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Chapter 1

Partial Derivatives

1.1 Functions of several variables

1.1.1 Functions of two variables

Definition: A function f of two variables is a map that assigns to each ordered pair of real numbers $(x, y) \in D \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2$ a unique real number denoted by $f(x, y)$. The set D is the domain of f and its range is $\{f(x, y) | (x, y) \in D\}$.

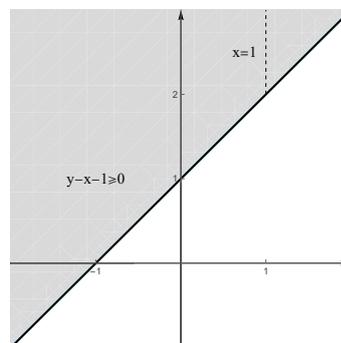
Example (1): If $f(x, y) = \frac{\sqrt{y-x-1}}{x-1}$, evaluate $f(2, 7)$, find the domain of f and sketch it.

Solution : $f(2, 7) = \frac{\sqrt{7-2-1}}{2-1} = \frac{\sqrt{4}}{1} = 2$.

The domain of f is the set $D = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid y - x - 1 \geq 0, x \neq 1\}$.

So, $D = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid y \geq x + 1, x \neq 1\}$.

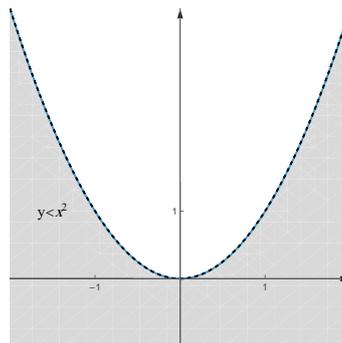
$y - x - 1 \geq 0 \implies y \geq x + 1$
represents the points on and above the line $y = x + 1$.
 $x \neq 1$ means the point on the line $x = 1$ must be excluded from the domain .



Example (2): If $f(x, y) = \ln(x^2 - y)$, find the domain of f and sketch it.
Solution :

The domain of f is the set
 $D = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid x^2 - y > 0\}$.
 So, $D = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid y < x^2\}$.

$x^2 - y > 0 \implies y < x^2$
 represents the points below the
 parabola $y = x^2$.

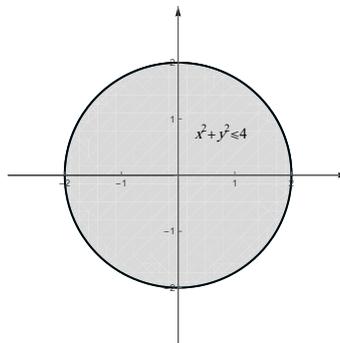


Example (3): If $f(x, y) = \sqrt{4 - x^2 - y^2}$, find the domain and range of f .

Solution :
 The domain of f is the set
 $D = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid 4 - x^2 - y^2 \geq 0\}$.
 So, $D = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid x^2 + y^2 \leq 4\}$.

$4 - x^2 - y^2 \geq 0 \implies x^2 + y^2 \leq 4$
 represents the points on and inside the
 disk of center $(0, 0)$ and radius 2.

Note that $0 \leq \sqrt{4 - x^2 - y^2}$
 and $\sqrt{4 - (x^2 + y^2)} \leq \sqrt{4} = 2$
 So, the range of f is
 $\{z \in \mathbb{R} \mid 0 \leq z \leq 2\} = [0, 2]$.



1.1.2 Graphs

Definition: If f is a function of two variables with domain $D \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2$, then the graph of f is the set of all points $(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3$, such that $z = f(x, y)$ and $(x, y) \in D$.

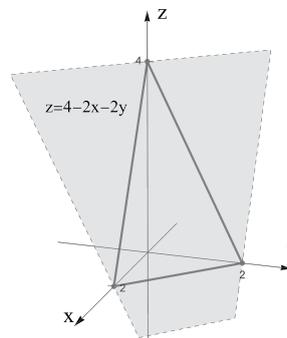
Example (4): Sketch the graph of the function $f(x, y) = 4 - 2x - 2y$.

Solution:
 $z = 4 - 2x - 2y \implies 2x + 2y + z = 4$
 It represents a plane.

To find the x -intercept, put $y = z = 0$
 $2x = 4 \implies x = 2$.
 So the x -intercept is $(2, 0, 0)$.

To find the y -intercept, put $x = z = 0$
 $2y = 4 \implies y = 2$.
 So the y -intercept is $(0, 2, 0)$.

To find the z -intercept, put $x = y = 0$
 $z = 4$, So the z -intercept is $(0, 0, 4)$.



Example (5): Sketch the graph of the function $f(x, y) = \sqrt{4 - x^2 - y^2}$.

Solution:

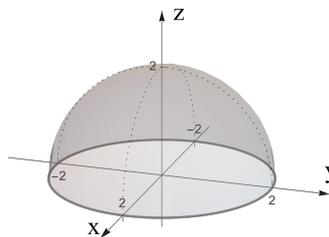
$$z = \sqrt{4 - x^2 - y^2}$$

$$\implies z^2 = 4 - x^2 - y^2$$

$$\implies x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 2^2$$

$$\text{Note that } z = \sqrt{4 - x^2 - y^2} \geq 0.$$

It represents the upper half of the sphere centered at the origin and its radius is 2.



Example (6): Sketch the graph of the function $f(x, y) = x^2 + y^2$.

Solution:

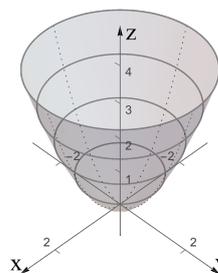
The domain of f is \mathbb{R}^2 .

$$z = x^2 + y^2 \geq 0$$

For each value of $z > 0$,

$x^2 + y^2 = z$ represents a circle centered at the origin and its radius is \sqrt{z} .

$f(x, y) = x^2 + y^2$ represents a paraboloid.



1.1.3 Level curves

Definition: A level curve of a function $f(x, y)$ is the curve $f(x, y) = k$, where k is a constant (in the range of f).

Example (7): Sketch the level curves of the function $f(x, y) = 4 - 2x - 2y$ for the values $k = 0, 4, 8$.

Solution:

$$4 - 2x - 2y = k.$$

$$\implies 2x + 2y = 4 - k$$

$$\text{For } k = 0 : 2y + 2x = 4$$

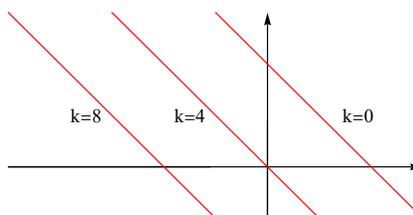
$$\implies y = -x + 2$$

$$\text{For } k = 4 : 2y + 2x = 0$$

$$\implies y = -x$$

$$\text{For } k = 8 : 2y + 2x = -4$$

$$\implies y = -x - 2$$



Example (8): Sketch the level curves of the function $f(x, y) = \sqrt{4 - x^2 - y^2}$ for the values $k = 0, 1, 2$.

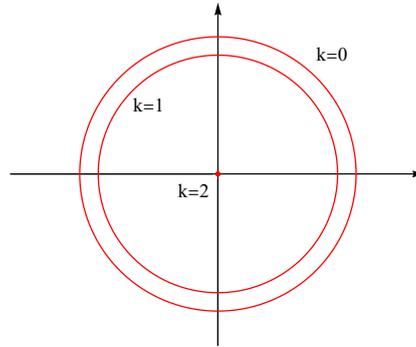
Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt{4 - x^2 - y^2} &= k. \\ \implies 4 - x^2 - y^2 &= k^2 \\ \implies x^2 + y^2 &= 4 - k^2\end{aligned}$$

For $k = 0$: $x^2 + y^2 = 4$
Circle: center is $(0, 0)$, radius = 2.

For $k = 1$: $x^2 + y^2 = 3$
Circle: center is $(0, 0)$, radius = $\sqrt{3}$.

For $k = 2$: $x^2 + y^2 = 0$
Just one point, the origin.



Example (9): Sketch the level curves of the function $f(x, y) = 4x^2 + y^2$ for the values $k = 0, 2, 4$.

Solution:

Note that the domain is \mathbb{R}^2 .

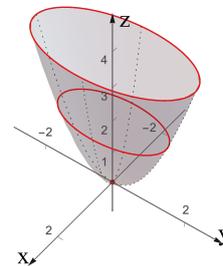
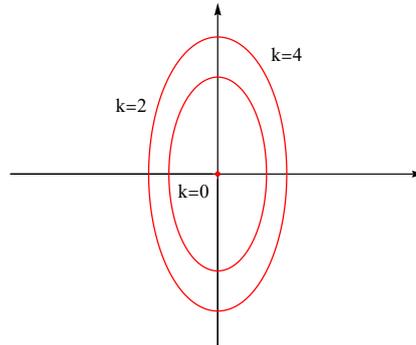
$$4x^2 + y^2 = k.$$

For $k = 0$: $4x^2 + y^2 = 0$
 $\implies x = 0, y = 0$
The level curve is the origin.

$$\begin{aligned}\text{For } k > 0 : 4x^2 + y^2 &= k \\ \implies \frac{x^2}{\left(\frac{k}{4}\right)} + \frac{y^2}{k} &= 1\end{aligned}$$

The level curve is an ellipse centered at the origin, the major axis lies on the y -axis and the minor axis lies on the x -axis.

Note that the graph of f is an elliptic paraboloid.



1.1.4 Functions of three variables

Definition: A function f of two variables is a map that assigns to each ordered pair of real numbers $(x, y, z) \in D \subseteq \mathbb{R}^3$ a unique real number denoted by $f(x, y, z)$. The set D is the domain of f and its range is $\{f(x, y, z) | (x, y, z) \in D\}$.

Example (10): Find the domain of $f(x, y, z) = \ln(z - x) + yz \sin x$.

Solution : $f(x, y, z)$ is defined when $z - x > 0$.

Therefore, $D = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid z > x\}$.

Example (11): Find the level surfaces of $f(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^2 + z^2$.

Solution : $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = k$, where $k \geq 0$.

If $k = 0$, then the level surface is just the origin $(0, 0, 0) \in \mathbb{R}^3$.

If $k > 0$, then the level surface is $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = (\sqrt{k})^2$, which is a sphere centered at the origin, and its radius is \sqrt{k} .

1.1.5 EXERCISES

1. Let $f(x, y) = x^2 \ln(x + y)$
 - (a). Evaluate $f(3, 1)$.
 - (b). Find and sketch the domain of f .
 - (c). Find the range of f .

2. Let $f(x, y, z) = \ln(z - \sqrt{x^2 + y^2})$.
 - (a). Evaluate $f(4, 23, 6)$.
 - (b). Find and describe the domain of f .

3. Find and sketch the domain of the following:
 - (a). $f(x, y) = \sqrt{x - 2} + \sqrt{y - 1}$.
 - (b). $f(x, y) = \ln(9 - x^2 - y^2)$.
 - (c). $f(x, y) = \frac{\ln(2 - x)}{1 - x^2 - y^2}$.

- (*) Find and sketch the domain of the following:
 - (a). $f(x, y) = \sqrt{25 - x^2 - y^2} + \ln(2 + x)$.
 - (b). $f(x, y) = \cos(x + y) + \frac{x^2 - y^2 - 3}{\sqrt{x + y - 4}}$.
 - (c). $f(x, y) = \sqrt{x + y^2} + \sqrt{y - x^2}$.

1.2 Limits and Continuity

1.2.1 Limits of Functions of Two Variables

Definition: Let f be a function of two variables whose domain $D \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2$ includes points arbitrarily close to (a, b) . Then we say that the limit of $f(x, y)$ as (x, y) approaches (a, b) is L and we write $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} f(x, y) = L$,

if for every number $\epsilon > 0$ there is a corresponding number $\delta > 0$ such that if $(x, y) \in D$ and $0 < \sqrt{(x-a)^2 + (y-b)^2} < \delta$ then $|f(x, y) - L| < \epsilon$.

1.2.2 Showing That a Limit Does Not Exist

NOTE: If $f(x, y) \rightarrow L_1$ as $(x, y) \rightarrow (a, b)$ along a path C_1 and $f(x, y) \rightarrow L_2$ as $(x, y) \rightarrow (a, b)$ along a different path C_2 , where $L_1 \neq L_2$, then $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} f(x, y)$ does not exist.

Example (1): Show that $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^2 - y^2}{x^2 + y^2}$ does not exist.

Solution: Note that $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^2 - y^2}{x^2 + y^2} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$.

Let $y = mx$, where $m \in \mathbb{R}$, note that $x \rightarrow 0$ as $y \rightarrow 0$.

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^2 - y^2}{x^2 + y^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2 - m^2 x^2}{x^2 + m^2 x^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2(1 - m^2)}{x^2(1 + m^2)} = \frac{1 - m^2}{1 + m^2}.$$

Note that the limit depends only on m .

Let C_1 be the path $y = 0$ (where $m=0$) then $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^2 - y^2}{x^2 + y^2} = \frac{1 - 0}{1 + 0} = 1$.

Let C_2 be the path $y = x$ (where $m=1$) then $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^2 - y^2}{x^2 + y^2} = \frac{1 - 1}{1 + 1} = 0$.

Therefore, $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^2 - y^2}{x^2 + y^2}$ does not exist.

Example (2): Show that $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{xy}{x^2 + y^2}$ does not exist.

Solution: Note that $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{xy}{x^2 + y^2} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$.

Let $y = mx$, where $m \in \mathbb{R}$, note that $x \rightarrow 0$ as $y \rightarrow 0$.

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{xy}{x^2 + y^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{mx^2}{x^2 + m^2 x^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{mx^2}{x^2(1 + m^2)} = \frac{m}{1 + m^2}.$$

Note that the limit depends only on m .

Let C_1 be the path $y = 0$ (where $m=0$) then $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{xy}{x^2 + y^2} = \frac{0}{1 + 0} = 0$.

Let C_2 be the path $y = x$ (where $m=1$) then $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{xy}{x^2 + y^2} = \frac{1}{1 + 1} = \frac{1}{2}$.

Therefore, $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{xy}{x^2 + y^2}$ does not exist.

Example (3): Show that $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{xy^2}{x^2 + y^4}$ does not exist.

Solution: Note that $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{xy^2}{x^2 + y^4} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$.

Let $y = mx$, where $m \in \mathbb{R}$, note that $x \rightarrow 0$ as $y \rightarrow 0$.

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{xy^2}{x^2 + y^4} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x(m^2x^2)}{x^2 + m^4x^4} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{mx^3}{x^2(1 + m^4x^2)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{mx}{1 + m^4x^2} = 0$$

Note that the limit here depends on x and m .

Let C_1 be the path $y = 0$ (where $m=0$) then $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{xy^2}{x^2 + y^4} = 0$.

Let C_2 be the path $x = y^2$ (the parabola with vertex $(0,0)$ and opens to the right) then $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{xy^2}{x^2 + y^4} = \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{y^2 y^2}{(y^2)^2 + y^4} = \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{y^4}{2y^4} = \frac{1}{2}$.

Therefore, $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{xy^2}{x^2 + y^4}$ does not exist.

Example (4): Show that $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{\sin(xy)}{x^2 + y^2}$ does not exist.

Solution: Note that $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{\sin(xy)}{x^2 + y^2} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$.

Let $y = mx$, where $m \in \mathbb{R}$, note that $x \rightarrow 0$ as $y \rightarrow 0$.

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{\sin(xy)}{x^2 + y^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(mx^2)}{x^2 + m^2x^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(mx^2)}{(1 + m^2)x^2} = \frac{m}{1 + m^2}$$

Note that the limit depends only on m .

Therefore, $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{\sin(xy)}{x^2 + y^2}$ does not exist.

1.2.3 Properties of Limits

If $f(x, y)$, $g(x, y)$ are two functions defined on $D \setminus \{(a, b)\}$, where $D \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2$, and $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} f(x, y) = L_1$, $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} g(x, y) = L_2$, where $L_1, L_2 \in \mathbb{R}$ then

- (1). $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} [f(x, y) + g(x, y)] = L_1 + L_2$.
- (2). $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} [f(x, y) - g(x, y)] = L_1 - L_2$.
- (3). $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} k f(x, y) = k L_1$, where $k \in \mathbb{R}$.
- (4). $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} [f(x, y).g(x, y)] = L_1 L_2$.
- (5). $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} \frac{f(x, y)}{g(x, y)} = \frac{L_1}{L_2}$, where $L_2 \neq 0$.
- (6). If $P(x, y)$ is a polynomial in x, y then $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} P(x, y) = P(a, b)$.

Example (5): Evaluate $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (2,1)} (x^2y^2 - 2xy + x + y - 1)$.

Solution: Note that $P(x, y) = x^2y^2 - 2xy + x + y - 1$ is a polynomial.

$$\text{So, } \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (2,1)} (x^2y^2 - 2xy + x + y - 1) = P(2, 1)$$

$$= (2)^2(1)^2 - 2(2)(1) + 2 + 1 - 1 = 2.$$

Example (6): Evaluate $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (-1,3)} \frac{2x^2y + 1}{xy^3 - 2x}$.

Solution: Note that $P(x, y) = 2x^2y + 1$ and $Q(x, y) = xy^3 - 2x$ are both polynomials.

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (-1,3)} \frac{2x^2y + 1}{xy^3 - 2x} = \frac{P(-1, 3)}{Q(-1, 3)} = \frac{2(-1)^2(3) + 1}{(-1)(3)^3 - 2(-1)} = \frac{7}{-25}.$$

Note that $Q(-1, 3) \neq 0$.

Example (7): Show that $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{2xy^2}{x^2 + y^2} = 0$.

