

The Final MA 430 Homework

49. Using the generalized Stoke's Theorem, show that

$$\text{vol}(M) = \int_{\partial M} x^1 dx^2 \wedge dx^3 \wedge \cdots \wedge dx^n$$

Let $\beta = x^1 dx^2 \wedge dx^3 \wedge \cdots \wedge dx^n$. Through the generalized Stoke's Theorem, we know that

$$\int_{\partial M} \beta = \int_M d\beta$$

If $d\beta$ is a volume form, then we're good to go, where the volume form is $dx^1 \wedge dx^2 \wedge \cdots \wedge dx^n$. Well, $d\beta = dx^1 \wedge (dx^2 \wedge \cdots \wedge dx^n)$ is a volume form, so

$$\int_M (\text{volume form}) = \text{vol}(M) \Rightarrow \text{vol}(M) = \int_{\partial M} x^1 dx^2 \wedge dx^3 \wedge \cdots \wedge dx^n$$

50. Explain why

$$\int_M f dx \wedge dy \wedge dz = \iiint_{D_3} f \, dx \, dy \, dz$$

where $X : D_3 \rightarrow M$ is a parametrization of M by the cartesian coordinates x, y , and z .

Start by letting $\gamma = f dx \wedge dy \wedge dz$, which in turn

$$\gamma = \frac{1}{6} f \epsilon_{ijk} dx^i \wedge dx^j \wedge dx^k$$

So

$$\begin{aligned} \int_M \gamma &= \iiint \gamma_{ijk} \frac{\partial x^i}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x^j}{\partial y} \frac{\partial x^k}{\partial z} dx \, dy \, dz \\ &= \iiint \gamma_{ijk} \delta_1^i \delta_2^j \delta_3^k dx \, dy \, dz \\ &= \iiint \gamma_{ijk} dx \, dy \, dz \\ &= \iiint f dx \, dy \, dz \end{aligned}$$

- 51.** Consider $D^2 \subset \mathbb{R}^2$ a dish of radius R. That is $D^2 = \{(x, y) | x^2 + y^2 \leq R^2\}$. Note $\partial D^2 = S^1 = \{(x, y) | x^2 + y^2 = R^2\}$. The natural parameterization of D^2 is $x = r \cos \phi$, $y = r \sin \phi$.

(a) Show $dx \wedge dy = r dr \wedge d\phi$

$$\begin{aligned} dx &= \frac{dx}{dr} dr + \frac{dx}{d\phi} d\phi = \cos \phi dr - r \sin \phi d\phi \\ dy &= \frac{dy}{dr} dr + \frac{dy}{d\phi} d\phi = \sin \phi dr + r \cos \phi d\phi \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} dx \wedge dy &= (\cos \phi dr - r \sin \phi d\phi) \wedge (\sin \phi dr + r \cos \phi d\phi) \\ &= r \cos^2 \phi dr \wedge d\phi - r \sin^2 \phi d\phi \wedge dr \\ &= r \cos^2 \phi dr \wedge d\phi + r \sin^2 \phi dr \wedge d\phi \\ &= (r \cos^2 \phi + r \sin^2 \phi) dr \wedge d\phi \\ &= (r(\cos^2 \phi + \sin^2 \phi)) dr \wedge d\phi \\ &= r dr \wedge d\phi \end{aligned}$$

(b) Show $\text{vol}(D^2) = \pi R^2$ by calculating $\int_{D^2} \text{vol}_2$.

$$\text{Vol}(D^2) = \int_{D^2} \text{vol}_2 = \int_{D^2} dx \wedge dy = \int_{D^2} r dr \wedge d\phi = \int_0^R r dr \int_0^{2\pi} d\phi = \frac{r^2}{2} \Big|_0^R \phi \Big|_0^{2\pi} = \frac{R^2}{2} \cdot 2\pi = \pi R^2$$

