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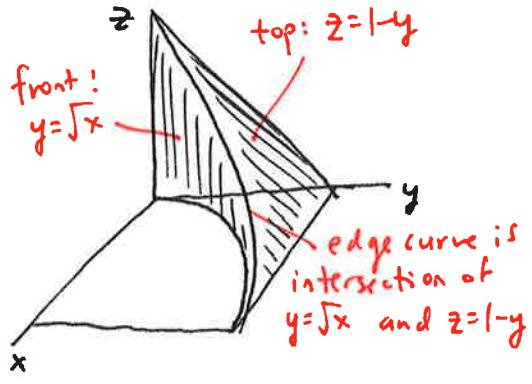
- studies flows on surfaces, billiards

- recent short paper proved existence of vertex-to vertex path on dodecahedron by showing it!

Last time: Setting up and interpreting triple integrals over solid regions

Today: More setting up triple integrals, including breaking a 3D region into two pieces

Recall: Last time, we sketched the region of integration for $\int_0^1 \int_{\sqrt{x}}^{1-y} \int_0^{1-y} f(x, y, z) dz dy dx$.

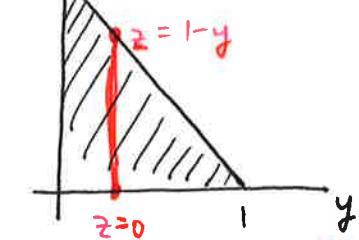


Now, let's rewrite it in the orders ① $dx dz dy$ and ② $dy dx dz$.

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \begin{array}{c} z \\ | \\ 1 \\ | \\ z=1-y \\ | \\ z=0 \end{array}$$

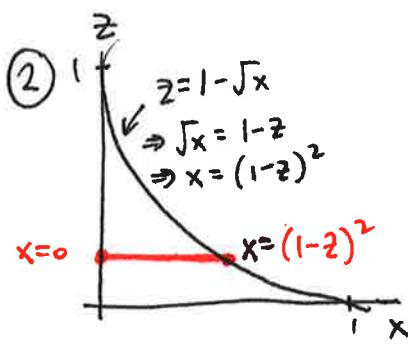
shadow plane
is yz

shadow plane
is xz



$$\int_{y=0}^{y=1} \int_{z=0}^{z=1-y} \int_{x=y^2}^{x=z} f(x, y, z) dx dz dy$$

x goes from back
(yz -plane, $x=0$) to
front: surface $y=\sqrt{x}$
 $\Rightarrow y^2=x$



what is the shadow of the curved edge in the xz -plane? Eliminate y from the equations.

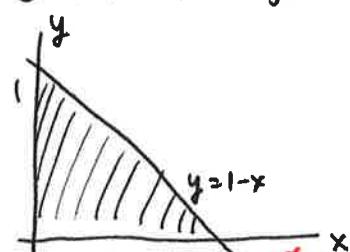
$$y=\sqrt{x} \text{ and } z=1-y \Rightarrow z=1-\sqrt{x}$$

$$\int_{z=0}^{z=1} \int_{x=0}^{x=(1-z)^2} \int_{y=0}^{y=\sqrt{x}} f(x, y, z) dy dx dz$$

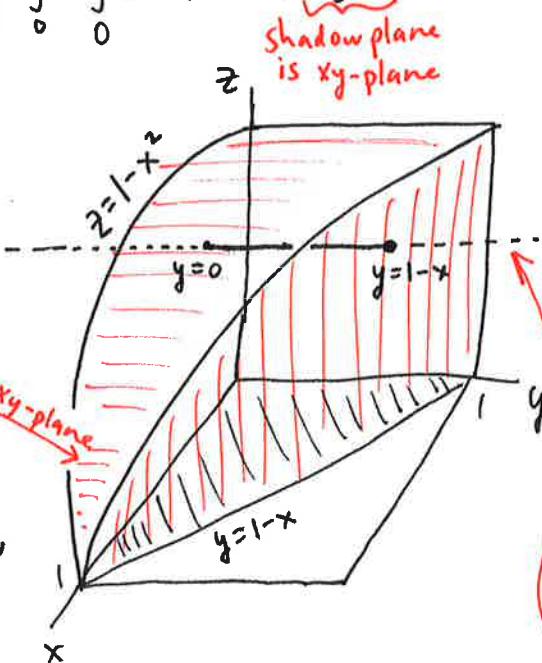
choose a point in the xz -plane. Draw a line in the y -direction. It pops INTO the solid at the surface $y=\sqrt{x}$, and it pops OUT at the surface $z=1-y \Rightarrow y=1-z$.

