

Math 2551 Learning Target I3 Practice

I3: Change of Variables. I can use polar, cylindrical, and spherical coordinates to transform double and triple integrals and can sketch regions based on given polar, cylindrical, and spherical iterated integrals. I can use general change of variables to transform double and triple integrals for easier calculation. I can choose the most appropriate coordinate system to evaluate a specific integral.

Concept Checks

1. **T/F:** The cylindrical coordinates of the point with Cartesian coordinates $(4, \pi, 0)$ are $(-4, 0, 0)$.
2. **T/F:** The equation $r = 2 \sin(\theta)$ describes a circle.
3. **T/F:** The region $0 \leq \rho \leq 4, 0 \leq \phi \leq \pi, 0 \leq \theta \leq \pi$ describes the bottom half of a sphere of radius 4 centered on the origin.
4. Which transformation can be used to simplify the integral below?

$$\int_0^2 \int_{y/2}^{(y+4)/2} y^3(2x-y)e^{(2x-y)^2} dx dy$$

Hint: the domain of integration is the region bounded by $y = 2x, y = 2x - 4, y = 0, y = 2$

- (a) $u = x, v = y$
 - (b) $u = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}, v = \arctan(y/x)$
 - (c) $u = 2x - y, v = y^7$
 - (d) $u = 2x - y, v = y$
 - (e) None of the above.
5. Consider the double integral

$$\iint_R \frac{2x-y}{3y-x} dA,$$

where R is the region bounded by the lines $2x - y = 0, 2x - y = 4, 3y - x = 0, 3y - x = 2$. Which of the following coordinate transformations would be appropriate to use for change of variables on this integral?

- (a) $u = \frac{y}{x}$
 $v = \frac{x}{3y}$
- (b) $x = u$
 $y = v$
- (c) $u = 2x - y$
 $v = 3y - x$
- (d) $x = 2u - v$
 $y = 3v - y$

6. Suppose we wish to evaluate the integral $\iint_R f(x, y) \, dA$ using the change of variables

$$u = 3x \quad v = y^5.$$

Which of the following is the new area element dA in terms of du and dv ?

- (a) $dA = 15v^{4/5} \, du \, dv$
- (b) $dA = 15v^4 \, du \, dv$
- (c) $dA = \frac{1}{15}v^{-4/5} \, du \, dv$
- (d) $dA = \, du \, dv$
- (e) $dA = \frac{5}{3}v^{-4/5} \, du \, dv$

7. Which integral below computes the volume of the region inside the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 4$ and outside the cylinder $x^2 + y^2 = 2$?

- (a) $\int_0^{2\pi} \int_{\sqrt{2}}^2 \int_0^{\sqrt{4-r^2}} dz \, dr \, d\theta$
- (b) $\int_0^\pi \int_0^2 \int_{-\sqrt{4-r^2}}^{\sqrt{4-r^2}} r \, dz \, dr \, d\theta$
- (c) $\int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi/4} \int_{\sqrt{2}\csc(\phi)}^2 \rho^2 \sin(\phi) \, d\rho \, d\phi \, d\theta$
- (d) $\int_0^{2\pi} \int_{\pi/4}^{3\pi/4} \int_0^2 \rho^2 \sin(\phi) \, d\rho \, d\phi \, d\theta$
- (e) $\int_0^{2\pi} \int_{\pi/4}^{3\pi/4} \int_{\sqrt{2}\csc(\phi)}^2 \rho^2 \sin(\phi) \, d\rho \, d\phi \, d\theta$

8. What is the area of the region enclosed by one loop of the rose $r = \cos(3\theta)$?

- (a) $\int_{\pi/6}^{\pi/2} \int_0^{\cos(3\theta)} dr d\theta$
- (b) $\int_{\pi/2}^{3\pi/2} \int_0^{\cos(3\theta)} r dr d\theta$
- (c) $\int_0^{\pi/6} \int_0^{\cos(3\theta)} r dr d\theta$
- (d) $\int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\cos(3\theta)} r dr d\theta$
- (e) $\int_{\pi/6}^{\pi/2} \int_0^{\cos(3\theta)} r dr d\theta$

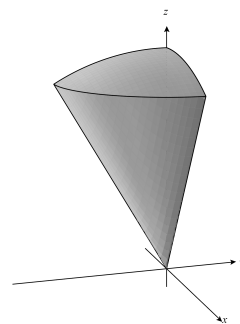
9. **T/F:** The Jacobian determinant for a change of variables is always constant.

