MATH102

Syllabus

5.2: Area

Objectives

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>
> 1. Use sigma notation to write and evaluate a sum.
> 2. Understand the concept of area.
> 3. Approximate the area of a plane region.
> 4. Find the area of a plane region using limits.

Sigma Notation

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The sum of n terms $a_1, a_2, \cdots, a_n$ is written as

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_i = a_1 + a_2 + \cdots + a_n$$

where i is the **index of summation**, a_i is the th **ith term** of the sum, and the upper and lower bounds of summation are n and 1.

Summation Properties

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} ka_i = k\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_i$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n}(a_i \pm b_i) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_i \pm \sum_{i=1}^{n} b_i$$

Theorem **Summation Formulas**

$$(1) \quad \sum_{i=1}^{n} c = cn, \quad c \text{ is a constant}$$

$$(2) \quad \sum_{i=1}^{n} i = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$$

$$(3) \quad \sum_{i=1}^{n} i^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}$$

$$(4) \quad \sum_{i=1}^{n} i^3 = \left[\frac{n(n+1)}{2}\right]^2$$

Example 1: **Evaluating a Sum**

Evaluate $\sum_{i=1}^{n} \frac{i+1}{n}$ for $n = 10, 100, 1000$ and $10,000$.

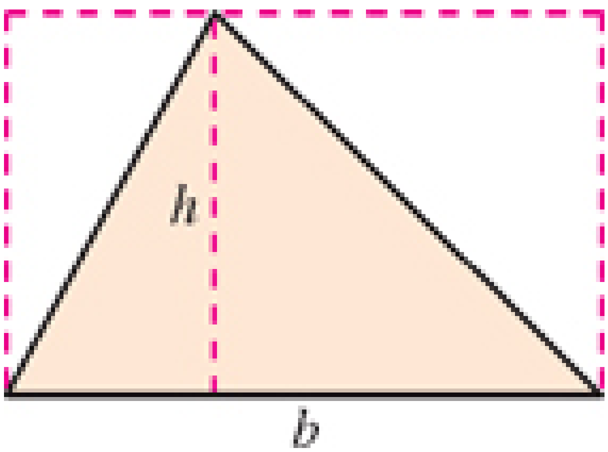
Area

In **Euclidean geometry**, the simplest type of plane region is a rectangle. Although people often say that the *formula* for the area of a rectangle is

$$A = bh$$

it is actually more proper to say that this is the *definition* of the **area of a rectangle**.

For a triangle $A = \frac{1}{2}bh$



The Area of a Plane Region

Example

Use **five** rectangles to find two approximations of the area of the region lying between the graph of

$$f(x) = 5 - x^2$$

and the x-axis between $x = 0$ and $x = 2$.

