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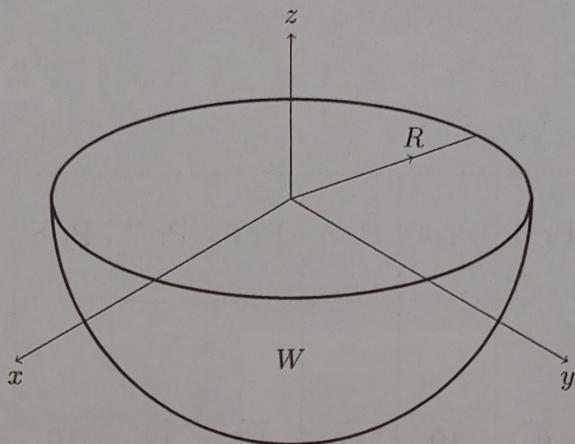
Midterm 2

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In Problems 1–3, you will be asked to find various characteristics of a homogeneous lower hemi-sphere W of radius R and mass M centered at the origin, its equatorial plane coinciding with the (xy) -plane as shown on the picture below.

$$m(x, y, z) = \text{const}$$

$$M = \frac{M}{V} = \frac{M}{\frac{2}{3}\pi R^3} = \frac{3M}{2\pi R^3}$$



Problem 1 Find the centroid of W .

10 pts

By symmetry, $\bar{x} = \bar{y} = 0$.

$$M = \iiint_W m(x, y, z) dV = M \iiint_W dV = \frac{1}{2} M \left(\frac{4}{3} \pi R^3 \right) = \frac{2}{3} M \pi R^3$$

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{z} &= \frac{3}{2M\pi R^3} \iiint_W z m(x, y, z) dV = \frac{3}{2\pi R^3} \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^R (p \cos \phi) p^2 \sin \phi \, dp \, d\theta \, d\phi \\ &= \frac{3}{2\pi R^3} \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} \int_0^R p^3 \sin \phi \cos \phi \, dp \, d\phi = \frac{3}{2\pi R^3} \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} \sin \phi \cos \phi \left(\frac{1}{4} p^4 \right) \Big|_0^R \, d\phi. \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{3}{4} R \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} \sin \phi \cos \phi \, d\phi = \frac{3}{4} R \int_1^0 w \, dw = -\frac{3}{4} R \left(\frac{1}{2} w^2 \right) \Big|_0^1 = -\frac{3}{8} R$$

Let $w = \sin \phi$
 $dw = \cos \phi \, d\phi$

$$\boxed{L = (0, 0, -\frac{3}{8} R)}$$

$$\mu = \frac{3M}{2\pi R^3}$$

Problem 2 Find the moments of inertia of W with respect to the x , y , and z axes. Hint: it will help a lot if you think about the symmetries of the sphere!

