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Triple Integrals

Triple integrals for volume:

$$\int_a^b \int_{g(x)}^{f(x)} \int_{k(x,y)}^{h(x,y)} dV = \int_a^b \int_{g(x)}^{f(x)} \int_{k(x,y)}^{h(x,y)} dz dy dx = \int_a^b \int_{g(x)}^{f(x)} h(x,y) - k(x,y) dy dx$$

$h(x, y)$ is the function defining the upper surface of the volume. $k(x, y)$ is the function defining the lower surface of the volume. $f(x)$ is the upper bound in y , and $g(x)$ is the lower bound in y in the xy -plane. And then a and b are the bounds in x .

$$\int_a^b \int_{g(x)}^{f(x)} \int_{k(x,y)}^{h(x,y)} F(x, y, z) dV$$

If we integrate a function over a volume, we can think of this F as a density function, and integrating over the volume would give us the total mass.

You can change the order of integration: there are six possible orders for rectangular coordinates:

$$dzdydx, dzdxdy, dydzdx, dydxdz, dxdydz, dxdzdy$$

Example.

Evaluate $\int \int \int_V z dV$ over the region under the tetrahedron (plane) $x + y + z = 1$, and the coordinate planes ($x=0, y=0, z=0$ or the first octant).

Intercepts: $(0,0,1)$, $(1,0,0)$, $(0,1,0)$

$$\int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} \int_0^{1-x-y} z dz dy dx$$

Set the surface equal to z and then use that and $z=0$ (xy -plane) as the bounds in z .

After setting up the z -integral, set the two surfaces to be equal and find the bounds in x and y .

$$\begin{aligned} z &= 0, z = 1 - x - y \\ 0 &= 1 - x - y \\ y &= 1 - x \end{aligned}$$

y is the next variable to integrate, so solve for y .

set $y=1-x$ equal to zero (that's other boundary), and find the limits in x .

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} \int_0^{1-x-y} z dz dy dx &= \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} \frac{1}{2} z^2 \Big|_0^{1-x-y} dy dx = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} (1-x-y)^2 dy dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} 1 - x - y - x + x^2 + xy - y + xy + y^2 dy dx = \\ \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} 1 - 2x - 2y + x^2 + y^2 + 2xy dy dx &= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \left[y - 2xy - y^2 + x^2y + \frac{1}{3}y^3 + xy^2 \right]_0^{1-x} dx = \\ \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 1 - x - 2x(1-x) - (1-x)^2 + x^2(1-x) + \frac{1}{3}(1-x)^3 + x(1-x)^2 dx &= \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 1 - x - 2x + 2x^2 - 1 + 2x - x^2 + x^2 - x^3 + \frac{1}{3}(1 - 3x + 3x^2 - x^3) + x - 2x^2 + x^3 dx =$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \frac{1}{3} - x + x^2 - \frac{1}{3}x^3 dx = \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{1}{3}x - \frac{1}{2}x^2 + \frac{1}{3}x^3 - \frac{1}{12}x^4 \right]_0^1 = \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{12} \right] = \frac{1}{24}$$

Example.

Evaluate $\int \int_V \sqrt{x^2 + z^2} dV$ where the region is bounded by the paraboloid $y = x^2 + z^2$ and the plane $y=4$.

$$\int_{\square} \int_{\square} \int_{x^2+z^2}^4 \sqrt{x^2 + z^2} dy dA$$

$$\int_{-2}^2 \int_{-\sqrt{4-x^2}}^{\sqrt{4-x^2}} \int_{x^2+z^2}^4 \sqrt{x^2 + z^2} dy dz dx$$

$$x = r \cos \theta, z = r \sin \theta, y = y, x^2 + z^2 = r^2, \theta = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{z}{x} \right)$$

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 \int_{r^2}^4 r dy (r dr d\theta)$$

Where does the paraboloid intersect with the plane $y=4$?

$$x^2 + z^2 = 4$$

$$r^2 = 4 \rightarrow r = 2$$

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 \int_{r^2}^4 r^2 dy dr d\theta = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 4 - r^2 dr d\theta = \int_0^{2\pi} \left[4r - \frac{1}{3}r^3 \right]_0^2 d\theta = \int_0^{2\pi} 8 - \frac{8}{3} d\theta =$$