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f (generic function with 1 method)
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f(x) = 5 - x^2
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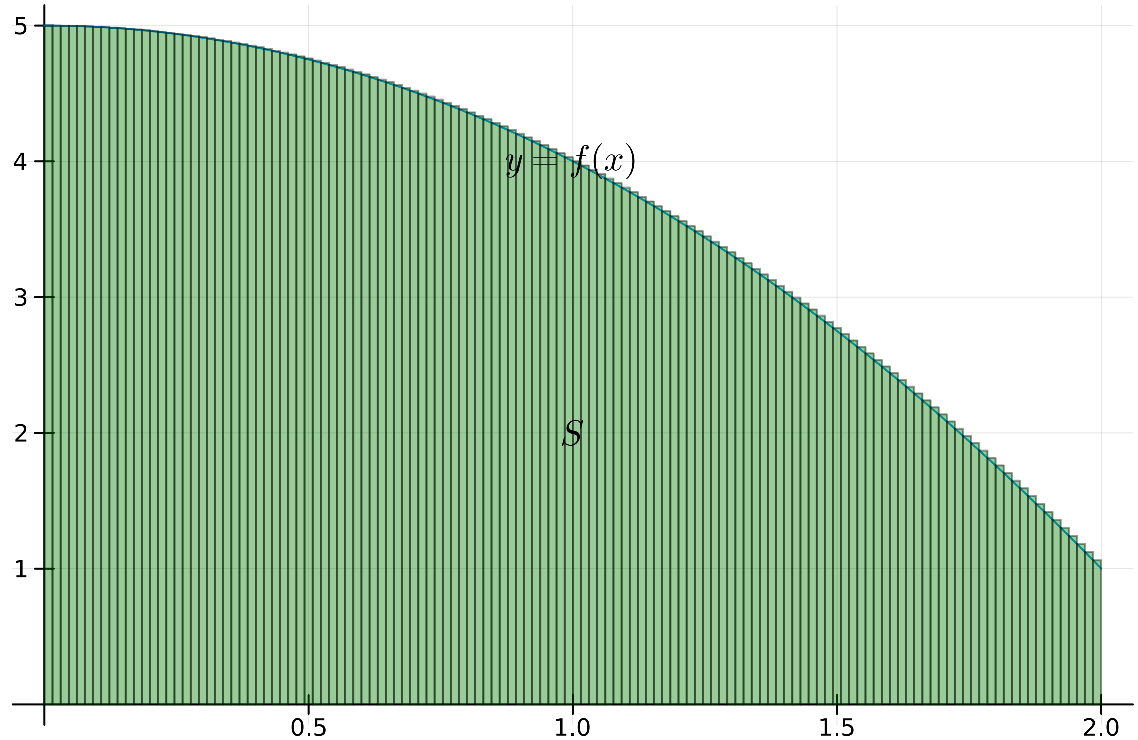
n = 130 a = 0 b = 2 method = Left

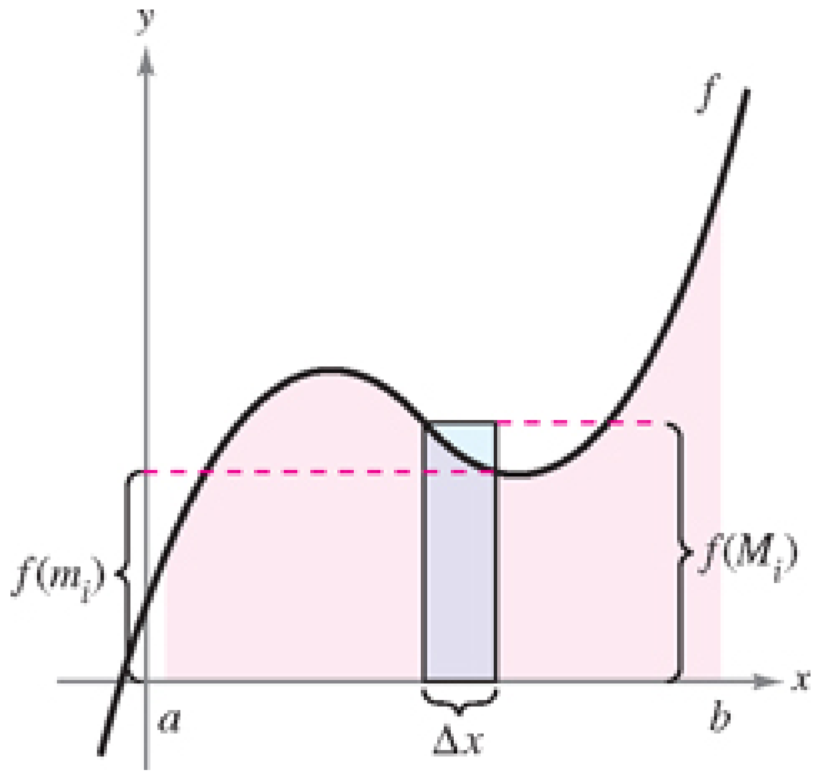


Finding Area by the Limit Definition

Find the area of a plane region bounded above by the graph of a nonnegative, **continuous** function

$$y = f(x)$$

The region is bounded below by the x- axis and the left and right boundaries of the region are the vertical lines $x = a$ and $x = b$



