

# 7

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## INTEGRATION

Traditionally, that portion of calculus concerned with finding tangent lines and rates of change is called *differential calculus* and that portion concerned with finding areas is called *integral calculus*. However, we will see in this chapter that the two problems are so closely related that the distinction between differential and integral calculus is often hard to discern.

In this chapter we will begin with an overview of the problem of finding areas—we will discuss what the term “area” means, and we will outline two approaches to defining and calculating areas. Following this overview, we will discuss the “Fundamental Theorem of Calculus”, which is the theorem that relates the problems of finding tangent lines and areas, and we will discuss techniques for calculating areas. Finally, we will use the ideas in this chapter to continue our study of rectilinear motion and to reexamine the concept of a natural logarithm.

## 7.1 AN OVERVIEW OF THE AREA PROBLEM

In this introductory section we will give an overview of the problem of defining and calculating areas of plane regions with curvilinear boundaries. All of the results in this section will be reexamined in more detail later in this chapter, so our purpose here is to introduce the fundamental concepts.

### DEFINING AREA

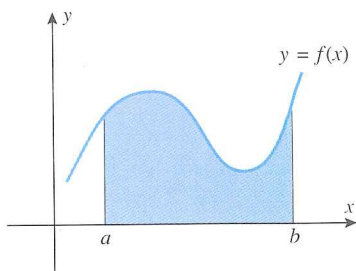


Figure 7.1.1

The main goal of this chapter is to study the following major problem of calculus:

**7.1.1 THE AREA PROBLEM.** Given a function  $f$  that is continuous and nonnegative on an interval  $[a, b]$ , find the area between the graph of  $f$  and the interval  $[a, b]$  on the  $x$ -axis (Figure 7.1.1).

Area formulas for basic geometric figures, such as rectangles, polygons, and circles, date back to the earliest written records of mathematics. The first real advance beyond the elementary level of area computation was made by the Greek mathematician, Archimedes,\* who devised an ingenious but cumbersome technique, called the *method of exhaustion*, for finding areas of regions bounded by parabolas, spirals, and various other curves.

\* **ARCHIMEDES** (287 B.C.–212 B.C.). Greek mathematician and scientist. Born in Syracuse, Sicily, Archimedes was the son of the astronomer Pheidias and possibly related to Heiron II, king of Syracuse. Most of the facts about his life come from the Roman biographer, Plutarch, who inserted a few tantalizing pages about him in the massive biography of the Roman soldier, Marcellus. In the words of one writer, “the account of Archimedes is slipped like a tissue-thin shaving of ham in a bull-choking sandwich.”

Archimedes ranks with Newton and Gauss as one of the three greatest mathematicians who ever lived, and he is certainly the greatest mathematician of antiquity. His mathematical work is so modern in spirit and technique that it is barely distinguishable from that of a seventeenth-century mathematician, yet it was all done without benefit of algebra or a convenient number system. Among his mathematical achievements, Archimedes developed a general method (exhaustion) for finding areas and volumes, and he used the method to find areas bounded by parabolas and spirals and to find volumes of cylinders, paraboloids, and segments of spheres. He gave a procedure for approximating  $\pi$  and bounded its value between  $3\frac{10}{71}$  and  $3\frac{1}{7}$ . In spite of the limitations of the Greek numbering system, he devised methods for finding square roots and invented a method based on the Greek myriad (10,000) for representing numbers as large as 1 followed by 80 million billion zeros.

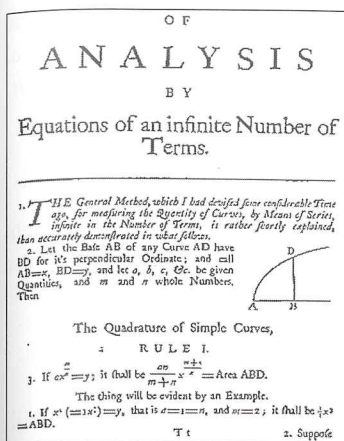
Of all his mathematical work, Archimedes was most proud of his discovery of the method for finding the volume of a sphere—he showed that the volume of a sphere is two-thirds the volume of the smallest cylinder that can contain it. At his request, the figure of a sphere and cylinder was engraved on his tombstone.

In addition to mathematics, Archimedes worked extensively in mechanics and hydrostatics. Nearly every schoolchild knows Archimedes as the absent-minded scientist who, on realizing that a floating object displaces its weight of liquid, leaped from his bath and ran naked through the streets of Syracuse shouting, “Eureka, Eureka!”—(meaning, “I have found it!”). Archimedes actually created the discipline of hydrostatics and used it to find equilibrium positions for various floating bodies. He laid down the fundamental postulates of mechanics, discovered the laws of levers, and calculated centers of gravity for various flat surfaces and solids. In the excitement of discovering the mathematical laws of the lever, he is said to have declared, “Give me a place to stand and I will move the earth.”

Although Archimedes was apparently more interested in pure mathematics than its applications, he was an engineering genius. During the second Punic war, when Syracuse was attacked by the Roman fleet under the command of Marcellus, it was reported by Plutarch that Archimedes’ military inventions held the fleet at bay for three years. He invented super catapults that showered the Romans with rocks weighing a quarter ton or more, and fearsome mechanical devices with iron “beaks and claws” that reached over the city walls, grasped the ships, and spun them against the rocks. After the first repulse, Marcellus called Archimedes a “geometrical Briareus (a hundred-armed mythological monster) who uses our ships like cups to ladle water from the sea.”

Eventually the Roman army was victorious and contrary to Marcellus’ specific orders the 75-year-old Archimedes was killed by a Roman soldier. According to one report of the incident, the soldier cast a shadow across the sand in which Archimedes was working on a mathematical problem. When the annoyed Archimedes yelled, “Don’t disturb my circles,” the soldier flew into a rage and cut the old man down.

With his death the Greek gift of mathematics passed into oblivion, not to be fully resurrected again until the sixteenth century. Unfortunately, there is no known accurate likeness or statue of this great man.



First page of the 1745 English translation of Newton's *De Analysis*

By the seventeenth century, several mathematicians had discovered how to obtain such areas more simply by calculating limits. However, the method of exhaustion and its successors lacked generality—for each different problem one had to devise special procedures. The major breakthrough in obtaining a general method for calculating areas was made independently by Newton and Leibniz, both of whom discovered that areas could be obtained by reversing the process of differentiation. This discovery, which is regarded as the beginning of calculus, was circulated by Newton in 1669 and published in 1711 in a paper entitled, *De Analysis per Aequationes Numero Terminorum Infinitas* (*On the Analysis by Means of Equations with Infinitely Many Terms*); and it was discovered by Leibniz around 1673 and stated in an unpublished manuscript dated November 11, 1675.

Before one can talk logically about methods for calculating areas, it is necessary to have a precise definition of what the term *area* means. To avoid a lot of mathematical formality, let us assume that the areas of geometric figures with straight boundaries, such as rectangles, triangles, and polygons, are defined and computed using the standard formulas for such figures. However, the problem of defining and computing areas of figures with *curvilinear* boundaries is more complicated and will require various limiting processes. For example, in the introductory section of this text we showed that the area of a circle could be viewed as a limit of areas of inscribed polygons (Figure 7 in the Introduction). Thus, once a definition is established for the area of a polygon, the area of a circle can be *defined* as a limit of areas of polygons.

### THE RECTANGLE METHOD FOR FINDING AREAS

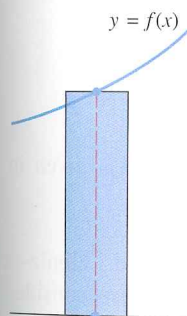


Figure 7.1.2

There are two basic methods for finding the area of the region having the form shown in Figure 7.1.1—the *rectangle method* and the *antiderivative method*. The idea behind the rectangle method is as follows:

- Divide the interval  $[a, b]$  into  $n$  equal subintervals, and over each subinterval construct a rectangle that extends from the  $x$ -axis to any point on the curve  $y = f(x)$  that is above the subinterval; the particular point does not matter—it can be above the center, above an endpoint, or above any other point in the subinterval. In Figure 7.1.2 it is above the center.
- For each  $n$ , the total area of the rectangles can be viewed as an *approximation* to the exact area under the curve over the interval  $[a, b]$ . Moreover, it is evident intuitively that as  $n$  increases these approximations will get better and better and will approach the exact area as a limit (Figure 7.1.3).

This procedure serves both as a mathematical definition and a method of computation—we can *define* the area under  $y = f(x)$  over the interval  $[a, b]$  as the limit of the areas of the approximating rectangles, and we can use the method itself to approximate this area.

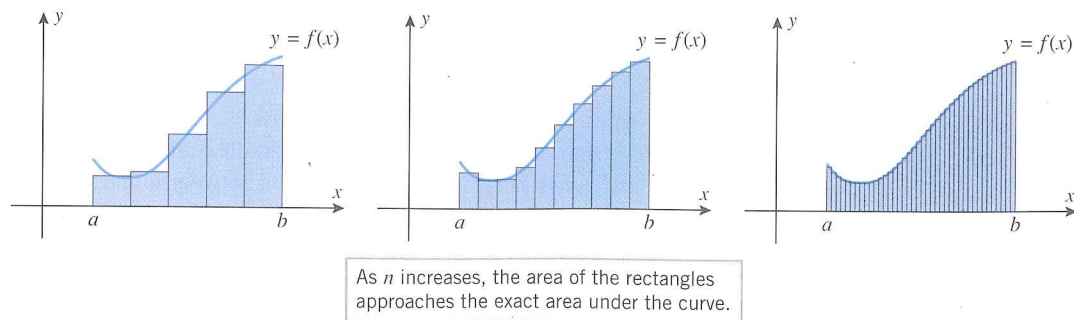


Figure 7.1.3

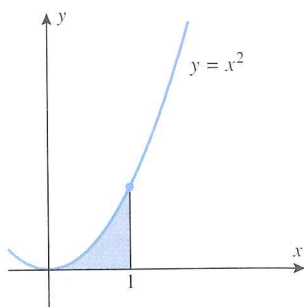


Figure 7.1.4

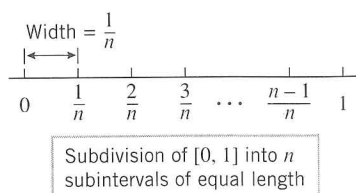


Figure 7.1.5

To illustrate this idea, we will use the rectangle method to approximate the area under the curve  $y = x^2$  over the interval  $[0, 1]$  (Figure 7.1.4). We will begin by dividing the interval  $[0, 1]$  into  $n$  equal subintervals, from which it follows that each subinterval has length  $1/n$ ; the endpoints of the subintervals occur at

$$0, \frac{1}{n}, \frac{2}{n}, \frac{3}{n}, \dots, \frac{n-1}{n}, 1$$

(Figure 7.1.5). We want to construct a rectangle over each of these intervals whose height is the value of the function  $f(x) = x^2$  at any point in the interval. To be specific, let us use the right endpoints, in which case the heights of our rectangles will be

$$\left(\frac{1}{n}\right)^2, \left(\frac{2}{n}\right)^2, \left(\frac{3}{n}\right)^2, \dots, 1$$

and since each rectangle has a base of width  $1/n$ , the total area  $A_n$  of the  $n$  rectangles will be

$$A_n = \left[ \left(\frac{1}{n}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{2}{n}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{3}{n}\right)^2 + \dots + 1^2 \right] \left(\frac{1}{n}\right) \quad (1)$$

For example, if  $n = 4$ , then the total area of the four approximating rectangles would be

$$A_4 = \left[ \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{2}{4}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^2 + 1^2 \right] \left(\frac{1}{4}\right) = \frac{15}{32} = 0.46875$$

Table 7.1.1 shows the result of evaluating (1) on a computer for some increasingly large values of  $n$ . These computations suggest that the exact area is close to  $\frac{1}{3}$ .

Table 7.1.1

| $n$   | 4        | 10       | 100      | 1000     | 10,000   | 100,000  |
|-------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| $A_n$ | 0.468750 | 0.385000 | 0.338350 | 0.333834 | 0.333383 | 0.333338 |

**FOR THE READER.** Use your calculating utility to confirm the value of  $A_{10}$  given in Table 7.1.1.

### THE ANTIDERIVATIVE METHOD FOR FINDING AREAS

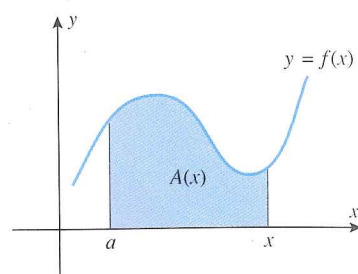


Figure 7.1.6

The antiderivative method for finding areas reflects the genius of Newton and Leibniz—they suggested that to find the area under the curve in Figure 7.1.1, one should first consider the more general problem of finding the area  $A(x)$  under the curve from the point  $a$  to an arbitrary point  $x$  in the interval  $[a, b]$  (Figure 7.1.6). Newton and Leibniz discovered independently that the *derivative* of the function  $A(x)$  is easy to find, so that if one can figure out how to find  $A(x)$  from  $A'(x)$ , then the area under the curve from  $a$  to  $b$  can be obtained by substituting  $x = b$  in the area formula  $A(x)$ .

To illustrate how all of this works, let us begin with the problem of finding

$$A'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{A(x+h) - A(x)}{h} \quad (2)$$

For simplicity, consider the case where  $h > 0$ . The numerator on the right side of (2) is the difference of two areas: the area between  $a$  and  $x+h$  minus the area between  $a$  and  $x$  (Figure 7.1.7a). If we let  $c$  be the midpoint between  $x$  and  $x+h$ , then this difference of areas can be approximated by the area of a rectangle with base  $h$  and height  $f(c)$  (Figure 7.1.7b). Thus,

$$\frac{A(x+h) - A(x)}{h} \approx \frac{f(c) \cdot h}{h} = f(c) \quad (3)$$

It seems plausible from Figure 7.1.7b that the error in approximation (3) will approach

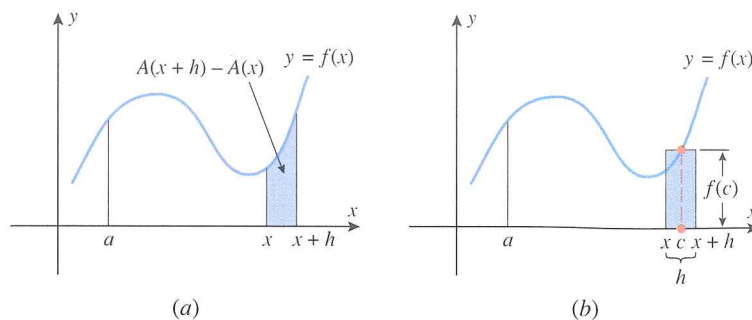


Figure 7.1.7

approach zero as  $h \rightarrow 0$ . If we accept this to be so, then it follows from (2) and (3) that

$$A'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{A(x+h) - A(x)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(c) \quad (4)$$

Since  $c$  is the midpoint between  $x$  and  $x+h$ , it follows that  $c \rightarrow x$  as  $h \rightarrow 0$ . But we have assumed  $f$  to be a continuous function, so  $f(c) \rightarrow f(x)$  as  $c \rightarrow x$ . Therefore,

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(c) = f(x)$$

Thus, it follows from (4) that

$$A'(x) = f(x) \quad (5)$$

This is the result we were looking for; it tells us that *the derivative of the area function  $A(x)$  is the function whose graph forms the upper boundary of the region.*

To illustrate how the antiderivative method works, let us apply it to the same problem we investigated with the rectangle method—finding the area under  $y = x^2$  over the interval  $[0, 1]$ . The upper boundary of the region is the graph of  $f(x) = x^2$ , so it follows from (5) that the derivative of the area function is

$$A'(x) = x^2 \quad (6)$$

Thus, to find  $A(x)$  we must look for a function whose derivative is  $x^2$ . This is called an **antidifferentiation** problem because we are trying to find  $A(x)$  by “undoing” a differentiation. By simply guessing we see that

$$A(x) = \frac{1}{3}x^3$$

is one solution to (6). But this is not the only solution, since it follows from Theorem 6.5.3 that

$$A(x) = \frac{1}{3}x^3 + C \quad (7)$$

also satisfies (6) for any real value of  $C$ . We still have some work to do since this formula involves an unknown constant  $C$  that must be determined. This is where the decision to solve the area problem for a general right-hand endpoint helps. If we consider the case where  $x = 0$ , then the interval  $[0, x]$  reduces to a single point. If we agree that the area above a single point should be taken as zero, then it follows on substituting  $x = 0$  in (7) that

$$A(0) = 0 + C = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad C = 0$$

so (7) simplifies to

$$A(x) = \frac{1}{3}x^3 \quad (8)$$

which is the formula for the area under  $y = x^2$  over the interval  $[0, x]$ . For the area over

the interval  $[0, 1]$  we set  $x = 1$  in (8), which yields  $A(1) = \frac{1}{3}$  for the exact area under the curve. This confirms definitely what was suggested numerically in Table 7.1.1.

**REMARK.** Our success in finding the exact area under the curve  $y = x^2$  hinged on our ability to guess at a function  $A(x)$  whose derivative is  $x^2$ . Had we not been able to find such a function, then the antiderivative method would have failed and we would have been forced to rely on the rectangle method. Thus, whereas earlier in this text we were concerned with the process of differentiation, we will now also be concerned with the process of antidifferentiation.

### EXERCISE SET 7.1

In Exercises 1–4, use an appropriate formula from plane geometry to find the exact area between the graph of  $f$  and the given interval; and then use the rectangle method to make a table of approximations  $A_1, A_2, \dots, A_{10}$  to the exact area, where  $A_n$  is the approximation that results by dividing the interval into  $n$  subintervals and constructing a rectangle over each subinterval whose height is the  $y$ -coordinate of the curve  $y = f(x)$  at the right endpoint.

1.  $f(x) = x$ ;  $[0, 1]$
2.  $f(x) = 4 - 2x$ ;  $[0, 2]$
3.  $f(x) = 6x + 2$ ;  $[0, 2]$
4.  $f(x) = \sqrt{1 - x^2}$ ;  $[0, 1]$
5. Let  $A(x) = x^2/2$ . Confirm that  $A'(x) = x$ , and use the antiderivative method to find the exact area in Exercise 1.
6. Let  $A(x) = 4x - x^2$ . Confirm that  $A'(x) = 4 - 2x$ , and use the antiderivative method to find the exact area in Exercise 2.
7. Let  $A(x) = 3x^2 + 2x$ . Confirm that  $A'(x) = 6x + 2$ , and use the antiderivative method to find the exact area in Exercise 3.
8. Let  $A(x) = \frac{1}{2}x\sqrt{1 - x^2} + \frac{1}{2}\sin^{-1}x$ . Then confirm that  $A'(x) = \sqrt{1 - x^2}$ , and use the antiderivative method to find the exact area in Exercise 4.
9. Use the antiderivative method to find the exact area between the curve  $y = e^x$  and the interval  $[0, 1]$ .
10. Use the antiderivative method to find the exact area between the curve  $y = \sin x$  and the interval  $[0, \pi]$ .

## 7.2 THE INDEFINITE INTEGRAL; INTEGRAL CURVES AND DIRECTION FIELDS

*In the last section we saw that antidifferentiation plays an important role in finding exact areas. In this section we will develop some fundamental results about antidifferentiation that will ultimately lead us to systematic procedures for finding a function from its derivative.*

**7.2.1 DEFINITION.** A function  $F$  is called an **antiderivative** of a function  $f$  on a given interval  $I$  if  $F'(x) = f(x)$  for all  $x$  in the interval.

For example, the function  $F(x) = \frac{1}{3}x^3$  is an antiderivative of  $f(x) = x^2$  on the interval  $(-\infty, +\infty)$  because for each  $x$  in this interval

$$F'(x) = \frac{d}{dx} \left[ \frac{1}{3}x^3 \right] = x^2 = f(x)$$

However, this is not the only antiderivative of  $F$  on this interval. If we add any constant  $C$  to  $\frac{1}{3}x^3$ , then the function  $F(x) = \frac{1}{3}x^3 + C$  is also an antiderivative of  $f$  on  $(-\infty, +\infty)$ , since

$$F'(x) = \frac{d}{dx} \left[ \frac{1}{3}x^3 + C \right] = x^2 + 0 = f(x)$$

In general, once any single antiderivative of a function is known, other antiderivatives can be obtained by adding constants to the known antiderivative. Thus,

$$\frac{1}{3}x^3, \quad \frac{1}{3}x^3 + 2, \quad \frac{1}{3}x^3 - 5, \quad \frac{1}{3}x^3 + \sqrt{2}$$

are all antiderivatives of  $f(x) = x^2$ .

**WARNING.** Do not confuse derivatives and antiderivatives—the *derivative* of the function  $f(x) = x^2$  is  $f'(x) = 2x$ , but the functions  $F(x) = \frac{1}{3}x^3 + C$  are *antiderivatives* of  $f$ .

It is reasonable to ask if there are antiderivatives of a function  $f$  that cannot be obtained by adding some constant to a known antiderivative  $F$ . The answer is *no*—once a single antiderivative of  $f$  on an interval  $I$  is known, all other antiderivatives on that interval are obtainable by adding constants to that antiderivative. This is so because Theorem 6.5.3 tells us that if two functions have the same derivative on an interval, then they differ by a constant on that interval. The following theorem summarizes these observations.

**7.2.2 THEOREM.** If  $F(x)$  is any antiderivative of  $f(x)$  on an interval  $I$ , then for any constant  $C$  the function  $F(x) + C$  is also an antiderivative of  $f(x)$  on that interval. Moreover, each antiderivative of  $f(x)$  on the interval  $I$  can be expressed in the form  $F(x) + C$  by choosing the constant  $C$  appropriately.

The process of finding antiderivatives is called *antidifferentiation* or *integration*. Thus, if

$$\frac{d}{dx}[F(x)] = f(x)$$

then integrating (or antidifferentiating)  $f(x)$  produces the antiderivatives  $F(x) + C$ . We denote this by writing

$$\int f(x) dx = F(x) + C \quad (1)$$

For example, the antiderivatives of  $f(x) = x^2$  are the functions  $F(x) = \frac{1}{3}x^3 + C$ , so

$$\int x^2 dx = \frac{1}{3}x^3 + C$$

The “elongated s” that appears on the left side of (1) is called an *integral sign*\* or an *indefinite integral*, the function  $f(x)$  is called the *integrand*, and the constant  $C$  is called the *constant of integration*. You should read Equation (1) as “the integral of  $f(x)$  with respect to  $x$  is equal to  $F(x) + C$ .” The adjective “indefinite” emphasizes that the integration process does not produce a *definite* function, but rather a whole set of functions.

The  $dx$  symbols in the differentiation and antidifferentiation operations

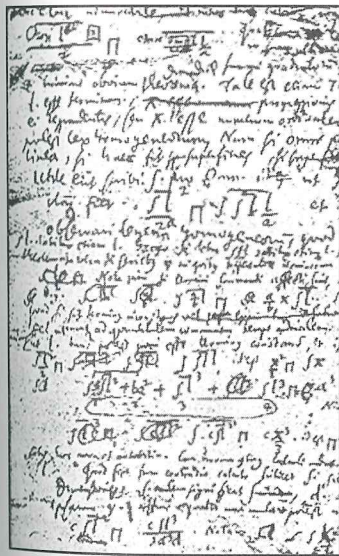
$$\frac{d}{dx}[\ ] \quad \text{and} \quad \int [\ ] dx$$

serve to identify the independent variable. If an independent variable other than  $x$  is used, say  $t$ , then the notation must be adjusted appropriately. Thus,

$$\frac{d}{dt}[F(t)] = f(t) \quad \text{and} \quad \int f(t) dt = F(t) + C$$

are equivalent statements.

## THE INDEFINITE INTEGRAL



Extract from the manuscript of Leibniz dated October 29, 1675 in which the integral sign first appeared.

\* This notation was devised by Leibniz. In his early papers Leibniz used the notation “omn.” (an abbreviation for the Latin word “omnes”) to denote integration. Then on October 29, 1675 he wrote, “It will be useful to write  $\int$  for omn., thus  $\int \ell$  for omn.  $\ell \dots$ ” Two or three weeks later he refined the notation further and wrote  $\int [\ ] dx$  rather than  $\int$  alone. This notation is so useful and so powerful that its development by Leibniz must be regarded as a major milestone in the history of mathematics and science.

## Example 1

| DERIVATIVE FORMULA                              | EQUIVALENT INTEGRATION FORMULA               |
|---|--|
| $\frac{d}{dx} [x^3] = 3x^2$                     | $\int 3x^2 dx = x^3 + C$                     |
| $\frac{d}{dx} [\sqrt{x}] = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$ | $\int \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} dx = \sqrt{x} + C$ |
| $\frac{d}{dt} [\tan t] = \sec^2 t$              | $\int \sec^2 t dt = \tan t + C$              |
| $\frac{d}{du} [u^{3/2}] = \frac{3}{2}u^{1/2}$   | $\int \frac{3}{2}u^{1/2} du = u^{3/2} + C$   |

For simplicity, the  $dx$  is sometimes absorbed into the integrand. For example,

$$\int 1 dx \quad \text{can be written as} \quad \int dx$$

$$\int \frac{1}{x^2} dx \quad \text{can be written as} \quad \int \frac{dx}{x^2}$$

## INTEGRATION FORMULAS

Integration is essentially educated guesswork—given the derivative of a function  $f$ , one tries to guess what the function  $f$  is. However, many basic integration formulas can be obtained directly from their companion differentiation formulas. Some of the most important ones are given in Table 7.2.1.

