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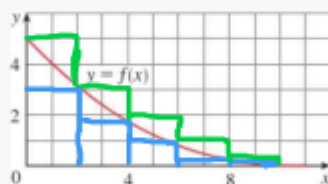
Calculus I, Section 4.1 Classwork

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## 4.1 Exercises

1. a. By reading values from the given graph of  $f$ , use five rectangles to find a lower estimate and an upper estimate for the area under the given graph of  $f$  from  $x = 0$  to  $x = 10$ . In each case sketch the rectangles that you use.



$$[0, 10] = [0, 2], [2, 4], [4, 6], [6, 8], [8, 10]$$

$$R_5 = 2 [f(2) + f(4) + f(6) + f(8) + f(10)]$$

$$2(3 + 1.75 + .8 + .2 + 0)$$

$$R_5 \approx 11.5$$

$$L_5 = 2(f(0) + f(2) + f(4) + f(6) + f(8))$$

$$2(5 + 3 + 1.75 + .8 + .2)$$

$$L_5 \approx 21.5$$

3. a. Estimate the area under the graph of  $f(x) = 1/x$  from  $x = 1$  to  $x = 2$  from to using four approximating rectangles and right endpoints. Sketch the graph and the rectangles. Is your estimate an underestimate or an overestimate?

$$n = 4 \quad [1, 2] \quad \Delta x = \frac{2-1}{4} = \frac{1}{4} \quad f(x) = \frac{1}{x}$$

$$[1, 1.25], [1.25, 1.5], [1.5, 1.75], [1.75, 2]$$

$$R_4 = \frac{1}{4} (f(1.25) + f(1.5) + f(1.75) + f(2))$$

$$\frac{1}{4} \left( \frac{1}{1.25} + \frac{1}{1.5} + \frac{1}{1.75} + \frac{1}{2} \right) = .6345 \text{ underestimate}$$

b) Estimate the area using left endpoints.

$$1, 1.25, 1.5, 1.75$$

$$L_4 = \frac{1}{4} (f(1) + f(1.25) + f(1.5) + f(1.75))$$

$$\frac{1}{4} \left( 1 + \frac{1}{1.25} + \frac{1}{1.5} + \frac{1}{1.75} \right)$$

$$L_4 \approx .7595$$

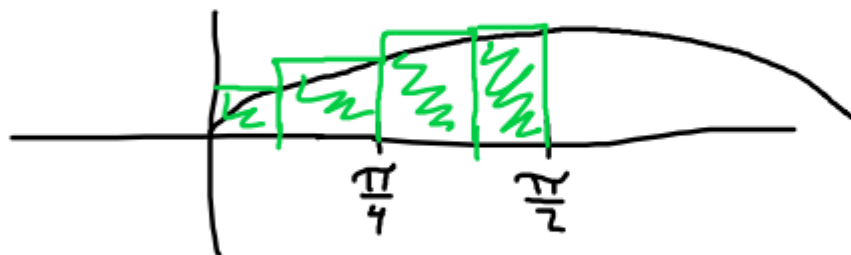


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4. a. Estimate the area under the graph of  $f(x) = \sin x$  from  $x = 0$  to  $x = \pi/2$  from to using four approximating rectangles and right endpoints. Sketch the graph and the rectangles. Is your estimate an underestimate or an overestimate?

b. Repeat part (a) using left endpoints.

$$[0, \frac{\pi}{2}] = [0, \frac{\pi}{8}] [\frac{\pi}{8}, \frac{\pi}{4}] [\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{3\pi}{8}] [\frac{3\pi}{8}, \frac{\pi}{2}]$$



$$\frac{0 - \frac{\pi}{2}}{4} = -\frac{\pi}{8}$$

$$\frac{\pi}{8} (f(\frac{\pi}{8}) + f(\frac{\pi}{4}) + f(\frac{3\pi}{8}) + f(\frac{\pi}{2}))$$

$$R_4 = 1.18346 \text{ overestimate}$$

$$\frac{\pi}{8} (f(0) + f(\frac{\pi}{8}) + f(\frac{\pi}{4}) + f(\frac{3\pi}{8}))$$

$$L_4 = .7968 \text{ underestimate}$$

left points

5. a. Estimate the area under the graph of  $f(x) = 1 + x^2$  from  $x = -1$  to  $x = 2$  from to using three rectangles and right endpoints. Then improve your estimate by using six rectangles. Sketch the curve and the approximating rectangles.



