

13.8: Triple Integrals $\rho = \text{const} \Rightarrow m = \rho V$

Mass problem: Given a solid object, that occupies the region B in \mathbb{R}^3 , with density $\rho(x, y, z)$. Find the mass of the object.

Solution: Let B be a rectangular box:

$$B = \{(x, y, z) | a \leq x \leq b, c \leq y \leq d, r \leq z \leq s\}$$

$$= [a, b] \times [c, d] \times [r, s]$$

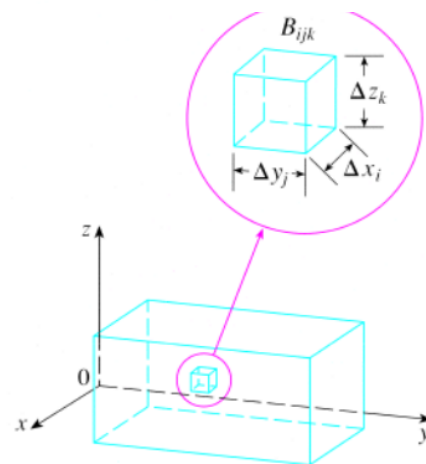
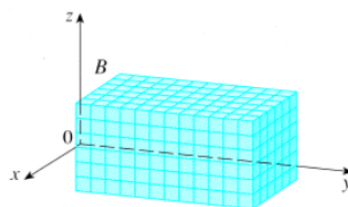
Partition in sub-boxes:

$$m_{ijk} = \rho(x_i^*, y_j^*, z_k^*) \Delta V_{ijk}$$

$$\|P\| = \max \sqrt{\Delta x_i^2 + \Delta y_j^2 + \Delta z_k^2}$$

$$m = \lim_{\|P\| \rightarrow 0} \sum_i \sum_j \sum_k \rho(x_i^*, y_j^*, z_k^*) \Delta V_{ijk}$$

$$m = \iiint_B \rho(x, y, z) dV$$



FUBINI'S THEOREM: If f is continuous on the rectangular box $B = [a, b] \times [c, d] \times [r, s]$ then

$$\iiint_B f(x, y, z) dV = \int_r^s \int_c^d \int_a^b f(x, y, z) dx dy dz$$

iterated integral
dx dz dy

and there are **5** other possible orders in which we can integrate.

EXAMPLE 1. Let $B = [0, 1] \times [-1, 3] \times [0, 3]$. Evaluate

$$I = \iiint_B xye^{yz} dV$$

$$I = \int_{-1}^3 \int_0^3 \int_0^1 xye^{yz} dx dz dy$$

$$= \left(\int_0^1 x dx \right) \cdot \int_{-1}^3 y \left(\int_0^3 e^{yz} dz \right) dy$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int_{-1}^3 \cancel{y} \frac{e^{yz}}{\cancel{y}} \Big|_{z=0}^3 dy = \frac{1}{2} \int_{-1}^3 (e^{3y} - 1) dy$$

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FACT: The volume of the solid E is given by the integral,

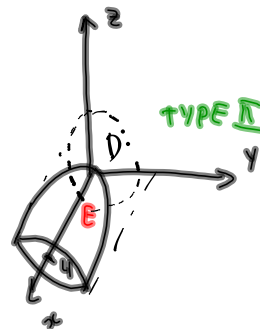
$$V = \iiint_E dV.$$

FACT: The mass of the solid E with variable density $\rho(x, y, z)$ is given by the integral,

$$m = \iiint_E \rho(x, y, z) dV.$$

EXAMPLE 2. Find the mass of the solid bounded by $x = y^2 + z^2$ and the plane $x = 4$ if the density function is $\rho(x, y, z) = \sqrt{y^2 + z^2}$. paraboloid

$$\begin{aligned} m &= \iiint_E \sqrt{y^2 + z^2} dV \\ &= \iint_D \left(\int_{y^2+z^2}^4 \sqrt{y^2+z^2} dx \right) dA \end{aligned}$$



The boundary of D is the line of intersection:

$$\left. \begin{aligned} x &= y^2 + z^2 \\ x &= 4 \end{aligned} \right\} \Rightarrow y^2 + z^2 = 4$$

$$D = \{ (y, z) : y^2 + z^2 \leq 4 \}$$

$$m = \iint_D \sqrt{y^2 + z^2} \left(\int_{y^2+z^2}^4 dx \right) dA = \iint_D \sqrt{y^2 + z^2} (4 - (y^2 + z^2)) dA$$

Use polar coordinates: $\left. \begin{aligned} y &= r \cos \theta \\ z &= r \sin \theta \end{aligned} \right\} \Rightarrow y^2 + z^2 = r^2$

$$D^* = \{ (r, \theta) : 0 \leq r \leq 2, 0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi \}$$

