

16.6 Change of Variables  
Multivariable Calculus

Video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wUF-lyyWpUc>

Suppose that we want to integrate  $f(x, y)$  over the region  $R$ . Under the transformation  $x = g(u, v)$ ,  $y = h(u, v)$  the region becomes  $S$  and the integral becomes,

$$\iint_R f(x, y) dA = \iint_S f(g(u, v), h(u, v)) \left| \frac{\partial(x, y)}{\partial(u, v)} \right| \underbrace{d\bar{A}}_{du dv}$$

← absolute value of determinant

$$\frac{\partial(x, y)}{\partial(u, v)} = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial x}{\partial u} & \frac{\partial x}{\partial v} \\ \frac{\partial y}{\partial u} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial v} \end{vmatrix} = \frac{\partial x}{\partial u} \frac{\partial y}{\partial v} - \frac{\partial x}{\partial v} \frac{\partial y}{\partial u}$$

\*determinant

1. Show that when changing to polar coordinates we have  $dA = r dr d\theta$

$$x = r \cos \theta$$

$$y = r \sin \theta$$

\*instead of  $u$  &  $v$   
 $r$  &  $\theta$

Jacobian =  $r$

$$\begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial x}{\partial r} & \frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta} \\ \frac{\partial y}{\partial r} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial \theta} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} \cos \theta & -r \sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & r \cos \theta \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= r \cos^2 \theta - (-r \sin^2 \theta)$$

$$= r (\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta)$$

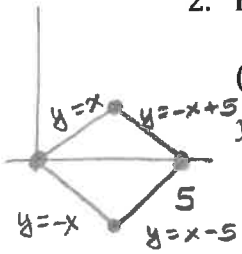
$$= r$$

$$dA = \left| \frac{\partial(x, y)}{\partial(r, \theta)} \right| dr d\theta = |r| dr d\theta = r dr d\theta$$

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2. Evaluate  $\iint_R x + y dA$  where  $R$  is the trapezoidal region with vertices given by

$(0, 0)$ ,  $(5, 0)$ ,  $(\frac{5}{2}, \frac{5}{2})$ , and  $(\frac{5}{2}, -\frac{5}{2})$  using the transformation  $x = 2u + 3v$  and



$y = 2u - 3v$

$0 \leq u \leq 5/4$

$0 \leq v \leq 5/6$

$$J(u,v) = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 2 & -3 \end{vmatrix}$$

when  $y = x$ :

$2u - 3v = 2u + 3v$

$v = 0$

$= -6 - 6 = -12$

when  $y = -x$

$2u - 3v = -(2u + 3v)$

$u = 0$

$x + y = (2u + 3v) + (2u - 3v) = 4u$

when  $y = -x + 5$

$2u - 3v = -(2u + 3v) + 5$

$4u = 5$

$u = 5/4$

$$\int_0^{5/6} \int_0^{5/4} 4u | -12 | du dv$$

when  $y = x - 5$

$2u - 3v = 2u + 3v - 5$

$v = 5/6$

$$\int_0^{5/6} \int_0^{5/4} 48u du dv = \boxed{\frac{125}{4}}$$

graph on desmos

3. Evaluate  $\iint_R x^2 - xy + y^2 dA$  where  $R$  is the ellipse given by  $x^2 - xy + y^2 \leq 2$  and

using the transformation  $x = \sqrt{2}u - \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}v$ ,  $y = \sqrt{2}u + \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}v$ .

$z = x^2 - xy + y^2$

$z = (\sqrt{2}u - \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}v)^2 - (\sqrt{2}u - \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}v)(\sqrt{2}u + \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}v) + (\sqrt{2}u + \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}v)^2$

$z = 2u^2 - \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}}uv + \frac{2}{3}v^2 - (2u^2 - \frac{2}{3}v^2) + 2u^2 + \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}}uv + \frac{2}{3}v^2$

$z = 2u^2 + 2v^2$

$1 = u^2 + v^2$



\* can convert to polar

$0 \leq r \leq 1$

$0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$

$$J(u,v) = \begin{vmatrix} \sqrt{2} & -\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \\ \sqrt{2} & \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \end{vmatrix} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} - \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$= \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}}$

\* Note now know also:

$x^2 - xy + y^2 = 2u^2 + 2v^2$

$\iint (2u^2 + 2v^2) \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}} du dv$

$\int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 2r^2 \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}} r dr d\theta$

$= \boxed{\frac{4\pi}{\sqrt{3}}}$

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4. Verify that  $dV = \rho^2 \sin \varphi d\rho d\theta d\varphi$  when using spherical coordinates.

$$x = \rho \sin \varphi \cos \theta$$

$$y = \rho \sin \varphi \sin \theta$$

$$z = \rho \cos \varphi$$

$$\frac{\partial(x, y, z)}{\partial(\rho, \theta, \varphi)} = \begin{vmatrix} \sin \varphi \cos \theta & -\rho \sin \varphi \sin \theta & \rho \cos \varphi \cos \theta \\ \sin \varphi \sin \theta & \rho \sin \varphi \cos \theta & \rho \cos \varphi \sin \theta \\ \cos \varphi & 0 & -\rho \sin \varphi \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \left[ \underline{-\rho^2 \sin^3 \varphi \cos^2 \theta} + \underline{-\rho^2 \sin \varphi \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \varphi} + 0 \right] -$$

$$\left[ \underline{\rho^2 \cos^2 \varphi \sin \varphi \cos^2 \theta} + 0 + \underline{\rho^2 \sin^3 \varphi \sin^2 \theta} \right]$$

$$= \underline{-\rho^2 \sin^3 \varphi (\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta)} - \underline{\rho^2 \sin \varphi \cos^2 \varphi (\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta)}$$

$$= -\rho^2 \sin^3 \varphi - \rho^2 \sin \varphi \cos^2 \varphi$$

$$= -\rho^2 \sin \varphi (\sin^2 \varphi + \cos^2 \varphi)$$

$$= -\rho^2 \sin \varphi$$

$$dV = |-\rho^2 \sin \varphi| d\rho d\theta d\varphi = \rho^2 \sin \varphi d\rho d\theta d\varphi$$

