

MATH 32B
FIRST MIDTERM EXAMINATION

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Problem 1. Compute the integral $I = \int \int_R \frac{xy^2}{x^2+1} dA$, where $R = [0, 1] \times [-3, 3]$.

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned} I &= \int_{-3}^3 y^2 \left(\int_0^1 \frac{xdx}{x^2+1} \right) dy = \frac{1}{2} \int_{-3}^3 y^2 \int_1^2 \frac{du}{u} dy = \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \ln u \Big|_1^2 \cdot \int_{-3}^3 y^2 dy = \frac{\ln 2}{2} \cdot \frac{y^3}{3} \Big|_{-3}^3 = \\ &= \frac{\ln 2}{2} \cdot \frac{2 \cdot 3^3}{3} = 9 \ln 2. \end{aligned}$$

Above $u = x^2 + 1$.

Problem 2. Find the volume of the solid bounded by the surfaces $y = x^2$, $y = 1$, $z = 0$ and $z = x^2 + y^2$.

SOLUTION: The volume of the solid in questions is represented by the integral of the function $(x^2 + y^2)$ over the region $D = \{(x, y) \mid 0 \leq x \leq 1, x^2 \leq y \leq 1\}$:

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^1 \int_{x^2}^1 (x^2 + y^2) dy dx &= \int_0^1 x^2 \cdot (1 - x^2) + \frac{1}{3}(1 - x^6) dx = \\ \frac{x^3}{3} \Big|_0^1 - \frac{x^5}{5} \Big|_0^1 + \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{21} x^7 \Big|_0^1 &= \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{27} = \frac{17}{27} - \frac{1}{5} = \frac{58}{135} \end{aligned}$$

Problem 3. Compute the integral

$$\int_0^{\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}} \int_x^{\sqrt{1-x^2}} \arctan\left(\frac{y}{x}\right) dy dx$$

SOLUTION: Sketch the region of integration. Observe that it is 1/8th of a circle of radius 1, located between $\theta = \pi/4$ and $\theta = \pi/2$. Convert the integral into polar coordinates:

$$\begin{aligned} I &= \int_{\pi/4}^{\pi/2} \int_0^1 \theta \cdot r dr d\theta = \\ &= \frac{\theta^2}{2} \Big|_{\pi/4}^{\pi/2} \cdot \frac{r^2}{2} \Big|_0^1 = \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \pi^2 (1/4 - 1/16) = \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{3}{16} \pi^2 = \frac{3}{64} \pi^2. \end{aligned}$$

Problem 4. Find the volume of the part of the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 9z$ that lies inside of the paraboloid $z = x^2 + y^2$.

SOLUTION: Put the equation of the sphere into the standard form:

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 2 \cdot \frac{9}{2}z + \frac{81}{4} &= \frac{81}{4} \\ x^2 + y^2 + \left(z - \frac{9}{2}\right)^2 &= \frac{9^2}{2^2} \end{aligned}$$

So, the sphere has radius $\frac{9}{2}$ and is centered at $(0, 0, 9/2)$. The two surfaces intersect at the points where $z + z^2 = 9z$, i.e., $z = 0$ and $z = 8$. When $z = 8$, $r = \sqrt{8} = 2\sqrt{2}$.

For the top part of the sphere we have

$$\begin{aligned} z - \frac{9}{2} &= \sqrt{\left(\frac{9}{2}\right)^2 - x^2 - y^2} \\ z &= \frac{9}{2} + \sqrt{\left(\frac{9}{2}\right)^2 - x^2 - y^2} \end{aligned}$$

Switching to polar coordinates, we get that the volume of the part of the sphere inside of the paraboloid is given by

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{2\sqrt{2}} \left(\frac{9}{2} + \sqrt{\left(\frac{9}{2}\right)^2 - r^2} - r^2 \right) r dr d\theta &= 2\pi \int_0^{2\sqrt{2}} \left(\frac{9}{2} + \sqrt{\left(\frac{9}{2}\right)^2 - r^2} - r^2 \right) r dr \\ &= \pi \int_0^8 \left(\frac{9}{2} + \sqrt{\left(\frac{9}{2}\right)^2 - u} - u \right) du, \end{aligned}$$

where $u = r^2$. Finish the computation of the integral to get the final answer.

Problem 5. A student wants to have a sandwich and a cup of coffee for lunch. He is getting the sandwich at Slow Serve Sandwich Shop, where the average time to get a sandwich equals to $\mu = 1$ hr. After that, the student goes to Confused Coffeemakers, where on average it takes $\mu = 1$ hr to get a cup of coffee. What is the probability that if a student goes for lunch at 11 a.m. he will get it before 1 p.m.? (Your answer should be a number rounded to the nearest 10%).

SOLUTION: Let X be the random variable representing the time it takes to get a sandwich and Y be the random variable representing the time it takes to get a cup of coffee. The distribution functions for these random variables are given by the same expression:

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} 0, & t \leq 0 \\ e^{-t}, & t > 0 \end{cases}$$

One can take μ to be equal to 1, since the average waiting time is given to be 1 hr.

The condition that the student who starts at 11 a.m. finishes before 1 p.m. means that $X + Y \leq 2$. Thus, we are integrating over the triangle on the (x, y) plane whose coordinates are $(0, 0)$, $(2, 0)$ and $(0, 2)$. The probability is expressed by the integral=

$$\begin{aligned} P(X + Y \leq 2) &= \\ &= \int_0^2 \int_0^{2-x} e^{-y} \cdot e^{-x} dy dx = \\ &= - \int_0^2 e^{-x} \cdot (e^{-y})|_0^{2-x} dx = \\ &= - \int_0^2 e^{-x}(e^{x-2} - 1) dx = \\ &= - \int_0^2 (e^{-2} - e^{-x}) dx = \\ &= \int_0^2 (e^{-x} - e^{-2}) dx = \\ &= -e^{-x}|_0^2 - e^{-2} \cdot x|_0^2 = \\ &= 1 - e^{-2} - 2e^{-2} = 1 - \frac{3}{e^2} \end{aligned}$$

Since $e \approx 2.78 \approx 3$, $\frac{3}{e^2} \approx \frac{1}{3}$, and the probability is approximately 0.66, or around 70% (the answer 60% also counts as correct if you have the same exact formula for the probability but use a different approximation for $\frac{3}{e^2}$).