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$$f(x) = 3(x-2)^{2} - 2$$

$$2 \le x \le 4$$

$$f(2) = 3(2-2)^{2} - 2$$

$$= -2$$

$$f(4) = 3(4-2)^{2} - 2$$

$$= 3(2)^{2} - 2$$

$$= 6$$

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

$$= \frac{6 - (-2)}{4 - 2}$$

$$= 4$$

ii.

$$f(x) = 3(x-2)^{2} - 2$$

$$2 \le x \le 6$$

$$f(2) = 3(2-2)^{2} - 2$$

$$= -2$$

$$f(6) = 3(6-2)^{2} - 2$$

$$= 3(3)^{2} - 2$$

$$= 21$$

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

$$= \frac{21 - (-2)}{6 - 2}$$

$$= \frac{23}{4}$$

iii.

$$f(x) = 3(x-2)^{2} - 2$$

$$4 \le x \le 6$$

$$f(4) = 3(4-2)^{2} - 2$$

$$= 6$$

$$f(6) = 3(6-2)^{2} - 2$$

$$= 3(3)^{2} - 2$$

$$= 21$$

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

$$= \frac{21 - 6}{6 - 4}$$

$$= \frac{15}{2}$$

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