- To approximate the area of the region, begin by subdividing the interval into subintervals, each of width

$$\Delta x = \frac{b-a}{n}$$

- The endpoints of the intervals are

$$\overbrace{a+0(\Delta x)}^{a=x_0} < \overbrace{a+1(\Delta x)}^{a=x_1} < \overbrace{a+2(\Delta x)}^{a=x_2} < \cdots < \overbrace{a+n(\Delta x)}^{a=x_n}.$$

- Let

$$\begin{aligned} f(m_i) &= \text{Minimum value of } f(x) \text{ on the } i^{\text{th}} \text{ subinterval} \\ f(M_i) &= \text{Maximum value of } f(x) \text{ on the } i^{\text{th}} \text{ subinterval} \end{aligned}$$

- Define an **inscribed rectangle** lying inside the i^{th} subregion
- Define an **circumscribed rectangle** lying outside the i^{th} subregion

$$(\text{Area of inscribed rectangle}) = f(m_i)\Delta x \leq f(M_i)\Delta x = (\text{Area of circumscribed rectangle})$$

- The sum of the areas of the inscribed rectangles is called a **lower sum**, and the sum of the areas of the circumscribed rectangles is called an **upper sum**.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Lower sum} &= s(n) &= \sum_{i=1}^{n} f(m_i)\Delta x \quad \textcolor{red}{\text{Area of inscribed rectangle}} \\ \text{Upper sum} &= S(n) &= \sum_{i=1}^{n} f(M_i)\Delta x \quad \textcolor{red}{\text{Area of circumscribed rectangle}} \end{aligned}$$

- The actual area of the region lies between these two sums.

$$s(n) \leq (\text{Area of region}) \leq S(n).$$

Example 4: Finding Upper and Lower Sums for a Region

Find the upper and lower sums for the region bounded by the graph of $f(x) = x^2$ and the $x-$axis between $x = 0$ and $x = 2$.

n = 298 a = 0 b = 2 method = Right

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f4 (generic function with 1 method)
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f4(x) = x^2
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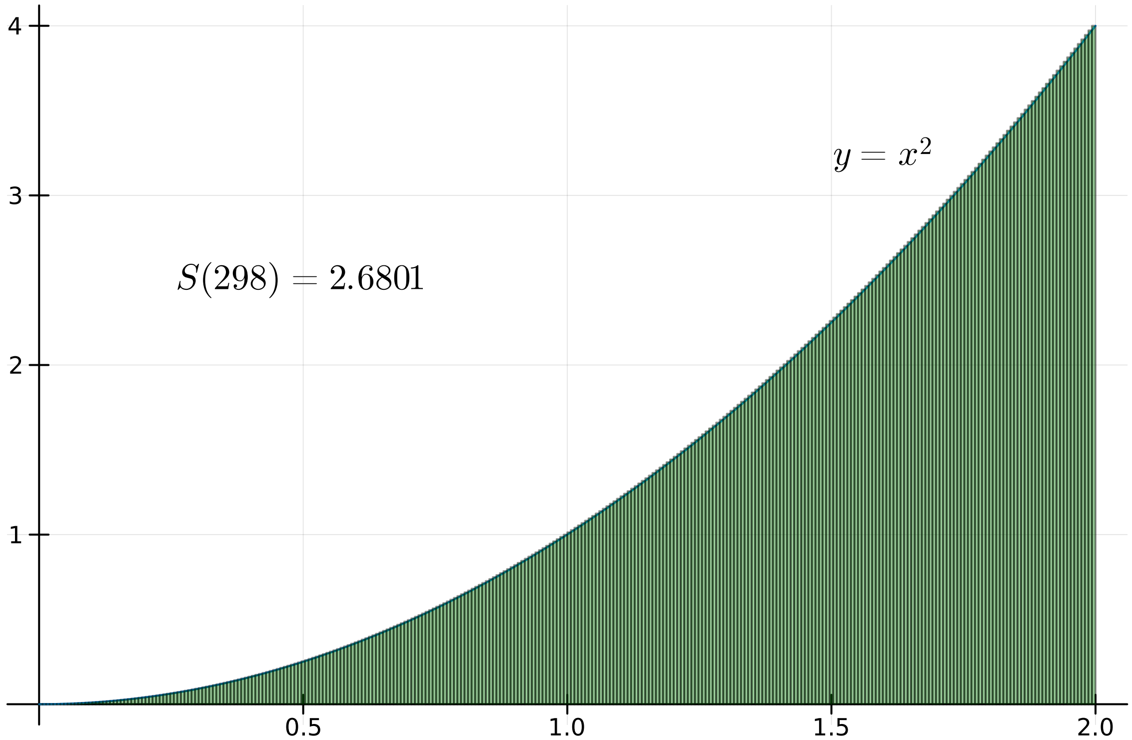

