

Closing Wed: HW_1A, 1B, 1C
Read newsletter and postings.
Read sections 5.2, 5.3, and 5.4.

Entry Task: Approximate the area under $f(x) = 1 + x^2$ from $x = 2$ to $x = 3$ using Riemann sums with $n = 4$ and right endpoints.

Step 1: $\Delta x = \frac{b-a}{n} =$

Step 2: $x_0 = a =$

$x_1 = a + \Delta x =$

$x_2 = a + 2\Delta x =$

$x_3 = a + 3\Delta x =$

$x_4 = a + 4\Delta x =$

Step 3: Plug in right endpoints to get rectangle heights

Area \approx

$$f(x_1)\Delta x + f(x_2)\Delta x + f(x_3)\Delta x + f(x_4)\Delta x$$

Pattern?

$$x_i = a + i \Delta x =$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^4 f(x_i)\Delta x =$$

General pattern in terms of n ?

Another Example:

Using sigma notation, write down the general Riemann sum definition of the area from $x = 5$ to $x = 7$ under

$$f(x) = 3x + \sqrt{x}$$

$$\Delta x = \frac{b - a}{n} =$$

$$x_i = a + i \Delta x$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n f(x_i) \Delta x =$$

Velocity/Distance & Reimann Sums

When velocity is a *constant*:

$$\text{Distance} = \text{Velocity} \cdot \text{Time}$$

If velocity is not constant, we can break the problem and approximate by assuming that velocity is constant over each subdivision.

Example:

You are accelerating in a car. You get the following measurements:

t (sec)	0	0.5	1.0	1.5	2.0
v(t) (ft/s)	0	6.2	10.8	14.9	18.1

Estimate the distance traveled by the car traveled from 0 to 2 seconds.

5.2 The Definite Integral

Def'n:

We define the **definite integral of $f(x)$ from $x = a$ to $x = b$** by

$$\int_a^b f(x)dx = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n f(x_i)\Delta x,$$

where $\Delta x = \frac{b-a}{n}$ and $x_i = a + i\Delta x$.

Some Basic Definite Integral Rules:

$$1. \int_a^b c \, dx = (b - a)c$$

$$2. \int_a^b f(x) \, dx + \int_b^c f(x) \, dx = \int_a^c f(x) \, dx$$

$$3. \int_a^b cf(x) \, dx = c \int_a^b f(x) \, dx$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \int_a^b f(x) + g(x) \, dx \\ = \int_a^b f(x) \, dx + \int_a^b g(x) \, dx \end{aligned}$$

$$4. \int_b^a f(x) \, dx = - \int_a^b f(x) \, dx$$

Examples:

$$1. \int_4^{10} 5 \, dx =$$

$$2. \int_0^3 x^2 \, dx + \int_3^7 x^2 \, dx =$$

$$3. \int_0^4 5x + 3 \, dx =$$

$$4. \int_3^1 x^3 \, dx = - \int_1^3 x^3 \, dx$$

Note on quick bounds (HW_1C: 9,10)

$$m(b - a) \leq \int_a^b f(x) dx \leq M(b - a)$$

Example: Consider the area under
 $f(x) = \sin(x) + 2$
on the interval $x = 0$ to $x = 2\pi$.

- (a) What is the max of $f(x)$? (label M)
- (b) What is the min of $f(x)$? (label m)

- (c) Draw **one** rectangle that contains all the shaded area? What can you conclude?
- (d) Draw **one** rectangle that is completely inside the shaded area? Conclusion?