Table 7.2.1

| DIFFERENTIATION FORMULA  | INTEGRATION FORMULA  |
|--|--|
| 1. $\frac{d}{dx} [x] = 1$  | $\int dx = x + C$  |
| 2. $\frac{d}{dx} \left[ \frac{x^{r+1}}{r+1} \right] = x^r \quad (r \neq -1)$ | $\int x^r dx = \left[ \frac{x^{r+1}}{r+1} \right] + C \quad (r \neq -1)$ |
| 3. $\frac{d}{dx} [\sin x] = \cos x$  | $\int \cos x dx = \sin x + C$  |
| 4. $\frac{d}{dx} [-\cos x] = \sin x$   | $\int \sin x dx = -\cos x + C$   |
| 5. $\frac{d}{dx} [\tan x] = \sec^2 x$  | $\int \sec^2 x dx = \tan x + C$  |
| 6. $\frac{d}{dx} [-\cot x] = \csc^2 x$                                       | $\int \csc^2 x dx = -\cot x + C$   |
| 7. $\frac{d}{dx} [\sec x] = \sec x \tan x$                                   | $\int \sec x \tan x dx = \sec x + C$                                     |
| 8. $\frac{d}{dx} [-\csc x] = \csc x \cot x$                                  | $\int \csc x \cot x dx = -\csc x + C$                                    |
| 9. $\frac{d}{dx} [e^x] = e^x$  | $\int e^x dx = e^x + C$  |
| 10. $\frac{d}{dx} \left[ \frac{b^x}{\ln b} \right] = b^x$                    | $\int b^x dx = \frac{b^x}{\ln b} + C$                                    |
| 11. $\frac{d}{dx} [\ln  x ] = \frac{1}{x}$                                   | $\int \frac{dx}{x} = \ln  x  + C$  |

## Example 2

The second integration formula in this table will be easy to remember if you express it in words: *to integrate a power of  $x$  (other than  $-1$ ), add 1 to the power and divide by the new power.* Here are some examples:

$$\int x^2 dx = \frac{x^3}{3} + C \quad r=2$$

$$\int x^3 dx = \frac{x^4}{4} + C \quad r=3$$

$$\int \frac{1}{x^5} dx = \int x^{-5} dx = \frac{x^{-5+1}}{-5+1} + C = -\frac{1}{4x^4} + C \quad r=-5$$

$$\int \sqrt{x} dx = \int x^{\frac{1}{2}} dx = \frac{x^{\frac{1}{2}+1}}{\frac{1}{2}+1} + C = \frac{2}{3}x^{\frac{3}{2}} + C = \frac{2}{3}(\sqrt{x})^3 + C \quad r=\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\int x^{-1} dx = \int \frac{dx}{x} = \ln|x| + C$$

### PROPERTIES OF THE INDEFINITE INTEGRAL

If we differentiate an antiderivative of  $f(x)$ , we obtain  $f(x)$  back again. Thus,

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left[ \int f(x) dx \right] = f(x) \quad (2)$$

This result is helpful for proving the following basic properties of antiderivatives.

#### 7.2.3 THEOREM.

(a) A constant factor can be moved through an integral sign; that is,

$$\int cf(x) dx = c \int f(x) dx$$

(b) An antiderivative of a sum is the sum of the antiderivatives; that is,

$$\int [f(x) + g(x)] dx = \int f(x) dx + \int g(x) dx$$

(c) An antiderivative of a difference is the difference of the antiderivatives; that is,

$$\int [f(x) - g(x)] dx = \int f(x) dx - \int g(x) dx$$

**Proof.** In each part we must show that the expression on the right side of the equation is an antiderivative of the integrand on the left side of the equation. This can be done using (2) as follows:

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left[ c \int f(x) dx \right] = c \frac{d}{dx} \left[ \int f(x) dx \right] = cf(x)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dx} \left[ \int f(x) dx + \int g(x) dx \right] &= \frac{d}{dx} \left[ \int f(x) dx \right] + \frac{d}{dx} \left[ \int g(x) dx \right] \\ &= f(x) + g(x) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dx} \left[ \int f(x) dx - \int g(x) dx \right] &= \frac{d}{dx} \left[ \int f(x) dx \right] - \frac{d}{dx} \left[ \int g(x) dx \right] \\ &= f(x) - g(x) \end{aligned}$$

When applying Theorem 7.2.3, it is best to put in the constant of integration at the *very end* of the computations to obtain the simplest form of the answer. This is illustrated in the following example.

**Example 3**

Evaluate

$$(a) \int 4 \cos x \, dx \quad (b) \int (x + x^2) \, dx$$

**Solution (a).**

$$\int 4 \cos x \, dx = 4 \int \cos x \, dx = 4(\sin x + C) = 4 \sin x + 4C$$

Theorem 7.2.3(a)

Table 7.2.1

Since  $C$  is an arbitrary constant, so is  $4C$ . However, this latter form is unnecessarily complicated and can be avoided by deferring the insertion of the constant until the end of the computations; this procedure yields

$$\int 4 \cos x \, dx = 4 \int \cos x \, dx = 4 \sin x + C$$

**Solution (b).**

$$\int (x + x^2) \, dx = \int x \, dx + \int x^2 \, dx = \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3} + C$$

Theorem 7.2.3(b)

Table 7.2.1

Parts (b) and (c) of Theorem 7.2.3 can be extended to more than two functions, which in combination with part (a) results in the following general formula:

$$\begin{aligned} \int [c_1 f_1(x) + c_2 f_2(x) + \cdots + c_n f_n(x)] \, dx \\ = c_1 \int f_1(x) \, dx + c_2 \int f_2(x) \, dx + \cdots + c_n \int f_n(x) \, dx \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

**Example 4**

$$\begin{aligned} \int (3x^6 - 2x^2 + 7x + 1) \, dx &= 3 \int x^6 \, dx - 2 \int x^2 \, dx + 7 \int x \, dx + \int 1 \, dx \\ &= \frac{3x^7}{7} - \frac{2x^3}{3} + \frac{7x^2}{2} + x + C \end{aligned}$$

Sometimes it is useful to rewrite an integrand in a different form before performing the integration.

**Example 5**

Evaluate

$$(a) \int \frac{\cos x}{\sin^2 x} \, dx \quad (b) \int \frac{t^2 - 2t^4}{t^4} \, dt$$

**Solution (a).**

$$\int \frac{\cos x}{\sin^2 x} \, dx = \int \frac{1}{\sin x} \frac{\cos x}{\sin x} \, dx = \int \csc x \cot x \, dx = -\csc x + C$$

Formula 8 in Table 7.2.1

**Solution (b).**

$$\begin{aligned}\int \frac{t^2 - 2t^4}{t^4} dt &= \int \left( \frac{1}{t^2} - 2 \right) dt = \int (t^{-2} - 2) dt \\ &= \frac{t^{-1}}{-1} - 2t + C = -\frac{1}{t} - 2t + C\end{aligned}$$

**INTEGRAL CURVES**

Graphs of antiderivatives of a function  $f$  are called **integral curves** of  $f$ . We know from Theorem 7.2.2 that if  $y = F(x)$  is any integral curve of  $f(x)$ , then all other integral curves are vertical translations of this curve, since they have equations of the form  $y = F(x) + C$ . For example,  $y = \frac{1}{3}x^3$  is one integral curve for  $f(x) = x^2$ , so all the other integral curves have equations of the form  $y = \frac{1}{3}x^3 + C$ ; conversely, the graph of any equation of this form is an integral curve (Figure 7.2.1).

In many problems one is interested in finding a function whose derivative satisfies specified conditions. The following example illustrates a geometric problem of this type.

**Example 6**

Suppose that a point moves along some unknown curve  $y = f(x)$  in the  $xy$ -plane in such a way that at each point  $(x, y)$  on the curve, the tangent line has slope  $x^2$ . Find an equation for the curve given that it passes through the point  $(2, 1)$ .

**Solution.** We know that  $dy/dx = x^2$ , so

$$y = \int x^2 dx = \frac{1}{3}x^3 + C$$

Since the curve passes through  $(2, 1)$ , a specific value for  $C$  can be found by using the fact that  $y = 1$  if  $x = 2$ . Substituting these values in the above equation yields

$$1 = \frac{1}{3}(2^3) + C \quad \text{or} \quad C = -\frac{5}{3}$$

so the curve is  $y = \frac{1}{3}x^3 - \frac{5}{3}$ .

Observe that in this example the requirement that the unknown curve pass through the point  $(2, 1)$  enabled us to determine a specific value for the constant of integration, thereby isolating the single integral curve  $y = \frac{1}{3}x^3 - \frac{5}{3}$  from the family  $y = \frac{1}{3}x^3 + C$  (Figure 7.2.2).

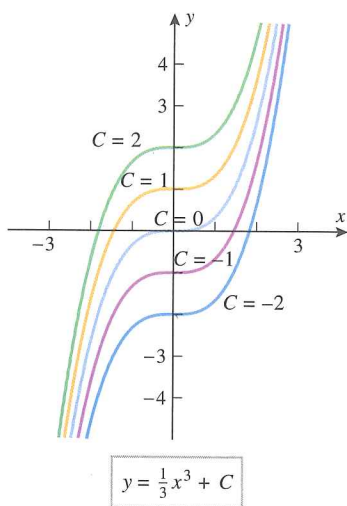


Figure 7.2.1

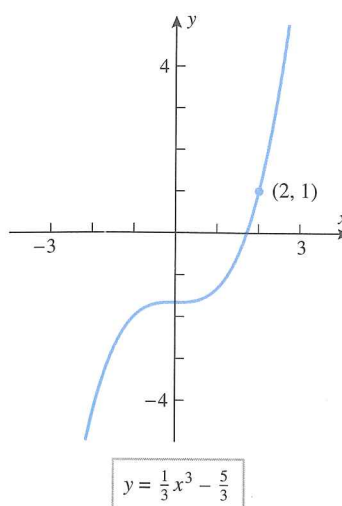


Figure 7.2.2

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**INTEGRATION FROM THE  
VIEWPOINT OF DIFFERENTIAL  
EQUATIONS**

We will now consider another way of looking at integration that will be useful in our later work. Suppose that  $f(x)$  is a known function and we are interested in finding a function  $F(x)$  such that  $y = F(x)$  satisfies the equation

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = f(x) \quad (4)$$

The solutions of this equation are the antiderivatives of  $f(x)$ , and we know that these can be obtained by integrating  $f(x)$ . For example, the solutions of the equation

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = x^2 \quad (5)$$

are

$$y = \int x^2 dx = \frac{x^3}{3} + C$$

Equation (4) is called a **differential equation** because it involves a derivative of an unknown function. Differential equations are different from the kinds of equations we have encountered so far in that the unknown is a *function* and not a *number* as in an equation such as  $x^2 + 5x - 6 = 0$ .

Sometimes we will not be interested in finding all of the solutions of (4), but rather we will want only the solution whose integral curve passes through a specified point  $(x_0, y_0)$ . For example, in Example 6 we solved (5) for the integral curve that passed through the point  $(2, 1)$ .

For simplicity, it is common in the study of differential equations to denote a solution of  $dy/dx = f(x)$  as  $y(x)$  rather than  $F(x)$ , as earlier. With this notation, the problem of finding a function  $y(x)$  whose derivative is  $f(x)$  and whose integral curve passes through the point  $(x_0, y_0)$  is expressed as

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = f(x), \quad y(x_0) = y_0 \quad (6)$$

For reasons that will be explained later, this is called an **initial-value problem**, and the requirement that  $y(x_0) = y_0$  is called the **initial condition** for the problem.

**Example 7**

Solve the initial-value problem

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \cos x, \quad y(0) = 1$$

**Solution.** The solution of the differential equation is

$$y = \int \cos x dx = \sin x + C \quad (7)$$

The initial condition  $y(0) = 1$  implies that  $y = 1$  if  $x = 0$ ; substituting these values in (7) yields

$$1 = \sin(0) + C \quad \text{or} \quad C = 1$$

Thus, the solution of the initial-value problem is  $y = \sin x + 1$ . ◀

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**DIRECTION FIELDS**

If we interpret  $dy/dx$  as the slope of a tangent line, then at a point  $(x, y)$  on an integral curve of the equation  $dy/dx = f(x)$ , the slope of the tangent line is  $f(x)$ . What is interesting about this is that the slopes of the tangent lines to the integral curves can be obtained without actually solving the differential equation. For example, if

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \sqrt{x^2 + 1}$$

then we know without solving the equation that at the point where  $x = 1$  the tangent line

to an integral curve has slope  $\sqrt{1^2 + 1} = \sqrt{2}$ ; and more generally, at a point where  $x = a$ , the tangent line to an integral curve has slope  $\sqrt{a^2 + 1}$ .

A geometric description of the integral curves of a differential equation  $dy/dx = f(x)$  can be obtained by choosing a rectangular grid of points in the  $xy$ -plane, calculating the slopes of the tangent lines to the integral curves at the gridpoints, and drawing small portions of the tangent lines at those points. The resulting picture, which is called a **direction field** or **slope field** for the equation, shows the “direction” of the integral curves at the gridpoints. With sufficiently many gridpoints it is often possible to visualize the integral curves themselves; for example, Figure 7.2.3a shows a direction field for the differential equation  $dy/dx = x^2$ , and Figure 7.2.3b shows that same field with the integral curves imposed on it—the more gridpoints that are used, the more completely the direction field reveals the shape of the integral curves. However, the amount of computation can be considerable, so computers are usually used when direction fields with many gridpoints are needed.

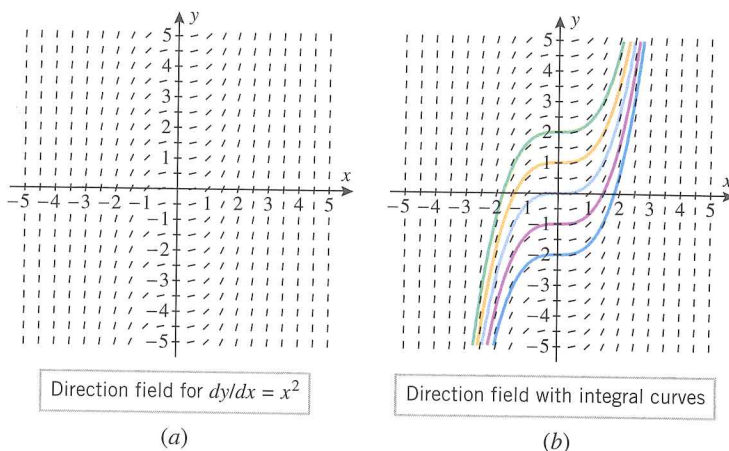


Figure 7.2.3

### EXERCISE SET 7.2 📐 Graphing Calculator 🖨 CAS

1. In each part, confirm that the formula is correct, and state a corresponding integration formula.

(a)  $\frac{d}{dx}[\sqrt{1+x^2}] = \frac{x}{\sqrt{1+x^2}}$

(b)  $\frac{d}{dx}[xe^x] = (x+1)e^x$

2. In each part, confirm that the stated formula is correct by differentiating.

(a)  $\int x \sin x \, dx = \sin x - x \cos x + C$

(b)  $\int \frac{dx}{(1-x^2)^{3/2}} = \frac{x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} + C$

In Exercises 3–6, find the derivative and state a corresponding integration formula.

3.  $\frac{d}{dx}[\sqrt{x^3+5}]$

4.  $\frac{d}{dx}\left[\frac{x}{x^2+3}\right]$

5.  $\frac{d}{dx}[\sin(2\sqrt{x})]$

6.  $\frac{d}{dx}[\sin x - x \cos x]$

In Exercises 7 and 8, evaluate the integral by rewriting the integrand appropriately, if required, and then applying Formula 2 in Table 7.2.1.

7. (a)  $\int x^8 \, dx$       (b)  $\int x^{5/7} \, dx$       (c)  $\int x^3 \sqrt{x} \, dx$

8. (a)  $\int \sqrt[3]{x^2} \, dx$       (b)  $\int \frac{1}{x^6} \, dx$       (c)  $\int x^{-7/8} \, dx$

In Exercises 9–12, evaluate the integral by applying Theorem 7.2.3 and Formula 2 in Table 7.2.1 appropriately.

9. (a)  $\int \frac{1}{2x^3} \, dx$       (b)  $\int (u^3 - 2u + 7) \, du$

10.  $\int (x^{2/3} - 4x^{-1/5} + 4) \, dx$

11.  $\int (x^{-3} + \sqrt{x} - 3x^{1/4} + x^2) dx$

12.  $\int \left( \frac{7}{y^{3/4}} - \sqrt[3]{y} + 4\sqrt{y} \right) dy$

In Exercises 13–30, evaluate the integral, and check your answer by differentiating.

13.  $\int x(1 + x^3) dx$

14.  $\int (2 + y^2)^2 dy$

15.  $\int x^{1/3}(2 - x)^2 dx$

16.  $\int (1 + x^2)(2 - x) dx$

17.  $\int \frac{x^5 + 2x^2 - 1}{x^4} dx$

18.  $\int \frac{1 - 2t^3}{t^3} dt$

19.  $\int \left[ \frac{2}{x} + 3e^x \right] dx$

20.  $\int \left[ \frac{1}{2t} - \sqrt{2}e^t \right] dt$

21.  $\int [4 \sin x + 2 \cos x] dx$

22.  $\int [4 \sec^2 x + \csc x \cot x] dx$

23.  $\int \sec x(\sec x + \tan x) dx$

24.  $\int \sec x(\tan x + \cos x) dx$

25.  $\int \left[ \frac{1}{\theta} - 2e^\theta - \csc^2 \theta \right] d\theta$

26.  $\int \frac{dy}{\csc y}$

27.  $\int \frac{\sin x}{\cos^2 x} dx$

28.  $\int \left[ \phi + \frac{2}{\sin^2 \phi} \right] d\phi$



29.  $\int [1 + \sin^2 \theta \csc \theta] d\theta$

30.  $\int \frac{\sin 2x}{\cos x} dx$

31. Evaluate the integral

$$\int \frac{1}{1 + \sin x} dx$$

by multiplying the numerator and denominator by an appropriate expression.

- c** 32. For each of the integrals you evaluated in Exercises 13–31, use a CAS to check your answer. If the answer produced by the CAS does not match yours, show that the two answers are equivalent.
33. (a) Graph some representative integral curves of  $f(x) = x$ .  
 (b) Find an equation for the integral curve that passes through the point (4, 7).
34. (a) Graph some representative integral curves of the function  $f(x) = e^x/2$ .  
 (b) Find an equation for the integral curve that passes through the point (0, 1).
-  35. Use a graphing utility to generate some representative integral curves of the function  $f(x) = 5x^4 - \sec^2 x$  over the interval  $(-\pi/2, \pi/2)$ .
-  36. Use a graphing utility to generate some representative integral curves of  $f(x) = (x - 1)/x$  over the interval (0, 5).
37. Suppose that a point moves along a curve  $y = f(x)$  in the  $xy$ -plane in such a way that at each point  $(x, y)$  on the curve

the tangent line has slope  $-\sin x$ . Find an equation for the curve, given that it passes through the point (0, 2).

38. Suppose that a point moves along a curve  $y = f(x)$  in the  $xy$ -plane in such a way that at each point  $(x, y)$  on the curve the tangent line has slope  $(x + 1)^2$ . Find an equation for the curve, given that it passes through the point (-2, 8).

In Exercises 39 and 40, solve the initial-value problems.

39. (a)  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \sqrt[3]{x}$ ,  $y(1) = 2$     (b)  $\frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{1}{t}$ ,  $y(-1) = 5$

(c)  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{x + 1}{\sqrt{x}}$ ,  $y(1) = 0$

40. (a)  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{(2x)^3}$ ,  $y(1) = 0$

(b)  $\frac{dy}{dt} = \sec^2 t - \sin t$ ,  $y\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = 1$

(c)  $\frac{dy}{dx} = x^2\sqrt{x^3}$ ,  $y(0) = 0$

41. Find the general form of a function whose second derivative is  $\sqrt{x}$ . [Hint: Solve the equation  $f''(x) = \sqrt{x}$  for  $f(x)$  by integrating both sides twice.]
42. Find a function  $f$  such that  $f''(x) = x + \cos x$  and such that  $f(0) = 1$  and  $f'(0) = 2$ . [Hint: Integrate both sides of the equation twice.]

In Exercises 43–45, find an equation of the curve that satisfies the given conditions.

43. At each point  $(x, y)$  on the curve the slope is  $2x + 1$ ; the curve passes through the point (-3, 0).
44. At each point  $(x, y)$  on the curve the slope equals the square of the distance between the point and the  $y$ -axis; the point (-1, 2) is on the curve.
45. At each point  $(x, y)$  on the curve,  $y$  satisfies the condition  $d^2y/dx^2 = 6x$ ; the line  $y = 5 - 3x$  is tangent to the curve at the point where  $x = 1$ .

46. Suppose that a uniform metal rod 50 cm long is insulated laterally, and the temperatures at the exposed ends are maintained at  $25^\circ\text{C}$  and  $85^\circ\text{C}$ , respectively. Assume that an  $x$ -axis is chosen as in the accompanying figure and that the temperature  $T(x)$  at each point  $x$  satisfies the equation

$$\frac{d^2T}{dx^2} = 0$$

Find  $T(x)$  for  $0 \leq x \leq 50$ .



Figure Ex-46

47. (a) Show that

$$F(x) = \frac{1}{6}(3x+4)^2 \quad \text{and} \quad G(x) = \frac{3}{2}x^2 + 4x$$

differ by a constant by showing that they are antiderivatives of the same function.

- (b) Find the constant  $C$  such that  $F(x) - G(x) = C$  by evaluating  $F(x)$  and  $G(x)$  at some point  $x_0$ .  
 (c) Check your answer in part (b) by simplifying the expression  $F(x) - G(x)$  algebraically.

48. Follow the directions of Exercise 47 with

$$F(x) = \frac{x^2}{x^2+5} \quad \text{and} \quad G(x) = -\frac{5}{x^2+5}$$

In Exercises 49 and 50, use a trigonometric identity to help evaluate the integral.

49.  $\int \tan^2 x \, dx$

50.  $\int \cot^2 x \, dx$

51. Use the identities
- $\cos 2\theta = 1 - 2\sin^2 \theta = 2\cos^2 \theta - 1$
- to help evaluate the integrals

(a)  $\int \sin^2(x/2) \, dx$

(b)  $\int \cos^2(x/2) \, dx$

52. Let
- $F$
- and
- $G$
- be the functions defined piecewise by

$$F(x) = \begin{cases} x, & x > 0 \\ -x, & x < 0 \end{cases} \quad \text{and} \quad G(x) = \begin{cases} x+2, & x > 0 \\ -x+3, & x < 0 \end{cases}$$

- (a) Show that  $F$  and  $G$  have the same derivative.  
 (b) Show that  $G(x) \neq F(x) + C$  for any constant  $C$ .  
 (c) Do parts (a) and (b) violate Theorem 7.2.2? Explain.
53. The speed of sound in air at  $0^\circ\text{C}$  (or 273 K on the Kelvin scale) is 1087 ft/s, but the speed  $v$  increases as the temperature  $T$  rises. Experimentation has shown that the rate of change of  $v$  with respect to  $T$  is

$$\frac{dv}{dT} = \frac{1087}{2\sqrt{273}} T^{-1/2}$$

where  $v$  is in feet per second and  $T$  is in kelvins (K). Find a formula that expresses  $v$  as a function of  $T$ .

## 7.3 INTEGRATION BY SUBSTITUTION

In this section we will study a technique, called **substitution**, that can often be used to transform complicated integration problems into simpler ones.

### u-SUBSTITUTION

The method of substitution can be motivated by examining the chain rule from the viewpoint of antidifferentiation. For this purpose, suppose that  $F$  is an antiderivative of  $f$  and that  $g$  is a differentiable function. The chain rule implies that the derivative of  $F(g(x))$  can be expressed as

$$\frac{d}{dx}[F(g(x))] = F'(g(x))g'(x)$$

which we can write in integral form as

$$\int F'(g(x))g'(x) \, dx = F(g(x)) + C \quad (1)$$

or since  $F$  is an antiderivative of  $f$ ,

$$\int f(g(x))g'(x) \, dx = F(g(x)) + C \quad (2)$$

For our purposes it will be useful to let  $u = g(x)$  and to write  $du/dx = g'(x)$  in the differential form  $du = g'(x) \, dx$ . With this notation (1) can be expressed as

$$\int f(u) \, du = F(u) + C \quad (3)$$

The process of evaluating an integral of form (2) by converting it into form (3) with the substitution

$$u = g(x) \quad \text{and} \quad du = g'(x) \, dx$$

is called the **method of u-substitution**. The following example illustrates how the method works.

**Example 1**Evaluate  $\int (x^2 + 1)^{50} \cdot 2x \, dx$ .**Solution.** If we let  $u = x^2 + 1$ , then  $du/dx = 2x$ , which implies that  $du = 2x \, dx$ . Thus, the given integral can be written as

$$\int (x^2 + 1)^{50} \cdot 2x \, dx = \int u^{50} \, du = \frac{u^{51}}{51} + C = \frac{(x^2 + 1)^{51}}{51} + C \quad \blacktriangleleft$$

It is important to realize that in the method of  $u$ -substitution you have control over the choice of  $u$ , but once you make that choice you have no control over the resulting expression for  $du$ . Thus, in the last example we chose  $u = x^2 + 1$  but  $du = 2x \, dx$  was computed. Fortunately, our choice of  $u$ , combined with the computed  $du$ , worked out perfectly to produce an integral involving  $u$  that was easy to evaluate. However, in general, the method of  $u$ -substitution will fail if the chosen  $u$  and the computed  $du$  do not produce an integrand in which no expressions involving  $x$  remain, or if you cannot evaluate the resulting integral. Thus, for example, the substitution  $u = x^2 + 1$ ,  $du = 2x \, dx$  will not work for the integral

$$\int (x^2 + 1)^{50} \cdot 2x \cos x \, dx$$

because this substitution results in the integral

$$\int u^{50} \cos x \, du$$

which still contains an expression involving  $x$ .

In general, there are no hard and fast rules for choosing  $u$ , and in some problems no choice of  $u$  will work. In such cases other methods need to be used, some of which will be discussed later. Making appropriate choices for  $u$  will come with experience, but you may find the following guidelines, combined with a mastery of the basic integrals in Table 7.2.1, helpful.

