

Section 15.7
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11th Ed.

Change of Variables, Jacobians

Recall : I.) 2×2 Determinant
is

$$\begin{vmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{vmatrix} = ad - bc$$

II.) 3×3 Determinant is

$$\begin{vmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{vmatrix} = a \begin{vmatrix} e & f \\ h & i \end{vmatrix} - b \begin{vmatrix} d & f \\ g & i \end{vmatrix} + c \begin{vmatrix} d & e \\ g & h \end{vmatrix}$$

Example : 1.) $\begin{vmatrix} 2 & -3 \\ 1 & 4 \end{vmatrix} = (2)(4) - (-3)(1)$
 $= 11$

2.) $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & -2 & 0 \\ 3 & 0 & -1 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = (1) \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$

$$- (-2) \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} + (0) \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= ((0)(1) - (-1)(1)) + 2((3)(1) - (-1)(2)) + 0 \\
 &= 1 + 2(5) = 11
 \end{aligned}$$

Definition : Consider the plane-to-plane mapping

$$F(u, v) = (f(u, v), g(u, v)) = (x, y).$$

The Jacobian of F at the point $P = (u_0, v_0)$ is the 2×2 determinant

$$J(P) = \begin{vmatrix} f_u(u_0, v_0) & f_v(u_0, v_0) \\ g_u(u_0, v_0) & g_v(u_0, v_0) \end{vmatrix}.$$

Example : Let $F(u, v) = (u^2v, u-v)$, then

$$J(P) = \begin{vmatrix} 2uv & u^2 \\ 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= (2uv)(-1) - (u^2)(1) = -2uv - u^2;$$

$$\text{and } J(-3, 1) = -2(-3)(1) - (-3)^2 \\ = 6 - 9 = -3 ;$$

$$J(1, -1) = -2(1)(-1) - (1)^2 = 1 ;$$

$$J(4, -2) = -2(4)(-2) - (4)^2 = 0$$

Definition : If a plane-to-plane mapping is of the form

$$F(u, v) = (au + bv, cu + dv),$$

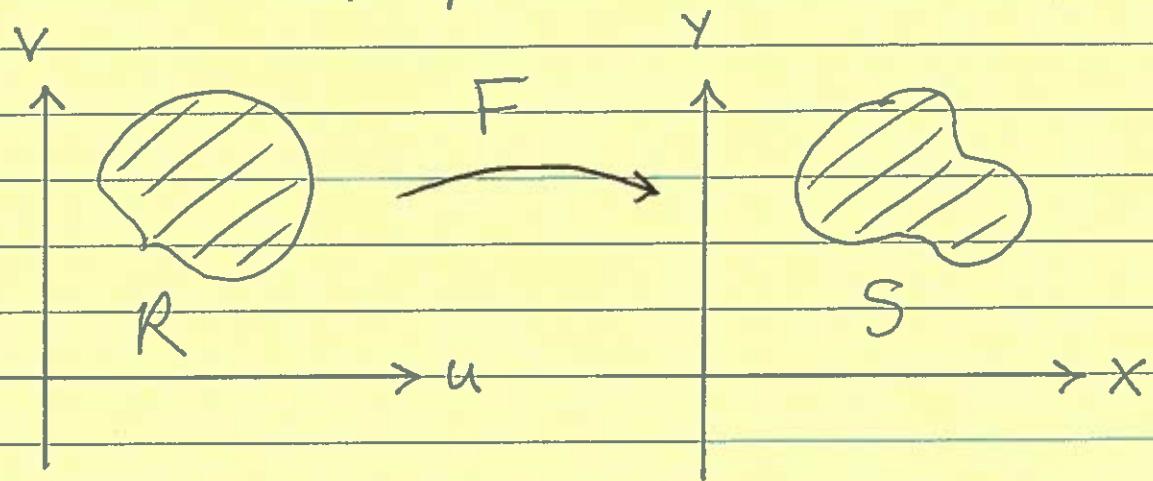
where a, b, c , and d are constants, then F is called a linear map!

