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Double integrals

Recall integral in 1-variable calculus: $\int_a^b f(x)dx = \text{area below graph } y = f(x) \text{ over } [a, b]$.

Now: double integral $\iint_R f(x, y)dA = \text{volume below graph } z = f(x, y) \text{ over region } R \text{ in the } xy\text{-plane}$.

Cut R into small pieces $\Delta A_i \implies$ the volume is approximately $\sum f(x_i, y_i)\Delta A_i$. Limit as $\Delta A \rightarrow 0$ gives $\iint f(x, y)dA$. (demo: potato cut into french fries)

How to compute the integral? By taking slices: $S(x) = \text{area of the slice by a plane parallel to } yz\text{-plane}$ (demo: potato chips); then

$$\text{volume} = \int_{x_{\min}}^{x_{\max}} S(x)dx \quad \text{and for given } x, \quad S(x) = \int_{y_{\min}(x)}^{y_{\max}(x)} f(x, y)dy$$

BEWARE! The limits of integration in y depend on x !

In the inner integral, x is a fixed parameter, y is the integration variable. We get an *iterated integral*.

Example 1 $f(x, y) = 1 - x^2 - y^2$ and $R : 0 \leq x \leq 1, 0 \leq y \leq 1$. (Shown computer graphics.)

$$\int_0^1 \int_0^1 (1 - x^2 - y^2) dy dx$$

How to evaluate?

1) inner integral (x is constant):

$$\int_0^1 (1 - x^2 - y^2) dy = \left[y - x^2y - \frac{y^3}{3} \right]_{y=0}^{y=1} = \left(1 - x^2 - \frac{1}{3} \right) - 0 = \frac{2}{3} - x^2.$$

2) outer integral: $\int_0^1 \left(\frac{2}{3} - x^2 \right) dx = \left[\frac{2}{3}x - \frac{x^3}{3} \right]_{x=0}^{x=1} = \frac{2}{3} - \frac{1}{3} = \frac{1}{3}$.

Note: $dA = dy dx = dx dy$, limit of $\Delta A = \Delta y \Delta x = \Delta x \Delta y$ for small rectangles.

Example 2 Same function over the quarter-disk $R : x^2 + y^2 \leq 1, 0 \leq x \leq 1, 0 \leq y \leq 1$. (computes volume between xy -plane and paraboloid in the first octant).

How to find the bounds of integration? Fix x constant and look at the slice of R parallel to y -axis. Bounds from $y = 0$ to $y = \sqrt{1 - x^2}$ in the inner integral. For the outer integral: first slice is at $x = 0$, last slice is at $x = 1$. So we get

$$\int_0^1 \int_0^{\sqrt{1-x^2}} (1 - x^2 - y^2) dy dx.$$

Note that the inner bounds depend on the outer variable x ; the outer bounds are constants!

1) inner integral (x is constant):

$$\int_0^{\sqrt{1-x^2}} (1 - x^2 - y^2) dy = \left[(1 - x^2)y - \frac{y^3}{3} \right]_{y=0}^{y=\sqrt{1-x^2}} = (1 - x^2)^{3/2} - \frac{(1 - x^2)^{3/2}}{3} = \frac{1}{3}(1 - x^2)^{3/2}.$$

2) outer integral:

$$\int_0^1 \frac{1}{3}(1-x^2)^{3/2} dx = \dots (\text{trig substitution } x = \sin \theta, \text{ double angle formulas}) \dots = \frac{\pi}{8}.$$

This is complicated! It will be easier to do it in polar coordinates.

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Exchanging the order of integration

$\int_0^1 \int_0^2 f(x, y) dx dy = \int_0^2 \int_0^1 f(x, y) dy dx$, since region is a rectangle (drawn picture). In general, more complicated!

Example: $\int_0^1 \int_x^{\sqrt{x}} \frac{e^y}{y} dy dx$ (Inner integral has no formula.)

To exchange order: 1) draw the region (here: $x \leq y \leq \sqrt{x}$ for $0 \leq x \leq 1$ - picture drawn on blackboard).

