

## Week #11

Some problems and solutions selected or adapted from Stewart Calculus.

### Triple Integrals

1. Evaluate the triple integral

- (a)  $\iiint_E 6xy \, dV$ , where  $E$  lies under the plane  $z = 1 + x + y$  and above the region in the  $xy$ -plane bounded by the curves  $y = \sqrt{x}$ ,  $y = 0$ , and  $x = 1$ .
- (b)  $\iiint_E x \, dV$ , where  $E$  is bounded by the paraboloid  $x = 4y^2 + 4z^2$  and the plane  $x = 4$ .

(a) Here

$$E = \{(x, y, z) \mid 0 \leq x \leq 1, 0 \leq y \leq \sqrt{x}, 0 \leq z \leq 1 + x + y\},$$

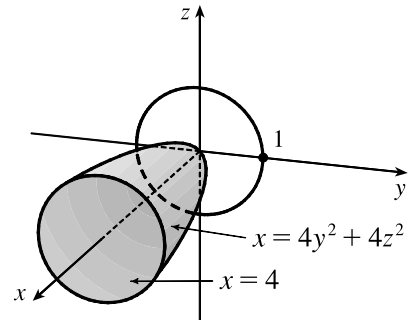
so

$$\begin{aligned} & \iiint_E 6xy \, dV \\ &= \int_0^1 \int_0^{\sqrt{x}} \int_0^{1+x+y} 6xy \, dz \, dy \, dx \\ &= \int_0^1 \int_0^{\sqrt{x}} [6xyz]_{z=0}^{z=1+x+y} \, dy \, dx \\ &= \int_0^1 \int_0^{\sqrt{x}} 6xy(1+x+y) \, dy \, dx \\ &= \int_0^1 [4xy^2 + 3x^2y^2 + 2xy^3]_{y=0}^{y=\sqrt{x}} \, dx \\ &= \int_0^1 (3x^2 + 3x^3 + 2x^{5/2}) \, dx \\ &= \left[ x^3 + \frac{3}{4}x^4 + \frac{4}{7}x^{7/2} \right]_0^1 \\ &= \frac{65}{28} \end{aligned}$$

- (b) The projection of  $E$  on the  $yz$ -plane is the disk  $y^2 + z^2 \leq 1$ . Using polar coordinates  $y = r \cos \theta$

and  $z = r \sin \theta$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned} & \iiint_E x \, dV \\ &= \iint_D \left[ \int_{4y^2+4z^2}^4 x \, dx \right] \, dA \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \iint_D [4^2 - (4y^2 + 4z^2)^2] \, dA \\ &= 8 \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 (1 - r^4) r \, dr \, d\theta \\ &= 8 \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta \int_0^1 (r - r^5) \, dr \\ &= 8(2\pi) \left[ \frac{1}{2}r^2 - \frac{1}{6}r^6 \right]_0^1 \\ &= \frac{16\pi}{3} \end{aligned}$$



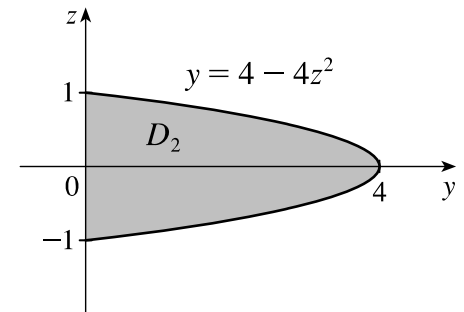
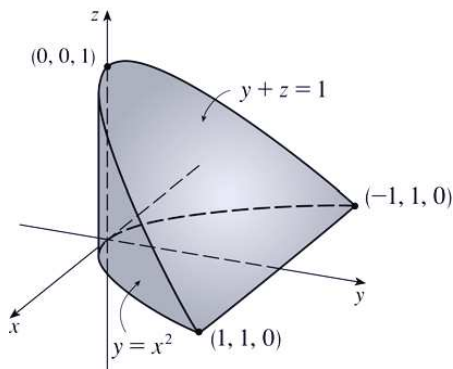
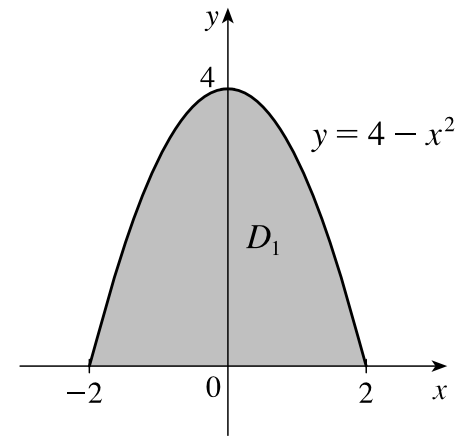
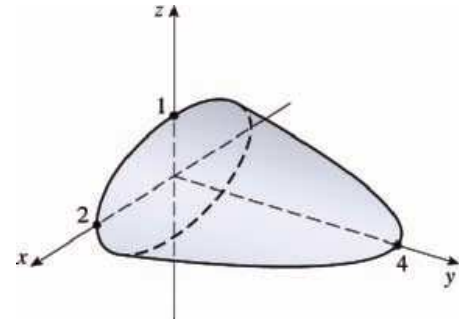
2. Use a triple integral to find the volume of the solid enclosed by the cylinder  $y = x^2$  and the planes  $z = 0$  and  $y + z = 1$ .

