

Tutorial Notes 3

1. Evaluate

$$\int_0^2 \int_0^{4-x^2} \int_0^x \frac{\sin 2z}{4-z} dy dz dx.$$

Solutions:

By Fubini's theorem,

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^2 \int_0^{4-x^2} \int_0^x \frac{\sin 2z}{4-z} dy dz dx \\ &= \int_0^2 \int_0^{4-x^2} x \frac{\sin 2z}{4-z} dz dx \\ &= \int_0^4 \int_0^{\sqrt{4-z}} x \frac{\sin 2z}{4-z} dx dz \\ &= \int_0^4 \frac{\sin 2z}{2} dz \\ &= \frac{1 - \cos 8}{4}. \end{aligned}$$

2. Find the centroid of the region Ω : $0 \leq y \leq e^x$, $x \leq 0$.

Solutions:

$$\begin{aligned} M &= \int_{\Omega} dx dy = \int_{-\infty}^0 \int_0^{e^x} dy dx = \int_{-\infty}^0 e^x dx = 1; \\ M_x &= \int_{\Omega} x dx dy = \int_{-\infty}^0 \int_0^{e^x} x dy dx = \int_{-\infty}^0 x e^x dx \\ &= x e^x \Big|_{-\infty}^0 - \int_{-\infty}^0 e^x dx = -1; \\ M_y &= \int_{\Omega} y dx dy = \int_{-\infty}^0 \int_0^{e^x} y dy dx = \int_{-\infty}^0 \frac{e^{2x}}{2} dx = \frac{1}{4}. \end{aligned}$$

Hence $\bar{x} = -1$ and $\bar{y} = 1/4$.

3. Find the centroid of the region Ω : $z \geq 0$, $x^2 + 4y^2 \leq 4$, $z \leq 2 - x$.

Solutions:

Firstly,

$$M = \int_{\Omega} dx dy dz = \int_{x^2+4y^2 \leq 4} \int_0^{2-x} dz dx dy = \int_{x^2+4y^2 \leq 4} (2-x) dx dy.$$

By symmetry,

$$\int_{x^2+4y^2 \leq 4} x \, dx \, dy = 0.$$

Moreover,

$$\int_{x^2+4y^2 \leq 4} dx \, dy = \int_{x'^2+y'^2 \leq 1} 2 \, dx' \, dy' = 2\pi. \quad (1)$$

Hence $M = 4\pi$.

$$\begin{aligned} M_x &= \int_{\Omega} x \, dx \, dy \, dz = \int_{x^2+4y^2 \leq 4} \int_0^{2-x} x \, dz \, dx \, dy \\ &= \int_{x^2+4y^2 \leq 4} x(2-x) \, dx \, dy = - \int_{x^2+4y^2 \leq 4} x^2 \, dx \, dy. \end{aligned}$$

By symmetry,

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{x^2+4y^2 \leq 4} x^2 \, dx \, dy &= \int_{x'^2+y'^2 \leq 1} 4x'^2 \cdot 2 \, dx' \, dy' = 8 \int_{x^2+y^2 \leq 1} x^2 \, dx \, dy \\ &= 4 \int_{x^2+y^2 \leq 1} (x^2 + y^2) \, dx \, dy = 4 \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} r^2 \cdot r \, dr \, d\theta = 2\pi. \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

Hence $M_x = -2\pi$. By symmetry,

$$M_y = \int_{\Omega} y \, dx \, dy \, dz = \int_{x^2+4y^2 \leq 4} \int_0^{2-x} y \, dz \, dx \, dy = \int_{x^2+4y^2 \leq 4} y(2-x) \, dx \, dy = 0.$$

Finally, by (1) and (2),

$$\begin{aligned} M_z &= \int_{\Omega} z \, dx \, dy \, dz = \int_{x^2+4y^2 \leq 4} \int_0^{2-x} z \, dz \, dx \, dy = \int_{x^2+4y^2 \leq 4} \frac{(2-x)^2}{2} \\ &= \int_{x^2+4y^2 \leq 4} \frac{4-4x+x^2}{2} \, dx \, dy = 4\pi + \pi = 5\pi. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, $\bar{x} = -1/2$, $\bar{y} = 0$, $\bar{z} = 5/4$.