Theorem **Limits of the Lower and Upper Sums**

Let f be continuous and nonnegative on the interval $[a, b]$. The limits as $n \to \infty$ of both the lower and upper sums exist and are equal to each other. That is,

$$\lim_{n\to\infty} s(n) = \lim_{n\to\infty} \sum_{i=1}^{n} f(m_i)\Delta x = \lim_{n\to\infty} \sum_{i=1}^{n} f(M_i)\Delta x = \lim_{n\to\infty} S(n)$$

where

$$\Delta x = \frac{b-a}{n}$$

and $f(m_i)$ and $f(M_i)$ are the minimum and maximum values of f on the ith subinterval.

Definition **Area of a Region in the Plane**

Let f be continuous and nonnegative on the interval $[a, b]$. The area of the region bounded by the graph of f , the x-axis, and the vertical lines $x = a$ and $y = b$ is

$$\text{Area} = \lim_{n\to\infty} \sum_{i=1}^{n} f(c_i)\Delta x$$

where

$$x_{i-1} \le c_i \le x_i \quad \text{and} \quad \Delta x = \frac{b-a}{n}.$$

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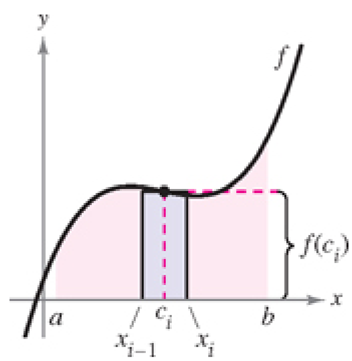

Example 5: Finding Area by the Limit Definition

Find the area of the region bounded by the graph of $f(x) = x^3$, the x-axis, and the vertical lines $x = 0$ and $x = 1$.

Example 7: A Region Bounded by the *y*-axis

Find the area of the region bounded by the graph of $f(y) = y^2$ and the y-axis for $0 \le y \le 1$.))

Midpoint Rule

$$\text{Area} \approx \sum_{i=1}^{n} f\left(\frac{x_{i-1}+x_i}{2}\right)\Delta x.$$

Example 8: **Approximating Area with the Midpoint Rule**

Use the Midpoint Rule with $n = 4$ to approximate the area of the region bounded by the graph of $f(x) = \sin x$ and the x-axis for $0 \le x \le \pi$.

5.3: Riemann Sums and Definite Integrals

> **Objectives**
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> 1. Understand the definition of a Riemann sum.
> 2. Evaluate a definite integral using limits and geometric formulas.
> 3. Evaluate a definite integral using properties of definite integrals.