The plane  $y + z = 1$  intersects the  $xy$ -plane in the line  $y = 1$ , so

$$E = \{(x, y, z) \mid -1 \leq x \leq 1, x^2 \leq y \leq 1, 0 \leq z \leq 1 - y\}$$

and

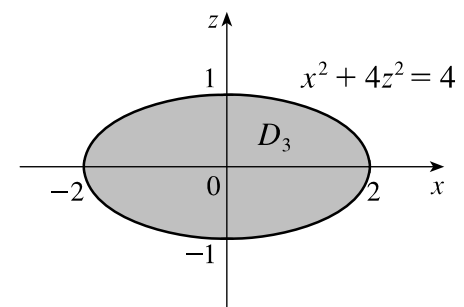
$$\begin{aligned}
 V &= \iiint_E dV \\
 &= \int_{-1}^1 \int_{x^2}^1 \int_0^{1-y} dz dy dx \\
 &= \int_{-1}^1 \int_{x^2}^1 (1-y) dy dx \\
 &= \int_{-1}^1 \left[ y - \frac{1}{2}y^2 \right]_{y=x^2}^{y=1} dx \\
 &= \int_{-1}^1 \left( \frac{1}{2} - x^2 + \frac{1}{2}x^4 \right) dx \\
 &= \left[ \frac{1}{2}x - \frac{1}{3}x^3 + \frac{1}{10}x^5 \right]_{-1}^1 \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{10} + \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{10} \\
 &= \frac{8}{15}
 \end{aligned}$$



3. Express the integral  $\iiint_E f(x, y, z) dV$  as an iterated integral in six different ways, where  $E$  is the solid bounded by  $y = 4 - x^2 - 4z^2$ ,  $y = 0$ .

If  $D_1$ ,  $D_2$ ,  $D_3$  are the projections of  $E$  on the  $xy$ -,  $yz$ -, and  $xz$ -planes, then

$$\begin{aligned}
 D_1 &= \{(x, y) \mid -2 \leq x \leq 2, 0 \leq y \leq 4 - x^2\} \\
 &= \{(x, y) \mid 0 \leq y \leq 4, -\sqrt{4-y} \leq x \leq \sqrt{4-y}\} \\
 D_2 &= \{(y, z) \mid 0 \leq y \leq 4, -\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{4-y} \leq z \leq \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{4-y}\} \\
 &= \{(y, z) \mid -1 \leq z \leq 1, 0 \leq y \leq 4 - 4z^2\} \\
 D_3 &= \{(x, z) \mid x^2 + 4z^2 \leq 4\}
 \end{aligned}$$



