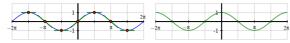
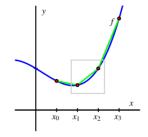
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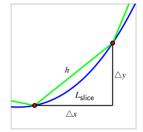


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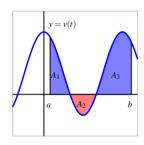
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instead being 3-4 activities per section that engage students in connecting



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