14 pts

• I_x

6 pts

$$\begin{aligned}
 I_x &= \iiint_W (y^2 + z^2) \mu \, dV = \mu \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^R [(\rho \sin \phi \sin \theta)^2 + (\rho \cos \phi)^2] \rho^2 \sin \phi \, d\rho d\theta d\phi \\
 &= \mu \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^R \rho^4 \sin^3 \phi \sin^2 \theta + \rho^4 \sin^2 \phi \cos^2 \phi \, d\rho d\theta d\phi = \mu \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \left[\sin^3 \phi \sin^2 \theta \left(\frac{1}{5} \rho^5 \right) \right]_0^R + \sin \phi \cos^2 \phi \left(\frac{1}{5} \rho^5 \right) \Big|_0^R \, d\theta d\phi \\
 &= \frac{1}{5} \mu R^5 \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \sin^3 \phi \left(\frac{1 - \cos 2\theta}{2} \right) + \sin \phi \cos^2 \phi \, d\theta d\phi = \frac{1}{5} \mu R^5 \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} \left[\sin^3 \phi \left(\frac{1}{2} \theta - \frac{1}{4} \sin 2\theta \right) \right]_0^{2\pi} + \sin \phi \cos^2 \phi (\theta) \Big|_0^{2\pi} \, d\phi \\
 &= \frac{1}{5} \mu R^5 \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} 2\pi \sin^3 \phi + 2\pi \sin \phi \cos^2 \phi \, d\phi = \frac{\pi}{5} \mu R^5 \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} (1 - \cos^2 \phi) \sin \phi + 2 \sin \phi \cos^2 \phi \, d\phi \\
 &= -\frac{\pi}{5} \mu R^5 \int_0^{-1} 1 - w^2 + 2w^2 \, dw = \frac{\pi}{5} \mu R^5 \int_{-1}^0 1 + w^2 \, dw = \frac{\pi}{5} \mu R^5 \left(w + \frac{1}{3} w^3 \right) \Big|_{-1}^0 = \frac{\pi}{5} \mu R^5 (1 + \frac{1}{3}) = \frac{4\pi}{15} \mu R^5 \\
 &= \frac{4\pi}{15} R^5 \left(\frac{3M}{2\pi R^3} \right) = \boxed{\frac{2}{5} MR^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

Let $w = \cos \phi$
 $dw = -\sin \phi \, d\phi$

The problem continues to the next page.

$$\mu = \frac{3M}{2\pi R^3}$$

• I_y

2 pts

By symmetry, $I_x = I_y$. (The distribution of mass relative to the x-axis is the same as its distribution relative to the y-axis.)

$$I_y = \frac{2}{5} MR^2$$

• I_z

6 pts

$$\begin{aligned}
 I_z &= \iiint_W (x^2 + y^2) \mu \, dV = \mu \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^R [(r \sin \phi \cos \theta)^2 + (r \sin \phi \sin \theta)^2] r^2 \sin \phi \, dr \, d\theta \, d\phi \\
 &= \mu \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^R r^4 \sin^3 \phi \, dr \, d\theta \, d\phi = \mu \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} \left[\frac{1}{5} r^5 \sin^3 \phi \right]_0^R \, d\theta \, d\phi \\
 &= \frac{1}{5} \mu R^5 \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \sin^3 \phi \, d\theta \, d\phi = \frac{1}{5} \mu R^5 \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} \left[\sin^3 \phi \right]_0^{2\pi} \, d\phi \\
 &= \frac{2\pi}{5} \mu R^5 \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} (1 - \cos^2 \phi) \sin \phi \, d\phi = -\frac{2\pi}{5} \mu R^5 \int_0^1 (1 - w^2) \, dw \\
 &= \frac{2\pi}{5} \mu R^5 \left(w - \frac{1}{3} w^3 \right) \Big|_0^1 = \frac{2\pi}{5} \mu R^5 \left(1 - \frac{1}{3} \right) = \frac{4\pi}{15} \mu R^5 \\
 &= \frac{4\pi}{15} R^5 \left(\frac{3M}{2\pi R^3} \right) = \boxed{\frac{2}{5} MR^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

Let $w = \cos \phi$

$$dw = -\sin \phi \, d\phi$$

Problem 3 Find the radii of gyration of W with respect to the x , y , and z axes. 6 pts

- R_x ($r_g = \sqrt{\frac{I}{M}}$) 2 pts

$$R_x = \sqrt{\frac{2}{5} MR^2 + \frac{1}{M}}$$

$$\boxed{R_x = \frac{\sqrt{10}}{5} R}$$

- R_y 2 pts

$$R_y = \sqrt{\frac{2}{5} MR^2 + \frac{1}{M}}$$

$$\boxed{R_y = \frac{\sqrt{10}}{5} R}$$

- R_z 2 pts

$$R_z = \sqrt{\frac{2}{5} MR^2 + \frac{1}{M}}$$

$$\boxed{R_z = \frac{\sqrt{10}}{5} R}$$

Problem 4 Find the length of a *circle involute* 10 pts

$$x = R(\cos t + t \sin t), \quad y = R(\sin t - t \cos t), \quad 0 \leq t \leq 2.$$