Therefore

$$\begin{aligned}
E &= \left\{ (x, y, z) \mid -2 \leq x \leq 2, \right. \\
&\quad \left. 0 \leq y \leq 4 - x^2, \right. \\
&\quad \left. -\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{4 - x^2 - y} \leq z \leq \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{4 - x^2 - y} \right\} \\
&= \left\{ (x, y, z) \mid 0 \leq y \leq 4, \right. \\
&\quad \left. -\sqrt{4 - y} \leq x \leq \sqrt{4 - y}, \right. \\
&\quad \left. -\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{4 - x^2 - y} \leq z \leq \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{4 - x^2 - y} \right\} \\
&= \left\{ (x, y, z) \mid -1 \leq z \leq 1 \right. \\
&\quad \left. 0 \leq y \leq 4 - 4z^2, \right. \\
&\quad \left. -\sqrt{4 - y - 4z^2} \leq x \leq \sqrt{4 - y - 4z^2} \right\} \\
&= \left\{ (x, y, z) \mid 0 \leq y \leq 4, \right. \\
&\quad \left. -\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{4 - y} \leq z \leq \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{4 - y}, \right. \\
&\quad \left. -\sqrt{4 - y - 4z^2} \leq x \leq \sqrt{4 - y - 4z^2} \right\} \\
&= \left\{ (x, y, z) \mid -2 \leq x \leq 2, \right. \\
&\quad \left. -\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{4 - x^2} \leq z \leq \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{4 - x^2}, \right. \\
&\quad \left. 0 \leq y \leq 4 - x^2 - 4z^2 \right\} \\
&= \left\{ (x, y, z) \mid -1 \leq z \leq 1, \right. \\
&\quad \left. -\sqrt{4 - 4z^2} \leq x \leq \sqrt{4 - 4z^2}, \right. \\
&\quad \left. 0 \leq y \leq 4 - x^2 - 4z^2 \right\}
\end{aligned}$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned}
&\iiint_E f(x, y, z) dV \\
&= \int_{-1}^2 \int_0^{4-x^2} \int_{-\sqrt{4-x^2-y}/2}^{\sqrt{4-x^2-y}/2} f(x, y, z) dz dy dx \\
&= \int_0^4 \int_{-\sqrt{4-y}}^{\sqrt{4-y}} \int_{-\sqrt{4-x^2-y}/2}^{\sqrt{4-x^2-y}/2} f(x, y, z) dz dx dy \\
&= \int_{-1}^1 \int_0^{4-4z^2} \int_{-\sqrt{4-y-4z^2}}^{\sqrt{4-y-4z^2}} f(x, y, z) dx dy dz \\
&= \int_0^4 \int_{-\sqrt{4-y}/2}^{\sqrt{4-y}/2} \int_{-\sqrt{4-y-4z^2}}^{\sqrt{4-y-4z^2}} f(x, y, z) dx dz dy \\
&= \int_{-2}^2 \int_{-\sqrt{4-x^2}/2}^{\sqrt{4-x^2}/2} \int_0^{4-x^2-4z^2} f(x, y, z) dy dz dx \\
&= \int_{-1}^1 \int_{-\sqrt{4-4z^2}}^{\sqrt{4-4z^2}} \int_0^{4-x^2-4z^2} f(x, y, z) dy dx dz
\end{aligned}$$

## Triple Integrals in Cylindrical Coordinates

4. Evaluate  $\iiint_E (x+y+z) dV$ , where  $E$  is the solid in the first octant that lies under the paraboloid  $z = 4 - x^2 - y^2$ .

The paraboloid  $z = 4 - x^2 - y^2 = 4 - r^2$  intersects the  $xy$ -plane in the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  or  $r^2 = 4 \Rightarrow r = 2$ , so in cylindrical coordinates,  $E$  is given by

$$\{(r, \theta, z) \mid 0 \leq \theta \leq \pi/2, 0 \leq r \leq 2, 0 \leq z \leq 4 - r^2\}.$$

Thus

$$\begin{aligned} & \iiint_E (x + y + z) dV \\ &= \int_0^{\pi/2} \int_0^2 \int_0^{4-r^2} (r \cos \theta + r \sin \theta + z)r dz dr d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{\pi/2} \int_0^2 \left[ r^2(\cos \theta + \sin \theta)z + \frac{1}{2}rz^2 \right]_{z=0}^{z=4-r^2} dr d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{\pi/2} \int_0^2 \left[ (4r^2 - r^4)(\cos \theta + \sin \theta) + \frac{1}{2}r(4 - r^2)^2 \right] dr d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{\pi/2} \left[ \left( \frac{4}{3}r^3 - \frac{1}{5}r^5 \right) (\cos \theta + \sin \theta) - \frac{1}{12}(r - r^2)^3 \right]_{r=0}^{r=2} d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{\pi/2} \left[ \frac{64}{15}(\cos \theta + \sin \theta) + \frac{16}{3} \right] d\theta \\ &= \left[ \frac{64}{15}(\sin \theta - \cos \theta) + \frac{16}{3}\theta \right]_0^{\pi/2} \\ &= \frac{64}{15}(1 - 0) + \frac{16}{3} \cdot \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{64}{15}(0 - 1) - 0 \\ &= \frac{83}{\pi} + \frac{128}{15} \end{aligned}$$

5. Evaluate  $\iiint_E x^2 dV$ , where  $E$  is the solid that lies within the cylinder  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ , above the plane  $z = 0$ , and below the cone  $z^2 = 4x^2 + 4y^2$ .

