

# Computational Physics

## 計算物理

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This Lecture will cover:

1. Introduction
2. Numerical Differentiation
- 3. Numerical Integration**

# Numerical Integration

$$I = \int_a^b f(x) dx \simeq \sum_{i=0}^N w_i f_i$$

$$\text{For } N = 1, \quad I \simeq w_0 f_0 + w_1 f_1$$

Require it to be exact for  $f(x) = 1, x$

$$\int_{x_0}^{x_1} dx = x_1 - x_0 = w_0 + w_1 \qquad w_0 = w_1 = \frac{x_1 - x_0}{2}$$

$$\int_{x_0}^{x_1} x dx = \frac{1}{2}(x_1^2 - x_0^2) = w_0 x_0 + w_1 x_1$$

$$\int_{x_0}^{x_1} f(x) dx \simeq \frac{h}{2}(f_0 + f_1), \quad h \equiv x_1 - x_0 \quad \text{Error} = ?$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 f(x) &= f(x_0) + (x - x_0) f'(x_0) + \frac{(x - x_0)^2}{2!} f''(x_0) + \frac{(x - x_0)^3}{3!} f'''(x_0) + \cdots \\
 &= f(x_0) + (x - x_0) f'(x_0) + \frac{(x - x_0)^2}{2!} f''(\xi)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$x_0 < \xi < x \quad (\text{mean-value theorem})$$

$$f(x) = f(x_1) + (x - x_1) f'(x_1) + \frac{(x - x_1)^2}{2!} f''(\eta) \quad x < \eta < x_1$$

$$\int_{x_0}^{x_1} f(x) dx = h f(x_0) + \frac{h^2}{2!} f'(x_0) + \frac{h^3}{3!} f''(x_0) + \frac{h^4}{4!} f'''(x_0) + \frac{h^5}{5!} f^{(4)}(x_0) + \cdots$$

$$\int_{x_0}^{x_1} f(x) dx = h f(x_1) - \frac{h^2}{2!} f'(x_1) + \frac{h^3}{3!} f''(x_1) - \frac{h^4}{4!} f^{(3)}(x_1) + \frac{h^5}{5!} f^{(4)}(x_1) + \cdots$$

Add together 
$$\int_{x_0}^{x_1} f(x) dx = \frac{h}{2} [f(x_0) + f(x_1)] + \frac{h^2}{4} [f'(x_0) - f'(x_1)]$$

$$+ \frac{h^3}{12} [f''(x_0) + f''(x_1)] + \frac{h^4}{48} [f'''(x_0) - f'''(x_1)]$$

$$+ \frac{h^5}{240} [f^{(4)}(x_0) + f^{(4)}(x_1)] + \dots$$

Use 
$$f'(x_1) = f'(x_0) + h f''(x_0) + \frac{h^2}{2} f'''(x_0) + \frac{h^3}{6} f^{(4)}(x_0) + \dots$$

$$f'(x_0) = f'(x_1) - h f''(x_1) + \frac{h^2}{2} f'''(x_1) - \frac{h^3}{6} f^{(4)}(x_1) + \dots$$

It gives the **Trapezoidal rule**

$$\int_{x_0}^{x_1} f(x) dx = \frac{h}{2} [f(x_0) + f(x_1)] + \frac{h^2}{12} [f'(x_0) - f'(x_1)] - \frac{h^4}{720} [f'''(x_0) - f'''(x_1)] + \dots$$

$$\text{Error} \approx -\frac{h^3}{12} f''(\xi), \quad x_0 < \xi < x_1$$

For  $N = 2$  (i.e., 3 points), require the integral to be exact for  
 $f(x) = 1, x, x^2$

$$2h = \int_{x_0}^{x_2} dx = x_2 - x_0 = w_0 + w_1 + w_2, \quad x_1 - x_0 = x_2 - x_1 = h$$

$$\int_{x_0}^{x_2} x dx = \frac{1}{2}(x_2^2 - x_0^2) = w_0 x_0 + w_1 x_1 + w_2 x_2$$