$$\dot{x} = -R \sin t + R t \cos t$$

$$+ R \sin t$$

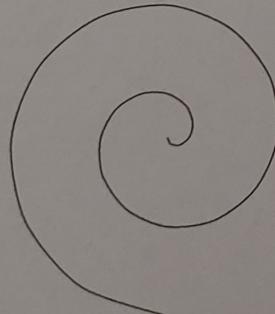
$$\ddot{x} = R t \cos t$$

$$\dot{y} = R \cos t + R t \sin t$$

$$- R \cos t$$

$$\ddot{y} = R t \sin t$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^2 1 \, dt &= \int_0^2 \sqrt{(Rt \cos t)^2 + (Rt \sin t)^2} \, dt = \int_0^2 \sqrt{R^2 t^2 (\cos^2 t + \sin^2 t)} \, dt \\ &= \int_0^2 Rt \, dt = R \left(\frac{1}{2} t^2 \right) \Big|_0^2 = \boxed{2R} \end{aligned}$$



Problem 5

18 pts

- Use vector notations to formulate Coulomb's Law for the electric point-charges Q and q . (Q at origin, q at $P = (x, y, z)$)

2 pts

$$\vec{F}_E = k \frac{Qq}{\|\vec{r}\|^2} \hat{r}, \quad \vec{r} = \langle x, y, z \rangle, \quad \|\vec{r}\| = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}, \quad \hat{r} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}} \langle x, y, z \rangle$$

$$\boxed{\vec{F}_E = \frac{kQq}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{3/2}} \langle x, y, z \rangle} \quad (\text{electric force})$$

$$\boxed{\vec{E} = \frac{\vec{F}_E}{q} = \frac{kQ}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{3/2}} \langle x, y, z \rangle} \quad (\text{electric field})$$

- Find the potential ∇U an electric charge Q placed at the origin creates at a point $P = (x, y, z)$. Check that the found ∇U is the potential by computing $\nabla \nabla U$.

6 pts

(electric potential/voltage,
NOT electric potential energy)

$$U = -k \frac{Q}{\|\vec{r}\|}$$

$$\boxed{U = -\frac{kQ}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}}} \quad (\text{electric potential/voltage})$$

$$\nabla U = \left\langle -kQ \left(\frac{-\frac{1}{2}}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{3/2}} \cdot 2x \right), -kQ \left(\frac{-\frac{1}{2}}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{3/2}} \cdot 2y \right), -kQ \left(\frac{-\frac{1}{2}}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{3/2}} \cdot 2z \right) \right\rangle$$

$$\nabla U = \left\langle \frac{kQx}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{3/2}}, \frac{kQy}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{3/2}}, \frac{kQz}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{3/2}} \right\rangle$$