(c) Alternatively consider $\beta = xdy$. Use the fact that $\int_{D^2} \partial \beta = \int_{\partial D^2} \beta$ to show $\text{vol}(D^2) = \pi R^2$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Vol}(D^2) &= \int_{D^2} \partial \beta = \int_{\partial D^2} \beta = \int_{\partial D^2} xdy = \int_{\partial D^2} (r \cos \phi)(\sin \phi dr + r \cos \phi d\phi) \quad \{\text{Note: } dr = 0\} \\ &= \int_{\partial D^2} (r \cos \phi)(r \cos \phi d\phi) = \int_{\partial D^2} r^2 \cos^2 \phi d\phi = r^2 \int_{\partial D^2} \cos^2 \phi d\phi \\ &= r^2 \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{1}{2} (1 + \cos 2\phi) d\phi = r^2 \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{1}{2} d\phi = r^2 \frac{\phi}{2} \Big|_0^{2\pi} = \pi R^2 \quad \{\text{Note: } \int_0^{2\pi} \cos 2\phi = 0\} \end{aligned}$$

(d) Argue by symmetry that $\text{area}(D^2) = 2\pi R$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{vol}(D^2) &= \pi r^2 \\ d(\text{vol}(D^2)) &= d(\pi r^2) \\ d(\text{vol}(D^2)) &= 2\pi r dr \\ \frac{d(\text{vol}(D^2))}{dr} &= 2\pi r \\ \text{area}(D^2) &= 2\pi R \end{aligned}$$

52. Consider $D^3 = \{(x, y, z) | x^2 + y^2 + z^2 \leq R^2\} \subset \mathbb{R}^3$. Notice that $\partial D^3 = S^2 = \{(x, y, z) | x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = R^2\}$. The natural parameterization of D^3 is $x = r \cos \phi \sin \theta, y = r \sin \phi \sin \theta, z = r \cos \theta$ where $0 \leq r \leq R, 0 \leq \phi \leq 2\pi, 0 \leq \theta \leq \pi$.

(a) Show $dx \wedge dy \wedge dz = r^2 \sin \theta dr \wedge d\theta \wedge d\phi$

$$\begin{aligned} dx &= \frac{dx}{dr} dr + \frac{dx}{d\phi} d\phi + \frac{dx}{d\theta} d\theta = \cos \phi \sin \theta dr - r \sin \phi \sin \theta d\phi + r \sin \phi \cos \theta d\theta \\ dy &= \frac{dy}{dr} dr + \frac{dy}{d\phi} d\phi + \frac{dy}{d\theta} d\theta = \sin \phi \sin \theta dr + r \cos \phi \sin \theta d\phi + r \sin \phi \cos \theta d\theta \\ dz &= \frac{dz}{dr} dr + \frac{dz}{d\phi} d\phi + \frac{dz}{d\theta} d\theta = \cos \theta dr - r \sin \theta d\theta \end{aligned}$$

We'll start by finding $dx \wedge dy$.

$$\begin{aligned} dx \wedge dy &= (\cos \phi \sin \theta dr - r \sin \phi \sin \theta d\phi + r \sin \phi \cos \theta d\theta) \wedge \\ &\quad (\sin \phi \sin \theta dr + r \cos \phi \sin \theta d\phi + r \sin \phi \cos \theta d\theta) \\ &= r \cos^2 \phi \sin^2 \theta dr \wedge d\phi + r \cos \phi \sin \theta \sin \phi \cos \theta dr \wedge d\theta \\ &\quad - r \sin^2 \phi \sin^2 \theta d\phi \wedge dr - r^2 \sin^2 \phi \sin \theta \cos \theta d\phi \wedge d\theta \\ &\quad + r \cos \phi \sin \theta \sin \phi \cos \theta d\theta \wedge dr + r^2 \cos^2 \phi \sin \theta \cos \theta d\theta \wedge d\phi \\ &= (r \cos^2 \phi \sin^2 \theta + r \sin^2 \phi \sin^2 \theta) dr \wedge d\phi \\ &\quad + (r \cos \phi \sin \theta \sin \phi \cos \theta - r \cos \phi \sin \theta \sin \phi \cos \theta) dr \wedge d\theta \\ &\quad + (r^2 \sin^2 \phi \sin \theta \cos \theta + r^2 \cos^2 \phi \sin \theta \cos \theta) d\theta \wedge d\phi \\ &= (r \sin^2 \theta (\cos^2 \phi + \sin^2 \phi)) dr \wedge d\phi + (r^2 \sin \theta \cos \theta (\sin^2 \phi + \cos^2 \phi)) d\theta \wedge d\phi \\ &= r \sin^2 \theta dr \wedge d\phi + r^2 \sin \theta \cos \theta d\theta \wedge d\phi \end{aligned}$$

