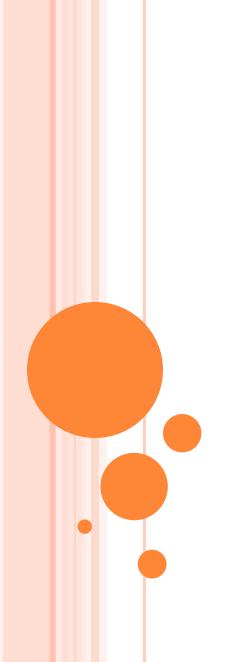


# SINGLE AND MULTIPLE INTEGRAL



## **INTEGRAL CALCULUS**

- Applications of single integration to find volume of solids and surface area of solids of revolution.
- Double integral, change of order of integration
- Double integral in polar coordinates,

- Applications of double integral to find area enclosed by plane curves,
- Triple integral
- Change of variables, volume of solids,
- Dirichlet's integral.
- Beta and gamma functions and relationship between them

## **APPLICATIONS OF SINGLE INTEGRATION**

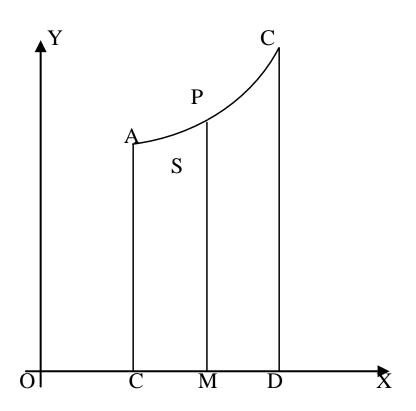
#### **Volume Formulae for Cartesian Equations**

**Revolution About x-axis:-** The Volume of a solid generated by the revolution about the x-axis of the area bounded by the curve y=f(x), the x-axis and the ordinates x=a, x=b is  $\int_a^b \pi y^2 dx$ 

**Revolution About y-axis:-** The volume of the solid generated by the revolution about the y-axis of the area bounded by the curve x=f(y), the x-axis and the ordinates y=a, y=b is  $\int_a^b \pi x^2 dy$ 

**Revolution About Any axis:-** The volume of the solid generated by the revolution about any axis CD of the area bounded by the curve AB, the axis CD and the perpendiculars AC,BD on the axis, is

 $\int_{OC}^{OD} \pi (PM)^2 d (OM)$  where O is a fixed point on the axis CD and PM is Perpendicular from any point P of the curve AB on CD.



#### **Volume Formulae for Parametric Equations**

- (i) The Volume of a solid generated by the revolution about the x-axis, of the area bounded by the curve y=f(t),  $y=\phi(t)$ , the x-axis and the ordinates, where t=a, t=b is  $\int_a^b \pi y^2 \frac{dx}{dt} dt$
- (ii) The Volume of a solid generated by the revolution about the x-axis, of the area bounded by the curve x=f(t),  $y=\phi(t)$ , the y-axis and the abscissa at the points, where t=a, t=b is  $\int_a^b \pi y^2 \frac{dx}{dt} dt$

#### Volume Between two solids

The Volume of a solid generated by the revolution about the x-axis, of the area bounded by the curves y=f(t),  $y=\phi(t)$ , the x-axis and the ordinates, where x=a, x=b is

$$\int_{a}^{b} \pi(y_1^2 - y_2^2) \, dx$$

Where  $y_1$  is the 'y' of the upper curve and  $y_2$  that the lower curve

# THE VOLUME FORMULAE FOR POLAR CURVES

The volume of the solid generated by the revolution of the area bounded by the curve  $r=f(\theta)$  and the radii vectors  $\theta=\alpha$ ,  $\theta=\beta$ 

(i) About the initial line OX( $\theta$ =0) is  $\int_{\beta}^{\alpha} \frac{2}{3} \pi r^3 d\theta$ 

(ii) About the line OY(
$$\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$$
) is  $\int_{\beta}^{\alpha} \frac{2}{3} \pi r^3 \cos \theta \, d\theta$ 

Three Practical Forms of the Surface Formula

(i) Surface Formula for Cartesian equations:- The Curved surface of the solid generated by the revolution about the x-axis of the area bounded by the curve v=f(x), the x-axis and the ordinates x=a, x=b is

$$\int_{x=a}^{x=b} 2\pi y \, \frac{ds}{dx} \, dx, \qquad \text{where} \quad \frac{ds}{dx} = \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2}$$