Remarks : 1.) F maps lines to lines.

$$2.) \quad J(P) = \begin{vmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{vmatrix} = ad - bc$$

Theorem : Let F be a linear map from plane to plane, let R be a closed region in the uv -plane, and let S

be the image of R under F
in the xy -plane



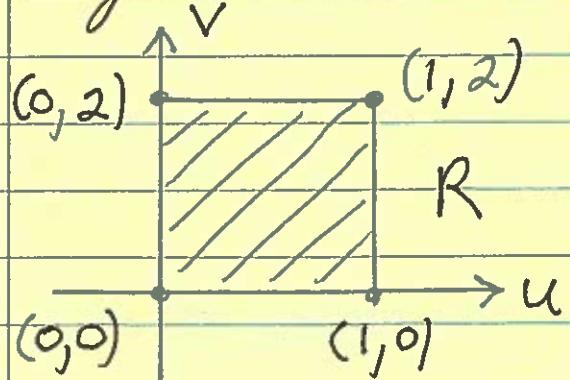
Then the Area of S is

$$\text{Area of } S = |ad - bc| \cdot \text{Area of } R.$$

Example : Let $F(u, v) = (u+v, 3u-v)$,

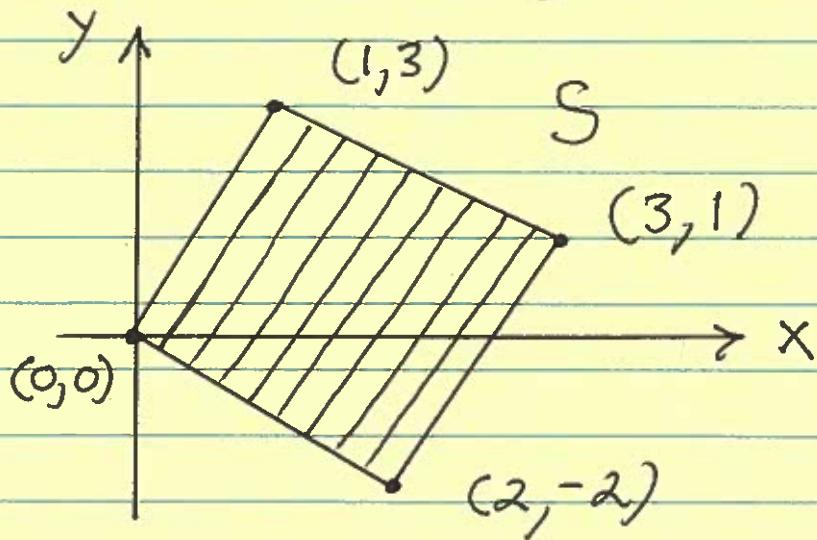
$$\text{then } J(P) = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 3 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = -1 - 3 = -4.$$

Consider the given rectangular region R :



$$\begin{aligned} F(0,0) &= (0,0), \\ F(1,0) &= (1,3), \\ F(0,2) &= (2,-2), \\ F(1,2) &= (3,1); \end{aligned}$$

Let S be the image of R under F .



Then

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Area of } S &= |(1)(-1) - (1)(3)| \cdot \text{Area of } R \\ &= |-4| \cdot 2 = 8\end{aligned}$$

Definition : We call

$|J(P_0)| = |ad - bc|$ the
magnification of F at P_0 .

Question : What if F is not a linear map? How do we compute magnification?

Answer : For $F(u, v) = (f(u, v), g(u, v))$

each of $f(u, v)$ and $g(u, v)$, each of which represents a surface in 3D-Space, is approximated with a tangent plane. This leads to the following theorem.

Theorem : Let $F(u, v) = (f(u, v), g(u, v))$

be a plane-to-plane mapping and let $P_0 = (u_0, v_0)$. Then the magnification of F at P_0 is given by

$$|J(P_0)| = \begin{vmatrix} f_u(P_0) & f_v(P_0) \\ g_u(P_0) & g_v(P_0) \end{vmatrix}.$$

Change of Variable Theorem :

Suppose we have a plane-to-plane mapping

$$F(u, v) = (f(u, v), g(u, v)) = (x, y)$$

defined on region R in the uv -plane, and with image S in the xy -plane.

