

Calculus III
Practice Exam 3, Answers

1. Find the volume under the plane $z = x + 2y + 1$ over the triangle bounded by the lines $y = 0$, $x = 1$, $y = 2x$.

Answer. We view this as the region lying over the triangle T and under the plane $z = x + 2y + 1$. T is the type 1 domain $0 \leq x \leq 1$, $0 \leq y \leq 2x$. Thus

$$\text{Volume} = \int \int_T z dx dy = \int_0^1 \left[\int_0^{2x} (x + 2y + 1) dy \right] dx .$$

The inner integral is

$$\int_0^{2x} (x + 2y + 1) dy = (xy + y^2 + y) \Big|_0^{2x} = 6x^2 + 2x .$$

Thus

$$\text{Volume} = \int_0^1 (6x^2 + 2x) dx = \frac{6}{3} + 1 = 3 .$$

2. Let R be the region in the plane bounded by the curves $x = y^2$, $x = 3 - 2y^2$. Calculate

$$I = \int \int_R (y^2 - x) dx .$$

Answer. This is the region between two parabolas with axis the x -axis. Integrate first with respect to x along curves $y = \text{constant}$ from y^2 to $3 - 2y^2$. To find the range in y find the point of intersection of the parabolas: $y^2 = 3 - 2y^2$; solutions $y = \pm 1$. Thus

$$I = \int_{-1}^1 \left[\int_{y^2}^{3-2y^2} (y^2 - x) dx \right] dy .$$

The inner integral is

$$\left[y^2 x - \frac{x^2}{2} \right] \Big|_{y^2}^{3-2y^2} = -2y^4 + 6y^2 - \frac{9}{2} .$$

Integrating over y , we obtain

$$I = \int_{-1}^1 \left(-2y^4 + 6y^2 - \frac{9}{2} \right) dy = 2 \left[-\frac{2}{5} + 2 - \frac{9}{2} \right] = -\frac{29}{5} .$$

3. Let R be the region in the first quadrant bounded by the curves $y = x$ and $y = x^3$. What are the coordinates of its centroid?

Answer. R is the type 1 region $0 \leq x \leq 1$, $x^3 \leq y \leq x$. Thus

$$\text{Area} = \int_0^1 \int_{x^3}^x dy dx = \int_0^1 (x - x^3) dx = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{4} ,$$

$$\text{Mom}_{\{x=0\}} = \int_0^1 \int_{x^3}^x x dy dx = \int_0^1 (x^2 - x^4) dx = \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{5} = \frac{2}{15} ,$$

$$\text{Mom}_{\{y=0\}} = \int_0^1 \int_{x^3}^x y dy dx = \int_0^1 \left(\frac{y^2}{2} \Big|_{x^3}^x \right) dx = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 (x^2 - x^6) dx = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{7} \right) = \frac{2}{21} .$$

The centroid is at $(8/15, 8/21)$.

4. What is the mass of the lamina bounded by the curves $y = 3x$ and $y = 6x - x^2$ where the density function is $\delta(x, y) = xy$?

Answer. This is the type 1 region $0 \leq x \leq 3, 3x \leq y \leq 6x - x^2$. Thus

$$Mass = \iint_R \delta dA = \int_0^3 \left[\int_{3x}^{6x-x^2} xy dy \right] dx .$$

The inner integral is

$$x \int_{3x}^{6x-x^2} y dy = \frac{x}{2} ((6x - x^2)^2 - (3x)^2) = \frac{x^3}{2} (x^2 - 12x + 27) .$$

Thus

$$Mass = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^3 (x^5 - 12x^4 + 27x^3) dx = \frac{9 \cdot 81}{2} \left(\frac{1}{6} - \frac{4}{5} + \frac{3}{4} \right) = \frac{729}{2} \cdot \frac{7}{60} = 42.525$$

5. As (u, v) runs through the region $u^2 + v^2 \leq 1$, the vector function

$$\mathbf{X}(u, v) = (u^2 + v^2)\mathbf{I} + (u^2 - v^2)\mathbf{J} + uv\mathbf{K}$$

describes a surface S in three space. Write down the double integral which must be calculated to find the surface area of S .

Answer.

$$\mathbf{X}_u = 2u\mathbf{I} + 2u\mathbf{J} + v\mathbf{K}, \quad \mathbf{X}_v = 2v\mathbf{I} - 2v\mathbf{J} + u\mathbf{K},$$

$$\mathbf{X}_u \times \mathbf{X}_v = (2v^2 + 2u^2)\mathbf{I} + (2v^2 - 2u^2)\mathbf{J} - 4uv\mathbf{K},$$

so, when the smoke clears we find

$$|\mathbf{X}_u \times \mathbf{X}_v| = 2\sqrt{2}|u^2 - v^2| .$$

Thus

$$S = 2\sqrt{2} \iint_R |u^2 - v^2| du dv ,$$

where R is the unit disc. We now switch to polar coordinates: $u^2 - v^2 = r^2(\cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta) = r^2 \cos 2\theta$, so