Now we'll find $dx \wedge dy \wedge dz$.

$$\begin{aligned} dx \wedge dy \wedge dz &= (r \sin^2 \theta dr \wedge d\phi + r^2 \sin \theta \cos \theta d\theta \wedge d\phi) \wedge (\cos \theta dr - r \sin \theta d\theta) \\ &= -r^2 \sin^3 \theta dr \wedge d\phi \wedge d\theta + r^2 \sin \theta \cos^2 \theta d\theta \wedge d\phi \wedge dr \\ &= r^2 \sin^3 \theta dr \wedge d\theta \wedge d\phi + r^2 \sin \theta (1 - \sin^2 \theta) dr \wedge d\theta \wedge d\phi \\ &= r^2 \sin^3 \theta dr \wedge d\theta \wedge d\phi + r^2 \sin \theta dr \wedge d\theta \wedge d\phi - r^2 \sin^3 \theta dr \wedge d\theta \wedge d\phi \\ &= r^2 \sin \theta dr \wedge d\theta \wedge d\phi \end{aligned}$$

(b) Show $\text{vol}(D^3) = \frac{4}{3}\pi R^3$ by calculating $\int_{D^3} \text{vol}_3$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Vol}(D^3) &= \int_{D^3} \text{Vol}_3 = \int_{D^3} dx \wedge dy \wedge dz = \int_{D^3} r^3 \sin \theta dr \wedge d\theta \wedge d\phi \\ &= \int_0^R r^2 dr \int_0^\pi \sin \theta d\theta \int_0^{2\pi} d\phi \\ &= \frac{r^3}{3} \Big|_0^R \cdot -\cos \theta \Big|_0^\pi \cdot \phi \Big|_0^{2\pi} \\ &= \frac{R^3}{3} \cdot 2 \cdot 2\pi \\ &= \frac{4}{3}\pi R^3 \end{aligned}$$

(c) Alternatively consider $\beta = xdy \wedge dz$. Use the fact that $\int_{D^3} \partial \beta = \int_{\partial D^3} \beta$ to show

$$\text{vol}(D^3) = \frac{4}{3}\pi R^3.$$

We have that $\int_{D^3} \partial \beta = \int_{\partial D^3} \beta = \int_{\partial D^3} xdy \wedge dz$

We will start by finding dy and dz . Since we are on S^2 and $r = R$, then $dr = 0$.

$$\begin{aligned} dy &= R \cos \phi \sin \theta d\phi + R \sin \phi \cos \theta d\theta \\ dz &= -R \sin \theta d\theta \end{aligned}$$

Now, we'll find $dy \wedge dz$.

$$\begin{aligned} dy \wedge dz &= -dz \wedge dy \\ &= R \sin \theta d\theta \wedge (R \cos \phi \sin \theta d\phi + R \sin \phi \cos \theta d\theta) \\ &= R^2 \sin^2 \theta \cos \phi d\theta \wedge d\phi \end{aligned}$$

Next, we'll find $xdy \wedge dz$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 xdy \wedge dz &= (R \cos \phi \sin \theta)(R^2 \sin^2 \theta \cos \phi d\theta \wedge d\phi) \\
 &= R^3 \sin^3 \theta \cos^2 \phi d\theta \wedge d\phi \\
 \int_{S^2} xdy \wedge dz &= \iint R^3 \sin^3 \theta \cos^2 \phi d\theta \wedge d\phi \\
 &= R^3 \int_0^{2\pi} \cos^2 \phi d\phi \int_0^\pi \sin^3 \theta d\theta \\
 &= R^3 \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{1}{2}(1 + \cos 2\theta) d\phi \int_0^\pi (1 - \cos^2 \theta) \sin \theta d\theta \\
 &= R^3 \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{1}{2} d\phi \int_1^{-1} (u^2 - 1) du \quad (\text{let } u = \cos \theta) \\
 &= R^3 \cdot \pi \cdot \left. \frac{u^3}{3} \right|_1^{-1} \\
 &= \frac{4}{3} \pi R^3
 \end{aligned}$$