(i) Surface Formula for Parametric equations:- The Curved surface of the solid generated by the revolution about the x-axis, of the area bounded by the curve  $x=f(t), y = \emptyset(t)$ , the x-axis and the ordinates at the point t=a, t=b is

$$\int_{t=a}^{t=b} 2\pi y \, \frac{ds}{dt} \, dt, \qquad \text{where} \quad \frac{ds}{dt} = \sqrt{\left(\frac{dx}{dt}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2}$$

(ii) Surface Formula for Polar equations:- The Curved surface of the solid generated by the revolution about the initial line, of the area bounded by the curve  $r=f(\theta)$  and the radii vector  $\theta=\alpha$ ,  $\theta=\beta$  is

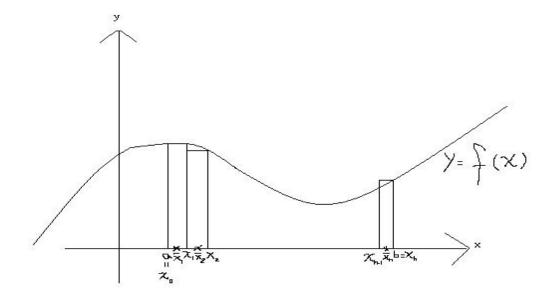
$$\int_{\theta=\alpha}^{\theta=\beta} 2\pi y \frac{ds}{d\theta} d\theta, \qquad \text{where} \quad \frac{ds}{d\theta}$$
$$= \sqrt{r^2 + \left(\frac{dr}{d\theta}\right)^2} \qquad \text{and } y = r \sin\theta$$

MULTIPLE INTEGRAL

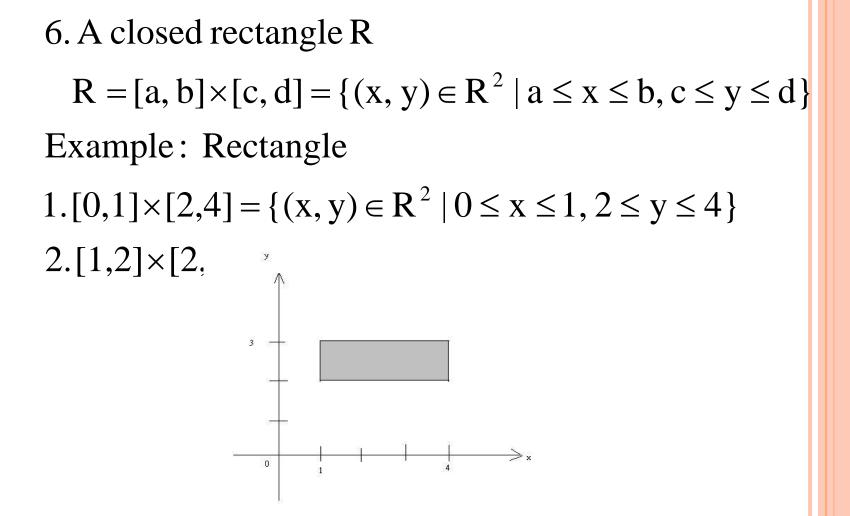
# **DOUBLE INTEGRALS OVER RECTANGLES**

1. Let  $P = \{x_0, x_1, ..., x_n\}$  and  $a = x_0 < x_1 < \cdots < x_n = b$ Then P is called a partition of [a, b] 2. Define  $\Delta x_i = x_i - x_{i-1}$ , i = 1, 2, ..., n3.  $|P| = \max{\{\Delta x_1, \Delta x_2, ..., \Delta x_n\}}$  The norm of P 4. Choose  $\overline{x_i} \in [x_{i-1}, x_i]$ ,  $i = 1, 2, ..., \overline{x_i}$  is called a sample point. 5. The definite integral of f on [a, b]

$$\int_{a}^{b} f(x)dx = \lim_{|P| \to 0} \sum_{i=1}^{n} f(\overline{x}_{i}) \Delta x_{i} = \text{The area of } S$$