If $F(P) = Q$, then

$$\iint_S h(Q) dA = \iint_S h(Q) dy dx$$

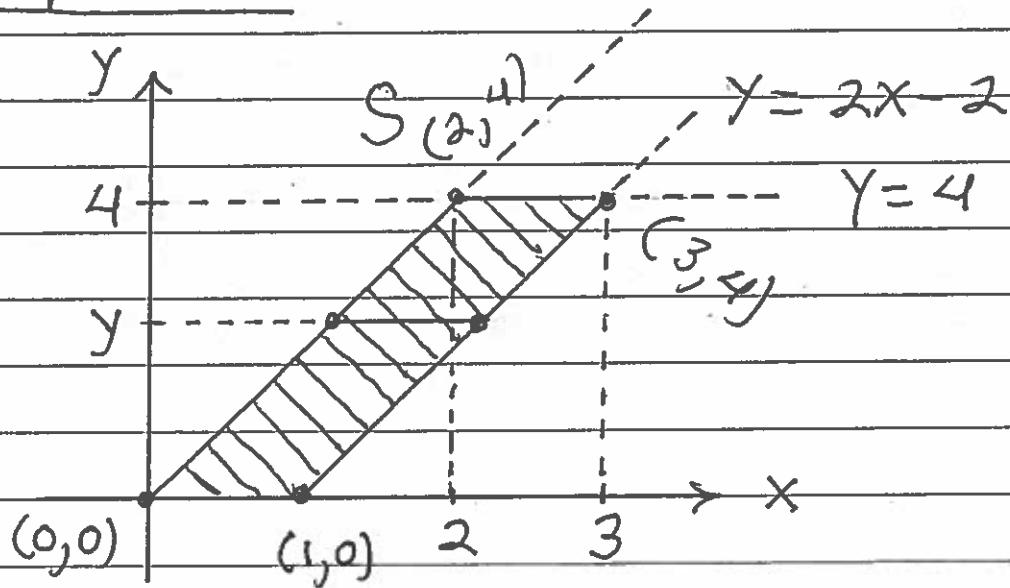
$$= \iint_R h(F(P)) \cdot |\mathcal{J}(P)| \cdot dv du$$

Example : apply the previous theorem to each Double Integral and given change of variables .

$$1.) \int_0^4 \int_{\frac{y}{2}}^{\frac{y}{2}+1} \left(x - \frac{y}{2} \right) dx dy$$

with $u = x - \frac{1}{2}y$, $v = \frac{1}{2}y$;

First sketch region S in the xy-plane : $y = 2x$

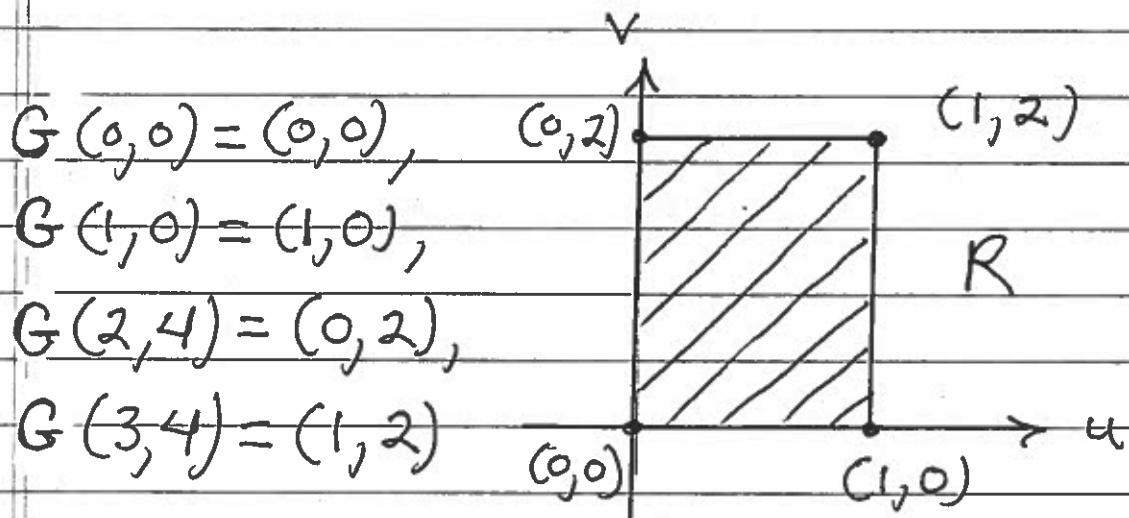


$$S: \begin{cases} 0 \leq y \leq 4 \\ \frac{y}{2} \leq x \leq \frac{y}{2} + 1 \end{cases}$$

Define function G to be

$$G(x, y) = \left(x - \frac{1}{2}y, \frac{1}{2}y \right) = (u, v)$$

Map the corners of region S to the uv-plane and use the fact that G is linear, so G maps lines to lines:



(edge $y=2x$; $0 \leq x \leq 2$)

$$G(x, 2x) = (x-x, x) = (0, x);$$

(edge $y=2x-2$; $1 \leq x \leq 3$)

$$G(x, 2x-2) = (x-(x-1), x-1) = (1, x-1);$$

(edge $y=4$; $2 \leq x \leq 3$)

$$G(x, 4) = (x-2, 2);$$

(edge $y=0$; $0 \leq x \leq 1$)

$$G(x, 0) = (x, 0).$$

Now write x and y in terms of u and v and define a new function F :

$$\begin{cases} u = x - \frac{1}{2}y \\ v = \frac{1}{2}y \end{cases} \rightarrow$$

$$[u+v = x] \quad \text{and} \quad [2v = y].$$

Define function F by

$$F(u, v) = (u+v, 2v) = (x, y).$$

Describe region R , find the Jacobian, and transform the given Double Integral using the Change of Variable Theorem;

$$R: \begin{cases} 0 \leq u \leq 1 \\ 0 \leq v \leq 2 \end{cases}$$

The Jacobian is

$$J(P) = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = 2 - 0 = 2 ; \text{ then}$$

$$\int_0^4 \int_{\frac{1}{2}y}^{\frac{1}{2}y+1} (x - \frac{1}{2}y) dx dy$$

$$= \int_0^1 \int_0^2 [(u+v) - v] |J(P)| dv du$$

$$= \int_0^1 \int_0^2 [u] (2) dv du$$

$$= \int_0^1 2uv \Big|_{v=0}^{v=2} du$$

$$= \int_0^1 (4u - 0) du$$

$$= 2u^2 \Big|_0^1$$

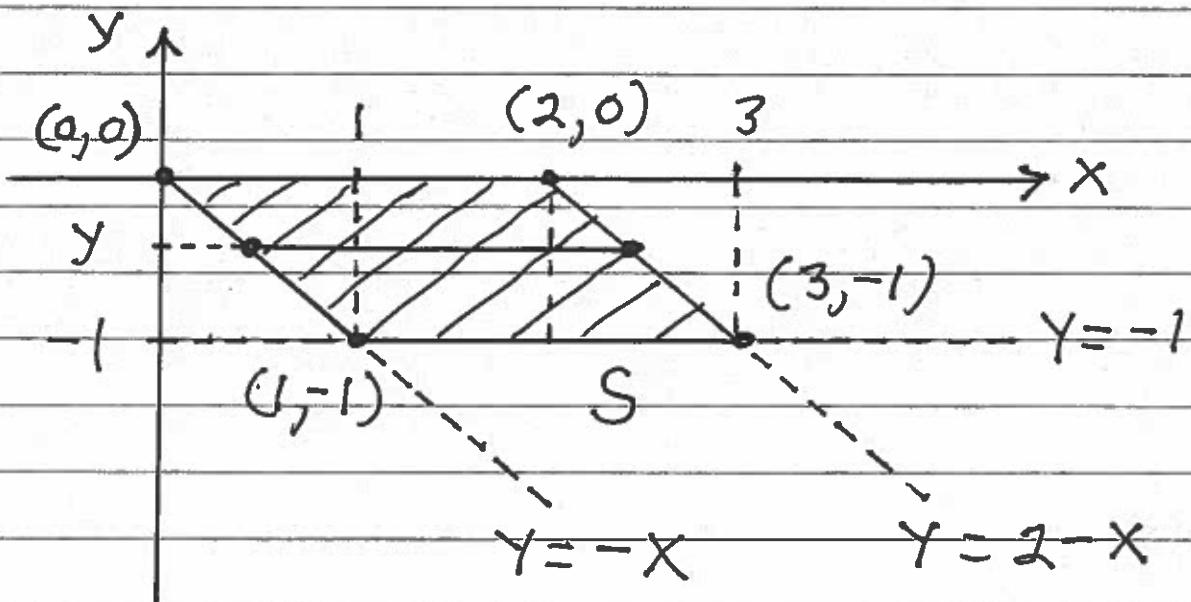
$$= 2 - 0$$

$$= 2 .$$

$$2.) \int_{-1}^0 \int_{-y}^{2-y} (x+y)^2 dx dy$$

with $u = -y$, $v = \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{1}{2}y$;

First sketch region S in the xy-plane :

