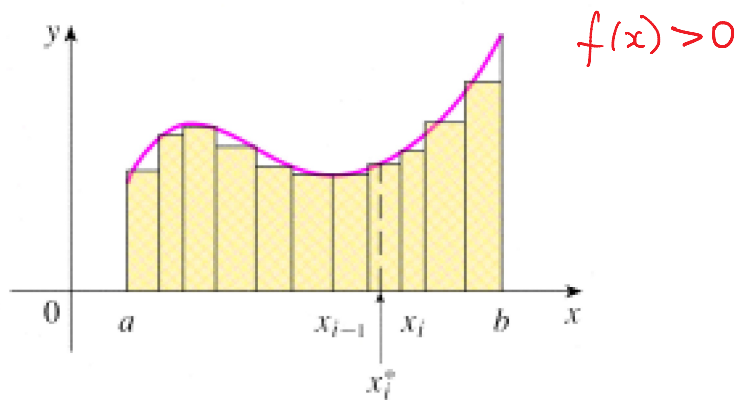




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15.1: Double integrals over rectangles

Recall that a single definite integral can be interpreted as **area**:



The exact area is also the definition of the definite integral:

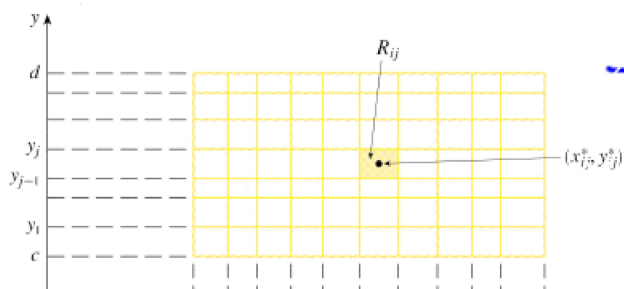
$$\int_a^b f(x)dx = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n f(x_i^*)\Delta x$$

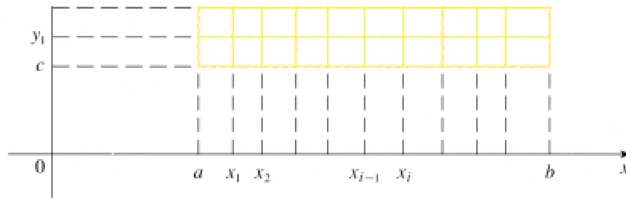
→ Riemann sum

Problem: Assume that $f(x, y)$ is defined on a closed rectangle

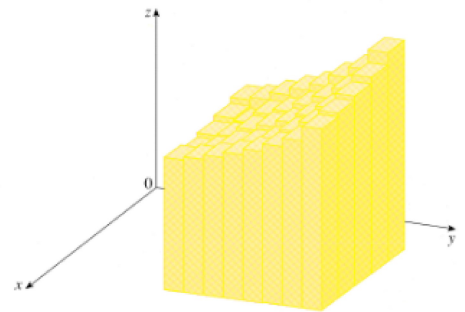
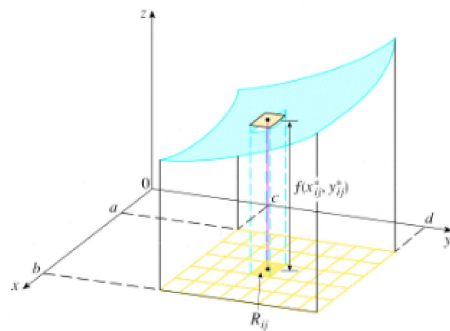
$R = [a, b] \times [c, d] = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 | a \leq x \leq b, c \leq y \leq d\}$ and $f(x, y) \geq 0$ over R . Denote by S the part of the surface $z = f(x, y)$ over the rectangle R . What the volume of the region under S and above the xy -plane is?

Solution: Approximate the volume. Divide up $a \leq x \leq b$ into n subintervals and divide up $c \leq y \leq d$ into m subintervals. From each of these smaller rectangles choose a point (x_i^*, y_j^*) .





