

Vector Analysis MA2014-* Midterm Exam 2

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Problem 1. (20%) Evaluate the integral $\int_0^1 \left[\int_0^{1-x} \left(\int_y^1 \frac{\sin(\pi z)}{z(2-z)} dz \right) dy \right] dx$. (Hint: Change of order of integration to $dx dy dz$)

Solution: Let R denote the region of integration:

$$R = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid 0 \leq x \leq 1, 0 \leq y \leq 1 - x, y \leq z \leq 1\}.$$

Then R can also be expressed as

$$R = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid 0 \leq z \leq 1, 0 \leq y \leq z, 0 \leq x \leq 1 - y\}.$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} \int_y^1 \frac{\sin(\pi z)}{z(2-z)} dz dy dx &= \int_0^1 \int_0^z \int_0^{1-y} \frac{\sin(\pi z)}{z(2-z)} dx dy dz = \int_0^1 \int_0^z \frac{(1-y) \sin(\pi z)}{z(2-z)} dy dz \\ &= \int_0^1 \frac{(z - \frac{z^2}{2}) \sin(\pi z)}{z(2-z)} dz = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \sin(\pi z) dz = -\frac{1}{2\pi} \cos(\pi z) \Big|_{z=0}^{z=1} = \frac{1}{\pi}. \end{aligned}$$

Problem 2. (15%) Evaluate the integral $\int_R e^{x+y} d(x, y)$, where R is the region $\{(x, y) \mid |x| + |y| \leq a\}$.

Solution 1: Since the region R is the disjoint union of the two regions R_1 and R_2 given by

$$R_1 = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid 0 \leq x \leq a, x - a \leq y \leq a - x\},$$

$$R_2 = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid -a \leq x \leq 0, -x - a \leq y \leq x + a\},$$

the desired integral can be computed by

$$\begin{aligned} \int_R e^{x+y} d(x, y) &= \int_{R_1} e^{x+y} d(x, y) + \int_{R_2} e^{x+y} d(x, y) = \int_0^a \int_{x-a}^{a-x} e^{x+y} dy dx + \int_{-a}^0 \int_{-x-a}^{x+a} e^{x+y} dy dx \\ &= \int_0^a e^{x+y} \Big|_{y=x-a}^{y=a-x} dx + \int_{-a}^0 e^{x+y} \Big|_{y=-x-a}^{y=x+a} dx = \int_0^a (e^a - e^{2x-a}) dx + \int_{-a}^0 (e^{2x+a} - e^{-a}) dx \\ &= \left(xe^a - \frac{1}{2} e^{2x-a} \right) \Big|_{x=0}^{x=a} + \left(\frac{1}{2} e^{2x+a} - xe^{-a} \right) \Big|_{x=-a}^{x=0} \\ &= ae^a - \frac{1}{2} e^a + \frac{1}{2} e^{-a} + \frac{1}{2} e^a - \frac{1}{2} e^{-a} - ae^{-a} = a(e^a - e^{-a}). \end{aligned}$$

Solution 2: Let $u = x + y$ and $v = x - y$. Then $R = \{(u, v) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid |u| \leq a, |v| \leq a\}$. Since $\frac{\partial(x, y)}{\partial(u, v)} = \frac{\partial(u, v)^{-1}}{\partial(x, y)} = -\frac{1}{2}$, we find that

$$\int_R e^{x+y} d(x, y) = \int_{-a}^a \int_{-a}^a e^u \frac{1}{2} d(u, v) = a(e^a - e^{-a}).$$

Problem 3. Let T be the triangle with vertices $(0, 0)$, $(1, 0)$ and $(0, 1)$. Evaluate the integral

$$\int_T e^{(y-x)/(y+x)} d(x, y)$$

1. (15%) by transforming to polar coordinates, and
2. (10%) by using the transformation $u = y - x$ and $v = y + x$.