(d) Argue by symmetry that $\text{area}(D^3) = 4\pi R^2$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{vol}(D^3) &= \frac{4}{3} \pi r^3 \\
 d(\text{vol}(D^3)) &= d\left(\frac{4}{3} \pi r^3\right) \\
 d(\text{vol}(D^3)) &= 4\pi r^2 dr \\
 \frac{d(\text{vol}(D^3))}{dr} &= 4\pi r^2 \\
 \text{area}(D^3) &= 4\pi R^2
 \end{aligned}$$

53. Consider $D^4 = \{(x, y, z, w) | x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + w^2 \leq R^2\} \subset R^4$. Notice that

$\partial D^4 = S^3 = \{(x, y, z, w) | x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + w^2 = R^2\}$. The natural parameterization of D^4 is $x = r \cos \phi \sin \theta \sin \psi$, $y = r \sin \phi \sin \theta \sin \psi$, $z = r \cos \theta \sin \psi$ and $w = r \cos \psi$ where $0 \leq r \leq R$, $0 \leq \phi \leq 2\pi$, $0 \leq \theta \leq \pi$ and $0 \leq \psi \leq \pi$.

(a) Show $dx \wedge dy \wedge dz \wedge dw = r^3 \sin^2 \psi \sin \theta dr \wedge d\theta \wedge d\phi \wedge d\psi$

$$\begin{aligned} dx &= \frac{dx}{dr} dr + \frac{dx}{d\phi} d\phi + \frac{dx}{d\theta} d\theta + \frac{dx}{d\psi} d\psi \\ &= \cos \phi \sin \theta \sin \psi dr - r \sin \phi \sin \theta \sin \psi d\phi + r \cos \phi \cos \theta \sin \psi d\theta + r \cos \phi \sin \theta \cos \psi d\psi \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} dy &= \frac{dy}{dr} dr + \frac{dy}{d\phi} d\phi + \frac{dy}{d\theta} d\theta + \frac{dy}{d\psi} d\psi \\ &= \sin \phi \sin \theta \sin \psi dr + r \cos \phi \sin \theta \sin \psi d\phi + r \sin \phi \cos \theta \sin \psi d\theta + r \sin \phi \sin \theta \cos \psi d\psi \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} dz &= \frac{dz}{dr} dr + \frac{dz}{d\phi} d\phi + \frac{dz}{d\theta} d\theta + \frac{dz}{d\psi} d\psi \\ &= \cos \theta \sin \psi dr - r \sin \theta \sin \psi d\theta + r \cos \theta \cos \psi d\psi \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} dw &= \frac{dw}{dr} dr + \frac{dw}{d\phi} d\phi + \frac{dw}{d\theta} d\theta + \frac{dw}{d\psi} d\psi \\ &= \cos \psi dr - r \sin \psi d\psi \end{aligned}$$

