

Sigma (Summation notation) is used to write math. expressions more compactly.

$$\rightarrow \sum_{k=1}^5 k = 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + 5$$

1 is the lower limit of summation ,
5 is the upper limit of summation.

$$\rightarrow \sum_{k=1}^{125} \frac{1}{k^2} = \frac{1}{1^2} + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \dots + \frac{1}{125^2}.$$

\rightarrow Let a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n be real numbers and n be a positive integer. Then.

$$\sum_{k=1}^n a_k = a_1 + a_2 + a_3 + \dots + a_n,$$

k is called the index of summation.

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k = a_0 + a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_n + \dots$$

\uparrow infinite sum.

Riemann Sums: Left and Right Sums

Let f be a continuous, nonnegative ($f \geq 0$), increasing function on the interval $[a, b]$.

We partition $[a, b]$ into n subintervals of equal length : $\frac{b-a}{n} = \Delta t$

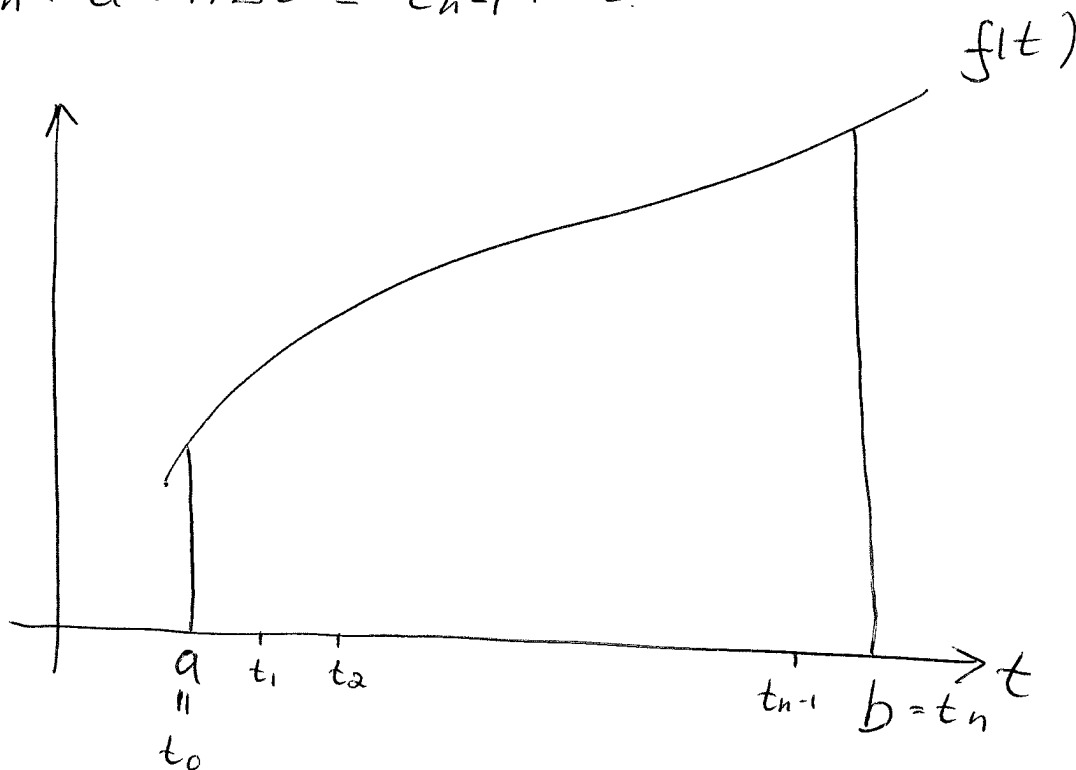


$$t_1 = a + \Delta t = t_0 + \Delta t$$

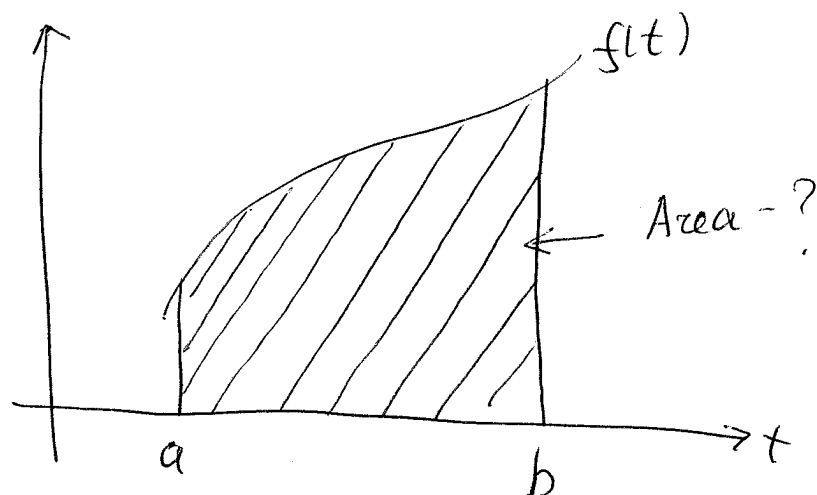
$$t_2 = a + 2\Delta t = t_0 + 2\Delta t = t_1 + \Delta t$$

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$$t_n = a + n\Delta t = t_{n-1} + \Delta t.$$

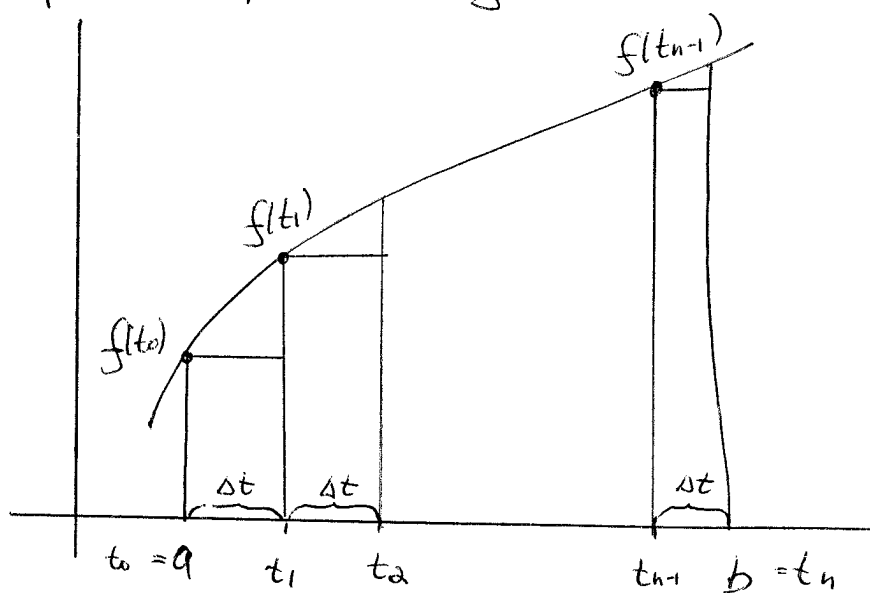


Our Goal: We want to find the area of the region between the graph of f , and the t -axis from a to b .

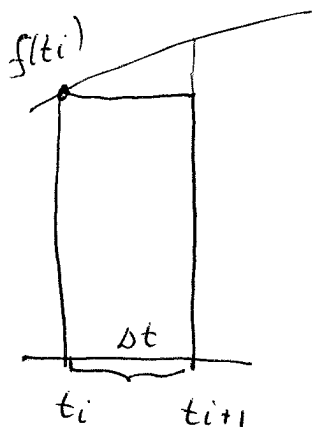


Consider the following two cases:

Case 1 We take measurements of $f(t)$ at the left end point of each subinterval, and



build rectangles that have width Δt and height $f(t_i)$, i changes from 0 to $(n-1)$



The area of the first rectangle is $f(t_0) \cdot \Delta t$.

