

## Lecture 29 - Numerical calculus

Input      Outflow  
P - E - R =  $\frac{dS}{dt}$       Runoff → storage change  
Precipitation      Evaporation      residual  
Flux quantity

Water budget equation

$\frac{dS}{dt} \rightarrow$  Satellite gravimetry

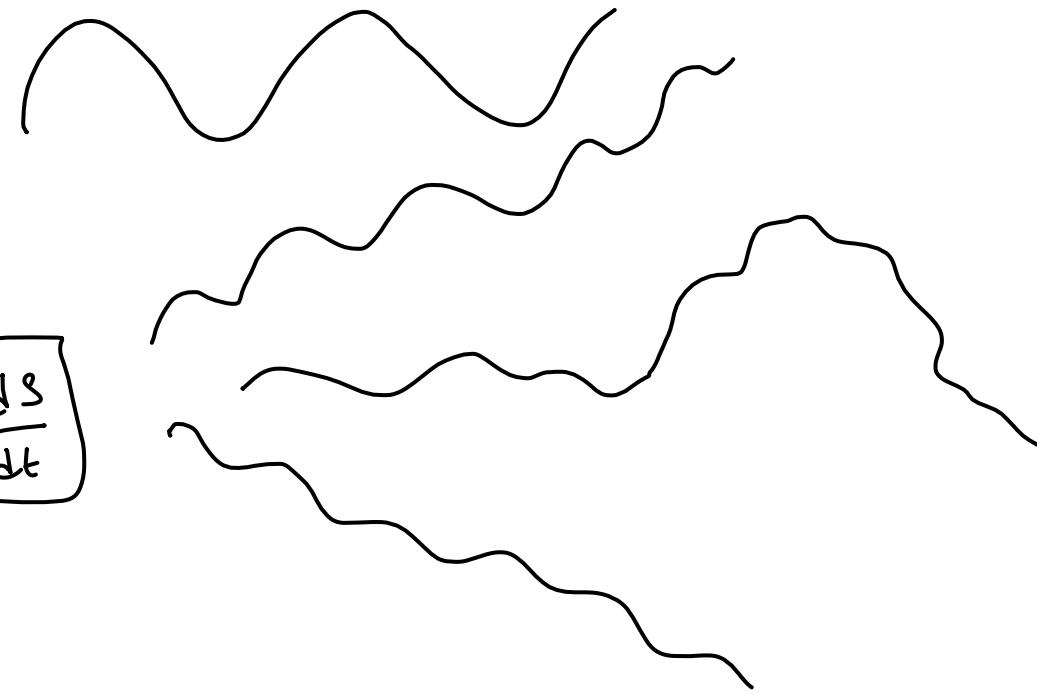
↓  
 $\Delta S \rightarrow$  Storage anomaly  $\rightarrow$

