

Integration in 2 dimensions

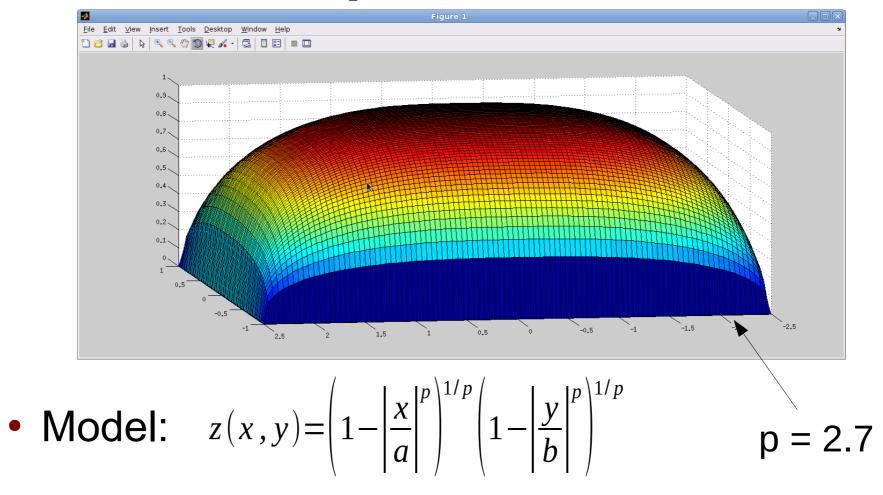
- Midpoint method in 2D
- Gaussian quadrature in 2D
- Extension to ND should be obvious after we think about 2D.

Example: Volume of tennis court



- Find volume of inflatable building.
- Useful computation for planning air conditioning (for example).

Compute volume using midpoint rule



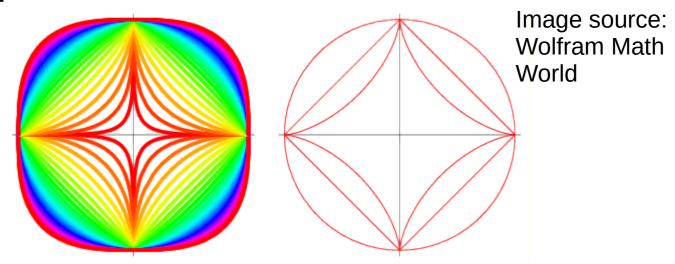
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- No closed form expression for integral?

Aside on superellipse

Superellipse

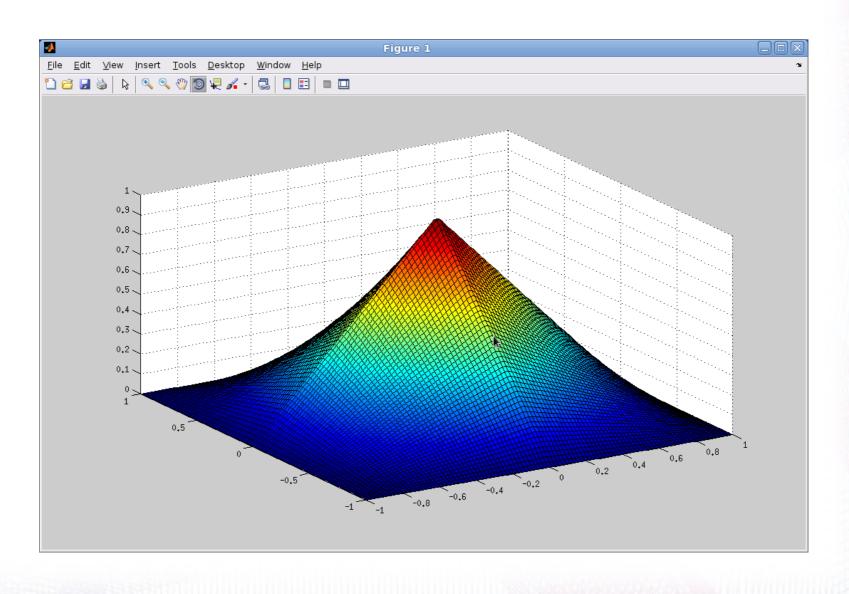
$$\left(\left|\frac{x}{a}\right|^p + \left|\frac{y}{b}\right|^p\right)^{1/p} = c$$

 Parameter p "tunes" the shape of the superellipse.

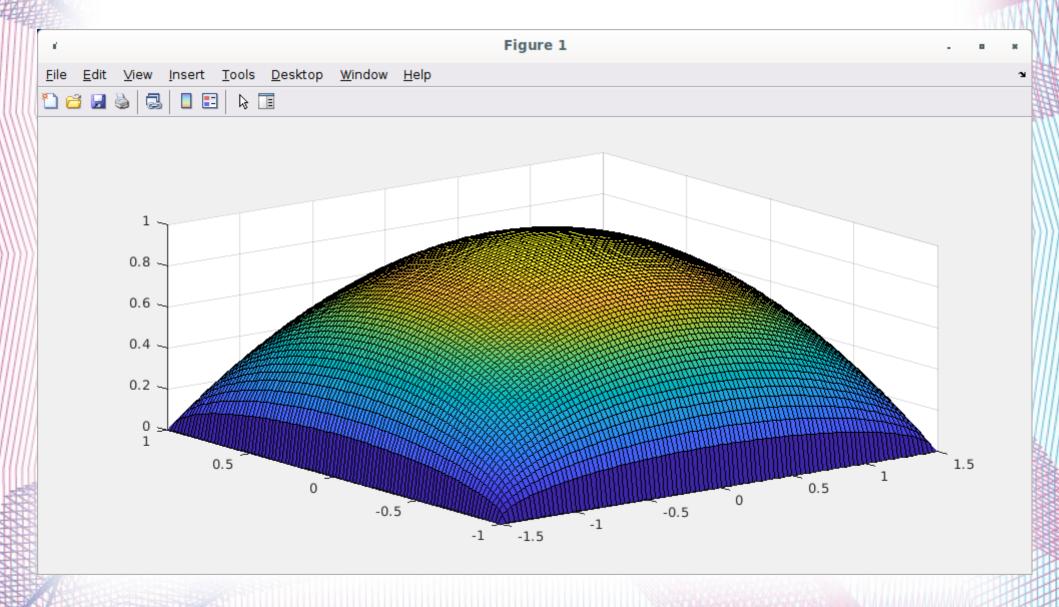


 I model tennis court as superellipse in x and y directions.