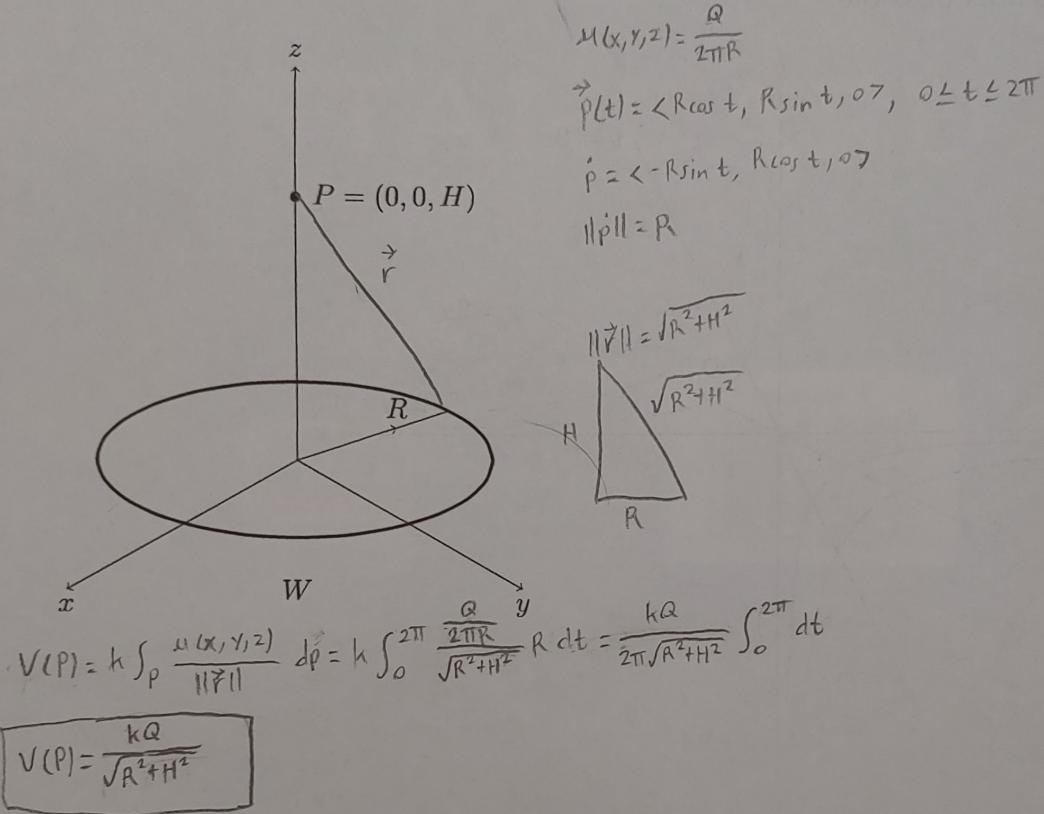
$$\nabla U = \frac{kQ}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{3/2}} \langle x, y, z \rangle$$

$$\boxed{\nabla U = \vec{E}}$$

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- An electric charge Q is evenly distributed along a thin circular wire of radius R located in the xy -plane and centered at the origin as on the picture below. Find the potential of the wire at the point $P = (0, 0, H)$.