4. Evaluate

$$\int_{\pi/6}^{\pi/3} \int_{\csc \phi}^{2 \csc \phi} \int_0^{2\pi} \rho^2 \sin \phi \, d\theta \, d\rho \, d\phi.$$

Solutions:

$$\begin{aligned} &\int_{\pi/6}^{\pi/3} \int_{\csc \phi}^{2 \csc \phi} \int_0^{2\pi} \rho^2 \sin \phi \, d\theta \, d\rho \, d\phi \\ &= 2\pi \int_{\pi/6}^{\pi/3} \int_{\csc \phi}^{2 \csc \phi} \rho^2 \sin \phi \, d\rho \, d\phi \\ &= 2\pi \int_{\pi/6}^{\pi/3} \frac{7 \csc^3 \phi}{3} \sin \phi \, d\phi \\ &= \frac{14\pi}{3} \int_{\pi/6}^{\pi/3} \frac{1}{\sin^2 \phi} \, d\phi \\ &= \frac{14\pi}{3} (-\cot \phi) \Big|_{\pi/6}^{\pi/3} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{28\sqrt{3}}{9}.$$

5. Let D be the smaller cap cut from a solid ball of radius 2 units by a plane 1 unit from the center of the ball. Express the volume of D in Cartesian, cylindrical, spherical coordinates and evaluate the volume.

Solutions:

(a) Cartesian coordinates:

D is $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 \leq 4, 1 \leq z \leq 2$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} |D| &= \int_1^2 \int_{-\sqrt{4-z^2}}^{\sqrt{4-z^2}} \int_{-\sqrt{4-y^2-z^2}}^{\sqrt{4-y^2-z^2}} dx dy dz \\ &= \int_1^2 \int_{x^2+y^2 \leq 4-z^2} dx dy dz \\ &= \int_1^2 \pi(4-z^2) dz \\ &= \frac{5\pi}{3}. \end{aligned}$$

(b) Cylindrical coordinates:

D is $r^2 + z^2 \leq 4, 1 \leq z \leq 2, 0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} |D| &= \int_1^2 \int_0^{\sqrt{4-z^2}} \int_0^{2\pi} r d\theta dr dz \\ &= 2\pi \int_1^2 \int_0^{\sqrt{4-z^2}} r dr dz \\ &= \pi \int_1^2 (4-z^2) dz \\ &= \frac{5\pi}{3}. \end{aligned}$$

(c) Spherical coordinates:

D is $0 \leq r \leq 2, 1 \leq r \cos \phi \leq 2$. Hence $0 \leq \phi \leq \pi/3$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} |D| &= \int_0^{\pi/3} \int_{\sec \phi}^2 \int_0^{2\pi} r^2 \sin \phi d\theta dr d\phi \\ &= 2\pi \int_0^{\pi/3} \int_{\sec \phi}^2 r^2 \sin \phi dr d\phi \\ &= 2\pi \int_0^{\pi/3} \frac{8 - \sec^3 \phi}{3} \sin \phi d\phi \\ &= 2\pi \left(\int_0^{\pi/3} \frac{8}{3} \sin \phi d\phi - \int_0^{\pi/3} \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{\sin \phi}{\cos^3 \phi} d\phi \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= 2\pi \left(\frac{4}{3} - \frac{1}{3} \int_0^{\pi/3} \frac{d(-\cos \phi)}{\cos^3 \phi} \right) \\ &= 2\pi \left(\frac{4}{3} - \frac{1}{3} \int_{1/2}^1 \frac{1}{u^3} du \right) \\ &= \frac{5\pi}{3}. \end{aligned}$$