The area of the second rectangle is $f(t_1) \cdot \Delta t$, and so on.

The area of the first stripe is $\approx f(t_0) \cdot \Delta t$,
 the area of the second stripe is $\approx f(t_1) \cdot \Delta t$ and so on.

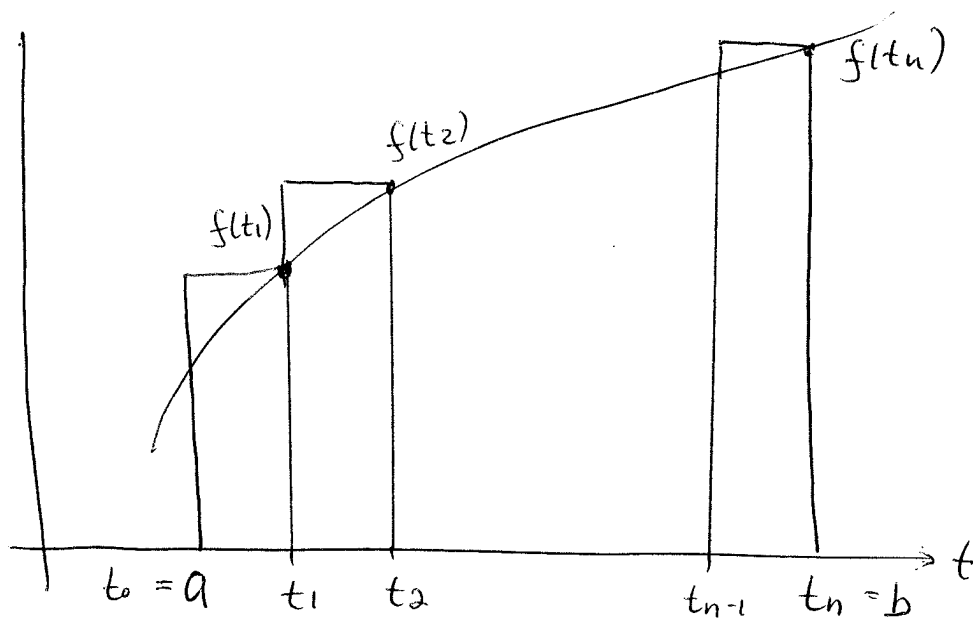
The sum of $f(t_0) \cdot \Delta t$, $f(t_1) \cdot \Delta t$, \dots , $f(t_{n-1}) \cdot \Delta t$
 gives us an approximate value of area of the
 region.

$$f(t_0) \cdot \Delta t + f(t_1) \cdot \Delta t + \dots + f(t_{n-1}) \cdot \Delta t = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} f(t_i) \Delta t =$$

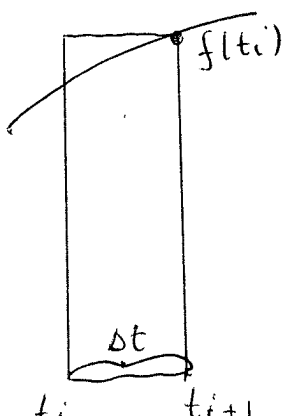
denote it by I_L (left hand sum)

Case 2

Now we take measurement of $f(t)$ at
 the right end point of each subinterval.



We build
 rectangles
 that have
 width Δt
 and height
 $f(t_i)$.



The area of the first rectangle
 is $f(t_1) \cdot \Delta t$

The area of the second rectangle
 is $f(t_2) \cdot \Delta t$ and so on.