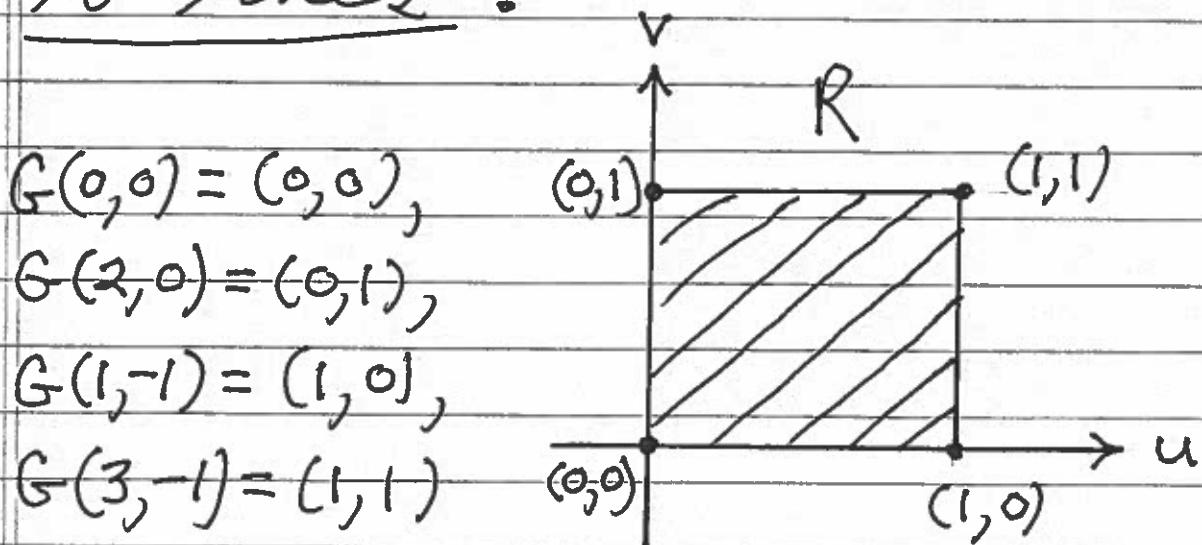


$$S : \begin{cases} -1 \leq y \leq 0 \\ -y \leq x \leq 2-y \end{cases}$$

Define function G to be

$$G(x, y) = (-y, \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{1}{2}y) = (u, v).$$

Map the corners of region S to the uv-plane and use the fact that G is linear, so G maps lines to lines:



$$G(0,0) = (0,0),$$

$$G(2,0) = (0,1),$$

$$G(1,-1) = (1,0),$$

$$G(3,-1) = (1,1)$$

(edge $y = -x ; 0 \leq x \leq 1$)

$$G(x, -x) = (x, 0);$$

(edge $y = -1 ; 1 \leq x \leq 3$)

$$G(x, -1) = (1, \frac{1}{2}x - \frac{1}{2});$$

(edge $y = 2-x ; 2 \leq x \leq 3$)

$$G(x, 2-x) = (x-2, \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{1}{2}(2-x)) = (x-2, 1);$$

(edge $y = 0 ; 0 \leq x \leq 2$)

$$G(x, 0) = (0, \frac{1}{2}x).$$

Now write x and y in terms of u and v and define a new function F :

$$\begin{cases} u = -y \\ v = \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{1}{2}y \end{cases} \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}u = \frac{1}{2}y$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{1}{2}u + v = \frac{1}{2}x \rightarrow$$

$$\boxed{u + 2v = x} \text{ and } \boxed{-u = y}.$$

Define function F by,

$$F(u, v) = (u + 2v, -u) = (x, y)$$

Describe region R , find the Jacobian, and transform the given Double Integral using the Change of Variable Theorem:

$$R: \begin{cases} 0 \leq u \leq 1 \\ 0 \leq v \leq 1 \end{cases}$$

The Jacobian is

$$J(P) = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 0 - (-2) = 2 ;$$

Then

$$\int_{-1}^0 \int_{-y}^{2-y} (x+y)^2 dx dy$$

$$= \int_0^1 \int_0^1 ((u+2v) + (-u)) \cdot |J(P)| \cdot dv du$$

$$= \int_0^1 \int_0^1 (2v)^2 (2) dv du$$

$$= \int_0^1 \int_0^1 8v^2 dv du$$

$$= \int_0^1 \frac{8}{3} v^3 \Big|_{v=0}^{v=1} du$$

$$= \int_0^1 \frac{8}{3} du = \frac{8}{3} u \Big|_0^1 = \frac{8}{3} .$$