Example: Rewrite $\int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} \int_0^{1-x^2} f(x, y, z) dz dy dx$ in orders ① $dy dz dx$ and ② $dx dz dy$.

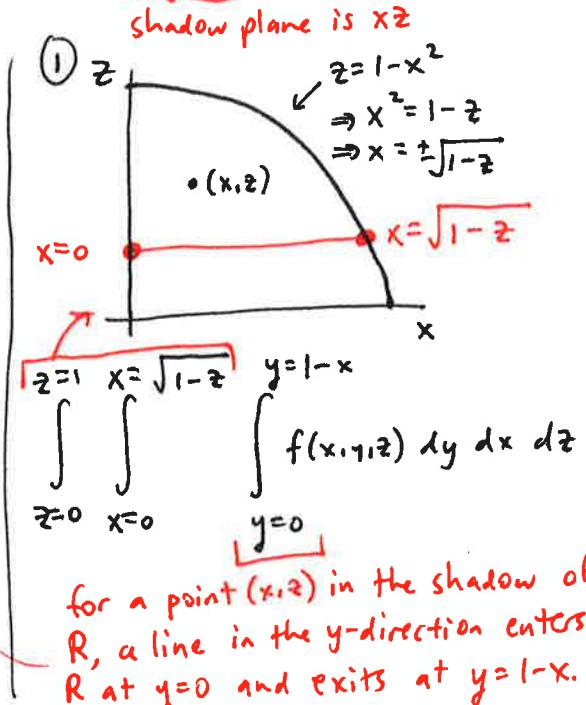
① Sketch the region:



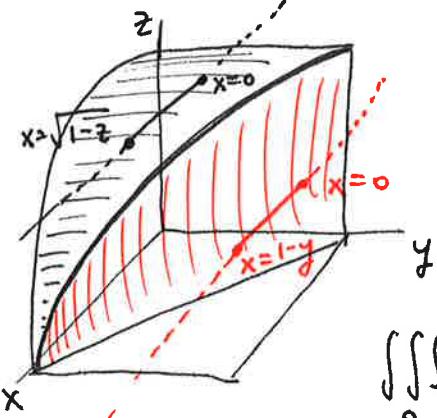
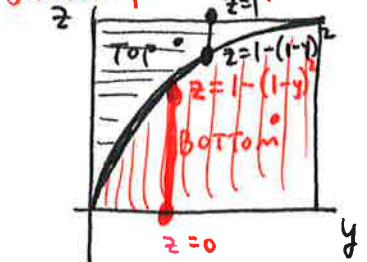
from $y=0$ to $y=1-x$,
between $x=0$ and $x=1$



Then over this region,
 z goes from $z=0$
up to $z=1-x^2$



for a point (x, z) in the shadow of R , a line in the y -direction enters R at $y=0$ and exits at $y=1-x$.

(Continued) ② order $dx dz dy$:shadow plane is yz 

For a point (y, z) in the shadow of R , a line parallel to the x -axis enters R at $x=0$, and exits at $x=1-y$ if in the red region (bottom)

$x=\sqrt{1-z}$ if in the black region (top).

So we need to set up a sum of two integrals.

