_y = 2$.

So $A(S) = \int_0^1 \int_0^x \sqrt{(2x)^2 + (2)^2 + 1} dy dx$.

This integral gives $\frac{1}{12}(27 - 5\sqrt{5})$.

Example

Find the surface area of the portion of $z = x^2 + y^2$ below the plane $z = 9$.

Paraboloid!

The integral is $A(S) = \iint_R \sqrt{(2x)^2 + (2y)^2 + 1} dA$.

We might be able to see that simplifying this gives $4x^2 + 4y^2 + 1$ inside the square root, and we have an $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ in the paraboloid.

We should use polar.

So we now have $\int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^3 \sqrt{4r^2 + 1} \cdot r dr d\theta$.

This gives you $\frac{\pi}{6}(37^{3/2} - 1)$.

Example

Find the surface area of $z = \sqrt{4 - x^2}$ above $R : [0, 1] \times [0, 4]$.

Setting up the integral gives $\iint_R \sqrt{\left(-\frac{x}{\sqrt{4-x^2}}\right)^2 + 0^2 + 1}$.

It doesn't really matter the way we integrate, so we get $\int_0^1 \int_0^4 \sqrt{\frac{x^2}{4-x^2} + \frac{4-x^2}{4-x^2}} dy dx$.

This simplifies to $\int_0^1 \frac{8}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} dx$.

We notice that this becomes $8 \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{x}{2} \right)$ with bounds 0 to 1, and this gives $\frac{4\pi}{3}$.

1.5 Triple Integrals

1.6 Triple Integrals in Cylindrical Coordinates

1.7 Triple Integrals in Spherical Coordinates

1.8 Change of Variables in Multiple Integrals