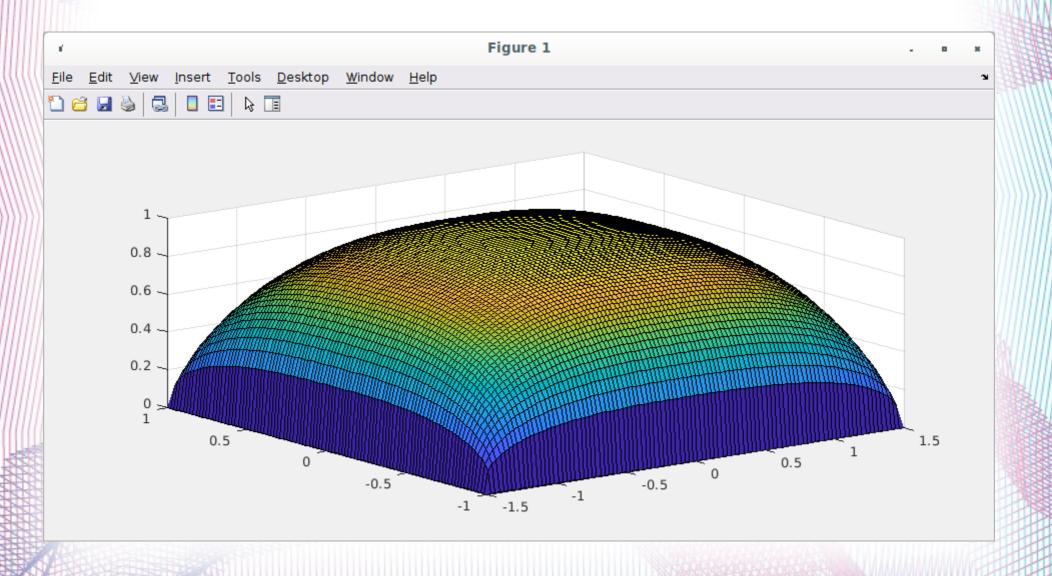
P = 1



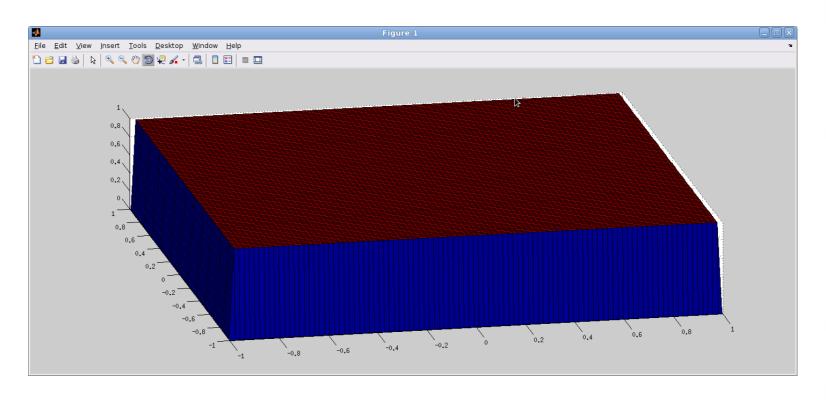
P = 2



P = 2.7



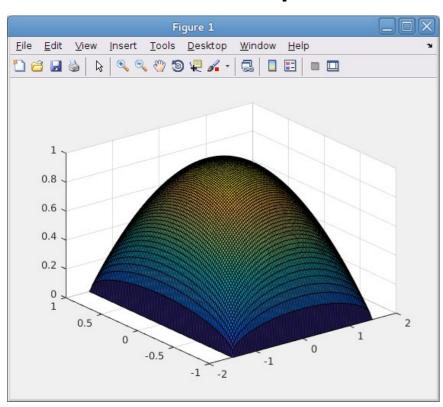
P = 1000

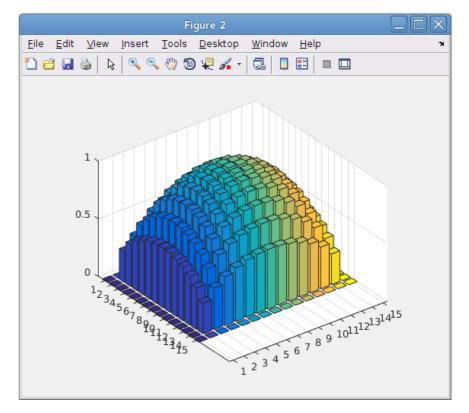


- Shape is a cuboid (rectangular cube)
- Good test case we can easily compute the volume

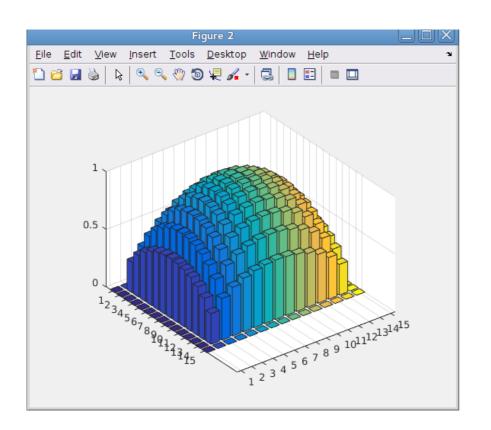
Simplest idea: 2D midpoint method

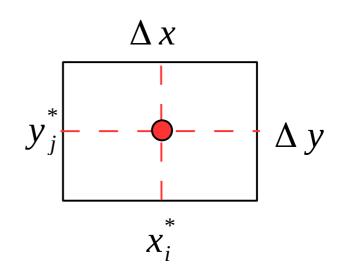
- 1. Divide region of interest up into rectangles (cells).
- 2. Compute integral using sum of function values at midpoints of cells.





2D midpoint method





$$I = \iint_{A} dx \, dy \, f(x, y) \approx \sum_{i=1}^{N_{x}} \sum_{j=1}^{N_{y}} f(x_{i}^{*}, y_{j}^{*}) \Delta x \Delta y$$

Star means evaluate the function at the mid point of the box.

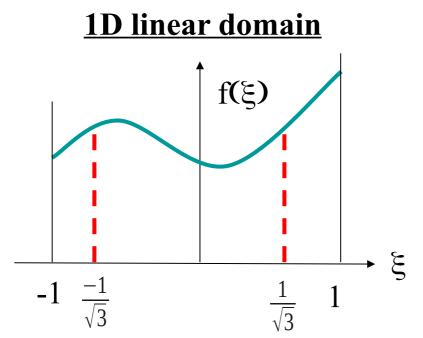
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% Chop up dome into smaller areas (cells)
x = linspace(-Lx/2, Lx/2, Nx);
dx = x(2) - x(1);
y = linspace(-Ly/2, Ly/2, Ny);
dy = y(2) - y(1);
% Now do midpoint-rule integration on each area
V = 0:
                  % Volume to compute
% Loop over sample points. Don't use last one because
% it is at an edge
for xidx=1:(Nx-1)
  for yidx=1:(Ny-1)
    % Find point in middle of rectangle
    x0 = x(xidx) + dx/2;
    y0 = y(yidx) + dy/2;
    % Add value of fcn at this point to the running volume sum.
    ss = s(dome, x0, y0);
    V = V + ss*dx*dy;
  end
end
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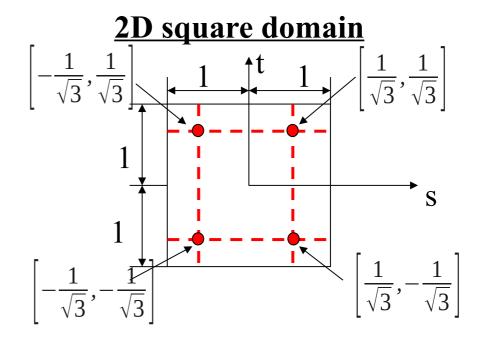
Midpoint rule in 2D

- Advantages:
 - Simple
- Disadvantages:
 - Not particularly accurate
 - Can't deal with non-rectangular domains.

