

5.2 The definite integral

Just checking. . . .

Suppose

- $\int_0^2 f(x) dx = 5$

- $\int_0^2 g(x) dx = -3$

- $\int_0^3 f(x) dx = 7$

- $\int_2^3 g(x) dx = 5$

① Find $\int_0^2 f(x) + g(x) dx$

② Find $\int_2^3 3f(x) - 2g(x) dx$

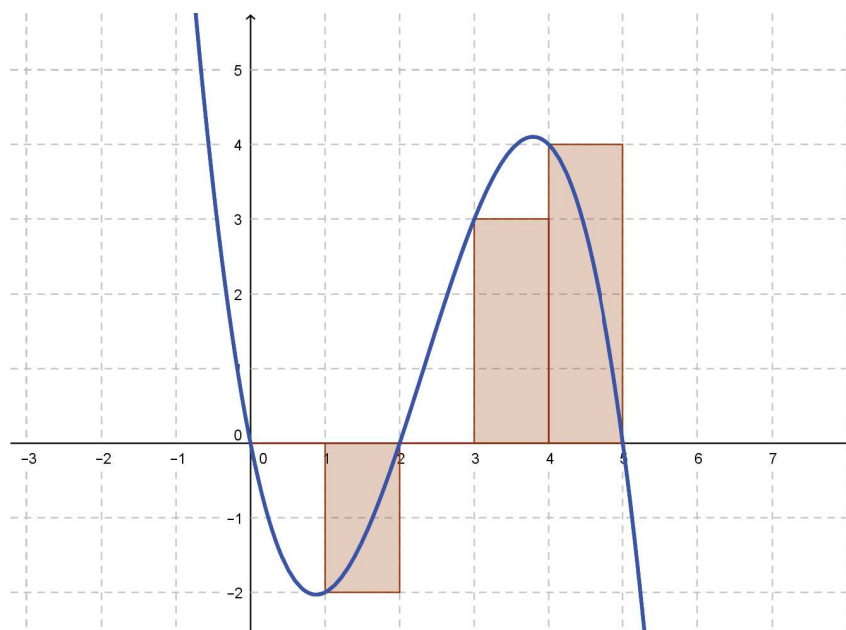
③ Find $\int_0^3 4g(x) - x + 1 dx$

④ Find values for a and b such that $\int_0^3 af(x) + bg(x) dx = 0$

⑤ Find $\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin x dx$

5.3 Riemann sums

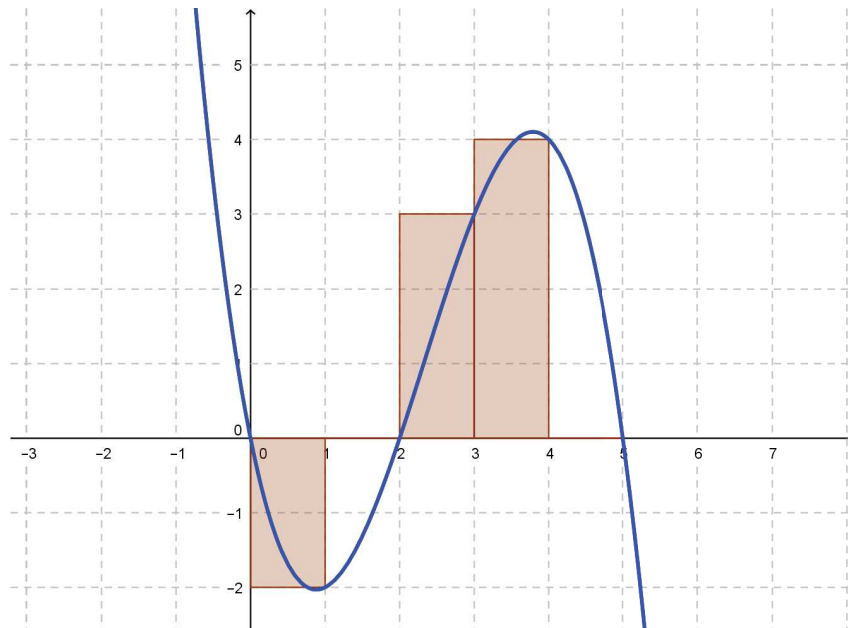
Idea: add up areas of rectangles to approximate