Summing up the areas, we obtain an approximate value of the area of the region:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & f(t_1) \cdot \Delta t + f(t_2) \Delta t + \dots + f(t_n) \cdot \Delta t = \\
 & = (f(t_1) + f(t_2) + \dots + f(t_n)) \Delta t = \\
 & = \sum_{i=1}^n f(t_i) \Delta t = I_R \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{the right hand} \\ \text{denote by} \quad \text{Riemann sum} \end{array} \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

As the width Δt of the rectangles approaches zero ($\frac{a-b}{n} = \Delta t \rightarrow 0, n \rightarrow \infty$), the rectangles fit the curve of the graph more exactly and the sum of their areas gets closer and closer to the area under the curve.

$$I_L \leq \text{Area of the region} \leq I_R$$

Remark 1

If f is an increasing f-n then I_L increases and I_R decreases as $n \rightarrow \infty$.

Remark 2

If f is a decreasing f-n then

$$I_R \leq \text{Area of the region} \leq I_L$$

and I_R increases and I_L decreases as $n \rightarrow \infty$.

→ Let n go to infinity:

Thus, the area of the region between the graph of $f(t)$ and the t -axis from a to b is approximately equal to $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} I_L = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} I_R =$

= some number that we call the definite integral of $f(t)$ ^{from a to b} and denote by $\int_a^b f(t) dt$.

In other words, $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} I_L = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} I_R = \int_a^b f(t) dt =$

= area of the shaded region = some number

In the general case,

Suppose f is continuous for $a \leq t \leq b$.

The definite integral of f from a to b ,

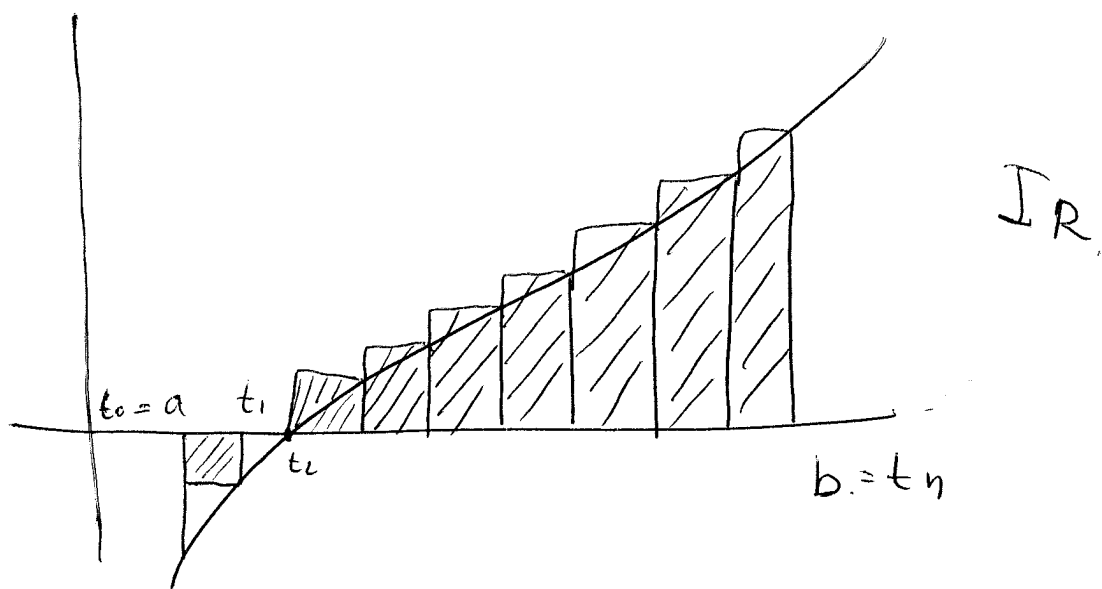
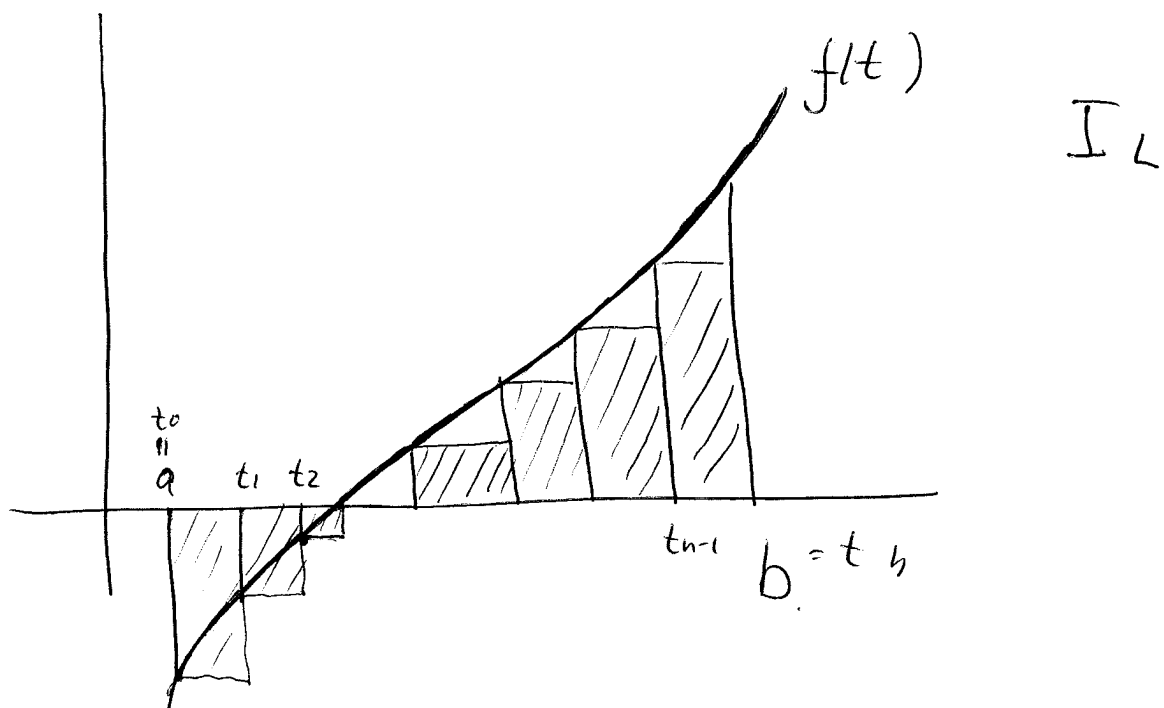
written $\int_a^b f(t) dt$ is the limit of the left-hand (I_L) and the right-hand (I_R) sums with n subintervals as n gets arbitrarily large