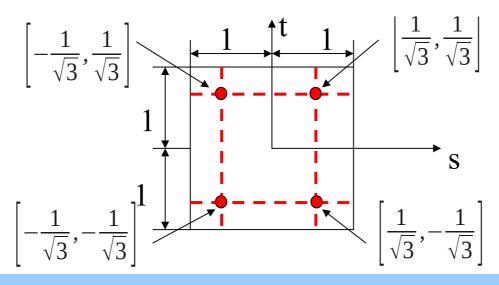
Can we use Gaussian quadrature directly in 2D?

Yes – combine mid-point method with 2D interpolants for f(x, y).





2D Gaussian Quadrature M = 2

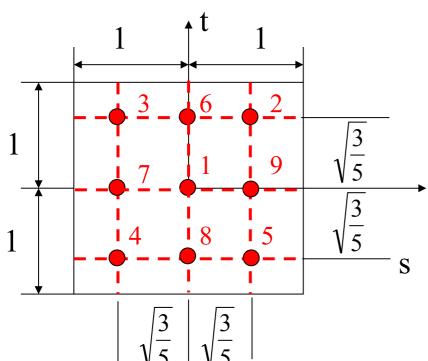


$$I = \int_{-1}^{1} ds \int_{-1}^{1} dt f(s,t) \approx \sum_{i=1}^{2} \sum_{j=1}^{2} w_{ij} f(s_{i},t_{j})$$

$$= f(r,r) + f(r,-r) + f(-r,r) + f(-r,-r)$$
with $r = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$ and $w_{ij}^{(2)} = w_{i}^{(1)} w_{j}^{(1)} = 1$

- 2D weights are products of 1D weights
- Formula is exact for product of two cubics

2D Gaussian Quadrature M = 3



$$w^{(2)}(1) = w_i^{(1)} w_j^{(1)} = \frac{8}{9} \cdot \frac{8}{9} = \frac{64}{81}$$

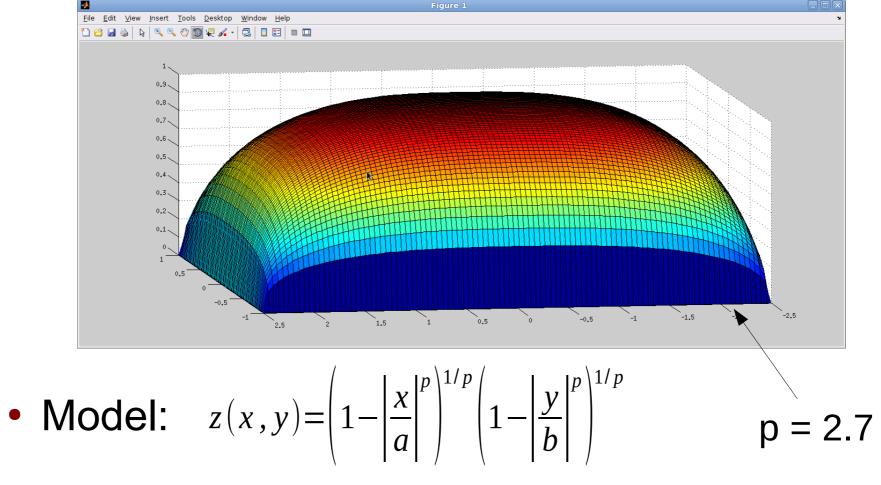
$$\frac{\sqrt{\frac{3}{5}}}{\sqrt{3}} \qquad w^{(2)}(2,3,4,5) = \frac{5}{9} \cdot \frac{5}{9} = \frac{25}{81}$$

$$w^{(2)}(6,7,8,9) = \frac{5}{9} \cdot \frac{8}{9} = \frac{40}{81}$$

$$I = \int_{-1}^{1} ds \int_{-1}^{1} dt f(s,t) \approx \sum_{i=1}^{3} \sum_{j=1}^{3} w_{ij} f(s_i,t_j)$$

- 2D weights are products of 1D weights
- Method is exact for product of two 5th degree polynomials

Compute volume using Gaussian quadrature

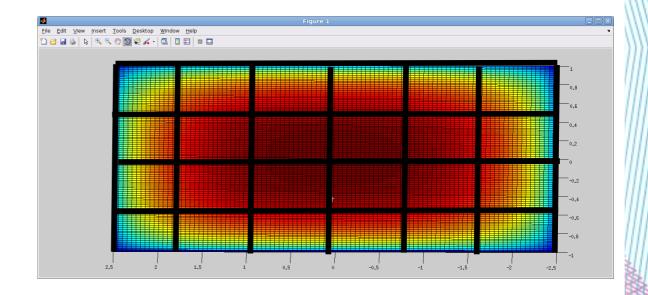


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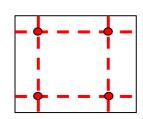
Compute integral using M=2 Gaussian Quadrature

$$V = \int_{-L_{x}/2}^{L_{x}/2} dx \int_{-L_{y}/2}^{L_{y}/2} dy \left(1 - \left(\frac{x}{a} \right)^{p} \right)^{1/p} \left(1 - \left(\frac{y}{b} \right)^{p} \right)^{1/p}$$

Chop domain into boxes:



