

1 Polar, cylindrical, and spherical coordinates

Exercise 1 Using polar coordinates, compute

$$\int_{-4}^0 \int_{-\sqrt{16-x^2}}^0 y \, dy \, dx$$

Hint: This is a quarter of the disk of radius 4

Exercise 2 Using polar coordinates, compute

$$\int_0^{3/\sqrt{2}} \int_y^{\sqrt{9-y^2}} x^2 y \, dx \, dy$$

Hint: This is a sector with angle $\pi/4$ of the circle of radius 3

Exercise 3 Using polar coordinates, compute

$$\iint_B x \, dx \, dy$$

where $B \subset \mathbb{R}^2$ is the region in the first quadrant inside the circle $x^2 + (y-3)^2 = 9$

Hint: This is a quarter of the unit disk

Exercise 4 Using polar coordinates, show that

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}} \, dx = \sqrt{2\pi}$$

Hint: The square of the integral on the left is $\iint_{\mathbb{R}^2} e^{-\frac{x^2+y^2}{2}} \, dA$.

Exercise 5 Let $D \subset \mathbb{R}^2$ be the interior of the circle $(x-1)^2 + (y-1)^2 = 2$. Using polar coordinates, find

$$\iint_D \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} \, dA$$

Hint: The notes have a section on how to describe a region like this in polar coordinates.

Exercise 6 Using cylindrical coordinates, compute

$$\int_0^3 \int_{-\sqrt{9-y^2}}^{\sqrt{9-y^2}} \int_y^4 x^2 \, dz \, dx \, dy$$

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Hint: Deal separately with the x, y variables and the z variable. For cylindrical coordinates, most of the time you don't need to do anything to the z variable

Exercise 7 Using cylindrical coordinates, compute

$$\int_0^1 \int_{-1}^1 \int_z^{\sqrt{1-y^2}} y^2 dx dy dz$$

Hint: This is the region inside the cylinder $x^2 + y^2 = 1$, above the xy -plane, and below the plane $z = x$. Verify this!!!

Exercise 8 Using spherical coordinates, compute

$$\int_{-2}^2 \int_{-\sqrt{4-x^2}}^{\sqrt{4-x^2}} \int_0^{\sqrt{4-x^2-y^2}} y^2 dz dy dx$$

Hint: This is a portion of the ball of radius 2

Exercise 9 Using spherical coordinates, compute

$$\iiint_E zy^2 dV$$

where E is the region above the cone $z = -\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$ and inside the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 25$

Hint: The equation of the cone is $\phi = 3\pi/4$ and the equation of the sphere is $\rho = 5$

Exercise 10 Using spherical coordinates, compute

$$\iiint_E \frac{zx^2}{x^2 + y^2} dV$$

where E is the region below the plane $z = 3$ and above the cone $z = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}/\sqrt{3}$

Hint: The equation of the plane is $\rho = 3/\cos \phi$

Exercise 11 Using spherical coordinates, compute

$$\iiint_E z dV$$

where E is the region inside the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + (z - 3)^2 = 9$

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