 $S = \{(x, y) \mid a \le x \le b, 0 \le y \le f(x)\}$ 



## **EVALUATION OF DOUBLE INTEGRAL**

(i) When  $x_1 = \emptyset_1(y)$  and  $x_2 = \emptyset_2(y)$  are the functions of y and  $y_1$ ,  $y_2$  are constants. Then the double integral of the function f(x,y) over the region R is defined as

$$\iint_{R} f(x,y) dx \, dy = \int_{y_{1}}^{y_{2}} \int_{x_{1}=\emptyset_{1}(y)}^{x_{2}=\emptyset_{2}(y)} f(x,y) dx \, dy$$

(ii) When  $y_1 = \phi_1(x)$  and  $y_2 = \phi_2(x)$  are the functions of x and  $x_1, x_2$  are constants. Then the double integral of the function f(x, y) over the region R is defined as

$$\iint_{R} f(x,y) dx \, dy = \left[ \int_{x_{1}}^{x_{2}} \left[ \int_{y_{1}=\emptyset_{1}(x)}^{y_{2}=\emptyset_{2}(x)} f(x,y) dy \right] dx \right]$$

(i) When  $x_1, x_2$  and  $y_1, y_2$  are constant Then the double integral of the function f(x,y) over the region R is defined as

$$\iint_R f(x,y)dx \, dy = \left| \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \int_{y_1}^{y_2} f(x,y)dx \, dy \right| =$$

$$\int_{x_1}^{x_2} \int_{y_1}^{y_2} f(x, y) dy dx$$

In this case the order of integration is immaterial.

Evaluation of Double Integral in Polar Co-ordinates The double integral bounded by the straight lines  $\theta = \theta_1$ ,  $\theta = \theta_2$  and the curves  $r = r_1$ ,  $r = r_2$  is defined as

$$\int_{\theta_1}^{\theta_2} \int_{r_1}^{r_2} f(r,\theta) dr \, d\theta$$

In polar co-ordinates first we have to integrate w.r.t. r and than w.r.t. the constant limits  $\theta$ 

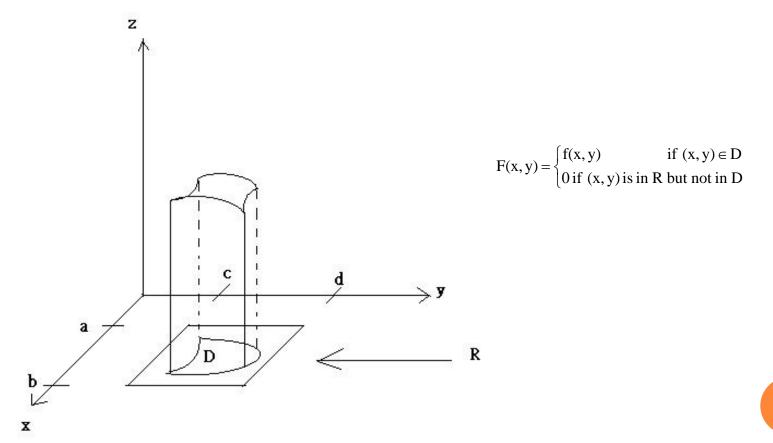
## ASSIGNMENT

### Evaluate

(i) 
$$\int_{0}^{3} \int_{1}^{4} x^{2} y dx dy$$
 (ii)  $\int_{0}^{3} \int_{1}^{4} x^{2} y dy dx$   
(iii)  $\int_{0}^{4} \int_{0}^{8} \frac{1}{4} (64 - 8x + y^{2}) dy dx$   
(iv)  $\int_{0}^{8} \int_{0}^{4} \frac{1}{4} (64 - 8x + y^{2}) dx dy$   
(v)  $\int_{0}^{3} \int_{1}^{2} (3x + 2y) dx dy$ 

## **DOUBLE INTEGRAL OVER GENERAL REGIONS**

Let D be a bounded region and  $D \subset R$ , f is a function defined on D. Define a new function