In cylindrical coordinates,  $E$  is bounded by the cylinder  $r = 1$ , the plane  $z = 0$ , and the cone  $z = 2r$ . So

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

and

$$\begin{aligned} & \iiint_E x^2 dV \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 \int_0^{2r} r^2 \cos^2 \theta r dz dr d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 [r^3 \cos^2 \theta z]_{z=0}^{z=2r} dr d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 2r^4 \cos^2 \theta dr d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \left[ \frac{2}{5}r^5 \cos^2 \theta \right]_{r=0}^{r=1} d\theta \\ &= \frac{2}{5} \int_0^{2\pi} \cos^2 \theta d\theta \\ &= \frac{2}{5} \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{1}{2}(1 + \cos 2\theta) d\theta \\ &= \frac{1}{5} \left[ \theta + \frac{1}{2} \sin 2\theta \right]_0^{2\pi} \\ &= \frac{2\pi}{5} \end{aligned}$$

6. Find the volume of the solid that is enclosed by the cone  $z = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$  and the sphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 2$ .

In cylindrical coordinates,  $E$  is bounded below by the cone  $z = r$  and above by the sphere  $r^2 + z^2 = 2$  or  $z = \sqrt{2 - r^2}$ . The cone and the sphere intersect when  $2r^2 = 2 \Rightarrow r = 1$ , so

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

and the volume is

$$\begin{aligned} & \iiint_E dV \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 \int_r^{\sqrt{2-r^2}} r \, dz \, dr \, d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 [rz]_{z=r}^{\sqrt{2-r^2}} \, dr \, d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 (r\sqrt{2-r^2} - r^2) \, dr \, d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta \int_0^1 (r\sqrt{2-r^2} - r^2) \, dr \\ &= 2\pi \left[ -\frac{1}{3}(2-r^2)^{3/2} - \frac{1}{3}r^3 \right]_0^1 \\ &= 2\pi \left( -\frac{1}{3} \right) (1 + 1 - 2^{3/2}) \\ &= -\frac{2}{3}\pi (2 - \sqrt{2}) \\ &= \frac{4}{3}\pi (\sqrt{2} - 1) \end{aligned}$$

7. Find the mass and center of mass of the solid  $S$  bounded by the paraboloid  $z = 4x^2 + 4y^2$  and the plane  $z = a$  ( $a > 0$ ) if  $S$  has constant density  $K$ .

The paraboloid  $z = 4x^2 + 4y^2$  intersects the plane  $z = a$  when  $a = 4x^2 + 4y^2$  or  $x^2 + y^2 = \frac{1}{4}a$ . So, in cylindrical

coordinates,

$$E = \left\{ (r, \theta, z) \mid 0 \leq r \leq \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{a}, 0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi, 4r^2 \leq z \leq a \right\}.$$

Thus

$$\begin{aligned} m &= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\sqrt{a}/2} \int_{4r^2}^a Kr \, dz \, dr \, d\theta \\ &= K \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\sqrt{a}/2} (ar - 4r^3) \, dr \, d\theta \\ &= K \int_0^{2\pi} \left[ \frac{1}{2}ar^2 - r^4 \right]_{r=0}^{r=\sqrt{a}/2} d\theta \\ &= K \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{1}{16}a^2 \, d\theta \\ &= \frac{1}{8}a^2\pi K \end{aligned}$$

Since the region is homogeneous and symmetric,  $\bar{x} = \bar{y} = 0$ .

The  $z$  coordinate for the center of mass does require some calculation:

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{z} &= \frac{1}{m} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\sqrt{a}/2} \int_{4r^2}^a r \, dz \, dr \, d\theta \\ &= \left( \frac{1}{m} \right) K \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\sqrt{a}/2} \left( \frac{1}{2}a^2r - 8r^5 \right) \, dr \, d\theta \\ &= \left( \frac{1}{m} \right) K \int_0^{2\pi} \left[ \frac{1}{4}a^2r^2 - \frac{4}{3}r^6 \right]_{r=0}^{r=\sqrt{a}/2} d\theta \\ &= \left( \frac{1}{m} \right) K \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{1}{24}a^3 \, d\theta \\ &= \left( \frac{1}{m} \right) \frac{1}{12}a^3\pi K \\ &= \left( \frac{1}{\frac{1}{8}a^2\pi K} \right) \frac{1}{12}a^3\pi K \\ &= \frac{2}{3}a \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $(\bar{x}, \bar{y}, \bar{z}) = (0, 0, \frac{2}{3}a)$ .