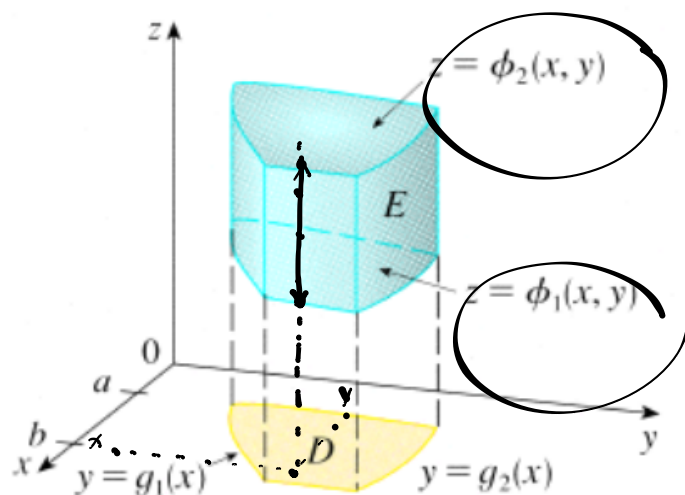
$$m = \iint_{D^*} r(4 - r^2) dA^* = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 (4r - r^3) r dr d\theta$$

$$= 2\pi \int_0^2 (4r^2 - r^4) dr = \dots = \frac{128\pi}{15}$$

A solid region of **TYPE I**:

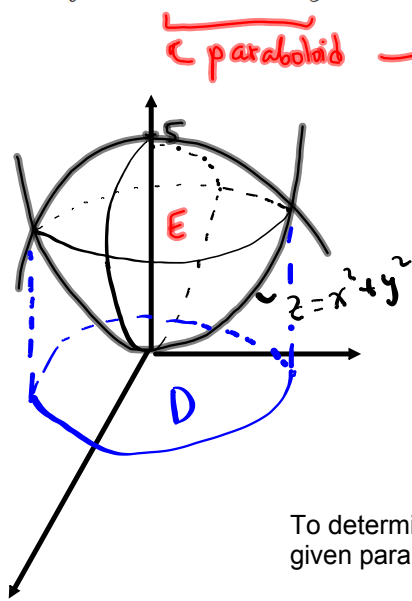
$E = \{(x, y, z) | (x, y) \in D, \phi_1(x, y) \leq z \leq \phi_2(x, y)\}$
 where D is the projection of E onto the xy -plane.

A type 1 solid region



$$\iiint f(x, y, z) dV = \iint \left[\int_{\phi_1(x, y)}^{\phi_2(x, y)} f(x, y, z) dz \right] dA$$

EXAMPLE 3. Use a triple integral to find the volume of the solid bounded by the surfaces $z = x^2 + y^2$ and $z = 5 - 4x^2 - 4y^2$.



$$V = \iiint_E dV = \iint_D \left(\int_{x^2+y^2}^{5-4x^2-4y^2} dz \right) dA$$

To determine D note that its boundary coincides with the line of intersection of two given paraboloids:

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} z = x^2 + y^2 \\ z = 5 - 4(x^2 + y^2) \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{l} x^2 + y^2 = 5 - 4(x^2 + y^2) \\ 5(x^2 + y^2) = 5 \\ x^2 + y^2 = 1 \end{array}$$

Thus $D = \{ (x, y) : x^2 + y^2 \leq 1 \}$

$$V = \iint_D \int_{z=x^2+y^2}^{z=5-4(x^2+y^2)} dz \, dA = \iint_D 5 - 4(x^2 + y^2) - (x^2 + y^2) \, dA$$

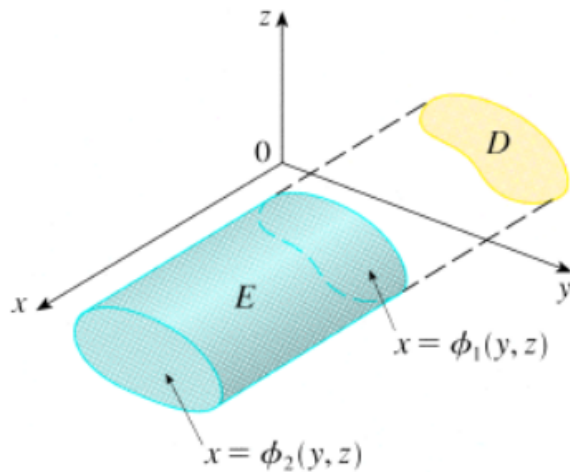
$$= \iint_D 5(1 - (x^2 + y^2)) \, dA = \iint_{D^*} 5(1 - r^2) \, dA^*$$

where $D^* = \{ (r, \theta) : 0 \leq r \leq 1, 0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi \}$

$$V = 5 \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 (1 - r^2) r \, dr \, d\theta = 5 \cdot 2\pi \int_0^1 (r - r^3) \, dr = 10\pi \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{4} \right) = \frac{5\pi}{2}$$

A solid region of **TYPE II**:

$E = \{(x, y, z) | (y, z) \in D, \phi_1(y, z) \leq x \leq \phi_2(y, z)\}$
 where D is the projection of E onto the yz -plane.

