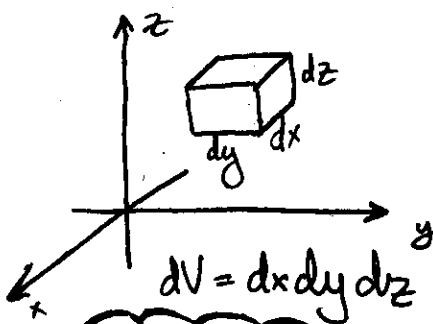


# Triple integrals in spherical and cylindrical coordinates.

Natural volume element: CART



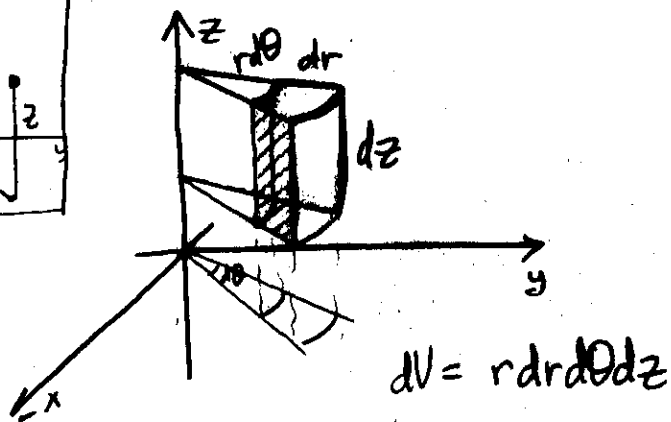
Cartesian  $\Rightarrow$  Cylindrical

$$x = r \cos \theta$$

$$y = r \sin \theta$$

$$z = z$$

Natural volume element: CYL



Warning!  
 Never switch  
 ~~$\int \int \int_{\text{CART.}} r^2 - 1$~~   $\rightarrow$   $\int \int \int_{\text{CYL.}} r^2 \cos^2 \theta - 1$   
 YOU DIDN'T NEED TO KNOW THAT  
 $y = r^2 \cos^2 \theta - 1$

$$\iiint_S f(x, y, z) dV = \iiint_S f(r \cos \theta, r \sin \theta, z) r dr d\theta dz$$

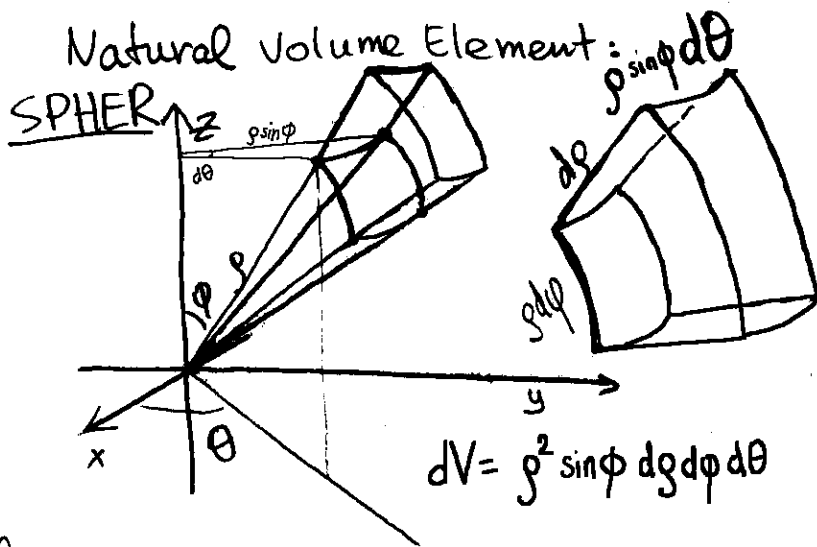
"in Cartesian"                      "in Cylindrical"

The order of  $dr d\theta dz$  is not FIXED at this time

Cartesian  $\Rightarrow$  Spherical

$$x = \rho \cos \theta \sin \phi$$

$$y = \rho \sin \theta \sin \phi$$

$$z = \rho \cos \phi$$


$$\iiint_S f(x, y, z) dV = \iiint_S f(\rho \cos \theta \sin \phi, \rho \sin \theta \sin \phi, \rho \cos \phi) \rho^2 \sin \phi d\rho d\phi d\theta$$

"in cartesian"                      "In spherical"

Again, the order of  $d\rho, d\theta, d\phi$  is not Fixed