We'll start by finding $dx \wedge dy$

$$\begin{aligned} dx \wedge dy &= \cos^2 \phi \sin^2 \theta \sin^2 \psi dr \wedge d\phi + r \cos \phi \sin \theta \sin \phi \cos \theta \sin^2 \psi dr \wedge d\theta \\ &\quad + r \cos \phi \sin \phi \sin^2 \theta \sin \psi \cos \psi dr \wedge d\psi - r \sin^2 \phi \sin^2 \theta \sin^2 \psi d\phi \wedge dr \\ &\quad - r^2 \sin^2 \phi \sin \theta \cos \theta \sin^2 \psi d\phi \wedge d\theta - r^2 \sin^2 \phi \sin^2 \theta \sin \psi \cos \psi d\phi \wedge d\psi \\ &\quad + r \cos \phi \sin \phi \cos \theta \sin \theta \sin^2 \psi d\theta \wedge dr + r^2 \cos^2 \phi \sin \theta \cos \theta \sin^2 \psi d\theta \wedge d\phi \\ &\quad + r^2 \cos \phi \sin \phi \cos \theta \sin \theta \sin \psi \cos \psi d\theta \wedge d\psi \\ &\quad + r \cos \phi \sin \phi \sin^2 \theta \cos \psi \sin \psi d\psi \wedge dr + r^2 \cos^2 \phi \sin^2 \theta \cos \psi \sin \psi d\psi \wedge d\phi \\ &\quad + r^2 \sin \phi \cos \phi \sin \theta \cos \theta \sin \psi \cos \psi d\psi \wedge d\theta \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= (r \cos^2 \phi \sin^2 \theta \sin^2 \psi + r \sin^2 \phi \sin^2 \theta \sin^2 \psi) dr \wedge d\phi \\
&\quad + (r \cos \phi \sin \theta \sin \phi \cos \theta \sin^2 \psi - r \cos \phi \sin \phi \cos \theta \sin \theta \sin^2 \psi) dr \wedge d\theta \\
&\quad + (r \cos \phi \sin \phi \sin^2 \theta \sin \psi \cos \psi - r \cos \phi \sin \phi \sin^2 \theta \cos \psi \sin \psi) dr \wedge d\psi \\
&\quad + (r^2 \cos^2 \phi \sin \theta \cos \theta \sin^2 \psi + r^2 \sin^2 \phi \sin \theta \cos \theta \sin^2 \psi) d\theta \wedge d\phi \\
&\quad + (r^2 \cos \phi \sin \phi \cos \theta \sin \theta \sin \psi \cos \psi - r^2 \sin \phi \cos \phi \sin \theta \cos \theta \sin \psi \cos \psi) d\theta \wedge d\psi \\
&\quad + (r^2 \cos^2 \phi \sin^2 \theta \cos \psi \sin \psi + r^2 \sin^2 \phi \sin^2 \theta \sin \psi \cos \psi) d\psi \wedge d\phi \\
\\
&= (r \sin^2 \theta \sin^2 \psi (\cos^2 \phi + \sin^2 \phi)) dr \wedge d\phi \\
&\quad + (r^2 \sin \theta \cos \theta \sin^2 \psi (\cos^2 \phi + \sin^2 \phi)) d\theta \wedge d\phi \\
&\quad + (r^2 \sin^2 \theta \cos \psi \sin \psi (\cos^2 \phi + \sin^2 \phi)) d\psi \wedge d\phi \\
\\
&= r \sin^2 \theta \sin^2 \psi dr \wedge d\phi + r^2 \sin \theta \cos \theta \sin^2 \psi d\theta \wedge d\phi + r^2 \sin^2 \theta \cos \psi \sin \psi d\psi \wedge d\phi
\end{aligned}$$

Next we'll find $dx \wedge dy \wedge dz$.

$$\begin{aligned}
dx \wedge dy \wedge dz &= (r \sin^2 \theta \sin^2 \psi dr \wedge d\phi + r^2 \sin \theta \cos \theta \sin^2 \psi d\theta \wedge d\phi + \\
&\quad r^2 \sin^2 \theta \cos \psi \sin \psi d\psi \wedge d\phi) \wedge (\cos \theta \sin \psi dr - r \sin \theta \sin \psi d\theta + r \cos \theta \cos \psi d\psi) \\
\\
&= -r^2 \sin^3 \theta \sin^3 \psi dr \wedge d\phi \wedge d\theta + r^2 \sin \theta \cos^2 \theta \sin^3 \psi d\theta \wedge d\phi \wedge dr \\
&\quad + r^2 \cos \theta \sin^2 \theta \cos \psi \sin^2 \psi d\psi \wedge d\phi \wedge dr \\
&\quad + r^3 \sin \theta \cos^2 \theta \sin^2 \psi \cos \psi d\theta \wedge d\phi \wedge d\psi \\
&\quad + r^2 \sin^2 \theta \cos \theta \cos \psi \sin^2 \psi d\psi \wedge d\phi \wedge dr \\
&\quad - r^3 \sin^3 \theta \sin^2 \psi \cos \psi d\psi \wedge d\phi \wedge d\theta \\
\\
&= (r^2 \sin^3 \theta \sin^3 \psi + r^2 \sin \theta \cos^2 \theta \sin^3 \psi) dr \wedge d\theta \wedge d\phi \\
&\quad + (r^2 \cos \theta \sin^2 \theta \cos \psi \sin^2 \psi - r^2 \sin^2 \theta \cos \theta \cos \psi \sin^2 \psi) dr \wedge d\phi \wedge d\psi \\
&\quad + (r^3 \sin \theta \cos^2 \theta \sin^2 \psi \cos \psi + r^3 \sin^3 \theta \sin^2 \psi \cos \psi) d\theta \wedge d\phi \wedge d\psi \\
\\
&= (r^2 \sin \theta \sin^3 \psi (\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta)) dr \wedge d\theta \wedge d\phi \\
&\quad + (r^3 \sin \theta \sin^2 \psi \cos \psi (\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta)) d\theta \wedge d\phi \wedge d\psi \\
\\
&= r^2 \sin \theta \sin^3 \psi dr \wedge d\theta \wedge d\phi + r^3 \sin \theta \sin^2 \psi \cos \psi d\theta \wedge d\phi \wedge d\psi
\end{aligned}$$