$$[-1, 2] = [-1, 0] [0, 1] [1, 2]$$

$$1 (f(0) + f(1) + f(2))$$

$$1 + 2 + 5$$

$$R_3 = 8$$

$$\frac{2+1}{3} = 1 \quad \frac{2+1}{6} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$[-1, 2] = [-1, -\frac{1}{2}] [-\frac{1}{2}, 0] [0, \frac{1}{2}] [\frac{1}{2}, 1] [1, 1.5] [1.5, 2]$$

$$\frac{1}{2} (f(-\frac{1}{2}) + f(0) + f(\frac{1}{2}) + f(1) + f(1.5) + f(2))$$

$$\frac{1}{2} (1.25 + 1 + 1.25 + 2 + 3.25 + 5)$$

$$R_6 = 6.875$$

b) Repeat using left endpoints and midpoints.

$$1 (f(-1) + f(0) + f(1))$$

$$2 + 1 + 2$$

$$L_3 = 5$$

$$1 (f(-.5) + f(.5) + f(1.5))$$

$$1.25 + 1.25 + 3.25$$

$$M_3 = 5.75 \text{ midpoint}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} (f(-1) + f(-\frac{1}{2}) + f(0) + f(\frac{1}{2}) + f(1) + f(1.5))$$

$$\frac{1}{2} (2 + 1.25 + 1 + 1.25 + 2 + 3.25)$$

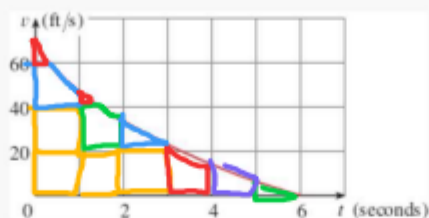
$$L_6 = 5.375$$

$$\frac{1}{2} (f(-.75) + f(-.25) + f(.25) + f(.75) + f(1.25) + f(1.75))$$

$$M_6 = 5.9375$$

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13. The velocity [graph](#) of a braking car is shown. Use it to estimate the distance traveled by the car while the brakes are applied.



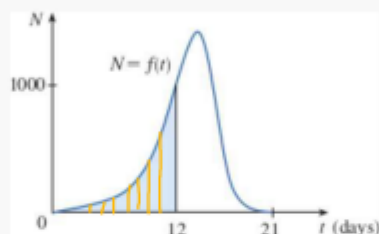
$$7(20) + 10$$
$$150 \text{ ft}$$

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15. In a person infected with measles, the virus level  $N$  (measured in number of infected cells per mL of blood plasma) reaches a peak density at about  $t = 12$  days (when a rash appears) and then decreases fairly rapidly as a result of immune response. The area under the graph of  $N(t)$  from  $t = 0$  to  $t = 12$  (as shown in the figure) is equal to the total amount of infection needed to develop symptoms (measured in density of infected cells  $\times$  time). The function  $N$  has been modeled by the function

$$f(t) = -t(t - 21)(t + 1)$$

Use this model with six subintervals and their midpoints to estimate the total amount of infection needed to develop symptoms of measles.



Source: J. M. Heffernan et al., "An In-Host Model of Acute Infection: Measles as a Case Study," *Theoretical Population Biology* 73 (2006): 134–47.

$$\frac{12-0}{6} = 2$$

$$[0,12] = [0,2] [2,4] [4,6] [6,8] [8,10] [10,12]$$

$$2(f(2) + f(4) + f(6) + f(8) + f(10) + f(12))$$

$$2(114 + 340 + 630 + 936 + 1210 + 1404)$$

$$R_6 = 9268$$

$$2(f(0) + f(2) + f(4) + f(6) + f(8) + f(10))$$

$$2(0 + 114 + 340 + 630 + 936 + 1210)$$

$$L_6 = 6460$$

$$2(f(1) + f(3) + f(5) + f(7) + f(9) + f(11))$$

$$2(40 + 216 + 480 + 784 + 1080 + 1320)$$

$$M_6 = 7840$$