(n tends to infinity) :

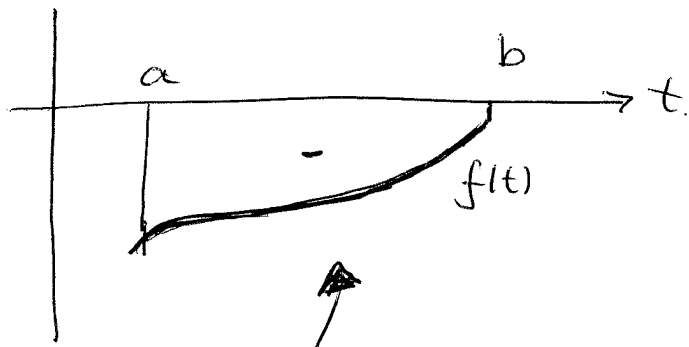
$$\int_a^b f(t) dt = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} I_L = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} f(t_i) \Delta t \right) \text{ and}$$

$$\int_a^b f(t) dt = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} I_R = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\sum_{i=1}^n f(t_i) \Delta t \right),$$

f is called the integrand, and a and b are called the limits of integration

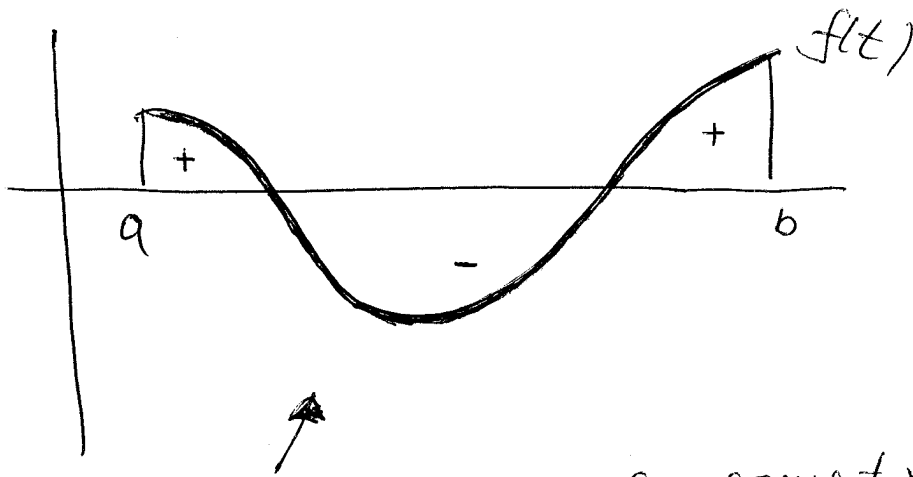


→ When $f(x)$ is not Positive. What is the meaning of $\int_a^b f(t) dt$?



$$f(t) < 0.$$

If the graph lies below the t -axis, then each value of $f(t)$ is negative, so each term $f(t_i) \Delta t$ is negative as well; and the area gets counted negatively. In this case, the definite integral $\int_a^b f(t) dt = \text{negative of the area}$



If $f(t)$ is positive for some t values and negative for other and $a < b$.

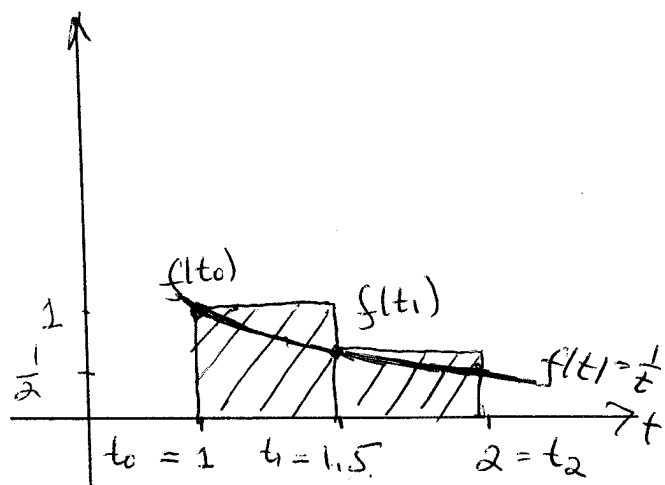
$$\int_a^b f(t) dt = \left[\text{the sum of areas above the } t\text{-axis} \right] - \left[\text{the sum of areas below the } t\text{-axis} \right]$$

(Can be shown by using the Riemann sums approach).

Example

Calculate the left-hand and the right-hand sums with $n=2$ for $\int_1^2 f(t) dt = \int_1^2 \frac{1}{t} dt$

The Left-hand Sum



$$a=1, b=2, n=2$$

$$\Delta t = \frac{b-a}{n} = \frac{2-1}{2} = \frac{1}{2} = 0.5$$

$f = \frac{1}{t}$ is a decreasing function

$$t_0 = 1, f(t_0) = \frac{1}{t} \Big|_{t_0=1} = 1$$

$$t_1 = 1.5, f(t_1) = \frac{1}{t} \Big|_{t_1=1.5} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$I_L = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} f(t_i) \Delta t = \sum_{i=0}^1 f(t_i) \Delta t =$$

