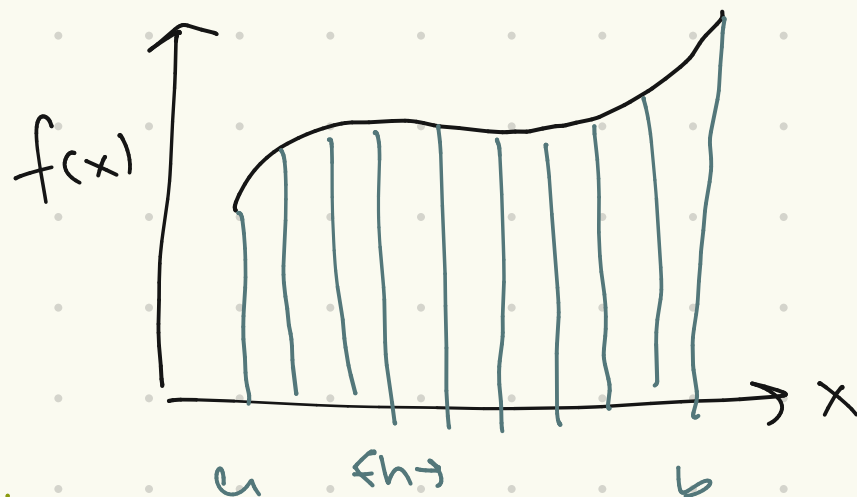
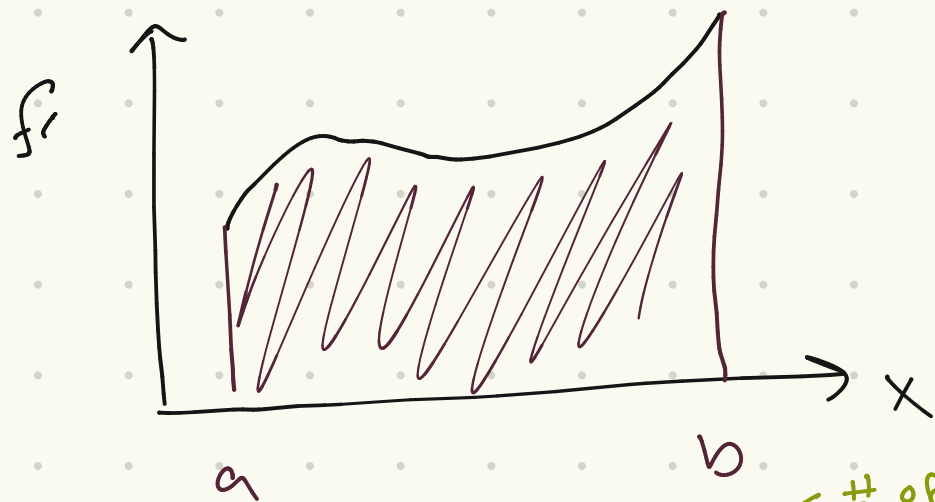


# Numerical Integration:



$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left[ h \sum_{i=1}^{(b-a)/h} f(x_i) \right]$$

← # of steps

replace w/ finite sum

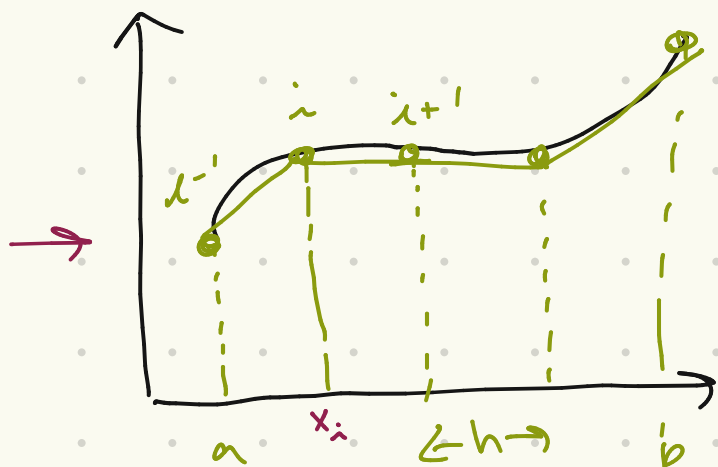
$$\int_a^b f(x) dx \sim \sum_{i=1}^N f(x_i) w_i$$

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Two categories:

- 1)  $x_i$ 's are equally spaced → trapezoid  
Simpson.
- 2)  $x_i$ 's not equally spaced → gaussian quadrature

## Trapezoid Method



$N-1$  intervals:

$$h = \frac{b-a}{N-1}$$

$$x_i = a + (i-1)h$$

$$i = 1, \dots, N$$

$$\int_{x_i}^{x_{i+1}} f(x) dx = \frac{f_{i+1} - f_i}{\left(\frac{h}{2}\right)} \left(\frac{h}{2}\right) = \frac{h}{2} f_i + \frac{h}{2} f_{i+1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_a^b f(x) dx = \frac{h}{2} [f_1 + 2f_2 + 2f_3 + \dots + 2f_{N-1} + f_N]$$

$$w_i \text{'s} = h \left\{ \frac{1}{2}, 1, 1, \dots, 1, \frac{1}{2} \right\}$$

$$\int f(x) dx = \sum f_i w_i$$

## Simpson's Rule: (quadratic interpolation)

$$f(x) \sim ax^2 + bx + c$$

for each interval:

$$\int_{x_i}^{x_i+h} (ax^2 + bx + c) dx = \left. \frac{ax^3}{3} + \frac{bx^2}{2} + cx \right|_{x_i}^{x_i+h}$$

$$\int_{-1}^1 (ax^2 + bx + c) dx = \frac{2}{3}a + 2c = \frac{1}{3}f(-1) + \frac{4}{3}f(0) + \frac{1}{3}f(1)$$

$$f(-1) = a - b + c$$

$$f(0) = c$$

$$f(1) = a + b + c$$

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

$$b = \frac{f(1) - f(-1)}{2}$$

$$c = f(0)$$

choose odd  $N$  ( $N-1$ ) is even



$$\int_{x_i-h}^{x_i+h} f(x) dx = \frac{h}{3} f_{i-1} + \frac{4}{3} h f_i + \frac{h}{3} f_{i+1} \quad \leftarrow$$