## Definition :

1. The double integral of f over D is

$$\iint_{D} f(x, y) dA = \iint_{R} F(x, y) dA$$

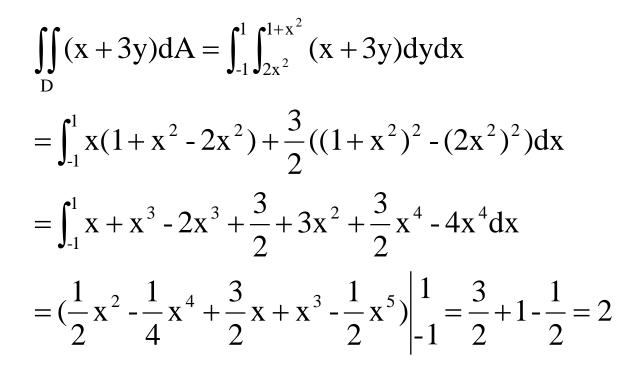
2. A plane region D is said to be of type I if  $D = \{(x, y) \mid a \le x \le b, g_1(x) \le y \le g_2(x)\},\$ where  $g_1, g_2$  are two continuous function. 3. A plane region D is said to be of type II if  $D = \{ (x, y) | h_1(y) \le x \le h_2(y), c \le y \le d \},\$ where  $h_1, h_2$  are two continuous function.

## Example:

1.  $D_1 = \{(x, y) | 0 \le x \le \pi, sinx \le y \le 1\}$ , Type I 2.  $D_2 = \{(x, y) | -1 \le y \le 1, 2y^2 \le x \le 1 + y^2\}$ , Type II Properties :

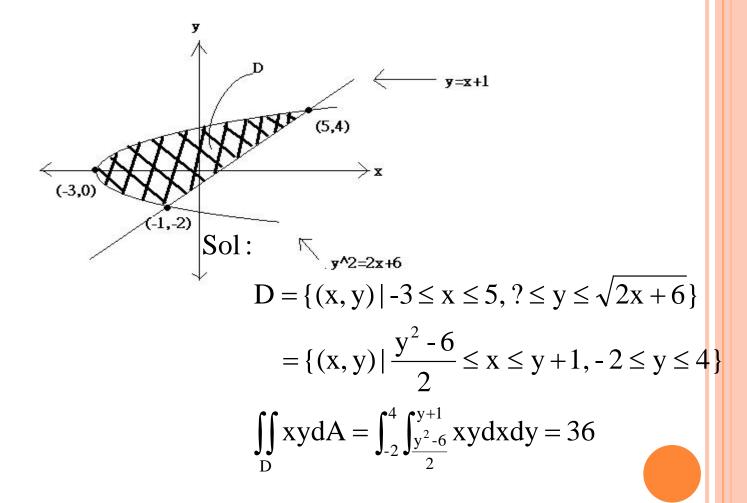
1. If f is continuous on a type I region D such that  $D = \{(x, y) \mid a \le x \le b, g_1(x) \le y \le g_2(x)\},\$ then  $\iint f(x, y) dA = \int_a^b \int_{g_1(y)}^{g_2(x)} f(x, y) dy dx$ 2. If f is continuous on a type II region D then  $\iint f(x, y) dA = \int_{c}^{d} \int_{h_{1}(x)}^{h_{2}(y)} f(x, y) dx dy$ where  $D = \{(x, y) | h_1(y) \le x \le h_2(y), c \le y \le d\}$ 

# Example: 1. Evaluate $\iint_{D} (x + 3y) dA$ Where $D = \{(x, y) | -1 \le x \le 1, 2x^2 \le y \le 1 + x^2\}$ Ans:

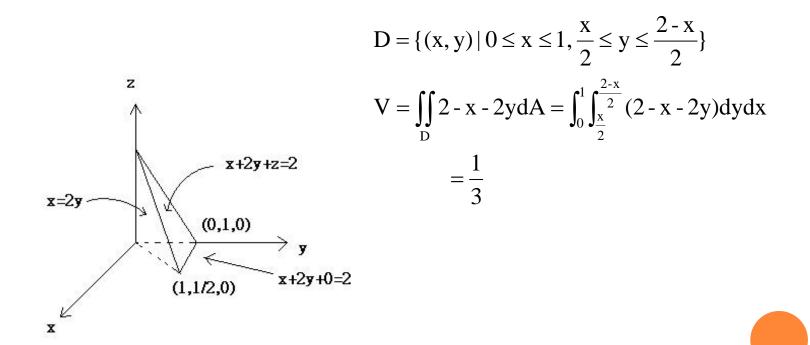


2. Evaluate  $\iint_{D} xydA$  where D is the region bounded by

the line y = x - 1 and the parabola  $y^2 = 2x + 6$ 



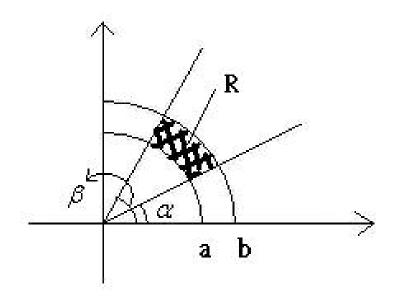
# 3. Find the volume of the tetrahedron bounded by the planes x = 2y, x = 0, z = 0 and x + 2y + z = 2Sol:



4. Evaluate 
$$\int_0^1 \int_x^1 \sin(y^2) dy dx; \quad \frac{1}{2}(1 - \cos 1)$$
  
5. Evaluate 
$$\int_0^1 \int_x^1 \cos(y^2) dy dx$$
  
Sol:  
$$D = \{(x, y) \mid 0 \le x \le 1, x \le y \le 1\}$$

 $= \{ (x, y) \mid 0 \le y \le 1, 0 \le x \le y \}$ 

# **DOUBLE INTEGRALS IN POLAR COORDINATES** Consider $R = \{(r, \theta) | a \le r \le b, \alpha \le \theta \le \beta\}$



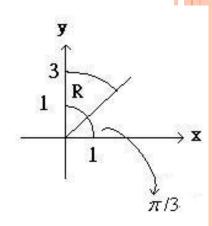
Polar rectangle

Example :

1. R = {(r, 
$$\theta$$
) | 0 ≤ r ≤ 1, 0 ≤  $\theta$  ≤ 2 $\pi$ }  
2. R = {(r,  $\theta$ ) | 1 ≤ r ≤ 3, 0 ≤  $\theta$  ≤  $\pi$ }  
3. R = {(r,  $\theta$ ) | 1 ≤ r ≤ 3,  $\frac{\pi}{3} \le \theta \le \frac{\pi}{2}$ }

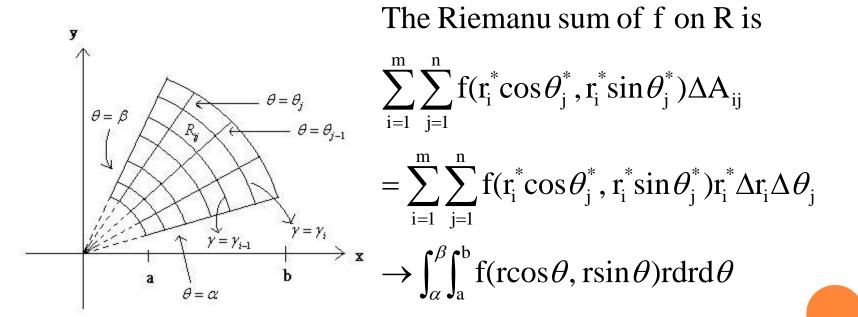
The area of R is A(R) = 
$$(\pi \cdot 3^2 - \pi \cdot 1^2) \frac{\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi}{3}}{2\pi}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}(3^2 - 1^2) \cdot (\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi}{3})$$
$$= \frac{2}{3}\pi$$



4. 
$$R_{ij} = \{(r, \theta) | r_{i-1} \le r \le r_i, \theta_{j-1} \le \theta \le \theta_j\}$$
  
The area of  $R_{ij} - \Delta A_{ij}$  is  
 $\Delta A_{ij} = \frac{1}{2}r_i^2 \Delta \theta_j - \frac{1}{2}r_{i-1}^2 \Delta \theta_j = \frac{1}{2}(r_i + r_{i-1})(r_i - r_{i-1})\Delta \theta_j$   
 $= r_i^* \Delta r_i \Delta \theta_j$ 

Where  $\Delta \mathbf{r}_i = \mathbf{r}_i - \mathbf{r}_{i-1}$ ,  $\Delta \theta_j = \theta_j - \theta_{j-1}$ ,  $i = 1, \dots, m; j = 1, \dots, n$ 