**Integration by Substitution****Step 1.** Make a choice for  $u$ , say  $u = g(x)$ .**Step 2.** Compute  $du/dx = g'(x)$ .**Step 3.** Make the substitution  $u = g(x)$ ,  $du = g'(x) \, dx$ .At this stage, the *entire* integral must be in terms of  $u$ ; no  $x$ 's should remain. If this is not the case, try a different choice of  $u$ .**Step 4.** Evaluate the resulting integral, if possible.**Step 5.** Replace  $u$  by  $g(x)$ , so that the final answer is in terms of  $x$ .**Example 2**

The easiest substitutions occur when the integrand is the derivative of a known function, except for a constant added to or subtracted from the independent variable. For example,

$$\int \sin(x + 9) \, dx = \int \sin u \, du = -\cos u + C = -\cos(x + 9) + C$$

$$\begin{array}{l} u = x + 9 \\ du = 1 \cdot dx = dx \end{array}$$

$$\int (x - 8)^{23} \, dx = \int u^{23} \, du = \frac{u^{24}}{24} + C = \frac{(x - 8)^{24}}{24} + C \quad \blacktriangleleft$$

$$\begin{array}{l} u = x - 8 \\ du = 1 \cdot dx = dx \end{array}$$

Another easy  $u$ -substitution occurs when the integrand is the derivative of a known function, except for a constant that multiplies or divides the independent variable. The following example illustrates two ways to evaluate such integrals.

### Example 3

Evaluate  $\int \cos 5x \, dx$ .

**Solution.**

$$\int \cos 5x \, dx = \int (\cos u) \cdot \frac{1}{5} du = \frac{1}{5} \int \cos u \, du = \frac{1}{5} \sin u + C = \frac{1}{5} \sin 5x + C$$

$$\begin{array}{l} u = 5x \\ du = 5 \, dx \text{ or } dx = \frac{1}{5} \, du \end{array}$$

**Alternative Solution.** There is a variation of the preceding method that some people prefer. The substitution  $u = 5x$  requires  $du = 5 \, dx$ . If there were a factor of 5 in the integrand, then we could group the 5 and  $dx$  together to form the  $du$  required by the substitution. Since there is no factor of 5, we will insert one and compensate by putting a factor of  $\frac{1}{5}$  in front of the integral. The computations are as follows:

$$\int \cos 5x \, dx = \frac{1}{5} \int \cos 5x \cdot 5 \, dx = \frac{1}{5} \int \cos u \, du = \frac{1}{5} \sin u + C = \frac{1}{5} \sin 5x + C \quad \blacktriangleleft$$

$$\begin{array}{l} u = 5x \\ du = 5 \, dx \end{array}$$

### Example 4

Evaluate  $\int \sin^2 x \cos x \, dx$ .

**Solution.** If we let  $u = \sin x$ , then

$$\frac{du}{dx} = \cos x, \quad \text{so} \quad du = \cos x \, dx$$

Thus,

$$\int \sin^2 x \cos x \, dx = \int u^2 \, du = \frac{u^3}{3} + C = \frac{\sin^3 x}{3} + C \quad \blacktriangleleft$$

### Example 5

Evaluate  $\int \frac{e^{\sqrt{x}}}{\sqrt{x}} \, dx$ .

**Solution.** If we let  $u = \sqrt{x}$ , then

$$\frac{du}{dx} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}, \quad \text{so} \quad du = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} \, dx \quad \text{or} \quad 2 \, du = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}} \, dx$$

Thus,

$$\int \frac{e^{\sqrt{x}}}{\sqrt{x}} \, dx = \int 2e^u \, du = 2 \int e^u \, du = 2e^u + C = 2e^{\sqrt{x}} + C \quad \blacktriangleleft$$

### Example 6

$$\int \frac{dx}{\left(\frac{1}{3}x - 8\right)^5} = \int \frac{3 \, du}{u^5} = 3 \int u^{-5} \, du = -\frac{3}{4}u^{-4} + C = -\frac{3}{4} \left(\frac{1}{3}x - 8\right)^{-4} + C \quad \blacktriangleleft$$

$$\begin{array}{l} u = \frac{1}{3}x - 8 \\ du = \frac{1}{3} \, dx \text{ or } dx = 3 \, du \end{array}$$

**Example 7**

With the help of Theorem 7.2.3, a complicated integral can sometimes be computed by expressing it as a sum of simpler integrals. For example,

$$\begin{aligned}\int \left( \frac{1}{x} + \sec^2 \pi x \right) dx &= \int \frac{dx}{x} + \int \sec^2 \pi x dx = \ln |x| + \int \sec^2 \pi x dx \\ &= \ln |x| + \frac{1}{\pi} \int \sec^2 u du\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} u = \pi x \\ du = \pi dx \text{ or } dx = \frac{1}{\pi} du \end{array}$$

$$= \ln |x| + \frac{1}{\pi} \tan u + C = \ln |x| + \frac{1}{\pi} \tan \pi x + C$$

**Example 8**

Evaluate  $\int t^4 \sqrt[3]{3 - 5t^5} dt$ .

**Solution.** After some possible false starts most readers would eventually hit on the following substitution:

$$\int t^4 \sqrt[3]{3 - 5t^5} dt = -\frac{1}{25} \int \sqrt[3]{u} du = -\frac{1}{25} \int u^{1/3} du$$

$$\begin{array}{l} u = 3 - 5t^5 \\ du = -25t^4 dt \text{ or } -\frac{1}{25} du = t^4 dt \end{array}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{25} \frac{u^{4/3}}{4/3} + C = -\frac{3}{100} (3 - 5t^5)^{4/3} + C$$

**Example 9**

Evaluate  $\int x^2 \sqrt{x-1} dx$ .

**Solution.** Let

$$u = x - 1 \quad \text{so that} \quad du = dx \tag{4}$$

From the first equality in (4)

$$x^2 = (u + 1)^2 = u^2 + 2u + 1$$

so that

$$\begin{aligned}\int x^2 \sqrt{x-1} dx &= \int (u^2 + 2u + 1) \sqrt{u} du = \int (u^{5/2} + 2u^{3/2} + u^{1/2}) du \\ &= \frac{2}{7} u^{7/2} + \frac{4}{5} u^{5/2} + \frac{2}{3} u^{3/2} + C \\ &= \frac{2}{7} (x-1)^{7/2} + \frac{4}{5} (x-1)^{5/2} + \frac{2}{3} (x-1)^{3/2} + C\end{aligned}$$

**REMARK.** Not every function can be integrated in terms of familiar functions using  $u$ -substitutions. For example, you will not find any  $u$ -substitution that will integrate

$$\int \sin(x^2) dx$$

in terms of functions encountered thus far in this text (try).

**INTEGRATION USING COMPUTER ALGEBRA SYSTEMS**

The advent of computer algebra systems has made it possible to evaluate many kinds of integrals that would be laborious to evaluate by hand. For example, *Mathematica*, *Maple*, and *Derive* all produce the following result in a matter of seconds:

$$\int \sqrt{2x - x^2} dx = \frac{1}{2}(x - 1)\sqrt{2x - x^2} - \frac{1}{2} \sin^{-1}(1 - x) + C$$

However, just as one would not want to rely on a calculator to compute  $2 + 2$ , so one would not want to use a CAS to integrate a simple function such as  $f(x) = x^2$ . Thus, even if you have a CAS, you will want to develop a reasonable level of competence in evaluating basic integrals. Moreover, the mathematical techniques that we will introduce for evaluating basic integrals are precisely the techniques that computer algebra systems use to evaluate more complicated integrals.

**FOR THE READER.** If you have a CAS, use it to calculate the integrals in the examples of this section. If your CAS produces a form of the answer that is different from the one in the text, then confirm algebraically that the two answers agree. Your CAS has various commands for simplifying answers. Explore the effect of using the CAS to simplify the expressions it produces for the integrals.

**EXERCISE SET 7.3**  Graphing Calculator  CAS

In Exercises 1–4, evaluate the integrals by making the indicated substitutions.

1. (a)  $\int 2x(x^2 + 1)^{23} dx; u = x^2 + 1$

(b)  $\int \cos^3 x \sin x dx; u = \cos x$

(c)  $\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}} \sin \sqrt{x} dx; u = \sqrt{x}$

(d)  $\int \frac{3x dx}{\sqrt{4x^2 + 5}}; u = 4x^2 + 5$

(e)  $\int \frac{x^2}{x^3 - 4} dx; u = x^3 - 4$

2. (a)  $\int \sec^2(4x + 1) dx; u = 4x + 1$

(b)  $\int y\sqrt{1 + 2y^2} dy; u = 1 + 2y^2$

(c)  $\int \sqrt{\sin \pi\theta} \cos \pi\theta d\theta; u = \sin \pi\theta$

(d)  $\int (2x + 7)(x^2 + 7x + 3)^{4/5} dx; u = x^2 + 7x + 3$

(e)  $\int \frac{e^x}{1 + e^x} dx; u = 1 + e^x$

3. (a)  $\int \cot x \csc^2 x dx; u = \cot x$

(b)  $\int (1 + \sin t)^9 \cos t dt; u = 1 + \sin t$

(c)  $\int \frac{dx}{x \ln x}; u = \ln x$

(d)  $\int e^{-5x} dx; u = -5x$

(e)  $\int \frac{\sin 3\theta}{1 + \cos 3\theta} d\theta; u = 1 + \cos 3\theta$

4. (a)  $\int x^2 \sqrt{1 + x} dx; u = 1 + x$

(b)  $\int [\csc(\sin x)]^2 \cos x dx; u = \sin x$

(c)  $\int e^{\tan x} \sec^2 x dx; u = \tan x$

(d)  $\int e^{2t} \sqrt{1 + e^{2t}} dt; u = 1 + e^{2t}$

(e)  $\int \frac{5x^4}{x^5 + 1} dx; u = x^5 + 1$

In Exercises 5–36, evaluate the integrals by making appropriate substitutions.

5.  $\int e^{2x} dx$

6.  $\int \frac{dx}{2x}$

7.  $\int x(2 - x^2)^3 dx$

8.  $\int (3x - 1)^5 dx$

9.  $\int \cos 8x dx$

10.  $\int \sin 3x dx$

11.  $\int \sec 4x \tan 4x \, dx$

13.  $\int t\sqrt{7t^2 + 12} \, dt$

15.  $\int \frac{x^2}{\sqrt{x^3 + 1}} \, dx$

17.  $\int \frac{x}{(4x^2 + 1)^3} \, dx$

19.  $\int e^{\sin x} \cos x \, dx$

21.  $\int x^2 e^{-2x^3} \, dx$

23.  $\int \frac{\sin(5/x)}{x^2} \, dx$

25.  $\int x^2 \sec^2(x^3) \, dx$

27.  $\int \frac{dx}{e^x}$

29.  $\int \sin^5 3t \cos 3t \, dt$

31.  $\int \cos 4\theta \sqrt{2 - \sin 4\theta} \, d\theta$

33.  $\int \sec^3 2x \tan 2x \, dx$

35.  $\int \frac{e^{\sqrt{y}}}{\sqrt{y}} \, dy$

- C** 37. For each of the integrals you evaluated in Exercises 5–36, use a CAS to check your answer. If the answer produced by the CAS does not match your own, show that the two answers are equivalent. [Suggestion: You may be able to obtain a match by applying the CAS “simplify” commands to the answer.]

In Exercises 38 and 39, evaluate the integrals assuming that  $n$  is a positive integer and  $b \neq 0$ .

38.  $\int \sqrt[n]{a + bx} \, dx \quad (b \neq 0)$

39.  $\int \sin^n(a + bx) \cos(a + bx) \, dx$

- C** 40. Use a CAS to check the answers you obtained in Exercises 38 and 39. If the answer produced by the CAS does not match yours, show that the two answers are equivalent. [Suggestion: *Mathematica* users may find it helpful to apply the *Simplify* command to the answer.]

12.  $\int \sec^2 5x \, dx$

14.  $\int \frac{x}{\sqrt{4 - 5x^2}} \, dx$

16.  $\int \frac{1}{(1 - 3x)^2} \, dx$

18.  $\int x \cos(3x^2) \, dx$

20.  $\int x^3 e^{x^4} \, dx$

22.  $\int \frac{e^x + e^{-x}}{e^x - e^{-x}} \, dx$

24.  $\int \frac{\sec^2(\sqrt{x})}{\sqrt{x}} \, dx$

26.  $\int \cos^3 2t \sin 2t \, dt$

28.  $\int \sqrt{e^x} \, dx$

30.  $\int \frac{\sin 2\theta}{(5 + \cos 2\theta)^3} \, d\theta$

32.  $\int \tan^3 5x \sec^2 5x \, dx$

34.  $\int [\sin(\sin \theta)] \cos \theta \, d\theta$

36.  $\int \frac{dy}{\sqrt{y} e^{\sqrt{y}}}$

In Exercises 41 and 42, evaluate the integrals by making the indicated substitutions.

41.  $\int x\sqrt{x-3} \, dx; u = x - 3$

42.  $\int \frac{y \, dy}{\sqrt{y+1}}; u = y + 1$

The integrals in Exercises 43–48 are a little trickier than those you have encountered thus far. To evaluate these integrals you will have to apply a trigonometric identity or modify the form of the integrand algebraically before making a substitution.

43.  $\int \tan^2 3\theta \, d\theta$

44.  $\int \sin^3 2\theta \, d\theta$

45.  $\int \frac{t+1}{t} \, dt$

46.  $\int e^{2 \ln x} \, dx$

47.  $\int [\ln(e^x) + \ln(e^{-x})] \, dx$

48.  $\int \cot x \, dx$

49. (a) Evaluate the integral  $\int \sin x \cos x \, dx$  by two methods: first by letting  $u = \sin x$ , then by letting  $u = \cos x$ .  
 (b) Explain why the two apparently different answers obtained in part (a) are really equivalent.
50. (a) Evaluate  $\int (5x - 1)^2 \, dx$  by two methods: first square and integrate, then let  $u = 5x - 1$ .  
 (b) Explain why the two apparently different answers obtained in part (a) are really equivalent.

In Exercises 51 and 52, solve the initial-value problems.

51.  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \sqrt{3x + 1}; y(1) = 5$

52.  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 6 - 5 \sin 2x; y(0) = 3$

53. Find a function  $f$  such that the slope of the tangent line at a point  $(x, y)$  on the curve  $y = f(x)$  is  $\sqrt{3x + 1}$ , and the curve passes through the point  $(0, 1)$ .

- C** 54. Use a graphing utility to generate some typical integral curves of  $f(x) = x/(x^2 + 1)$  over the interval  $(-5, 5)$ .
55. Suppose that a population  $p$  of frogs is estimated at the start of 1995 to be 100,000, and the growth model for the population assumes that the rate of growth (in thousands) after  $t$  years will be  $p'(t) = (4 + 0.15t)^{3/2}$ . Estimate the projected population at the start of the year 2000.

## 7.4 SIGMA NOTATION

In this section we will digress briefly from the main theme of this chapter to introduce a notation that can be used to write lengthy sums in a compact form. This material will be needed in many of the later chapters.

## SIGMA NOTATION

The notation we will discuss in this section is called *sigma notation* or *summation notation* because it uses the uppercase Greek letter  $\Sigma$  (sigma) to denote various kinds of sums. To illustrate how this notation works, consider the sum

$$1^2 + 2^2 + 3^2 + 4^2 + 5^2$$

in which each term is of the form  $k^2$ , where  $k$  is one of the integers from 1 to 5. In sigma notation this sum can be written as

$$\sum_{k=1}^5 k^2$$

which is read “the summation of  $k^2$ , where  $k$  runs from 1 to 5.” The notation tells us to form the sum of the terms that result when we substitute successive integers for  $k$  in the expression  $k^2$ , starting with  $k = 1$  and ending with  $k = 5$ .

More generally, if  $f(k)$  is a function of  $k$ , and if  $m$  and  $n$  are integers such that  $m \leq n$ , then

$$\sum_{k=m}^n f(k) \quad (1)$$

denotes the sum of the terms that result when we substitute successive integers for  $k$ , starting with  $k = m$  and ending with  $k = n$  (Figure 7.4.1).

## Example 1

$$\sum_{k=4}^8 k^3 = 4^3 + 5^3 + 6^3 + 7^3 + 8^3$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^5 2k = 2 \cdot 1 + 2 \cdot 2 + 2 \cdot 3 + 2 \cdot 4 + 2 \cdot 5 = 2 + 4 + 6 + 8 + 10$$

$$\sum_{k=0}^5 (2k + 1) = 1 + 3 + 5 + 7 + 9 + 11$$

$$\sum_{k=0}^5 (-1)^k (2k + 1) = 1 - 3 + 5 - 7 + 9 - 11$$

$$\sum_{k=-3}^1 k^3 = (-3)^3 + (-2)^3 + (-1)^3 + 0^3 + 1^3 = -27 - 8 - 1 + 0 + 1$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^3 k \sin\left(\frac{k\pi}{5}\right) = \sin\frac{\pi}{5} + 2 \sin\frac{2\pi}{5} + 3 \sin\frac{3\pi}{5}$$

The numbers  $m$  and  $n$  in (1) are called, respectively, the *lower* and *upper limits of summation*; and the letter  $k$  is called the *index of summation*. It is not essential to use  $k$  as the index of summation; any letter not reserved for another purpose will do. For example,

$$\sum_{i=1}^6 \frac{1}{i}, \quad \sum_{j=1}^6 \frac{1}{j}, \quad \text{and} \quad \sum_{n=1}^6 \frac{1}{n}$$

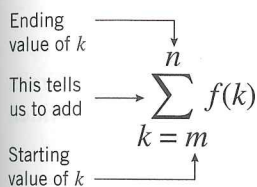


Figure 7.4.1

all denote the sum

$$1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{6}$$

If the upper and lower limits of summation are the same, then the “sum” in (1) reduces to one term. For example,

$$\sum_{k=2}^2 k^3 = 2^3 \quad \text{and} \quad \sum_{i=1}^1 \frac{1}{i+2} = \frac{1}{1+2} = \frac{1}{3}$$

In the sums

$$\sum_{i=1}^5 2, \quad \sum_{k=3}^6 7, \quad \text{and} \quad \sum_{j=0}^2 x^3$$

the expression to the right of the  $\Sigma$  sign does not involve the index of summation. In such cases, we take all the terms in the sum to be the same, with one term for each allowable value of the summation index. Thus,

$$\sum_{i=1}^5 2 = 2 + 2 + 2 + 2 + 2$$

$$\sum_{k=3}^6 7 = 7 + 7 + 7 + 7$$

$$\sum_{j=0}^2 x^3 = x^3 + x^3 + x^3$$

A sum can be written in more than one way with sigma notation by changing the limits of summation. For example, the sum of the first five positive even integers can be written in the following ways:

$$\sum_{k=1}^5 2k = 2 + 4 + 6 + 8 + 10$$

$$\sum_{k=0}^4 (2k + 2) = 2 + 4 + 6 + 8 + 10$$

$$\sum_{k=2}^6 (2k - 2) = 2 + 4 + 6 + 8 + 10$$

#### CHANGING THE INDEX OF SUMMATION

On occasion we will want to change the sigma notation for a given sum to a sigma notation with different limits of summation. The following example illustrates a method for doing this.

#### Example 2

Express

$$\sum_{k=3}^7 5^{k-2}$$

in sigma notation so that the lower limit of summation is 0 rather than 3.

**Solution.** If we define a new summation index  $j$  by means of the formula

$$j = k - 3$$

then  $j$  runs from 0 up to 4 as  $k$  runs from 3 up to 7. From (2),  $k = j + 3$ , so

(2)

$$\sum_{k=3}^7 5^{k-2} = \sum_{j=0}^4 5^{(j+3)-2} = \sum_{j=0}^4 5^{j+1}$$

As a check, the reader can verify that

$$\sum_{j=0}^4 5^{j+1} \quad \text{and} \quad \sum_{k=3}^7 5^{k-2}$$

both denote the sum  $5 + 5^2 + 5^3 + 5^4 + 5^5$ . ◀

**REMARK.** In the solution of Example 2 the summation index was changed from  $k$  to  $j$ . If it is desirable to keep the same symbol for the summation index, we can change the  $j$  back to  $k$  at the very end and express the final result as

$$\sum_{k=0}^4 5^{k+1} \quad \text{instead of} \quad \sum_{j=0}^4 5^{j+1}$$

When we want to represent a general sum we will use letters with subscripts. For example, a general sum with five terms might be written as

$$a_1 + a_2 + a_3 + a_4 + a_5$$

or in sigma notation as

$$\sum_{k=1}^5 a_k, \quad \sum_{j=1}^5 a_j, \quad \text{or} \quad \sum_{m=1}^5 a_m$$

A general sum with  $n$  terms might be written as

$$b_1 + b_2 + \cdots + b_n$$

or in sigma notation as

$$\sum_{k=1}^n b_k, \quad \sum_{j=1}^n b_j, \quad \text{or} \quad \sum_{m=1}^n b_m$$

## PROPERTIES OF SIGMA NOTATION

The following properties of sigma notation will help to manipulate sums:

### 7.4.1 THEOREM.

- (a)  $\sum_{k=1}^n ca_k = c \sum_{k=1}^n a_k$
- (b)  $\sum_{k=1}^n (a_k + b_k) = \sum_{k=1}^n a_k + \sum_{k=1}^n b_k$
- (c)  $\sum_{k=1}^n (a_k - b_k) = \sum_{k=1}^n a_k - \sum_{k=1}^n b_k$

We will prove parts (a) and (b) and leave part (c) as an exercise.

**Proof (a).**

$$\sum_{k=1}^n ca_k = ca_1 + ca_2 + \cdots + ca_n = c(a_1 + a_2 + \cdots + a_n) = c \sum_{k=1}^n a_k$$

**Proof (b).**

$$\begin{aligned}\sum_{k=1}^n (a_k + b_k) &= (a_1 + b_1) + (a_2 + b_2) + \cdots + (a_n + b_n) \\ &= (a_1 + a_2 + \cdots + a_n) + (b_1 + b_2 + \cdots + b_n) \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^n a_k + \sum_{k=1}^n b_k\end{aligned}$$

**REMARK.** Loosely phrased, this theorem states: A constant factor can be moved through a sigma sign; sigma of a sum equals the sum of the sigmas; and sigma of a difference equals the difference of the sigmas.

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**SUMMATION FORMULAS**

The following formulas will be used in our later work.

**7.4.2 THEOREM.**

$$\begin{aligned}(a) \quad \sum_{k=1}^n k &= 1 + 2 + 3 + \cdots + n = \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \\ (b) \quad \sum_{k=1}^n k^2 &= 1^2 + 2^2 + 3^2 + \cdots + n^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6} \\ (c) \quad \sum_{k=1}^n k^3 &= 1^3 + 2^3 + 3^3 + \cdots + n^3 = \left[ \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \right]^2\end{aligned}$$

We will prove parts (a) and (b) and leave part (c) as an exercise.

**Proof (a).** If we write the terms of

$$\sum_{k=1}^n k = 1 + 2 + 3 + \cdots + (n-2) + (n-1) + n \quad (3)$$

in the opposite order, we obtain

$$\sum_{k=1}^n k = n + (n-1) + (n-2) + \cdots + 3 + 2 + 1 \quad (4)$$

Adding (3) and (4) term by term yields

$$2 \sum_{k=1}^n k = \underbrace{(n+1) + (n+1) + (n+1) + \cdots + (n+1)}_{n \text{ terms}} = n(n+1)$$

Thus,

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

**Proof (b).** This proof begins with a trick. Since

$$(k+1)^3 - k^3 = k^3 + 3k^2 + 3k + 1 - k^3 = 3k^2 + 3k + 1$$

we obtain

$$\sum_{k=1}^n [(k+1)^3 - k^3] = \sum_{k=1}^n (3k^2 + 3k + 1) \quad (5)$$

Writing out the left side of (5) yields

$$[2^3 - 1^3] + [3^3 - 2^3] + [4^3 - 3^3] + \cdots + [(n+1)^3 - n^3] \quad (6)$$

Observe that in (6) the  $2^3$  in the first term cancels out the  $-2^3$  in the second term, the  $3^3$  in the second term cancels out the  $-3^3$  in the third term, and so forth, so that the entire sum collapses like a folding telescope (hence, is called a *telescoping sum*), leaving only  $-1^3 + (n+1)^3$ . Thus, (5) can be rewritten as

$$-1 + (n+1)^3 = \sum_{k=1}^n (3k^2 + 3k + 1) \quad (7)$$

or, from Theorem 7.4.1,

$$-1 + (n+1)^3 = 3 \sum_{k=1}^n k^2 + 3 \sum_{k=1}^n k + \sum_{k=1}^n 1 \quad (8)$$

But

$$\sum_{k=1}^n 1 = \underbrace{1 + 1 + \cdots + 1}_{n \text{ terms}} = n$$

and by part (a) of this theorem

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

Thus, (8) can be written as

$$-1 + (n+1)^3 = 3 \sum_{k=1}^n k^2 + 3 \frac{n(n+1)}{2} + n$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{k=1}^n k^2 &= \frac{1}{3} \left[ (n+1)^3 - 3 \frac{n(n+1)}{2} - (n+1) \right] \\ &= \frac{n+1}{6} [2(n+1)^2 - 3n - 2] \\ &= \frac{n+1}{6} (2n^2 + n) = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6} \end{aligned}$$

### Example 3

Evaluate  $\sum_{k=1}^{30} k(k+1)$ .

**Solution.**

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{k=1}^{30} k(k+1) &= \sum_{k=1}^{30} (k^2 + k) = \sum_{k=1}^{30} k^2 + \sum_{k=1}^{30} k \\ &= \frac{30(31)(61)}{6} + \frac{30(31)}{2} = 9920 \end{aligned}$$

Theorem 7.4.2(a), (b)

**REMARK.** In formulas such as

$$\sum_{k=1}^n k^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}$$

or

$$1^2 + 2^2 + \cdots + n^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}$$

the left side of the equality is said to express the sum in *open form* and the right side is said to express it in *closed form*; the open form just indicates the terms to be added, while the closed form is an explicit formula for their sum.

## Example 4

Express  $\sum_{k=1}^n (3+k)^2$  in closed form.

