

6.1: Sigma notation

DEFINITION 1. If $a_m, a_{m+1}, a_{m+2}, \dots, a_n$ are real numbers and m and n are integers such that $m \leq n$, then

$$\sum_{i=m}^n a_i = a_m + a_{m+1} + a_{m+2} + \dots + a_n.$$

EXAMPLE 2. Compute the summation

$$\sum_{i=1}^4 \frac{(-1)^k}{k}$$

EXAMPLE 3. Write the sum in sigma notation:

$$1 + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{16} + \frac{1}{25}$$

THEOREM 4. If c is any constant then

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=m}^n ca_i &= c \sum_{i=m}^n a_i \\ \sum_{i=m}^n (a_i + b_i) &= \sum_{i=m}^n a_i + \sum_{i=m}^n b_i \\ \sum_{i=m}^n (a_i - b_i) &= \sum_{i=m}^n a_i - \sum_{i=m}^n b_i \end{aligned}$$

Note that in general

$$\sum_{i=m}^n a_i b_i \neq \left(\sum_{i=m}^n a_i \right) \cdot \left(\sum_{i=m}^n b_i \right).$$

THEOREM 5.

- $\sum_{i=1}^n 1 = n$
- $\sum_{i=1}^n c = nc$, where c is a constant.
- $\sum_{i=1}^n i = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$
- $\sum_{i=1}^n i^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}$
- $\sum_{i=1}^n i^3 = \left[\frac{n(n+1)}{2} \right]^2$

EXAMPLE 6. *Compute these sums:*

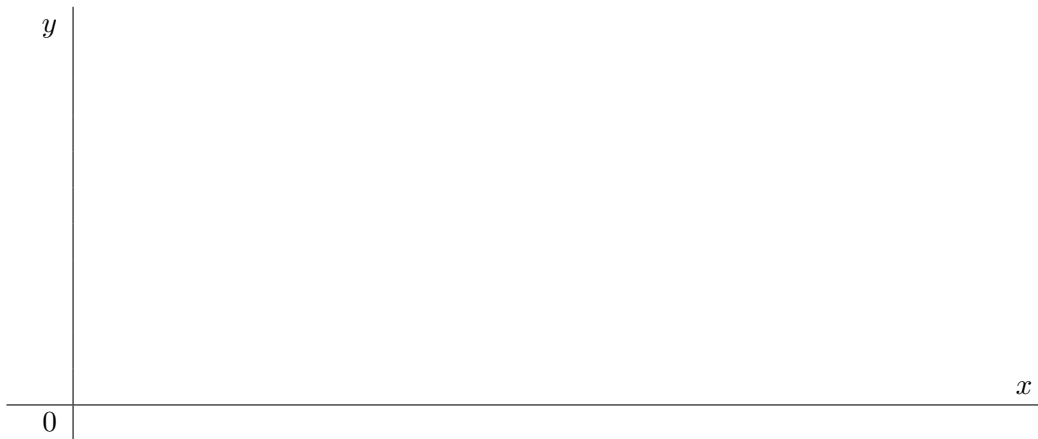
(a) $\sum_{i=1}^n i(i+4) =$

(b) $\sum_{j=1}^n \left[\left(\frac{j}{n} \right)^3 + 1 \right] =$

EXAMPLE 7. *Find the limit:* $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{j=1}^n \frac{1}{n} \left[\left(\frac{j}{n} \right)^3 + 1 \right]$

6.2: Area

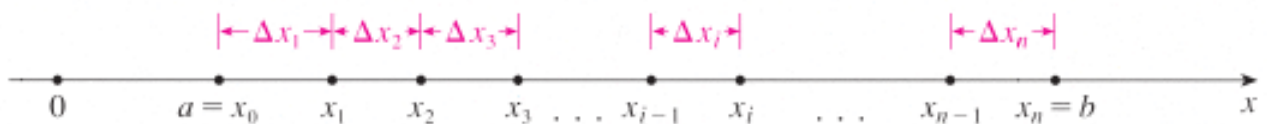
Area problem: Let a function $f(x)$ be positive on some interval $[a, b]$. Determine the area of the region S between the function and the x -axis.