Solution:

1. Let $x = r \cos \theta$ and $y = r \sin \theta$. Since the line $x + y = 1$ in polar coordinate is $r = \frac{1}{\sin \theta + \cos \theta}$, we find that

$$T = \left\{ (r, \theta) \mid 0 \leq r \leq \frac{1}{\sin \theta + \cos \theta}, 0 \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{2} \right\}.$$

Therefore,

$$\int_T e^{(y-x)/(y+x)} d(x, y) = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \int_0^{\frac{1}{\sin \theta + \cos \theta}} e^{\frac{\sin \theta - \cos \theta}{\cos \theta + \sin \theta}} r dr d\theta = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} e^{\frac{\sin \theta - \cos \theta}{\cos \theta + \sin \theta}} \frac{1}{(\cos \theta + \sin \theta)^2} d\theta.$$

Letting $u = \frac{\sin \theta - \cos \theta}{\cos \theta + \sin \theta}$, we find that

$$du = \frac{(\cos \theta + \sin \theta)^2 + (\cos \theta - \sin \theta)^2}{(\cos \theta + \sin \theta)^2} d\theta = \frac{2}{(\cos \theta + \sin \theta)^2} d\theta;$$

thus

$$\int_T e^{(y-x)/(y+x)} d(x, y) = \frac{1}{2} \int_{-1}^1 e^u \frac{1}{2} du = \frac{1}{4} (e - e^{-1}).$$

2. Let $u = y - x$ and $v = y + x$. Then $\frac{\partial(x, y)}{\partial(u, v)} = \frac{\partial(u, v)^{-1}}{\partial(x, y)} = -\frac{1}{2}$ and

$$T = \{(u, v) \mid 0 \leq v \leq 1, -v \leq u \leq v\}.$$

Therefore,

$$\int_T e^{(y-x)/(y+x)} d(x, y) = \int_0^1 \int_{-v}^v e^{\frac{u}{v}} \frac{1}{2} du dv = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 v e^{\frac{u}{v}} \Big|_{u=-v}^{u=v} dv = \frac{1}{4} (e - e^{-1}).$$

Problem 4. (20%) Find $\int_R x d(x, y, z)$ and $\int_R z d(x, y, z)$, where R is the region given by

$$R = \left\{ (x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid x \geq 0, y \geq 0, 0 \leq z \leq h \times \left(1 - \frac{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}{a} \right) \right\}.$$

Solution: Consider the change of variable: $x = r \cos \theta$, $y = r \sin \theta$ and $z = hz'$. Then

$$R = \left\{ (r, \theta, z') \mid 0 \leq r \leq a, 0 \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{2} \text{ and } 0 \leq z' \leq 1 - \frac{r}{a} \right\}.$$

Moreover, $\frac{\partial(x, y, z)}{\partial(r, \theta, z')} = \begin{vmatrix} \cos \theta & -r \sin \theta & 0 \\ \sin \theta & r \cos \theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & h \end{vmatrix} = hr$. Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} \int_R x d(x, y, z) &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \int_0^a \int_0^{1-\frac{r}{a}} r \cos \theta h r dz' dr d\theta = h \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \int_0^a \int_0^{1-\frac{r}{a}} r^2 \cos \theta dz' dr d\theta \\ &= h \int_0^a \left(r^2 - \frac{r^3}{a} \right) dr = h \left(\frac{r^3}{3} - \frac{r^4}{4a} \right) \Big|_{r=0}^{r=a} = \frac{ha^3}{12} \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \int_R z d(x, y, z) &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \int_0^a \int_0^{1-\frac{r}{a}} h z' h r dz' dr d\theta = \frac{h^2 \pi}{2} \int_0^a \int_0^{1-\frac{r}{a}} z' r dz' dr \\ &= \frac{h^2 \pi}{4} \int_0^a \left(1 - \frac{r}{a} \right)^2 r dr = \frac{h^2 \pi}{4} \left(\frac{r^2}{2} - \frac{2r^3}{3a} + \frac{r^4}{4a^2} \right) \Big|_{r=0}^{r=a} = \frac{h^2 a^2 \pi}{48}. \end{aligned}$$

Problem 5. (15%) Find the volume of the region under the surface $z = x^2 \sin(y^4)$ and above the triangle in the xy -plane with vertices $(0, 0)$, $(0, \pi^{1/4})$ and $(\pi^{1/4}, \pi^{1/4})$.