*Solution.*

$$\begin{aligned}\sum_{k=1}^n (3+k)^2 &= \sum_{k=1}^n (9+6k+k^2) = \sum_{k=1}^n 9 + 6 \sum_{k=1}^n k + \sum_{k=1}^n k^2 \\ &= 9n + 6 \frac{n(n+1)}{2} + \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6} \\ &= \frac{1}{3}n^3 + \frac{7}{2}n^2 + \frac{73}{6}n\end{aligned}$$

**FOR THE READER.** Your numerical calculating utility probably provides some way of evaluating sums that can be expressed in sigma notation. Check your documentation to find out how to do this, and then use your utility to confirm that the numerical result obtained in Example 3 is correct. If you have access to a CAS, then it provides some method for finding closed forms for sums such as those in Theorem 7.4.2. Use your CAS to confirm the formulas in that theorem, and then find closed forms for

$$\sum_{k=1}^n k^4 \quad \text{and} \quad \sum_{k=1}^n k^5$$

EXERCISE SET 7.4 C CAS

## 1. Evaluate

$$\begin{array}{lll} \text{(a)} \sum_{k=1}^3 k^3 & \text{(b)} \sum_{j=2}^6 (3j-1) & \text{(c)} \sum_{i=-4}^1 (i^2-i) \\ \text{(d)} \sum_{n=0}^5 1 & \text{(e)} \sum_{k=0}^4 (-2)^k & \text{(f)} \sum_{n=1}^6 \sin n\pi \end{array}$$

## 2. Evaluate

$$\begin{array}{lll} \text{(a)} \sum_{k=1}^4 k \sin \frac{k\pi}{2} & \text{(b)} \sum_{j=0}^5 (-1)^j & \text{(c)} \sum_{i=7}^{20} e^2 \\ \text{(d)} \sum_{m=3}^5 2^{m+1} & \text{(e)} \sum_{n=1}^6 \ln n & \text{(f)} \sum_{k=0}^{10} \cos k\pi \end{array}$$

In Exercises 3–12, write each expression in sigma notation, but do not evaluate.

3.  $1 + 2 + 3 + \cdots + 10$
4.  $3 \cdot 1 + 3 \cdot 2 + 3 \cdot 3 + \cdots + 3 \cdot 20$
5.  $1 \cdot 2 + 2 \cdot 3 + 3 \cdot 4 + \cdots + 49 \cdot 50$
6.  $1 + 2 + 2^2 + 2^3 + 2^4$
7.  $2 + 4 + 6 + 8 + \cdots + 20$
8.  $1 + 3 + 5 + 7 + \cdots + 15$

$$9. 1 - 3 + 5 - 7 + 9 - 11 \quad 10. 1 - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{5}$$

$$11. -1 + \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{5}$$

$$12. 1 + \cos \frac{\pi}{7} + \cos \frac{2\pi}{7} + \cos \frac{3\pi}{7}$$

13. (a) Express the sum of the even integers from 2 to 100 in sigma notation.

(b) Express the sum of the odd integers from 1 to 99 in sigma notation.

14. Express in sigma notation.

(a)  $a_1 - a_2 + a_3 - a_4 + a_5$

(b)  $-b_0 + b_1 - b_2 + b_3 - b_4 + b_5$

(c)  $a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + \cdots + a_nx^n$

(d)  $a^5 + a^4b + a^3b^2 + a^2b^3 + ab^4 + b^5$

In Exercises 15–22, use Theorem 7.4.2 to evaluate the sums, and check your answers using the summation feature of a calculating utility.

$$15. \sum_{k=1}^{100} k$$

$$16. \sum_{k=3}^{100} k$$

$$17. \sum_{k=1}^{20} k^2$$

$$18. \sum_{k=1}^{100} (7k+1)$$

$$19. \sum_{k=1}^6 (4k^3 - 2k + 1)$$

$$20. \sum_{k=4}^{20} k^2$$

$$21. \sum_{k=1}^{30} k(k-2)(k+2) \quad 22. \sum_{k=1}^6 (k-k^3)$$

In Exercises 23–28, express the sums in closed form.

$$23. \sum_{k=1}^n (4k-3) \quad 24. \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} k^2 \quad 25. \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{3k}{n}$$

$$26. \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \frac{k^2}{n} \quad 27. \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \frac{k^3}{n^2} \quad 28. \sum_{k=1}^n \left( \frac{5}{n} - \frac{2k}{n} \right)$$

- c** 29. For each of the sums that you obtained in Exercises 23–28, use a CAS to check your answer. If the answer produced by the CAS does not match your own, show that the two answers are equivalent.

30. Let

$$S = \sum_{k=0}^n ar^k$$

Show that  $S - rS = a - ar^{n+1}$  and hence that

$$\sum_{k=0}^n ar^k = \frac{a - ar^{n+1}}{1 - r} \quad (r \neq 1)$$

(A sum of this form is called a *geometric sum*.)

31. In each part, rewrite the sum, if necessary, so that the lower limit is 0, and then use the formula derived in Exercise 30 to evaluate the sum. Check your answers using the summation feature of a calculating utility.

$$(a) \sum_{k=1}^{20} 3^k \quad (b) \sum_{k=5}^{30} 2^k \quad (c) \sum_{k=0}^{100} (-1)^{k+1} \frac{1}{2^k}$$

- c** 32. In each part, make a conjecture about the limit by using a CAS to evaluate the sum for  $n = 10, 20,$  and  $50$ ; and then check your conjecture by using the formula in Exercise 30 to express the sum in closed form, and then finding the limit exactly.

$$(a) \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{1}{2^k} \quad (b) \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \sum_{k=1}^n \left( \frac{3}{4} \right)^k$$

In Exercises 33–36, express the function of  $n$  in closed form, and then use L'Hôpital's rule to find the limit. [Note: L'Hôpital's rule was derived for functions of a real-valued variable  $x$ , whereas here the variable  $n$  assumes only integer values. Thus, strictly speaking, L'Hôpital's rule cannot be used without justifying that it applies to functions of integer-valued variables. We will do this later in the text.]

$$33. \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{1 + 2 + 3 + \cdots + n}{n^2}$$

$$34. \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{1^2 + 2^2 + 3^2 + \cdots + n^2}{n^3}$$

$$35. \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{5k}{n^2} \quad 36. \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \frac{2k^2}{n^3}$$

37. Express  $1 + 2 + 2^2 + 2^3 + 2^4 + 2^5$  in sigma notation with

(a)  $j = 0$  as the lower limit of summation

- (b)  $j = 1$  as the lower limit of summation  
(c)  $j = 2$  as the lower limit of summation.

38. Express

$$\sum_{k=5}^9 k2^{k+4}$$

in sigma notation with

- (a)  $k = 1$  as the lower limit of summation  
(b)  $k = 13$  as the upper limit of summation.

39. Change the limits of summation appropriately to simplify

$$(a) \sum_{k=11}^{28} \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{k-10} \right) \quad (b) \sum_{k=6}^{12} e^{k-6}$$

40. Show that the sum of the first  $n$  consecutive positive odd integers is  $n^2$ .

41. The accompanying figure shows a square that is  $n$  units by  $n$  units that has been subdivided into a one-unit square and  $n-1$  “L-shaped” regions. Use this figure to derive the result in Exercise 40.

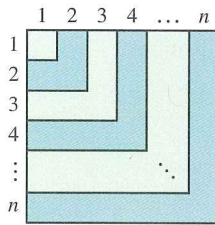


Figure Ex-41

42. Solve the equation  $\sum_{k=1}^n k = 465$ .

When part of each term of a sum cancels part of the next term, leaving only portions of the first and last terms at the end, the sum is said to *telescope*. In Exercises 43–46, evaluate the telescoping sum.

$$43. \sum_{k=5}^{17} (3^k - 3^{k-1}) \quad 44. \sum_{k=1}^{50} \left( \frac{1}{k} - \frac{1}{k+1} \right)$$

$$45. \sum_{k=2}^{20} \left( \frac{1}{k^2} - \frac{1}{(k-1)^2} \right) \quad 46. \sum_{k=1}^{100} (2^{k+1} - 2^k)$$

47. (a) Show that

$$\frac{1}{1 \cdot 3} + \frac{1}{3 \cdot 5} + \cdots + \frac{1}{(2n-1)(2n+1)} = \frac{n}{2n+1}$$

$$\left[ \text{Hint: } \frac{1}{(2n-1)(2n+1)} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{2n-1} - \frac{1}{2n+1} \right) \right]$$

(b) Use the result in part (a) to find

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{(2k-1)(2k+1)}$$

48. (a) Show that

$$\frac{1}{1 \cdot 2} + \frac{1}{2 \cdot 3} + \frac{1}{3 \cdot 4} + \cdots + \frac{1}{n(n+1)} = \frac{n}{n+1}$$

$$\left[ \text{Hint: } \frac{1}{n(n+1)} = \frac{1}{n} - \frac{1}{n+1} \right]$$

(b) Use the result in part (a) to find

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{k(k+1)}$$

49. By writing out the sums, determine whether the following are valid identities.

$$(a) \int \left[ \sum_{i=1}^n f_i(x) \right] dx = \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ \int f_i(x) dx \right]$$

$$(b) \frac{d}{dx} \left[ \sum_{i=1}^n f_i(x) \right] = \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ \frac{d}{dx} [f_i(x)] \right]$$

50. Which of the following are valid identities?

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

$$(b) \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{a_i}{b_i} = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i / \sum_{i=1}^n b_i$$

$$(c) \sum_{i=1}^n a_i^2 = \left( \sum_{i=1}^n a_i \right)^2$$

51. Let  $\bar{x}$  denote the arithmetic average of the  $n$  numbers  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$ . Use Theorem 7.4.1 to prove that

$$\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x}) = 0$$

52. Prove part (c) of Theorem 7.4.1.

53. Prove part (c) of Theorem 7.4.2. [Hint: Begin with the difference  $(k+1)^4 - k^4$  and follow the steps used to prove part (b) of the theorem.]

54. An artist wants to create a rough triangular design using uniform square tiles glued edge to edge. She places  $n$  tiles in a row to form the base of the triangle and then makes each successive row two tiles shorter than the preceding row. Find a formula for the number of tiles used in the design. [Hint: Your answer will depend on whether  $n$  is even or odd.]

55. An artist wants to create a sculpture by gluing together uniform spheres. She creates a rough rectangular base that has 50 spheres along one edge and 30 spheres along the other. She then creates successive layers by gluing spheres in the grooves of the preceding layer. How many spheres will there be in the sculpture?

## 7.5 THE DEFINITE INTEGRAL

Recall from the informal discussion in Section 7.1 that if a function  $f$  is continuous and nonnegative on an interval  $[a, b]$ , then the area under the graph of  $f$  over the interval  $[a, b]$  can be obtained by either the “rectangle method” or “the antiderivative method.” In this section we will discuss the rectangle method in more detail, and we will introduce the concept of a “definite integral,” which will link the concept of area to other important concepts such as length, volume, density, probability, and work.

### A DEFINITION OF AREA

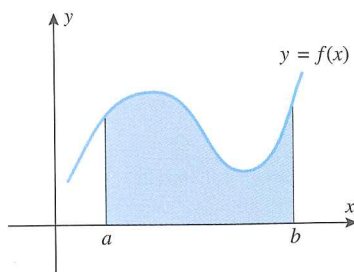


Figure 7.5.1

Our first goal in this section is to define formally what we mean by the area of a region  $R$  that is bounded below by the  $x$ -axis, bounded on the sides by the vertical lines  $x = a$  and  $x = b$ , and bounded above by the curve  $y = f(x)$ , where  $f$  is continuous and nonnegative on the interval  $[a, b]$  (Figure 7.5.1). We will start by defining the area of a rectangle to be the product of its length and width and defining the area of a region composed of finitely many rectangles to be the sum of the areas of those rectangles. To define the area of the region  $R$ , we will use these definitions and the rectangle method of Section 7.1. The basic idea is as follows (Figure 7.5.2):

- Divide the interval  $[a, b]$  into  $n$  equal subintervals.
- Over each subinterval construct a rectangle whose height is the value of  $f$  at any point in the subinterval.
- The union of these rectangles forms a region  $R_n$  whose area can be regarded as an approximation to the “area”  $A$  of the region  $R$ .
- Repeat the process using more and more subdivisions.

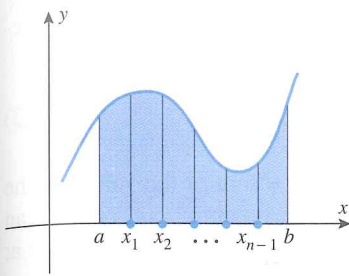


Figure 7.5.2

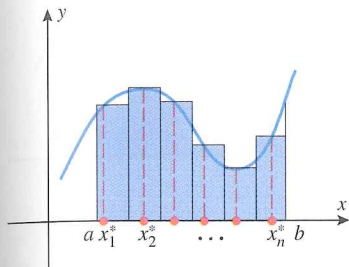


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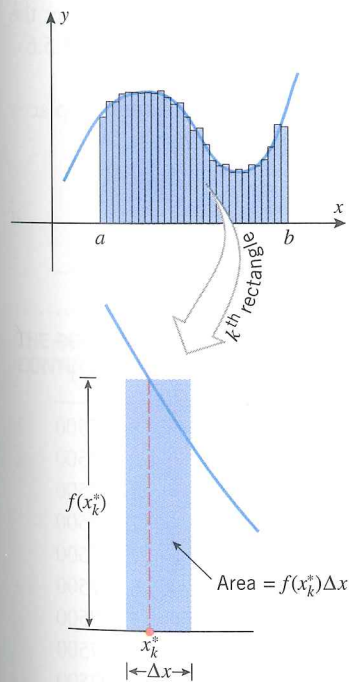


Figure 7.5.4

- Define the area of  $R$  to be the limit of the areas of the approximating regions,  $R_n$ ; that is,

$$A = \text{area}(R) = \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} [\text{area}(R_n)] \quad (1)$$

To make all of this more precise, it will be helpful to capture this procedure in mathematical notation. For this purpose, suppose that we divide the interval  $[a, b]$  into  $n$  subintervals by inserting  $n - 1$  equally spaced points between  $a$  and  $b$ , say

$$x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{n-1}$$

(Figure 7.5.2). Each of these intervals has width  $(b - a)/n$ , which it is customary to denote by

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

In each subinterval we need to choose a point at which to evaluate the function  $f$  to determine the height of a rectangle over that interval. If we denote those points by

$$x_1^*, x_2^*, \dots, x_n^*$$

(Figure 7.5.3), then the areas of the rectangles constructed over these intervals will be

$$f(x_1^*)\Delta x, f(x_2^*)\Delta x, \dots, f(x_n^*)\Delta x$$

(Figure 7.5.4), and the total area of the region  $R_n$  will be

$$\text{area}(R_n) = f(x_1^*)\Delta x + f(x_2^*)\Delta x + \dots + f(x_n^*)\Delta x$$

or in sigma notation,

$$\text{area}(R_n) = \sum_{k=1}^n f(x_k^*)\Delta x$$

With this notation (1) can be expressed as

$$A = \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \sum_{k=1}^n f(x_k^*)\Delta x$$

which suggests the following definition of the area of the region  $R$ .

**7.5.1 DEFINITION (Area Under a Curve).** If the function  $f$  is continuous on  $[a, b]$  and if  $f(x) \geq 0$  for all  $x$  in  $[a, b]$ , then the **area** under the curve  $y = f(x)$  over the interval  $[a, b]$  is defined by

$$A = \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \sum_{k=1}^n f(x_k^*)\Delta x \quad (2)$$

**REMARK.** Although this definition is satisfactory for our present purposes, there are some issues that would have to be resolved before it could be regarded as a rigorous mathematical definition. For example, we would have to prove that the limit actually exists and that its value does not depend on how the points  $x_1^*, x_2^*, \dots, x_n^*$  are chosen. It can be proved that this is true if  $f$  is continuous on  $[a, b]$ , but the details are beyond the scope of this text.

The limit in Formula (2) is often difficult or impossible to find, so that when an *exact* area is needed the antiderivative method, which we will discuss in the next section, is the method of choice. However, if an *approximation* to the area will suffice, then instead of taking the limit we can approximate the area as

$$A \approx \sum_{k=1}^n f(x_k^*)\Delta x$$

where  $n$  is sufficiently large to produce the required accuracy. For this purpose it is convenient to rewrite this sum as

$$\sum_{k=1}^n f(x_k^*) \Delta x = \Delta x \sum_{k=1}^n f(x_k^*) = \Delta x [f(x_1^*) + f(x_2^*) + \cdots + f(x_n^*)] \quad (3)$$

where  $\Delta x = (b - a)/n$ . The calculation here involves only the sum of the values of the function at  $n$  points, followed by a multiplication by  $\Delta x$ . The points  $x_1^*, x_2^*, \dots, x_n^*$  can be chosen arbitrarily in successive subintervals; however, the most common choices are at the left endpoints, the right endpoints, or the centers of the subintervals, in which cases Formula (3) is called the **left endpoint approximation**, the **right endpoint approximation**, or the **midpoint approximation** of the exact area (Figure 7.5.5).

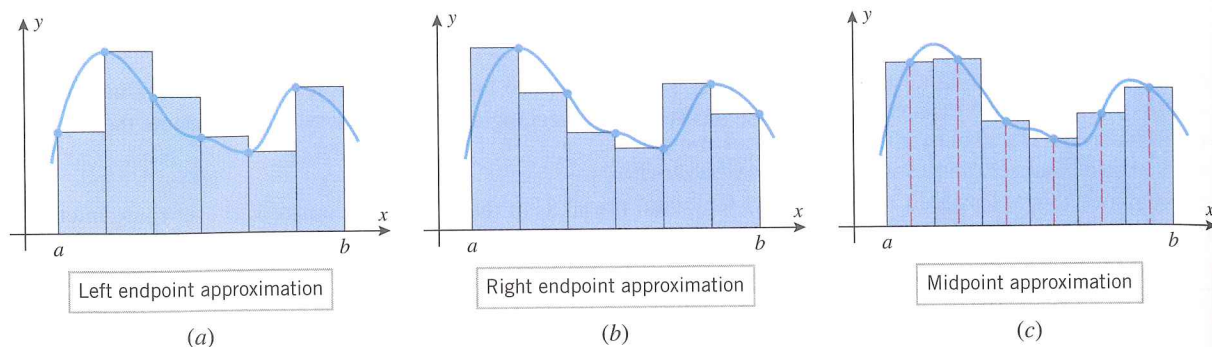


Figure 7.5.5

### Example 1

Find the left endpoint, right endpoint, and midpoint approximations of the area under the curve  $y = 9 - x^2$  over the interval  $[0, 3]$  with  $n = 10$ ,  $n = 20$ , and  $n = 50$  (Figure 7.5.6).

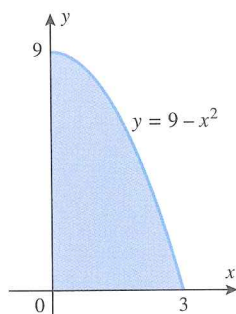


Figure 7.5.6

**Solution.** Details of the computations for the case  $n = 10$  are shown to six decimal places in Table 7.5.1 and the results of all computations are given in Table 7.5.2. ◀

Table 7.5.1

$$n = 10, \Delta x = (b - a)/n = (3 - 0)/10 = 0.3$$

| $k$ | LEFT ENDPOINT APPROXIMATION |                 | RIGHT ENDPOINT APPROXIMATION |                 | MIDPOINT APPROXIMATION |                 |
|-----|-----------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|-----------------|------------------------|-----------------|
|     | $x_k^*$                     | $9 - (x_k^*)^2$ | $x_k^*$                      | $9 - (x_k^*)^2$ | $x_k^*$                | $9 - (x_k^*)^2$ |
| 1   | 0.0                         | 9.000000        | 0.3                          | 8.910000        | 0.15                   | 8.977500        |
| 2   | 0.3                         | 8.910000        | 0.6                          | 8.640000        | 0.45                   | 8.797500        |
| 3   | 0.6                         | 8.640000        | 0.9                          | 8.190000        | 0.75                   | 8.437500        |
| 4   | 0.9                         | 8.190000        | 1.2                          | 7.560000        | 1.05                   | 7.897500        |
| 5   | 1.2                         | 7.560000        | 1.5                          | 6.750000        | 1.35                   | 7.177500        |
| 6   | 1.5                         | 6.750000        | 1.8                          | 5.760000        | 1.65                   | 6.277500        |
| 7   | 1.8                         | 5.760000        | 2.1                          | 4.590000        | 1.95                   | 5.197500        |
| 8   | 2.1                         | 4.590000        | 2.4                          | 3.240000        | 2.25                   | 3.937500        |
| 9   | 2.4                         | 3.240000        | 2.7                          | 1.710000        | 2.55                   | 2.497500        |
| 10  | 2.7                         | 1.710000        | 3.0                          | 0.000000        | 2.85                   | 0.877500        |
|     |                             | 64.350000       |                              | 55.350000       |                        | 60.075000       |
|     |                             | (.3)(64.350000) |                              | (.3)(55.350000) |                        | (.3)(60.075000) |
|     |                             | = 19.305000     |                              | = 16.605000     |                        | = 18.022500     |

Table 7.5.2

| $n$ | LEFT ENDPOINT<br>APPROXIMATION | RIGHT ENDPOINT<br>APPROXIMATION | MIDPOINT<br>APPROXIMATION |
|-----|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 10  | 19.305000                      | 16.605000                       | 18.022500                 |
| 20  | 18.663750                      | 17.313750                       | 18.005625                 |
| 50  | 18.268200                      | 17.728200                       | 18.000900                 |

**REMARK.** We will show in the next section that the exact area under  $y = 9 - x^2$  over the interval  $[0, 3]$  is 18 (i.e., 18 square units), so that in the preceding example the midpoint approximation is more accurate than either of the endpoint approximations. This can also be seen geometrically from the approximating rectangles: Since the graph of  $y = 9 - x^2$  is decreasing over the interval  $[0, 3]$ , each left endpoint approximation overestimates the area, each right endpoint approximation underestimates the area, and each midpoint approximation falls between the overestimate and the underestimate (Figure 7.5.7). This is consistent with the values in Table 7.5.2. Later in the text we will investigate the error that results when an area is approximated by the midpoint rule.

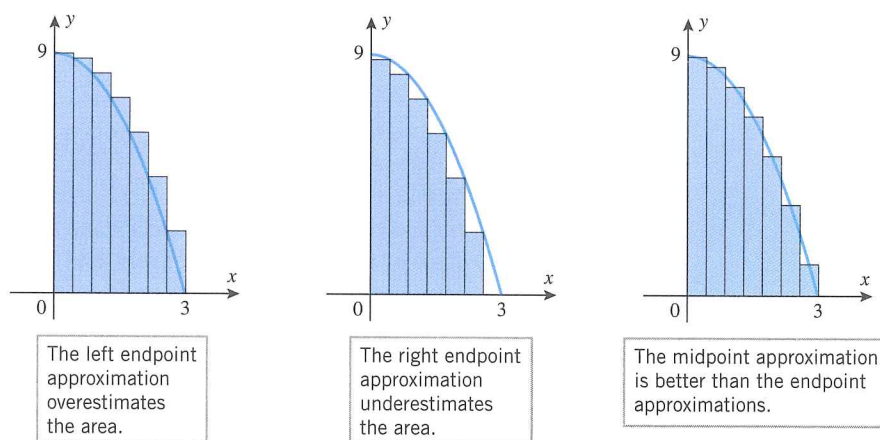


Figure 7.5.7

### THE DEFINITE INTEGRAL OF A CONTINUOUS FUNCTION

In Definition 7.5.1 we assumed that  $f$  is continuous and nonnegative on the interval  $[a, b]$ . If  $f$  is continuous and assumes both positive and negative values on  $[a, b]$ , then the limit

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \sum_{k=1}^n f(x_k^*) \Delta x \quad (4)$$

no longer represents the area between the curve  $y = f(x)$  and the interval  $[a, b]$ ; rather it represents a difference of areas—the area of the region that is above the interval  $[a, b]$  and below the curve  $y = f(x)$  minus the area of the region that is below the interval  $[a, b]$  and above the curve  $y = f(x)$ . We call this the **net signed area** between the graph of  $y = f(x)$  and the interval  $[a, b]$ . For example, in Figure 7.5.8a, the net signed area between the curve  $y = f(x)$  and the interval  $[a, b]$  is

$$(A_I + A_{III}) - A_{II} = [\text{area above } [a, b]] - [\text{area below } [a, b]]$$

To explain why the limit in (4) represents this net signed area, let us subdivide the interval  $[a, b]$  in Figure 7.5.8a into  $n$  equal subintervals and examine the terms in the sum

$$\sum_{k=1}^n f(x_k^*) \Delta x \quad (5)$$

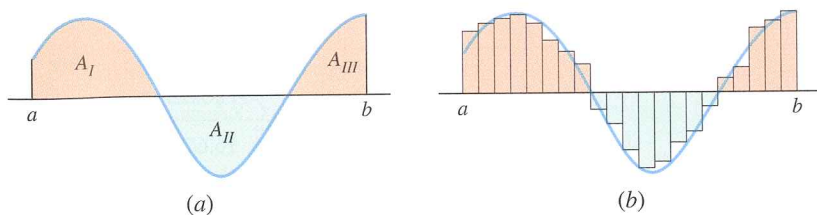


Figure 7.5.8

If  $f(x_k^*)$  is positive, then the product  $f(x_k^*)\Delta x$  represents the area of the rectangle with height  $f(x_k^*)$  and base  $\Delta x$  (the beige rectangles in Figure 7.5.8b). However, if  $f(x_k^*)$  is negative, then the product  $f(x_k^*)\Delta x$  is the *negative* of the area of the rectangle with height  $|f(x_k^*)|$  and base  $\Delta x$  (the green rectangles in Figure 7.5.8b). Thus, (5) represents the total area of the beige rectangles minus the total area of the green rectangles. As  $n$  increases, the beige rectangles fill out the regions with areas  $A_I$  and  $A_{III}$  and the green rectangles fill out the region with area  $A_{II}$ , which explains why the limit in (4) represents the signed area between  $y = f(x)$  and the interval  $[a, b]$ .