 Do M=2 Gaussian quadrature on each box:



```
% Chop up dome into smaller areas
x = linspace(-Lx/2, Lx/2, Nx);
dx = x(2) - x(1);
y = linspace(-Ly/2, Ly/2, Ny);
dy = y(2) - y(1);
% Now do Gaussian quadrature integration on each area
       % Volume to compute
V = 0:
hx = dx/(2*sqrt(3)); % Define convenience variable.
hy = dy/(2*sqrt(3)); % Define convenience variable.
% Loop over sample points. Don't use last one because
% it is at an edge
for xidx=1:(Nx-1)
  for yidx=1:(Ny-1)
   % Find point in middle of rectangle
   x0 = x(xidx) + dx/2;
   y0 = y(yidx) + dy/2;
   % Now compute value of fcn at quadrature points
    spp = s(dome, x0 + hx, y0 + hy);
    spm = s(dome, x0 + hx, y0 - hy);
    smp = s(dome, x0 - hx, y0 + hy);
    smm = s(dome, x0 - hx, y0 - hy);
   V = V + (spp+spm+smp+smm)*dx*dy/4;
  end
end
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Test integration for different p

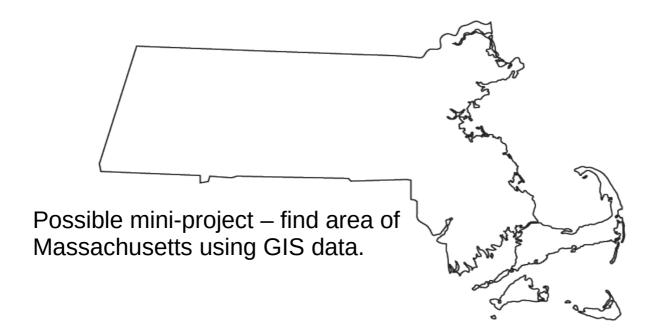
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Integrating dome with p=1. Answer should be 1.500000
Testing accuracy of 2D Gaussian quadrature
p = 1.000000, Vgauss = 1.500000, Vtrue = 1.500000, diff = 4.440892e-16 ... Passed!
Testing accuracy of 2D midpoint rule
p = 1.000000, Vmid = 1.500000, Vtrue = 1.500000, diff = 2.220446e-16 ... Passed!
Integrating dome with p=2. Answer should be 3.701102
Testing accuracy of 2D Gaussian quadrature
p = 2.000000, Vgauss = 3.701735, Vtrue = 3.701102, diff = -6.328837e-04 ... Passed!
Testing accuracy of 2D midpoint rule
p = 2.000000, Vmid = 3.855406, Vtrue = 3.701102, diff = -1.543042e-01 ... Failed
Integrating dome with p=4. Answer should be 5.156389
Testing accuracy of 2D Gaussian quadrature
p = 4.000000, Vgauss = 5.158872, Vtrue = 5.156389, diff = -2.482626e-03 ... Failed
Testing accuracy of 2D midpoint rule
p = 4.000000, Vmid = 5.347053, Vtrue = 5.156389, diff = -1.906632e-01 ... Failed
Integrating dome with p=10000. Answer should be 6.000000
Testing accuracy of 2D Gaussian quadrature
p = 10000.000000, Vgauss = 6.000000, Vtrue = 6.000000, diff = -1.776357e-15 ...
Passed!
Testing accuracy of 2D midpoint rule
p = 10000.000000, Vmid = 6.000000, Vtrue = 6.000000, diff = -1.776357e-15 ... Passed!
Using Gaussian quadrature, with p = 2.700000, tennis court volume = 4.463983
Using 2D midpoint rule, with p = 2.700000, tennis court volume = 4.652684
```

Remarks

- Accuracy will increase with:
 - Increased quadrature order (M)
 - Increased number of integration cells
- Extension to higher dimensions obvious.
- We still have not solved the problem of integration over irregular domains.

Integrating over odd-shaped boundaries

Example: Find area of Massachusetts



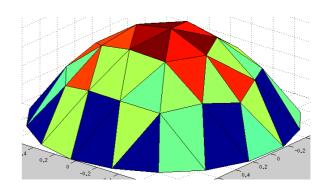
A note on integration

Find surface area of a domain

$$\iint\limits_{(x,y)\in A} dx\,dy\,1$$
 Possible mini-project – find area of Massachusetts using GIS data.

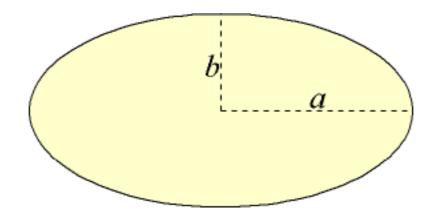
Integrate function over a domain

$$\iint_{(x,y)\in A} dx \, dy \, f(x,y)$$



Simple example: Area of Ellipse

• Classical formula: $A = \pi ab$

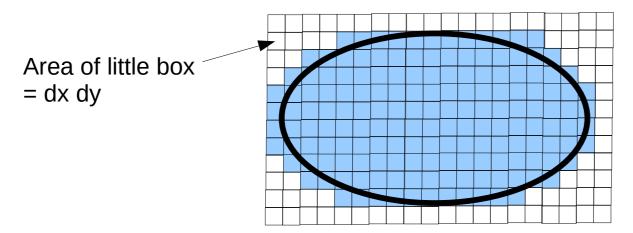


Points inside ellipse satisfy:

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} < 1$$

 Finding area is same as integrating over domain of function f(x, y) = 1.

Area of ellipse: count boxes



- Algorithm:
 - 1. Initialize: A = 0
 - 2. Loop over all boxes
 - 3. For each box, if $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} < 1$ then A = A + dx dy
 - 4. End loop
 - 5. Return A

The core of this algorithm involves knowing when we're inside or outside the boundary

If box is inside, add in area of small box.

Matlab code

```
function A = box count ellipse(a, b)
 % This fcn uses box counting to get the area of an
 % ellipse whose semi-major/minor axes are a, b.
 N = 10000;
 x = linspace(-a, a, N);
 y = linspace(-b, b, N);
 dx = x(2) - x(1);
 dy = y(2) - y(1);
 % Convenience definitions.
 a2 = a*a:
 b2 = b*b:
 A = 0; % Initialize A
 for ix = 1:N
   for iy = 1:N
     p = x(ix)*x(ix)/a2 + y(iy)*y(iy)/b2;
     if (p < 1)
       A = A + dx*dy;
     end
   end
 end
```

Include f(x, y) here if integrating a more complicated function than f(x, y) = 1.

end

Box counting results

• N = 100

```
>> test_ellipse_area_boxcount
Ellipse a, b = 1.0000000, 1.0000000 ...
Acomputed = 3.129477, Atrue = 3.141593, reldiff = -3.856665e-03
Ellipse a, b = 3.672186, 1.130595 ...
Acomputed = 12.992818, Atrue = 13.043121, reldiff = -3.856665e-03
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• N = 10000

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>> test_ellipse_area_boxcount
Ellipse a, b = 1.000000, 1.000000 ...
Acomputed = 3.141583, Atrue = 3.141593, reldiff = -3.172019e-06
Ellipse a, b = 1.952509, 0.541740 ...
Acomputed = 3.323019, Atrue = 3.323029, reldiff = -3.172641e-06
```

Box counting for ellipse....

- 1. Initialize: A = 0
- 2. Loop over all boxes

3. For each box, if
$$A = A + dx dy$$

 $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} < 1$ then

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- 4. End loop
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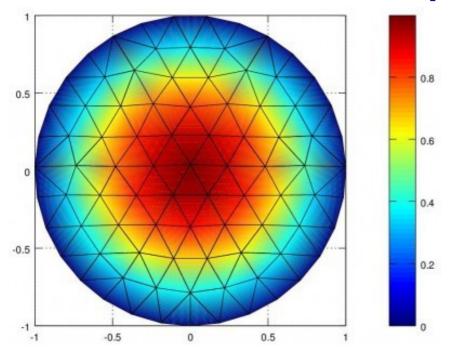
But accuracy stinks because boundaries are not well handled

A different method

 Mesh your object, then compute area of each triangle.