Solution: Let T denote the triangle with vertices $(0, 0)$, $(0, \pi^{1/4})$ and $(\pi^{1/4}, \pi^{1/4})$. Then the volume under consideration is $\int_T x^2 \sin(y^4) d(x, y)$.

Solution 1: Since $T = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid 0 \leq y \leq \pi^{1/4}, 0 \leq x \leq y\}$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int_T x^2 \sin(y^4) d(x, y) &= \int_0^{\pi^{1/4}} \int_0^y x^2 \sin(y^4) dx dy = \frac{1}{3} \int_0^{\pi^{1/4}} y^3 \sin(y^4) dy = -\frac{1}{12} \cos(y^4) \Big|_{y=0}^{y=\pi^{1/4}} \\ &= -\frac{1}{12} (\cos \pi - \cos 0) = \frac{1}{6}. \end{aligned}$$

Solution 2: Making change of variable $u = x^2$ and $v = y^4$, since

$$\frac{\partial(x, y)}{\partial(u, v)} = \frac{\partial(u, v)^{-1}}{\partial(x, y)} = \begin{vmatrix} 2x & 0 \\ 0 & 4y^3 \end{vmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{8xy^3} \Big|_{(x, y) = (\sqrt{u}, \sqrt[4]{v})} = \frac{1}{8\sqrt{u}v^{3/4}}$$

and $T = \{(u, v) \mid 0 \leq v \leq \pi, 0 \leq u \leq \sqrt{v}\}$, we find that

$$\int_T x^2 \sin(y^4) d(x, y) = \frac{1}{8} \int_0^\pi \int_0^{\sqrt{v}} u^{1/2} v^{-3/4} \sin v du dv = \frac{1}{12} \int_0^\pi \sin v dv = \frac{1}{6}.$$

Problem 6. (15%) Find the volume of the region lying inside all three of the circular cylinders $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$, $x^2 + z^2 = a^2$ and $y^2 + z^2 = a^2$.

Solution: Let R denote the region

$$R = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid x^2 + y^2 \leq a^2, 0 \leq y \leq x\}.$$

By symmetry, the desired volume can be computed by $16 \int_R \sqrt{a^2 - x^2} d(x, y)$. Using the polar coordinates, we find that

$$\begin{aligned} 16 \int_R \sqrt{a^2 - x^2} d(x, y) &= 16 \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \int_0^a \sqrt{a^2 - r^2 \cos^2 \theta} r dr d\theta = 16 \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \frac{2}{3} \frac{(a^2 - r^2 \cos^2 \theta)^{\frac{3}{2}}}{-2 \cos^2 \theta} \Big|_{r=0}^{r=a} d\theta \\ &= \frac{16}{3} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \frac{a^3(1 - \sin^3 \theta)}{\cos^2 \theta} d\theta = \frac{16a^3}{3} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \left(\sec^2 \theta - \frac{\sin \theta(1 - \cos^2 \theta)}{\cos^2 \theta} \right) d\theta \\ &= \frac{16a^3}{3} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} (\sec^2 \theta - \sec \theta \tan \theta + \sin \theta) d\theta \\ &= \frac{16a^3}{3} (\tan \theta - \sec \theta - \cos \theta) \Big|_{\theta=0}^{\theta=\frac{\pi}{4}} = \frac{16a^3}{3} [1 - \sqrt{2} - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} - (0 - 1 - 1)] \\ &= 8a^3(2 - \sqrt{2}). \end{aligned}$$