Finally we'll find $dx \wedge dy \wedge dz \wedge dw$.

$$\begin{aligned}
dx \wedge dy \wedge dz \wedge dw &= (r^2 \sin \theta \sin^3 \psi dr \wedge d\theta \wedge d\phi \\
&\quad + r^3 \sin \theta \sin^2 \psi \cos \psi d\theta \wedge d\phi \wedge d\psi) \wedge (\cos \psi dr - r \sin \psi d\psi)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= -r^3 \sin \theta \sin^4 \psi dr \wedge d\theta \wedge d\phi \wedge d\psi \\
&\quad + r^3 \sin \theta \sin^2 \psi \cos^2 \psi d\theta \wedge d\phi \wedge d\psi \wedge dr \\
&= r^3 \sin \theta \sin^2 \psi (\sin^2 \psi + \cos^2 \psi) dr \wedge d\phi \wedge d\theta \wedge d\psi \\
&= r^3 \sin \theta \sin^2 \psi dr \wedge d\phi \wedge d\theta \wedge d\psi
\end{aligned}$$

(b) Show $\text{vol}(D^4) = \frac{1}{2}\pi^2 R^4$ by calculating $\int_{D^4} \text{vol}_4$.

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Vol}(D^4) &= \int_{D^4} \text{vol}_4 = \int_{D^4} dx \wedge dy \wedge dz \wedge dw = \int_{D^4} r^3 \sin^2 \psi \sin \theta dr \wedge d\phi \wedge d\theta \wedge d\psi \\
&= \int_0^R r^3 dr \int_0^{2\pi} d\phi \int_0^\pi \sin \theta d\theta \int_0^\pi \sin^2 \psi d\psi \quad [\text{Note: } \sin^2 x = \frac{1}{2}(1 - \cos 2x)] \\
&= \frac{r^4}{4} \Big|_0^R \cdot \theta \Big|_0^{2\pi} \cdot -\cos \theta \Big|_0^\pi \cdot \left(\frac{\psi}{2} - \frac{\sin 2\psi}{4} \right) \Big|_0^\pi \\
&= \frac{R^4}{4} \cdot 2\pi \cdot 2 \cdot \frac{\pi}{2} \\
&= \frac{1}{2}\pi^2 R^4
\end{aligned}$$

(c) Alternatively consider $\beta = xdy \wedge dz \wedge dw$. Use the fact that $\int_{D^4} \partial \beta = \int_{\partial D^4} \beta$ to show

$$\text{vol}(D^4) = \frac{1}{2}\pi^2 R^4.$$

$$\text{We have that } \int_{D^3} \partial \beta = \int_{\partial D^3} \beta = \int_{\partial D^3} xdy \wedge dz \wedge dw$$

We will start by finding dy , dz and dw . Since we are on S^2 and $r = R$, then $dr = 0$.

$$\begin{aligned}
dy &= R \cos \phi \sin \theta \sin \psi d\phi + R \sin \phi \cos \theta \sin \psi d\theta + R \sin \phi \sin \theta \cos \psi d\psi \\
dz &= -R \sin \theta \sin \psi d\theta + R \cos \theta \cos \psi d\psi \\
dw &= -R \sin \psi d\psi
\end{aligned}$$

Now we'll find $dy \wedge dz$.

