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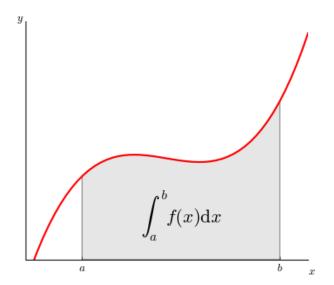
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Plot demonstrating the integral as the area under a curve.

Although this is a simple example, it demonstrates some important tweaks:

- * A simple line plot with custom color and line width.
- * A shaded region created using a Polygon patch.
- * A text label with mathtext rendering.
- * figtext calls to label the x- and y-axes.
- * Use of axis spines to hide the top and right spines.
- * Custom tick placement and labels.

import numpy as np import matplotlib.pyplot as plt from matplotlib.patches import Polygon def func(x): return (x - 3) * (x - 5) * (x - 7) + 85

a, b = 2, 9 # integral limits x = np.linspace(0, 10)y = func(x)

fig, ax = plt.subplots() plt.plot(x, y, 'r', linewidth=2)

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plt.ylim(ymin=0)
# Make the shaded region
ix = np.linspace(a, b)
iy = func(ix)
verts = [(a, 0)] + list(zip(ix, iy)) + [(b, 0)]
poly = Polygon(verts, facecolor='0.9', edgecolor='0.5')
ax.add_patch(poly)
plt.text(0.5 * (a + b), 30, r"\frac{a^b f(x)}{mathrm{d}x$}",
         horizontalalignment='center', fontsize=20)
plt.figtext(0.9, 0.05, '$x$')
plt.figtext(0.1, 0.9, '$y$')
ax.spines['right'].set_visible(False)
ax.spines['top'].set_visible(False)
ax.xaxis.set_ticks_position('bottom')
ax.set_xticks((a, b))
ax.set_xticklabels(('$a$', '$b$'))
ax.set_yticks([])
plt.show()
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