Open Response

1. Compute the average distance to the origin among points in a disk D of radius 3 centered at the origin in $\mathbb{R}^2$, $D = \{(x, y) \mid x^2 + y^2 \leq 9\}$ given that

$$d_{avg} = \frac{1}{9\pi} \iint_D \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} dA.$$

2. Let D be the solid in $\mathbb{R}^3$ which is bounded below by the cone $z = \sqrt{3x^2 + 3y^2}$ and above by the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 16$ and lies in the fourth octant ($x \geq 0, y \leq 0, z \geq 0$). The projection of D to the xy -plane is the portion of the disk $x^2 + y^2 \leq 4$ in the fourth quadrant.



- (a) Write an integral in cylindrical coordinates for the volume of D . Do not evaluate your integral.
- (b) Write an integral in spherical coordinates for the volume of D . Do not evaluate your integral.
3. Convert the integral $\int_0^2 \int_{-\sqrt{4-x^2}}^{\sqrt{4-x^2}} xy dy dx$ to an equivalent integral in polar coordinates.

4. In this problem you will compute the integral

$$\iint_R (2x + y)(x - y) \, dx \, dy$$

for the region R in the first quadrant bounded by the lines $2x + y = 4$, $2x + y = 7$, $x - y = 2$, and $x - y = -1$ using the transformation $u = x - y$, $v = 2x + y$.

- Transform the given bounds into equations in u and v . Use these to sketch the region G in the uv -plane that is the image of R under this transformation.
- Solve the transformation equations for x and y in terms of u and v and compute the Jacobian determinant, i.e. find $\mathbf{T}(u, v)$ and $|D\mathbf{T}(u, v)|$.
- Use your results from (a) and (b) to use change of variables with $u = x - y$, $v = 2x + y$ to rewrite the integral

$$\iint_R (2x + y)(x - y) \, dx \, dy$$

as an integral with respect to u and v over the region G . Do not evaluate your integral.

5. Consider the volume D in the first octant of $\mathbb{R}^3$ which is bounded above by the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 12$ and below by the paraboloid $z = x^2 + y^2$. If D has a constant density function $\delta = 16$, compute $M_{xy} = \iiint_D z\delta \, dV$, the first moment of D about the xy -plane. Fully simplify your answer.

Hint: Be careful with your choice of coordinate system.

6. Consider the volume D in the second octant of $\mathbb{R}^3$ ($x \leq 0, y \geq 0, z \geq 0$) which is bounded above by the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 2$ and below by the paraboloid $z = x^2 + y^2$.
- Write an integral for the volume of D using Cartesian coordinates in the order $dz \, dy \, dx$. Show your work. **Do not evaluate your integral.**
 - Write an integral for the volume of D using cylindrical coordinates. Show your work. **Do not evaluate your integral.**
 - Sketch the shadow of D in the yz -plane.
 - Are spherical coordinates a good choice to use to compute this volume? Justify your answer.