$$\int_{x_0}^{x_2} x^2 dx = \frac{1}{3}(x_2^3 - x_0^3) = w_0 x_0^2 + w_1 x_1^2 + w_2 x_2^2$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ x_0 & x_1 & x_2 \\ x_0^2 & x_1^2 & x_2^2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} w_0 \\ w_1 \\ w_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2h \\ h(x_2 + x_0) \\ 2h(x_2^2 + x_2 x_0 + x_0^2) / 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$w_0 = \frac{h}{3}, \quad w_1 = \frac{4h}{3}, \quad w_2 = \frac{h}{3}$$

$$\int_{x_0}^{x_2} f(x) dx = \frac{h}{3} (f_0 + 4f_1 + f_2) - \frac{h^5}{90} f^{(4)}(\xi)$$

$$= h \left[ \frac{4 \left( \frac{f_0 + f_1}{2} + \frac{f_1 + f_2}{2} \right) - (f_0 + f_2)}{4 - 1} \right] - \frac{h^5}{90} f^{(4)}(\xi)$$

**Romberg Integration !**

$$\int_{x_0}^{x_3} f(x) dx = \frac{3h}{8} (f_0 + 3f_1 + 3f_2 + f_3) - \frac{3h^5}{80} f^{(4)}(\xi) \quad \text{(4 points)}$$

$$\int_{x_0}^{x_4} f(x) dx = \frac{2h}{45} [7f_0 + 32f_1 + 12f_2 + 32f_3 + 7f_4] - \frac{8h^7}{945} f^{(6)}(\xi) \quad \text{(5 points)}$$

# Composite Formulas

$$\int_{x_0}^{x_N} f(x) dx \cong \frac{h}{2}(f_0 + f_1) + \frac{h}{2}(f_1 + f_2) + \cdots + \frac{h}{2}(f_{N-1} + f_N)$$

$$= h \left[ \frac{f_0}{2} + f_1 + f_2 + \cdots + f_{N-1} + \frac{f_N}{2} \right] + \frac{h^2}{12} (f'_0 - f'_N) \quad \text{Trapezoidal}$$

$$\int_{x_0}^{x_N} f(x) dx \approx \frac{h}{3} [f_0 + 4f_1 + 2f_2 + \cdots + 2f_{N-2} + 4f_{N-1} + f_N] + \text{Error (?)}$$

Simpson

weights  $\frac{h}{3} \quad \frac{4h}{3} \quad \frac{h}{3}$

$i = 0 \quad 1 \quad 2 \quad 3 \quad 4$

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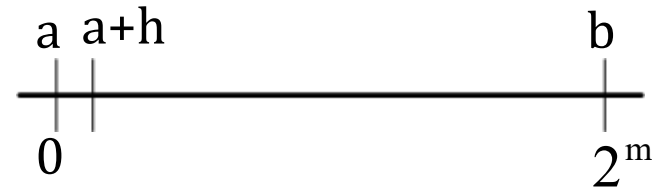
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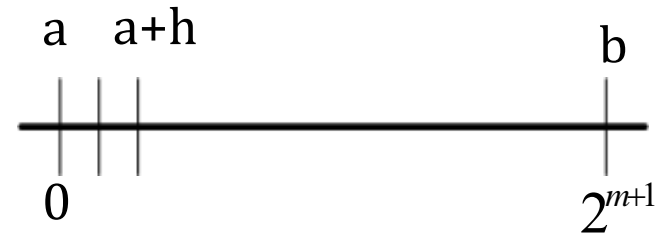
# Romberg Integration

$$n = 2^m$$



$$T_{m,0} = h \left( \frac{f_0}{2} + f_1 + \cdots + f_{n-1} + \frac{f_n}{2} \right), \quad \text{Error} \approx \frac{h^2}{12} [f'(a) - f'(b)]$$

$$n \rightarrow 2^{m+1}, \quad h \rightarrow \left( \frac{h}{2} \right)$$



$$T_{m+1,0} = \frac{h}{2} \left( \frac{f_0}{2} + f_1 + \cdots + f_{n-1} + \frac{f_n}{2} \right), \quad \text{Error} \approx \left( \frac{1}{4} \right) \frac{h^2}{12} [f'(a) - f'(b)]$$