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g (generic function with 1 method)
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g(x) = √x
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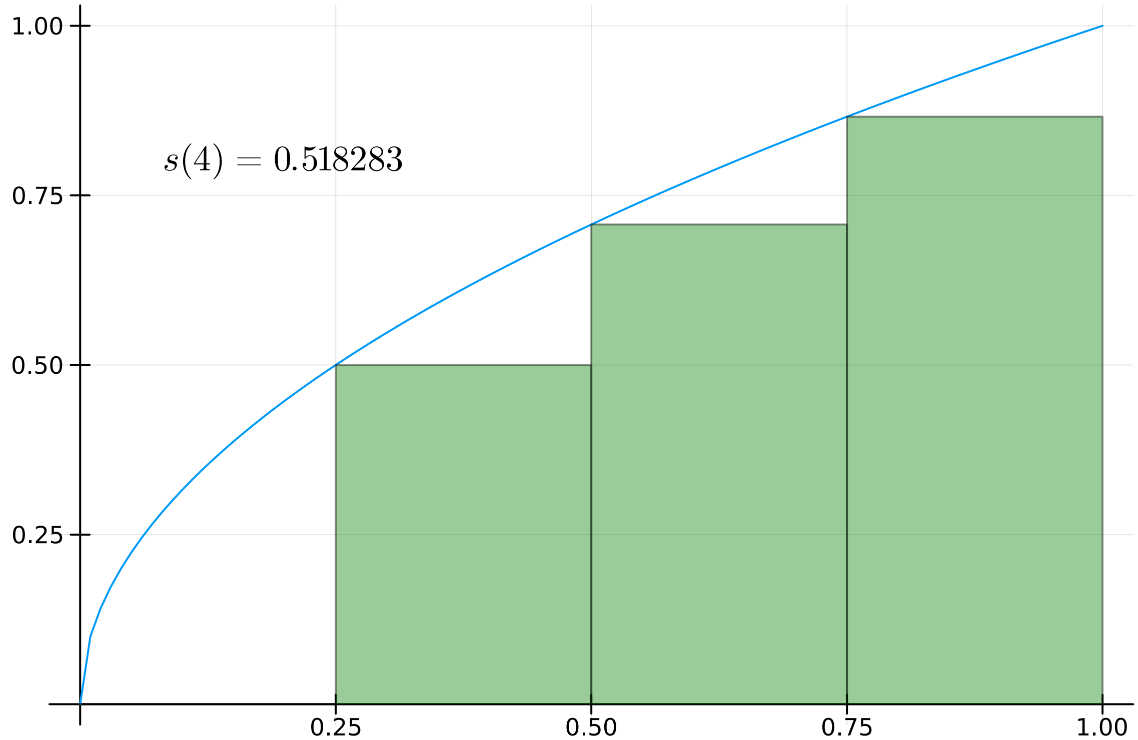
n = 4 a = 0 b = 1 method = Left



Definition of Riemann Sum

Let f be defined on the closed interval $[a, b]$, and let Δ be a partition of $[a, b]$ given by

$$a = x_0 < x_1 < x_2 < \cdots < x_{n-1} < x_n = b$$

where Δx_i is the width of the th subinterval

$$[x_{i-1}, x_i] \quad i\text{th subinterval}$$

If c_i is any point in the th subinterval, then the sum

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} f(c_i)\Delta x_i, \quad x_{i-1} \le c_i \le x_i$$

is called a **Riemann sum** of f for the partition Δ.

Remark

The width of the largest subinterval of a partition Δ is the **norm** of the partition and is denoted by $\|\Delta\|$.

- If every subinterval is of equal width, then the partition is **regular** and the norm is denoted by

$$\|\Delta\| = \Delta x = \frac{b-a}{n} \quad \textcolor{red}{\text{Regular partition}}$$

- For a general partition, the norm is related to the number of subintervals of $[a, b]$ in the following way.

$$\frac{b-a}{\|\Delta\|} \leq n \quad \textcolor{red}{\text{General partition}}$$

- Note that

$$\|\Delta\| \to 0 \quad \text{implies that} \quad n \to \infty.$$

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    using PlutoUI
    using CommonMark
    using Plots, PlotThemes, LaTeXStrings
    using HypertextLiteral: @htl, @htl_str
    using Colors
    using Random
end
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