First Solution: $\forall x, y \in \mathbb{R}^*$,

$$y^2 \leq x^2 + y^2 \implies \frac{y^2}{x^2 + y^2} \leq 1.$$

$$0 \leq \left| \frac{2xy^2}{x^2 + y^2} \right| = \frac{|2x| |y^2|}{|x^2 + y^2|} = 2|x| \frac{y^2}{x^2 + y^2} \leq 2|x|.$$

Note that $(x, y) \rightarrow (0, 0) \implies x \rightarrow 0$.

Since $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} 0 = 0$ and $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} 2|x| = 2(0) = 0$,

By Squeeze Theorem $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{2xy^2}{x^2 + y^2} = 0$.

Second Solution: Using polar coordinates,

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{2xy^2}{x^2 + y^2} = \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{2r^3 \cos \theta \sin^2 \theta}{r^2} = \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} 2r \cos \theta \sin^2 \theta = 0.$$

Note that $\lim_{r \rightarrow 0} 2r = 0$ and $\cos \theta \sin^2 \theta$ is bounded.

1.2.4 Continuity

Definition: Let $f(x, y)$ be a function of two variables defined on a set $D \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2$ and $(a, b) \in D$. If $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} f(x, y) = f(a, b)$, then f is continuous at (a, b) .

If f is continuous at every point in D , then f is continuous on D .

Example (8): Discuss the continuity of $f(x, y) = \frac{x^2 - y^2}{x^2 + y^2}$.

Solution:

f is not defined at $(0, 0)$, so it is not continuous at $(0, 0)$.

$$\forall (a, b) \neq (0, 0), \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} f(x, y) = \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} \frac{x^2 - y^2}{x^2 + y^2} = \frac{a^2 - b^2}{a^2 + b^2} = f(a, b).$$

So, f is continuous on $D = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid (x, y) \neq (0, 0)\} = \mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \{(0, 0)\}$.

Example (9): Discuss the continuity of $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^2 - y^2}{x^2 + y^2} & \text{if } (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0 & \text{if } (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$.

Solution:

$$\forall (a, b) \neq (0, 0), \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} f(x, y) = \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} \frac{x^2 - y^2}{x^2 + y^2} = \frac{a^2 - b^2}{a^2 + b^2} = f(a, b).$$

f is defined at $(0, 0)$ and $f(0, 0) = 0$, but $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} f(x, y)$ does not exist.

So, f is continuous on $D = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid (x, y) \neq (0, 0)\} = \mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \{(0, 0)\}$.

Example (10): Discuss the continuity of $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{2xy^2}{x^2 + y^2} & \text{if } (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0 & \text{if } (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$.

Solution:

$\forall (a, b) \neq (0, 0)$, $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} f(x, y) = \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} \frac{2xy^2}{x^2 + y^2} = \frac{2ab^2}{a^2 + b^2} = f(a, b)$.
 f is defined at $(0, 0)$ and $f(0, 0) = 0$, also $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} f(x, y) = 0$.

So, f is continuous on \mathbb{R}^2 .

Example (11): Discuss the continuity of $f(x, y) = e^{-x^2 - y^2}$.

Solution: $f(x, y) = e^{-x^2 - y^2} = e^{-(x^2 + y^2)}$.

f is defined on \mathbb{R}^2 and $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} f(x, y) = e^{-(a^2 + b^2)} = f(a, b)$.

Therefore, f is continuous on \mathbb{R}^2 .

Example (12): Discuss the continuity of $f(x, y) = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{y}{x}\right)$.

Solution:

f is not defined where $x = 0$.

$\forall (a, b)$ where $a \neq 0$, $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (a,b)} f(x, y) = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{b}{a}\right) = f(a, b)$.

So, f is continuous on $D = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid x \neq 0\}$ which is \mathbb{R}^2 except the y -axis.

1.2.5 Limit and Continuity of a function of three variables

Definition: Let f be a function of three variables whose domain $D \subseteq \mathbb{R}^3$ includes points arbitrarily close to (a, b, c) . Then we say that the limit of $f(x, y, z)$ as (x, y, z) approaches (a, b, c) is L and we write $\lim_{(x,y,z) \rightarrow (a,b,c)} f(x, y, z) = L$,

if for every number $\epsilon > 0$ there is a corresponding number $\delta > 0$ such that if $(x, y, z) \in D$ and $0 < \sqrt{(x-a)^2 + (y-b)^2 + (z-c)^2} < \delta$ then $|f(x, y, z) - L| < \epsilon$.

Definition: Let $f(x, y, z)$ be a function of three variables defined on a set $D \subseteq \mathbb{R}^3$ and $(a, b, c) \in D$. If $\lim_{(x,y,z) \rightarrow (a,b,c)} f(x, y, z) = f(a, b, c)$, then f is continuous at (a, b, c) .

If f is continuous at every point in D , then f is continuous on D .

Example (13): Discuss the continuity of $f(x, y, z) = \frac{1}{1 - x^2 - y^2 - z^2}$.

Solution:

f is not defined where $1 - x^2 - y^2 - z^2 = 0 \implies x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$,

f is not continuous on the unit sphere.

$\forall (a, b, c) \in \mathbb{R}^3$ where $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 \neq 1$,

$\lim_{(x,y,z) \rightarrow (a,b,c)} f(x, y, z) = \frac{1}{1 - a^2 - b^2 - c^2} = f(a, b, c)$.

So, f is continuous on $D = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid x^2 + y^2 + z^2 \neq 1\}$ which is \mathbb{R}^3 except the unit sphere.

1.2.6 EXERCISES

1. Find the limit of the following:

$$(a). \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (3,2)} (x^2y^3 - 4y^2) \quad (b). \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (2,-1)} \frac{x^2y + yx^2}{x^2 - y^2}$$

2. Show that the following limits do not exist:

$$(a). \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{y^2}{x^2 + y^2} \quad (b). \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{(x+y)^2}{x^2 + y^2}$$

$$(c). \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (1,1)} \frac{y-x}{1-y+\ln x}$$

3. Discuss the existence of the following limits (and find its value if exists):

$$(a). \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (2,3)} \frac{3x-2y}{4x^2-y^2} \quad (b). \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^2y \cos y}{x^2 + y^4}$$

4. Use the Squeeze Theorem to find the limit of the following :

$$(a). \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} xy \sin\left(\frac{1}{x^2 + y^2}\right) \quad (b). \lim_{(x,y,z) \rightarrow (0,0,0)} \frac{x^2y^2z^2}{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}$$

5. Determine the set of points of continuity of the following:

$$(a). f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^2y^3}{2x^2 + y^2} & \text{if } (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 1 & \text{if } (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$$

$$(b). f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{xy}{x^2 + xy + y^2} & \text{if } (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 1 & \text{if } (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$$

6. Use polar coordinates to find $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^3 + y^3}{x^2 + y^2}$.

(*) Show that the following limits do not exist:

$$(a). \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^3 + y^2}{x^2 + y^2} \quad (b). \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{xy}{x^4 + y^4}$$

(*) Use Squeeze theorem to find the following limits:

$$(a). \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (-1,0)} \frac{y(x+1)^2 + y^2 \sin(\pi x)}{(x+1)^2 + y^2} \quad (b). \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{y^2 \sin x + yx^2}{x^2 + y^2}$$

(*) Show that the limit is zero in the following:

$$(a). \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^5 + y^5}{x^2 + y^2} \quad (b). \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^6 + y^6}{x^4 + y^4}$$
$$(c). \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^2 + 2xy}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} \quad (d). \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{\sin(x^3 + y^3)}{x^2 + y^2}$$

1.3 Partial Derivatives

1.3.1 Partial Derivatives of Functions of Two Variables

Definition: Let $f(x, y)$ be a function of two variables defined on a set $D \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2$. If $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h, y) - f(x, y)}{h}$ and $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x, y+h) - f(x, y)}{h}$ exist, then the partial derivatives of f are denoted by f_x and f_y and are defined as

$$(1). f_x(x, y) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h, y) - f(x, y)}{h}.$$

$$(2). f_y(x, y) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x, y+h) - f(x, y)}{h}.$$

Notations for Partial Derivatives: If $z = f(x, y)$ then

$$(1). f_x(x, y) = f_x = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} f(x, y) = \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = D_x f .$$

$$(2). f_y(x, y) = f_y = \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} f(x, y) = \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = D_y f .$$

Rule for Finding Partial Derivatives

- (1). To find f_x : differentiate $f(x, y)$ with respect to x regarding y as a constant.
- (2). To find f_y : differentiate $f(x, y)$ with respect to y regarding x as a constant.

Example (1): If $f(x, y) = x^2 - xy^3 - 3y^2$, find $f_x(1, 1)$ and $f_y(1, 1)$.

Solution:

$$(1). f_x(x, y) = 2x - (1)y^3 - 0 = 2x - y^3 ,$$

$$f_x(1, 1) = 2(1) - (1)^3 = 1.$$

$$(2). f_y(x, y) = 0 - x(3y^2) - 3(2y) = -3xy^2 - 6y ,$$

$$f_y(1, 1) = -3(1)(1)^2 - 6(1) = -9.$$

Example (2): If $f(x, y) = \sin\left(\frac{2x}{1+3y}\right)$, Evaluate $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}$ and $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$.

Solution:

$$(1). \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \cos\left(\frac{2x}{1+3y}\right) \left(\frac{2}{1+3y}\right) .$$

$$(2). \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = \cos\left(\frac{2x}{1+3y}\right) ((2x)(-1)(1+3y)^{-2}(3)) = \cos\left(\frac{2x}{1+3y}\right) \left(\frac{-6x}{(1+3y)^2}\right) .$$

1.3.2 Interpretations of Partial Derivatives

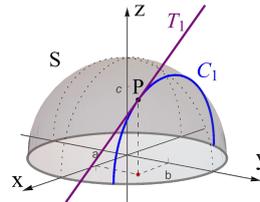
Let S be the surface represented by

$$z = f(x, y) \text{ and } f(a, b) = c.$$

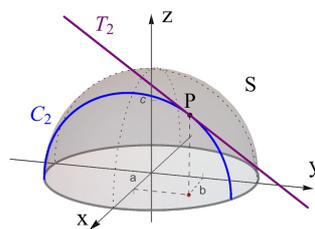
Then $P(a, b, c)$ lies on S .

Let C_1 be the curve where the plane $y = b$ intersects the surface S ,

The slope of the tangent line T_1 to the curve C_1 at $P(a, b, c)$ is $f_x(a, b)$.



Let C_2 be the curve where the plane $x = a$ intersects the surface S .
The slope of the tangent line T_2 to the curve C_2 at $P(a, b, c)$ is $f_y(a, b)$.



Example (3): If $f(x, y) = 4 - x^2 - y^2$, find $f_x(1, 1)$, $f_y(1, 1)$ and interpret them as slopes. Solution:

$$z = 4 - x^2 - y^2 .$$

$$f_x(x, y) = -2x .$$

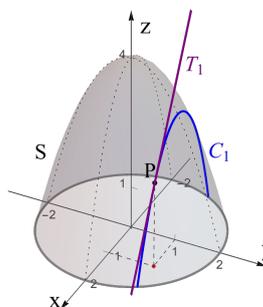
$$f_x(1, 1) = -2(1) = -2 .$$

$$f(1, 1) = 4 - 1 - 1 = 2 .$$

C_1 is the intersection of $z = 4 - x^2 - y^2$ and $y = 1$, and it is the parabola

$$z = 3 - x^2 .$$

The line T_1 is tangent to the curve C_1 at the point $P(1, 1, 2)$ and its slope is $f_x(1, 1) = -2$.



$$z = 4 - x^2 - y^2 .$$

$$f_y(x, y) = -2y .$$

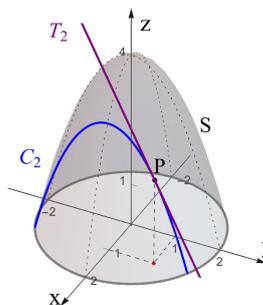
$$f_y(1, 1) = -2(1) = -2 .$$

$$f(1, 1) = 4 - 1 - 1 = 2 .$$

C_2 is the intersection of $z = 4 - x^2 - y^2$ and $x = 1$, and it is the parabola

$$z = 3 - y^2 .$$

The line T_2 is tangent to the curve C_2 at the point $P(1, 1, 2)$ and its slope is $f_y(1, 1) = -2$.



Example (4): If $x^3 + y^3 + z^3 + 6xyz + 4 = 0$, find $\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}$ and $\frac{\partial z}{\partial y}$.

Solution:

Differentiating implicitly with respect to x .

$$3x^2 + 0 + 3z^2 \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} + 6y \left(z + x \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} \right) + 0 = 0$$

$$3x^2 + 3z^2 \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} + 6yz + 6xy \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} (3z^2 + 6xy) = -3x^2 - 6yz$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = \frac{-3x^2 - 6yz}{3z^2 + 6xy} = \frac{-x^2 - 2yz}{z^2 + 2xy} = -\frac{x^2 + 2yz}{z^2 + 2xy}.$$

Differentiating implicitly with respect to y .

$$0 + 3y^2 + 3z^2 \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} + 6x \left(z + y \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \right) + 0 = 0$$

$$3y^2 + 3z^2 \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} + 6xz + 6xy \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial y} (3z^2 + 6xy) = -3y^2 - 6xz$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = \frac{-3y^2 - 6xz}{3z^2 + 6xy} = \frac{-y^2 - 2xz}{z^2 + 2xy} = -\frac{y^2 + 2xz}{z^2 + 2xy}.$$

1.3.3 Functions of Three Variables

Definition: Let $f(x, y, z)$ be a function of three variables defined on a set $D \subseteq \mathbb{R}^3$. If $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h, y, z) - f(x, y, z)}{h}$, $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x, y+h, z) - f(x, y, z)}{h}$ and $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x, y, z+h) - f(x, y, z)}{h}$ exist, then the partial derivatives of f are denoted by f_x , f_y and f_z and are defined as

$$(1). f_x(x, y, z) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h, y, z) - f(x, y, z)}{h}.$$

$$(2). f_y(x, y, z) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x, y+h, z) - f(x, y, z)}{h}.$$

$$(3). f_z(x, y, z) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x, y, z+h) - f(x, y, z)}{h}.$$

Example (5): If $f(x, y, z) = e^{xy} \ln(z^2 + 1)$, find f_x , f_y and f_z .

Solution:

$$f_x(x, y, z) = (e^{xy} y) \ln(z^2 + 1) = ye^{xy} \ln(z^2 + 1).$$

$$f_y(x, y, z) = (e^{xy} x) \ln(z^2 + 1) = xe^{xy} \ln(z^2 + 1).$$

$$f_z(x, y, z) = e^{xy} \left(\frac{2z}{z^2 + 1} \right) = \frac{2ze^{xy}}{z^2 + 1}.$$

1.3.4 Higher Derivatives

Definition: If $z = f(x, y)$, then the second partial derivatives of f are

$$(1) f_{xx} = (f_x)_x = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2}.$$

$$(2) f_{xy} = (f_x)_y = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y \partial x}.$$

$$(3) f_{yx} = (f_y)_x = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y}.$$

$$(y) f_{yy} = (f_y)_y = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2}.$$

Example (6): Find the second partial derivatives of $f(x, y) = x^3 + x^2y^2 - 2y^3$.

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}
f_x(x, y) &= 3x^2 + (2x)y^2 - 0 = 3x^2 + 2xy^2 . \\
f_{xx}(x, y) &= 3(2x) + 2y^2(1) = 6x + 2y^2 . \\
f_{xy}(x, y) &= 0 + 2x(2y) = 4xy . \\
f_y(x, y) &= 0 + x^2(2y) - 2(3y^2) = 2x^2y - 6y^2 . \\
f_{yx}(x, y) &= 2y(2x) - 0 = 4xy . \\
f_{yy} &= 2x^2(1) - 6(2y) = 2x^2 - 12y . \\
\text{NOTE : } f_{xy}(x, y) &= f_{yx}(x, y) .
\end{aligned}$$

Clairaut's Theorem: Suppose f is defined on a set $D \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2$ that contains the point (a, b) , If the functions f_{xy} and f_{yx} are both continuous on D , then $f_{xy}(a, b) = f_{yx}(a, b)$.

Example (7): If $f(x, y, z) = \sin(2x - yz)$, find $f_{xyz}(x, y)$.

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}
f_x(x, y, z) &= \cos(2x - yz)(2) = 2 \cos(2x - yz) . \\
f_{xy}(x, y, z) &= 2 [-\sin(2x - yz) (-z)] = 2z \sin(2x - yz) . \\
f_{xyz}(x, y, z) &= (2) \sin(2x - yz) + 2z [\cos(2x - yz) (-y)] \\
&= 2 \sin(2x - yz) - 2yz \cos(2x - yz) .
\end{aligned}$$

1.3.5 Partial Differential Equations

(1). **Laplace's Equation:** If $u(x, y)$ is a function of two variables and $u_{xx} + u_{yy} = 0$, then u satisfies the Laplace's equation, and u is called a harmonic function.

Example (8): Show that $u(x, y) = e^x \cos y$ is a solution of Laplace's equation.

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}
u_x(x, y) &= e^x \cos y \text{ and } u_{xx}(x, y) = e^x \cos y . \\
u_y(x, y) &= -e^x \sin y \text{ and } u_{yy}(x, y) = -e^x \cos y . \\
u_{xx} + u_{yy} &= e^x \cos y - e^x \cos y = 0 .
\end{aligned}$$

(2). **Wave Equation:** If $u(x, t)$ is a function of two variables and $u_{tt} = a^2 u_{xx}$, then u satisfies the wave equation.

Example (9): Show that $u(x, t) = \sin(x - at)$ is a solution of the wave equation.