The limit in (4) is so important that there is some terminology and notation associated with it. We will denote this limit by the symbol

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \sum_{k=1}^n f(x_k^*) \Delta x \quad (6)$$

which is called the **definite integral** of  $f$  from  $a$  to  $b$ . Geometrically, the definite integral represents the signed area between  $y = f(x)$  and the interval  $[a, b]$ , and in the case where  $f(x)$  is nonnegative on the interval  $[a, b]$ , the definite integral represents the area under the curve over the interval  $[a, b]$ . The numbers  $a$  and  $b$  are called the **lower limit of integration** and **upper limit of integration**, respectively, and  $f(x)$  is called the **integrand**. The reason for the integral sign will become clear in the next section, where we will establish a link between the definite integral and the indefinite integral studied earlier.

In the simplest cases, definite integrals can be calculated using formulas from plane geometry to compute the signed areas.

### Example 2

Sketch the region whose area is represented by the definite integral, and evaluate the integral using an appropriate formula from geometry.

$$(a) \int_1^4 2 dx \quad (b) \int_{-1}^2 (x+2) dx \quad (c) \int_0^1 \sqrt{1-x^2} dx$$

**Solution (a).** The graph of the integrand is the horizontal line  $y = 2$ , so the region is a rectangle of height 2 extending over the interval from 1 to 4 (Figure 7.5.9a). Thus,

$$\int_1^4 2 dx = (\text{area of rectangle}) = 2(3) = 6$$

**Solution (b).** The graph of the integrand is the line  $y = x + 2$ , so the region is a trapezoid whose base extends from  $x = -1$  to  $x = 2$  (Figure 7.5.9b). Thus,

$$\int_{-1}^2 (x+2) dx = (\text{area of trapezoid}) = \frac{1}{2}(3)(1+4) = \frac{15}{2}$$

**Solution (c).** The graph of  $y = \sqrt{1-x^2}$  is the upper semicircle of radius 1, centered at the origin, so the region is the right quarter-circle extending from  $x = 0$  to  $x = 1$  (Figure 7.5.9c).

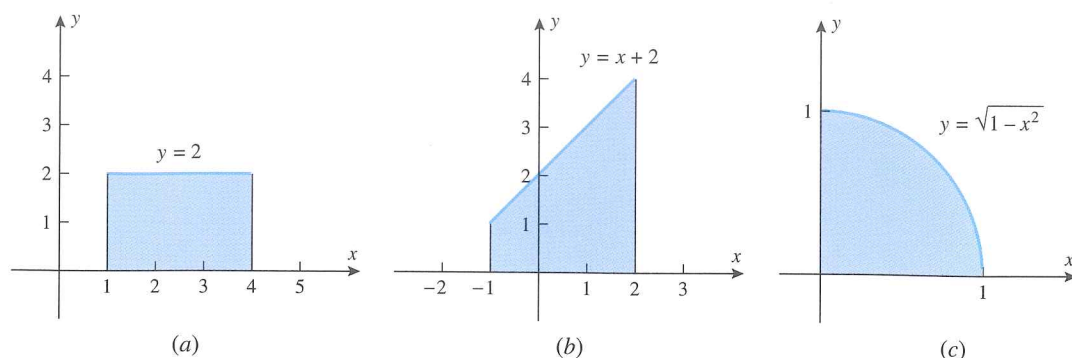


Figure 7.5.9

Thus,

$$\int_0^1 \sqrt{1-x^2} dx = (\text{area of quarter-circle}) = \frac{1}{4}\pi(1^2) = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

### Example 3

Evaluate

$$(a) \int_0^2 (x-1) dx \quad (b) \int_0^1 (x-1) dx$$

**Solution.** The graph of  $y = x - 1$  is shown in Figure 7.5.10, and we leave it for you to verify that the shaded triangular regions both have area  $\frac{1}{2}$ . Over the interval  $[0, 2]$  the net signed area is  $A_1 - A_2 = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} = 0$ , and over the interval  $[0, 1]$  the net signed area is  $-A_2 = -\frac{1}{2}$ . Thus,

$$\int_0^2 (x-1) dx = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \int_0^1 (x-1) dx = -\frac{1}{2}$$

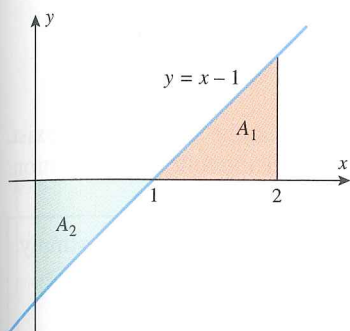


Figure 7.5.10

## THE RIEMANN INTEGRAL

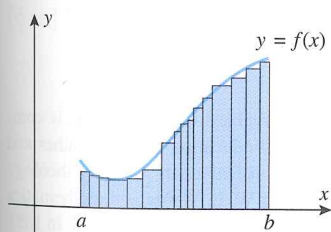


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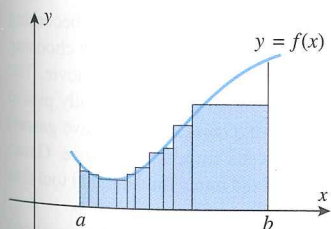


Figure 7.5.12

It is assumed in (6) that the function  $f$  is continuous on the interval  $[a, b]$  and that for each  $n$  this interval is subdivided into  $n$  subintervals of equal length to create bases for the approximating rectangles. Although equal lengths are useful for computations, this restriction is not essential. That is, the signed area between  $y = f(x)$  and  $[a, b]$  can be obtained using rectangles with different widths provided that successive subdivisions are constructed in such a way that the widths of the rectangles approach zero as  $n$  increases (Figure 7.5.11). Thus, we must preclude the kind of situation that occurs in Figure 7.5.12 in which the right half of the interval is never subdivided. If this kind of subdivision were allowed, the error in the approximation would not approach zero as  $n$  increased.

To provide for the added generality of unequal intervals, suppose that the interval  $[a, b]$  is subdivided into  $n$  subintervals whose widths are

$$\Delta x_1, \Delta x_2, \dots, \Delta x_n$$

and let  $\max \Delta x_k$  denote the largest of the subinterval widths, which is read “the maximum of the  $\Delta x_k$ ’s.” The subintervals are said to form a *partition* of the interval  $[a, b]$ , and  $\max \Delta x_k$  is called the *mesh size* of the partition. For example, Figure 7.5.13 shows a partition of the interval  $[0, 6]$  into four subintervals with a mesh size of 2.

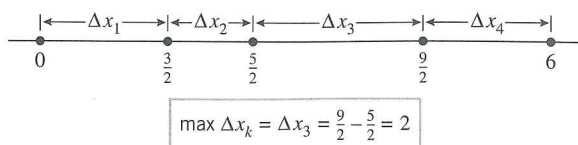


Figure 7.5.13

To generalize (6) so that it allows for unequal subinterval widths, we must replace the constant interval length  $\Delta x$  by the variable interval length  $\Delta x_k$ , and we must replace  $n \rightarrow +\infty$  by an expression to specify that the lengths of all the subintervals approach zero. We will use the expression  $\max \Delta x_k \rightarrow 0$  for this purpose. With these modifications in notation (6) becomes

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = \lim_{\max \Delta x_k \rightarrow 0} \sum_{k=1}^n f(x_k^*) \Delta x_k \quad (7)$$

The sum that appears in this expression is called a **Riemann\* sum**, and the limit is sometimes called the **Riemann integral** in honor of the German mathematician Bernhard Riemann who formulated many of the basic concepts of integration.

**REMARK.** Some writers use the symbol  $\|\Delta\|$  rather than  $\max \Delta x_k$  for the mesh size of the partition, in which case (7) would be written as

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = \lim_{\|\Delta\| \rightarrow 0} \sum_{k=1}^n f(x_k^*) \Delta x_k$$

## INTEGRABILITY

Because the definite integral is defined as a limit, it is possible that the limit may not exist, in which case the definite integral would not exist. Thus, we make the following definition:

**7.5.2 DEFINITION.** A function  $f$  is said to be **Riemann integrable** or more simply **integrable** on a finite closed interval  $[a, b]$  if the limit

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = \lim_{\max \Delta x_k \rightarrow 0} \sum_{k=1}^n f(x_k^*) \Delta x_k$$

exists and does not depend on choice of the partitions or on the points  $x_k^*$  in the subintervals.

At the end of this section we will discuss various conditions that ensure integrability, but for now suffice it to say that a function that is continuous on a finite closed interval  $[a, b]$  is integrable on that interval.

\* **GEORG FRIEDRICH BERNHARD RIEMANN** (1826–1866). German mathematician. Bernhard Riemann, as he is commonly known, was the son of a Protestant minister. He received his elementary education from his father and showed brilliance in arithmetic at an early age. In 1846 he enrolled at Göttingen University to study theology and philology, but he soon transferred to mathematics. He studied physics under W. E. Weber and mathematics under Karl Friedrich Gauss, whom some people consider to be the greatest mathematician who ever lived. In 1851 Riemann received his Ph.D. under Gauss, after which he remained at Göttingen to teach. In 1862, one month after his marriage, Riemann suffered an attack of pleuritis, and for the remainder of his life was an extremely sick man. He finally succumbed to tuberculosis in 1866 at age 39.

An interesting story surrounds Riemann's work in geometry. For his introductory lecture prior to becoming an associate professor, Riemann submitted three possible topics to Gauss. Gauss surprised Riemann by choosing the topic Riemann liked the least, the foundations of geometry. The lecture was like a scene from a movie. The old and failing Gauss, a giant in his day, watching intently as his brilliant and youthful protégé skillfully pieced together portions of the old man's own work into a complete and beautiful system. Gauss is said to have gasped with delight as the lecture neared its end, and on the way home he marveled at his student's brilliance. Gauss died shortly thereafter. The results presented by Riemann that day eventually evolved into a fundamental tool that Einstein used some 50 years later to develop relativity theory.

In addition to his work in geometry, Riemann made major contributions to the theory of complex functions and mathematical physics. The notion of the definite integral, as it is presented in most basic calculus courses, is due to him. Riemann's early death was a great loss to mathematics, for his mathematical work was brilliant and of fundamental importance.

**PROPERTIES OF THE DEFINITE INTEGRAL**

It is assumed in Definition 7.5.2 that  $[a, b]$  is a finite closed interval with  $a < b$ , and hence the upper limit of integration in the definite integral is greater than the lower limit of integration. However, it will be convenient to extend this definition to allow for cases in which the upper and lower limits of integration are equal or the lower limit of integration is greater than the upper limit of integration. For this purpose we make the following special definitions.

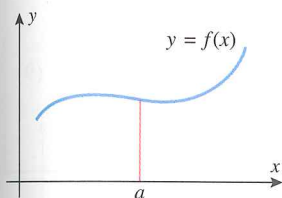
**7.5.3 DEFINITION.**

(a) If  $a$  is in the domain of  $f$ , we define

$$\int_a^a f(x) dx = 0$$

(b) If  $f$  is integrable on  $[a, b]$ , then we define

$$\int_b^a f(x) dx = -\int_a^b f(x) dx$$



The area between  $y = f(x)$  and  $a$  is zero.

Figure 7.5.14

**REMARK.** Part (a) of this definition is consistent with the intuitive idea that the area between a point on the  $x$ -axis and a curve  $y = f(x)$  should be zero (Figure 7.5.14). Part (b) of the definition is simply a useful convention; it states that interchanging the limits of integration reverses the sign of the integral.

**Example 4**

(a)  $\int_1^1 x^2 dx = 0$

(b)  $\int_1^0 \sqrt{1-x^2} dx = -\int_0^1 \sqrt{1-x^2} dx = -\frac{\pi}{4}$

Example 2(c)

Because definite integrals are defined as limits, they inherit many of the properties of limits. For example, we know that constants can be moved through limit signs and that the limit of a sum or difference is the sum or difference of the limits. Thus, you should not be surprised by the following theorem, which we state without formal proof.

**7.5.4 THEOREM.** If  $f$  and  $g$  are integrable on  $[a, b]$  and if  $c$  is a constant, then  $cf$ ,  $f + g$ , and  $f - g$  are integrable on  $[a, b]$  and

(a)  $\int_a^b cf(x) dx = c \int_a^b f(x) dx$

(b)  $\int_a^b [f(x) + g(x)] dx = \int_a^b f(x) dx + \int_a^b g(x) dx$

(c)  $\int_a^b [f(x) - g(x)] dx = \int_a^b f(x) dx - \int_a^b g(x) dx$

Part (b) of this theorem can be extended to more than two functions. More precisely,

$$\begin{aligned} \int_a^b [f_1(x) + f_2(x) + \cdots + f_n(x)] dx \\ = \int_a^b f_1(x) dx + \int_a^b f_2(x) dx + \cdots + \int_a^b f_n(x) dx \end{aligned} \quad (8)$$

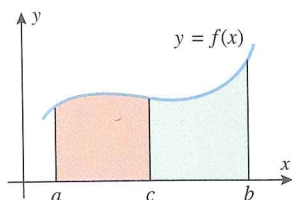


Figure 7.5.15

Some properties of definite integrals can be motivated by interpreting the integral as an area. For example, if  $f$  is continuous and nonnegative on the interval  $[a, b]$ , and if  $c$  is a point between  $a$  and  $b$ , then the area under  $y = f(x)$  over the interval  $[a, b]$  can be split into two parts and expressed as the area under the graph from  $a$  to  $c$  plus the area under the graph from  $c$  to  $b$  (Figure 7.5.15), that is,

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = \int_a^c f(x) dx + \int_c^b f(x) dx$$

This is a special case of the following theorem about definite integrals, which we state without proof.

**7.5.5 THEOREM.** If  $f$  is integrable on a closed interval containing the three points  $a$ ,  $b$ , and  $c$ , then

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = \int_a^c f(x) dx + \int_c^b f(x) dx \quad (9)$$

no matter how the points are ordered.

The following theorem, which we state without formal proof, can also be motivated by interpreting definite integrals as areas.

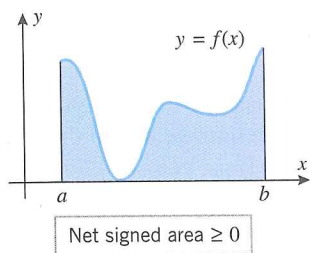


Figure 7.5.16

**7.5.6 THEOREM.**

(a) If  $f$  is integrable on  $[a, b]$  and  $f(x) \geq 0$  for all  $x$  in  $[a, b]$ , then

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx \geq 0$$

(b) If  $f$  and  $g$  are integrable on  $[a, b]$  and  $f(x) \geq g(x)$  for all  $x$  in  $[a, b]$ , then

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx \geq \int_a^b g(x) dx$$

Geometrically, part (a) of this theorem states the obvious fact that if  $f$  is nonnegative on  $[a, b]$ , then the net signed area between the graph of  $f$  and the interval  $[a, b]$  is also nonnegative (Figure 7.5.16). Part (b) has its simplest interpretation when  $f$  and  $g$  are nonnegative on  $[a, b]$ , in which case the theorem states that if the graph of  $f$  does not go below the graph of  $g$ , then the area under the graph of  $f$  is at least as large as the area under the graph of  $g$  (Figure 7.5.17).

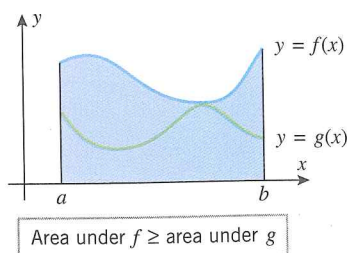


Figure 7.5.17

**REMARK.** In words, part (b) of this theorem states that one can integrate both sides of the inequality  $f(x) \geq g(x)$  without altering the sense of the inequality. We also note that in the case where  $b > a$ , both parts of the theorem remain true if  $\geq$  is replaced by  $\leq$ ,  $>$ , or  $<$  throughout.

**Example 5**

Evaluate

$$\int_0^1 (5 - 3\sqrt{1-x^2}) dx$$

**Solution.** From parts (a) and (c) of Theorem 7.5.4 we can write

$$\int_0^1 (5 - 3\sqrt{1-x^2}) dx = \int_0^1 5 dx - \int_0^1 3\sqrt{1-x^2} dx = \int_0^1 5 dx - 3 \int_0^1 \sqrt{1-x^2} dx$$

The first integral can be interpreted as the area of a rectangle of height 5 and base 1, so its value is 5, and from Example 2 the value of the second integral is  $\pi/4$ . Thus,

$$\int_0^1 (5 - 3\sqrt{1-x^2}) dx = 5 - 3\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = 5 - \frac{3\pi}{4}$$

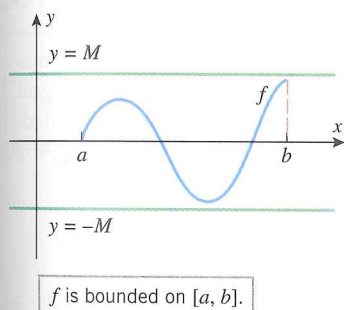
**CONDITIONS FOR INTEGRABILITY**

Figure 7.5.18

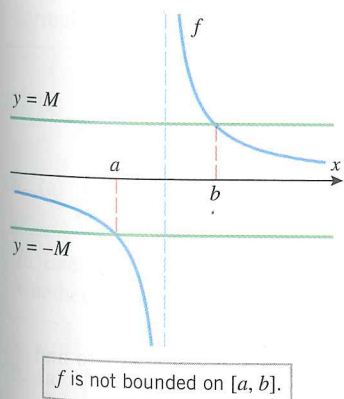


Figure 7.5.19

The problem of determining precisely which functions are integrable is quite complex and beyond the scope of this text. However, there are a few basic results about integrability that are important to know; we begin with a definition.

**7.5.7 DEFINITION.** A function  $f$  is said to be **bounded** on an interval  $I$  if there is a positive number  $M$  such that

$$-M \leq f(x) \leq M$$

for all  $x$  in the interval  $I$ . Geometrically, this means that the graph of  $f$  over the interval  $I$  lies between the lines  $y = -M$  and  $y = M$ .

For example, a continuous function  $f$  is bounded on *every* finite closed interval because the Extreme-Value Theorem (6.1.3) implies that  $f$  has an absolute maximum and an absolute minimum on the interval; hence, its graph will lie between the line  $y = -M$  and  $y = M$ , provided we make  $M$  large enough (Figure 7.5.18). In contrast, a function that has a vertical asymptote inside of an interval is not bounded on that interval because its graph over the interval cannot be made to lie between the lines  $y = -M$  and  $y = M$ , no matter how large we make the value of  $M$  (Figure 7.5.19).

The following theorem, which we state without proof, lists three of the most important facts about integrability.

**7.5.8 THEOREM.** Let  $f$  be a function that is defined at all points in the finite closed interval  $[a, b]$ .

- If  $f$  is continuous on  $[a, b]$ , then  $f$  is integrable on  $[a, b]$ .
- If  $f$  has finitely many points of discontinuity on  $[a, b]$  but is bounded on  $[a, b]$ , then  $f$  is integrable on  $[a, b]$ .
- If  $f$  is not bounded on  $[a, b]$ , then  $f$  is not integrable on  $[a, b]$ .

**FOR THE READER.** Sketch the graph of a function over the interval  $[0, 1]$  that has the properties stated in part (b) of this theorem.

EXERCISE SET 7.5 C CAS

1. (a) Use an appropriate geometric formula to find the exact area  $A$  under the line  $x + y = 4$  over the interval  $[0, 4]$ .  
 (b) Sketch the rectangles for the left endpoint approximation to the area  $A$  using  $n = 4$  subintervals. Is that approximation greater than, less than, or equal to  $A$ ? Explain your reasoning, and check your conclusion by calculating the left endpoint approximation.  
 (c) Sketch the rectangles for the right endpoint approximation to the area  $A$  using  $n = 4$  subintervals. Is that approximation greater than, less than, or equal to  $A$ ? Explain your reasoning, and check your conclusion by calculating the right endpoint approximation.  
 (d) Sketch the rectangles for the midpoint approximation to the area  $A$  using  $n = 4$  subintervals. Is that approximation greater than, less than, or equal to  $A$ ? Explain your reasoning, and check your conclusion by calculating the midpoint approximation.
2. Follow the directions of Exercise 1 for the area  $A$  under the line  $y = 3x$  over the interval  $[2, 6]$ .
3. Find the left endpoint, right endpoint, and midpoint approximations of the area under the curve  $y = x^2 + 1$  over the interval  $[0, 5]$  using  $n = 5$  subintervals.
4. Find the left endpoint, right endpoint, and midpoint approximations of the area under the curve  $y = x^3$  over the interval  $[1, 6]$  using  $n = 5$  subintervals.
5. Find the left endpoint, right endpoint, and midpoint approximations of the area under the curve  $y = \cos x$  over the interval  $[-\pi/2, \pi/2]$  using  $n = 4$  subintervals.
6. Find the left endpoint, right endpoint, and midpoint approximations of the area under the curve  $y = e^x$  over the interval  $[0, 5]$  using  $n = 5$  subintervals.
7. The accompanying figure shows five points on the graph of an unknown function  $f$ . Devise a strategy for using the known points to approximate the area  $A$  under the graph of  $y = f(x)$  over the interval  $[1, 5]$ . Describe your strategy, and use it to approximate  $A$ .

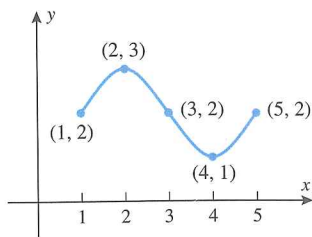


Figure Ex-7

8. (a) Use an appropriate geometric formula to find the exact area  $A$  under the line  $y = 3x + 1$  over the interval  $[1, 5]$ .  
 (b) Show that the exact area is equal to the average value of the left endpoint and right endpoint approximations of  $A$  obtained using  $n = 4$  subintervals.  
 (c) What is the explanation of the result in part (b)?

In Exercises 9–14, use a calculating utility to find the left endpoint, right endpoint, and midpoint approximations to the area under the curve  $y = f(x)$  over the stated interval using  $n = 10$  subintervals.

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|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 9. $y = 1/x$ ; $[1, 2]$         | 10. $y = 1/x^2$ ; $[1, 3]$    |
| 11. $y = \sin x$ ; $[0, \pi/2]$ | 12. $y = \sqrt{x}$ ; $[0, 4]$ |
| 13. $y = \ln x$ ; $[1, 2]$      | 14. $y = e^x$ ; $[0, 1]$      |

15. If you have a programmable calculator, create a program for calculating the midpoint approximation of the area under a curve  $y = f(x)$  over an interval  $[a, b]$  using  $n$  subintervals, and use the program to find midpoint approximations in Exercises 9–14 with  
 (a)  $n = 25$       (b)  $n = 50$       (c)  $n = 100$ .

- C 16. If you have a CAS, devise a procedure for using it to calculate the midpoint approximation of the area under a curve  $y = f(x)$  over an interval  $[a, b]$  using  $n$  subintervals, and use the procedure to find the midpoint approximations in Exercises 9–14 with  
 (a)  $n = 25$       (b)  $n = 50$       (c)  $n = 100$ .

In Exercises 17–20, sketch the region whose signed area is represented by the definite integral, and evaluate the integral using an appropriate formula from geometry, where needed.

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| 17. (a) $\int_0^3 x \, dx$                  | (b) $\int_{-2}^{-1} x \, dx$               |
| (c) $\int_{-1}^4 x \, dx$                   | (d) $\int_{-5}^5 x \, dx$                  |
| 18. (a) $\int_0^2 (1 - \frac{1}{2}x) \, dx$ | (b) $\int_{-1}^1 (1 - \frac{1}{2}x) \, dx$ |
| (c) $\int_2^3 (1 - \frac{1}{2}x) \, dx$     | (d) $\int_0^3 (1 - \frac{1}{2}x) \, dx$    |
| 19. (a) $\int_0^5 2 \, dx$                  | (b) $\int_0^{\pi} \cos x \, dx$            |
| (c) $\int_{-1}^2  2x - 3  \, dx$            | (d) $\int_{-1}^1 \sqrt{1 - x^2} \, dx$     |
| 20. (a) $\int_{-10}^{-5} 6 \, dx$           | (b) $\int_{-\pi/3}^{\pi/3} \sin x \, dx$   |
| (c) $\int_0^3  x - 2  \, dx$                | (d) $\int_0^2 \sqrt{4 - x^2} \, dx$        |
21. Use the areas shown in the accompanying figure to find
- |                           |                             |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------|
| (a) $\int_a^b f(x) \, dx$ | (b) $\int_b^c f(x) \, dx$   |
| (c) $\int_a^c f(x) \, dx$ | (d) $\int_a^d f(x) \, dx$ . |

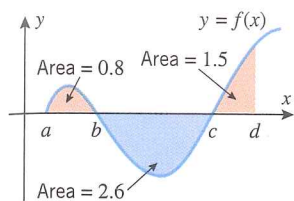


Figure Ex-21

22. In each part, evaluate the integral, given that

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 2x, & x \leq 1 \\ 2, & x > 1 \end{cases}$$

(a)  $\int_0^1 f(x) dx$                       (b)  $\int_{-1}^1 f(x) dx$   
 (c)  $\int_1^{10} f(x) dx$                       (d)  $\int_{1/2}^5 f(x) dx$

23. Find  $\int_{-1}^2 [f(x) + 2g(x)] dx$  if

$$\int_{-1}^2 f(x) dx = 5 \quad \text{and} \quad \int_{-1}^2 g(x) dx = -3$$

24. Find  $\int_1^4 [3f(x) - g(x)] dx$  if

$$\int_1^4 f(x) dx = 2 \quad \text{and} \quad \int_1^4 g(x) dx = 10$$

25. Find  $\int_1^5 f(x) dx$  if

$$\int_0^1 f(x) dx = -2 \quad \text{and} \quad \int_0^5 f(x) dx = 1$$

26. Find  $\int_3^{-2} f(x) dx$  if

$$\int_{-2}^1 f(x) dx = 2 \quad \text{and} \quad \int_1^3 f(x) dx = -6$$

In Exercises 27 and 28, use Theorem 7.5.4 and appropriate formulas from geometry to evaluate the integrals.