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \frac{16}{3} d\theta = \frac{16}{3} (2\pi) = \frac{32}{3} \pi$$

Alternatively, you can switch the y and z , and then set the whole problem up with traditional cylindrical coordinates.

$$\int \int \int_V \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} dV, z = x^2 + y^2, z = 4$$

Example.

$$\int_0^1 \int_0^{x^2} \int_0^y f(x, y, z) dz dy dx$$

Change to $dx dz dy$

$$\begin{aligned} z &= 0, z = y \\ y &= 0, y = x^2 \\ x &= 0, x = 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\int_0^1 \int_0^y \int_{\sqrt{y}}^1 f(x, y, z) dx dz dy$$

$$x = \sqrt{y}$$

Evaluate

$$\int_{-2}^2 \int_{-\sqrt{4-x^2}}^{\sqrt{4-x^2}} \int_{\sqrt{x^2+y^2}}^2 (x^2 + y^2) dz dy dx$$

Convert to cylindrical coordinates and integrate.

For the function, we can convert coordinates algebraically. $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$. Can convert the z-coordinates algebraically because $z = r$.

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 \int_r^2 r^2 dz r dr d\theta$$

For the xy-plane, convert geometrically.

$$y = \sqrt{4-x^2}, y = -\sqrt{4-x^2} \rightarrow x^2 + y^2 = 4$$

Circle of radius 2, and the whole circle

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 \int_r^2 r^2 dz r dr d\theta &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 \int_r^2 r^3 dz r dr d\theta = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 r^3 (2-r) dr d\theta = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 2r^3 - r^4 dr d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \left[\frac{2}{4} r^4 - \frac{1}{5} r^5 \right]_0^2 d\theta = \int_0^{2\pi} 8 - \frac{32}{5} d\theta = \frac{8}{5} (2\pi) = \frac{16\pi}{5} \end{aligned}$$

Spherical

$$\begin{aligned} x &= \rho \cos \theta \sin \phi, y = \rho \sin \theta \sin \phi, z = \rho \cos \phi, r = \rho \sin \phi, x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = \rho^2 \\ \theta &= \theta, \theta = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{y}{x} \right), \phi = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{z}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}} \right) \end{aligned}$$

Positive z-axis is $\phi = 0$, xy-plane is $\phi = \frac{\pi}{2}$, negative z-axis is $\phi = \pi$.

In Cylindrical, $dV = r dz dr d\theta$, but in spherical, $dV = \rho^2 \sin \phi d\rho d\theta d\phi$

Example. Use spherical coordinates to find the volume of the solid that lies above the cone $z = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$ and below the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = z$

$$\begin{aligned} \rho \cos \phi &= \rho \sin \phi \\ \cos \phi &= \sin \phi \\ \phi &= \frac{\pi}{4} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \rho^2 &= \rho \cos \phi \\ \rho &= \cos \phi \end{aligned}$$

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \int_0^{\cos \phi} \rho^2 \sin \phi \, d\rho d\phi d\theta$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \int_0^{\cos \phi} \rho^2 \sin \phi \, d\rho d\phi d\theta &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \frac{1}{3} \rho^3 \Big|_0^{\cos \phi} \sin \phi \, d\phi d\theta = \frac{1}{3} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \cos^3 \phi \sin \phi \, d\phi d\theta = \\ &= -\frac{1}{3} \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{\cos^4 \phi}{4} \Big|_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} d\theta = -\frac{1}{3} (2\pi) \left(\frac{1}{4} \right) \left[\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^4 - 1^4 \right] = -\frac{1}{3} \left(-\frac{3}{4} \right) \left(\frac{1}{4} \right) 2\pi = \frac{\pi}{8} \end{aligned}$$

Example.