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}
u_x(x, t) &= \cos(x - at) \text{ and } u_{xx}(x, t) = -\sin(x - at) . \\
u_t(x, t) &= -a \cos(x - at) \text{ and } u_{tt}(x, t) = -a^2 \sin(x - at) . \\
u_{tt} &= a^2 (-\sin(x - at)) = a^2 u_{xx} .
\end{aligned}$$

1.3.6 Differentiability

Definition: If $z = f(x, y)$ and $(a, b) \in D_f$, if x changes from a to $a + \Delta x$ and y changes from b to $b + \Delta y$, then the increment of z is

$$\Delta z = f(a + \Delta x, b + \Delta y) - f(a, b).$$

Definition: If $z = f(x, y)$, then f is differentiable at (a, b) , if

$$\Delta z = f_x(a, b)\Delta x + f_y(a, b)\Delta y + \sqrt{(\Delta x)^2 + (\Delta y)^2} \epsilon(\Delta x, \Delta y),$$

where $\lim_{(\Delta x, \Delta y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \epsilon(\Delta x, \Delta y) = 0$.

NOTE:

If $\lim_{(\Delta x, \Delta y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{f(a + \Delta x, b + \Delta y) - f(a, b) - f_x(a, b)\Delta x - f_y(a, b)\Delta y}{\sqrt{(\Delta x)^2 + (\Delta y)^2}} = 0$, then

f is differentiable at (a, b) .

Theorem: If f is differentiable at (a, b) , then f is continuous at (a, b) .

NOTE: If f is not continuous at (a, b) , then f is not differentiable at (a, b) .

Example (10): Show that $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{xy}{x^2 + y^2} & \text{if } (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0 & \text{if } (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$

is not differentiable at $(0, 0)$.

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} f(x, y) &= \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{xy}{x^2 + y^2} = \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{r \cos \theta \ r \sin \theta}{r^2} \\ &= \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{r^2 \cos \theta \sin \theta}{r^2} = \cos \theta \sin \theta. \end{aligned}$$

The limit depends on θ , so the limit does not exist.

f is not continuous at $(0, 0)$, hence, f is not differentiable at $(0, 0)$.

Example (11): Show that $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{xy^2}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} & \text{if } (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0 & \text{if } (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$

is differentiable at $(0, 0)$.

Solution:

$$f(0, 0) = 0.$$

$$f(0 + \Delta x, 0 + \Delta y) = f(\Delta x, \Delta y) = \frac{\Delta x (\Delta y)^2}{\sqrt{(\Delta x)^2 + (\Delta y)^2}}.$$

$$f_x(0, 0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0 + h, 0) - f(0, 0)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{0}{h} = 0.$$

$$f_y(0, 0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0, 0 + h) - f(0, 0)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{0}{h} = 0.$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\lim_{(\Delta x, \Delta y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{f(\Delta x, \Delta y) - f(0, 0) - f_x(0, 0)\Delta x - f_y(0, 0)\Delta y}{\sqrt{(\Delta x)^2 + (\Delta y)^2}} \\ &= \lim_{(\Delta x, \Delta y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{\left(\frac{\Delta x (\Delta y)^2}{\sqrt{(\Delta x)^2 + (\Delta y)^2}} \right)}{\sqrt{(\Delta x)^2 + (\Delta y)^2}} = \lim_{(\Delta x, \Delta y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{\Delta x (\Delta y)^2}{(\Delta x)^2 + (\Delta y)^2} = 0. \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Note that } 0 \leq \left| \frac{\Delta x (\Delta y)^2}{(\Delta x)^2 + (\Delta y)^2} \right| = |\Delta x| \left| \frac{(\Delta y)^2}{(\Delta x)^2 + (\Delta y)^2} \right| \leq |\Delta x|$$

By the squeeze theorem $\lim_{(\Delta x, \Delta y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \left| \frac{\Delta x (\Delta y)^2}{(\Delta x)^2 + (\Delta y)^2} \right| = 0$,

So, $\lim_{(\Delta x, \Delta y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{\Delta x (\Delta y)^2}{(\Delta x)^2 + (\Delta y)^2} = 0$.

Therefore, f is differentiable at $(0,0)$.

Example (12): Show that $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{y^2 \sin x + yx^2}{x^2 + y^2} & \text{if } (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0 & \text{if } (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$

is not differentiable at $(0,0)$.

Solution:

$f(0,0) = 0$.

$$f(0 + \Delta x, 0 + \Delta y) = f(\Delta x, \Delta y) = \frac{(\Delta y)^2 \sin(\Delta x) + \Delta y (\Delta x)^2}{(\Delta x)^2 + (\Delta y)^2}.$$

$$f_x(0,0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0+h,0) - f(0,0)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{0}{h} = 0.$$

$$f_y(0,0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0,0+h) - f(0,0)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{0}{h} = 0.$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{(\Delta x, \Delta y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{f(\Delta x, \Delta y) - f(0,0) - f_x(0,0)\Delta x - f_y(0,0)\Delta y}{\sqrt{(\Delta x)^2 + (\Delta y)^2}} \\ &= \lim_{(\Delta x, \Delta y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{\left(\frac{(\Delta y)^2 \sin(\Delta x) + \Delta y (\Delta x)^2}{(\Delta x)^2 + (\Delta y)^2} \right)}{\sqrt{(\Delta x)^2 + (\Delta y)^2}} = \lim_{(\Delta x, \Delta y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{(\Delta y)^2 \sin(\Delta x) + \Delta y (\Delta x)^2}{\left[(\Delta x)^2 + (\Delta y)^2 \right]^{\frac{3}{2}}} \end{aligned}$$

Taking the path $\Delta y = \Delta x$:

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{(\Delta x, \Delta y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{(\Delta y)^2 \sin(\Delta x) + \Delta y (\Delta x)^2}{\left[(\Delta x)^2 + (\Delta y)^2 \right]^{\frac{3}{2}}} = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(\Delta x)^2 \sin(\Delta x) + \Delta x (\Delta x)^2}{\left[(\Delta x)^2 + (\Delta x)^2 \right]^{\frac{3}{2}}} \\ &= \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(\Delta x)^2 [\sin(\Delta x) + \Delta x]}{\left[2(\Delta x)^2 \right]^{\frac{3}{2}}} = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(\Delta x)^2 [\sin(\Delta x) + \Delta x]}{\sqrt{8} (\Delta x)^3} = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(\Delta x) + \Delta x}{\sqrt{8} \Delta x} \\ &= \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\sqrt{8}} \left(\frac{\sin(\Delta x)}{\Delta x} + \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta x} \right) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{8}} (1 + 1) = \frac{2}{\sqrt{8}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \neq 0. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, f is not differentiable at $(0,0)$.

1.3.7 EXERCISES

1. Find the first partial derivatives of the function.

$$\begin{aligned}
 (a). f(x, y) &= x^4 - 5xy^3 & (b). g(x, y) &= x^3 \sin y \\
 (c). w(u, v) &= \frac{u}{v^2} & (d). u(r, \theta) &= \sin(r \cos \theta) \\
 (e). w(x, y, z) &= y \tan(x + 2z)
 \end{aligned}$$

2. If
- $f(x, y) = y \sin^{-1}(xy)$
- , find
- $f_y \left(1, \frac{1}{2}\right)$
- .

3. Find
- $\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}$
- and
- $\frac{\partial z}{\partial y}$
- :

$$(a). z = f(x) + g(y) \quad (b). z = f(x + y)$$

4. Find all the second partial derivatives of
- $f(x, y) = x^4y - 2x^3y^2$
- .

5. Verify that the conclusion of Clairaut's Theorem holds for

$$u(x, y) = x^4y^3 - y^4.$$

6. If
- $f(x, y) = x^4y^2 - x^3y$
- , find
- f_{xxx}
- and
- f_{xyx}
- .

- (*) Discuss the differentiability of the following functions at the given points:

$$(a). f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^2(y-2)}{x^2+(y-2)^2} & \text{if } (x, y) \neq (0, 2) \\ 0 & \text{if } (x, y) = (0, 2) \end{cases} \text{ at } (0, 2).$$

$$(b). f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^2y - xy^2}{x^2 + y^2} & \text{if } (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0 & \text{if } (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases} \text{ at } (0, 0).$$

$$(c). f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^3 - y^3}{x^2 + y^2} & \text{if } (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0 & \text{if } (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases} \text{ at } (0, 0).$$

1.4 Chain Rule

1.4.1 The Chain Rule (Case 1)

Theorem: Suppose that $z = f(x, y)$ is a differentiable function of x and y , where $x = g(t)$ and $y = h(t)$ are both differentiable functions of t . Then z is a differentiable function of t and $\frac{dz}{dt} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{dx}{dt} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{dy}{dt}$.

Example (1): If $f(x, y) = x^3y + 2xy^3$, where $x = \sin 2t$ and $y = \cos t$, find $\frac{dz}{dt}$ at $t = 0$.

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} &= 3x^2y + 2y^3, \quad \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = x^3 + 6xy^2. \\ \frac{dx}{dt} &= 2 \cos 2t, \quad \frac{dy}{dt} = -\sin t. \\ \frac{dz}{dt} &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{dx}{dt} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{dy}{dt} \\ &= (3x^2y + 2y^3)(2 \cos 2t) + (x^3 + 6xy^2)(-\sin t) \\ \left. \frac{dz}{dt} \right|_{t=0} &= (0 + 2)(2) + (0 + 0)(0) = 4. \end{aligned}$$

1.4.2 The Chain Rule (Case 2)

Theorem: Suppose that $z = f(x, y)$ is a differentiable function of x and y , where $x = g(s, t)$ and $y = h(s, t)$ are both differentiable functions of s and t . Then z is a differentiable function of t and $\frac{\partial f}{\partial s} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial s} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial s}$,

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial t}$$

Example (2): If $f(x, y) = e^x \sin y$, where $x = s^2 + t^2$ and $y = s^2 t^2$, find $\frac{\partial f}{\partial s}$ and $\frac{\partial f}{\partial t}$.

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} &= e^x \sin y, \quad \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = e^x \cos y. \\ \frac{\partial x}{\partial s} &= 2s, \quad \frac{\partial y}{\partial s} = 2st^2. \\ (1). \quad \frac{\partial f}{\partial s} &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial s} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial s} = (e^x \sin y)(2s) + (e^x \cos y)(2st^2) \\ &= 2se^{s^2+t^2} \sin(s^2 t^2) + 2st^2 e^{s^2+t^2} \cos(s^2 t^2). \\ \text{Also, } \frac{\partial x}{\partial t} &= 2t, \quad \frac{\partial y}{\partial t} = 2ts^2. \\ (2). \quad \frac{\partial f}{\partial t} &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial t} = (e^x \sin y)(2t) + (e^x \cos y)(2ts^2) \\ &= 2te^{s^2+t^2} \sin(s^2 t^2) + 2ts^2 e^{s^2+t^2} \cos(s^2 t^2). \end{aligned}$$

1.4.3 The Chain Rule (The General Case)

Theorem: Suppose that u is a differentiable function of the n variables x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n and each x_j is a differentiable function of the m variables t_1, t_2, \dots, t_m . Then u is a function of t_1, t_2, \dots, t_m and

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t_i} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x_1} \frac{\partial x_1}{\partial t_i} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial x_2} \frac{\partial x_2}{\partial t_i} + \dots + \frac{\partial u}{\partial x_n} \frac{\partial x_n}{\partial t_i}, \text{ for each } i = 1, 2, \dots, m.$$

Example (3): If $u(x, y, z) = x^2y^2 + yz^3$, where $x = r^2se^t$, $y = rse^{-t}$ and $z = rs^2 \sin t$, find $\frac{\partial u}{\partial s}$ when $r = 1$, $s = 1$ and $t = 0$.

Solution:

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 2xy^2, \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = 2x^2y + z^3 \text{ and } \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} = 3yz^2.$$

$$\frac{\partial x}{\partial s} = r^2e^t, \quad \frac{\partial y}{\partial s} = re^{-t} \text{ and } \frac{\partial z}{\partial s} = 2rs \sin t.$$

$$\text{So, } \frac{\partial u}{\partial s} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial s} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial s} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} \frac{\partial z}{\partial s}$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial s} = (2xy^2)(r^2e^t) + (2x^2y + z^3)(re^{-t}) + (3yz^2)(2rs \sin t)$$

$$\text{When } r = 1, s = 1, t = 0, \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial s} = (2)(1) + (2)(1) + (0)(0) = 4.$$

Example (4): If $w = f(x, y)$ is differentiable at (x, y) and $x = s + t$, $y = s - t$.

$$\text{Show that } \frac{\partial w}{\partial s} \frac{\partial w}{\partial t} = \left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \right)^2 - \left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial y} \right)^2.$$

$$\frac{\partial w}{\partial s} = \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial s} + \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial s} = f_x(1) + f_y(1) = f_x + f_y.$$

$$\frac{\partial w}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial t} = f_x(1) + f_y(-1) = f_x - f_y.$$

$$\frac{\partial w}{\partial s} \frac{\partial w}{\partial t} = (f_x + f_y)(f_x - f_y) = (f_x)^2 - (f_y)^2 = \left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \right)^2 - \left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial y} \right)^2.$$

Example (5): If $z = f(s^2 - t^2, t^2 - s^2)$ is differentiable at (s, t) ,

$$\text{Show that } t \frac{\partial z}{\partial s} + s \frac{\partial z}{\partial t} = 0.$$

Solution:

$$\text{Let } z = f(x, y), \text{ where } x = s^2 - t^2 \text{ and } y = t^2 - s^2.$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial s} = \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial s} + \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial s} = f_x(2s) + f_y(-2s) = 2sf_x - 2sf_y.$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial t} = f_x(-2t) + f_y(2t) = -2tf_x + 2tf_y.$$

$$t \frac{\partial z}{\partial s} + s \frac{\partial z}{\partial t} = t(2sf_x - 2sf_y) + s(-2tf_x + 2tf_y) \\ = 2stf_x - 2stf_y - 2stf_x + 2stf_y = 0.$$

Example (6): If $z = f(x, y)$ has continuous second-order partial derivatives

$$\text{and } x = r^2 + s, \quad y = 3rs. \text{ Find } \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial r^2}.$$

Solution:

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial r} = \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial r} + \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial r} = f_x(2r) + f_y(3s) = 2rf_x + 3sf_y.$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial r^2} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial r} \right) = \frac{\partial}{\partial r} (2r f_x + 3s f_y) = 2f_x + 2r \left(\frac{\partial f_x}{\partial r} \right) + 3s \left(\frac{\partial f_y}{\partial r} \right) \\
&= 2f_x + 2r \left(\frac{\partial f_x}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial r} + \frac{\partial f_x}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial r} \right) + 3s \left(\frac{\partial f_y}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial r} + \frac{\partial f_y}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial r} \right) \\
&= 2f_x + 2r (f_{xx}(2r) + f_{xy}(3s)) + 3s (f_{yx}(2r) + f_{yy}(3s)) \\
&= 2f_x + 4r^2 f_{xx} + 6rs f_{xy} + 6rs f_{yx} + 9s^2 f_{yy} .
\end{aligned}$$

1.4.4 Implicit Differentiation

Let $F(x, y) = 0$ where $y = f(x)$, using chain rule $\frac{\partial F}{\partial x} \frac{dx}{dx} + \frac{\partial F}{\partial y} \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$

$$\implies F_x(1) + F_y \frac{dy}{dx} = 0 \implies \frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{F_x}{F_y} .$$

Example (7): If $x^2 + y^2 = 5xy$, Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$.

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}
x^2 + y^2 = 5xy &\implies x^2 + y^2 - 5xy = 0, \text{ Let } F(x, y) = x^2 + y^2 - 5xy \text{ then} \\
F(x, y) &= 0. \\
\frac{dy}{dx} &= -\frac{F_x}{F_y} = -\frac{2x - 5y}{2y - 5x}.
\end{aligned}$$

Let $F(x, y, z) = 0$ where $z = f(x, y)$, then $\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = -\frac{F_x}{F_z}$ and $\frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = -\frac{F_y}{F_z}$.

Example (8): If $x^3 + y^3 + z^2 + 3xyz - 1 = 0$, Find $\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}$ and $\frac{\partial z}{\partial y}$.

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Let } F(x, y, z) &= x^3 + y^3 + z^2 + 3xyz - 1 \text{ then } F(x, y, z) = 0. \\
\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} &= -\frac{F_x}{F_z} = -\frac{3x^2 + 3yz}{2z + 3xy} . \\
\frac{\partial z}{\partial y} &= -\frac{F_y}{F_z} = -\frac{3y^2 + 3xz}{2z + 3xy} .
\end{aligned}$$

1.4.5 EXERCISES

1. Find $\frac{dw}{dt}$ of the following:
 - (a). $w = xy^3 - x^2y$, where $x = t^2 + 1$ and $y = t^2 - 1$.
 - (b). $w = \sin x \cos y$, where $x = \sqrt{t}$ and $y = \frac{1}{t}$.
 - (c). $w = xe^{\frac{y}{z}}$, where $x = t^2$, $y = 1 - t$ and $z = 1 + 2t$.
 - (d). $w = \ln \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}$, where $x = \sin t$, $y = \cos t$ and $z = \tan t$.

2. Find $\frac{\partial z}{\partial s}$ and $\frac{\partial z}{\partial t}$ of the following:
 - (a). $z = (x - y)^5$, where $x = s^2t$ and $y = st^2$.
 - (b). $z = \tan^{-1}(x^2 + y^2)$, where $x = s \ln t$ and $y = t e^s$.
 - (c). $z = \frac{\sin \theta}{r}$, where $r = st$ and $\theta = s^2 + t^2$.

3. If $z = x^4 + x^2y$, where $x = s + 2t - u$ and $y = stu^2$,
 Find $\frac{\partial z}{\partial s}$, $\frac{\partial z}{\partial t}$ and $\frac{\partial z}{\partial u}$ at $s = 4$, $t = 2$, $u = 1$.