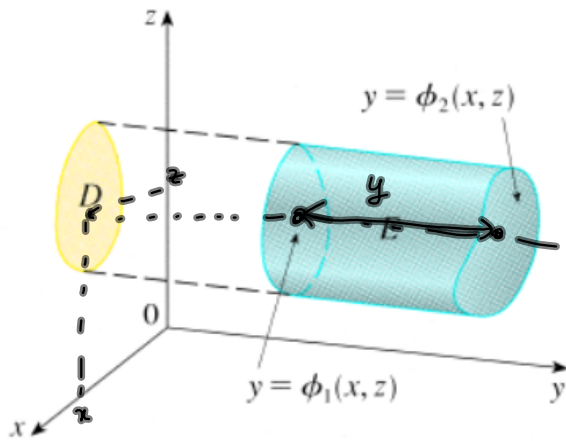


A type 2 region

$$\iiint_E f(x, y, z) \, dV = \iint_D \left[\int_{\phi_1(y, z)}^{\phi_2(y, z)} f(x, y, z) \, dx \right] dA$$

A solid region of **TYPE III**:

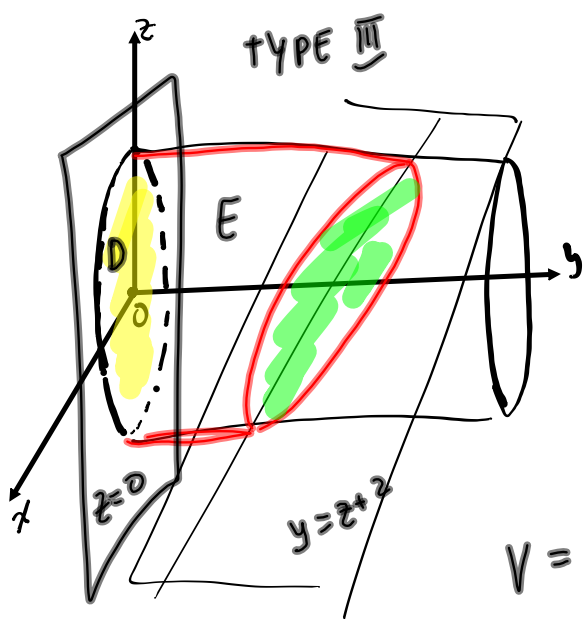
$E = \{(x, y, z) | (x, z) \in D, \phi_1(x, z) \leq y \leq \phi_2(x, z)\}$
 where D is the projection of E onto the xz -plane.



A type 3 region

$$\iiint_E f(x, y, z) dV = \iint_D \left[\int_{\phi_1(x, z)}^{\phi_2(x, z)} f(x, y, z) dy \right] dA$$

EXAMPLE 4. Use a triple integral to find the volume of the solid bounded by the elliptic cylinder $4x^2 + z^2 = 4$ and the planes $y = 0$ and $y = z + 2$.

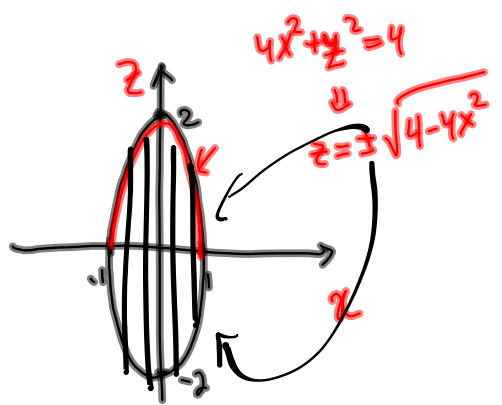


xz-plane

$$V = \iiint_E dV = \iint_D \left[\int_0^{z+2} dy \right] dA$$

where $D = \{(x,z) : 4x^2 + z^2 \leq 4\}$

$$V = \iint_D (z+2) dA = \int_{-1}^1 \int_{-\sqrt{4-4x^2}}^{\sqrt{4-4x^2}} (z+2) dz dx$$



$$= \int_{-1}^1 \left(\frac{z^2}{2} + 2z \right) \Big|_{z=-2\sqrt{1-x^2}}^{z=2\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx$$

$$= \int_{-1}^1 0 + 2 \cdot 4\sqrt{1-x^2} dx$$

$$= 8 \int_{-1}^1 \sqrt{1-x^2} dx = 8 \cdot \frac{\pi}{2} = 4\pi.$$

area of half circle with radius 1