- More accurate than counting boxes – computation is 2D trapezoidal method.
- Boundaries are handled better.
- Method fits nicely with data structures and concepts used in FEA analysis.

Concept: mesh



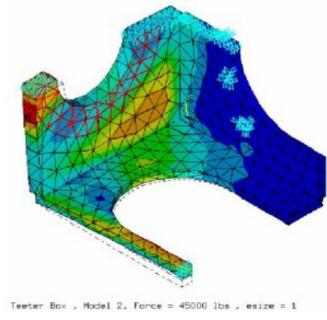


Figure 3 http://www.umass.edu/mie/labs/mda/fea/ fealib/goldstein/PROJECT.html

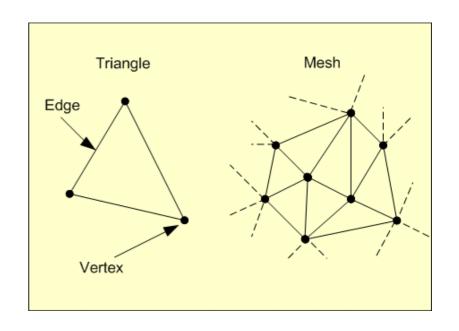
- Cover domain with triangles.
- Triangles follow boundaries much better than simple squares.

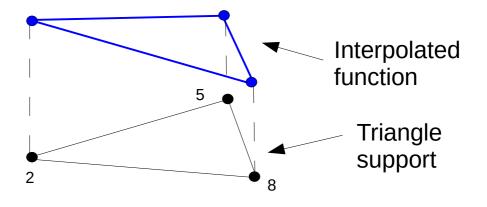
Representing a function using a mesh

 Assemble individual triangles into function defined over domain **Arbitrary function** $1 - (x^2 + y^2)$

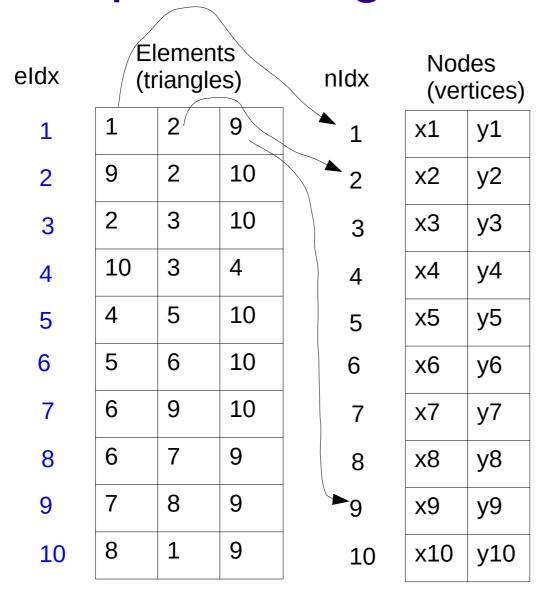
Using a mesh to represent a 2D function

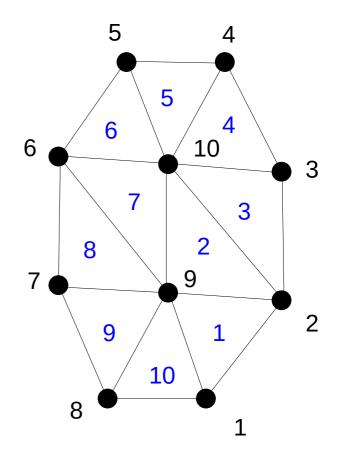
- Cover domain with triangles.
- Triangles have vertices (points).
- Triangles have edges (line segments).
- Use linear interpolation to find value of function inside triangle





Representing a mesh in Matlab



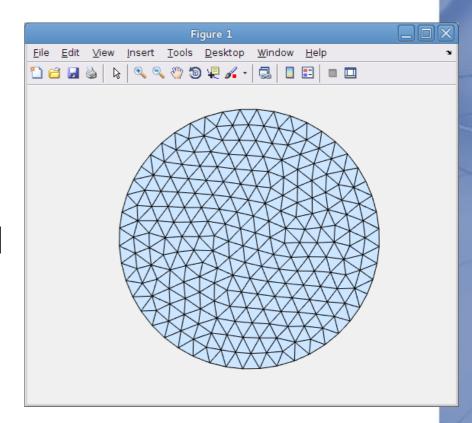


Nodes are black Triangles (elements) are blue

Note all nodes listed in CCW order.

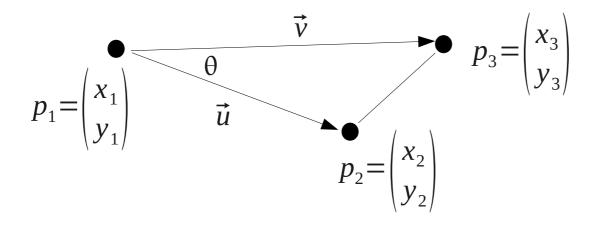
Example: Find area of circle in 2D

- Inputs:
 - Meshed circle (P and T matrices)
- Desired output:
 - Sum of areas of all triangles
- Question:
 - How to compute area of each triangle?



Area of triangle

Triangle is defined by three vertex points.



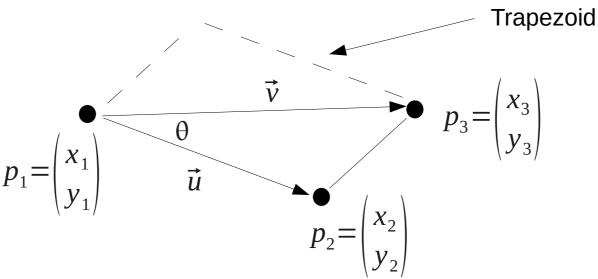
Consider vectors u, v, defined by

$$\vec{u} = \vec{p}_2 - \vec{p}_1$$
 $\vec{v} = \vec{p}_3 - \vec{p}_1$

Recall formula for vector cross product:

$$\vec{u} \times \vec{v} = |u||v|\sin(\theta)\hat{z}$$

Triangle area



Area of trapezoid

$$A_{trap} = \vec{u} \times \vec{v} = |u||v|\sin(\theta)$$

Area of triangle:

$$A_{Tri} = \frac{1}{2} |u| |v| \sin(\theta)$$

Cross product

Recall another definition:

$$\vec{u} \times \vec{v} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{x} & \hat{y} & \hat{z} \\ u_x & u_y & u_z \\ v_x & v_y & v_z \end{vmatrix}$$
 Evaluate this like a determinant