7. Use polar coordinates to find

$$\int_0^2 \int_{-\sqrt{4-x^2}}^{\sqrt{4-x^2}} \frac{-6}{x^2 + y^2 + 1} \, dy \, dx.$$

8. Use the transformation

$$\mathbf{T}(u, v) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{4}(u + v) \\ \frac{1}{4}(v - 3u) \end{bmatrix}$$

to change variables in the integral

$$\iint_R 4x + 8y \, dA$$

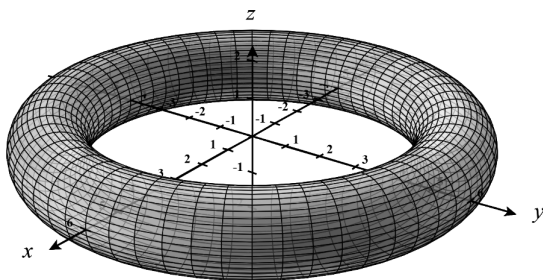
where R is the parallelogram bounded by the lines

$$x - y = -4, \quad x - y = 4, \quad y + 3x = 0, \quad y + 3x = 8.$$

A complete solution will include a sketch of the new region of integration in the uv -plane. **Do not evaluate the resulting integral in terms of u and v .**

9. Set up an integral using spherical or cylindrical coordinates to compute the volume of the **torus** centered on the z -axis with inner radius 4 and cross-sectional radius 1. A picture of this solid is below.

Hint: It may help to sketch a vertical cross-section of the shape and exploit symmetry.



10. Convert the integral $\int_0^3 \int_{-\sqrt{9-x^2}}^{\sqrt{9-x^2}} x^2 + y^2 \, dy \, dx$ to an equivalent integral in polar coordinates.
11. Consider the region D in $\mathbb{R}^3$ given by $\sqrt{x^2 + y^2} \leq z \leq \sqrt{4 - x^2 - y^2}$ and suppose a solid occupying this region has mass density $\delta(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^2 + z^2$.
- Write an integral in cylindrical coordinates for the mass $\iiint_D \delta \, dV$ of the solid. **Do not evaluate your integral.**
 - Write an integral in spherical coordinates for the mass $\iiint_D \delta \, dV$ of the solid. **Do not evaluate your integral.**

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Concept Checks

1. False
2. True
3. False
4. d) $u = 2x - y, v = y$
5. Choice three is correct, $u = 2x - y, v = 3y - x$. Applying this transformation results in a region of integration $0 \leq u \leq 4, 0 \leq v \leq 2$ and an integrand of $\frac{u}{v}$ multiplied by the Jacobian (a constant). Choice one does not map either the integrand or the region to a nice object, choice two does nothing but rename the variables, and choice four has x, y swapped with u, v , so also works poorly.
6. (c) $dA = \frac{1}{15}v^{-4/5} du dv$
7. (e)
8. (e)
9. False

Open Response

1. This region and function are nicely described in polar coordinates, so we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 d_{avg} &= \frac{1}{9\pi} \iint_D \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} dA \\
 &= \frac{1}{9\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^3 r^2 dr d\theta \\
 &= \frac{1}{9\pi} 18\pi \\
 &= 2
 \end{aligned}$$

2. (a)

$$\int_{-\pi/2}^0 \int_0^2 \int_{\sqrt{3}r}^{\sqrt{16-r^2}} r dz dr d\theta$$

(b)

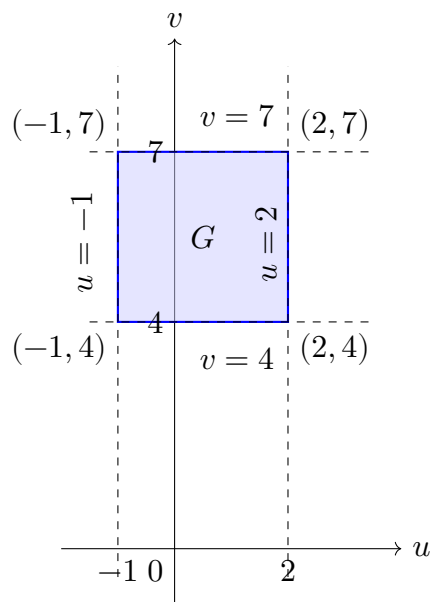
$$\int_{-\pi/2}^0 \int_0^{\pi/6} \int_0^4 \rho^2 \sin(\varphi) \, d\rho \, d\varphi \, d\theta$$

3. We have $-\sqrt{4-x^2} \leq y \leq \sqrt{4-x^2}$ and $0 \leq x \leq 2$, so this region of integration is the right half of a circle of radius 2 centered at the origin.