2) figure out bounds in other direction: fixing a value of y , what are the bounds for x ? H: left border is $x = y^2$, right is $x = y$; first slice is $y = 0$, last slice is $y = 1$, so we get

$$\int_0^1 \int_{y^2}^y \frac{e^y}{y} dx dy = \int_0^1 \frac{e^y}{y} (y - y^2) dy = \int_0^1 e^y (1 - y) dy \stackrel{\text{parts}}{=} [e^y (1 - y)]_{y=0}^{y=1} + \int_0^1 e^y dy = e - 2.$$

Applications

Computing volumes *Example:* Problem 55, section 15.2. Find the volume of the region enclosed by $z = 1 - y^2$ and $z = y^2 - 1$ for $0 \leq x \leq 2$.

Both surfaces look like parabola-shaped tunnels along the x -axis. They intersect at $1 - y^2 = y^2 - 1 \implies y = \pm 1$. So $z = 0$ and x can be anything, therefore lines parallel to the x -axis. I tried to draw a picture, but I got it rotated by 90° . To be corrected next time. Get volume by integrating the difference $z_{\text{top}} - z_{\text{bottom}}$, i.e. take the volume under the top surface and subtract the volume under the bottom surface (same idea as in 1 variable).

$$\begin{aligned} \pm \text{vol} &= \int_0^2 \int_{-1}^1 ((1 - y^2) - (y^2 - 1)) dy dx = 2 \int_0^2 \int_{-1}^1 (1 - y^2) dy dx \\ &= 2 \int_0^2 \left[y - \frac{y^3}{3} \right]_{y=-1}^{y=1} dx = 2 \int_0^2 \frac{4}{3} dx = \frac{16}{3}. \end{aligned}$$

Since volume is always positive, our answer is $16/3$.

Area of a plane region R is

$$\text{area}(R) = \iint_R 1 dA.$$

Mass the total mass of a flat object in the shape of a region R with density given by $\rho(x, y)$ is

$$\text{Mass} = \iint_R \rho(x, y) dA.$$

Average the average value of a function $f(x, y)$ over the plane region R is

$$\bar{f} = \frac{1}{\text{area}(R)} = \iint_R f(x, y) dA.$$

Weighted average of the function $f(x, y)$ over the plane region R with density $\rho(x, y)$ is

$$\frac{1}{\text{Mass}} \iint_R f(x, y) \rho(x, y) dA.$$

Center of mass of a plate with density $\rho(x, y)$ is the point with coordinates (\bar{x}, \bar{y}) given by weighted average

$$\bar{x} = \frac{1}{\text{Mass}} \iint_R x \rho(x, y) dA,$$
$$\bar{y} = \frac{1}{\text{Mass}} \iint_R y \rho(x, y) dA.$$

Example: Problem 57, section 15.2. A plate in the shape of the region bounded by $y = x^{-1}$ and $y = 0$ for $1 \leq x \leq 4$ has mass density $\rho(x, y) = y/x$. Calculate the total mass of the plate.

First, draw region. Then set limits of integration.

$$\text{Mass} = \int_0^4 \int_0^{x^{-1}} \frac{y}{x} dy dx = \int_0^4 \left[\frac{y^2}{2x} \right]_{y=0}^{y=x^{-1}} dx = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^4 x^{-3} dx = -\frac{1}{4} \left[\frac{1}{x^2} \right]_{x=0}^{x=4} = \frac{15}{64}.$$

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I made the correction for the drawing of the region in Problem 55 that was discussed last time.

Triple Integrals

$$\iiint_R f(x, y, z) dV \quad (R \text{ is a solid in space})$$

Note: $\Delta V = \text{area}(\text{base}) \cdot \text{height} = \Delta A \Delta z$, so $dV = dA dz = dx dy dz$ or any permutation of the three.

Example 1 R : the region between paraboloids $z = x^2 + y^2$ and $z = 4 - x^2 - y^2$. (picture drawn)

The volume of this region is $\iiint_R 1 dV = \iint_D \left[\int_{x^2+y^2}^{4-x^2-y^2} dz \right] dA$, where D is the shadow in the xy -plane of the region R .