Over each of these smaller rectangles we will construct a box whose height is given by $f(x_i^*, y_j^*)$.



The volume is given by

$$\lim_{n,m \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^m \overbrace{f(x_i^*, y_j^*) \Delta x \Delta y}^{\text{Riemann sum}}$$

which is also the definition of a double integral

$$\iint_R f(x, y) dA.$$

Another notation: $\iint_R f(x, y) dA = \iint_R f(x, y) dx dy.$

THEOREM 1. *If f is continuous on R then f is integrable over R .*

THEOREM 2. *If $f(x, y) \geq 0$ and f is continuous on the rectangle $R = [a, b] \times [c, d]$, then the volume V of the solid S that lies above R and under the graph of f , i.e.*

$$S = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid (x, y) \in R, 0 \leq z \leq f(x, y), (x, y) \in R\},$$

is

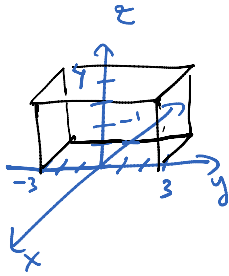
$$V = \iint_R f(x, y) dA.$$

$$V = \iint_R f(x, y) \, dA.$$

EXAMPLE 3. Evaluate the integral

$$\iint_R 4 \, dA$$

where $R = [-1, 0] \times [-3, 3]$ by identifying it as a volume of a solid.



$$f(x, y) \equiv 4$$

The solid is above R and below
the graph of $z \equiv 4 \Rightarrow$

$$S = \text{the box with sizes } 1 \times 6 \times 4 \Rightarrow$$

$$V = 6 \cdot 4 = \boxed{24}$$

Iterated integrals

Suppose that $f(x, y)$ is integrable over the rectangle $R = [a, b] \times [c, d]$.

Partial integration of f with respect to x : $\int_a^b f(x, y) \, dx \rightarrow$ a function of y
fixed

Partial integration of f with respect to y : $\int_c^d f(x, y) \, dy \rightarrow$ a function of x
fixed

EXAMPLE 4.

$$\int_0^4 (x + 3y^2) \, dx = \left. \frac{x^2}{2} + 3y^2x \right|_{x=0}^4 = \frac{4^2}{2} + 3 \cdot y^2 \cdot 4 - 0 = 8 + 12y^2$$

$$\int_1^4 e^{xy} \, dy = \left. \frac{1}{x} e^{xy} \right|_{y=1}^4 = \frac{1}{x} e^{4x} - \frac{1}{x} e^x = \frac{1}{x} (e^{4x} - e^x)$$

Iterated integrals:

$$\int_a^b \left[\int_c^d f(x, y) \, dy \right] dx = \int_a^b \int_c^d f(x, y) \, dy dx$$

and

$$\int_c^d \left[\int_a^b f(x, y) \, dx \right] dy = \int_c^d \int_a^b f(x, y) \, dx dy.$$

EXAMPLE 5. Evaluate the integrals:

$$I_1 = \int_0^{\ln 2} \int_0^{\ln 5} e^{2x-y} \, dy dx, \quad I_2 = \int_0^{\ln 5} \int_0^{\ln 2} e^{2x-y} \, dx dy$$

$$T = \left(\int_0^{\ln 2} \int_0^{\ln 5} e^{2x-y} \, dy dx \right) dx = \int_0^{\ln 2} \left(\int_0^{\ln 5} e^{-y} e^{2x} \, dy \right) dx = \int_0^{\ln 2} e^{2x} \left(\int_0^{\ln 5} e^{-y} \, dy \right) dx =$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 I_1 &= \int_0^{\ln 2} \left(\int_0^{\ln 5} e^{2x} e^{-y} dy \right) dx = \int_0^{\ln 2} e^{2x} \left(\int_0^{\ln 5} e^{-y} dy \right) dx = \int_0^{\ln 2} e^{2x} \left(-e^{-y} \Big|_{y=0}^{\ln 5} \right) dx \\
 &= \int_0^{\ln 2} e^{2x} \left(-e^{-\ln 5} - (-e^0) \right) dx = \int_0^{\ln 2} e^{2x} \left(-\frac{1}{5} + 1 \right) dx = \int_0^{\ln 2} e^{2x} \left(\frac{4}{5} \right) dx = \frac{4}{5} \int_0^{\ln 2} e^{2x} dx \\
 &= \frac{4}{5} \cdot \frac{1}{2} e^{2x} \Big|_{x=0}^{\ln 2} = \frac{2}{5} \left(e^{2 \ln 2} - e^0 \right) = \frac{2}{5} \left((e^{\ln 2})^2 - 1 \right) = \frac{2}{5} (2^2 - 1) = \frac{6}{5}
 \end{aligned}$$