#### Properties

1. Let  $R = \{(r, \theta) \mid a \le r \le b, \alpha \le \theta \le \beta\}$  be a polar rectangle and  $0 \le \beta - \alpha \le 2\pi$  If f is continuous on R, then  $\iint f(x, y) dA = \int_{\alpha}^{\beta} \int_{a}^{b} f(r\cos\theta, r\sin\theta) r dr d\theta$ 2. Let D = {(r, $\theta$ ) |  $\alpha \le \theta \le \beta$ , h<sub>1</sub>( $\theta$ )  $\le$  r  $\le$  h<sub>2</sub>( $\theta$ )} be a polor region. If f is continuous on D then  $\iint f(x, y) dA = \int_{\alpha}^{\beta} \int_{h_1(\theta)}^{h_2(\theta)} f(r\cos\theta, r\sin\theta) r dr d\theta$ 

#### NPTEL LINKS FOR REFERENCE

Double integral	http://nptel.ac.in/courses/1221010
over rectangular	<u>03/40</u>
domain.	

## CHANGE OF ORDER OF INTEGRATION

In a double integral, if the limits of the Integration are constant, then the order of integration is immaterial, provided the limits of integration are changed accordingly. Thus

$$\int_{c}^{d} \int_{a}^{b} f(x, y) dx \, dy = \int_{a}^{b} \int_{c}^{d} f(x, y) dy \, dx$$

But if the limits of integration are variable, a change in the order of integration necessitates change in the limits of integration. A rough sketch of the region of integration help in fixing the new limit of integration.

## • change of order of integration

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o <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BRFUvco07uU</u>

## TRIPLE INTEGRALS

The Triple integral of the function f(x,y,z) over the region V is defined as  $\iiint_V f(x,y,z)dV$ 

For purpose of evaluation, it can be expressed as the repeated integral

 $\int_{z_1}^{z_2} \int_{y_1}^{y_2} \int_{x_1}^{x_2} f(x, y, z) dx \, dy \, dz \quad The order of integration depending upon the limits$ 

Let  $x_1, x_2$  be function of y,z;  $y_1, y_2$  be function of z and  $z_1, z_2$  be constant, i.e,

Let  $x_1=f_1(y,z)$ ,  $x_2=f_2(y,z)$ ,  $y_1=\emptyset_1(z)$ ,  $y_2=\emptyset_2(z)$  and  $z_1=a$ ,  $z_2=b$ 

Then the Triple integral is evaluated as:-

$$\int_{z_1=a}^{z_2=b} \int_{y_1=\phi_1(z)}^{y_2=\phi_2(z)} \int_{x_1=f_1(y,z)}^{x_2=f_2(y,z)} f(x,y,z) \, dx \, dy \, dz$$

#### NPTEL LINK FOR REFERENCE

- Triple integral
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## **CHANGE OF VARIABLES**

Quite often, the evaluation of a double or triple integral is greatly simplified by a suit able change of variables:-

Let the variable x,y in the double integral  $\iint_R f(x,y)dx dy$  be changed to u,v by means of relations  $x=x = \emptyset(u,v) = \varphi(u,v)$ , then the double integral is transformed into  $\iint_R f\{\emptyset(u,v),\varphi(u,v)\}|J|du dv$ , where  $J = \frac{\partial(x,y)}{\partial(u,v)} = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial x}{\partial u} & \frac{\partial x}{\partial v} \\ \frac{\partial y}{\partial u} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial v} \end{vmatrix}$ 

Is the Jacobian of transformation from (x,y) to (u,v) co-ordinates and R' is the region in the uv-plane which corresponds to the region R in the xy-plane

(i) To change cartesian co-ordinates (x,y) to polar co-ordinates(r,  $\theta$ ) Here we have x=r cos $\theta$ , y=r sin  $\theta$  so that  $x^2+y^2=r^2$  $J = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial x}{\partial r} & \frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta} \\ \frac{\partial y}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial y} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} \cos\theta & -r\sin\theta \\ \sin\theta & r\cos\theta \end{vmatrix} = r(\cos^2\theta + \sin^2\theta) = r$ 

$$\iint_{R} f(x,y)dx \, dy = \iint_{R} f(r \cos\theta, r\sin\theta)r \, dr \, d\theta$$

*i.e*; replace x by  $r \cos\theta$ , y by  $r \sin\theta$  and dx dy r dr d $\theta$ 

(ii) To change the Cartesian co-ordinates(x,y,z) to spherical polar co-ordinates (r,  $\theta$ ,  $\phi$ )