Convert the integral to spherical then integrate.

$$\int_{-1}^1 \int_{-\sqrt{1-x^2}}^{\sqrt{1-x^2}} \int_{-\sqrt{1-x^2-y^2}}^{\sqrt{1-x^2-y^2}} e^{(x^2+y^2+z^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}} \, dz dy dx$$

$$\begin{aligned} z &= \pm \sqrt{1-x^2-y^2} \\ z^2 &= 1-x^2-y^2 \\ x^2 + y^2 + z^2 &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

Sphere of radius 1

$$\rho = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} y &= \pm \sqrt{1-x^2} \\ y^2 &= 1-x^2 \\ x^2 + y^2 &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

The bounds in the xy-plane is where the sphere intersects z=0

$$\int_0^{\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 e^{\rho^3} \rho^2 \sin \phi \, d\rho d\theta d\phi$$

$$e^{(x^2+y^2+z^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}} = e^{(\rho^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}} = e^{\rho^3}$$

$$\int_0^{\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \left[\frac{1}{3} e^{\rho^3} \right]_0^1 \sin \phi \, d\theta d\phi = \frac{1}{3} (e-1) \int_0^{\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \sin \phi \, d\theta d\phi = \frac{2\pi}{3} (e-1) \int_0^{\pi} \sin \phi \, d\phi =$$

$$-\frac{2\pi}{3} (e-1) \cos \phi \Big|_0^{\pi} = -\frac{2\pi}{3} (e-1) (-1-1) = \frac{4\pi(e-1)}{3}$$

Example. Change to spherical coordinates and integrate.

$$\int_0^1 \int_0^{\sqrt{1-x^2}} \int_{\sqrt{x^2+y^2}}^{\sqrt{2-x^2-y^2}} xy \, dz dy dx$$

$$\int_{\square} \int_{\square} \int_{\square} (\rho \cos \theta \sin \phi \rho \sin \theta \sin \phi) \rho^2 \sin \phi \, d\rho d\theta d\phi = \int_{\square} \int_{\square} \int_{\square} \cos \theta \sin \theta \rho^4 \sin^3 \phi \, d\rho d\theta d\phi$$

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

$$z = r$$

$$\rho \cos \phi = \rho \sin \phi$$

$$\phi = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

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

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

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

$$\rho^2 = 2$$

$$\rho = \sqrt{2}$$

$$x^2 + y^2 = 2 - x^2 - y^2$$

$$2x^2 + 2y^2 = 2$$

$$x^2 + y^2 = 1$$

Circle of radius 1 where the cone and the sphere meet.

$y = \sqrt{1 - x^2}$, $y = 0$ is only the top half of the circle, and moreover, x in 0 to 1, is only positive, so it's actually the first quadrant of the circle.

So theta will be between 0 and $\pi/2$

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \int_0^{\sqrt{2}} \cos \theta \sin \theta \rho^4 \sin^3 \phi \, d\rho d\theta d\phi = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \left. \frac{\rho^5}{5} \right|_0^{\sqrt{2}} \cos \theta \sin \theta \sin^3 \phi \, d\theta d\phi =$$

$$\frac{4\sqrt{2}}{5} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos \theta \sin \theta \sin^3 \phi \, d\theta d\phi = \frac{4\sqrt{2}}{5} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \left. \frac{1}{2} \sin^2 \theta \right|_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^3 \phi \, d\phi = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{5} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \sin^3 \phi \, d\phi =$$

$$\frac{2\sqrt{2}}{5} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \sin^2 \phi (\sin \phi) \, d\phi = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{5} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} (1 - \cos^2 \phi) (\sin \phi) \, d\phi$$

$$u = \cos \phi, \, du = -\sin \phi$$

$$\int (1 - u^2)(-du) = -u + \frac{1}{3}u^3$$

$$\frac{2\sqrt{2}}{5} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} (1 - \cos^2 \phi) (\sin \phi) \, d\phi = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{5} \left[-\cos \phi + \frac{1}{3} \cos^3 \phi \right]_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} =$$

$$\frac{2\sqrt{2}}{5} \left[-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{1}{3} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^3 - \left(-1 + \frac{1}{3}(1) \right) \right] = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{5} \left[\frac{1}{6\sqrt{2}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + 1 - \frac{1}{3} \right] =$$

$$\frac{2\sqrt{2}}{5} \left[\frac{2}{3} - \frac{5}{6\sqrt{2}} \right]$$

This is the end of the material for Exam #2 (on Monday).

(line integrals to triple integrals)