Solution: Choose **partition** points $x_0, x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}, x_n$ so that

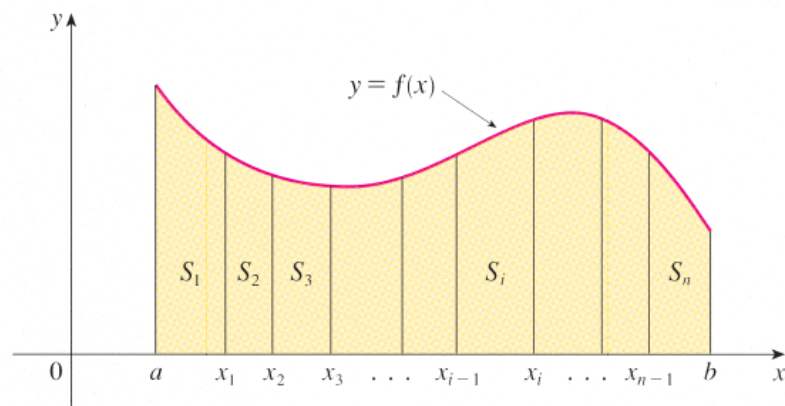
$$a = x_0 \leq x_1 \leq \dots \leq x_{n-1} \leq x_n = b.$$

Use notation $\Delta x_i = x_i - x_{i-1}$ for the length of i th subinterval $[x_{i-1}, x_i]$ ($1 \leq i \leq n$)

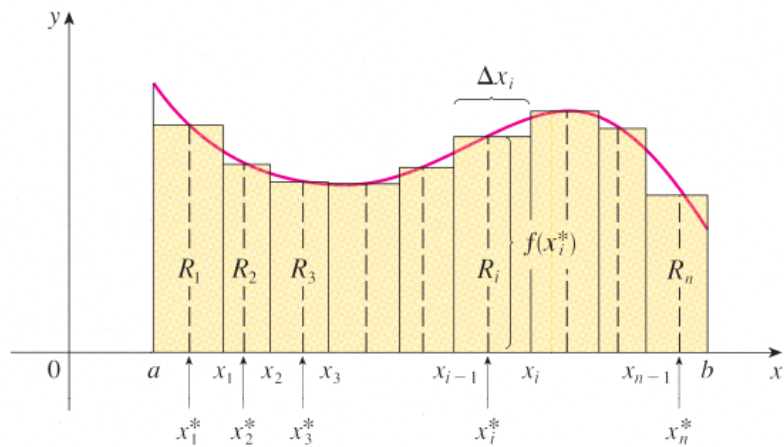


The length of the longest subinterval is denoted by $\|P\|$.

Use the partition P to divide the region S into strips S_1, S_2, \dots, S_n .



Approximate the strips S_1, S_2, \dots, S_n by rectangles R_1, R_2, \dots, R_n .



The location in each subinterval where we compute the height is denoted by x_i^* .

The area of the i th rectangle is

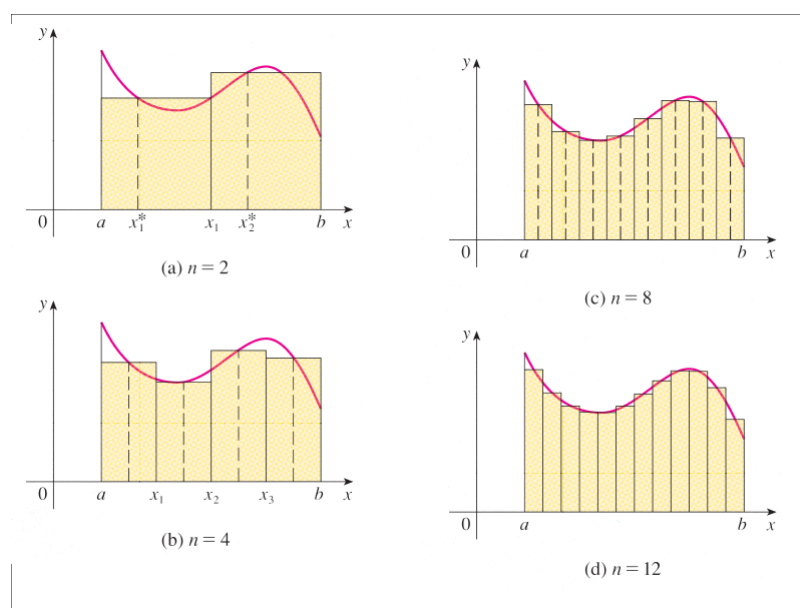
$$A_i =$$

Then

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The area A of the region is:

$$A =$$

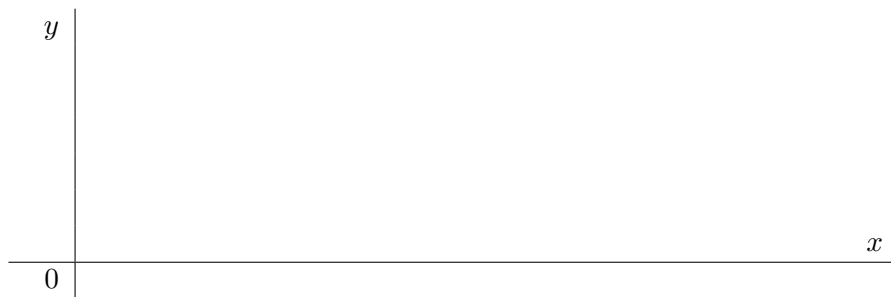


Riemann Sum for a function $f(x)$ on the interval $[a, b]$ is a sum of the form:

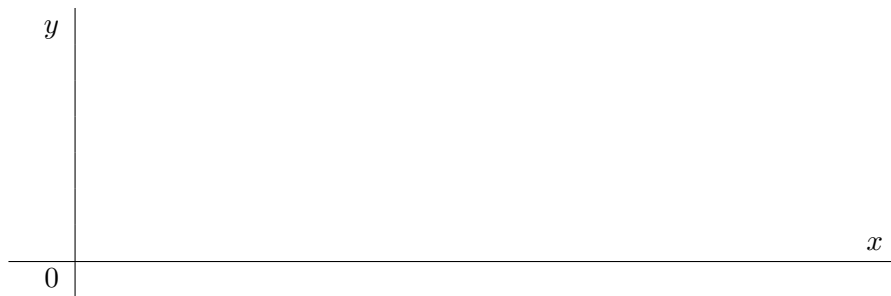
$$\sum_{i=1}^n f(x_i^*) \Delta x_i.$$

Consider a partition has equal subintervals: $x_i = a + i\Delta x$, where $\Delta x = \frac{b-a}{n}$.

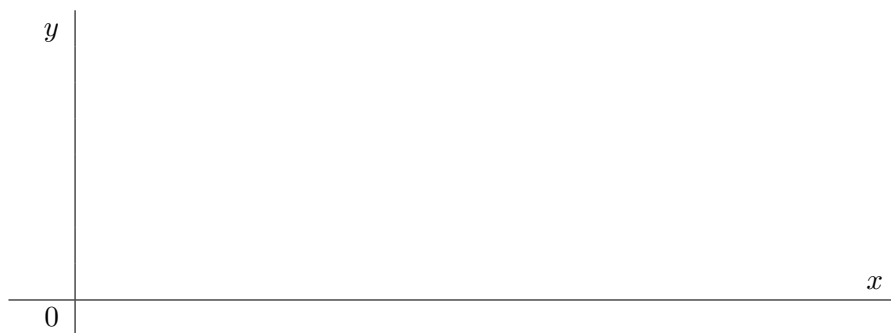
LEFT-HAND RIEMANN SUM :
$$L_n = \sum_{i=1}^n f(x_{i-1}) \Delta x = \sum_{i=1}^n f(a + (i-1)\Delta x) \Delta x$$



RIGHT-HAND RIEMANN SUM :
$$R_n = \sum_{i=1}^n f(x_i) \Delta x = \sum_{i=1}^n f(a+i\Delta x) \Delta x$$



MIDPOINT RIEMANN SUM :
$$M_n = \sum_{i=1}^n f\left(\frac{x_i + x_{i-1}}{2}\right) \Delta x$$



EXAMPLE 8. Given $f(x) = x^3 + 1$ on $[0, 1]$.

(a) Calculate L_2, R_2, M_2 .

(b) Represent area bounded by $f(x) = x^3 + 1$ on the interval $[0, 1]$ using right endpoints by Riemann sum.

(c) Find the area bounded by $f(x) = x^3 + 1$ on the interval $[0, 1]$.

6.3: The Definite Integral

DEFINITION 9. The **definite integral of f from a to b** is

$$\int_a^b f(x) \, dx = \lim_{\|P\| \rightarrow 0} \sum_{i=1}^n f(x_i^*) \Delta x_i$$

if this limit exists. If the limit does exist, then f is called **integrable** on the interval $[a, b]$.