27. (a)  $\int_0^1 (x + 2\sqrt{1-x^2}) dx$     (b)  $\int_{-1}^3 (4-5x) dx$

28. (a)  $\int_{-3}^0 (2 + \sqrt{9-x^2}) dx$     (b)  $\int_{-2}^2 (1-3|x|) dx$

In Exercises 29 and 30, use Theorem 7.5.6 to determine whether the value of the integral is positive or negative.

29. (a)  $\int_2^3 \frac{\sqrt{x}}{1-x} dx$                       (b)  $\int_0^4 \frac{x^2}{3-\cos x} dx$

30. (a)  $\int_{-3}^{-1} \frac{x^4}{\sqrt{3-x}} dx$                       (b)  $\int_{-2}^2 \frac{x^3-9}{|x|+1} dx$

In Exercises 31 and 32, evaluate the integrals by completing the square and applying appropriate formulas from geometry.

31.  $\int_0^{10} \sqrt{10x-x^2} dx$                       32.  $\int_0^3 \sqrt{6x-x^2} dx$

In Exercises 33 and 34, express the limits as definite integrals over the interval  $[a, b]$ . Do not try to evaluate the integrals.

33. (a)  $\lim_{\max \Delta x_k \rightarrow 0} \sum_{k=1}^n 4x_k^*(1-3x_k^*) \Delta x_k; a = -3, b = 3$

(b)  $\lim_{\max \Delta x_k \rightarrow 0} \sum_{k=1}^n e^{x_k^*} \Delta x_k; a = 0, b = 1$

34. (a)  $\lim_{\max \Delta x_k \rightarrow 0} \sum_{k=1}^n (x_k^*)^3 \Delta x_k; a = 1, b = 2$

(b)  $\lim_{\max \Delta x_k \rightarrow 0} \sum_{k=1}^n (\sin^2 x_k^*) \Delta x_k; a = 0, b = \pi/2$

In Exercises 35 and 36, evaluate the limit over the interval  $[a, b]$  by expressing it as a definite integral and applying an appropriate formula from geometry.

35.  $\lim_{\max \Delta x_k \rightarrow 0} \sum_{k=1}^n (3x_k^* + 1) \Delta x_k; a = 0, b = 1$

36.  $\lim_{\max \Delta x_k \rightarrow 0} \sum_{k=1}^n \sqrt{4-(x_k^*)^2} \Delta x_k; a = -2, b = 2$

In Exercises 37 and 38, use Formula (7) to express the integrals as limits of Riemann sums. Do not try to evaluate the integrals.

37. (a)  $\int_1^2 2x dx$                                       (b)  $\int_0^1 \frac{x}{x+1} dx$

38. (a)  $\int_1^2 \ln x dx$                                       (b)  $\int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} (1 + \cos x) dx$

39. In this exercise you will find the area  $A$  under the graph of  $y = x$  over the interval  $[1, 2]$  by calculating the limit of right endpoint approximations. For this particular problem, the area can be found much more easily using a formula from geometry, so our purpose here is not to provide a practical method for calculating the area, but rather to illustrate the idea that underlies the concept of a definite integral.

- (a) Suppose that the interval  $[1, 2]$  is subdivided into  $n$  equal subintervals of length  $\Delta x = 1/n$  and that the points  $x_1^*, x_2^*, \dots, x_n^*$  are the right endpoints of the subintervals. Show that the right endpoint of the  $k$ th subinterval is

$$x_k^* = 1 + \frac{k}{n}$$

[Suggestion: Find  $x_1^*$ ,  $x_2^*$ , and  $x_3^*$ , and then look for the pattern.]

- (b) Show that with  $n$  subintervals the right endpoint approximation of the area  $A$  is

$$\sum_{k=1}^n f(x_k^*) \Delta x = \sum_{k=1}^n \left[ \left( 1 + \frac{k}{n} \right) \frac{1}{n} \right]$$

- (c) Use Theorem 7.4.2 to show that the right endpoint approximation can be expressed as

$$\sum_{k=1}^n f(x_k^*) \Delta x = \frac{3}{2} + \frac{1}{2n}$$

- (d) From (2), the area  $A$  is

$$A = \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \sum_{k=1}^n f(x_k^*) \Delta x$$

Find this limit, and check your answer by using a formula from geometry to calculate  $A$ .

40. Find the area  $A$  in Exercise 39 as a limit of left endpoint approximations.

In Exercises 41–44, use the method of Exercise 39 to find the area under the curve  $y = f(x)$  over the interval  $[a, b]$  as a limit of right and left endpoint approximations.

41.  $y = x^2$ ;  $a = 0, b = 1$   
 42.  $y = 4 - \frac{1}{4}x^2$ ;  $a = 0, b = 3$   
 43.  $y = x^3$ ;  $a = 2, b = 6$   
 44.  $y = 1 - x^3$ ;  $a = -3, b = -1$   
 45. In each part, use Theorem 7.5.8 to determine whether the function  $f$  is integrable on the interval  $[-1, 1]$ .  
 (a)  $f(x) = e^x \cos x$

$$(b) f(x) = \begin{cases} x/|x|, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$(c) f(x) = \begin{cases} 1/x^2, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$(d) f(x) = \begin{cases} \sin 1/x, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

46. It can be shown that every interval contains both rational and irrational numbers. Accepting this to be so, do you believe that the function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x \text{ is rational} \\ 0 & \text{if } x \text{ is irrational} \end{cases}$$

is integrable on a closed interval  $[a, b]$ ? Explain your reasoning.

47. It can be shown that the limit in Formula (7) has all of the limit properties stated in Theorem 2.2.2. Accepting this to be so, show that

$$(a) \int_a^b cf(x) dx = c \int_a^b f(x) dx$$

$$(b) \int_a^b [f(x) + g(x)] dx = \int_a^b f(x) dx + \int_a^b g(x) dx$$

48. Find the smallest and largest values that the Riemann sum

$$\sum_{k=1}^3 f(x_k^*) \Delta x_k$$

can have on the interval  $[0, 4]$  if  $f(x) = x^2 - 3x + 4$  and  $\Delta x_1 = 1, \Delta x_2 = 2, \Delta x_3 = 1$ .

## 7.6 THE FUNDAMENTAL THEOREM OF CALCULUS

*In this section we will establish two basic relationships between definite and indefinite integrals that together constitute a result called the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus. One part of this theorem will relate the rectangle and antiderivative methods for calculating areas, and the second part will provide a powerful method for evaluating definite integrals using antiderivatives.*

### THE FUNDAMENTAL THEOREM OF CALCULUS

To motivate the results we are looking for, let us begin by assuming that  $f$  is nonnegative and continuous on the interval  $[a, b]$ , in which case the area  $A$  under the graph of  $f$  over the interval  $[a, b]$  is represented by the definite integral

$$A = \int_a^b f(x) dx \tag{1}$$

(Figure 7.6.1).

Recall from our discussion of the antiderivative method in Section 7.1 that if  $A(x)$  is the area under the graph of  $f$  from  $a$  to  $x$  (Figure 7.6.2), then:

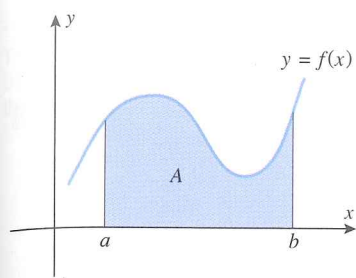


Figure 7.6.1

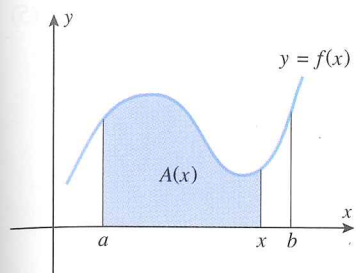


Figure 7.6.2

- $A'(x) = f(x)$
- $A(a) = 0$       The area under the curve from  $a$  to  $a$  is the area above the single point  $a$ , and hence is zero.
- $A(b) = A$       The area under the curve from  $a$  to  $b$  is  $A$ .

The formula  $A'(x) = f(x)$  states that  $A(x)$  is an antiderivative of  $f(x)$ , which implies that every other antiderivative of  $f(x)$  can be obtained by adding a constant to  $A(x)$ . Accordingly, let

$$F(x) = A(x) + C$$

be any antiderivative of  $f(x)$ , and consider what happens when we subtract  $F(a)$  from  $F(b)$ . We obtain

$$F(b) - F(a) = [A(b) + C] - [A(a) + C] = A(b) - A(a) = A - 0 = A$$

and hence (1) can be expressed as

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = F(b) - F(a)$$

In words, this equation states that the definite integral can be evaluated by finding any antiderivative of the integrand and then subtracting the value of this antiderivative at the lower limit of integration from its value at the upper limit of integration. Although we derived this result subject to the assumption that  $f$  is nonnegative on  $[a, b]$ , this assumption is not essential, as we will prove in the following theorem, which is the main tool used to evaluate definite integrals.

**7.6.1 THEOREM** (*The Fundamental Theorem of Calculus, Part 1*). If  $f$  is continuous on  $[a, b]$ , and if  $F$  is any antiderivative of  $f$  on  $[a, b]$ , then

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = F(b) - F(a) \quad (2)$$

**Proof.** Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{n-1}$  be any points in  $[a, b]$  such that

$$a < x_1 < x_2 < \dots < x_{n-1} < b$$

These points divide  $[a, b]$  into  $n$  subintervals

$$[a, x_1], [x_1, x_2], \dots, [x_{n-1}, b] \quad (3)$$

whose lengths, as usual, we denote by

$$\Delta x_1, \Delta x_2, \dots, \Delta x_n$$

By hypothesis,  $F'(x) = f(x)$  for all  $x$  in  $[a, b]$ , so  $F$  satisfies the hypotheses of the Mean-Value Theorem (6.5.2) on each subinterval in (3). Hence, we can find points  $x_1^*, x_2^*, \dots, x_n^*$  in the respective subintervals in (3) such that

$$\begin{aligned} F(x_1) - F(a) &= F'(x_1^*)(x_1 - a) = f(x_1^*)\Delta x_1 \\ F(x_2) - F(x_1) &= F'(x_2^*)(x_2 - x_1) = f(x_2^*)\Delta x_2 \\ F(x_3) - F(x_2) &= F'(x_3^*)(x_3 - x_2) = f(x_3^*)\Delta x_3 \\ &\vdots \\ F(b) - F(x_{n-1}) &= F'(x_n^*)(b - x_{n-1}) = f(x_n^*)\Delta x_n \end{aligned}$$

Adding the preceding equations yields

$$F(b) - F(a) = \sum_{k=1}^n f(x_k^*)\Delta x_k \quad (4)$$

Let us now increase  $n$  in such a way that  $\max \Delta x_k \rightarrow 0$ . Since  $f$  is assumed to be continuous,

the right side of (4) approaches  $\int_a^b f(x) dx$ , by Theorem 7.5.8(a) and Formula (7) of Section 7.5. However, the left side of (4) is a constant that is independent of  $n$ ; thus,

$$F(b) - F(a) = \lim_{\max \Delta x_k \rightarrow 0} \sum_{k=1}^n f(x_k^*) \Delta x_k = \int_a^b f(x) dx$$

It is standard to denote the difference  $F(b) - F(a)$  as

$$F(x)]_a^b = F(b) - F(a) \quad \text{or} \quad [F(x)]_a^b = F(b) - F(a)$$

For example, using the first of these notations we can express (2) as

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = F(x) \Big|_a^b \quad (5)$$

### Example 1

Evaluate  $\int_1^2 x dx$ .

**Solution.** The function  $F(x) = \frac{1}{2}x^2$  is an antiderivative of  $f(x) = x$ ; thus, from (2)

$$\int_1^2 x dx = \left. \frac{1}{2}x^2 \right|_1^2 = \frac{1}{2}(2)^2 - \frac{1}{2}(1)^2 = 2 - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{3}{2}$$

### Example 2

In Example 1 of the last section we approximated the area under the graph of  $y = 9 - x^2$  over the interval  $[0, 3]$  using left endpoint, right endpoint, and midpoint approximations, all of which produced an approximation of roughly 18 (square units); and in the remark following that example we stated without proof that the exact area  $A$  is 18 (square units). We can now confirm this using the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus as follows:

$$A = \int_0^3 (9 - x^2) dx = \left. 9x - \frac{x^3}{3} \right|_0^3 = \left( 27 - \frac{27}{3} \right) - 0 = 18$$

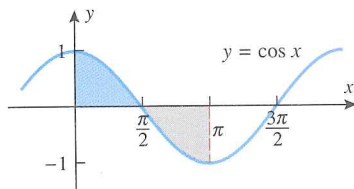


Figure 7.6.3

### Example 3

- (a) Find the area under the curve  $y = \cos x$  over the interval  $[0, \pi/2]$  (Figure 7.6.3).  
 (b) Make a conjecture about the value of the integral

$$\int_0^{\pi} \cos x dx$$

and confirm your conjecture using the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus.

**Solution (a).** Since  $\cos x \geq 0$  over the interval  $[0, \pi/2]$ , the area  $A$  under the curve is

$$A = \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos x dx = \left. \sin x \right|_0^{\pi/2} = \sin \frac{\pi}{2} - \sin 0 = 1$$

**Solution (b).** The given integral can be interpreted as the signed area between the graph of  $y = \cos x$  and the interval  $[0, \pi]$ . The graph in Figure 7.6.3 suggests that over the interval  $[0, \pi]$  the portion of area above the  $x$ -axis is the same as the portion of area below the  $x$ -axis, so we conjecture that the signed area is zero; this implies that the value of the integral is zero. This is confirmed by the computations

$$\int_0^{\pi} \cos x dx = \left. \sin x \right|_0^{\pi} = \sin \pi - \sin 0 = 0$$

**THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN DEFINITE AND INDEFINITE INTEGRALS**

Observe that in the preceding examples we did not include a constant of integration in the antiderivatives. In general, when applying the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus there is no need to include a constant of integration because it will drop out anyhow. To see that this is so, let  $F$  be any antiderivative of the integrand on  $[a, b]$ , and let  $C$  be any constant; then

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = F(x) + C \Big|_a^b = [F(b) + C] - [F(a) + C] = F(b) - F(a)$$

Thus, for purposes of evaluating a definite integral we can omit the constant of integration in

$$\int f(x) dx = F(x) + C$$

and express (5) as

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = \left[ \int f(x) dx \right]_a^b \quad (6)$$

which relates the definite and indefinite integrals.

**Example 4**

$$\int_1^9 \sqrt{x} dx = \int \sqrt{x} dx \Big|_1^9 = \int x^{1/2} dx \Big|_1^9 = \frac{2}{3} x^{3/2} \Big|_1^9 = \frac{2}{3} (27 - 1) = \frac{52}{3} \quad \blacktriangleleft$$

**REMARK.** Usually, we will dispense with the step of displaying the indefinite integral explicitly and write the antiderivative immediately, as in our first three examples.

**Example 5**

Table 7.2.1 will be helpful for the following computations.

$$\int_0^{\ln 3} 5e^x dx = 5 \int_0^{\ln 3} e^x dx = 5e^x \Big|_0^{\ln 3} = 5(e^{\ln 3} - e^0) = 5(3 - 1) = 10$$

$$\int_1^2 \frac{1}{x} dx = \ln|x| \Big|_1^2 = \ln|2| - \ln|1| = \ln 2 - \ln 1 = \ln 2$$

$$\int_{-2}^{-1} \frac{1}{x} dx = \ln|x| \Big|_{-2}^{-1} = \ln|-1| - \ln|-2| = \ln 1 - \ln 2 = -\ln 2$$

$$\int_{-\pi/4}^{\pi/4} \sec x \tan x dx = \sec x \Big|_{-\pi/4}^{\pi/4} = \sec\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) - \sec\left(-\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \frac{2}{\sqrt{2}} - \frac{2}{\sqrt{2}} = 0 \quad \blacktriangleleft$$

**WARNING.** The requirement in the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus that  $f$  be continuous on  $[a, b]$  is important to keep in mind, for if you attempt to apply this theorem in cases where the integrand is not continuous on the interval of integration, then you may obtain erroneous results. For example, the function  $f(x) = 1/x^2$  has a discontinuity at  $x = 0$ , so the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus cannot be used to integrate  $f$  on any interval that contains  $x = 0$ . However, if we ignore this and blindly apply the theorem over the interval  $[-1, 1]$ , we obtain

$$\int_{-1}^1 \frac{1}{x^2} dx = -\frac{1}{x} \Big|_{-1}^1 = -[1 - (-1)] = -2$$

which is clearly erroneous because  $f(x) = 1/x^2$  is a nonnegative function and hence cannot possibly produce a negative definite integral.

**FOR THE READER.** If you have a CAS, read the documentation on evaluating definite integrals, and then check the results in the preceding examples.

The Fundamental Theorem of Calculus can be applied without modification to definite integrals in which the lower limit of integration is greater than or equal to the upper limit of integration.

### Example 6

$$\int_1^1 x^2 dx = \left. \frac{x^3}{3} \right|_1^1 = \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{3} = 0$$

$$\int_4^0 x dx = \left. \frac{x^2}{2} \right|_4^0 = \left[ \frac{0}{2} - \frac{16}{2} \right] = -8$$

The latter result is consistent with the result that would be obtained by first reversing the limits of integration in accordance with Definition 7.5.3(b):

$$\int_4^0 x dx = - \int_0^4 x dx = - \left. \frac{x^2}{2} \right|_0^4 = - \left[ \frac{16}{2} - \frac{0}{2} \right] = -8$$

To integrate a continuous function that is defined piecewise on an interval  $[a, b]$ , split this interval into subintervals at the breakpoints of the function, and integrate separately over each subinterval in accordance with Theorem 7.5.5.

### Example 7

Evaluate  $\int_0^6 f(x) dx$  if

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2, & x < 2 \\ 3x - 2, & x \geq 2 \end{cases}$$

**Solution.** From Theorem 7.5.5

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^6 f(x) dx &= \int_0^2 f(x) dx + \int_2^6 f(x) dx = \int_0^2 x^2 dx + \int_2^6 (3x - 2) dx \\ &= \left. \frac{x^3}{3} \right|_0^2 + \left[ \frac{3x^2}{2} - 2x \right]_2^6 = \left( \frac{8}{3} - 0 \right) + (42 - 2) = \frac{128}{3} \end{aligned}$$

### Example 8

Evaluate  $\int_{-1}^2 |x| dx$ .

**Solution.** Since  $|x| = x$  when  $x \geq 0$  and  $|x| = -x$  when  $x \leq 0$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{-1}^2 |x| dx &= \int_{-1}^0 |x| dx + \int_0^2 |x| dx \\ &= \int_{-1}^0 (-x) dx + \int_0^2 x dx \\ &= - \left. \frac{x^2}{2} \right|_{-1}^0 + \left. \frac{x^2}{2} \right|_0^2 = \frac{1}{2} + 2 = \frac{5}{2} \end{aligned}$$

## DUMMY VARIABLES

To evaluate a definite integral using the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus, one needs to be able to find an antiderivative of the integrand; thus, it is important to know what kinds of functions have antiderivatives. It is our next objective to show that all continuous functions have antiderivatives, but to do this we will need some preliminary results.

Formula (6) shows that there is a close relationship between the integrals

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx \quad \text{and} \quad \int f(x) dx$$

However, the definite and indefinite integrals differ in some important ways. For one thing, the two integrals are different kinds of objects—the definite integral is a *number* (the signed area between the graph of  $y = f(x)$  and the interval  $[a, b]$ ), whereas the indefinite integral is a *function*, or more accurately a set of functions [the antiderivatives of  $f(x)$ ]. However, the two types of integrals also differ in the role played by the variable of integration. In an indefinite integral, the variable of integration is “passed through” to the antiderivative in the sense that integrating a function of  $x$  produces a function of  $x$ , integrating a function of  $t$  produces a function of  $t$ , and so forth. For example,

$$\int x^2 dx = \frac{x^3}{3} + C \quad \text{and} \quad \int t^2 dt = \frac{t^3}{3} + C$$

In contrast, the variable of integration in a definite integral is not passed through to the end result, since the end result is a number. Thus, integrating a function of  $x$  over an interval and integrating the same function of  $t$  over the same interval of integration produces the same value for the integral. For example,

$$\int_1^3 x^2 dx = \left. \frac{x^3}{3} \right|_{x=1}^3 = \frac{27}{3} - \frac{1}{3} = \frac{26}{3} \quad \text{and} \quad \int_1^3 t^2 dt = \left. \frac{t^3}{3} \right|_{t=1}^3 = \frac{27}{3} - \frac{1}{3} = \frac{26}{3}$$

However, this latter result should not be surprising, since the area under the graph of the curve  $y = f(x)$  over an interval  $[a, b]$  on the  $x$ -axis is the same as the area under the graph of the curve  $y = f(t)$  over the interval  $[a, b]$  on the  $t$ -axis (Figure 7.6.4).

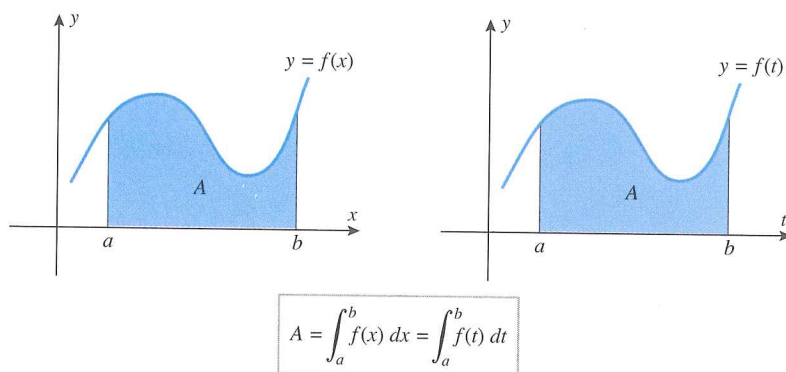


Figure 7.6.4

Because the variable of integration in a definite integral plays no role in the end result, it is often referred to as a *dummy variable*. In summary:

*Whenever you find it convenient to change the letter used for the variable of integration in a definite integral, you can do so without changing the value of the integral.*

### THE MEAN-VALUE THEOREM FOR INTEGRALS

To reach our goal of showing that continuous functions have antiderivatives, we will need to develop a basic property of definite integrals, known as the *Mean-Value Theorem for Integrals*. In the next section we will use this theorem to extend the familiar idea of “average value” so that it applies to continuous functions, but here we will need it as a tool for developing other results.

Let  $f$  be a continuous nonnegative function on  $[a, b]$ , and let  $m$  and  $M$  be the minimum and maximum values of  $f(x)$  on this interval. Consider the rectangle of heights  $m$  and  $M$

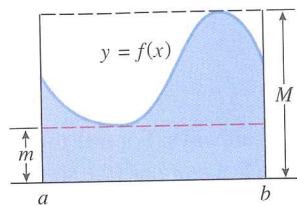


Figure 7.6.5

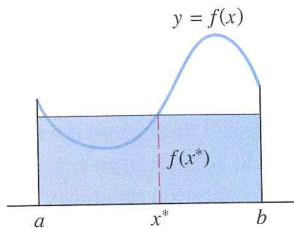


Figure 7.6.6

over the interval  $[a, b]$  (Figure 7.6.5). It is clear geometrically from this figure that the area

$$A = \int_a^b f(x) dx$$

under  $y = f(x)$  is at least as large as the area of the rectangle of height  $m$  and no larger than the area of the rectangle of height  $M$ . It seems reasonable, therefore, that there is a rectangle over the interval  $[a, b]$  of some appropriate height  $f(x^*)$  between  $m$  and  $M$  whose area is precisely  $A$ ; that is,

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = f(x^*)(b - a)$$

(Figure 7.6.6). This is a special case of the following result.

**7.6.2 THEOREM (The Mean-Value Theorem for Integrals).** *If  $f$  is continuous on a closed interval  $[a, b]$ , then there is at least one number  $x^*$  in  $[a, b]$  such that*

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = f(x^*)(b - a) \quad (7)$$

**Proof.** By the Extreme-Value Theorem (6.1.3),  $f$  assumes a maximum value  $M$  and a minimum value  $m$  on  $[a, b]$ . Thus, for all  $x$  in  $[a, b]$ ,

$$m \leq f(x) \leq M$$

and from Theorem 7.5.6(b)

$$\int_a^b m dx \leq \int_a^b f(x) dx \leq \int_a^b M dx$$

or

$$m(b - a) \leq \int_a^b f(x) dx \leq M(b - a) \quad (8)$$

or

$$m \leq \frac{1}{b - a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \leq M$$

This implies that

$$\frac{1}{b - a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \quad (9)$$

is a number between  $m$  and  $M$ , and since  $f(x)$  assumes the values  $m$  and  $M$  on  $[a, b]$ , it follows from the Intermediate-Value Theorem (2.4.8) that  $f(x)$  must assume the value (9) at some point  $x^*$  in  $[a, b]$ ; that is,

$$\frac{1}{b - a} \int_a^b f(x) dx = f(x^*) \quad \text{or} \quad \int_a^b f(x) dx = f(x^*)(b - a)$$

### Example 9

Since  $f(x) = x^2$  is continuous on the interval  $[1, 4]$ , the Mean-Value Theorem for Integrals guarantees that there is a number  $x^*$  in  $[1, 4]$  such that

$$\int_1^4 x^2 dx = f(x^*)(4 - 1) = (x^*)^2(4 - 1) = 3(x^*)^2$$

But

$$\int_1^4 x^2 dx = \left. \frac{x^3}{3} \right|_1^4 = 21$$

so that

$$3(x^*)^2 = 21 \quad \text{or} \quad (x^*)^2 = 7 \quad \text{or} \quad x^* = \pm\sqrt{7}$$

Thus,  $x^* = \sqrt{7} \approx 2.65$  is the number in the interval  $[1, 4]$  whose existence is guaranteed by the Mean-Value Theorem for Integrals. ◀

**PART 2 OF THE FUNDAMENTAL THEOREM OF CALCULUS**

In Section 7.1 we gave an informal argument to show that if  $f$  is continuous and nonnegative on  $[a, b]$ , and if  $A(x)$  is the area under the graph of  $y = f(x)$  over the interval  $[a, x]$  (Figure 7.6.2), then  $A'(x) = f(x)$ . But  $A(x)$  can be expressed as the definite integral

$$A(x) = \int_a^x f(t) dt$$

(where we have used  $t$  rather than  $x$  as the variable of integration to avoid a conflict with the  $x$  that appears as the upper limit of integration). Thus, the relationship  $A'(x) = f(x)$  can be expressed as

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left[ \int_a^x f(t) dt \right] = f(x)$$

This is a special case of the following more general result, which applies even if  $f$  has negative values.

