

# Self-exercise - SRU05

## Response to questions

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### 1 Hint for A1-HA05

**Example 1.** Given the set  $\mathcal{M} \in \mathbb{R}^2$  bounded by three points  $A$ ,  $B$ , and  $C$ , as shown in Figure 1.

1. Examine the integral of a function  $f(x, y)$  over set  $\mathcal{M}$ .
2. Compute the area of  $\mathcal{M}$  by setting  $f(x, y) = 1$ .

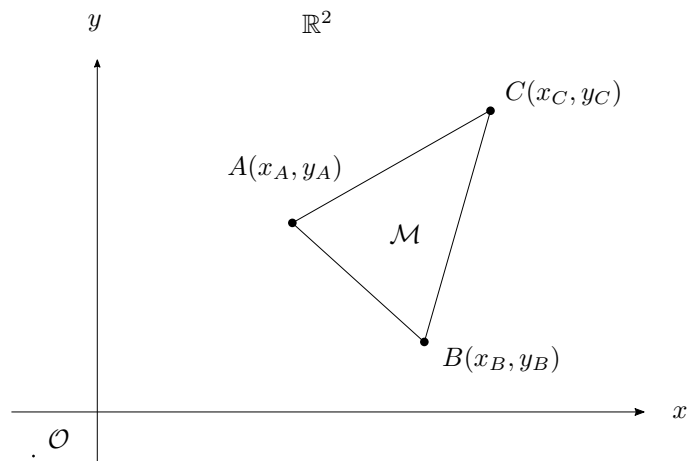


Figure 1: Set  $\mathcal{M} \in \mathbb{R}^2$ .

We will consider two scenarios

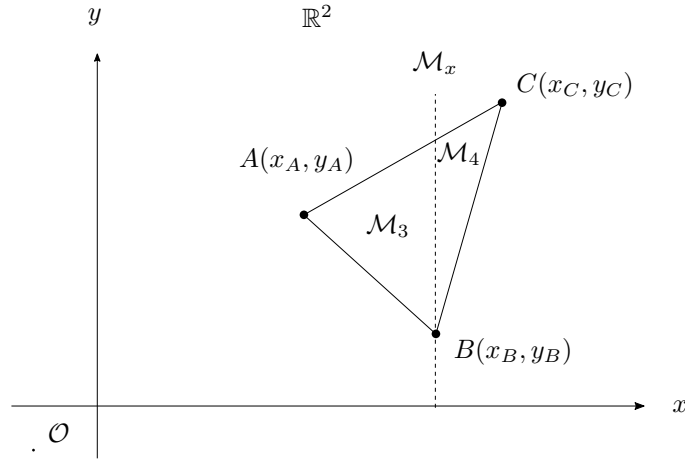


Figure 2: Set  $\mathcal{M} = \mathcal{M}_1\mathcal{M}_2 \in \mathbb{R}^2$ .

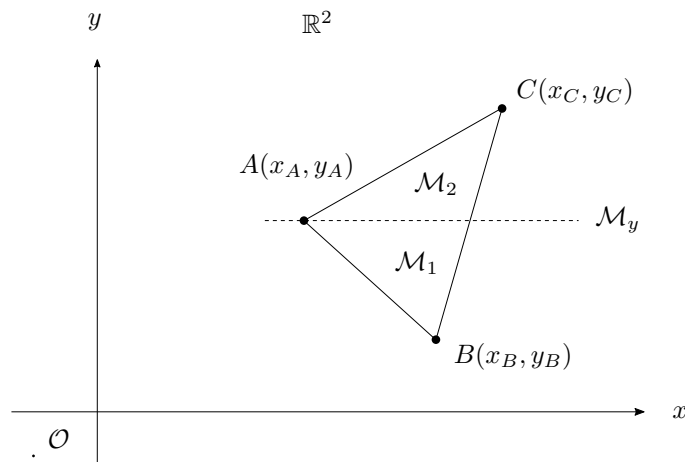


Figure 3: Set  $\mathcal{M} \in \mathbb{R}^2$ .

**Recall 1.** Equation of a line  $(l)$  in general reads

$$(l) : \quad y = a x + b, \quad (1)$$

where  $a$  is the slope of the line, and  $b$  is the point where the line  $(l)$  crosses over the vertical line of the axis. Hence, when this line  $(l)$  going through point  $P(x_P, y_P)$  and point  $Q(x_Q, y_Q)$ , it leads to the following two relations

$$y_P = a x_P + b, \quad (2)$$

$$y_Q = a x_Q + b, \quad (3)$$

which leads to the slope  $a$  and vertical point  $b$  as follows

$$a = \frac{y_P - y_Q}{x_P - x_Q}, \quad (4)$$

$$b = \frac{-y_P x_Q + y_Q x_P}{x_P - x_Q}. \quad (5)$$

Finally, equation of a line ( $l$ ) passing through point  $P(x_P, y_P)$  and point  $Q(x_Q, y_Q)$  in general takes the form

$$\therefore \quad \boxed{y = \frac{y_P - y_Q}{x_P - x_Q} x + \frac{-y_P x_Q + y_Q x_P}{x_P - x_Q}.} \quad (6)$$