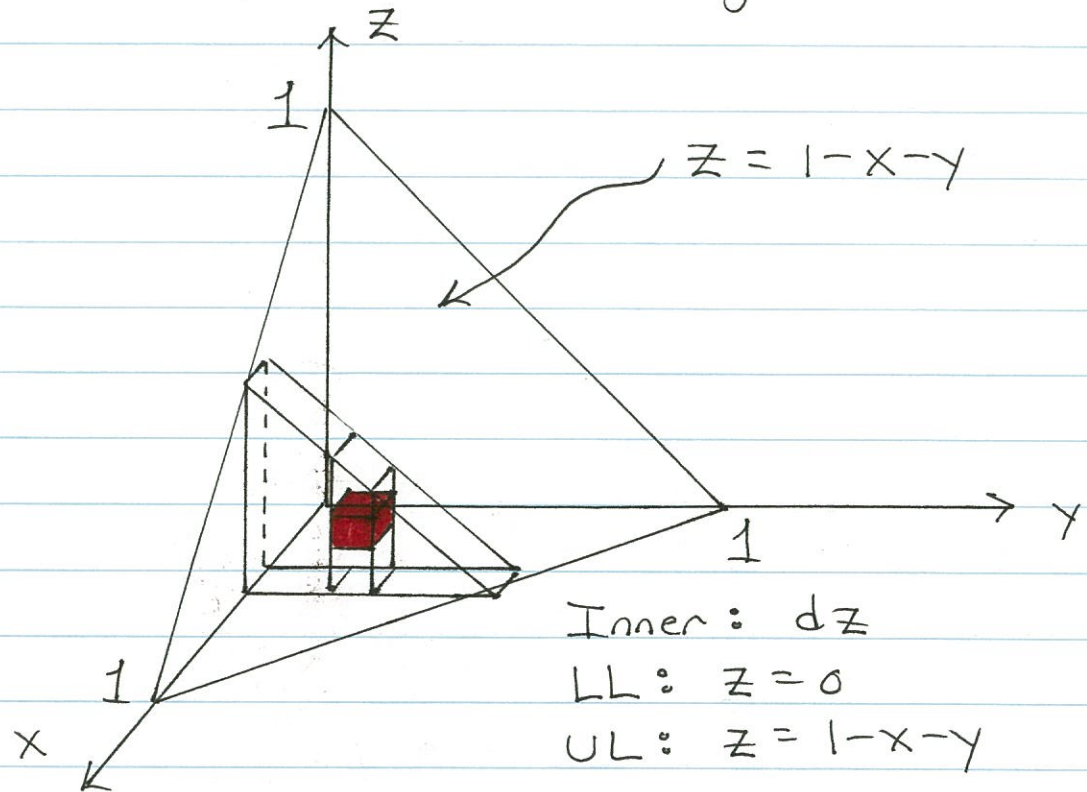
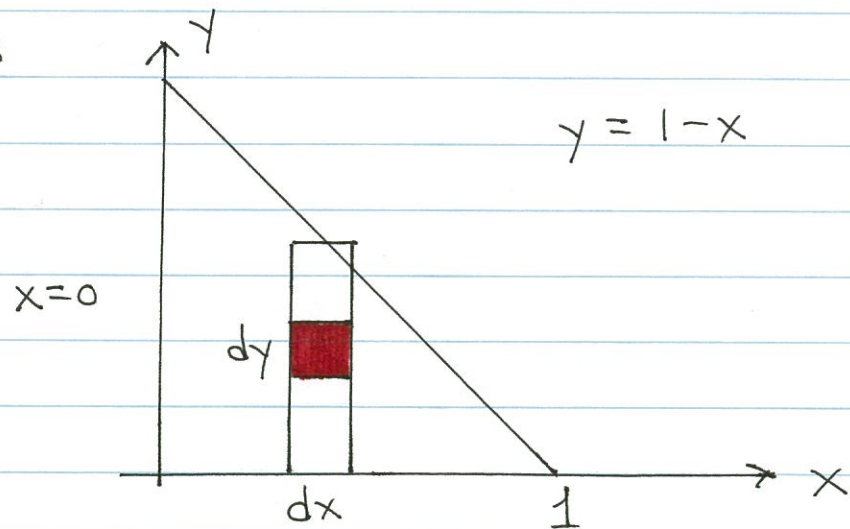


**Ex.** Find the mass & center of mass of the tetrahedron bounded by the planes  $x=0$ ,  $y=0$ ,  $z=0$ , &  $x+y+z=1$  if its density is  $\rho(x,y,z) = y$ . (gm)

$x, y, z$   
measured  
in cm.



Top View :



middle:  $dy$

LL:  $y=0$

UL:  $y=1-x$

Outer:  $dx$

LL:  $x=0$

UL:  $x=1$

$$\text{So } dV = dz dy dx$$

$$dm = \rho dV = \gamma dV = \gamma dz dy dx$$

$$m = \iiint_E dm = \iiint_E \gamma dz dy dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} \int_0^{1-x-y} \gamma dz dy dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} \gamma z \Big|_{z=0}^{1-x-y} dy dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} \gamma (1-x-y) dy dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} [(1-x)y - y^2] dy dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 \left[ (1-x) \frac{1}{2} y^2 - \frac{1}{3} y^3 \right] \Big|_{y=0}^{1-x} dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} \int_0^1 [3(1-x)y^2 - 2y^3] \Big|_{y=0}^{1-x} dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} \int_0^1 [3(1-x)^3 - 2(1-x)^3] dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} \int_0^1 (1-x)^3 dx$$

$$u=1-x \quad dx = -du \\ \text{LL: } u=1 \quad \text{UL: } u=0$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} \int_{u=1}^0 u^3 (-du)$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} \int_0^1 u^3 du$$

switch limits + change sign

$$= \frac{1}{6} \cdot \frac{1}{4} u^4 \Big|_{u=0}^1$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} \cdot \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{24} \text{ gm} = m$$