**7.6.3 THEOREM (The Fundamental Theorem of Calculus, Part 2).** *If  $f$  is continuous on an interval  $I$ , then  $f$  has an antiderivative on  $I$ . In particular, if  $a$  is any point in  $I$ , then the function  $F$  defined by*

$$F(x) = \int_a^x f(t) dt$$

*is an antiderivative of  $f$  on  $I$ ; that is,  $F'(x) = f(x)$  for each  $x$  in  $I$ , or in an alternative notation*

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left[ \int_a^x f(t) dt \right] = f(x) \quad (10)$$

**Proof.** We will show first that  $F(x)$  is defined at each point  $x$  in the interval  $I$ . If  $x > a$  and  $x$  is in the interval  $I$ , then Theorem 7.5.8(a) applied to the interval  $[a, x]$  and the continuity of  $f$  on  $I$  ensures that  $F(x)$  is defined; and if  $x$  is in the interval  $I$  and  $x \leq a$ , then Definition 7.5.3(b) combined with Theorem 7.5.8(a) ensures that  $F(x)$  is defined. Thus,  $F(x)$  is defined for all  $x$  in  $I$ .

Next we will show that  $F'(x) = f(x)$  for each  $x$  in the interval  $I$ . If  $x$  is not an endpoint of  $I$ , then it follows from the definition of a derivative that

$$\begin{aligned} F'(x) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{F(x+h) - F(x)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{h} \left[ \int_a^{x+h} f(t) dt - \int_a^x f(t) dt \right] \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{h} \left[ \int_a^{x+h} f(t) dt + \int_x^a f(t) dt \right] \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{h} \int_x^{x+h} f(t) dt \quad \text{Theorem 7.5.5} \end{aligned}$$

Applying the Mean-Value Theorem for Integrals (7.6.2) to the last expression, we obtain

$$F'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{h} [f(t^*) \cdot h] = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(t^*) \quad (11)$$

where  $t^*$  is some number between  $x$  and  $x + h$ . Because  $t^*$  is between  $x$  and  $x + h$ , it follows that  $t^* \rightarrow x$  as  $h \rightarrow 0$ . Thus,  $f(t^*) \rightarrow f(x)$  as  $h \rightarrow 0$ , since  $f$  is assumed continuous at  $x$ . Therefore, it follows from (11) that  $F'(x) = f(x)$ . If  $x$  is an endpoint of the interval  $I$ , then the two-sided limits in the proof must be replaced by the appropriate one-sided limits, but otherwise the arguments are identical. ■

In words, Formula (10) states:

*If a definite integral has a variable upper limit of integration and a continuous integrand, then the derivative of the integral with respect to its upper limit is equal to the integrand evaluated at the upper limit.*

### Example 10

Find

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left[ \int_1^x t^3 dt \right]$$

by applying Part 2 of the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus, and then confirm the result by performing the integration and then differentiating.

**Solution.** The integrand is a continuous function, so from (10)

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left[ \int_1^x t^3 dt \right] = x^3$$

Alternatively, evaluating the integral and then differentiating yields

$$\int_1^x t^3 dt = \left. \frac{t^4}{4} \right|_{t=1}^x = \frac{x^4}{4} - \frac{1}{4}, \quad \frac{d}{dx} \left[ \frac{x^4}{4} - \frac{1}{4} \right] = x^3$$

so the two methods for differentiating the integral agree. ◀

### Example 11

Since

$$f(x) = \frac{\sin x}{x}$$

is continuous on any interval that does not contain the origin, it follows from (10) that on the interval  $(0, +\infty)$  we have

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left[ \int_1^x \frac{\sin t}{t} dt \right] = \frac{\sin x}{x}$$

Unlike the preceding example, there is no way to evaluate the integral in terms of familiar functions, so Formula (10) provides the only simple method for finding the derivative. ◀

## DIFFERENTIATION AND INTEGRATION ARE INVERSE PROCESSES

The two parts of the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus, when taken together, tell us that differentiation and integration are inverse processes in the sense that each undoes the effect of the other. To see why this is so, note that Part 1 of the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus (7.6.1) implies that

$$\int_a^x f'(t) dt = f(x) - f(a)$$

which tells us that if the value of  $f(a)$  is known, then function  $f$  can be recovered from its derivative  $f'$  by integrating. Conversely, Part 2 of the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus

(7.6.3) states that

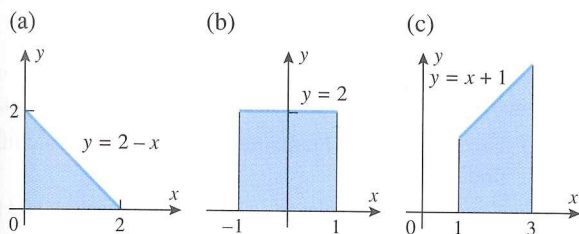
$$\frac{d}{dx} \left[ \int_a^x f(t) dt \right] = f(x)$$

which tells us that the function  $f$  can be recovered from its integral by differentiating. Thus, differentiation and integration can be viewed as inverse processes.

It is common to treat parts 1 and 2 of the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus as a single theorem, and refer to it simply as the *Fundamental Theorem of Calculus*. This theorem ranks as one of the greatest discoveries in the history of science, and its formulation by Newton and Leibniz is generally regarded to be the “discovery of calculus.”

**EXERCISE SET 7.6**  Graphing Calculator  CAS

1. In each part, use a definite integral to find the area of the region, and check your answer using an appropriate formula from geometry.



2. In each part, use a definite integral to find the area under the curve  $y = f(x)$  over the stated interval, and check your answer using an appropriate formula from geometry.

- (a)  $f(x) = x$ ;  $[0, 5]$   
 (b)  $f(x) = 5$ ;  $[3, 9]$   
 (c)  $f(x) = x + 3$ ;  $[-1, 2]$


In Exercises 3–8, find the area under the curve  $y = f(x)$  over the stated interval.


3.  $f(x) = x^3$ ;  $[2, 3]$       4.  $f(x) = x^4$ ;  $[-1, 1]$   
 5.  $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$ ;  $[1, 9]$       6.  $f(x) = x^{-3/5}$ ;  $[1, 4]$   
 7.  $f(x) = e^x$ ;  $[1, 3]$       8.  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x}$ ;  $[1, 5]$

In Exercises 9–24, evaluate the integrals using Part 1 of the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus.

9.  $\int_{-3}^0 (x^2 - 4x + 7) dx$       10.  $\int_{-1}^2 x(1 + x^3) dx$   
 11.  $\int_1^3 \frac{1}{x^2} dx$       12.  $\int_1^2 \frac{1}{x^6} dx$

13.  $\int_4^9 2x\sqrt{x} dx$       14.  $\int_1^8 (5x^{2/3} - 4x^{-2}) dx$   
 15.  $\int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \sin \theta d\theta$       16.  $\int_0^{\pi/4} \sec^2 \theta d\theta$   
 17.  $\int_{-\pi/4}^{\pi/4} \cos x dx$       18.  $\int_0^1 (x - \sec x \tan x) dx$   
 19.  $\int_{\ln 2}^3 5e^x dx$       20.  $\int_{1/2}^1 \frac{1}{2x} dx$   
 21.  $\int_1^4 \left( \frac{3}{\sqrt{t}} - 5\sqrt{t} - t^{-3/2} \right) dt$   
 22.  $\int_4^9 (4y^{-1/2} + 2y^{1/2} + y^{-5/2}) dy$   
 23.  $\int_{\pi/6}^{\pi/2} \left( x + \frac{2}{\sin^2 x} \right) dx$   
 24.  $\int_1^2 (x^{-1} + \sqrt{2}e^x - \csc x \cot x) dx$

-  25. For each of the integrals you evaluated in Exercises 9–24, use a CAS to check your answer. [Note: CAS programs have commands for evaluating definite integrals exactly or approximately. Use the exact evaluation here.]

-  26. Use a CAS to evaluate the integral

$$\int_a^{4a} (a^{1/2} - x^{1/2}) dx$$

and check the answer by hand.

In Exercises 27–29, use Theorem 7.5.5 to evaluate the given integrals.

27. (a)  $\int_0^2 |2x - 3| dx$       (b)  $\int_0^{3\pi/4} |\cos x| dx$   
 28. (a)  $\int_{-1}^2 \sqrt{2 + |x|} dx$       (b)  $\int_{-1}^1 |e^x - 1| dx$

29.  $\int_{-2}^3 f(x) dx$ , where  $f(x) = \begin{cases} -x, & x \geq 0 \\ x^2, & x < 0 \end{cases}$

- [c]** 30. CAS programs provide methods for entering functions that are defined piecewise. Check your documentation to see how this is done, and then use the CAS to evaluate

$$\int_0^4 f(x) dx, \quad \text{where } f(x) = \begin{cases} \sqrt{x}, & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ 1/x^2, & x \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

Check the answer by hand.

In Exercises 31–33, use a calculating utility to find the midpoint approximation of the integral using  $n = 20$  subintervals, and then find the exact value of the integral using Part 1 of the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus.

31.  $\int_1^3 \frac{1}{x^2} dx$       32.  $\int_0^{\pi/2} \sin x dx$       33.  $\int_1^3 \frac{1}{x} dx$

- [c]** 34. Compare the answers obtained by the midpoint rule in Exercises 31–33 to those obtained using the numerical (approximate) integration command of a CAS.

35. Find the area under the curve  $y = x^2 + 1$  over the interval  $[0, 3]$ . Make a sketch of the region.

36. Find the area that is above the  $x$ -axis, but below the curve  $y = (1 - x)(x - 2)$ . Make a sketch of the region.

37. Find the area under the curve  $y = 3 \sin x$  over the interval  $[0, 2\pi/3]$ . Sketch the region.

38. Find the area below the interval  $[-2, -1]$ , but above the curve  $y = x^3$ . Make a sketch of the region.

39. Find the total area between the curve  $y = x^2 - 3x - 10$  and the interval  $[-3, 8]$ . Make a sketch of the region. [Hint: Find the portion of area above the interval and the portion of area below the interval separately.]

- [c]** 40. (a) Use a graphing utility to generate the graph of

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{100}(x + 2)(x + 1)(x - 3)(x - 5)$$

and use the graph to make a conjecture about the sign of the integral

$$\int_{-2}^5 f(x) dx$$

(b) Check your conjecture by evaluating the integral.

41. (a) Let  $f$  be an odd function; that is,  $f(-x) = -f(x)$ . Invent a theorem that makes a statement about the value of an integral of the form

$$\int_{-a}^a f(x) dx$$

(b) Confirm that your theorem works for the integrals

$$\int_{-1}^1 x^3 dx \quad \text{and} \quad \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \sin x dx$$

(c) Let  $f$  be an even function; that is,  $f(-x) = f(x)$ . Invent a theorem that makes a statement about the rela-

tionship between the integrals

$$\int_{-a}^a f(x) dx \quad \text{and} \quad \int_0^a f(x) dx$$

(d) Confirm that your theorem works for the integrals

$$\int_{-1}^1 x^2 dx \quad \text{and} \quad \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \cos x dx$$

- [c]** 42. Use the theorem you invented in Exercise 41(a) to evaluate the integral

$$\int_{-5}^5 \frac{x^7 - x^5 + x}{x^4 + x^2 + 7} dx$$

and check your answer with a CAS.

43. Define  $F(x)$  by

$$F(x) = \int_1^x (t^3 + 1) dt$$

(a) Use Part 2 of the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus to find  $F'(x)$ .

(b) Check the result in part (a) by first integrating and then differentiating.

44. Define  $F(x)$  by

$$F(x) = \int_{\pi/4}^x \cos 2t dt$$

(a) Use Part 2 of the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus to find  $F'(x)$ .

(b) Check the result in part (a) by first integrating and then differentiating.

In Exercises 45–48, use Part 2 of the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus to find the derivative.

45. (a)  $\frac{d}{dx} \int_1^x \sin(\sqrt{t}) dt$       (b)  $\frac{d}{dx} \int_0^x e^{t^2} dt$

46. (a)  $\frac{d}{dx} \int_0^x \frac{dt}{1 + \sqrt{t}}$       (b)  $\frac{d}{dx} \int_1^x \ln t dt$

47.  $\frac{d}{dx} \int_x^0 \frac{t}{\cos t} dt$       [Hint: Use Definition 7.5.3(b).]

48.  $\frac{d}{du} \int_0^u |x| dx$

49. Let  $F(x) = \int_2^x \sqrt{3t^2 + 1} dt$ . Find

(a)  $F(2)$       (b)  $F'(2)$       (c)  $F''(2)$

50. Let  $F(x) = \int_0^x \frac{\cos t}{t^2 + 3} dt$ . Find

(a)  $F(0)$       (b)  $F'(0)$       (c)  $F''(0)$

51. Let  $F(x) = \int_0^x \frac{t - 3}{t^2 + 7} dt$  for  $-\infty < x < +\infty$ .

(a) Find the value of  $x$  where  $F$  attains its minimum value.

- (b) Find intervals over which  $F$  is only increasing or only decreasing.  
 (c) Find open intervals over which  $F$  is only concave up or only concave down.

**52.** Use the plotting and numerical integration commands of a CAS to generate the graph of the function  $F$  in Exercise 51 over the interval  $-20 \leq x \leq 20$ , and confirm that the graph is consistent with the results obtained in that exercise.

**53.** (a) Over what open interval does the formula

$$F(x) = \int_1^x \frac{dt}{t}$$

represent an antiderivative of  $f(x) = 1/x$ ?

(b) Find a point where the graph of  $F$  crosses the  $x$ -axis.

**54.** (a) Over what open interval does the formula

$$F(x) = \int_1^x \frac{1}{t^2 - 9} dt$$

represent an antiderivative of

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2 - 9}?$$

(b) Find a point where the graph of  $F$  crosses the  $x$ -axis.

In Exercises 55 and 56, find all values of  $x^*$  in the stated interval that satisfy Equation (7) in the Mean-Value Theorem for Integrals (7.6.2), and explain what these numbers represent.

**55.** (a)  $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$ ;  $[0, 9]$       (b)  $f(x) = 1/x$ ;  $[1, e]$

**56.** (a)  $f(x) = \sin x$ ;  $[-\pi, \pi]$       (b)  $f(x) = 1/x^2$ ;  $[1, 3]$

It was shown in the proof of the Mean-Value Theorem for Integrals that if  $f$  is continuous on  $[a, b]$ , and if  $m \leq f(x) \leq M$  on  $[a, b]$ , then

$$m(b-a) \leq \int_a^b f(x) dx \leq M(b-a)$$

[see (8)]. These inequalities make it possible to obtain bounds on the size of a definite integral from bounds on the size of its integrand. This is illustrated in Exercises 57–59.

**57.** Find the maximum and minimum values of  $\sqrt{x^3 + 2}$  for  $0 \leq x \leq 3$ , and use these values to find bounds on the value of the integral

$$\int_0^3 \sqrt{x^3 + 2} dx$$

**58.** Find values of  $m$  and  $M$  such that  $m \leq x \sin x \leq M$  for  $0 \leq x \leq \pi$ , and use these values to find bounds on the value of the integral

$$\int_0^\pi x \sin x dx$$

**59.** Show that

$$0 \leq \int_1^5 \ln x dx \leq 4 \ln 5$$

**60.** Prove:

(a)  $[cF(x)]_a^b = c[F(x)]_a^b$

(b)  $[F(x) + G(x)]_a^b = F(x)_a^b + G(x)_a^b$

(c)  $[F(x) - G(x)]_a^b = F(x)_a^b - G(x)_a^b$ .

## 7.7 RECTILINEAR MOTION REVISITED; AVERAGE VALUE

*In Section 6.3 we used the derivative to define the notions of instantaneous velocity and acceleration for a particle moving along a line. In this section we will resume the study of such motion using the tools of integration. We will also investigate the general problem of integrating a rate of change, and we will show how the definite integral can be used to define the average value of a continuous function. More applications of integration will be given in Chapter 8.*

### FINDING POSITION AND VELOCITY BY INTEGRATION

Recall from Definitions 6.3.1 and 6.3.2 that if  $s(t)$  is the position function of a particle moving on a coordinate line, then the instantaneous velocity and acceleration of the particle are given by the formulas

$$v(t) = s'(t) = \frac{ds}{dt} \quad \text{and} \quad a(t) = v'(t) = \frac{dv}{dt} = \frac{d^2s}{dt^2}$$

It follows from these formulas that  $s(t)$  is an antiderivative of  $v(t)$  and  $v(t)$  is an antideriva-

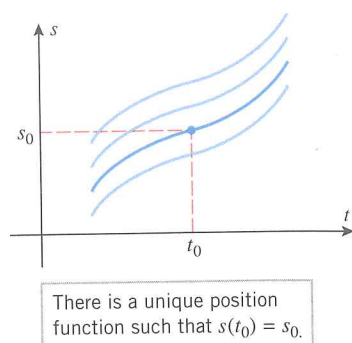


Figure 7.7.1

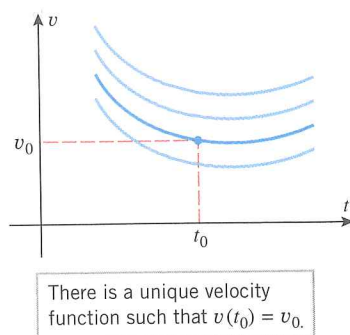


Figure 7.7.2

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tive of  $a(t)$ ; that is,

$$s(t) = \int v(t) dt \quad \text{and} \quad v(t) = \int a(t) dt \quad (1-2)$$

Thus, if the velocity of a particle is known, then its position function can be obtained from (1) by integration, provided there is sufficient additional information to determine the constant of integration. In particular, we can determine the constant of integration if we know the position  $s_0$  of the particle at some time  $t_0$ , since this information determines a unique antiderivative  $s(t)$  (Figure 7.7.1). Similarly, if the acceleration function of the particle is known, then its velocity function can be obtained from (2) by integration if we know the velocity  $v_0$  of the particle at some time  $t_0$  (Figure 7.7.2).

### Example 1

Find the position function of a particle that is moving with velocity  $v(t) = \cos \pi t$  along a coordinate line, assuming that the particle has coordinates  $s = 4$  at time  $t = 0$ .

**Solution.** The position function is

$$s(t) = \int v(t) dt = \int \cos \pi t dt = \frac{1}{\pi} \sin \pi t + C$$

Since  $s = 4$  when  $t = 0$ , it follows that

$$4 = s(0) = \frac{1}{\pi} \sin 0 + C = C$$

Thus,

$$s(t) = \frac{1}{\pi} \sin \pi t + 4$$

One of the most important cases of rectilinear motion occurs when a particle has constant acceleration. We call this *uniformly accelerated motion*.

We will show that if a particle moves with constant acceleration along an  $s$ -axis, and if the position and velocity of the particle are known at some point in time, say when  $t = 0$ , then it is possible to derive formulas for the position  $s(t)$  and the velocity  $v(t)$  at any time  $t$ . To see how this can be done, suppose that the particle has constant acceleration

$$a(t) = a \quad (3)$$

and

$$s = s_0 \quad \text{when} \quad t = 0 \quad (4)$$

$$v = v_0 \quad \text{when} \quad t = 0 \quad (5)$$

where  $s_0$  and  $v_0$  are known. We call (4) and (5) the *initial conditions* for the motion.

With (3) as a starting point, we can integrate  $a(t)$  to obtain  $v(t)$ , and we can integrate  $v(t)$  to obtain  $s(t)$ , using an initial condition in each case to determine the constant of integration. The computations are as follows:

$$v(t) = \int a(t) dt = \int a dt = at + C_1 \quad (6)$$

To determine the constant of integration  $C_1$  we apply initial condition (5) to this equation to obtain

$$v_0 = v(0) = a \cdot 0 + C_1 = C_1$$

Substituting this in (6) and putting the constant term first yields

$$v(t) = v_0 + at$$

Since  $v_0$  is constant, it follows that

$$s(t) = \int v(t) dt = \int (v_0 + at) dt = v_0 t + \frac{1}{2} at^2 + C_2 \quad (7)$$

To determine the constant  $C_2$  we apply initial condition (4) to this equation to obtain

$$s_0 = s(0) = v_0 \cdot 0 + \frac{1}{2}a \cdot 0 + C_2 = C_2$$

Substituting this in (7) and putting the constant term first yields

$$s(t) = s_0 + v_0 t + \frac{1}{2}at^2$$

In summary, we have the following result.

**7.7.1 UNIFORMLY ACCELERATED MOTION.** *If a particle moves with constant acceleration  $a$  along an  $s$ -axis, and if the position and velocity at time  $t = 0$  are  $s_0$  and  $v_0$ , respectively, then the position and velocity functions of the particle are*

$$s(t) = s_0 + v_0 t + \frac{1}{2}at^2 \quad (8)$$

$$v(t) = v_0 + at \quad (9)$$

**FOR THE READER.** How can you tell from the velocity versus time curve whether a particle moving along a line has uniformly accelerated motion?

### Example 2

Suppose that an intergalactic spacecraft uses a sail and the “solar wind” to produce a constant acceleration of  $0.032 \text{ m/s}^2$ . Assuming that the spacecraft has a velocity of  $10,000 \text{ m/s}$  when the sail is first raised, how far will the spacecraft travel in 1 hour, and what will its velocity be at that time?

**Solution.** In this problem the choice of a coordinate axis is at our discretion, so we will choose it to make the computations as simple as possible. Accordingly, let us introduce an  $s$ -axis whose positive direction is in the direction of motion, and let us take the origin to coincide with the position of the spacecraft at the time  $t = 0$  when the sail is raised. Thus, the Formulas (8) and (9) for uniformly accelerated motion apply with

$$s_0 = s(0) = 0, \quad v_0 = v(0) = 10,000, \quad \text{and} \quad a = 0.032$$

Since 1 hour corresponds to  $t = 3600 \text{ s}$ , it follows from (8) that in 1 hour the spacecraft travels a distance of

$$s(3600) = 10,000(3600) + \frac{1}{2}(0.032)(3600)^2 \approx 36,207,400 \text{ m}$$

and it follows from (9) that after 1 hour its velocity is

$$v(3600) = 10,000 + (0.032)(3600) \approx 10,115 \text{ m/s}$$

### Example 3

A bus has stopped to pick up riders, and a woman is running at a constant velocity of  $5 \text{ m/s}$  to catch it. When she is  $11 \text{ m}$  behind the front door the bus pulls away with a constant acceleration of  $1 \text{ m/s}^2$ . From that point in time, how long will it take for the woman to reach the front door of the bus if she keeps running with a velocity of  $5 \text{ m/s}$ ?

**Solution.** As shown in Figure 7.7.3, choose the  $s$ -axis so that the bus and the woman are moving in the positive direction, and the front door of the bus is at the origin at the time  $t = 0$  when the bus begins to pull away. To catch the bus at some later time  $t$ , the woman will have to cover a distance  $s_w(t)$  that is equal to  $11 \text{ m}$  plus the distance  $s_b(t)$  traveled by the bus; that is, the woman will catch the bus when

$$s_w(t) = s_b(t) + 11 \quad (10)$$

Since the woman has a constant velocity of  $5 \text{ m/s}$ , the distance she travels in  $t$  seconds is  $s_w(t) = 5t$ . Thus, (10) can be written as

$$s_b(t) = 5t - 11 \quad (11)$$

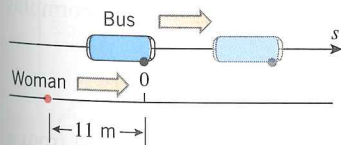


Figure 7.7.3

Since the bus has a constant acceleration of  $a = 1 \text{ m/s}^2$ , and since  $s_0 = v_0 = 0$  at time  $t = 0$  (why?), it follows from (8) that

$$s_b(t) = \frac{1}{2}t^2$$

Substituting this equation into (11) and reorganizing the terms yields the quadratic equation

$$\frac{1}{2}t^2 - 5t + 11 = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad t^2 - 10t + 22 = 0$$

Solving this equation for  $t$  using the quadratic formula yields two solutions:

$$t = 5 - \sqrt{3} \approx 3.3 \quad \text{and} \quad t = 5 + \sqrt{3} \approx 6.7$$

(verify). Thus, the woman can reach the door at two different times,  $t = 3.3 \text{ s}$  and  $t = 6.7 \text{ s}$ . The reason that there are two solutions can be explained as follows: When the woman first reaches the door, she is running faster than the bus and can run past it if the driver does not see her. However, as the bus speeds up, it eventually catches up to her, and she has another chance to flag it down. ◀

### THE FREE-FALL MODEL

In Section 6.3 we discussed the free-fall model of motion near the surface of the Earth with the promise that we would derive Formula (5) of that section later in the text; we will now show how to do this. As stated in 6.3.4 and illustrated in Figure 6.3.7, we will assume that the object moves on an  $s$ -axis whose origin is at the surface of the Earth and whose positive direction is up; and we will assume that the position and velocity of the object at time  $t = 0$  are  $s_0$  and  $v_0$ , respectively.

It is a fact of physics that a particle moving on a vertical line near the Earth's surface and subject only to the force of the Earth's gravity moves with constant acceleration. The magnitude of this constant, denoted by the letter  $g$ , is approximately  $9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$  or  $32 \text{ ft/s}^2$ , depending on whether distance is measured in meters or feet.\*

Recall that a particle is speeding up when its velocity and acceleration have the same sign and is slowing down when they have opposite signs. Thus, because we have chosen the positive direction to be up, it follows that the acceleration  $a(t)$  of a particle in free fall is negative for all values of  $t$ . To see that this is so, observe that an upward-moving particle (positive velocity) is slowing down, so its acceleration must be negative; and a downward-moving particle (negative velocity) is speeding up, so its acceleration must also be negative. Thus, we conclude that

$$a(t) = -g$$

and hence it follows from (8) and (9) that the position and velocity functions of an object in free fall are

$$s(t) = s_0 + v_0t - \frac{1}{2}gt^2 \tag{12}$$

$$v(t) = v_0 - gt \tag{13}$$

**FOR THE READER.** Had we chosen the positive direction of the  $s$ -axis to be down, then the acceleration would have been  $a(t) = g$  (why?). How would this have affected Formulas (12) and (13)?