$$T_{m+1,1} = \frac{4T_{m+1,0} - T_{m,0}}{4-1} \quad \text{Error} \approx h^4 \quad T_{m+2,2} = \frac{4^2 T_{m+2,1} - T_{m+1,1}}{4^2 - 1}$$

$$T_{m+k,k} = \frac{4^k T_{m+k,k-1} - T_{m+k-1,k-1}}{4^k - 1}$$

$$\int_a^b f(x)dx \approx T_{m,0} = \frac{1}{2}T_{m-1,0} + h \sum_{i=1,3}^{2^m-1} f(a+ih) \quad h = \left( \frac{b-a}{2^m} \right)$$

$$2^m \quad T_{m,0}$$

$$2^{m+1} \quad T_{m+1,0} \quad T_{m+1,1}$$

$$2^{m+2} \quad T_{m+2,0} \quad T_{m+2,1} \quad T_{m+2,2}$$

$$2^{m+3} \quad T_{m+3,0} \quad T_{m+3,1} \quad T_{m+3,2} \quad T_{m+3,3}$$

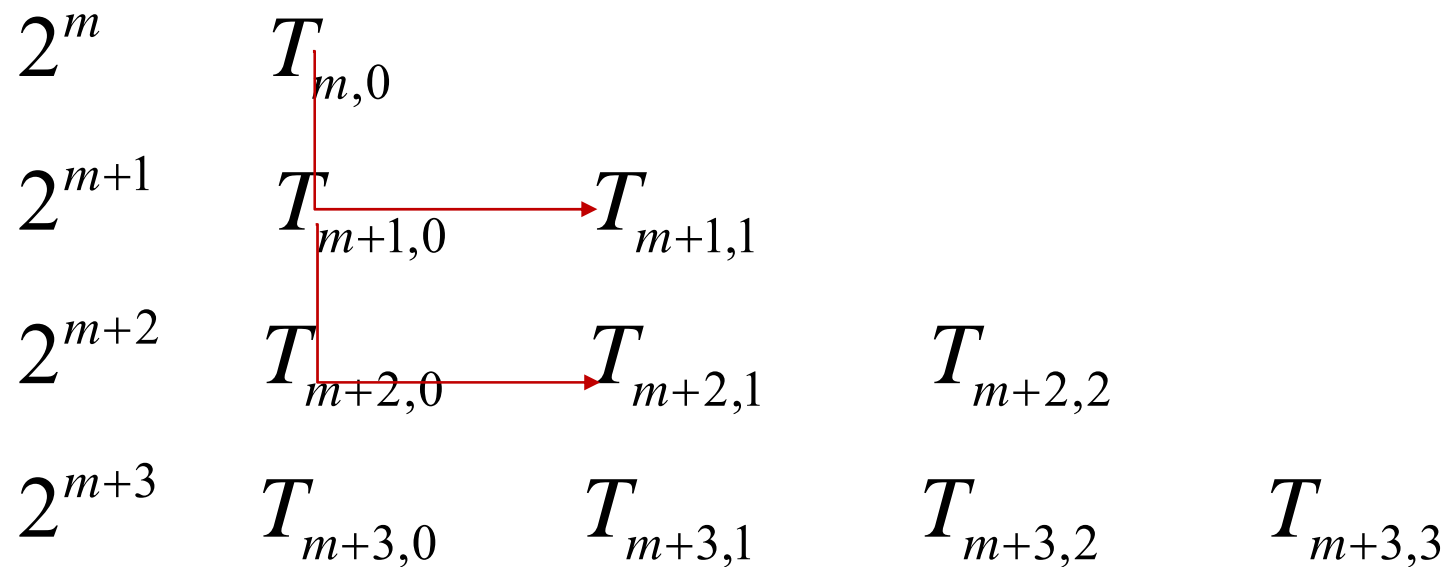
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$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 2^m & T_{m,0} & & & & & \\
 2^{m+1} & T_{m+1,0} & \xrightarrow{\hspace{1cm}} & T_{m+1,1} & & & \\
 2^{m+2} & T_{m+2,0} & & T_{m+2,1} & & T_{m+2,2} & \\
 2^{m+3} & T_{m+3,0} & & T_{m+3,1} & & T_{m+3,2} & T_{m+3,3}
 \end{array}$$