$$= f(t_0) \Delta t + f(t_1) \Delta t =$$

$$1 \cdot 0.5 + \frac{2}{3} \cdot 0.5 = 0.8333$$

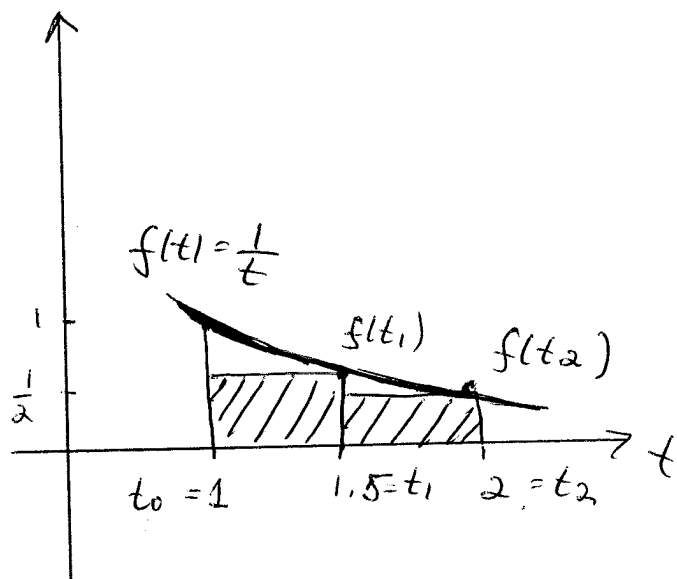
$$0.5833 = I_R < \int_1^2 \frac{dt}{t} < I_L = 0.8333$$

$n=10$

$$I_R = 0.6688, I_L = 0.7188$$

The natural value of $\int_1^2 \frac{dt}{t} = \ln|t| \Big|_1^2 = \ln 2 \approx 0.6931$

The Right-hand Sum



$$\Delta t = 0.5$$

function

$$t_1 = 1.5, f(t_1) = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$t_2 = 2, f(t_2) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$I_R = \sum_{i=1}^n f(t_i) \Delta t = f(t_1) \Delta t + f(t_2) \Delta t = \frac{2}{3} \cdot 0.5 + \frac{1}{2} \cdot 0.5 = 0.5833$$

Remark \rightarrow If $f(t) = v(t)$, where $v(t)$ is nonnegative velocity, then $\int_a^b f(t) dt$ is the total distance traveled from $t=a$ ^{time} to $t=b$.

\rightarrow If $f(t) = v(t)$ ^{velocity}, where $v(t)$ is sometimes negative, then $\int_a^b f(t) dt$ represents change in position, rather than distance.

\rightarrow If $f(x) = p(x)$, where $p(x)$ is (positive) density of an object of length $b-a$. Then $\int_a^b p(x) dx$ represents a mass of the object.

Theorem 1 : (Properties of Limits of Integration)

If a, b, c are any numbers $a \leq c \leq b$ and f is a continuous f-n, then the following is true:

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

$$(b) \int_a^c f(x) dx + \int_c^b f(x) dx = \int_a^b f(x) dx$$

Theorem 2 :

Let f and g be continuous functions and let c be a constant then

$$(a) \int_a^b [f(x) \pm g(x)] dx = \int_a^b f(x) dx \pm \int_a^b g(x) dx$$

$$(b) \int_a^b c \cdot f(x) dx = c \int_a^b f(x) dx.$$

Suppose we have two functions $f(t)$ and $F(t)$, where $F'(t) = f(t)$. In other words $f(t)$ is the derivative of $F(t)$

$F(t)$ is called an antiderivative of $f(t)$.

The derivative of function is always unique; and there are infinitely many antiderivatives of function.