$$\begin{aligned}
dy \wedge dz &= -dz \wedge dy \\
&= (R \sin \theta \sin \psi d\theta - R \cos \theta \cos \psi d\psi) \wedge \\
&\quad (R \cos \phi \sin \theta \sin \psi d\phi + R \sin \phi \cos \theta \sin \psi d\theta + R \sin \phi \sin \theta \cos \psi d\psi)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= R^2 \cos \phi \sin^2 \theta \sin^2 \psi d\theta \wedge d\phi + R^2 \sin \phi \sin^2 \theta \sin \psi \cos \psi d\theta \wedge d\psi \\
&\quad - R^2 \cos \phi \cos \theta \sin \theta \cos \psi \sin \psi d\psi \wedge d\phi \\
&\quad - R^2 \sin \phi \cos^2 \theta \sin \psi \cos \psi d\psi \wedge d\theta \\
\\
&= R^2 \cos \phi \sin^2 \theta \sin^2 \psi d\theta \wedge d\phi \\
&\quad + (R^2 \sin \phi \sin \psi \cos \psi (\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta)) d\theta \wedge d\psi \\
&\quad + R^2 \cos \phi \cos \theta \sin \theta \cos \psi \sin \psi d\phi \wedge d\psi \\
\\
&= R^2 \cos \phi \sin^2 \theta \sin^2 \psi d\theta \wedge d\phi + R^2 \sin \phi \sin \psi \cos \psi d\theta \wedge d\psi \\
&\quad + R^2 \cos \phi \cos \theta \sin \theta \cos \psi \sin \psi d\phi \wedge d\psi
\end{aligned}$$

Next we'll find $dy \wedge dz \wedge dw$.

$$\begin{aligned}
dy \wedge dz \wedge dw &= (R^2 \cos \phi \sin^2 \theta \sin^2 \psi d\theta \wedge d\phi + R^2 \sin \phi \sin \psi \cos \psi d\theta \wedge d\psi \\
&\quad + R^2 \cos \phi \cos \theta \sin \theta \cos \psi \sin \psi d\phi \wedge d\psi) \wedge (-R \sin \psi d\psi) \\
\\
&= -R^3 \cos \phi \sin^2 \theta \sin^3 \psi d\theta \wedge d\phi \wedge d\psi \\
\\
&= R^3 \cos \phi \sin^2 \theta \sin^3 \psi d\phi \wedge d\theta \wedge d\psi
\end{aligned}$$

Now we'll find $xdy \wedge dz \wedge dw$.

$$\begin{aligned}
xdy \wedge dz \wedge dw &= (R \cos \phi \sin \theta \sin \psi)(R^3 \cos \phi \sin^2 \theta \sin^3 \psi d\phi \wedge d\theta \wedge d\psi) \\
&= R^4 \cos^2 \phi \sin^3 \theta \sin^4 \psi d\phi \wedge d\theta \wedge d\psi
\end{aligned}$$

Finally, we'll integrate.

$$\begin{aligned}
\int_{D^4} xdy \wedge dz \wedge dw &= \int_{D^4} R^4 \cos^2 \phi \sin^3 \theta \sin^4 \psi d\phi \wedge d\theta \wedge d\psi \\
&= R^4 \int_0^{2\pi} \cos^2 \phi d\phi \int_0^\pi \sin^3 \theta d\theta \int_0^\pi \sin^4 \psi d\psi \\
&= R^4 \int_0^{2\pi} \cos^2 \phi d\phi \int_0^\pi (1 - \cos^2 \theta) \sin \theta d\theta \int_0^\pi \left[\frac{1}{2} (1 - \cos 2\psi) \right]^2 d\psi \\
&= R^4 \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{1}{2} (1 - \cos 2\phi) \int_0^\pi (u^2 - 1) du \int_0^\pi \frac{1}{4} (1 - 2\cos(2\psi) + \cos^2(2\psi)) d\psi \\
&= R^4 \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{1}{2} d\phi \int_0^\pi (u^2 - 1) du \int_0^\pi \frac{1}{4} (1 - 2\cos(2\psi) + \frac{1}{2}(1 + \cos(4\psi))) d\psi \\
&= R^4 \cdot \pi \cdot \frac{4}{3} \cdot \int_0^\pi \left(\frac{3}{8} - 2\cos(2\psi) + \frac{1}{8}\cos(4\psi) \right) d\psi \\
&= \frac{4}{3}\pi R^4 \cdot \left(\frac{3}{8}\psi - \frac{1}{4}\sin(2\psi) - \frac{1}{32}\sin(4\psi) \right) \Big|_0^\pi \\
&= \frac{4}{3}\pi R^4 \cdot \frac{3}{8}\pi \\
&= \frac{1}{2}\pi^2 R^4
\end{aligned}$$