In the same way $I_2 = \int_0^{\ln 2} e^{2x} dx \int_0^{\ln 5} e^{-y} dy = I_1 = \frac{6}{5}$

FUBINI's THEOREM: If f is continuous on the rectangle $R = [a, b] \times [c, d]$ then

$$\iint_R f(x, y) dA = \int_a^b \int_c^d f(x, y) dy dx = \int_c^d \int_a^b f(x, y) dx dy.$$

the order of integration in the iterated integrals is not important

EXAMPLE 6. Make a conclusion from the Example 5 based on the Fubini Theorem.

$$\iint_R e^{2x-y} dA = \frac{6}{5} \quad \text{when} \quad R = [0, \ln 2] \times [0, \ln 5]$$

COROLLARY 7. If g and h are continuous functions of one variable and $R = [a, b] \times [c, d]$ then

$$\iint_R g(x)h(y) dA = \left(\int_a^b g(x) dx \right) \left(\int_c^d h(y) dy \right).$$

$$\iint_R g(x)h(y) dA \stackrel{\text{Fubini}}{=} \int_a^b \int_c^d g(x)h(y) dy dx = \int_a^b g(x) \left(\int_c^d h(y) dy \right) dx =$$

$$= \int_c^d h(y) dy \int_a^b g(x) dx$$

In the previous example $e^{2x-y} = e^{2x} e^{-y} = \overbrace{e^{2x}}^{g(x)} \overbrace{e^{-y}}^{h(y)}$

EXAMPLE 8. Evaluate

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$$\iint_R x \cos(xy) \, dA = \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \left(\int_1^5 x \cos(xy) \, dy \right) dx \rightarrow \text{more easy}$$

where $R = [-\pi/2, \pi/2] \times [1, 5]$ and describe your result geometrically.

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_R x \cos(xy) \, dA &= \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \left(\int_1^5 x \cos(xy) \, dy \right) dx = \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} x \left(\int_1^5 \cos(xy) \, dy \right) dx \\ &= \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} x \left. \frac{1}{x} \sin xy \right|_{y=1}^5 dx = \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} (\sin 5x - \sin x) \, dx = -\frac{1}{5} \cos 5x \Big|_{x=-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} + \cos x \Big|_{x=-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \end{aligned}$$

constant when integrating w.r.t. y

one needs to use integration by parts

$\int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} 0 \, dx = 0$
 \cos is even, i.e.
 $\cos(-x) = \cos x$

EXAMPLE 9. Express the volume of the solid S lying under the circular paraboloid $z = x^2 + y^2$ and above the rectangle $R = [-2, 2] \times [-3, 3]$ using an iterated integral.

$$\begin{aligned} V &= \iint_R (x^2 + y^2) \, dA = \int_{-2}^2 \int_{-3}^3 (x^2 + y^2) \, dy \, dx = \int_{-2}^2 \left(x^2 y + \frac{y^3}{3} \right) \Big|_{y=-3}^3 dx \\ &= 2 \int_{-2}^2 \left(3x^2 + \frac{27}{3} \right) dx = 2 \left(x^3 + 9x \right) \Big|_{x=-2}^2 = 2 \cdot 2 (2^3 + 9 \cdot 2) = 4 \cdot 26 = 104 \end{aligned}$$