Thus the integral becomes

$$\int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \int_0^2 (r \cos(\theta))(r \sin(\theta))r \, dr \, d\theta.$$

4. (a) $-1 \leq u \leq 2, 4 \leq v \leq 7$



(b)

$$\mathbf{T}(u, v) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{3}u + \frac{1}{3}v \\ -\frac{2}{3}u + \frac{1}{3}v \end{bmatrix} \quad |D\mathbf{T}(u, v)| = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \\ -\frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \end{vmatrix} = \frac{1}{3}$$

(c)

$$\iint_R (2x + y)(x - y) \, dx \, dy = \int_{-1}^2 \int_4^7 \frac{1}{3}uv \, dv \, du.$$

5. We have $M_{xy} = \iiint_D z \delta \, dV$, so we compute $\iiint_D 16z \, dV$. This is easiest in cylindrical coordinates, in which D is described by $r^2 \leq z \leq \sqrt{12-r^2}$, $0 \leq \theta \leq \pi/2$. To find bounds on r , we solve $r^2 = \sqrt{12-r^2}$ to get $r^4 = 12 - r^2$, which then gives $(r^2 + 4)(r^2 - 3) = 0$. Thus we have $0 \leq r \leq \sqrt{3}$.

Now we integrate:

$$\begin{aligned}
 M_{xy} &= \iiint_D 16z \, dV = \int_0^{\pi/2} \int_0^{\sqrt{3}} \int_{r^2}^{\sqrt{12-r^2}} 16zr \, dz \, dr \, d\theta \\
 &= \frac{\pi}{2} \int_0^{\sqrt{3}} (8rz^2)|_{r^2}^{\sqrt{12-r^2}} \, dr = 4\pi \int_0^{\sqrt{3}} r(12 - r^2 - r^4) \, dr \\
 &= 4\pi \int_0^{\sqrt{3}} 12r - r^3 - r^5 \, dr \\
 &= 4\pi \left(6r^2 - \frac{1}{4}r^4 - \frac{1}{6}r^6 \right) \Big|_0^{\sqrt{3}} \\
 &= 4\pi \left(18 - \frac{9}{4} - \frac{27}{6} \right) = \boxed{45\pi}
 \end{aligned}$$

6. Consider the volume D in the second octant of $\mathbb{R}^3$ ($x \leq 0, y \geq 0, z \geq 0$) which is bounded above by the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 2$ and below by the paraboloid $z = x^2 + y^2$.

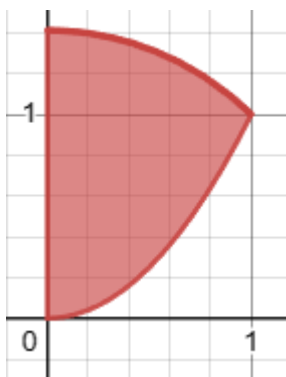
- (a) These two surfaces intersect when $z + z^2 = 2$ and $z \geq 0$, i.e. $z = 1$. When $z = 1$, they meet in the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 1$. Therefore since we are taking only the portion of this volume in the second octant we have

$$V = \int_{-1}^0 \int_0^{\sqrt{1-x^2}} \int_{x^2+y^2}^{\sqrt{2-x^2-y^2}} dz \, dy \, dx.$$

- (b) In cylindrical coordinates, the surfaces are $r^2 + z^2 = 2$ and $z = r^2$, meeting in the circle $r = 1$ in the plane $z = 1$. Now θ runs from $\pi/2$ to π so that we get the portion in the second octant.

So we have

$$V = \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} \int_0^1 \int_{r^2}^{\sqrt{2-r^2}} r \, dz \, dr \, d\theta.$$



(c)

- (d) They are not, because this region is not simple in the ρ -direction. This can be seen in the picture in part (c); a ray outward from the origin cuts through the sphere for $0 \leq \phi \leq \pi/4$ and through the paraboloid for $\pi/4 \leq \phi \leq \pi/2$.