(d) Argue by symmetry that $\text{area}(D^4) = 2\pi^2 R^3$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{vol}(D^4) &= \frac{1}{2}\pi^2 r^4 \\ d(\text{vol}(D^4)) &= d\left(\frac{1}{2}\pi^2 r^4\right) \\ d(\text{vol}(D^4)) &= 2\pi^2 r^3 dr \\ \frac{d(\text{vol}(D^4))}{dr} &= 2\pi^2 r^3 \\ \text{area}(D^4) &= 2\pi^2 R^3 \end{aligned}$$

54. Verify my claim that in 5-dimensional Minkowski space we find that $*(dt) = -dx \wedge dy \wedge dz \wedge dw$.

$$\begin{aligned} *(dt) &= \frac{1}{p! (n-p)!} \gamma^i \epsilon_{ijklm} dx^j \wedge dx^k \wedge dx^l \wedge dx^m \\ &= \frac{1}{p! (n-p)!} (-1) \delta_i^0 \epsilon_{ijklm} dx^j \wedge dx^k \wedge dx^l \wedge dx^m \\ &= \frac{1}{1! (5-1)!} \epsilon_{0,jklm} dx^j \wedge dx^k \wedge dx^l \wedge dx^m \\ &= -\frac{1}{24} (\epsilon_{01234} dx \wedge dy \wedge dz \wedge dw + \epsilon_{01243} dx \wedge dy \wedge dw \wedge dz \\ &\quad + \epsilon_{01324} dx \wedge dz \wedge dy \wedge dw + \epsilon_{01342} dx \wedge dz \wedge dw \wedge dy \\ &\quad + \epsilon_{01423} dx \wedge dw \wedge dy \wedge dz + \epsilon_{01432} dx \wedge dw \wedge dz \wedge dy \\ &\quad + \epsilon_{02134} dy \wedge dx \wedge dz \wedge dw + \epsilon_{02143} dy \wedge dx \wedge dw \wedge dz \\ &\quad + \epsilon_{02314} dy \wedge dz \wedge dx \wedge dw + \epsilon_{02341} dy \wedge dz \wedge dw \wedge dx \\ &\quad + \epsilon_{02413} dy \wedge dw \wedge dx \wedge dz + \epsilon_{02431} dy \wedge dw \wedge dz \wedge dx \\ &\quad + \epsilon_{03124} dz \wedge dx \wedge dy \wedge dw + \epsilon_{03142} dz \wedge dx \wedge dw \wedge dy \\ &\quad + \epsilon_{03214} dz \wedge dy \wedge dx \wedge dw + \epsilon_{03241} dz \wedge dy \wedge dw \wedge dx \\ &\quad + \epsilon_{03412} dz \wedge dw \wedge dx \wedge dy + \epsilon_{03421} dz \wedge dw \wedge dy \wedge dx \\ &\quad + \epsilon_{04123} dw \wedge dx \wedge dy \wedge dz + \epsilon_{04132} dw \wedge dx \wedge dz \wedge dy \\ &\quad + \epsilon_{04213} dw \wedge dy \wedge dx \wedge dz + \epsilon_{04231} dw \wedge dy \wedge dz \wedge dx \\ &\quad + \epsilon_{04312} dw \wedge dz \wedge dx \wedge dy + \epsilon_{04321} dw \wedge dz \wedge dy \wedge dx) \\ &= -\frac{1}{24} (24 \epsilon_{01234} dx \wedge dy \wedge dz \wedge dw) \\ &= -\frac{1}{24} (24(1) dx \wedge dy \wedge dz \wedge dw) \\ &= -dx \wedge dy \wedge dz \wedge dw \end{aligned}$$