5 rectangles, left endpoints

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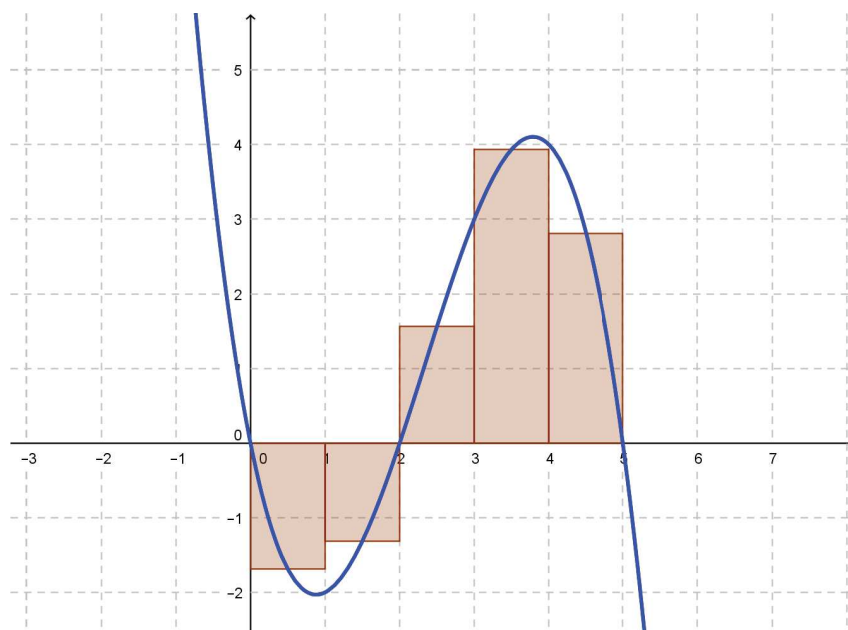
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5 rectangles, right endpoints

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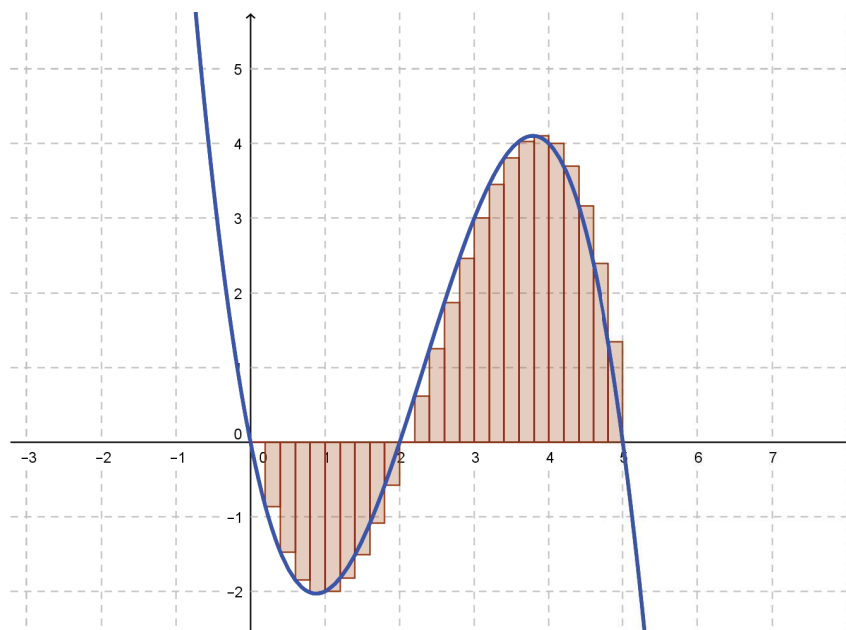
Idea: add up areas of rectangles to approximate



5 rectangles, midpoints

5.3 Riemann sums

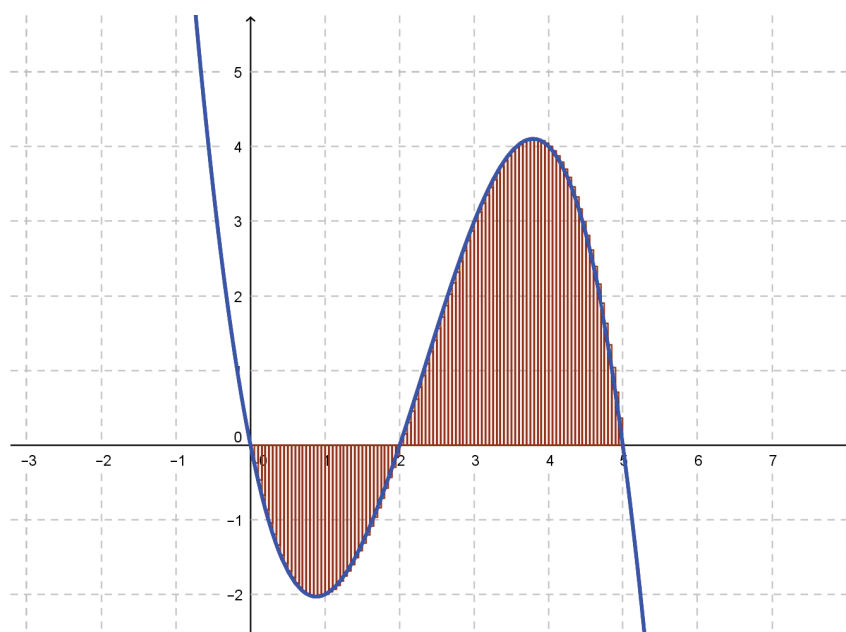
Idea: add up areas of rectangles to approximate