→ The indefinite integral $\int f(t) dt$ represents a family of all antiderivatives of $f(t)$

$$\int f(t) dt = F(t) + C$$

→ The definite integral $\int_a^b f(t) dt$ is the limit of Riemann sums

$$\int_a^b f(t) dt = \text{a number. (the distance traveled, the area under the graph and so on)}$$

The Fundamental Theorem of Calculus (FTC) connects the two notions (the definite and the indefinite integrals)

FTC

If $F'(t) = f(t)$ is continuous on $[a, b]$ then the following is true:

$$\begin{aligned}\int_a^b f(t) dt &= \int_a^b F'(t) dt \stackrel{\text{FTC}}{=} \int_a^b f(t) dt \Big|_{t=a}^{t=b} = \\ &= (F(t) + C) \Big|_{t=a}^{t=b} = (F(b) + C) - (F(a) + C) = \\ &= F(b) + C - F(a) - C = F(b) - F(a).\end{aligned}$$

Thus, the definite integral of the rate of change of some quantity $\left(\int_a^b \frac{dF}{dt} dt \right)$ gives the total change in the quantity between $t=a$ and $t=b$ ($F(b) - F(a)$).

> If $F(t)$ is a height of a tree at time t , then $F'(t)$ is the rate of change of its height and $F(b) - F(a)$ is the total change of the tree height between times $t=a$ and $t=b$.

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→ If $F(t)$ represents the number of infected individuals at time t , then $F'(t)$ is the rate of change of number of infected and $F(b) - F(a) = \text{total change in } \checkmark^{\text{number}} \text{ of infected between } t=a \text{ and } t=b$

→ If $F(t)$ is a position of an object at time t , then $F'(t)$ is the rate of change of the position or velocity. Then $F(b) - F(a)$ is a displacement.

Remark Knowing the total change of some quantity, and the initial value of the quantity ($F(a)$) we are able to find the value of the quantity at time $t=b$

$$F(b) = F(a) + \int_a^b F'(t) dt.$$

$$\int_5^7 (e^t + \cos t - 4t) dt =$$

$$\int_5^7 e^t dt + \int_5^7 \cos t dt - 4 \int_5^7 t dt = \text{FTC}$$

$$= \left[\int e^t dt + \int \cos t dt - 4 \int t dt \right] \bigg|_{t=5}^{t=7}$$

$$= \left[e^t + \sin t - \frac{4t^2}{2} + c \right] \bigg|_{t=5}^{t=7} =$$

$$(e^7 + \sin(7) - 2 \cdot 49) - (e^5 + \sin(5) - 2 \cdot 25) =$$

$$= e^7 - e^5 + \sin(7) - \sin(5) - 48.$$

Example

Let $F(t)$ be the number of bacteria (in millions) at time t .

$F(0) = 5$ (Initially, we had $5 \cdot 10^6$ ind.)

The rate of change of bacteria is

$$3t^2 + 5t, \text{ i.e. } \frac{dF}{dt} = 3t^2 + 5t.$$

Find (a) the total increase in the bacteria population during the 1-st hour ($F(1) - F(0)$)
(b) the population at $t=1$ (i.e. $F(1)$)

Using the FTC, we have that the total change in number of bacteria between $t=0$ and $t=1$ is given by

$$\int_0^1 \frac{dF}{dt} dt = \int_0^1 (3t^2 + 5t) dt \stackrel{\text{FTC}}{=} \int_0^1 (3t^2 + 5t) dt \Big|_{t=0}^{t=1} =$$

$$= (F(t) + C) \Big|_{t=0}^{t=1} = \left(t^3 + \frac{5t^2}{2} + C \right) \Big|_{t=0}^{t=1} =$$

$$= \left(1 + \frac{5}{2} + C \right) - (0 + 0 + C) = 1 + \frac{5}{2} = 3.5 = F(1) - F(0)$$

$$(b) \quad F(1) - F(0) = \int_0^1 \frac{dF}{dt} dt = \int_0^1 (3t^2 + 5t) dt \Rightarrow$$

$$\begin{aligned} F(1) &= F(0) + \int_0^1 (3t^2 + 5t) dt = 5 + 3.5 = \\ \text{the population at } t=1 &= 8.5 \end{aligned}$$