 From last slide we have

$$\vec{u} = \begin{pmatrix} x_2 - x_1 \\ y_2 - y_1 \end{pmatrix} \qquad \vec{v} = \begin{pmatrix} x_3 - x_1 \\ y_3 - y_1 \end{pmatrix}$$

• Insert into det:

$$\vec{u} \times \vec{v} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{x} & \hat{y} & \hat{z} \\ x_2 - x_1 & y_2 - y_1 & 0 \\ x_3 - x_1 & y_3 - y_1 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

• We care about \hat{z} component:

$$=(x_2-x_1)(y_3-y_1)-(y_2-y_1)(x_3-x_1)$$

Area of triangle

$$p_{1} = \begin{pmatrix} x_{1} \\ y_{1} \end{pmatrix} \qquad p_{3} = \begin{pmatrix} x_{3} \\ y_{3} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$p_{2} = \begin{pmatrix} x_{2} \\ y_{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A_{Tri} = \frac{1}{2} ((x_2 - x_1)(y_3 - y_1) - (y_2 - y_1)(x_3 - x_1))$$

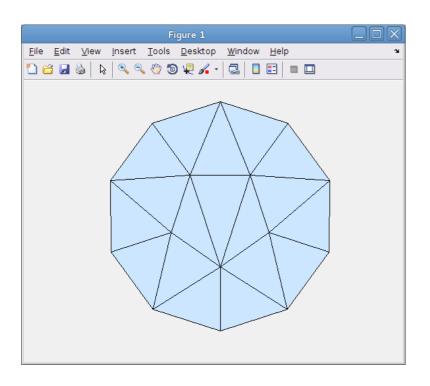
$$= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} (x_2 - x_1) & (x_3 - x_1) \\ (y_2 - y_1) & (y_3 - y_1) \end{vmatrix}$$
 "Surveyor's area formula"

