(10 points) Let D = {(x, y, z) ∈ ℝ³ : 0 ≤ x ≤ 2, 0 ≤ y ≤ x, 0 ≤ z ≤ y}.
Write ∫∫∫_D x²dV as an iterated integral in terms of dzdydx, dzdxdy, dxdzdy, and dxdydz.
Solution: By switching two consecutive integrals at a time (draw the 2-D regions), we can see that

$$\iiint_D x^2 dV$$
$$= \int_0^2 \int_0^x \int_0^y x^2 dz dy dx$$
$$= \int_0^2 \int_y^2 \int_0^y x^2 dz dx dy$$
$$= \int_0^2 \int_0^y \int_y^2 x^2 dx dz dy$$
$$= \int_0^2 \int_z^2 \int_y^2 x^2 dx dy dz.$$

2. (5 points) Evaluate $\int_0^1 \int_{\sqrt{x}}^x e^{x/y} dy dx$.

Solution: Again, draw the 2-D region. Note that we are going from $y = \sqrt{x}$ to x, so the region is not oriented the way we learned for Fubini's Theorem. So we should first rewrite

$$\int_{0}^{1} \int_{\sqrt{x}}^{x} e^{x/y} dy dx = -\int_{0}^{1} \int_{x}^{\sqrt{x}} e^{x/y} dy dx.$$

Now we can draw the region or write the correct inequalities (this would have worked for Fubini the other way as well: $\sqrt{x} \le y \le x$ means $x \le y^2 \le x^2$ since all quantities are positive), and use Fubini's theorem to get

$$\int_0^1 \int_x^{\sqrt{x}} e^{x/y} dy dx = \int_0^1 \int_{y^2}^y e^{x/y} dx dy = \int_0^1 y e^{x/y} |_{y^2}^y dy = \int_0^1 y e^{-y} e^{y} dy = y^2 (e/2) - (y e^y - e^y) |_0^1 = e/2 - 1.$$

So the final answer is -e/2 + 1.

3. (5 points) Evaluate $\int_0^{\pi} \int_0^1 \int_0^1 e^{z^2 y^2 \sin(yz)} \cos(x) dz dy dx$.

Solution: Since all limits of integration are scalars, and the function we are integrating can be written as f(x, y, z) = g(x)h(y, z), we can split the integral into

$$\int_0^{\pi} \cos(x) dx \int_0^1 \int_0^1 e^{z^2 y^2 \sin(yz)} dz dy.$$

The left integral is zero, so the final answer is zero.

4. (10 points) Bound the integral $\int_0^{10} \int_0^{10} \int_0^{10} \sin(x^3y^3z^3) dx dy dz$ above and below. What is your opinion of the bounds?

Solution: Since $-1 \le \sin(x) \le 1$ for any x, we know

$$\int_0^{10} \int_0^{10} \int_0^{10} -1dxdydz \le \int_0^{10} \int_0^{10} \int_0^{10} \sin(x^3y^3z^3)dxdydz \le \int_0^{10} \int_0^{10} \int_0^{10} 1dxdydz.$$

The leftmost integral is equal to -10^3 and the rightmost integral is 10^3 . So

$$-10^{3} \le \int_{0}^{10} \int_{0}^{10} \int_{0}^{10} \sin(x^{3}y^{3}z^{3}) dx dy dz \le 10^{3}.$$

However, this is a bad approximation since $\sin(x^3y^3z^3)$ oscillates a lot in any large box. (Unfortunately, basic WolframAlpha times out during the computation of the above integral.)

5. (6 points) Extra Credit: only using triple integrals and changes of variables¹, show that the volume of the ellipsoid

$$E = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 : \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} + \frac{z^2}{c^2} \le 1\}$$

is equal to *abc* times the volume of the unit ball $B = \{(u, v, w) \in \mathbb{R}^3 : u^2 + v^2 + w^2 \le 1\}.$

Solution: The quick solution (but you would need to be very comfortable with change of variables) is let x = au, y = bv, z = cw. Then the region $\{x^2/a^2 + y^2/b^2 + z^2/c^2 \leq 1\}$ changes to the region $\{u^2 + v^2 + w^2 \leq 1\}$. The volume of the new region is just $4\pi/3$. Now, if x = au, thinking of the integral as iterated integrals, dx = adu, and so on. Therefore

$$\iiint_E dxdydz = \iiint_B (adu)(bdv)(cdw) = abc \iiint_B dudvdw = abc \operatorname{Vol}(B) = abc 4\pi/3.$$

A slightly longer way that you might be more comfortable with would be to write the limits explicitly and change one variable at a time (obeying the Calculus 2 rules):

$$\iiint_E dxdydz = \int_{-c}^c \int_{-b\sqrt{1-z^2/c^2}}^{b\sqrt{1-z^2/c^2}} \int_{-a\sqrt{1-y^2/b^2-z^2/c^2}}^{a\sqrt{1-y^2/b^2-z^2/c^2}} dxdydz$$

Now let x = au so that adu = dx and the limits change by u = x/a. We get the above integral equals

$$\int_{-c}^{c} \int_{-b\sqrt{1-z^2/c^2}}^{b\sqrt{1-z^2/c^2}} \int_{-\sqrt{1-y^2/b^2-z^2/c^2}}^{\sqrt{1-y^2/b^2-z^2/c^2}} a du dy dz = \int_{-c}^{c} \int_{-b\sqrt{1-z^2/c^2}}^{b\sqrt{1-z^2/c^2}} 2a\sqrt{1-y^2/b^2-z^2/c^2} dy dz$$

Change variables again by y = bv to get the above equals

$$\int_{-c}^{c} \int_{-\sqrt{1-z^2/c^2}}^{\sqrt{1-z^2/c^2}} 2ab\sqrt{1-v^2-z^2/c^2} dv dz.$$

Now let $f(z) = \int_{-b\sqrt{1-z^2/c^2}}^{b\sqrt{1-z^2/c^2}} 2ab\sqrt{1-v^2-z^2/c^2}dv$. The last remaining integral is

$$\int_{-c}^{c} f(z)dz$$

which is just a single integral and so it obeys all the change of variables you previously learned. Letting z = cw finishes the problem, after you notice that the integral left is the same as *abc* times the volume of the unit ball.

¹The change of variables you use should be from a previous class, not from Chapter 6. Remember that computing an iterated triple integral is just iterating a single integral three times, so all previous results hold for each integral separately.