$$S = 2\sqrt{2} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 |\cos 2\theta| r^3 dr d\theta = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \int_0^{2\pi} |\cos 2\theta| d\theta = 4\sqrt{2} \int_0^{\pi/4} \cos 2\theta d\theta =$$

$$4\sqrt{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} = 2$$

6. Find the volume of the region bounded below by the surface $z = 4x^2 + 25y^2$, and above by the plane $z = 100$.

Answer. This can be viewed as the volume of the region between the surfaces $z = 100$ and $z = 4x^2 + 25y^2$ which lies above the ellipse $E : 4x^2 + 25y^2 \leq 100$:

$$Volume = \iint_E (100 - 4x^2 - 25y^2) dx dy .$$

Let $u = 2x$, $v = 5y$. Then E corresponds to the disc $D : u^2 + v^2 \leq 100$ and $100 - 4x^2 - 25y^2 = 100 - u^2 - v^2$. Since $x = u/2$, $y = v/5$, the Jacobian of the transformation is $1/10$. This gives us

$$Volume = \iint_D f(x(u, v), y(u, v)) \frac{\partial(x, y)}{\partial(u, v)} du dv = \frac{1}{10} \iint_D (100 - u^2 - v^2) du dv .$$

Now, moving to polar coordinates in u, v space, this becomes

$$\frac{1}{10} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{10} (100 - r^2) r dr d\theta = \frac{\pi}{5} \int_0^{100} (100 - r^2) dr = 500\pi .$$

7. Find the centroid of the region under the cone $z^2 = x^2 + y^2$ lying over the disc $x^2 + y^2 \leq 9$.

Answer. In cylindrical coordinates, this region is describe by the inequalities $r \leq 3, 0 \leq z \leq r$. Thus,

$$Volume = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^3 \int_0^r r dz dr d\theta = 2\pi \int_0^3 r^2 dr = 18\pi .$$

Because of the symmetry about the z -axis, the centroid lies on the z -axis. To find $\bar{z}$, we calculate the moment

$$Mom_{\{z=0\}} = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^3 \int_0^r r z dz dr d\theta = 2\pi \int_0^3 \frac{r^3}{2} dr = \frac{81\pi}{2} .$$

Thus $\bar{z} = (81\pi/4)/(18\pi) = 9/8$.

8. Find the volume inside the hyperboloid $x^2 + y^2 - z^2 = 1$, for $0 \leq z \leq 2$.

Answer. In cylindrical coordinates, the region is described by the inequalities $0 \leq z \leq 2, 0 \leq r \leq \sqrt{1+z^2}$. Thus

$$Volume = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 \int_0^{\sqrt{1+z^2}} r dr dz d\theta .$$

The inner integral is

$$\int_0^{\sqrt{1+z^2}} r dr = \frac{1+z^2}{2} \quad \text{so} \quad Volume = 2\pi \int_0^2 \frac{1+z^2}{2} dz = \frac{14\pi}{3} .$$

9. Find the surface area of the piece of the paraboloid $z = x^2 + y^2$ lying between the planes $z = 0, z = 2$.

Answer. We start with the equation $dS = \sqrt{1 + z_x^2 + z_y^2} dx dy$. Since $z_x = 2x, z_y = 2y$, this gives us $dS = \sqrt{1 + 4x^2 + 4y^2} dx dy = \sqrt{1 + 4r^2} r dr d\theta$, where we have switched to polar coordinates because of the circular symmetry. Then the area is the integral of dS over the disc $r \leq \sqrt{2}$:

$$Surface Area = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\sqrt{2}} (1 + r^2)^{1/2} r dr d\theta = 2\pi \int_1^3 u^{1/2} du = \frac{2\pi}{3} (3\sqrt{3} - 1) ,$$

using the substitution $u = 1 + r^2$.

10. The part R of the sphere of radius 1 centered at the origin which lies in the first octant is filled with a material whose density function is $\delta(x, y, z) = z^2 + xy$. Find the mass of this object.

Answer. The mass is the triple integral over R of δdV . Switching to spherical coordinates, R is described by the inequalities $0 \leq \theta \leq \pi/2, 0 \leq \phi \leq \pi/2, 0 \leq \rho \leq 1$, and $\delta = \rho^2(\cos^2 \phi + \sin^2 \phi \cos \theta \sin \theta)$.

$$Mass = \int_0^{\pi/2} \int_0^{\pi/2} \int_0^1 (\rho^2(\cos^2 \phi + \sin^2 \phi \cos \theta \sin \theta)) \rho^2 \sin \phi d\phi d\theta .$$

Now, the integral with respect to ρ is $1/5$. To calculate the integral with respect to ϕ , we use

$$\int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^2 \phi \sin \phi d\phi = \frac{1}{3} \quad \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^2 \phi d\phi = \frac{2}{3} .$$

Thus

$$Mass = \frac{1}{15} \int_0^{\pi/2} (1 + 2 \cos \theta \sin \theta) d\theta = \frac{1}{15} \left(\frac{\pi}{2} + 1 \right) .$$