Area-finding algorithm

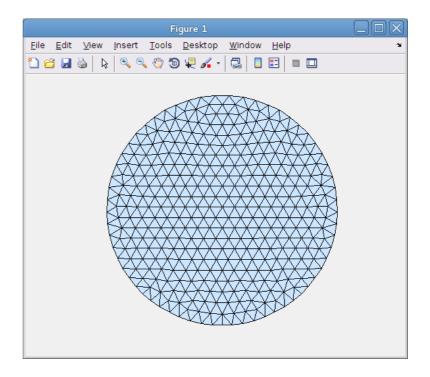
- 1. Initialize Atot = 0.
- 2. Loop over all triangles.
- 3. For each triangle t, use surveyer's area formula to compute area Atri
- 4. Atot = Atot + Atri
- 5. Continue looping -- go back to 2
- 6. At end of looping, return Atot.

```
% Perform integration by summing over triangles
  s = 0:
  for idx = 1:size(T, 1)
    p1 = P(T(idx, 1), :)';
    p2 = P(T(idx, 2), :)';
    p3 = P(T(idx, 3), :)';
    s = s + tri_area_surveyers(p1, p2, p3);
  end
function A = tri area surveyers(p1, p2, p3)
 % Inputs:
  % p1, p2, p3 = vertices of triangle as 2D vectors [x, y]'
  %
 % Outputs:
 % A = computed area of triangle [p1, p2, p3]
  %
 % Area is computed using the Surveyer's triangle
 % area formula A = (1/2)*det([ux vx; uy vy]) where
 % u = p2 - p1, and v = p3 - p1.
 u = p2 - p1;
 v = p3 - p1;
 S = [u(1) v(1); u(2) v(2)];
 A = abs(det(S))/2;
end
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Area of unit circle

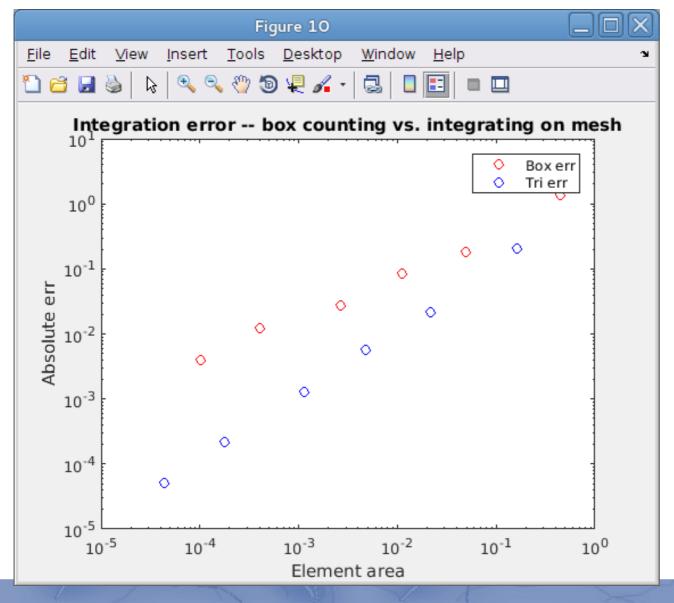


tri size param = 0.500000, Atrue = 3.141593, Asurveyers = 2.938924, abs error = 2.026682e-01



tri size param = 0.100000, Atrue = 3.141593, Asurveyers = 3.135911, abs error = 5.681554e-03

Compare box counting to integration on triangular mesh



$$err(box) \sim \sqrt{A}$$

 $err(tri) \sim A$

More complicated shapes?

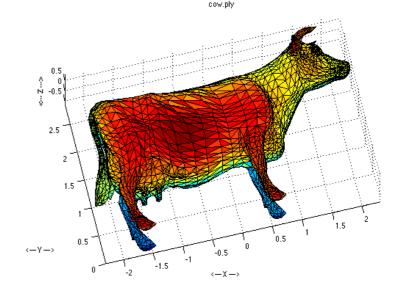
Usually, the mesh is given to you.

Use a program to create a suitable mesh

for your problem.

Many file formats:

- STL
- PLY
- Etc...



 If mesh is regular enough, you can make it yourself.

Next: integrating the volume under a surface

Find surface area of a domain

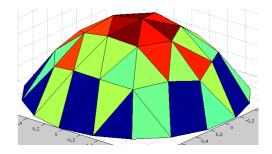
$$\iint_{(x,y)\in A} dx \, dy \, 1 \qquad \qquad \text{We just did this}$$

Integrate function over a domain

$$\iint\limits_{(x,y)\in A} dx\,dy\,f\left(x\,,y\right)$$
 What about doing this?

Integrate a function over a meshed domain

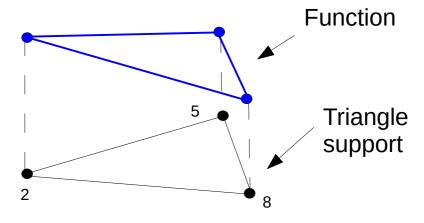
 Global integral is found as sum of integrals over triangles



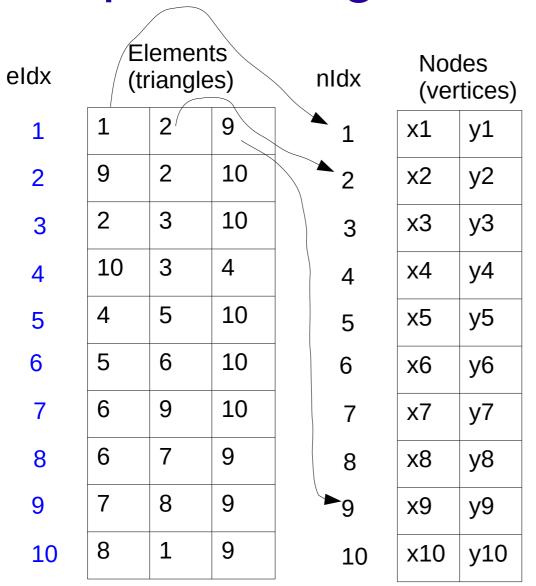
$$\iint_{(x,y)\in A} dx \, dy \, f(x,y) = \sum_{i} \iint_{(x,y)\in A_i} dx \, dy \, f(x,y)$$

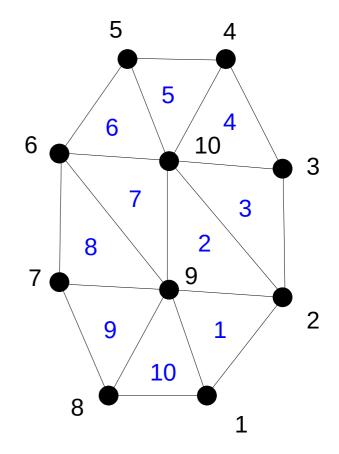
 Question: How to compute integral over each triangle?

$$\iint_{(x,y)\in A_i} dx\,dy\,f(x,y)$$



Representing a mesh in Matlab



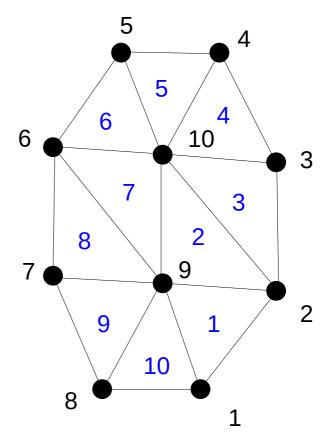


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Note all nodes listed in CCW order.

New: Function vector

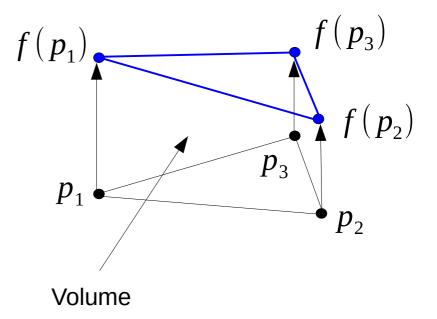
| nldx | f(x, y) |
|------|---------|
| 1 | U1 |
| 2 | U2 |
| 3 | U3 |
| 4 | U4 |
| 5 | U5 |
| 6 | U6 |
| 7 | U7 |
| 8 | U8 |
| 9 | U8 |
| 10 | U10 |



Function vector f(x, y) is defined on the mesh nodes (vertices).

Inputs and outputs

- Inputs at each triangle:
 - Locations of vertices p₁, p₂, p₃.
 - Function value at vertices, f(p₁), f(p₁), f(p₁),
- Assumption:
 - Blue triangle is planar.
- Desired output:
 - Volume underneath top triangle

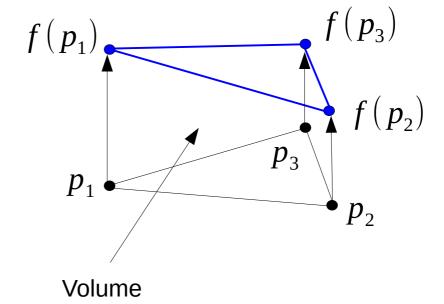


Big problem

 If vertices are at arbitrary positions in plane, how to set limits of integration?

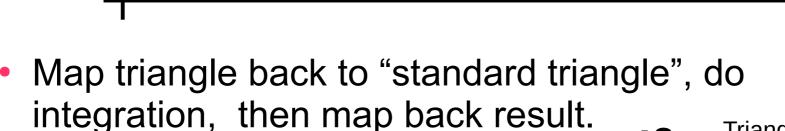
$$V = \int_{x_0}^{x_1} \int_{y_0}^{y_1} f(x, y) \, dy \, dx$$

It's not obvious



Concept: standard triangle

 How to perform integral of function over some arbitrary triangular patch?



Standard triangle T \vec{p} \vec

Mapping between triangles

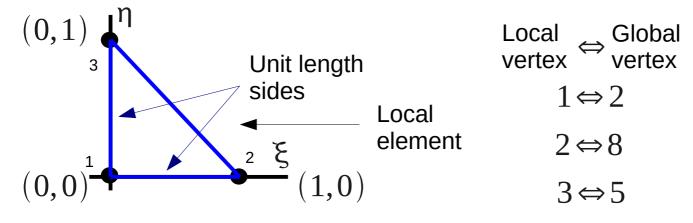
 Note any point in T may be written using barycentric coordinates:

$$\vec{p} = (1 - \xi - \eta) \vec{p}_2 + \xi \vec{p}_8 + \eta \vec{p}_5$$
 With $\eta \in [0,1]$ $\xi \in [0,1-\eta]$ Eta Xi

This induces a mapping to the "standard" triangle T_s:

Point in global

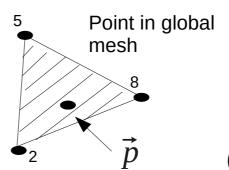
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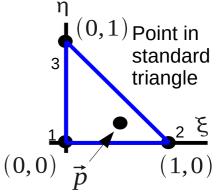


Mapping between triangles

 Jacobian matrix associated with coordinate change encodes scale change

$$\begin{split} \vec{p} = & (1 - \xi - \eta) \, \vec{p}_2 + \xi \, \vec{p}_8 + \eta \, \vec{p}_5 \\ = & \vec{p}_1 + \xi (\vec{p}_2 - \vec{p}_1) + \eta (\vec{p}_3 - \vec{p}_1) \end{split}$$





Jacobian

$$J = \left| \frac{\partial(x, y)}{\partial(\xi, \eta)} \right| = \det \left| \begin{array}{cc} \frac{\partial x}{\partial \xi} & \frac{\partial x}{\partial \eta} \\ \frac{\partial y}{\partial \xi} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial \eta} \end{array} \right|$$

Handles scale change due to coordinate change

Evaluate integral