$$\underline{\underline{S(t)}} - \underline{\underline{\bar{S}}} = \Delta S$$

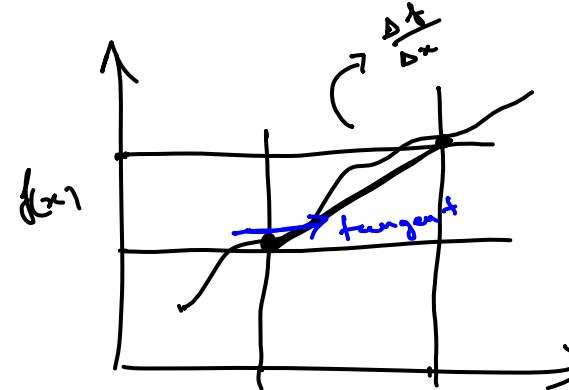
↓ mean storage

Hydro  
Cryo & Solid Earth

$$\boxed{\frac{dS}{dt}}$$



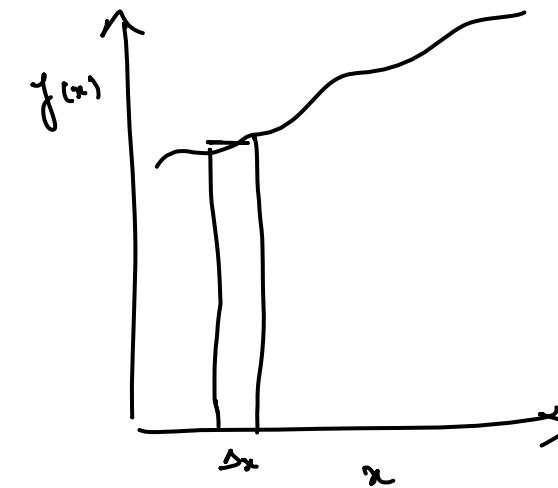
$$f(x) \rightarrow \frac{df}{dx} = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \boxed{\frac{\Delta f}{\Delta x}}$$



$$\frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{d}{dx} \right) \rightarrow \text{curvature}$$

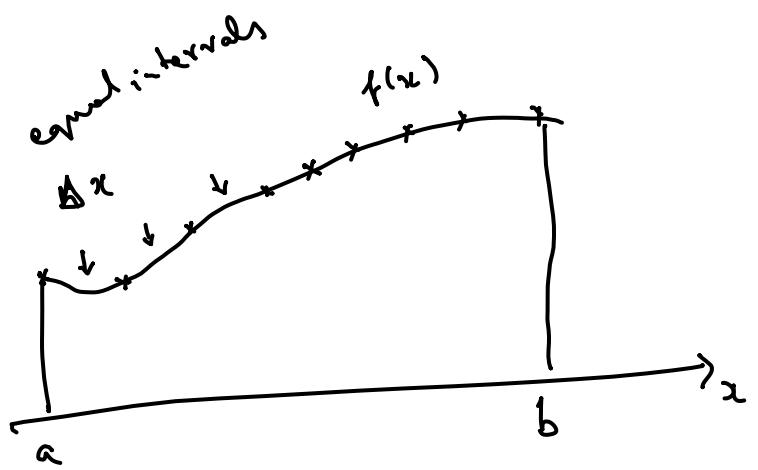
$$\int_a^b f(x) dx \rightarrow \lim_{\substack{N \rightarrow \infty \\ \Delta x \rightarrow 0}} \sum_{i=1}^N \boxed{f(x_i) \Delta x}$$

Area



# Numerical integration

## Newton-Cotes integration methods



Closed form integral  $\rightarrow f(x) \rightarrow_a^b$  given

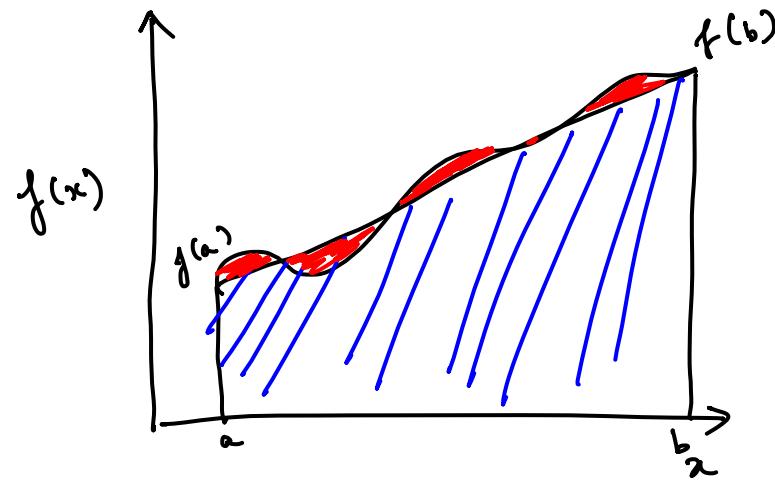
Open form integral  $\rightarrow f(x) \rightarrow_a^b$  not given