4. If $z = f(x, y)$, where $x = r \cos \theta$ and $y = r \sin \theta$, Show that

$$\left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial y}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial r}\right)^2 + \frac{1}{r^2} \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial \theta}\right)^2.$$

5. If $z = f(x + at) + g(x - at)$, Show that $\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial t^2} = a^2 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2}$.

- (*) If $xe^{yz} - 2ye^{xz} + 3ze^{xy} = 1$, find $\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}$ and $\frac{\partial z}{\partial y}$.

1.5 Maximum and Minimum Values

1.5.1 Local Maximum and Minimum Values

Definition: If f is a differentiable function of two variables x and y , then the gradient of f is the vector function ∇f and it is defined by

$$\nabla f(x, y) = \langle f_x(x, y), f_y(x, y) \rangle = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \vec{i} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \vec{j}.$$

Definition: If f is a differentiable function of three variables x, y and z , then the gradient of f is the vector function ∇f and it is defined by

$$\nabla f(x, y, z) = \langle f_x(x, y, z), f_y(x, y, z), f_z(x, y, z) \rangle = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \vec{i} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \vec{j} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} \vec{k}.$$

Definition (Critical point): If $f(x, y)$ is a function of two variables then $(a, b) \in D_f$ is a critical point if both $f_x(a, b) = 0$ and $f_y(a, b) = 0$, or f is not differentiable at (a, b) .

Definition (Local maximum and Local minimum):

- (i) A function f of two variables has a local maximum at $(a, b) \in D_f$ if $f(x, y) \leq f(a, b)$, for all points (x, y) in some disk with center (a, b) .
- (ii) A function f of two variables has a local minimum at $(a, b) \in D_f$ if $f(x, y) \geq f(a, b)$, for all points (x, y) in some disk with center (a, b) .

Theorem: If $f(x, y)$ has a local maximum or minimum at $(a, b) \in D_f$ and the first-order partial derivatives of f exist there, then $f_x(a, b) = 0$ and $f_y(a, b) = 0$.

Second Derivatives Test: Suppose the second partial derivatives of $f(x, y)$ are continuous on a disk with center $(a, b) \in D_f$, and suppose that $f_x(a, b) = 0$ and $f_y(a, b) = 0$ [so (a, b) is a critical point of f].

Let $D = D(a, b) = f_{xx}(a, b)f_{yy}(a, b) - [f_{xy}(a, b)]^2$.

- (1). If $D > 0$ and $f_{xx}(a, b) > 0$, then $f(a, b)$ is a local minimum.
- (2). If $D > 0$ and $f_{xx}(a, b) < 0$, then $f(a, b)$ is a local maximum.
- (3). If $D < 0$, then (a, b) is a saddle point.

NOTES:

- (1). If $D = 0$, then the test gives no information.

$$(2). D = \begin{vmatrix} f_{xx} & f_{xy} \\ f_{yx} & f_{yy} \end{vmatrix} = f_{xx}f_{yy} - f_{xy}f_{yx} = f_{xx}f_{yy} - [f_{xy}]^2.$$

Example (1): Find the local maximum and minimum values and saddle points of $f(x, y) = 6xy - 2x^3 + y^2$.

Solution:

$$f_x(x, y) = 6y - 6x^2 \text{ and } f_y(x, y) = 6x + 2y.$$

$$f_x(x, y) = 0 \implies 6y - 6x^2 = 0 \implies y = x^2.$$

$$f_y(x, y) = 0 \implies 6x + 2y = 0 \implies y = -3x.$$

$$f_x(x, y) = f_y(x, y) \implies x^2 = -3x \implies x^2 + 3x = 0$$

$$\implies x(x + 3) = 0 \implies x = 0, x = -3 \implies y = 0, y = 9.$$

So, the critical points are $(0, 0)$ and $(-3, 9)$.

$$f_{xx}(x, y) = -12x, f_{xy}(x, y) = 6 \text{ and } f_{yy}(x, y) = 2 .$$

First- At the point $(0, 0)$:

$$D(0, 0) = f_{xx}(0, 0)f_{yy}(0, 0) - [f_{x,y}(0, 0)]^2 = (0)(2) - (6)^2 = -36 < 0.$$

Therefore, $(0, 0)$ is a saddle point.

Second- At the point $(-3, 9)$:

$$D(-3, 9) = f_{xx}(-3, 9)f_{yy}(-3, 9) - [f_{x,y}(-3, 9)]^2 = (36)(2) - (6)^2 = 36 > 0.$$

Since $f_{xx}(-3, 9) = 36 > 0$, then f attains a local minimum at $(-3, 9)$,

and its value is $f(-3, 9) = 6(-3)(9) - 2(-3)^3 + (-9)^2 = -162 + 54 + 81 = -27$.

Example (2): Find the local maximum and minimum values and saddle points of $f(x, y) = x^3 - y^3 - 3x + 3y + 5$.

Solution:

$$f_x(x, y) = 3x^2 - 3 \text{ and } f_y(x, y) = -3y^2 + 3 .$$

$$f_x(x, y) = 0 \implies 3x^2 - 3 = 0 \implies x^2 - 1 = 0 \implies x = \pm 1 .$$

$$f_y(x, y) = 0 \implies -3y^2 + 3 = 0 \implies y^2 - 1 = 0 \implies y = \pm 1 .$$

So, the critical points are $(1, 1)$, $(1, -1)$, $(-1, 1)$ and $(-1, -1)$.

$$f_{xx}(x, y) = 6x, f_{xy}(x, y) = 0 \text{ and } f_{yy}(x, y) = -6y .$$

First- At the point $(1, 1)$:

$$D(1, 1) = f_{xx}(1, 1)f_{yy}(1, 1) - [f_{x,y}(1, 1)]^2 = (6)(-6) - (0)^2 = -36 < 0.$$

Therefore, $(1, 1)$ is a saddle point.

Second- At the point $(1, -1)$:

$$D(1, -1) = f_{xx}(1, -1)f_{yy}(1, -1) - [f_{x,y}(1, -1)]^2 = (6)(6) - (0)^2 = 36 > 0.$$

Since $f_{xx}(1, -1) = 6 > 0$, then f attains a local minimum at $(1, -1)$,

and its value is $f(1, -1) = 1 + 1 - 3 - 3 + 5 = 1$.

Third- At the point $(-1, 1)$:

$$D(-1, 1) = f_{xx}(-1, 1)f_{yy}(-1, 1) - [f_{x,y}(-1, 1)]^2 = (-6)(-6) - (0)^2 = 36 > 0.$$

Since $f_{xx}(-1, 1) = -6 < 0$, then f attains a local maximum at $(-1, 1)$,

and its value is $f(-1, 1) = -1 - 1 + 3 + 3 + 5 = 9$.

Fourth- At the point $(-1, -1)$:

$$D(-1, -1) = f_{xx}(-1, -1)f_{yy}(-1, -1) - [f_{x,y}(-1, -1)]^2 \\ = (-6)(6) - (0)^2 = -36 < 0.$$

Therefore, $(-1, -1)$ is a saddle point.

1.5.2 Absolute Maximum and Minimum Values

Definition: Let (a, b) be a point in the domain D of a function f of two variables. Then $f(a, b)$ is the

- (1). absolute maximum value of f on D if $f(a, b) \geq f(x, y)$ for all (x, y) in D .
- (2). absolute minimum value of f on D if $f(a, b) \leq f(x, y)$ for all (x, y) in D .

Theorem: If f is continuous on a closed, bounded set D in \mathbb{R}^2 , then f attains an absolute maximum value $f(x_1, y_1)$ and an absolute minimum value $f(x_2, y_2)$ at some points (x_1, y_1) and (x_2, y_2) in D .

NOTES: To find the absolute maximum and minimum values of a continuous function $f(x, y)$ on a closed, bounded set $D \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2$:

1. Find the values of f at the critical points of f in the interior of D .
2. Find the extreme values of f on the boundary of D .
3. The largest of the values from steps (1) and (2) is the absolute maximum value of f on D , and the smallest of these values is the absolute minimum value of f on D .

Example (3): Find the absolute maximum and minimum values of the function $f(x, y) = xy + 7$ on the plane region bounded by the graphs of the lines $x = 0$, $y = 0$ and $y + x = 2$.

Solution:

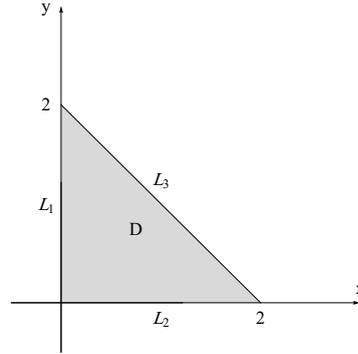
$$f_x(x, y) = y \text{ and } f_y(x, y) = x .$$

$$f_x(x, y) = 0 \implies y = 0 .$$

$$f_y(x, y) = 0 \implies x = 0 .$$

The critical point is $(0, 0)$.

Note that the critical point is not inside the given region.

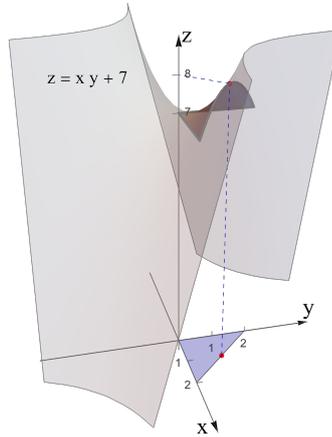


Let L_1 be the line $x = 0$:
 then $f(x, y) = f(0, y) = 7$.
 $f(x, y) = 7$ for all $(x, y) \in L_1$.

Let L_2 be the line $y = 0$:
 then $f(x, y) = f(x, 0) = 7$.
 $f(x, y) = 7$ for all $(x, y) \in L_2$.

Let L_3 be the line $y + x = 2$:
 then $y = -x + 2$ where $0 \leq x \leq 2$.
 $f(x, y) = f(x, -x + 2)$
 $= x(-x + 2) + 7 = -x^2 + 2x + 7 .$
 $f'(x) = -2x + 2,$
 $f'(x) = 0 \implies -2x + 2 = 0$
 $\implies x = 1 .$

So, $y = -2 + 1 = 1 .$
 $f(1, 1) = (1)(1) + 7 = 8 .$
 Also, $f(0, 2) = 7$ and $f(2, 0) = 7$.



The absolute maximum is 8, and f takes it at $(1, 1)$.
 The absolute minimum is 7, and f takes it at any point on $L_1 \cup L_2$.

Example (4): Find the absolute maximum and minimum values of the function $f(x, y) = x^2 + 2xy + 3y^2$ on the closed and bounded region $D = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : -2 \leq x \leq 4, -1 \leq y \leq 3\}$.

Solution:

$$f_x(x, y) = 2x + 2y.$$

$$f_y(x, y) = 2x + 6y.$$

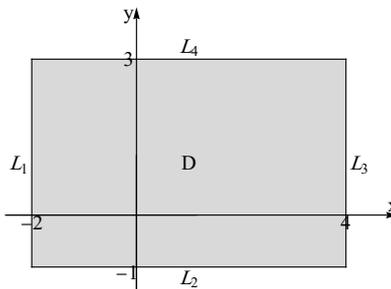
$$f_x(x, y) = 0 \implies x = -y.$$

$$f_y(x, y) = 0 \implies x = -3y.$$

$$-y = -3y \implies y = 0 \implies x = 0.$$

The critical point is $(0, 0)$.

$$f(0, 0) = (0)^2 + 2(0)(0) + 3(0)^3 = 0.$$



Let L_1 be the line between $(-2, -1)$ and $(-2, 3)$.

On L_1 : $x = -2$ and $-1 \leq y \leq 3$.

$$f(x, y) = f(-2, y) = 4 - 4y + 3y^2 \implies f'(y) = -4 + 6y.$$

$$f'(y) = 0 \implies 6y = 4 \implies y = \frac{2}{3}.$$

Note that $\left(-2, \frac{2}{3}\right) \in L_1$.

$$f\left(-2, \frac{2}{3}\right) = (-2)^2 + 2(-2)\left(\frac{2}{3}\right) + 3\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^2 = 4 - \frac{8}{3} + \frac{4}{3} = \frac{8}{3}.$$

Let L_2 be the line between $(-2, -1)$ and $(4, -1)$.

On L_2 : $y = -1$ and $-2 \leq x \leq 4$.

$$f(x, y) = f(x, -1) = x^2 - 2x + 3 \implies f'(x) = 2x - 2.$$

$$f'(x) = 0 \implies 2x = 2 \implies x = 1.$$

Note that $(1, -1) \in L_2$.

$$f(1, -1) = (1)^2 + 2(1)(-1) + 3(-1)^2 = 1 - 2 + 3 = 2.$$

Let L_3 be the line between $(4, -1)$ and $(4, 3)$.

On L_3 : $x = 4$ and $-1 \leq y \leq 3$.

$$f(x, y) = f(4, y) = 16 + 8y + 3y^2 \implies f'(y) = 8 + 6y.$$

$$f'(y) = 0 \implies 6y = -8 \implies y = -\frac{4}{3}.$$

Note that $\left(4, -\frac{4}{3}\right) \notin L_3$.

Let L_4 be the line between $(-2, 3)$ and $(4, 3)$.

On L_4 : $y = 3$ and $-2 \leq x \leq 4$.

$$f(x, y) = f(x, 3) = x^2 + 6x + 27 \implies f'(x) = 2x + 6.$$

$$f'(x) = 0 \implies 2x = -6 \implies x = -3.$$

Note that $(-3, 3) \notin L_4$.

Evaluating $f(x, y)$ at the four corners of D :

$$f(-2, -1) = (-2)^2 + 2(-2)(-1) + 3(-1)^2 = 4 + 4 + 3 = 11.$$

$$f(-2, 3) = (-2)^2 + 2(-2)(3) + 3(3)^2 = 4 - 12 + 27 = 19.$$

$$f(4, -1) = (4)^2 + 2(4)(-1) + 3(-1)^2 = 16 - 8 + 3 = 11.$$

$$f(4, 3) = (4)^2 + 2(4)(3) + 3(3)^2 = 16 + 24 + 27 = 67.$$

The absolute maximum is 67, and f takes it at $(4, 3)$.

The absolute minimum is 0, and f takes it at $(0, 0)$.

Example (5): Find the absolute maximum and minimum values of the function $f(x, y) = x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 2$ on the closed region with vertices $(0, 0)$, $(2, 1)$ and $(2, -2)$.

Solution:

$$f_x(x, y) = 2x - 2 \text{ and } f_y(x, y) = 2y .$$

$$f_x(x, y) = 0 \implies x = 1 .$$

$$f_y(x, y) = 0 \implies y = 0 .$$

The critical point is $(1, 0)$.

$$f(1, 0) = 1 + 0 - 2 + 2 = 1 .$$

Let L_1 be the line passing through $(0, 0)$ and $(2, 1)$ then $y = \frac{x}{2}$.

$$f\left(x, \frac{x}{2}\right) = x^2 + \frac{x^2}{4} - 2x + 2 .$$

$$f(x) = \frac{5}{4}x^2 - 2x + 2 .$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{5}{2}x - 2 .$$

$$f'(x) = 0 \implies x = \frac{4}{5} \text{ and } y = \frac{2}{5} .$$

$$f\left(\frac{4}{5}, \frac{2}{5}\right) = \frac{16}{25} + \frac{4}{25} - \frac{8}{5} + 2$$

$$= \frac{16}{25} + \frac{4}{25} - \frac{40}{25} + \frac{50}{25} = \frac{30}{25} = \frac{6}{5} .$$

Let L_2 be the line passing through $(0, 0)$ and $(2, -2)$ then $y = -x$.

$$f(x, -x) = x^2 + x^2 - 2x + 2$$

$$f(x) = 2x^2 - 2x + 2 .$$

$$f'(x) = 4x - 2 .$$

$$f'(x) = 0 \implies x = \frac{1}{2} \text{ and } y = -\frac{1}{2} .$$

$$f\left(\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{4} + 1 + 2 = \frac{7}{2} .$$

Let L_3 be the line passing through $(2, -2)$ and $(2, 1)$ then $x = 2$.

$$f(2, y) = 4 + y^2 - 4 + 2 = y^2 + 2, \text{ so } f(y) = y^2 + 2 \implies f'(y) = 2y .$$

$$f'(y) = 0 \implies y = 0 \text{ and } x = 2 .$$

$$f(2, 0) = 4 + 0 - 4 + 2 = 2 .$$

Evaluating $f(x, y)$ at the three corners of D :

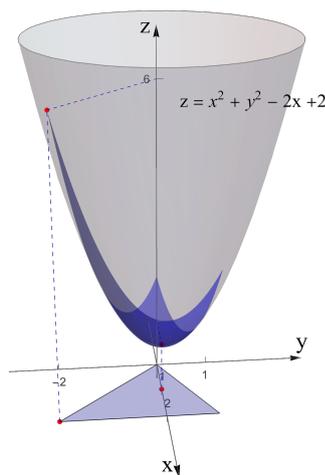
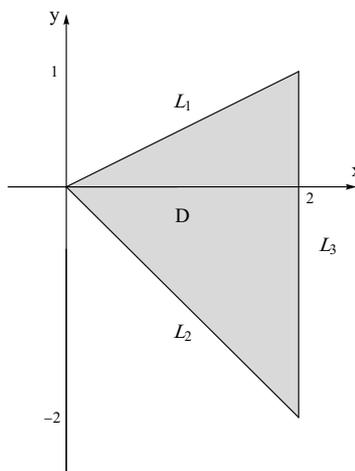
$$f(0, 0) = 0 + 0 - 0 + 2 = 2 .$$

$$f(2, 1) = 4 + 1 - 4 + 2 = 3 .$$

$$f(2, -2) = 4 + 4 - 4 + 2 = 6 .$$

The absolute maximum is 6, and f takes it at $(2, -2)$.