25 rectangles, left endpoints

5.3 Riemann sums

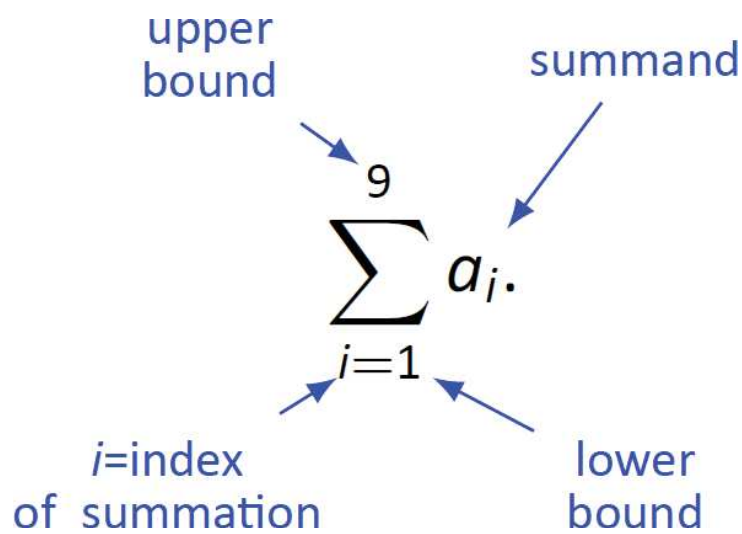
Idea: add up areas of rectangles to approximate



100 rectangles, left endpoints

5.3 Riemann sums

Sigma notation



$$\sum_{i=1}^9 a_i = a_1 + a_2 + a_3 + \cdots + a_9$$

5.3 Riemann sums

Sigma notation

Example

Expand the following summations and evaluate the sums.

① $\sum_{k=2}^5 3k = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

③ $\sum_{i=0}^4 i/3 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

② $\sum_{j=-3}^1 j^2 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

④ $\sum_{n=1}^4 n^2 - n = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

5.3 Riemann sums

Sigma notation

Theorem

Formal properties

$$\textcircled{1} \sum_{i=m}^n (a_i \pm b_i) = \sum_{i=m}^n a_i \pm \sum_{i=m}^n b_i$$

$$\textcircled{2} \sum_{i=m}^n c \cdot a_i = c \cdot \sum_{i=m}^n a_i$$

$$\textcircled{3} \sum_{i=m}^k a_i + \sum_{i=k+1}^n a_i = \sum_{i=m}^n a_i$$

Common sums

$$\textcircled{1} \sum_{i=1}^n 1 = n$$

$$\textcircled{2} \sum_{i=1}^n i = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$$

$$\textcircled{3} \sum_{i=1}^n i^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}$$

$$\textcircled{4} \sum_{i=1}^n i^3 = \left(\frac{n(n+1)}{2}\right)^2$$

5.3 Riemann sums

Example

Compute $\int_1^3 x^2 dx$.

- ① Divide $[a, b]$ into n subintervals of width $\Delta x = \frac{b-a}{n}$.

$\Delta x =$ _____

- ② Find the right endpoint of the i^{th} subinterval $x_i = a + i\Delta x$.

$x_i =$ _____

- ③ Use the right endpoint to compute the **height** of the i^{th} rectangle $f(x_i)$.

$f(x_i) =$ _____

- ④ Add the areas of all n rectangles to compute the n^{th} Riemann sum R_n :

$R_n = \sum_{i=1}^n f(x_i) \cdot \Delta x =$ _____

- ⑤ Take the limit as $n \rightarrow \infty$ (so that $\Delta x \rightarrow 0$):

$\int_1^3 f(x) dx = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} R_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n f(x_i) \Delta x =$ _____

5.3 Riemann sums

Example

- ① Compute $\int_1^3 x^2 + 1 \, dx$. (Hint: cheat!)

$$\int_1^3 x^2 + 1 \, dx = \underline{\hspace{15em}}$$

- ② Compute $\int_0^4 -x^2 + 4x \, dx$. (Hint: don't cheat!)

$$\int_0^4 4x - x^2 \, dx = \underline{\hspace{15em}}$$

Remark

- ① Compute $\int x^2 + 1 \, dx = F(x)$ and evaluate $F(3)$ and $F(1)$.
② Compute $\int 4x - x^2 \, dx = F(x)$ and evaluate $F(4)$ and $F(0)$.

5.3 Riemann sums

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- ① Write $1 + 4 + 9 + \cdots + 400$ in sigma notation.

- ② Evaluate $\sum_{i=15}^{71} i$.

- ③ Find an antiderivative of $1/\sqrt{x}$.

- ④ Approximate $\int_1^3 \ln x \, dx$ using four rectangles of equal width and right endpoints.

- ⑤ Compute $\int_{-10}^{10} 5 - x \, dx$ using Riemann sums and check your answer using geometry.