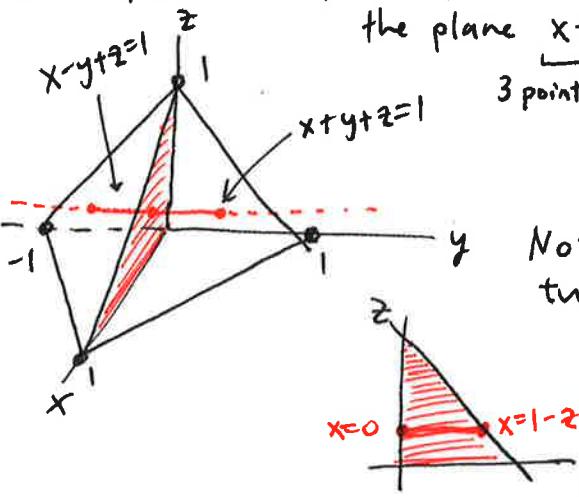
$$\iiint_R f(x, y, z) dV = \int_{y=0}^{y=1} \int_{z=0}^{z=1-(1-y)^2} \int_{x=0}^{x=1-y} f(x, y, z) dx dz dy + \int_{y=0}^{y=1} \int_{z=1-(1-y)^2}^{z=1} \int_{x=0}^{x=\sqrt{1-z}} f(x, y, z) dx dz dy.$$

The intersection of the surfaces $z = 1 - x^2$ and $y = 1 - x$ in the yz -plane: eliminate x .

$$y = 1 - x \Rightarrow x = 1 - y$$

$$z = 1 - x^2 = 1 - (1 - y)^2$$

Example. Set up a triple integral for the region bounded by the xy -plane, the yz -plane, the plane $x+y+z=1$, and the plane $x-y+z=1$.



3 points on plane: $(1, 0, 0)$
 $(0, 1, 0)$
 $(0, 0, 1)$ → now we can plot these planes

3 points on planes: $(1, 0, 0)$
 $(0, -1, 0)$
 $(0, 0, 1)$

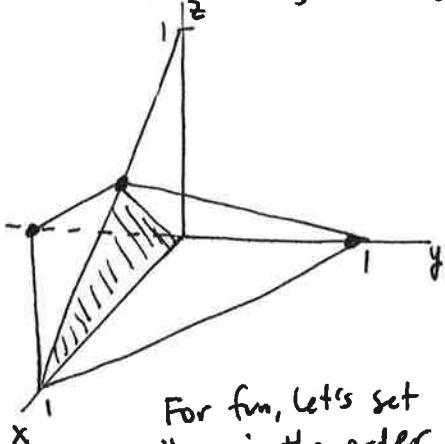
Notice that if your shadow plane is xy or yz , you'll need two integrals. So let's use xz as the shadow plane.

$$\int_{z=0}^{z=1} \int_{x=0}^{x=1-z} \int_{y=1-x-z}^{y=x+z-1} f(x, y, z) dy dx dz$$

← solve right plane $x+y+z=1$ for y

← solve left plane $x-y+z=1$ for y

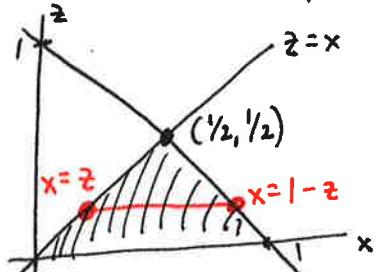
Now let's integrate over the part (half) of that region below the plane $z=x$:



For fun, let's set it up in the order $dy dz dx$:

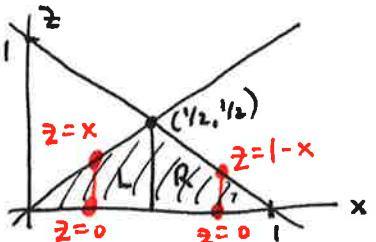
So, vertical segments.

Shadow in the xz plane:



$$\int_{z=0}^{z=1/2} \int_{x=0}^{x=1-z} \int_{y=1-x-z}^{y=x+z-1} f(x, y, z) dy dx dz$$

← as above



$$\int_{x=0}^{x=1/2} \int_{z=0}^{z=x} \int_{y=1-x-z}^{y=x+z-1} f(x, y, z) dy dz dx + \int_{x=1/2}^{x=1} \int_{z=0}^{z=1-x} \int_{y=1-x-z}^{y=x+z-1} f(x, y, z) dy dz dx$$

LEFT

RIGHT