The absolute minimum is 1, and f takes it at $(1, 0)$.



1.5.3 EXERCISES

1. Find the local maximum and minimum values and saddle point(s) of the functions:

(a). $f(x, y) = x^2 + xy + y^2 + y$.

(b). $f(x, y) = x^3 + y^3 + 3xy$.

(c). $f(x, y) = 2 - x^4 + 2x^2 - y^2$.

(d). $f(x, y) = x^4 - 2x^2 + y^3 - 3y$.

2. Find the absolute maximum and minimum values of $f(x, y) = x^2 + y^2 - 2x$ on the closed region with vertices $(2, 0)$, $(0, 2)$ and $(0, -2)$.

- (*) Find the local maximum and minimum values and saddle point(s) of the functions:

(a). $f(x, y) = 4x^3 - 2x^2y + y^2$.

(b). $f(x, y) = 2x^3 - 3x^2 + 3y^2 - 6xy + 2$.

(c). $f(x, y) = x^4 + y^3 + 32x - 3y$.

1.6 Lagrange Multipliers

1.6.1 Lagrange Multipliers (One Constraint)

To find the extreme values of $f(x, y)$ subject to a constraint $g(x, y) = k$.

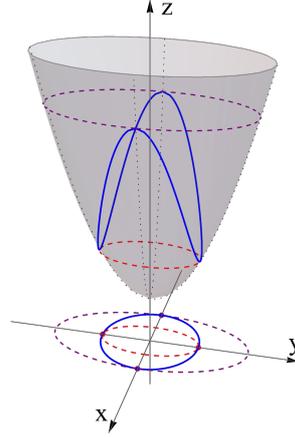
Let $z = f(x, y)$ be the gray surface, and $g(x, y)$ is the blue curve representing the constraint in the xy -plane.

Note that the level curves $f(x, y)$ touches $g(x, y)$ at the points where $f(x, y)$ have minimum and maximum values.

This means that $\nabla f(x, y)$ is parallel to $\nabla g(x, y)$ at these point.

Find these points by solving the equation: $\nabla f(x, y) = \lambda \nabla g(x, y)$, where $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ and $\nabla g(x, y) \neq 0$.

Evaluate $f(x, y)$ at these points, The largest is the maximum value of f and the smallest is the minimum value of f .



Example (1): Find the extreme values of the function $f(x, y) = 1 + xy$ on the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 1$.

Solution:

$$f(x, y) = 1 + xy \text{ and } g(x, y) = x^2 + y^2 - 1.$$

$$\nabla f(x, y) = \lambda \nabla g(x, y) \implies \langle y, x \rangle = \lambda \langle 2x, 2y \rangle = \langle 2\lambda x, 2\lambda y \rangle$$

$$\implies \begin{cases} y = 2\lambda x \\ x = 2\lambda y \end{cases} \implies x = 2\lambda(2\lambda x) = 4\lambda^2 x \implies x(1 - 4\lambda^2) = 0$$

$$\implies x = 0, \lambda = \pm \frac{1}{2}.$$

If $x = 0$ then $y = 2\lambda(0) = 0$, but $(0, 0)$ does not lie on the unit circle, so $(0, 0)$ is excluded.

$$\text{If } \lambda = \pm \frac{1}{2} \implies y = 2 \left(\pm \frac{1}{2} \right) x \implies y = \pm x.$$

$$\text{From the constraint : } x^2 + y^2 = 1 \implies 2x^2 = 1 \implies x = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}.$$

$$\text{This means } \frac{1}{2} + y^2 = 1 \implies y = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}.$$

So, There are 4 points $\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$, $\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$, $\left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$ and $\left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$.

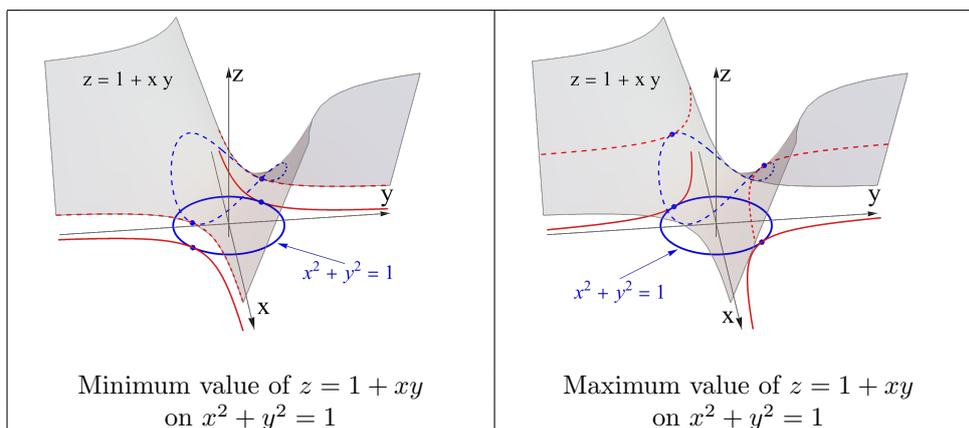
$$f\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) = 1 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = 1 + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{3}{2}.$$

$$f\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) = 1 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}} = 1 - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}.$$

$$f\left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) = 1 + \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = 1 - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}.$$

$$f\left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) = 1 + \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}} = 1 + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{3}{2}.$$

The maximum value is $\frac{3}{2}$, and f takes it at $\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$ and $\left(\frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$.
 The minimum value is $\frac{1}{2}$, and f takes it at $\left(\frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$ and $\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$.



Note: to find the extreme values of $f(x, y, z)$ subject to a constraint $g(x, y, z) = k$, where $k \in \mathbb{R}$.

- (1). Find the points that satisfy the equation $\nabla f(x, y, z) = \lambda \nabla g(x, y, z)$
 $f_x(x, y, z) = \lambda g_x(x, y, z)$, $f_y(x, y, z) = \lambda g_y(x, y, z)$ and $f_z(x, y, z) = \lambda g_z(x, y, z)$.
- (2). Evaluate $f(x, y, z)$ at these points, The largest is the maximum value of f and the smallest is the minimum value of f .

Example (2): Find the points on the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$ that are closest to and farthest from the point $(2, 2, 2)$.

Solution:

Let $f(x, y, z)$ be the function of the square of the distance between any point in the sphere and the point $(2, 2, 2)$, then $f(x, y, z) = (x - 2)^2 + (y - 2)^2 + (z - 2)^2$.
 Let $g(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 1 = 0$ be the constraint.

$$\nabla f(x, y, z) = \lambda \nabla g(x, y, z) \implies \langle 2(x - 2), 2(y - 2), 2(z - 2) \rangle = \lambda \langle 2x, 2y, 2z \rangle$$

$$\begin{cases} 2(x - 2) = 2\lambda x \\ 2(y - 2) = 2\lambda y \\ 2(z - 2) = 2\lambda z \end{cases} \implies \begin{cases} x - 2 = \lambda x \\ y - 2 = \lambda y \\ z - 2 = \lambda z \end{cases} \implies \begin{cases} x(1 - \lambda) = 2 \\ y(1 - \lambda) = 2 \\ z(1 - \lambda) = 2 \end{cases}$$

If $\lambda = 1$ then $x - 2 = x \implies -2 = 0$, so $\lambda \neq 1$.

Therefore, $x(1 - \lambda) = y(1 - \lambda) = z(1 - \lambda) \implies x = y = z$.

So, $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1 \implies 3x^2 = 1 \implies x = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$

Hence, $x = y = z = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$.

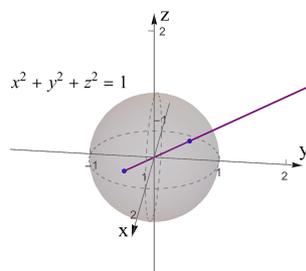
The required points are $\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$ and $\left(\frac{-1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$.

$$f\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right) = \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} - 2\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} - 2\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} - 2\right)^2 = 3\left(2 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)^2.$$

$$f\left(\frac{-1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{3}}\right) = \left(\frac{-1}{\sqrt{3}} - 2\right)^2 + \left(\frac{-1}{\sqrt{3}} - 2\right)^2 + \left(\frac{-1}{\sqrt{3}} - 2\right)^2 = 3\left(2 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)^2.$$

The point $\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$
is the closest to $(2, 2, 2)$.

The point $\left(\frac{-1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$
is the farthest to $(2, 2, 2)$.



Example (3): Find the maximum volume of a rectangular box without a lid, where its surface area equals 12 cm^2 .

Solution:

Suppose the sides of the rectangular box are x , y and z .

The volume of the rectangular box is $V(x, y, z) = xyz$, subject to the constraint $2xz + 2yz + xy = 12$.

The constraint is $g(x, y, z) = 2xz + 2yz + xy - 12 = 0$.

$$\nabla V(x, y, z) = \lambda \nabla g(x, y, z) \implies \langle yz, xz, xy \rangle = \lambda \langle 2z + y, 2z + x, 2x + 2z \rangle$$

$$\begin{cases} yz = \lambda(2z + y) \\ xz = \lambda(2z + x) \\ xy = \lambda(2x + 2y) \end{cases} \implies \begin{cases} xyz = \lambda(2xz + xy) & \longrightarrow (1) \\ xyz = \lambda(2yz + xy) & \longrightarrow (2) \\ xyz = \lambda(2xz + 2yz) & \longrightarrow (3) \end{cases}$$

If $\lambda = 0$ then $V(x, y, z) = 0$.

If $x = 0$, $y = 0$ or $z = 0$, then $V(x, y, z) = 0$.

If $\lambda \neq 0$, From equations (1) and (2) :

$$\lambda(2xz + xy) = \lambda(2yz + xy) \implies 2xz + xy = 2yz + xy \implies 2xz = 2yz \implies x = y.$$

From equations (2) and (3), and $x = y$:

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda(2yz + xy) &= \lambda(2xz + 2yz) \implies 2xz + x^2 = 2xz + 2xz \\ \implies x^2 &= 2xz \implies x^2 - 2xz = 0 \implies x(x - 2z) = 0 \implies x = 2z. \end{aligned}$$

From the equation of the constraint and $x = y = 2z$:

$$4z^2 + 4z^2 + 4z^2 = 12 \implies z^2 = 1 \implies z = 1 \text{ and } x = y = 2z = 2.$$

The sides of the rectangular box are 2, 2 and 1, and its maximum volume is 4 cm^3 .

1.6.2 EXERCISES

1. Use Lagrange multipliers to find the extreme values of the function subject to the given constraint:

(a). $f(x, y) = x^2 - y^2$, $x^2 + y^2 = 1$.

(b). $f(x, y) = xye^{-x^2-y^2}$, $2x - y = 0$.

(c). $f(x, y, z) = xy^2z$, $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 4$.

(d). $f(x, y, z) = x^4 + y^4 + z^4$, $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$.

2. Find the extreme values of f on the region described by the inequality:

(a). $f(x, y) = x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 4y$, $x^2 + y^2 \leq 9$.

(b). $f(x, y) = e^{-xy}$, $x^2 + 4y^2 \leq 1$.

3. Show that the problem of finding the minimum value of f subject to the given constraint can be solved using Lagrange multipliers, but f does not have a maximum value with that constraint:

(a). $f(x, y) = x^2 + y^2$, $xy = 1$.

(b). $f(x, y, z) = x^2 + 2y^2 + 3z^2$, $x + 2y + 3z = 10$.

Chapter 2

Multiple Integrals

2.1 Double Integrals over Rectangles

2.1.1 Iterated Integrals

Suppose that $f(x, y)$ is integrable on the rectangle $R = [a, b] \times [c, d]$, then

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

Example (1): Evaluate the integral:

(a). $\int_0^2 \int_1^2 x^2 y \, dy \, dx$, (b). $\int_1^2 \int_0^2 x^2 y \, dx \, dy$.

Solution:

(a).
$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^2 \int_1^2 x^2 y \, dy \, dx &= \int_0^2 \left(\int_1^2 x^2 y \, dy \right) dx = \int_0^2 \left(x^2 \int_1^2 y \, dy \right) dx \\ &= \int_0^2 x^2 \left[\frac{y^2}{2} \right]_1^2 dx = \int_0^2 x^2 \left[\frac{4}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \right] dx \\ &= \frac{3}{2} \int_0^2 x^2 dx = \frac{3}{2} \left[\frac{x^3}{3} \right]_0^2 = \frac{3}{2} \left[\frac{8}{3} - 0 \right] = 4. \end{aligned}$$

(b).
$$\begin{aligned} \int_1^2 \int_0^2 x^2 y \, dx \, dy &= \int_1^2 \left(\int_0^2 x^2 y \, dx \right) dy = \int_1^2 \left(y \int_0^2 x^2 dx \right) dy \\ &= \int_1^2 y \left[\frac{x^3}{3} \right]_0^2 dy = \int_1^2 y \left[\frac{8}{3} - 0 \right] dy = \frac{8}{3} \int_1^2 y \, dy \\ &= \frac{8}{3} \left[\frac{y^2}{2} \right]_1^2 = \frac{8}{3} \left[\frac{4}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \right] = \frac{8}{3} \frac{3}{2} = 4. \end{aligned}$$

Fubini's Theorem: If f is continuous on the rectangle $R = \{(x, y) \mid a \leq x \leq b, c \leq y \leq d\}$,

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

Example (2): Evaluate the integral $\iint_R y \cos(xy) \, dA$,

where $R = [0, 1] \times \left[0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right]$.

Solution: Using Fubini's Theorem.

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_R y \cos(xy) \, dA &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \int_0^1 y \cos(xy) \, dx dy = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \left(\int_0^1 y \cos(xy) \, dx \right) dy \\ &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} [\sin(xy)]_0^1 dy = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} [\sin y - \sin(0)] dy = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin y \, dy \\ &= [-\cos y]_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} = -\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) - (-\cos(0)) = 0 + 1 = 1 . \end{aligned}$$

Note : Solving $\iint_R y \cos(x, y) \, dA = \int_0^1 \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} y \cos(xy) \, dy dx$ is hard, it needs integration by parts.

2.1.2 Volume

If $f(x, y) \geq 0$, then the volume V of the solid that lies above the rectangle $R = [a, b] \times [c, d]$ and below the surface $z = f(x, y)$ is

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

Example (3): Find the volume of the solid S that is bounded by $z = x^2 + y^2 + 1$, the planes $x = 1$ and $y = 3$, and the three coordinate planes.

Solution:

Note that S is the solid that lies under the surface $z = x^2 + y^2 + 1$ and above the square $R = [0, 1] \times [0, 3]$.

$$\begin{aligned} V &= \iint_R (x^2 + y^2 + 1) \, dA = \int_0^1 \int_0^3 (x^2 + y^2 + 1) \, dy dx \\ &= \int_0^1 \left[x^2 y + \frac{y^3}{3} + y \right]_0^3 dx = \int_0^1 [(3x^2 + 9 + 3) - (0 + 0 + 0)]_0^3 dx \\ &= \int_0^1 (3x^2 + 12) \, dx = [x^3 + 12x]_0^1 = (1 + 12) - (0 + 0) = 13 . \end{aligned}$$

Corollary: If $f(x, y) = g(x)h(y)$ is continuous on the rectangle $R = [a, b] \times [c, d]$,

$$\text{then } \iint_R f(x, y) \, dA = \iint_R g(x)h(y) \, dA = \int_a^b g(x) \, dx \int_c^d h(y) \, dy .$$

Example (4): Evaluate $\iint_R x \cos y \, dA$, where $R = [0, 2] \times \left[0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right]$.

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_R x \cos y \, dA &= \int_0^2 \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} x \cos y \, dy dx = \left(\int_0^2 x \, dx \right) \left(\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos y \, dy \right) \\ &= \left[\frac{x^2}{2} \right]_0^2 [\sin y]_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} = [2 - 0][1 - 0] = 2 . \end{aligned}$$

2.1.3 Average Value

If $f(x, y)$ is defined on a rectangle R then its average value is $f_{avg} = \frac{1}{A(R)} \iint_R f(x, y) \, dA$, where $A(R)$ is the area of the rectangle R .

Example (5): Evaluate f_{avg} of $f(x, y) = x \cos y$ on $R = [0, 2] \times [0, \frac{\pi}{2}]$.

Solution:

$$f_{avg} = \frac{1}{A(R)} \iint_R x \cos y \, dA = \frac{2}{(2-0)(\frac{\pi}{2}-0)} = \frac{2}{\pi}.$$

2.1.4 EXERCISES

1. Calculate the iterated integrals :

$$(a). \int_1^4 \int_0^2 (6x^2y - 2x) dy dx .$$

$$(b). \int_{-3}^1 \int_1^2 (x^2 + y^{-2}) dy dx .$$

$$(c). \int_{-3}^3 \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} (y + y^2 \cos x) dx dy .$$

$$(d). \int_1^3 \int_1^5 \frac{\ln y}{xy} dy dx .$$

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

$$(f). \int_0^1 \int_0^1 v(u + v^2)^4 du dv .$$

2. Calculate the double integrals :

$$(a). \iint_R x \sec^2 y dA, \text{ where } R = \left\{ (x, y) \mid 0 \leq x \leq 2, 0 \leq y \leq \frac{\pi}{4} \right\} .$$

$$(b). \iint_R \frac{xy^2}{x^2 + 1} dA, \text{ where } R = \{ (x, y) \mid 0 \leq x \leq 1, -3 \leq y \leq 3 \} .$$

$$(c). \iint_R \frac{1}{1 + x + y} dA, \text{ where } R = [1, 3] \times [1, 2] .$$

3. Find the volume of the solid that lies under the plane $4x + 6y - 2z + 15 = 0$ and above the rectangle $R = \{ (x, y) \mid -1 \leq x \leq 2, -1 \leq y \leq 1 \}$.