Moment about the  $yz$ -plane:

$$M_{yz} = \iiint_E dM_{yz} = \iiint_E x dm = \iiint_E x \rho dV$$

$$= \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} \int_0^{1-x-y} xy dz dy dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} xy z \Big|_{z=0}^{1-x-y} dy dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} xy(1-x-y) dy dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 x \int_0^{1-x} [(1-x)y - y^2] dy dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 x \left[ (1-x) \frac{1}{2} y^2 - \frac{1}{3} y^3 \right] \Big|_{y=0}^{1-x} dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} \int_0^1 x \left[ 3(1-x)y^2 - 2y^3 \right] \Big|_{y=0}^{1-x} dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} \int_0^1 x \left[ 3(1-x)^3 - 2(1-x)^3 \right] dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} \int_0^1 x(1-x)^3 dx$$

$$u = 1-x \quad (x = 1-u)$$

$$du = -dx$$

$$\text{LL: } u=1 \quad \text{UL: } x=0$$

sub

$$= \frac{1}{6} \int_{u=1}^0 (1-u)u^3(-du)$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} \int_0^1 (u^3 - u^4) du$$

switch limits &  
change sign

$$= \frac{1}{6} \left[ \frac{1}{4} u^4 - \frac{1}{5} u^5 \right] \Big|_{u=0}^1$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} \left( \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{5} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} \cdot \frac{1}{20} = \frac{1}{120} \text{ gm}\cdot\text{cm} = M_{yz}$$

Moment about the  $xz$ -plane:

$$M_{xz} = \iiint_E dM_{xz} = \iiint_E y dm = \iiint_E y \rho dV$$

$$= \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} \int_0^{1-x-y} y^2 dz dy dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} y^2 z \Big|_{z=0}^{1-x-y} dy dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} y^2 (1-x-y) dy dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} [(1-x)y^2 - y^3] dy dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 \left[ (1-x) \frac{1}{3} y^3 - \frac{1}{4} y^4 \right] \Big|_{y=0}^{1-x} dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{12} \int_0^1 [4(1-x)y^3 - 3y^4] \Big|_{y=0}^{1-x} dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{12} \int_0^1 [4(1-x)^4 - 3(1-x)^3] dx$$

$$u = 1-x \quad du = -dx \quad dx = -du$$

$$\text{LL: } u = 1 \quad \text{UL: } u = 0$$

$$= \frac{1}{12} \int_1^0 (4u^4 - 3u^3)(-du)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{4}{5} u^5 - \frac{3}{4} u^4 \right) \Big|_{u=1}^0$$

switch limits  
& change  
sign

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{4}{5} - \frac{3}{4} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{20} \right) = \frac{1}{40} \text{ gm} \cdot \text{cm} = M_{xz}$$

Moment about the  $xy$ -plane:

$$\begin{aligned}M_{xy} &= \iiint_E dM_{xy} = \iiint_E z dm = \iiint_E z \rho dV \\&= \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} \int_0^{1-x-y} z y dz dy dx \\&= \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} \frac{1}{2} y z^2 \Big|_{z=0}^{1-x-y} dy dx \\&= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} y (1-x-y)^2 dy dx \\&= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} y [(1-x)^2 - 2(1-x)y + y^2] dy dx \\&= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x} [(1-x)^2 y - 2(1-x)y^2 + y^3] dy dx \\&= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \left[ (1-x)^2 \frac{1}{2} y^2 - 2(1-x) \frac{1}{3} y^3 + \frac{1}{4} y^4 \right] \Big|_{y=0}^{1-x} dx \\&= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{12} \int_0^1 [6(1-x)^2 y^2 - 8(1-x)y^3 + 3y^4] \Big|_{y=0}^{1-x} dx \\&= \frac{1}{24} \int_0^1 [6(1-x)^4 - 8(1-x)^4 + 3(1-x)^4] dx \\&= \frac{1}{24} \int_0^1 (1-x)^4 dx \quad \begin{array}{l} u=1-x \quad du=-dx \\ \text{LL: } u=1 \quad \text{UL: } u=0 \end{array} \\&= \frac{1}{24} \int_1^0 u^4 (-du) = \frac{1}{24} \cdot \frac{1}{5} u^5 \Big|_{u=0}^1 = \frac{1}{120} \text{ gm} \cdot \text{cm}\end{aligned}$$

So  $\bar{x} = \frac{M_{yz}}{m} = \frac{1/120 \text{ gm} \cdot \text{cm}}{1/24 \text{ gm}} = \frac{1}{5} \text{ cm}$

$$\bar{y} = \frac{M_{xz}}{m} = \frac{1/40 \text{ gm} \cdot \text{cm}}{1/24 \text{ gm}} = \frac{3}{5} \text{ cm}$$

$$\bar{z} = \frac{M_{xy}}{m} = \frac{1/120 \text{ gm} \cdot \text{cm}}{1/24 \text{ gm}} = \frac{1}{5} \text{ cm}$$

Center of mass :  $\left( \frac{1}{5}, \frac{3}{5}, \frac{1}{5} \right)$