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = \frac{h}{3} f_1 + \frac{4h}{3} f_2 + \frac{2h}{3} f_3 + \frac{4h}{3} f_4 + \dots + \frac{4h}{3} f_{N-1} + \frac{h}{3} f_N$$

$$w_i = h \left\{ \frac{1}{3}, \frac{4}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{4}{3}, \dots, \frac{4}{3}, \frac{1}{3} \right\}$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^N w_i = (N-1)h$$

## Error Estimates:

$$e_{\text{trap}} \sim \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{(b-a)^3}{N^2}\right) \frac{f^{(2)}}{I}$$

$$e_{\text{simp}} \sim \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{(b-a)^5}{N^4}\right) \frac{f^{(4)}}{I}$$

$$I = \int_a^b f(x) dx$$

$$e_{\text{roun}} \sim \sqrt{N} \varepsilon_m$$

$$e = e_t + e_r \quad @ \quad e_t \sim e_r$$

trap:

$$\sqrt{N} \varepsilon_m \sim \frac{(b-a)^3}{N^2} \frac{f^{(2)}}{I}$$

$\Rightarrow$

$$\boxed{N_{\text{trap}} \sim \varepsilon_m^{-2/5}}$$

$\sim 10^6$

simp:

$$\boxed{N_{\text{simp}} \sim \varepsilon_m^{-2/9}}$$

$$N \sim 2000$$

total error:

$$e_{\text{trap}} \sim \sqrt{N} \varepsilon_m \sim \varepsilon_m^{4/5} \quad \left. \vphantom{e_{\text{trap}}} \right\} 10^{-12}$$

$$e_{\text{simp}} \sim \sqrt{N} \varepsilon_m \sim \varepsilon_m^{8/9} \quad \left. \vphantom{e_{\text{simp}}} \right\} 5 \times 10^{-14}$$

## Gaussian Quadrature Method:

arbitrary  $w_i$  &  $x_i$

$$\int_a^b f(x) w(x) dx \sim \sum_{k=1}^N w_k f(x_k)$$

we have  $2N$  parameters:  $N$  weights &  $N$  choices of  $x$ 's

\* exact for polynomials up to degree  $\leq 2N-1$  \*

$$f(x) = P(x) + r(x)$$

$$P(x) = \sum_{u=1}^N f(x_u) \prod_{j \neq u} \frac{N}{x_u - x_j} = \sum_{u=1}^N f(x_u) \frac{\alpha(x)}{(x - x_u) \alpha'(x_u)}$$

$$\text{where } \left[ \alpha(x) = \prod_{i=1}^N (x - x_i) \right]$$

for small integral of remainder:

$$\int_a^b f(x) w(x) dx = \int_a^b P(x) w(x) dx = \sum_{u=1}^N \frac{f(x_u)}{\alpha'(x_u)} \int_a^b \frac{\alpha(x)}{(x - x_u)} w(x) dx$$

$$w_k \equiv \frac{1}{\alpha'(x_k)} \int_a^b \frac{\alpha(x) w(x)}{x - x_k} dx$$

Need:  $\alpha(x)$  is orthogonal to any polynomial of degree  $\leq 2N-1$

↳ in order for this to be an exact representation

let  $Q_1(x)$  be any polynomial of degree  $\leq N-1$

$$\begin{aligned}\Rightarrow \int_a^b f(x) \omega(x) dx &= \int_a^b \alpha(x) Q_1(x) \omega(x) dx \\ &= \sum_{n=1}^N \omega_n \alpha(x_n) Q_1(x_n) = 0 \quad (\alpha(x_n)=0) \quad \checkmark \\ &\Rightarrow \alpha(x) \text{ orthogonal}\end{aligned}$$

assuming  $\alpha(x)$  is orthogonal to all polynomials  $N-1$

$\Rightarrow$  show that this formula is exact

$$f(x) = \underbrace{\alpha(x) Q_2(x)}_{2N-1} + \underbrace{p(x)}_{N-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_a^b f(x) \omega(x) dx = \underbrace{\int_a^b \alpha(x) Q_2(x) \omega(x) dx}_{=0} + \underbrace{\int_a^b p(x) \omega(x) dx}_{\text{exact if use formula}}$$

$\Rightarrow$  interpolation is exact  $\checkmark$  because  $p$  is  $N-1$  order

$$\int_a^b f(x) \omega(x) dx = \sum_{n=1}^N \omega_n p(x_n) = \sum_{n=1}^N \omega_n f(x_n) \quad \checkmark$$

mapping from  $[-1, 1]$

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = \int_{-1}^1 f(t) dt$$

$$t = \frac{2x - (a+b)}{a-b} \quad \text{or} \quad x = \frac{(b-a)t + (b+a)}{2}$$

popular choices for weights

$$w(x) = 1 \Rightarrow \text{Legendre Polynomials } P_n(x) \\ \Rightarrow P_n(x_n) = 0$$

$$w(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} \Rightarrow \text{Chebyshev Polynomial}$$

$$w(x) = x^\alpha e^{-x} \Rightarrow \text{Laguerre}$$

$$w(x) = e^{-x^2} \Rightarrow \text{Hermite}$$

$x_n$ 's are then the roots of these polynomials