4. Find the volume of the solid that lies under $z = 3y^2 - x^2 + 2$ and above the rectangle $R = [-1, 1] \times [1, 2]$.

2.2 Double Integrals over General Regions

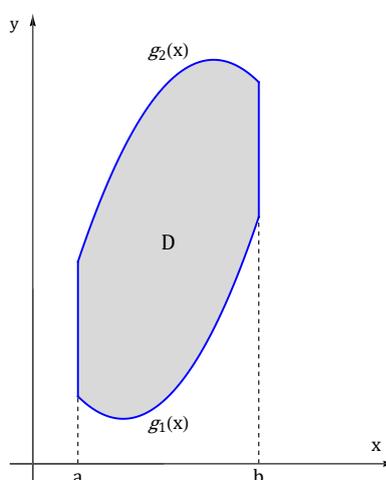
2.2.1 General Regions

First - Regions of Type I:

Let D be the region
 $\{(x, y) \mid a \leq x \leq b, g_1(x) \leq y \leq g_2(x)\}$

If f is continuous on D , then

$$\begin{aligned} & \iint_D f(x, y) \, dA \\ &= \int_a^b \int_{g_1(x)}^{g_2(x)} f(x, y) \, dy \, dx \\ &= \int_a^b \left(\int_{g_1(x)}^{g_2(x)} f(x, y) \, dy \right) dx \end{aligned}$$

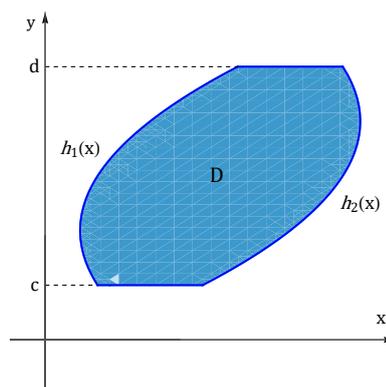


Second - Regions of Type II:

Let D be the region
 $\{(x, y) \mid c \leq y \leq d, h_1(y) \leq x \leq h_2(y)\}$

If f is continuous on D , then

$$\begin{aligned} & \iint_D f(x, y) \, dA \\ &= \int_c^d \int_{h_1(y)}^{h_2(y)} f(x, y) \, dx \, dy \\ &= \int_c^d \left(\int_{h_1(y)}^{h_2(y)} f(x, y) \, dx \right) dy \end{aligned}$$



Example (1): Evaluate $\iint_D 2xy \, dA$, where D is the region bounded by the graphs of $y = 2x^2$ and $y = x^2 + 1$.

Solution:

Points of intersection:

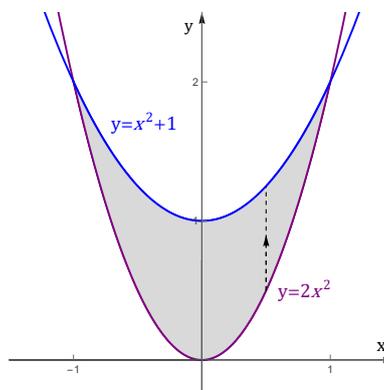
$$2x^2 = x^2 + 1 \implies x^2 = 1$$

$$\implies x = \pm 1$$

So, D is the region where $-1 \leq x \leq 1$

$$\text{and } 2x^2 \leq y \leq x^2 + 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_D 2xy \, dA &= \int_{-1}^1 \int_{2x^2}^{x^2+1} 2xy \, dy \, dx \\ &= \int_{-1}^1 x [y^2]_{2x^2}^{x^2+1} \, dx \\ &= \int_{-1}^1 x [(x^2+1)^2 - (2x^2)^2] \, dx \\ &= \int_{-1}^1 x (x^4 + 2x^2 + 1 - 4x^4) \, dx \\ &= \int_{-1}^1 x (-3x^4 + 2x^2 + 1) \, dx = \int_{-1}^1 (-3x^5 + 2x^3 + x) \, dx \\ &= \left[-\frac{x^6}{2} + \frac{x^4}{2} + \frac{x^2}{2} \right]_{-1}^1 \\ &= \left(-\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \right) - \left(-\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \right) = 0. \end{aligned}$$



Example (2): Evaluate $\iint_D (x^2 + y^2) \, dA$, where D is the region bounded by the graphs of $y = x^2$ and $y = x$.

Solution:

Points of intersection:

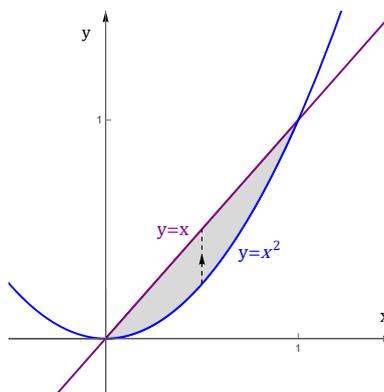
$$x^2 = x \implies x^2 - x = 0$$

$$\implies x(x-1) = 0 \implies x = 0, x = 1$$

So, D is the region where $0 \leq x \leq 1$

$$\text{and } x^2 \leq y \leq x$$

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_D (x^2 + y^2) \, dA &= \int_0^1 \int_{x^2}^x (x^2 + y^2) \, dy \, dx \\ &= \int_0^1 \left[x^2 y + \frac{y^3}{3} \right]_{x^2}^x \, dx \\ &= \int_0^1 \left[\left(x^3 + \frac{x^3}{3} \right) - \left(x^4 - \frac{x^6}{3} \right) \right] \, dx \\ &= \int_0^1 \left(-\frac{x^6}{3} - x^4 + \frac{4x^3}{3} \right) \, dx = \left[-\frac{x^7}{21} - \frac{x^5}{5} + \frac{x^4}{3} \right]_0^1 \\ &= \left(-\frac{1}{21} - \frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{3} \right) - (0 + 0 + 0) = \frac{-5 - 21 + 35}{105} = \frac{9}{105} = \frac{3}{35}. \end{aligned}$$



Example (3): Evaluate $\iint_D xy \, dA$, where D is the region bounded by the graphs of $x = y^2$ and $x = y + 2$.

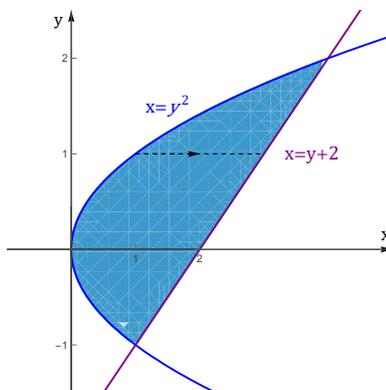
Solution:

Points of intersection:

$$\begin{aligned} y^2 &= y + 2 \implies y^2 - y - 2 = 0 \\ \implies (y - 2)(y + 1) &= 0 \implies y = -1, y = 2 \end{aligned}$$

So, D is the region where $-1 \leq y \leq 2$ and $y^2 \leq x \leq y + 2$

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_D xy \, dA &= \int_{-1}^2 \int_{y^2}^{y+2} xy \, dx \, dy \\ &= \int_{-1}^2 y \left[\frac{x^2}{2} \right]_{y^2}^{y+2} dy \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{-1}^2 y [(y+2)^2 - (y^2)^2] dy \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{-1}^2 y (y^2 + 4y + 4 - y^4) dy \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{-1}^2 (-y^5 + y^3 + 4y^2 + 4y) dy = \frac{1}{2} \left[-\frac{y^6}{6} + \frac{y^4}{4} + \frac{4y^3}{3} + 2y^2 \right]_{-1}^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left[\left(-\frac{64}{6} + \frac{16}{4} + \frac{32}{3} + 8 \right) - \left(-\frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{4} - \frac{4}{3} + 2 \right) \right] = \frac{45}{8}. \end{aligned}$$



2.2.2 Changing the Order of Integration

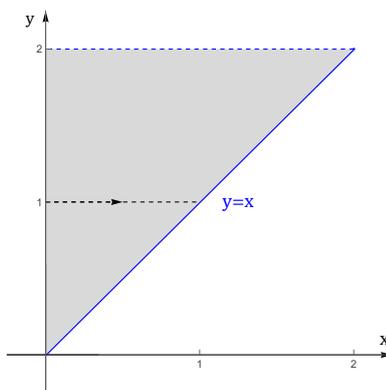
Example (4): Change the order of integration to evaluate $\int_0^2 \int_x^2 e^{5+y^2} dy dx$.

Solution:

D is the region where $0 \leq x \leq 2$ and $x \leq y \leq 2$.

Or, $0 \leq y \leq 2$ and $0 \leq x \leq y$.

$$\begin{aligned} &\int_0^2 \int_x^2 e^{5+y^2} dy dx \\ &= \int_0^2 \int_0^y e^{5+y^2} dx dy \\ &= \int_0^2 e^{5+y^2} [x]_0^y dy = \int_0^2 ye^{5+y^2} dy \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^2 e^{5+y^2} (2y) dy \\ &= \frac{1}{2} [e^{5+y^2}]_0^2 = \frac{1}{2} (e^9 - e^5). \end{aligned}$$



Example (5): Change the order of integration to evaluate $\int_0^2 \int_{y^2}^4 \cos\left(x^{\frac{3}{2}}\right) dx dy$.

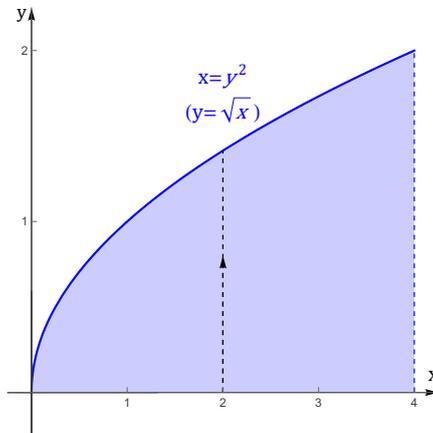
Solution:

D is the region where $0 \leq y \leq 2$ and $y^2 \leq x \leq 4$.

Or, $0 \leq x \leq 4$ and $0 \leq y \leq \sqrt{x}$.

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^2 \int_{y^2}^4 \cos\left(x^{\frac{3}{2}}\right) dx dy \\ &= \int_0^4 \int_0^{\sqrt{x}} \cos\left(x^{\frac{3}{2}}\right) dy dx \\ &= \int_0^4 \cos\left(x^{\frac{3}{2}}\right) [y]_0^{\sqrt{x}} dx \\ &= \frac{2}{3} \int_0^4 \cos\left(x^{\frac{3}{2}}\right) \left(\frac{3}{2}x^{\frac{1}{2}}\right) dx \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} \left[\sin\left(x^{\frac{3}{2}}\right)\right]_0^4 = \frac{2}{3} [\sin(8) - \sin(0)] = \frac{2}{3} \sin(8).$$



Example (6): Change the order of integration to evaluate $\int_0^1 \int_{\sqrt{y}}^1 \sin(x^3) dx dy$.

Solution:

D is the region where $0 \leq y \leq 1$ and

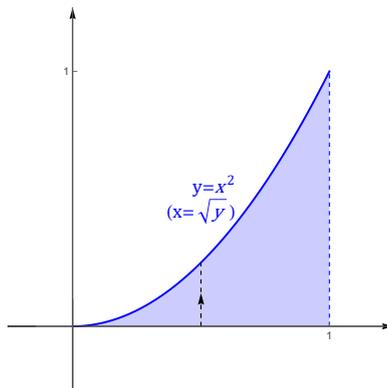
$\sqrt{y} \leq x \leq 1$.

Or, $0 \leq x \leq 1$ and $0 \leq y \leq x^2$.

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^1 \int_{\sqrt{y}}^1 \sin(x^3) dx dy \\ &= \int_0^1 \int_0^{x^2} \sin(x^3) dy dx \\ &= \int_0^1 \sin(x^3) [y]_0^{x^2} dx \\ &= \int_0^1 \sin(x^3) x^2 dx \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \int_0^1 \sin(x^3) (3x^2) dx = \frac{1}{3} [-\cos(x^3)]_0^1.$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} [-\cos(1) - (-\cos(0))] = \frac{1 - \cos(1)}{3}.$$



2.2.3 Properties of Double Integrals

If $f(x, y)$ and $g(x, y)$ are both integrable on $D \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2$, then

- (1). $\iint_D [f(x, y) + g(x, y)] dA = \iint_D f(x, y) dA + \iint_D g(x, y) dA$.
- (2). $\iint_D k f(x, y) dA = k \iint_D f(x, y) dA$, where $k \in \mathbb{R}$.
- (3). If $f(x, y) \geq g(x, y)$ on D , then $\iint_D f(x, y) dA \geq \iint_D g(x, y) dA$.

(4). If $D = D_1 \cup D_2$, where $D_1 \cap D_2 = \phi$, then

$$\iint_D f(x, y) \, dA = \iint_{D_1} f(x, y) \, dA + \iint_{D_2} f(x, y) \, dA.$$

(5). $\iint_D 1 \, dA = A(D)$, where $A(D)$ is the area of the region D .

(6). If $m \leq f(x, y) \leq M$ on D , then $m A(D) \leq \iint_D f(x, y) \, dA \leq M A(D)$.

2.2.4 EXERCISES

1. Evaluate the iterated integrals :

$$(a). \int_1^5 \int_0^x (8x - 2y) dy dx \quad (b). \int_0^2 \int_0^{y^2} x^2 y dx dy$$

$$(c). \int_0^1 \int_0^{e^x} \sqrt{1 + e^x} dy dx$$

2. Evaluate $\iint_D 2y dA$, where D is the region bounded by the graphs of $y = 3x - x^2$ and $y = x$.

3. Evaluate the double integrals:

$$(a). \iint_D \frac{y}{x^2 + 1} dA, D = \{(x, y) \mid 0 \leq x \leq 4, 0 \leq y \leq \sqrt{x}\}.$$

$$(b). \iint_D (2x + y) dA, D = \{(x, y) \mid 1 \leq y \leq 2, y - 1 \leq x \leq 1\}.$$

$$(c). \iint_D x dA, D \text{ is enclosed by the lines } y = x, y = 0 \text{ and } x = 1.$$

$$(d). \iint_D xy dA, D \text{ is enclosed by the curves } y = x^2 \text{ and } y = 3x.$$

$$(e). \iint_D x \cos y dA, D \text{ is bounded by the } y = 0, y = x^2 \text{ and } x = 1.$$

$$(f). \iint_D y^2 dA, D \text{ is the triangular region with vertices } (0, 1), (1, 2) \text{ and } (4, 1).$$

4. Evaluate the integral by reversing the order of integration:

$$(a). \int_0^1 \int_{3y}^3 e^{x^2} dx dy \quad (b). \int_0^1 \int_{x^2}^1 \sqrt{y} \sin y dy dx$$

$$(c). \int_0^1 \int_{\sqrt{x}}^1 \sqrt{y^3 + 1} dy dx \quad (d). \int_0^2 \int_{\frac{y}{2}}^1 y \cos(x^3 - 1) dx dy$$

2.3 Double Integrals in Polar Coordinates

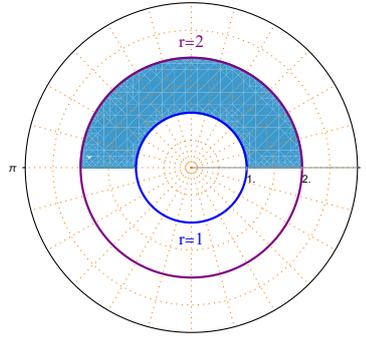
If f is continuous on the polar region R given by $a \leq r \leq b$ and $\theta_1 \leq \theta \leq \theta_2$, where $0 \leq \theta_2 - \theta_1 \leq 2\pi$, then $\iint_R f(x, y) dA = \int_{\theta_1}^{\theta_2} \int_a^b f(r \cos \theta, r \sin \theta) r dr d\theta$.

Example (1): Evaluate $\iint_R (4x^2 + 3y) dA$, where R is the region in the upper half-plane bounded by the circles $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ and $x^2 + y^2 = 4$.