To set up bounds, (1) for fixed (x, y) find bounds for z : here lower limit is $z = x^2 + y^2$, upper limit is $z = 4 - x^2 - y^2$; (2) find the shadow of R onto the xy -plane, i.e. set of values of

(x, y) above which region lies. Here: R is widest at intersection of paraboloids, which is in plane $z = 2$; general method: for which (x, y) is z on top surface $\geq z$ on bottom surface? Answer: when $4 - x^2 - y^2 \geq x^2 + y^2$, i.e. $x^2 + y^2 \leq 2$. So we integrate over a disk of radius $\sqrt{2}$ in the xy -plane. By usual method to set up double integrals, we finally get

$$\text{vol}(R) = \int_{-\sqrt{2}}^{\sqrt{2}} \int_{-\sqrt{2-x^2}}^{\sqrt{2-x^2}} \int_{x^2+y^2}^{4-x^2-y^2} dz dy dx.$$

Actual evaluation would be easier using polar coordinates.

Example 2 (based on Example 4 from Section 15.3 in the book) Let R be the region in the first octant (i.e. $x \geq 0, y \geq 0, z \geq 0$) bounded by

$$z = 4 - y^2, \quad y = 2x, \quad z = 0, \quad x = 0.$$

Consider $f(x, y, z) = xyz$. Set up the integral $\iiint_R f(x, y, z) dV$, in two different ways.

Shown picture of R and its projections on the various coordinate planes.

Setup #1 Integrate first with respect to z , then with respect to y .

The surface $z = 4 - y^2$ intersects the first quadrant of the xy -plane in the line $y = 2$. The projection of the xy -plane is a triangle bounded by the y -axis and the lines $y = 2$ and $y = 2x$. For each point (x, y) the vertical segment above it goes from $z = 0$ to $z = 4 - y^2$. Get

$$\int_0^1 \int_{2x}^2 \int_0^{4-y^2} xyz dz dy dx.$$

Setup #2 Integrate first with respect to x , then with respect to z .

The projection onto the yz -plane is bounded by the y -axis, the z -axis and the parabola $z = 4 - y^2$. For each point (y, z) the segment in the direction of the x -axis goes from $x = 0$ to $x = y/2$. Get

$$\int_0^2 \int_0^{4-y^2} \int_0^{y/2} xyz dx dz dy.$$

Applications

Mass the total mass of a solid R with density given by $\rho(x, y, z)$ is

$$\text{Mass}(R) = \iiint_R \rho(x, y, z) dV.$$

Average the average value of a function $f(x, y, z)$ over the a solid R is

$$\bar{f} = \frac{1}{\text{vol}(R)} = \frac{1}{\text{vol}(R)} \iiint_R f(x, y, z) dV.$$

Weighted average of the function $f(x, y, z)$ over the solid R with density $\rho(x, y, z)$ is

$$\frac{1}{\text{Mass}(R)} \iiint_R f(x, y, z) \rho(x, y, z) dV.$$

Center of mass of a solid with density $\rho(x, y, z)$ is the point with coordinates $(\bar{x}, \bar{y}, \bar{z})$ given by weighted average

$$\bar{x} = \frac{1}{\text{Mass}(R)} \iiint_R x\rho(x, y, z) dV,$$

$$\bar{y} = \frac{1}{\text{Mass}(R)} \iiint_R y\rho(x, y, z) dV,$$

$$\bar{z} = \frac{1}{\text{Mass}(R)} \iiint_R z\rho(x, y, z) dV.$$

Example: Did example 6, section 15.3. Let R be a solid in the shape of the first octant of the unit ball. Assume the density is given by $\rho(x, y, z) = y$. Find the z -coordinate of the center of mass of R . *Solution* First drawn picture of R . The unit sphere has equation $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$. It intersects the xy -plane in the unit circle $x^2 + y^2 = 1$. We want only the parts with $x \geq 0, y \geq 0, z \geq 0$.

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{z} &= \iiint_R z\rho(x, y, z) dV = \iint_{\text{quarter unit disk}} \left[\int_0^{\sqrt{1-x^2-y^2}} yz dz \right] dA \\ &= \int_0^1 \int_0^{\sqrt{1-x^2}} \int_0^{\sqrt{1-x^2-y^2}} yz dz dy dx = \int_0^1 \int_0^{\sqrt{1-x^2}} \left[\frac{yz^2}{2} \right]_{z=0}^{z=\sqrt{1-x^2-y^2}} dy dx = \dots = \frac{1}{15}. \end{aligned}$$