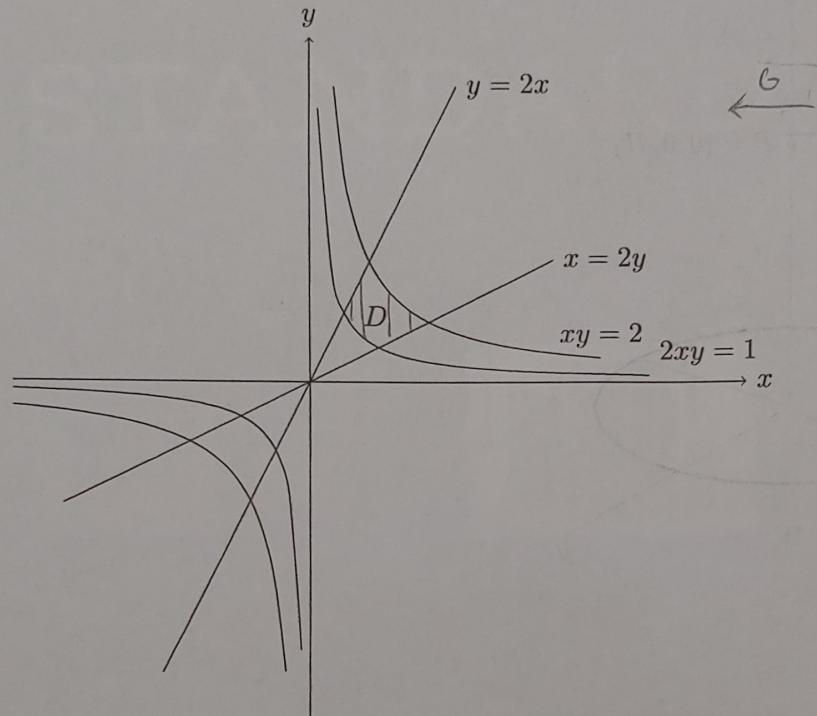
10 pts



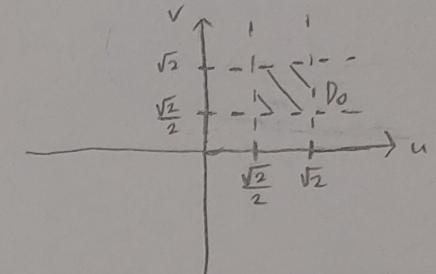
Problem 6

10 pts

Find the area of the region D in the first quadrant bounded by the curves on the picture below. Leave the answer in the symbolic form, but simplify it as much as possible.



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$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{2} \leq xy &\leq 2 & u = \sqrt{xy} & \quad uv = y \\ \frac{1}{2} \leq \frac{y}{x} &\leq 2 & v = \sqrt{\frac{y}{x}} & \quad \frac{u}{v} = x \\ G(u, v) = \left(\frac{u}{v}, uv\right) \end{aligned}$$

$$J(G) = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial x}{\partial u} & \frac{\partial x}{\partial v} \\ \frac{\partial y}{\partial u} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial v} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{1}{v} & -\frac{u}{v^2} \\ v & u \end{vmatrix}$$

$$J(G) = \left(\frac{1}{v}\right)u - v\left(-\frac{u}{v^2}\right) = \frac{u}{v} + \frac{u}{v}$$

$$J(G) = \frac{2u}{v}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_D dx dy &= \iint_{D_0} \frac{2u}{v} du dv = 2 \int_{\sqrt{2}/2}^{\sqrt{2}} \int_{\sqrt{2}/2}^{\sqrt{2}} \frac{u}{v} du dv = \boxed{2 \int_{\sqrt{2}/2}^{\sqrt{2}} u du \int_{\sqrt{2}/2}^{\sqrt{2}} \frac{1}{v} dv} \\ &= 2 \int_{\sqrt{2}/2}^{\sqrt{2}} \frac{1}{v} \left(\frac{1}{2}u^2\right) \Big|_{\sqrt{2}/2}^{\sqrt{2}} dv = \int_{\sqrt{2}/2}^{\sqrt{2}} \frac{1}{v} \left(2 - \frac{1}{2}\right) dv = \frac{3}{2} \int_{\sqrt{2}/2}^{\sqrt{2}} \frac{1}{v} dv \\ &= \frac{3}{2} \ln|v| \Big|_{\sqrt{2}/2}^{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{3}{2} \ln \sqrt{2} - \frac{3}{2} \ln \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} = \frac{3}{2} \ln \left(\sqrt{2} \cdot \frac{2}{\sqrt{2}}\right) = \boxed{\frac{3}{2} \ln 2} \end{aligned}$$

Problem 7**12 pts**

- Write down the formulas that express the rectangular coordinates **2 pts** x, y , and z as functions of the spherical coordinates ρ, ϕ , and θ .

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

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

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

- Find the Jacobian of the coordinate change. **10 pts**

$$G(\rho, \phi, \theta) = (\rho \sin \phi \cos \theta, \rho \sin \phi \sin \theta, \rho \cos \phi)$$

$$J(G) = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial x}{\partial \rho} & \frac{\partial x}{\partial \phi} & \frac{\partial x}{\partial \theta} \\ \frac{\partial y}{\partial \rho} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial \phi} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial \theta} \\ \frac{\partial z}{\partial \rho} & \frac{\partial z}{\partial \phi} & \frac{\partial z}{\partial \theta} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} \sin \phi \cos \theta & \rho \cos \phi \cos \theta & -\rho \sin \phi \sin \theta \\ \sin \phi \sin \theta & \rho \cos \phi \sin \theta & \rho \sin \phi \cos \theta \\ \cos \phi & -\rho \sin \phi & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$J(G) = \rho^2 \sin \phi \cos^2 \phi \cos^2 \theta + \rho^2 \sin^3 \phi \sin^2 \theta + \rho^2 \sin^3 \phi \cos^2 \theta + \rho^2 \sin \phi \cos^2 \phi \sin^2 \theta$$

