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QUESTION: Using integration find the area of region bounded by the triangle whose vertices are $(1, 0)$, $(2, 2)$ and $(3, 1)$.

SOLUTION:

THEORETICAL SOLUTION Let $A(1, 0)$, $B(2, 2)$ and $C(3, 1)$ be the vertices of a triangle ABC (fig 8.18).

Area of $\triangle ABC$ = Area of $\triangle ABD$ + Area of trapezium $BDEC$ – Area of $\triangle AEC$
Now equation of the sides AB , BC and CA given by

$$y = 2(x - 1), y = 4 - x, y = \frac{1}{2}(x - 1), \text{ respectively.} \quad (0.1)$$

Hence, area of $\triangle ABC$

$$= \int_1^2 2(x - 1) dx + \int_2^3 (4 - x) dx - \int_1^3 \frac{x - 1}{2} dx \quad (0.2)$$

$$= 2 \left[\frac{x^2}{2} - x \right]_1^2 + \left[4x - \frac{x^2}{2} \right]_2^3 - \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{x^2}{2} - x \right]_1^3 \quad (0.3)$$

$$= 2 \left[\left(\frac{2^2}{2} - 2 \right) - \left(\frac{1^2}{2} - 1 \right) \right] + \left[\left(4 * 3 - \frac{3^2}{2} \right) - \left(4 * 2 - \frac{2^2}{2} \right) \right] - \frac{1}{2} \left[\left(\frac{3^2}{2} - 3 \right) - \left(\frac{1^2}{2} - 1 \right) \right] \quad (0.4)$$

$$= \frac{3}{2} \quad (0.5)$$

Computational Solution:

Using the trapezoidal rule to get the area
The trapezoidal rule is as follows.

$$A = \int_a^b f(x) dx \approx h \left(\frac{1}{2} f(a) + f(x_1) + f(x_2) \cdots + f(x_{n-1}) + \frac{1}{2} f(b) \right) \quad (0.6)$$

$$h = \frac{b-a}{n} \quad (0.7)$$

$$A = j_n, \quad \text{where,} \quad j_{i+1} = j_i + h \frac{f(x_{i+1}) + f(x_i)}{2} \quad (0.8)$$

$$j_{i+1} = j_i + h \left(\sqrt{x_{i+1}} + \sqrt{x_i} \right) \quad (0.9)$$

$$x_{i+1} = x_i + h \quad (0.10)$$

$$h = \frac{1}{30000} \quad (0.11)$$

$$n = 30000 \quad (0.12)$$

Using the code answer obtained is $A = 1.5000sq.units$