7. In polar coordinates, the region

$$0 \leq x \leq 2, \quad -\sqrt{4-x^2} \leq y \leq \sqrt{4-x^2}$$

becomes

$$0 \leq r \leq 2, \quad -\pi/2 \leq \theta \leq \pi/2,$$

since this is the right half of the disk of radius 2 centered at the origin. So we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^2 \int_{-\sqrt{4-x^2}}^{\sqrt{4-x^2}} \frac{-6}{x^2+y^2+1} dy dx &= \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \int_0^2 \frac{-6}{r^2+1} r dr d\theta \\ &= \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} -3 \ln(r^2+1) \Big|_0^2 d\theta \\ &= \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} -3 \ln(5) d\theta \\ &= -3 \ln(5) \theta \Big|_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \\ &= -3\pi \ln(5) \end{aligned}$$

8. First, notice that we have

$$x - y = \frac{1}{4}u + \frac{1}{4}v - \frac{1}{4}v + \frac{3}{4}u = u \quad \text{and} \quad y + 3x = \frac{1}{4}v - \frac{3}{4}u + \frac{3}{4}u + \frac{3}{4}v = v.$$

So the new region of integration is the rectangle $-4 \leq u \leq 4, 0 \leq v \leq 8$ in the uv -plane.

Next, we have

$$|\det(D\mathbf{T}(u, v))| = \left| \det \begin{bmatrix} 1/4 & 1/4 \\ -3/4 & 1/4 \end{bmatrix} \right| = \left| \frac{1}{16} + \frac{3}{16} \right| = \frac{1}{4}.$$

Finally, we have

$$4x + 8y = u + v - 6u + 2v = -5u + 3v.$$

Combining all of this, the Substitution Theorem gives

$$\iint_R 4x + 8y dA = \int_{-4}^4 \int_0^8 \frac{3v - 5u}{4} dv du.$$

9. It is easiest to work in cylindrical coordinates. In any cross-sectional plane $\theta = c$ (for example the yz -plane) we have a circle of radius 1 centered at the point $r = 5, z = 0$. So each such cross-section has equation

$$(r - 5)^2 + z^2 = 1$$

and therefore an integral for the volume of the torus is

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \int_4^6 \int_{-\sqrt{1-(r-5)^2}}^{\sqrt{1-(r-5)^2}} r \, dz \, dr \, d\theta.$$

10. We have $-\sqrt{9-x^2} \leq y \leq \sqrt{9-x^2}$ and $0 \leq x \leq 3$, so this region of integration is the right half of a circle of radius 3 centered at the origin.

Thus the integral becomes

$$\int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \int_0^3 (r^2) r \, dr \, d\theta.$$

11. Consider the region D in $\mathbb{R}^3$ given by $\sqrt{x^2+y^2} \leq z \leq \sqrt{4-x^2-y^2}$ and suppose a solid occupying this region has mass density $\delta(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^2 + z^2$.

- (a) The cone $z = r$ intersects the upper hemisphere $z = \sqrt{4-r^2}$ when $r^2 = 4-r^2$, i.e. $r = \sqrt{2}$. The density is $\delta = r^2 + z^2$. Therefore we have

$$\text{mass} = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\sqrt{2}} \int_r^{\sqrt{4-r^2}} (r^2 + z^2) r \, dz \, dr \, d\theta.$$

- (b) In spherical coordinates, the hemisphere is the part of $\rho = 2$ with $0 \leq \varphi \leq \pi/2$ and the region above the cone $z \geq \sqrt{x^2+y^2}$ is the region with $\varphi \leq \pi/4$. The density is $\delta = \rho^2$. Therefore we have

$$\text{mass} = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi/4} \int_0^2 \rho^4 \sin(\varphi) \, d\rho \, d\varphi \, d\theta.$$