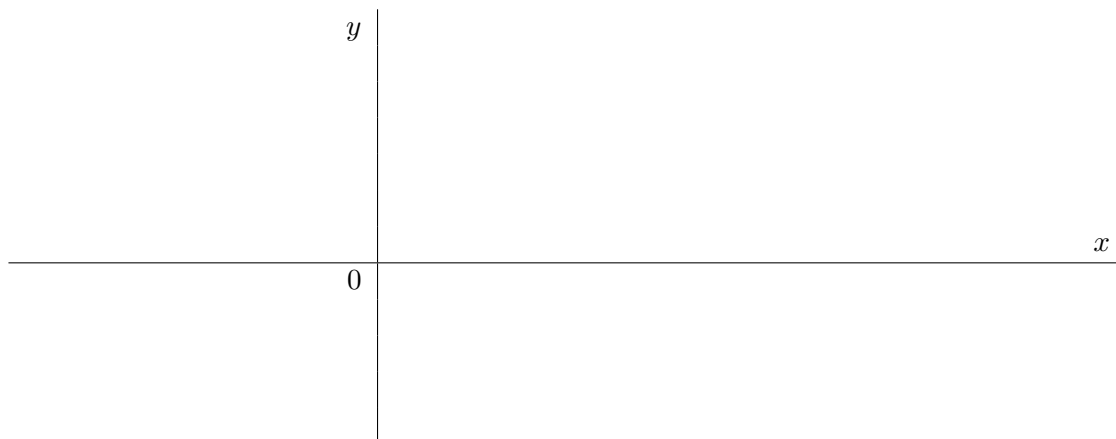
If $f(x) > 0$ on the interval $[a, b]$, then the definite integral is the area bounded by the function f and the lines $y = 0$, $x = a$ and $x = b$.



In general, a definite integral can be interpreted as a difference of areas:

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = A_1 - A_2$$

where A_1 is the area of the region above the x and below the graph of f and A_2 is the area of the region below the x and above the graph of f .



EXAMPLE 10. Evaluate the integrals by $\int_{-1}^3 (2 - x) dx$ interpreting it in terms of areas.

Properties of Definite Integrals:

- $\int_a^b dx = b - a$
- $\int_a^b f(x) \pm g(x) dx = \int_a^b f(x) dx \pm \int_a^b g(x) dx$
- $\int_a^b cf(x) dx = c \int_a^b f(x) dx$, where c is any constant
- $\int_a^b f(x) dx = \int_a^c f(x) dx + \int_c^b f(x) dx$, where $a \leq c \leq b$
- $\int_a^b f(x) dx = - \int_b^a f(x) dx$
- $\int_a^a f(x) dx = 0$
- If $f(x) \geq 0$ for $a \leq x \leq b$, then $\int_a^b f(x) dx \geq 0$
- If $f(x) \geq g(x)$ for $a \leq x \leq b$, then $\int_a^b f(x) dx \geq \int_a^b g(x) dx$
- If $m \leq f(x) \leq M$ for $a \leq x \leq b$, then $m(b - a) \leq \int_a^b f(x) dx \leq M(b - a)$.

EXAMPLE 11. Write as a single integral:

$$\int_3^5 f(x) dx + \int_0^3 f(x) dx - \int_6^5 f(x) dx + \int_5^5 f(x) dx$$

EXAMPLE 12. Estimate the value of $\int_0^\pi (4 \sin^5 x + 3) dx$

6.4: The fundamental Theorem of Calculus

The fundamental Theorem of Calculus :

PART I If $f(x)$ is continuous on $[a, b]$ then $g(x) = \int_a^x f(t) dt$ is continuous on $[a, b]$ and differentiable on (a, b) and $g'(x) = f(x)$.

EXAMPLE 13. Differentiate $g(x) = \int_{-4}^x e^{2t} \cos^2(1 - 5t) dt$

THEOREM 14. Let $u(x)$ be a differentiable function and $f(x)$ be a continuous one. Then

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left(\int_a^{u(x)} f(t) dt \right) = f(u(x))u'(x).$$

EXAMPLE 15. Differentiate $g(x) = \int_{-4}^{x^3} e^{2t} \cos^2(1 - 5t) dt$.

PART II If $f(x)$ is continuous on $[a, b]$ and $F(x)$ is any antiderivative for $f(x)$ then

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = F(x) \Big|_a^b = F(b) - F(a).$$

EXAMPLE 16. Evaluate

(a) $\int_{-\pi/2}^0 (\cos x - 4 \sin x) dx$

(b) $\int_1^5 \frac{1}{x^2} dx$

(c) $\int_0^1 (u^3 + 2)^2 du$