

Solution 22.16

The first iteration involves computing 1 and 2 segment trapezoidal rules and combining them as

$$I = (16 - 0) \frac{0 + 0}{2} = 0$$

$$I = (16 - 0) \frac{0 + 2(2.4) + 0}{4} = 19.2$$

$$I = \frac{4(19.2) - 0}{3} = 25.6$$

and computing the approximate error as

$$\varepsilon_a = \left| \frac{25.6 - 19.2}{25.6} \right| \times 100\% = 25\%$$

The computation can be continued as in the following tableau until $\varepsilon_a < 1\%$.

	1	2	3
<i>n</i>	$\varepsilon_a \rightarrow$	25.0000%	0.7888%
1	0.00000000	25.60000000	29.29777778
2	19.20000000	29.06666667	
4	26.60000000		