Solution:

R is the region where $1 \leq r \leq 2$ and $0 \leq \theta \leq \pi$.

$$\begin{aligned} & \iint_R (4x^2 + 3y) dA \\ &= \int_0^\pi \int_1^2 (4r^2 \cos^2 \theta + 3r \sin \theta) r dr d\theta \\ &= \int_0^\pi \int_1^2 (4r^3 \cos^2 \theta + 3r^2 \sin \theta) dr d\theta \\ &= \int_0^\pi [r^4 \cos^2 \theta + r^3 \sin \theta]_1^2 d\theta \\ &= \int_0^\pi [(16 \cos^2 \theta + 8 \sin \theta) - (\cos^2 \theta + \sin \theta)] d\theta = \int_0^\pi (15 \cos^2 \theta + 7 \sin \theta) d\theta \\ &= \int_0^\pi \left[15 \left(\frac{1 + \cos 2\theta}{2} \right) + 7 \sin \theta \right] d\theta = \frac{15}{2} \left[\theta + \frac{1}{2} \sin 2\theta \right]_0^\pi + 7 [-\cos \theta]_0^\pi \\ &= \frac{15}{2} [(\pi + 0) - (0 + 0)] + 7[-(-1) - (-1)] = \frac{15\pi}{2} + 14. \end{aligned}$$



Example (2): Evaluate $\int_{-1}^1 \int_0^{\sqrt{1-y^2}} \frac{8(x^2 + y^2)}{9 + (x^2 + y^2)^2} dx dy$

Solution:

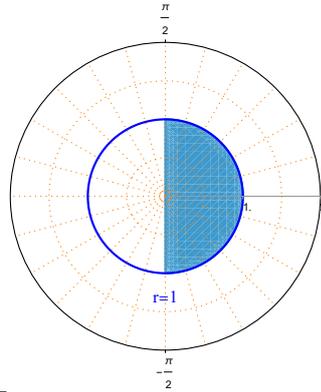
R is the region where $-1 \leq y \leq 1$ and

$$0 \leq x \leq \sqrt{1 - y^2}$$

In polar coordinates. $0 \leq r \leq 1$ and

$$-\frac{\pi}{2} \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{2}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{-1}^1 \int_0^{\sqrt{1-y^2}} \frac{8(x^2 + y^2)}{9 + (x^2 + y^2)^2} dx dy \\ &= \int_{-\frac{\pi}{2}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \int_0^1 \frac{8r^2}{9 + r^4} r dr d\theta \\ &= \int_{-\frac{\pi}{2}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \int_0^1 2 \left(\frac{4r^3}{9 + r^4} \right) dr d\theta \\ &= 2 \int_{-\frac{\pi}{2}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} [\ln(9 + r^4)]_0^1 d\theta = 2 (\ln 10 - \ln 9) \int_{-\frac{\pi}{2}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} d\theta \\ &= 2 \ln \left(\frac{10}{9} \right) [\theta]_{-\frac{\pi}{2}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} = 2 \ln \left(\frac{10}{9} \right) \left(\frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{2} \right) = 2\pi \ln \left(\frac{10}{9} \right). \end{aligned}$$



Example (3): Find the volume of the solid bounded by $z = 4 - x^2 - y^2$ and $z = 0$

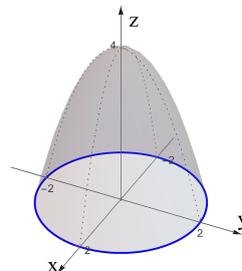
Solution:

The surface of intersection is :

$$4 - x^2 - y^2 = 0 \implies x^2 + y^2 = 4.$$

R is the region inside the circle centered at the origin with radius 2.

In polar coordinates, $0 \leq r \leq 2$ and $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$.



$$\begin{aligned} V &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 (4 - r^2) r \, dr \, d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 (4r - r^3) \, dr \, d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \left[2r^2 - \frac{r^4}{4} \right]_0^2 \, d\theta = \int_0^{2\pi} [(8 - 4) - (0 - 0)] \, d\theta \\ &= 4 \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta = 4 [\theta]_0^{2\pi} = 4(2\pi - 0) = 8\pi. \end{aligned}$$

NOTE: If f is continuous on the polar region $R = \{(r, \theta) | \theta_1 \leq \theta \leq \theta_2, g_1(\theta) \leq r \leq g_2(\theta)\}$,

$$\text{then } \iint_R f(x, y) \, dA = \int_{\theta_1}^{\theta_2} \int_{g_1(\theta)}^{g_2(\theta)} f(r \cos \theta, r \sin \theta) r \, dr \, d\theta.$$

Example (4): Evaluate $\int_0^2 \int_0^{\sqrt{2x-x^2}} (x^2 + y^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} \, dy \, dx$.

Solution:

R is the region where $0 \leq x \leq 2$ and

$$0 \leq y \leq \sqrt{2x - x^2}.$$

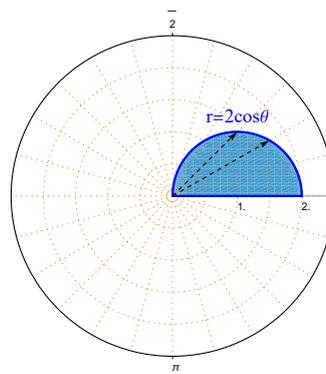
$$y = \sqrt{2x - x^2} \implies y^2 = 2x - x^2$$

$$\implies x^2 - 2x + y^2 = 0$$

$$\implies (x^2 - 2x + 1) + y^2 = 1$$

$$\implies (x - 1)^2 + y^2 = 1.$$

$y = \sqrt{2x - x^2}$ is the upper-half of the circle centered at $(1, 0)$ with radius 1.



In polar coordinates, $0 \leq r \leq 2 \cos \theta$

and $0 \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$.

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^2 \int_0^{\sqrt{2x-x^2}} (x^2 + y^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} \, dy \, dx &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \int_0^{2 \cos \theta} r \, r \, dr \, d\theta = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \int_0^{2 \cos \theta} r^2 \, dr \, d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \left[\frac{r^3}{3} \right]_0^{2 \cos \theta} \, d\theta = \frac{8}{3} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^3 \theta \, d\theta = \frac{8}{3} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^2 \theta \cos \theta \, d\theta \\ &= \frac{8}{3} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} (1 - \sin^2 \theta) \cos \theta \, d\theta = \frac{8}{3} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} (\cos \theta - \sin^2 \theta \cos \theta) \, d\theta \\ &= \frac{8}{3} \left[\sin \theta - \frac{\sin^3 \theta}{3} \right]_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} = \frac{8}{3} \left[\left(1 - \frac{1}{3}\right) - (0 - 0) \right] = \frac{16}{9}. \end{aligned}$$

2.4 Triple Integrals

2.4.1 Triple Integrals over Rectangular Boxes

Fubini's Theorem:

If f is continuous on the rectangular box $E = [a, b] \times [c, d] \times [r, s]$, then

$$\begin{aligned} \iiint_E f(x, y, z) \, dV &= \int_r^s \int_c^d \int_a^b f(x, y, z) \, dx \, dy \, dz = \int_r^s \int_a^b \int_c^d f(x, y, z) \, dz \, dx \, dy \\ &= \int_c^d \int_r^s \int_a^b f(x, y, z) \, dx \, dz \, dy = \int_c^d \int_a^b \int_r^s f(x, y, z) \, dz \, dx \, dy \\ &= \int_a^b \int_r^s \int_c^d f(x, y, z) \, dy \, dz \, dx = \int_a^b \int_c^d \int_r^s f(x, y, z) \, dz \, dy \, dx . \end{aligned}$$

Example (1): Evaluate $\iiint_E xyz^2 \, dV$, where $E = [0, 1] \times [0, 2] \times [0, 3]$.

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} \iiint_E xyz^2 \, dV &= \int_0^1 \int_0^2 \int_0^3 xyz^2 \, dz \, dy \, dx = \int_0^1 \int_0^2 xy \left[\frac{z^3}{3} \right]_0^3 \, dy \, dx \\ &= \left[\frac{27}{3} - \frac{0}{3} \right] \int_0^1 \int_0^2 xy \, dy \, dx = 9 \int_0^1 x \left[\frac{y^2}{2} \right]_0^2 \, dx = 9 \int_0^1 x \left[\frac{2^2}{2} - \frac{0}{2} \right] \, dx \\ &= 9 \int_0^1 2x \, dx = 9 [x^2]_0^1 = 9[1 - 0] = 9 . \end{aligned}$$

2.4.2 Triple Integrals over General Regions

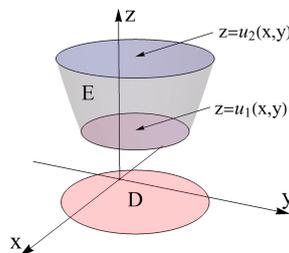
First - Regions of Type I:

Case (1) :

Let E be the region where $(x, y) \in D$ and $u_1(x, y) \leq z \leq u_2(x, y)$.

If f is continuous on E , then

$$\begin{aligned} \iiint_E f(x, y, z) \, dV \\ &= \iint_D \left(\int_{u_1(x, y)}^{u_2(x, y)} f(x, y, z) \, dz \right) \, dA. \end{aligned}$$

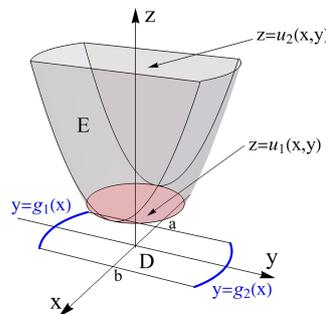


Case (2) :

Let E be the region where $a \leq x \leq b$, $g_1(x) \leq y \leq g_2(x)$ and $u_1(x, y) \leq z \leq u_2(x, y)$.

If f is continuous on E , then

$$\begin{aligned} \iiint_E f(x, y, z) \, dV \\ &= \int_a^b \int_{g_1(x)}^{g_2(x)} \int_{u_1(x, y)}^{u_2(x, y)} f(x, y, z) \, dz \, dy \, dx. \end{aligned}$$

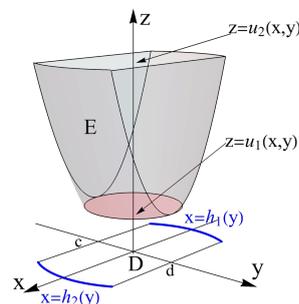


Case (3) :

Let E be the region where
 $c \leq y \leq d$, $h_1(y) \leq x \leq h_2(y)$
 and $u_1(x, y) \leq z \leq u_2(x, y)$.

If f is continuous on E , then

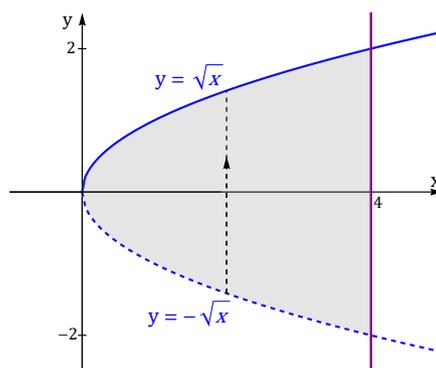
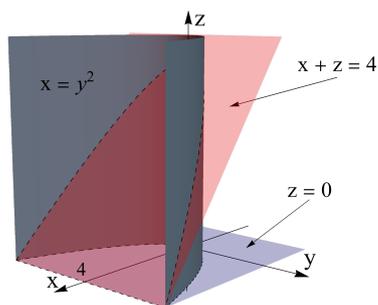
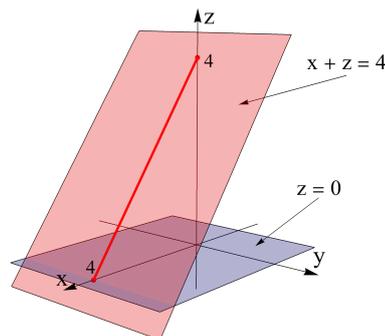
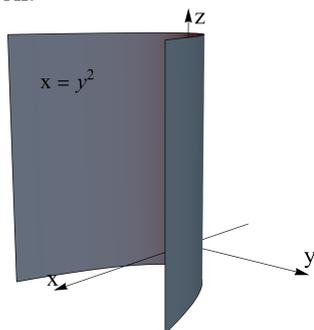
$$\begin{aligned} & \iiint_E f(x, y, z) \, dV \\ &= \int_c^d \int_{h_1(y)}^{h_2(y)} \int_{u_1(x, y)}^{u_2(x, y)} f(x, y, z) \, dz \, dx \, dy. \end{aligned}$$



NOTE: $\iiint_E 1 \, dV = V(E)$, where $V(E)$ is the volume of the region E .

Example (2): Find the volume of the solid bounded by the cylinder $x = y^2$ and the planes $z = 0$ and $x + z = 4$.

Solution:



Let E be the region bounded by the cylinder $x = y^2$ and the planes $z = 0$ and $x + z = 4$.

Note that $z = 0$ intersects $x + z = 4$ at the line where $x = 4$ and $z = 4$.

On E : $0 \leq x \leq 4$, $-\sqrt{x} \leq y \leq \sqrt{x}$, $0 \leq z \leq 4 - x$.

$$V(E) = \int_0^4 \int_{-\sqrt{x}}^{\sqrt{x}} \int_0^{4-x} 1 \, dz \, dy \, dx = \int_0^4 \int_{-\sqrt{x}}^{\sqrt{x}} [z]_0^{4-x} \, dy \, dx = \int_0^4 \int_{-\sqrt{x}}^{\sqrt{x}} (4-x) \, dy \, dx$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \int_0^4 (4-x) [y]_{-\sqrt{x}}^{\sqrt{x}} dx = \int_0^4 2\sqrt{x} (4-x) dx = 2 \int_0^4 (4x^{\frac{1}{2}} - x^{\frac{3}{2}}) dx \\
&= 2 \left[\frac{8}{3} x^{\frac{3}{2}} - \frac{2}{5} x^{\frac{5}{2}} \right]_0^4 = 2 \left[\frac{8}{3} (4)^{\frac{3}{2}} - \frac{2}{5} (4)^{\frac{5}{2}} \right] = 2 \left[\frac{8}{3} (2^3) - \frac{2}{5} (2^5) \right] \\
&= 2 \left[\frac{2^6}{3} - \frac{2^6}{5} \right] = 2^7 \left(\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{5} \right) = 2^7 \left(\frac{2}{15} \right) = \frac{2^8}{15} = \frac{256}{15}.
\end{aligned}$$

Another Solution :

On E : $-2 \leq y \leq 2$, $y^2 \leq x \leq 4$, $0 \leq z \leq 4-x$.

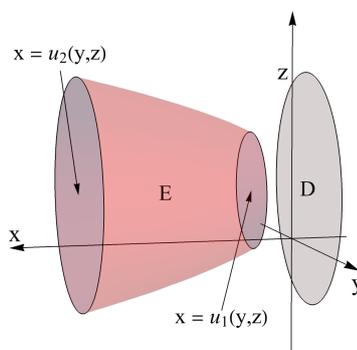
$$V(E) = \int_{-2}^2 \int_{y^2}^4 \int_0^{4-x} 1 dz dx dy .$$

Second - Regions of Type II:

Let E be the region where
 $(y, z) \in D$ and
 $u_1(y, z) \leq x \leq u_2(y, z)$.

If f is continuous on E , then

$$\begin{aligned}
&\iiint_E f(x, y, z) dV \\
&= \iint_D \left(\int_{u_1(y, z)}^{u_2(y, z)} f(x, y, z) dx \right) dA.
\end{aligned}$$

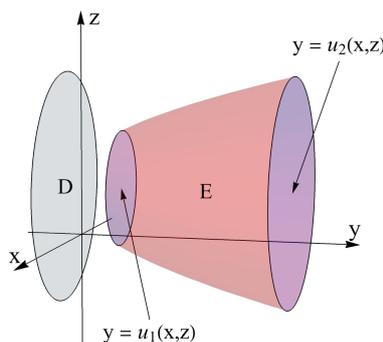


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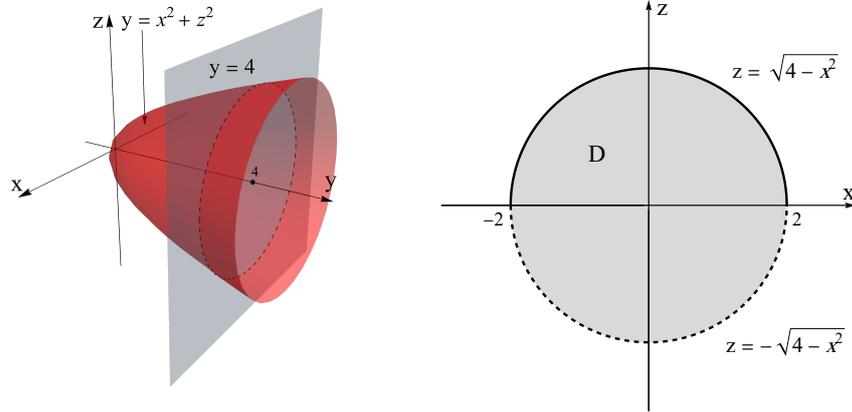
Let E be the region where
 $(x, z) \in D$ and
 $u_1(x, z) \leq y \leq u_2(x, z)$.

If f is continuous on E , then

$$\begin{aligned}
&\iiint_E f(x, y, z) dV \\
&= \iint_D \left(\int_{u_1(x, z)}^{u_2(x, z)} f(x, y, z) dy \right) dA.
\end{aligned}$$



Example (3): Evaluate $\iiint_E \sqrt{x^2 + z^2} dV$, where E is the region bounded by the paraboloid $y = x^2 + z^2$ and the plane $y = 4$.
 Solution:



Note that $y = x^2 + z^2$ intersects $y = 4$ at $x^2 + z^2 = 4$.