Here we have x=r sin  $\theta$  cos $\emptyset$  $y = r \sin \theta \cos \phi$  $z=r \cos \theta$ so that  $x^2+y^2=r^2$  $\mathbf{J} = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial x}{\partial r} & \frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta} & \frac{\partial x}{\partial \phi} \\ \frac{\partial y}{\partial r} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial \theta} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial \phi} \\ \frac{\partial z}{\partial r} & \frac{\partial z}{\partial \theta} & \frac{\partial z}{\partial \phi} \end{vmatrix}$  $= \begin{vmatrix} \sin\theta\cos\phi & r\cos\theta\cos\phi & -r\sin\theta\sin\phi \\ \sin\theta\sin\phi & r\cos\theta\sin\phi & r\cos\phi\sin\theta \\ \cos\theta & -r\sin\theta & 0 \end{vmatrix} = r^2 \sin\theta$  $\iiint_{U} f(x, y, z) dx dy dz = \iiint_{U} f(rsin\theta \cos\phi, rsin\theta \sin\phi, rcos\theta) r^2 \sin\theta dr d\theta d\phi$ 

Note. Equation of the sphere  $x^2+y^2+z^2=a^2$  in spherical polar co-ordinates is r=a

(i) If the region of integration is the whole sphere, then  $0 \le r \le a, \quad 0 \le \theta \le \pi, \quad 0 \le \emptyset \le 2\pi$ , then (ii) If the region of the integration is the positive octant  $0 \le r \le a, \quad 0 \le \theta \le \frac{\pi}{2}, \quad 0 \le \emptyset \le \frac{\pi}{2}$  (iii)To change Cartesian co-ordinates (x,y,z) to cylindrical co-ordinates (r,  $\emptyset$ , z)

Here we have x=r cosØ  $y = r \sin \emptyset$ Z = Z $\mathbf{J} = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial x}{\partial r} & \frac{\partial x}{\partial \phi} & \frac{\partial x}{\partial z} \\ \frac{\partial y}{\partial r} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial \phi} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial z} \\ \frac{\partial z}{\partial r} & \frac{\partial z}{\partial \phi} & \frac{\partial z}{\partial z} \end{vmatrix}$  $= \begin{vmatrix} \cos \phi & -r\sin \phi & 0\\ \sin \phi & r\cos \phi & 0\\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$  $= r^2(\cos^2 \phi + \sin^2 \phi) = r$  $\iiint_{V} f(r\cos\phi, r\sin\phi, z)r \, dr \, d\phi \, dz$ *Note – for the cylinder*  $x^2+y^2+z^2=a^2$ , z=0,z=h, the limits of the integration are  $0 \le r \le a$ ,  $0 \le \theta \le 2\pi$ ,  $0 \le \phi \le h$ If the region of integration is a cylinder (or cone), change the problem to cylindrical polar co-

ordinates.

#### NPTEL LINKS FOR REFERENCE

• Change of variable in double & triple integral.

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## AREA BY THE DOUBLE INTEGRATION

(a) Cartesian co-ordinates:- The area A of the region bounded by the curves  $y=f_1(x)$ ,  $y=f_2(x)$  and the lines x=a,x=b is given by  $A = \int_a^b \int_{f_1(x)}^{f_2(x)} dy \, dx$ The area A of the region bounded by the curves  $x=f_1(y)$ ,  $x=f_2(y)$  and the lines y=c, y=d is given by

$$A = \int_c^d \int_{f_1(y)}^{f_2(y)} dx \, dy$$

(a) Polar co-ordinates :- The area A of the region bounded by the curves  $f_1(\theta)$ ,  $r=f_2(\theta)$  and the lines  $\theta = \alpha$ ,  $\theta = \beta$  is given by  $A = \int_{\alpha}^{\beta} \int_{f_1(\theta)}^{f_2(\theta)} r \, dr \, d\theta$ 

#### Volume as a double integral

$$V = \lim_{\substack{\delta x \to o \\ \delta y \to 0}} \sum z \delta x \delta y = \iint_R z \, dx \, dy$$

## VOLUME AS TRIPLE INTEGRAL

The Volume V of a three dimensional region is given by  $\iiint_V dx dy dz$ If the region is bounded by  $x_1=f_1(y,z)$ ,  $x_2=f_2(y,z)$ ,  $y_1=\emptyset_1(z)$ ,  $y_2=\emptyset_2(z)$  and z=a, z=b, then

$$V = \int_{a}^{b} \int_{\phi_{1}(z)}^{\phi_{2}(z)} \int_{f_{1}(y,z)}^{f_{2}(y,z)} dxdy \, dz$$

The order of integration may be changed with a suitable change in the limits of integration.