$$J(G) = \rho^2 \sin \phi (\cos^2 \phi \cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \phi \sin^2 \theta + \sin^2 \phi \cos^2 \theta + \cos^2 \phi \sin^2 \theta)$$

$$J(G) = \rho^2 \sin \phi (\sin^2 \phi (\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta) + \cos^2 \phi (\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta))$$

$$J(G) = \rho^2 \sin \phi (\sin^2 \phi + \cos^2 \phi)$$

$$\boxed{J(G) = \rho^2 \sin \phi}$$

Problem 8

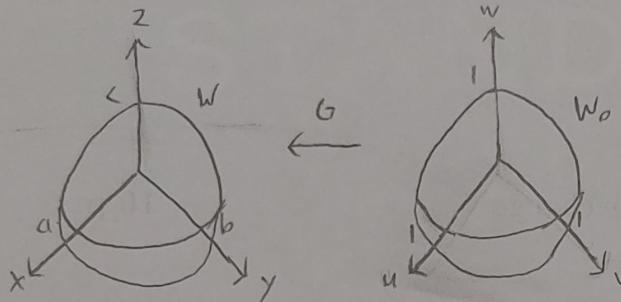
10 pts

Find the volume of the following ellipsoid. Hint: a coordinate change helps!

$$G(u, v, w) = (au, bv, cw)$$

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} + \frac{z^2}{c^2} = 1$$

$$J(G) = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial x}{\partial u} & \frac{\partial x}{\partial v} & \frac{\partial x}{\partial w} \\ \frac{\partial y}{\partial u} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial v} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial w} \\ \frac{\partial z}{\partial u} & \frac{\partial z}{\partial v} & \frac{\partial z}{\partial w} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} a & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & b & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & c \end{vmatrix} = abc$$



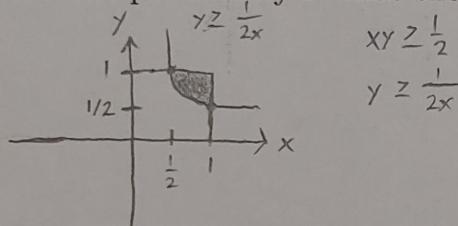
$$\begin{aligned} \iiint_W dx dy dz &= \iiint_{W_0} abc du dv dw = abc \int_0^\pi \int_0^1 \int_0^1 \rho^2 \sin \phi \, d\rho \, d\theta \, d\phi \\ &= abc \int_0^\pi d\theta \int_0^1 \sin \phi \left(\frac{1}{3} \rho^3 \right) \Big|_0^1 \, d\phi = \frac{2\pi}{3} abc \int_0^\pi \sin \phi \, d\phi \\ &= \frac{2\pi}{3} abc (-\cos \phi) \Big|_0^\pi = \boxed{\frac{4\pi}{3} abc} \end{aligned}$$

Problem 9**10 pts**

The real numbers X and Y are randomly and independently chosen between zero and one. The joint probability density is

$$p(x, y) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } (x, y) \in [0, 1] \times [0, 1] \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Find the probability P that the product XY is at least $1/2$.



$$\begin{aligned} P(XY \geq \frac{1}{2}) &= \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^1 \int_{\frac{1}{2x}}^1 1 dy dx = \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^1 y \Big|_{\frac{1}{2x}}^1 dx = \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^1 1 - \frac{1}{2x} dx \\ &= \left(x - \frac{1}{2} \ln |x| \right) \Big|_{\frac{1}{2}}^1 = 1 - \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \ln 1 + \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{1}{2} = \boxed{\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \ln 2} \end{aligned}$$