So, E is the region where $x^2 + z^2 \leq y \leq 4$, $-\sqrt{4-x^2} \leq z \leq \sqrt{4-x^2}$ and $-2 \leq x \leq 2$.

$$\begin{aligned} \iiint_E \sqrt{x^2 + z^2} \, dV &= \int_{-2}^2 \int_{-\sqrt{4-x^2}}^{\sqrt{4-x^2}} \int_{x^2+z^2}^4 \sqrt{x^2 + z^2} \, dy \, dz \, dx \\ &= \int_{-2}^2 \int_{-\sqrt{4-x^2}}^{\sqrt{4-x^2}} [y]_{x^2+z^2}^4 \sqrt{x^2 + z^2} \, dz \, dx = \int_{-2}^2 \int_{-\sqrt{4-x^2}}^{\sqrt{4-x^2}} [4 - (x^2 + z^2)] \sqrt{x^2 + z^2} \, dz \, dx \end{aligned}$$

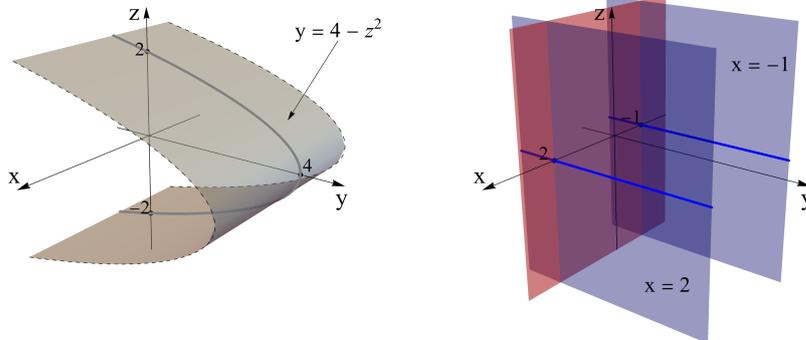
Using the polar coordinates $x = r \cos \theta$ and $z = r \sin \theta$,

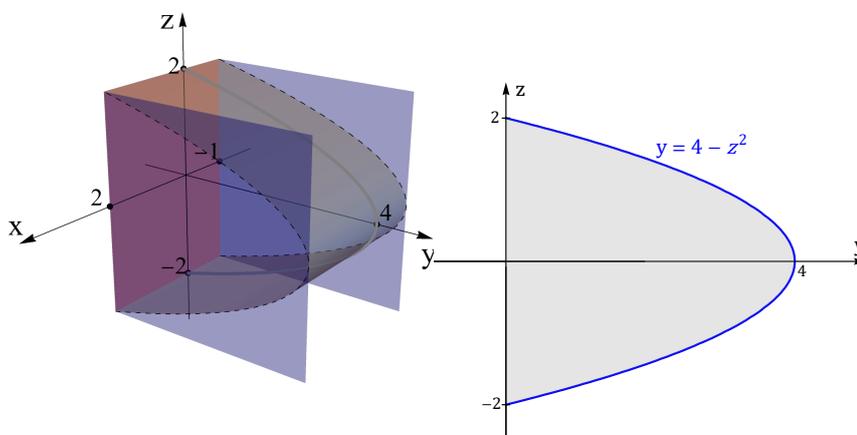
$$\begin{aligned} \int_{-2}^2 \int_{-\sqrt{4-x^2}}^{\sqrt{4-x^2}} [4 - (x^2 + z^2)] \sqrt{x^2 + z^2} \, dz \, dx &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 (4 - r^2) r \, r \, dr \, d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 (4 - r^2) r^2 \, dr \, d\theta = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 (4r^2 - r^4) \, dr \, d\theta = \int_0^{2\pi} \left[\frac{4r^3}{3} - \frac{r^5}{5} \right]_0^2 \, d\theta \\ &= \left(4 \frac{2^3}{3} - \frac{2^5}{5} \right) (2\pi - 0) = 2\pi \left(\frac{2^5}{3} - \frac{2^5}{5} \right) = 2^6 \left(\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{5} \right) \pi = \frac{128\pi}{15}. \end{aligned}$$

Example (4): Find the volume of the solid bounded by the surfaces $y = 4 - z^2$, $x = -1$, $x = 2$ and $y = 0$.

Solution:

Let E be the region bounded by the surfaces $y = 4 - z^2$, $x = -1$, $x = 2$ and $y = 0$.





The surface $y = 4 - z^2$ intersects the plane $y = 0$ at the two lines passing through $z = \pm 2$.

On E : $-1 \leq x \leq 2$, $0 \leq y \leq 4 - z^2$ and $-2 \leq z \leq 2$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 V(E) &= \iiint_E dV = \int_{-1}^2 \int_{-2}^2 \int_0^{4-z^2} dy \, dz \, dx \\
 &= \int_{-1}^2 \int_{-2}^2 [y]_0^{4-z^2} dz \, dx = \int_{-1}^2 \int_{-2}^2 (4 - z^2) dz \, dx \\
 &= \int_{-1}^2 \left[4z - \frac{z^3}{3} \right]_{-2}^2 dx = \left[\left(8 - \frac{8}{3} \right) - \left(-8 + \frac{8}{3} \right) \right] \int_{-1}^2 dx \\
 &= \left(16 - \frac{16}{3} \right) (2 - (-1)) = 3 \left(16 - \frac{16}{3} \right) = 48 - 16 = 32 .
 \end{aligned}$$

2.5 Triple Integrals in Cylindrical Coordinates

2.5.1 Cylindrical Coordinates

If $P(x, y, z)$ is a point in $\mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \{(0, 0, 0)\}$,
then its cylindrical coordinates

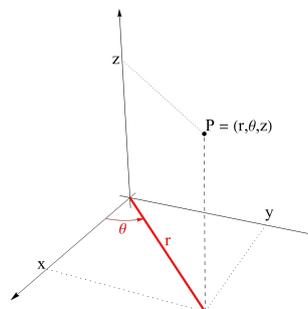
$P(r, \theta, z)$ are :

$$r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2},$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{y}{x} \right), \text{ where } x \neq 0,$$

and $z = z$.

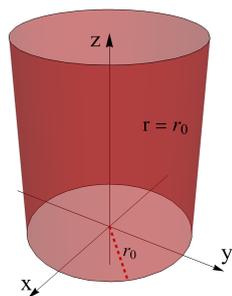
Note: $r > 0$ and $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$.



Important equations in Cylindrical coordinates

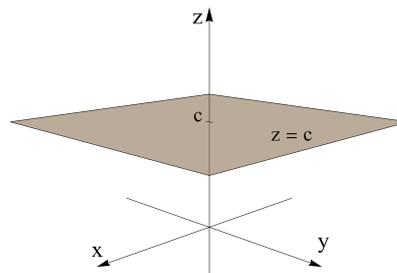
(1). $r = r_0$

A cylinder with radius r_0 .



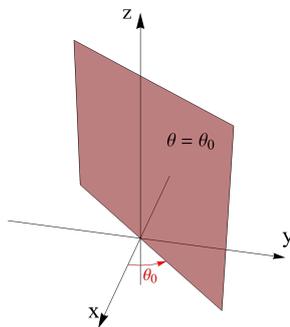
(2). $z = c$

A horizontal plane.



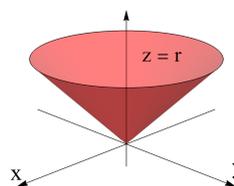
(3). $\theta = \theta_0$

A vertical plane.



(4). $z = r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$

A Cone.



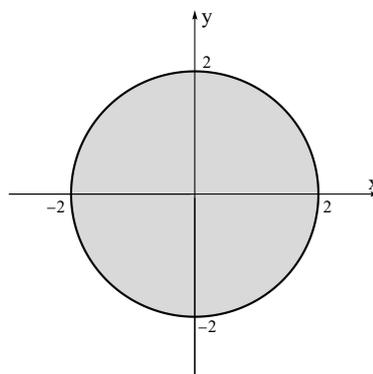
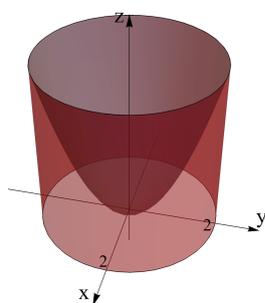
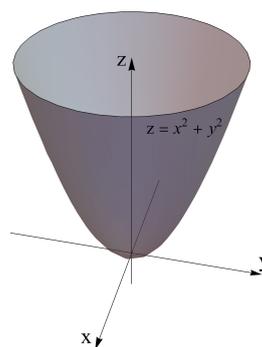
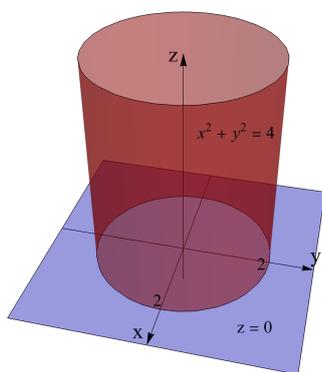
2.5.2 Triple Integrals in Cylindrical Coordinates

Suppose f is continuous on $E = \{(x, y, z) \mid (x, y) \in D, u_1(x, y) \leq z \leq u_2(x, y)\}$, where D is given in polar coordinates by $D = \{(r, \theta) \mid \theta_1 \leq \theta \leq \theta_2, r_1(\theta) \leq r \leq r_2(\theta)\}$,

$$\text{then } \iiint_E f(x, y, z) dV = \int_{\theta_1}^{\theta_2} \int_{r_1(\theta)}^{r_2(\theta)} \int_{u_1(r, \theta)}^{u_2(r, \theta)} f(r \cos \theta, r \sin \theta, z) r dz dr d\theta.$$

Example (1): Find the volume of the solid within $x^2 + y^2 = 4$, bounded above by $z = x^2 + y^2$ and below by $z = 0$.

Solution:



$$E = \{(r, \theta, z) \mid 0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi, 0 \leq r \leq 2, 0 \leq z \leq x^2 + y^2 = r^2\}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Volume} &= \iiint_E dV = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 \int_0^{x^2+y^2} r dz dr d\theta = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 \int_0^{r^2} r dz dr d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 [z]_0^{r^2} r dr d\theta = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 (r^2 - 0)r dr d\theta = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 r^3 dr d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \left[\frac{r^4}{4} \right]_0^2 d\theta = \left[\frac{2^4}{4} - 0 \right] \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta = 4(2\pi - 0) = 8\pi. \end{aligned}$$

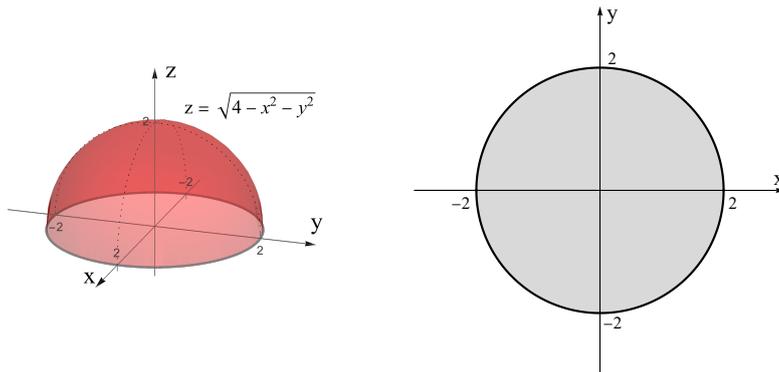
Example (2): Evaluate $\iiint_E z \, dx \, dy \, dz$, where $E = \{(x, y, z) \mid 0 \leq z \leq \sqrt{4 - x^2 - y^2}\}$.

Solution:

$z = \sqrt{4 - x^2 - y^2}$ is the upper-half of the sphere centered at the origin with radius 2.

$\sqrt{4 - x^2 - y^2} = 0 \implies x^2 + y^2 = 4$, the upper-half of the sphere intersects the plane $z = 0$ at the circle centered at the origin with center 2.

$E = \{(r, \theta, z) \mid 0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi, 0 \leq r \leq 2, 0 \leq z \leq \sqrt{4 - x^2 - y^2} = \sqrt{4 - r^2}\}$.



$$\begin{aligned} \iiint_E z \, dx \, dy \, dz &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 \int_0^{\sqrt{4-r^2}} z \, dz \, r \, dr \, d\theta = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 [z^2]_0^{\sqrt{4-r^2}} r \, dr \, d\theta \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 (4 - r^2)r \, dr \, d\theta = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 (4r - r^3) \, dr \, d\theta = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{2\pi} \left[2r^2 - \frac{r^4}{4} \right]_0^2 d\theta \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (8 - 4) \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta = 2(2\pi - 0) = 4\pi. \end{aligned}$$

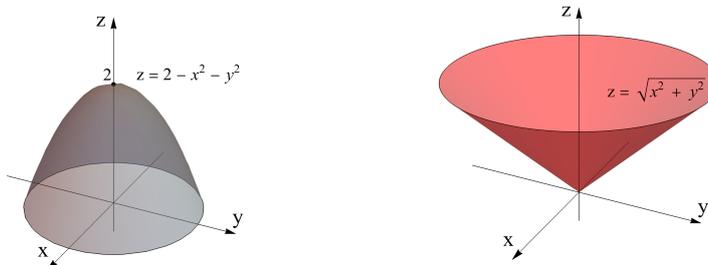
Example (3): Find the volume of the solid bounded above by $z = 2 - x^2 - y^2$ and below by $z = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$.

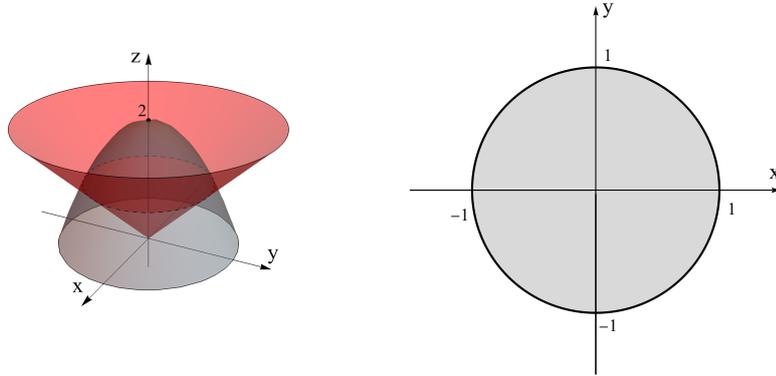
Solution:

$z = 2 - x^2 - y^2 = 2 - r^2$ intersects $z = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = r$ at :

$2 - r^2 = r \implies r^2 + r - 2 = 0 \implies (r + 2)(r - 1) = 0 \implies r = 1$.

(Note that $r = -2$ is excluded because $r \geq 0$).





$$E = \{(r, \theta, z) \mid 0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi, 0 \leq r \leq 1, r \leq z \leq 2 - r^2\}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Volume} &= \iiint_E dV = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 \int_r^{2-r^2} dz r dr d\theta = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 [z]_r^{2-r^2} r dr d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 (2 - r^2 - r)r dr d\theta = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 (-r^3 - r^2 + 2r) dr d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \left[-\frac{r^4}{4} - \frac{r^3}{3} + r^2 \right]_0^1 d\theta = \left(-\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{3} + 1 \right) \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta = \frac{5}{12}(2\pi - 0) = \frac{5\pi}{6}. \end{aligned}$$

Example (4): Evaluate the integral $\int_0^1 \int_{-\sqrt{1-y^2}}^{\sqrt{1-y^2}} \int_0^{\sqrt{1-x^2-y^2}} dz dx dy$

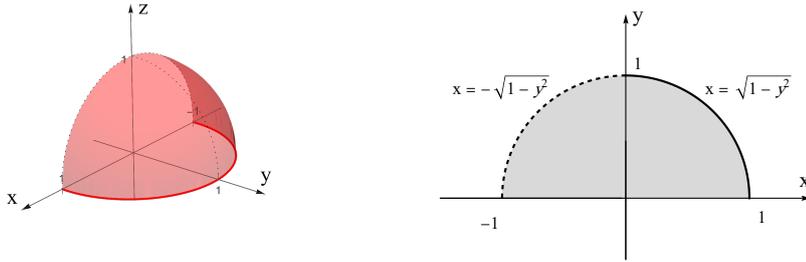
Solution:

Note that $0 \leq y \leq 1$, $-\sqrt{1-y^2} \leq x \leq \sqrt{1-y^2}$ and $0 \leq z \leq \sqrt{1-x^2-y^2}$.

$z = \sqrt{1-x^2-y^2} \implies x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$ represents the upper half of the unit sphere.

$x = \sqrt{1-y^2} \implies x^2 + y^2 = 1$ represents the right half of the unit circle.

$x = -\sqrt{1-y^2} \implies x^2 + y^2 = 1$ represents the left half of the unit circle.



In polar coordinates: $0 \leq \theta \leq \pi$, $0 \leq r \leq 1$ and $0 \leq z \leq \sqrt{1-r^2}$.

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^1 \int_{-\sqrt{1-y^2}}^{\sqrt{1-y^2}} \int_0^{\sqrt{1-x^2-y^2}} dz dx dy &= \int_0^\pi \int_0^1 \int_0^{\sqrt{1-r^2}} dz r dr d\theta \\ &= \int_0^\pi \int_0^1 \sqrt{1-r^2} r dr d\theta = -\frac{1}{2} \int_0^\pi \int_0^1 (1-r^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} (-2r) dr d\theta \\ &= -\frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{2}{3} (1-r^2)^{\frac{3}{2}} \right]_0^1 \int_0^\pi d\theta = -\frac{1}{2} \left(0 - \frac{2}{3} \right) (\pi - 0) = \frac{\pi}{3}. \end{aligned}$$

2.6 Triple Integrals in Spherical Coordinates

2.6.1 Spherical Coordinates

If $P(x, y, z)$ is a point in $\mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \{(0, 0, 0)\}$, then its spherical coordinates

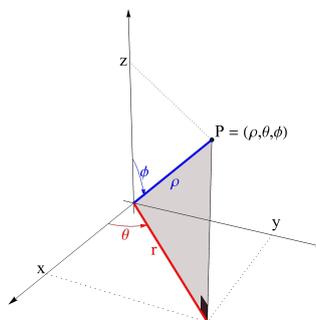
$P(\rho, \theta, \phi)$ are :

$$\rho = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2},$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{y}{x} \right), \text{ where } x \neq 0,$$

$$\text{and } \phi = \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{z}{\rho} \right), \text{ where } \rho \neq 0.$$

Note: $\rho > 0$, $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$ and $\phi \in [0, \pi]$.



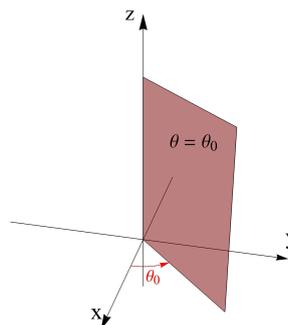
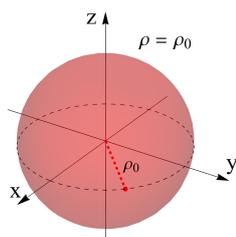
Important equations in Spherical coordinates

(1). $\rho = \rho_0$

A sphere with radius ρ_0 .

(2). $\theta = \theta_0$

A half-plane.



(3). $\phi = \phi_0$ $\left(0 < \phi_0 < \frac{\pi}{2} \right)$

A Cone.

(4). $\phi = \phi_0$ $\left(\frac{\pi}{2} < \phi_0 < \pi \right)$

A Cone.