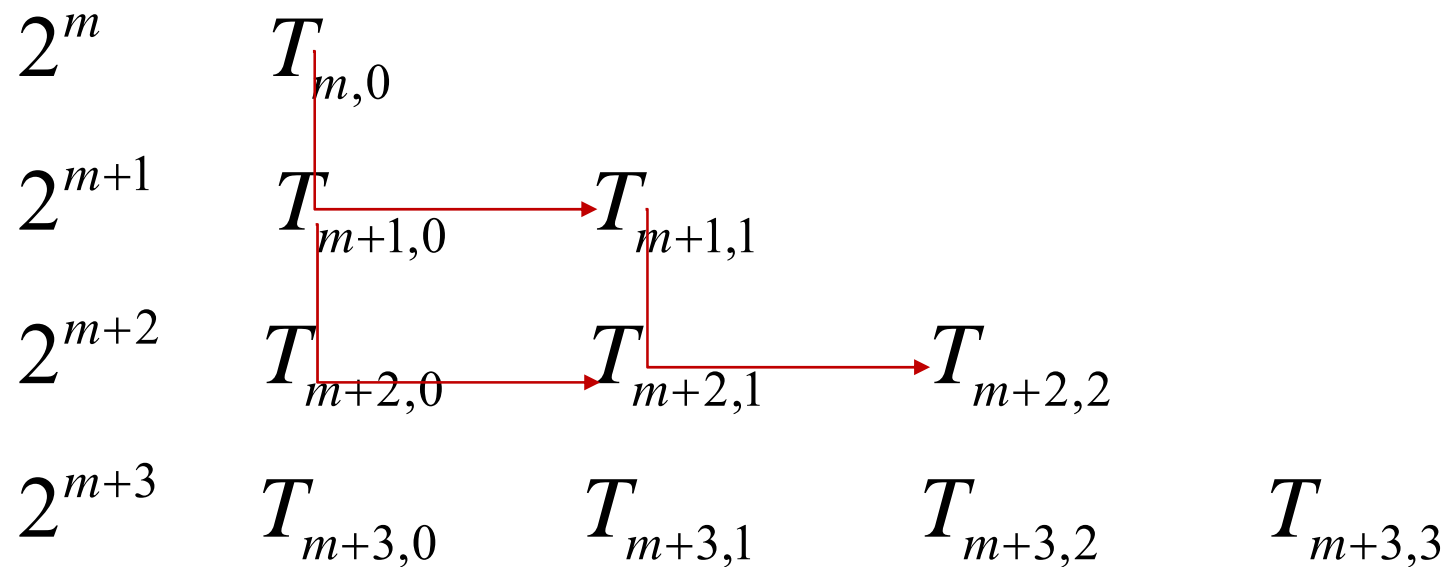
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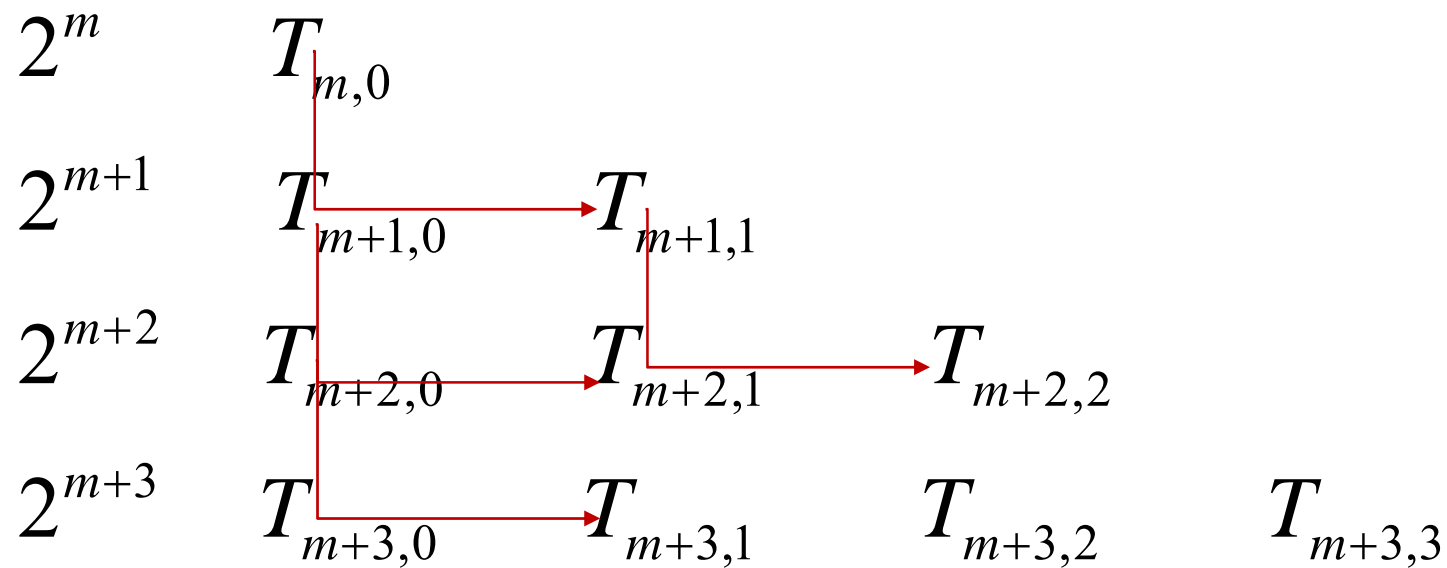
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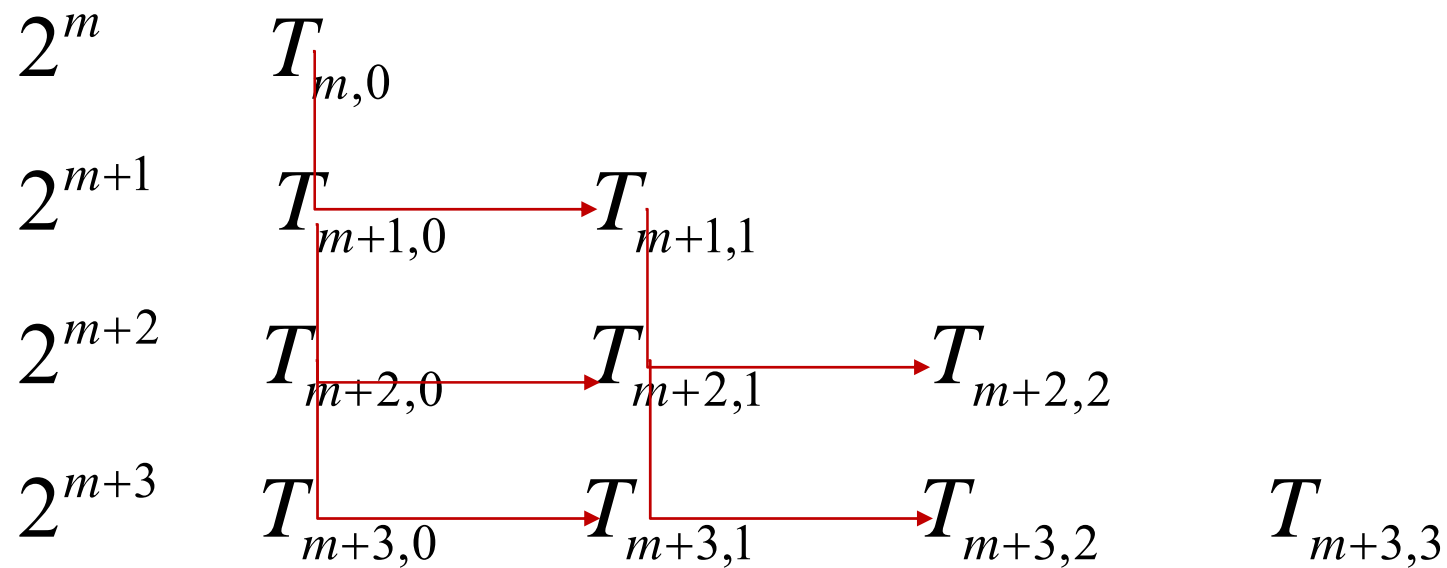
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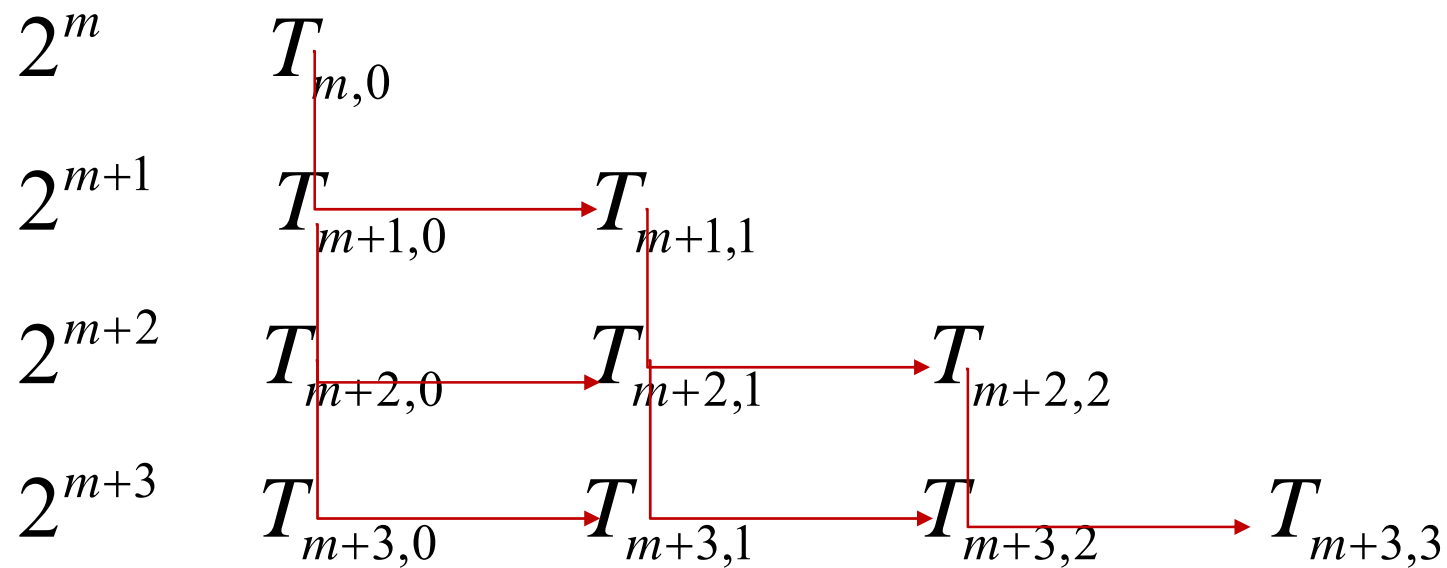
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To check whether Romberg integration works properly,

$$R_m = \frac{T_{m-1,0} - T_{m,0}}{T_{m,0} - T_{m+1,0}} \approx 4$$

since

$$T_{m,0} = h \left[ \frac{f_0}{2} + f_1 + f_2 + \cdots + f_{n-1} + \frac{f_n}{2} \right] + E(h), \quad E(h) \approx \frac{h^2}{12} [f'(a) - f'(b)]$$

$$T_{m-1,0} = 2h \left[ \frac{f_0}{2} + f_2 + \cdots + \frac{f_n}{2} \right] + E(h), \quad E(h) \approx \frac{4h^2}{12} [f'(a) - f'(b)]$$

$$T_{m-1,0} - T_{m,0} \approx \frac{3h^2}{12} [f'(a) - f'(b)]$$

similarly  $T_{m,0} - T_{m+1,0} \approx \frac{3}{12} \left( \frac{h}{2} \right)^2 [f'(a) - f'(b)]$

hence 
$$R_m = \frac{T_{m-1,0} - T_{m,0}}{T_{m,0} - T_{m+1,0}} \approx 4$$