In cylindrical co-ordinates, we have  $V = \iiint_V r \, dr \, d\phi \, dz$ 

In spherical polar co-ordinates, we have  $V = \iiint_V r^2 \sin\theta \, dr \, d\phi \, d\theta$ 

#### NPTEL LINKS FOR REFERENCE

## Area and Volume by double integration

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## VOLUME OF SOLIDS OF REVOLUTION

If the area R revolves about x-axis, then

$$V = 2\pi \iint_R y \, dy \, dx \tag{i}$$

If the area R revolves about y-axis, then

$$V = 2\pi \iint_{R} x dx \, dy \tag{ii}$$

changing to polar co - ordinates by putting

x=r  $\cos\theta$ , y=r  $\sin\theta$  and dy dx=r dr d $\theta$ Formula (i) becomes is a function of n, is called the Gamma Function and is denoted by

$$\Gamma n = \int_0^\infty e^{-x} x^{n-1} dx , n > 0$$
  
In Particular,  $\Gamma 1 = \int_0^\infty e^{-x} dx = |e^{-x}|_0^\infty = 1$ 

Properties of Gamma function

(i) 
$$\Gamma n + 1 = n\Gamma n$$
  
(ii)  $\Gamma n + 1 = n!$  when n is a positive integer  
(iii)  $\Gamma \frac{1}{2} = \sqrt{\pi}$ 

$$B(m,n) = \int_{0}^{1} x^{m-1} (1-x)^{n-1} dx, m > 0, n > 0$$

Properties of Beta Function

(i) 
$$B(m,n)=B(n,m)$$
  
(ii)  $B(m,n) = \frac{\Gamma(m)(n)}{\Gamma(m+n)}$   
(iii)  $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^p x \cos^q x \, dx = \frac{\Gamma(\frac{p+1}{2})\Gamma(\frac{q+1}{2})}{2\Gamma(\frac{p+q+2}{2})}$ 

case 1 If p = q = 0, then

(iv) 
$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} dx = \frac{\Gamma(\frac{1}{2})\Gamma(\frac{1}{2})}{2\Gamma(1)}$$

So 
$$\Gamma\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \sqrt{\pi}$$

Case 2 If p = n and q = 0, then

(v) 
$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^n x \, dx = \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{n+1}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{n+2}{2}\right)} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{2}$$

Case 3 If p = 0 and q = n, then

(vi) 
$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^n x \, dx = \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{n+1}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{n+2}{2}\right)} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{2}$$

# **Relationship between Beta Gamma Function**

we write the product of two factorials as the product of two integrals. To facilitate a change in variables, we take the integrals over a finite range.

$$m!n! = \lim_{a^2 \to \infty} \int_0^{a^2} e^{-u} u^m du \int_0^{a^2} e^{-v} v^n dv, \qquad \frac{\Re(m) > -1}{\Re(n) > -1}.$$

Replacing u with  $x^2$  and v with  $y^2$ , we obtain

$$m!n! = \lim_{a \to \infty} 4 \int_0^a e^{-x^2} x^{2m+1} dx \int_0^a e^{-y^2} y^{2n+1} dy.$$

Transforming to polar coordinates gives us

$$m!n! = \lim_{a \to \infty} 4 \int_0^a e^{-r^2} r^{2m+2n+3} dr \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^{2m+1} \theta \sin^{2n+1} \theta d\theta$$
$$= (m+n+1)! 2 \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^{2m+1} \theta \sin^{2n+1} \theta d\theta.$$

The definite integral, together with the factor 2, has been named the beta function

$$B(m+1, n+1) \equiv 2\int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^{2m+1}\theta \sin^{2n+1}\theta d\theta$$
$$= \frac{m!n!}{(m+n+1)!} = B(n+1, m+1).$$

Equivalently, in terms of the gamma function

$$B(p,q) = \frac{\Gamma(p)\Gamma(q)}{\Gamma(p+q)}.$$