



1. Guided Jones 11-10, d'oh

Suppose $0 \leq a \leq b$. Find the surface area of the torus obtained by revolving the circle $(x-b)^2 + z^2 = a^2$ in the xz -plane about the z -axis.

Suggestion: Show that the torus admits the parametrization $0 \leq \varphi, \theta \leq 2\pi$ by

$$\begin{aligned} x &= (b + a \cos \varphi) \cos \theta \\ y &= (b + a \cos \varphi) \sin \theta \\ z &= a \sin \varphi \end{aligned}$$

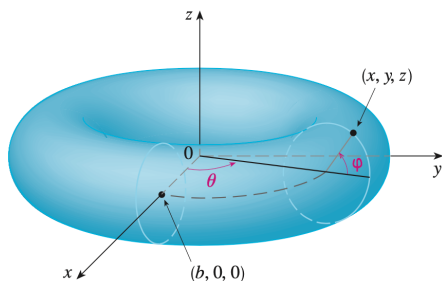


Figure 1: The hollow blue donut

2. Exercise 3.17

If S is an oriented surface, N is the corresponding unit normal field, and $p \in S$, then we say that a basis $\{a, b\}$ of the tangent plane $T_p S$ is *positively oriented* when $\det(a, b, N(p)) > 0$. Otherwise we say that it is *negatively oriented*. If S_1 and S_2 are two oriented surfaces, we say that a local diffeomorphism $f : S_1 \rightarrow S_2$ *preserves orientation* if its differential at each point of S_1 takes positively oriented bases on S_1 into positively oriented bases on S_2 . We define a function

$$\text{Jac} f : S_1 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

that is called the *Jacobian* of f by the equation

$$(\text{Jac} f)(p) = \det((df)_p(e_1), (df)_p(e_2), N_2(f(p))),$$

where $\{e_1, e_2\}$ is a positively oriented orthonormal basis of $T_p S_1$.

Prove that, if S_1 and S_2 are connected, f preserves orientation if and only if its Jacobian is positive everywhere.

3. Exercise 3.16

Consider two diffeomorphic surfaces S_1 and S_2 . Show that S_1 is orientable if and only if S_2 is orientable.

* Assignment Reflections

How difficult was this assignment? How many hours did you spend on it? Which problems did you find to provide a worthwhile learning experience?