Newton-Cotes  $\rightarrow$  fit a polynomial  
between  $a$  and  $b$   
and integrate

## Types of functions

- 1) Polynomials, trigonometric functions, exponentials  
 $\hookrightarrow$  Analytical integration
- 2) Complex non-linear functions, improbable integrals
- 3) Tabulated values

Polynomial of degree 1  $\rightarrow$  line



Trapezoid

$\hookrightarrow$  find the area  
of the Trapezoid  
 $(a, b, f(a), f(b))$

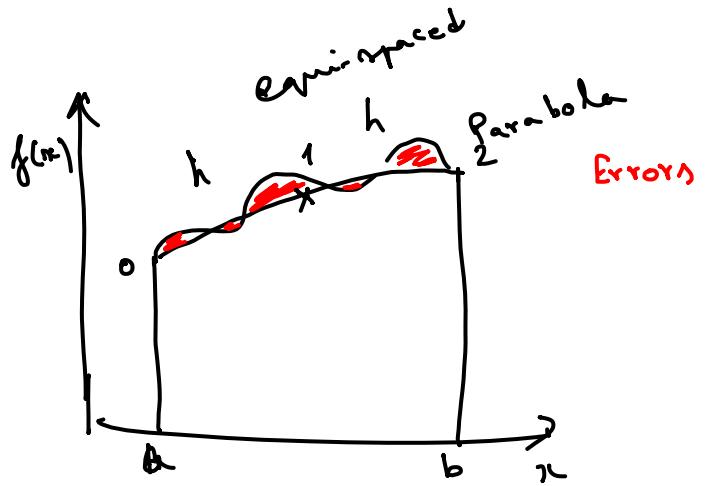
$$= (b - a) \frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2}$$

Trapezoid Rule

Error

Errors at the level of third  
order

$$E_t = -\frac{1}{12} f''(\xi) (b-a)^3$$



- Lagrange polynomial fitting points  
 $x_0, x_1, x_2$
- Integrate the polynomial  
This leads to a formulation  
called as the Simpson's  $\frac{1}{3}$  rule

Simpson's  $\frac{1}{3}$  formula

$$I = (b-a) \left[ \frac{f(x_0) + 4f(x_1) + f(x_2)}{6} \right]$$

$$x_0 = a$$

$$x_2 = b$$

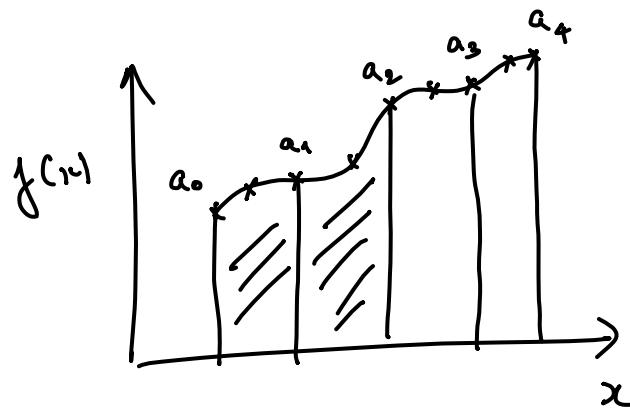
$$(b-a) = 2h$$

$$I = \frac{2h}{6} \left[ f(x_0) + 4f(x_1) + f(x_2) \right]$$

$$= \frac{h}{3} \left[ f(x_0) + 4f(x_1) + f(x_2) \right]$$

$$E_s = - \frac{(b-a)^5}{2880} f'''(\xi)$$

Practical scenario - Multiple application of  
integral formulas



$$I = \int_{a_0}^{a_4} f(x) dx = \int_{a_0}^{a_1} f(x) dx + \int_{a_1}^{a_2} f(x) dx + \int_{a_2}^{a_3} f(x) dx + \int_{a_3}^{a_4} f(x) dx$$