Compute integral on standard triangle:

$$\iint_{(x,y)\in A_i} dx \, dy \, f(x,y)$$

$$= \int_0^1 d\eta \int_0^{(1-\eta)} d\xi \left| \frac{\partial(x,y)}{\partial(\xi,\eta)} \right| f(\eta,\xi)$$

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$$(0,1) \text{ Point in standard triangle}$$

Determinant is a constant scale factor:

$$J = (p_{2x} - p_{1x})(p_{3y} - p_{1y}) - (p_{3x} - p_{1x})(p_{2y} - p_{1y})$$

 Look familiar? This is 2x area of original triangle. That is,

$$J = \left| \frac{\partial(x, y)}{\partial(\xi, \eta)} \right| = 2 A_T$$

Computing area under triangle

• From knowing the Jacobian, we have

$$\iint_{(x,y)\in A_i} dx \, dy \, f(x,y)$$

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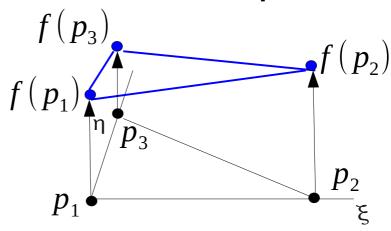
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• What is $f(\eta,\xi)$? Since function is a plane,

$$f(\eta, \xi) = a \xi + b \eta + c$$

Recall interpolation on a triangle from class 9



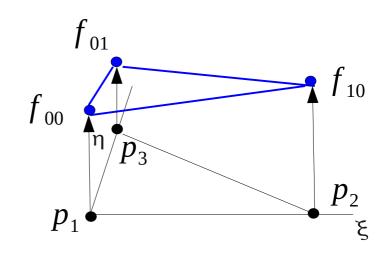
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 We know the function values at the vertices:

$$f_{00} = a \cdot 0 + b \cdot 0 + c$$

 $f_{10} = a \cdot 1 + b \cdot 0 + c$
 $f_{01} = a \cdot 0 + b \cdot 1 + c$



Written in matrix form:

$$\begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \begin{vmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} f_{00} \\ f_{10} \\ f_{01} \end{vmatrix}$$

Since we know the matrix, and we know f, we can get [a, b, c] using a matrix solve operation.

Next, perform integration on standard triangle

$$\iint_{(x,y)\in A_{i}} dx \, dy \, f(x,y)
= 2 A_{i} \int_{0}^{1} d\eta \int_{0}^{(1-\eta)} d\xi \, [a\xi + b\eta + c]
= 2 A_{i} \int_{0}^{1} d\eta \left(\frac{a}{2} \xi^{2} + b\eta \xi + c \xi \right) \Big|_{0}^{1-\eta}
= 2 A_{i} \int_{0}^{1} d\eta \left(\frac{a}{2} (1-\eta)^{2} + b\eta (1-\eta) + c(1-\eta) \right)$$

Split into three pieces

$$2A_{i}\int_{0}^{1}d\eta \left(\frac{a}{2}(1-\eta)^{2}+b\eta(1-\eta)+c(1-\eta)\right)$$

$$2A_i \int_0^1 d\eta \left(\frac{a}{2}(1-\eta)^2\right)$$

Substitute:

$$s=1-\eta$$
 $ds=-d\eta$

Integral becomes:

$$-2A_{i}\int_{1}^{0}ds\left(\frac{a}{2}s^{2}\right)$$
$$=2A_{i}\left(\frac{a}{6}\right)$$

$$2A_{i}\int_{0}^{1}d\eta \langle b\eta(1-\eta)\rangle$$

$$=2A_{i}\left(\frac{1}{2}\eta^{2}-\frac{1}{3}\eta^{3}\right)\Big|_{0}^{1}$$

$$=2A_{i}b\left(\frac{1}{2}\eta^{2}-\frac{1}{3}\eta^{3}\right)\Big|_{0}^{1}$$

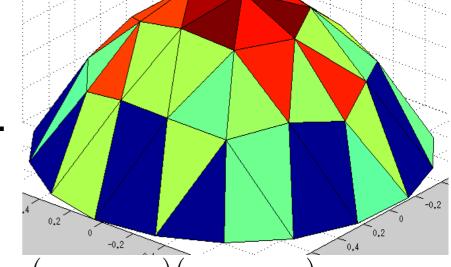
$$=2A_{i}\left(\frac{b}{6}\right)$$

$$(0, 1)$$

$$= 2A_i \left(\frac{c}{2}\right)$$

Integrating over meshed domain: Putting it all together...

- 1. Loop over all triangles.
- 2. For each triangle, send p_1 , p_2 , p_3 , f_1 , f_2 , f_3 to sub-fcn.
- 3. Compute Jacobian



$$J = 2A_T = (p_{2x} - p_{1x})(p_{3y} - p_{1y}) - (p_{3x} - p_{1x})(p_{2y} - p_{1y})$$

4. Compute [a, b, c] using linear solve for a,

b, c coeffs:

$$\begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \setminus \begin{pmatrix} f_{00} \\ f_{10} \\ f_{01} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$f(\eta,\xi) = a\xi + b\eta + c$$

Recall interpolation on a triangle from class 9

5. Compute integral on standard triangle:

Integral =
$$\left(\frac{a}{6}\right) + \left(\frac{b}{6}\right) + \left(\frac{c}{2}\right)$$

6. Multiply by Jacobian, then return.

Result is integral over one triangle in mesh.

$$\iint_{(x,y)\in A_i} dx \, dy \, f(x,y) = J\left[\left(\frac{a}{6}\right) + \left(\frac{b}{6}\right) + \left(\frac{c}{2}\right)\right]$$

7. Add returned integral over single triangle to global sum.

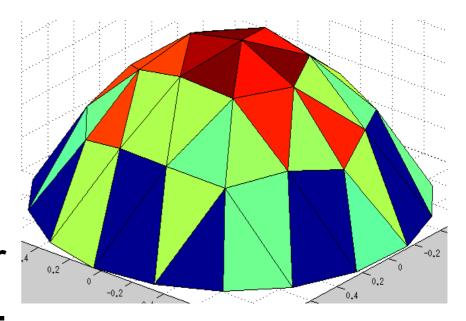
$$\iint_{(x,y)\in A} dx \, dy \, f(x,y) = \sum_{i} \iint_{(x,y)\in A_i} dx \, dy \, f(x,y)$$

8. When done looping, the global sum is the integral of the function over the triangulated domain.

Summary: Integrating meshed function over irregular domain

$$\iint_{(x,y)\in A} dx \, dy \, f(x,y) = \sum_{i} \iint_{(x,y)\in A_i} dx \, dy \, f(x,y)$$

- Multi-step process
- Sum volumes of triangular domains.
- Replace function over patch with interpolant.



Comments

 The classical methods involving sampling at a few points (Gauss quadrature) reflect their time period.



- Hand computation was very expensive.
- The computer allows us to use meshing/triangulation as an better way to integrate over irregular domains.

Session summary

- Integration in 2 dimensions
 - Box counting.
 - 2D Gaussian quadrature.
- Integrating shapes over odd boundaries
 - Box counting.
 - Meshing using triangles.
 - Integrating over a triangle mesh.