#### Example 4

A ball is thrown directly upward with an initial velocity of  $49 \text{ m/s}$  and is released from a point that is  $8 \text{ m}$  above the ground. Assuming that the free-fall model applies, how high will the ball travel?

\* Strictly speaking, the constant  $g$  varies with the latitude and the distance from the Earth's center. However, for motion at a fixed latitude and near the surface of the Earth, the assumption of a constant  $g$  is satisfactory for many applications.

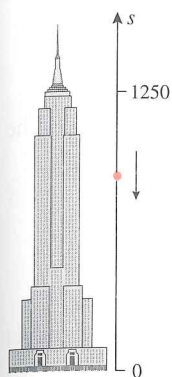


Figure 7.7.4

**Solution.** Since distance is in meters, we take  $g = 9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$ . Initially, we have  $s_0 = 8$  and  $v_0 = 49$ , so from (12) and (13)

$$v(t) = -9.8t + 49$$

$$s(t) = -4.9t^2 + 49t + 8$$

The ball will rise until  $v(t) = 0$ , that is, until  $-9.8t + 49 = 0$  or  $t = 5$ . At this instant the height above the ground will be

$$s(5) = -4.9(5)^2 + 49(5) + 8 = 130.5 \text{ m}$$

### Example 5

A penny is released from rest near the top of the Empire State Building at a point that is 1250 ft above the ground (Figure 7.7.4). Assuming that the free-fall model applies, how long does it take for the penny to hit the ground, and what is its speed at the time of impact?

**Solution.** Since distance is in feet, we take  $g = 32 \text{ ft/s}^2$ . Initially, we have  $s_0 = 1250$  and  $v_0 = 0$ , so from (12)

$$s(t) = -16t^2 + 1250 \tag{14}$$

Impact occurs when  $s(t) = 0$ . Solving this equation for  $t$ , we obtain

$$-16t^2 + 1250 = 0$$

$$t^2 = \frac{1250}{16} = \frac{625}{8}$$

$$t = \pm \frac{25}{\sqrt{8}} \approx \pm 8.8 \text{ s}$$

Since  $t \geq 0$ , we can discard the negative solution and conclude that it takes  $25/\sqrt{8} \approx 8.8 \text{ s}$  for the penny to hit the ground. To obtain the velocity at the time of impact, we substitute  $t = 25/\sqrt{8}$ ,  $v_0 = 0$ , and  $g = 32$  in (13) to obtain

$$v\left(\frac{25}{\sqrt{8}}\right) = 0 - 32\left(\frac{25}{\sqrt{8}}\right) = -200\sqrt{2} \approx -282.8 \text{ ft/s}$$

Thus, the speed at the time of impact is

$$\left|v\left(\frac{25}{\sqrt{8}}\right)\right| = 200\sqrt{2} \approx 282.8 \text{ ft/s}$$

which is more than 192 mi/h.

The Fundamental Theorem of Calculus

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = F(b) - F(a) \tag{15}$$

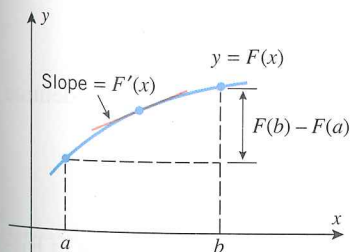
has a useful interpretation that can be seen by rewriting it in a slightly different form. Since  $F$  is an antiderivative of  $f$  on the interval  $[a, b]$ , we can use the relationship  $F'(x) = f(x)$  to rewrite (15) as

$$\int_a^b F'(x) dx = F(b) - F(a) \tag{16}$$

In this formula we can view  $F'(x)$  as the rate of change of  $F(x)$  with respect to  $x$ , and we can view  $F(b) - F(a)$  as the *change* in the value of  $F(x)$  as  $x$  increases from  $a$  to  $b$  (Figure 7.7.5). Thus, we have the following useful principle.

**7.7.2 INTEGRATING A RATE OF CHANGE.** Integrating the rate of change of  $F(x)$  with respect to  $x$  over an interval  $[a, b]$  produces the change in the value of  $F(x)$  that occurs as  $x$  increases from  $a$  to  $b$ .

## INTEGRATING RATES OF CHANGE



Integrating the slope of  $y = F(x)$  over the interval  $[a, b]$  produces the change  $F(b) - F(a)$  in the value of  $F(x)$ .

Figure 7.7.5

Here are some examples of this idea:

- If  $P(t)$  is a population (e.g., plants, animals, or people) at time  $t$ , then  $P'(t)$  is the rate at which the population is changing at time  $t$ , and

$$\int_{t_1}^{t_2} P'(t) dt = P(t_2) - P(t_1)$$

is the change in the population between times  $t_1$  and  $t_2$ .

- If  $A(t)$  is the area of an oil spill at time  $t$ , then  $A'(t)$  is the rate at which the area of the spill is changing at time  $t$ , and

$$\int_{t_1}^{t_2} A'(t) dt = A(t_2) - A(t_1)$$

is the change in the area of the spill between times  $t_1$  and  $t_2$ .

- If  $P'(x)$  is the marginal profit that results from producing and selling  $x$  units of a product (see Section 6.2), then

$$\int_{x_1}^{x_2} P'(x) dx = P(x_2) - P(x_1)$$

is the change in the profit that results when the production level increases from  $x_1$  units to  $x_2$  units.

#### DISPLACEMENT IN RECTILINEAR MOTION

As another application of (16), suppose that  $s(t)$  and  $v(t)$  are the position and velocity functions of a particle moving on a coordinate line. Since  $v(t)$  is the rate of change of  $s(t)$  with respect to  $t$ , it follows from the principle in 7.7.2 that integrating  $v(t)$  over an interval  $[t_0, t_1]$  will produce the change in the value of  $s(t)$  as  $t$  increases from  $t_0$  to  $t_1$ ; that is,

$$\int_{t_0}^{t_1} v(t) dt = \int_{t_0}^{t_1} s'(t) dt = s(t_1) - s(t_0) \quad (17)$$

The expression  $s(t_1) - s(t_0)$  in this formula is called the **displacement** or **change in position** of the particle over the time interval  $[t_0, t_1]$ . For a particle moving horizontally, the displacement is positive if the final position of the particle is to the right of its initial position, negative if it is to the left of its initial position, and zero if it coincides with the initial position (Figure 7.7.6).

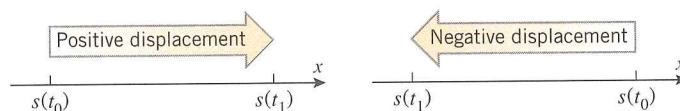


Figure 7.7.6

**REMARK.** In physical problems it is important to associate the correct units with definite integrals. In general, the units for the definite integral

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx$$

will be units of  $f(x)$  times units of  $x$ . This is because the definite integral is a limit of Riemann sums each of whose terms is a product of the form  $f(x) \cdot \Delta x$ . For example, if time is measured in seconds (s) and velocity is measured in meters per second (m/s), then integrating velocity over a time interval will produce a result whose units are in meters, since  $\text{m/s} \times \text{s} = \text{m}$ . Note that this is consistent with Formula (17), since displacement has units of length.

**DISTANCE TRAVELED IN  
RECTILINEAR MOTION**

In general, the displacement of a particle is not the same as the distance traveled by the particle. For example, a particle that travels 100 units in the positive direction and then 100 units in the negative direction travels a distance of 200 units but has a displacement of zero, since it returns to its starting point. The only case in which the displacement and the distance traveled are the same occurs when the particle moves in the positive direction without reversing the direction of its motion.

**FOR THE READER.** What is the relationship between the displacement of a particle and the distance it travels if the particle moves in the negative direction without reversing the direction of motion?

From (17), integrating the velocity function of a particle over a time interval yields the displacement of a particle over that time interval. In contrast, to find the *total distance* traveled by the particle over the time interval (the distance traveled in the positive direction plus the distance traveled in the negative direction), we must integrate the *absolute value* of the velocity function; that is, we must integrate the speed:

$$\left[ \begin{array}{l} \text{total distance} \\ \text{traveled during} \\ \text{time interval} \\ [t_0, t_1] \end{array} \right] = \int_{t_0}^{t_1} |v(t)| dt \quad (18)$$

**Example 6**

A particle moves on a coordinate line so that its velocity at time  $t$  is  $v(t) = t^2 - 2t$  m/s.

- Find the displacement of the particle during the time interval  $0 \leq t \leq 3$ .
- Find the distance traveled by the particle during the time interval  $0 \leq t \leq 3$ .

**Solution (a).** From (17) the displacement is

$$\int_0^3 v(t) dt = \int_0^3 (t^2 - 2t) dt = \left[ \frac{t^3}{3} - t^2 \right]_0^3 = 0$$

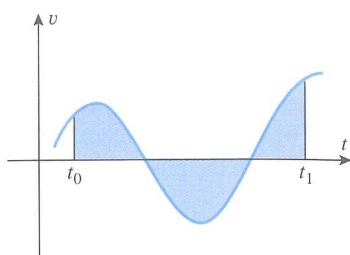
Thus, the particle is at the same position at time  $t = 3$  as at  $t = 0$ .

**Solution (b).** The velocity can be written as  $v(t) = t^2 - 2t = t(t - 2)$ , from which we see that  $v(t) \leq 0$  for  $0 \leq t \leq 2$  and  $v(t) \geq 0$  for  $2 \leq t \leq 3$ . Thus, it follows from (18) that the distance traveled is

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^3 |v(t)| dt &= \int_0^2 -v(t) dt + \int_2^3 v(t) dt \\ &= \int_0^2 -(t^2 - 2t) dt + \int_2^3 (t^2 - 2t) dt \\ &= -\left[ \frac{t^3}{3} - t^2 \right]_0^2 + \left[ \frac{t^3}{3} - t^2 \right]_2^3 = \frac{4}{3} + \frac{4}{3} = \frac{8}{3} \text{ m} \end{aligned}$$

**ANALYZING THE VELOCITY VERSUS  
TIME CURVE**

In Section 6.3 we showed how to use the position versus time curve to obtain information about the behavior of a particle moving on a coordinate line (Table 6.3.1). Similarly, there is valuable information that can be obtained from the *velocity versus time curve*. For example, the integral in (17) can be interpreted geometrically as the net signed area between the graph of  $v(t)$  and the interval  $[t_0, t_1]$ , and it can be interpreted physically as the displacement of the particle over this interval. Thus, we have the following result.



The net signed area is the displacement of the particle during the interval  $[t_0, t_1]$ .

Figure 7.7.7

**7.7.3 FINDING DISPLACEMENT FROM THE VELOCITY VERSUS TIME CURVE.** For a particle in rectilinear motion, the net signed area between the velocity versus time curve and an interval  $[t_0, t_1]$  on the  $t$ -axis represents the displacement of the particle over that time interval (Figure 7.7.7).

### Example 7

Figure 7.7.8 shows three velocity versus time curves for a particle in rectilinear motion along a horizontal line. In each case, find the displacement of the particle over the time interval  $0 \leq t \leq 4$ , and explain what it tells you about the motion of the particle.

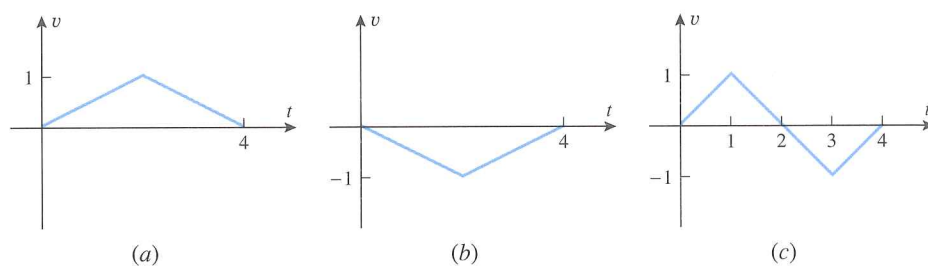


Figure 7.7.8

**Solution.** In part (a) of Figure 7.7.8 the net signed area under the curve is 2, so the particle is 2 units to the right of its starting point at the end of the time period. In part (b) the net signed area under the curve is  $-2$ , so the particle is 2 units to the left of its starting point at the end of the time period. In part (c) the net signed area under the curve is 0, so the particle is back at its starting point at the end of the time period. ◀

Sometimes we will not want the net signed area between a curve  $y = f(x)$  and an interval  $[a, b]$ , but rather the total area between the curve and the interval. This can be found by integrating  $|f(x)|$  rather than  $f(x)$  over the interval  $[a, b]$ .

### Example 8

Find the total area between the curve  $y = 1 - x^2$  and the  $x$ -axis over the interval  $[0, 2]$  (Figure 7.7.9).

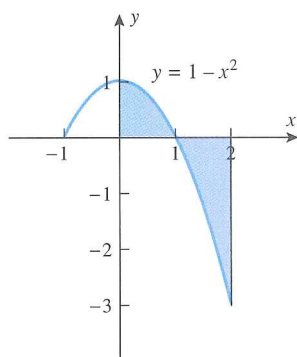


Figure 7.7.9

**Solution.** The area  $A$  is given by

$$\begin{aligned} A &= \int_0^2 |1 - x^2| dx = \int_0^1 (1 - x^2) dx + \int_1^2 -(1 - x^2) dx \\ &= \left[ x - \frac{x^3}{3} \right]_0^1 - \left[ x - \frac{x^3}{3} \right]_1^2 \\ &= \frac{2}{3} - \left( -\frac{4}{3} \right) = 2 \end{aligned}$$

From (18), integrating the speed  $|v(t)|$  over a time interval  $[t_0, t_1]$  produces the distance traveled by the particle during the time interval. However, we can also interpret the integral in (18) as the total area between the velocity versus time curve and the interval  $[t_0, t_1]$  on the  $t$ -axis. Thus, we have the following result.

**7.7.4 FINDING DISTANCE TRAVELED FROM THE VELOCITY VERSUS TIME CURVE.** For a particle in rectilinear motion, the total area between the velocity versus time curve and an interval  $[t_0, t_1]$  on the  $t$ -axis represents the distance traveled by the particle over that time interval.

**Example 9**

For each of the velocity versus time curves in Figure 7.7.8 find the total distance traveled by the particle over the time interval  $0 \leq t \leq 4$ .

**Solution.** In all three parts of Figure 7.7.8 the total area between the curve and the interval  $[0, 4]$  is 2, so the particle travels a distance of 2 units during the time period in all three cases, even though the displacement is different in each case, as discussed in Example 7. ◀

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**AVERAGE VALUE OF A CONTINUOUS FUNCTION**

In scientific work, numerical information is often summarized by computing some sort of *average* or *mean* value of the observed data. There are various kinds of averages, but the most common is the *arithmetic mean* or *arithmetic average*, which is formed by adding the data and dividing by the number of data points. Thus, the arithmetic average  $\bar{a}$  of  $n$  numbers  $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n$  is

$$\bar{a} = \frac{1}{n}(a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_n) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n a_k$$

In the case where the  $a_k$ 's are values of a function  $f$ , say,

$$a_1 = f(x_1), a_2 = f(x_2), \dots, a_n = f(x_n)$$

then the arithmetic average  $\bar{a}$  of these function values is

$$\bar{a} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n f(x_k)$$

We will now show how to extend this concept so that we can compute not only the arithmetic average of finitely many function values but an average of *all* values of  $f(x)$  as  $x$  varies over a closed interval  $[a, b]$ . For this purpose recall the Mean-Value Theorem for Integrals (7.6.2), which states that if  $f$  is continuous on the interval  $[a, b]$ , then there is at least one point  $x^*$  in this interval such that

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = f(x^*)(b - a)$$

The quantity

$$f(x^*) = \frac{1}{b - a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \quad (19)$$

will be our candidate for the average value of  $f$  over the interval  $[a, b]$ . To explain what motivates this, divide the interval  $[a, b]$  into  $n$  subintervals of equal length

$$\Delta x = \frac{b - a}{n} \quad (20)$$

and choose arbitrary points  $x_1^*, x_2^*, \dots, x_n^*$  in successive subintervals. Then the arithmetic average of the numbers  $f(x_1^*), f(x_2^*), \dots, f(x_n^*)$  is

$$\text{ave} = \frac{1}{n} [f(x_1^*) + f(x_2^*) + \dots + f(x_n^*)]$$

or from (20)

$$\text{ave} = \frac{1}{b - a} [f(x_1^*)\Delta x + f(x_2^*)\Delta x + \dots + f(x_n^*)\Delta x] = \frac{1}{b - a} \sum_{k=1}^n f(x_k^*)\Delta x$$

Taking the limit as  $n \rightarrow +\infty$  yields

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{1}{b - a} \sum_{k=1}^n f(x_k^*)\Delta x = \frac{1}{b - a} \int_a^b f(x) dx$$

Since this equation describes what happens when we compute the average of “more and more” values of  $f(x)$ , we are led to the following definition.

**7.7.5 DEFINITION.** If  $f$  is continuous on  $[a, b]$ , then the *average value* (or *mean value*) of  $f$  on  $[a, b]$  is defined to be

$$f_{\text{ave}} = \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx \quad (21)$$

**REMARK.** When  $f$  is nonnegative on  $[a, b]$ , the quantity  $f_{\text{ave}}$  has a simple geometric interpretation, which can be seen by writing (21) as

$$f_{\text{ave}} \cdot (b-a) = \int_a^b f(x) dx$$

The left side of this equation is the area of a rectangle with a height of  $f_{\text{ave}}$  and base of length  $b-a$ , and the right side is the area under  $y = f(x)$  over  $[a, b]$ . Thus,  $f_{\text{ave}}$  is the height of a rectangle constructed over the interval  $[a, b]$ , whose area is the same as the area under the graph of  $f$  over that interval (Figure 7.7.10). Note also that the Mean-Value Theorem, when expressed in form (21), ensures that there is always at least one point  $x^*$  in  $[a, b]$  at which the value of  $f$  is equal to the average value of  $f$  over the interval.

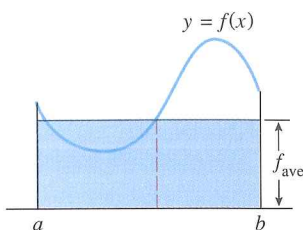


Figure 7.7.10

### Example 10

Find the average value of the function  $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$  over the interval  $[1, 4]$ , and find all points in the interval at which the value of  $f$  is the same as the average.

**Solution.**

$$\begin{aligned} f_{\text{ave}} &= \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx = \frac{1}{4-1} \int_1^4 \sqrt{x} dx = \frac{1}{3} \left[ \frac{2x^{3/2}}{3} \right]_1^4 \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \left[ \frac{16}{3} - \frac{2}{3} \right] = \frac{14}{9} \approx 1.6 \end{aligned}$$

The  $x$ -values at which  $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$  is the same as the average satisfy  $\sqrt{x} = 14/9$ , from which we obtain  $x = 196/81 \approx 2.4$  (Figure 7.7.11). ◀

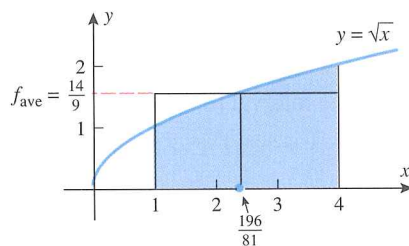


Figure 7.7.11

### AVERAGE VELOCITY REVISITED

In Section 3.1 we considered the motion of a particle moving in the *positive direction* along a coordinate line, and we motivated the concept of instantaneous velocity in that special case by viewing it as the limit of average velocities over smaller and smaller time intervals. That discussion led us to conclude that the average velocity of the particle over a time interval could be interpreted as the slope of a secant line and the instantaneous velocity as the slope of a tangent line to the position versus time curve (Figure 3.1.5). We will now show that the same results are true in the more general case where the particle can move in either direction along the coordinate line.

For this purpose, suppose that  $s(t)$  and  $v(t)$  are the position and velocity functions of such a particle, and let us use Formula (21) to calculate the average velocity of the particle over a time interval  $[t_0, t_1]$ . This yields

$$v_{\text{ave}} = \frac{1}{t_1 - t_0} \int_{t_0}^{t_1} v(t) dt = \frac{1}{t_1 - t_0} \int_{t_0}^{t_1} s'(t) dt = \frac{s(t_1) - s(t_0)}{t_1 - t_0}$$

Thus, *the average velocity over a time interval is the displacement divided by the elapsed time*. Geometrically, this is the slope of the secant line shown in Figure 7.7.12. Moreover, if we allow  $t_1$  to approach  $t_0$ , then the slopes of the secant lines approach the slope of the tangent line at  $t_0$ , which is the instantaneous velocity at that instant. Thus, the relationship between average and instantaneous velocity developed in Section 3.1 also applies to general rectilinear motion.

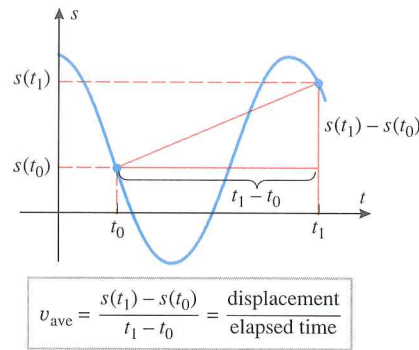


Figure 7.7.12

### EXERCISE SET 7.7

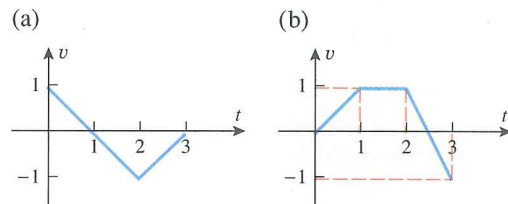


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- If  $h'(t)$  is the rate of change of a child's height measured in inches per year, what does the integral  $\int_0^{10} h'(t) dt$  represent, and what are its units?
  - If  $r'(t)$  is the rate of change of the radius of a spherical balloon measured in centimeters per second, what does the integral  $\int_1^2 r'(t) dt$  represent, and what are its units?
  - If  $H(t)$  is the rate of change of the speed of sound with respect to temperature measured in ft/s per  $^{\circ}\text{F}$ , what does the integral  $\int_{32}^{100} H(t) dt$  represent, and what are its units?
  - If  $v(t)$  is the velocity of a particle in rectilinear motion, measured in cm/h, what does the integral  $\int_{t_1}^{t_2} v(t) dt$  represent, and what are its units?
- Suppose that sludge is emptied into a river at the rate of  $V(t)$  gallons per minute, starting at time  $t = 0$ . Write an integral that represents the total volume of sludge that is emptied into the river during the first hour.
  - Suppose that the tangent line to a curve  $y = f(x)$  has slope  $m(x)$  at the point  $x$ . What does the integral  $\int_{x_1}^{x_2} m(x) dx$  represent?
- In each part, the velocity versus time curve is given for a particle moving along a line. Use the curve to find the displacement and the distance traveled by the particle over the time interval  $0 \leq t \leq 3$ .



- Sketch a velocity versus time curve for a particle that travels a distance of 5 units along a coordinate line during the time interval  $0 \leq t \leq 10$  and has a displacement of 0 units.
- The accompanying figure shows the acceleration versus time curve for a particle moving along a coordinate line. If the initial velocity of the particle is 20 m/s, estimate
  - the velocity at time  $t = 4$  s
  - the velocity at time  $t = 6$  s.

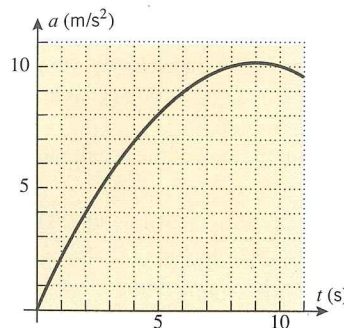


Figure Ex-5

6. Determine whether the particle in Exercise 5 is speeding up or slowing down at times  $t = 4$  s and  $t = 6$  s.

In Exercises 7–10, a particle moves along an  $s$ -axis. Use the given information to find the position function of the particle.

7. (a)  $v(t) = t^3 - 2t^2 + 1$ ;  $s(0) = 1$   
 (b)  $a(t) = 4 \cos 2t$ ;  $v(0) = -1$ ;  $s(0) = -3$
8. (a)  $v(t) = 1 + \sin t$ ;  $s(0) = -3$   
 (b)  $a(t) = t^2 - 3t + 1$ ;  $v(0) = 0$ ;  $s(0) = 0$
9. (a)  $v(t) = 2t - 3$ ;  $s(1) = 5$   
 (b)  $a(t) = \cos t$ ;  $v(\pi/2) = 2$ ;  $s(\pi/2) = 0$
10. (a)  $v(t) = t^{2/3}$ ;  $s(8) = 0$   
 (b)  $a(t) = \sqrt{t}$ ;  $v(4) = 1$ ;  $s(4) = -5$

In Exercises 11–14, a particle moves with a velocity of  $v(t)$  m/s along an  $s$ -axis. Find the displacement and the distance traveled by the particle during the given time interval.

11. (a)  $v(t) = \sin t$ ;  $0 \leq t \leq \pi/2$   
 (b)  $v(t) = \cos t$ ;  $\pi/2 \leq t \leq 2\pi$
12. (a)  $v(t) = 2t - 4$ ;  $0 \leq t \leq 6$   
 (b)  $v(t) = |t - 3|$ ;  $0 \leq t \leq 5$
13. (a)  $v(t) = t^3 - 3t^2 + 2t$ ;  $0 \leq t \leq 3$   
 (b)  $v(t) = e^t - 2$ ;  $0 \leq t \leq 3$
14. (a)  $v(t) = \frac{1}{2} - 1/t$ ;  $1 \leq t \leq 3$   
 (b)  $v(t) = 3/\sqrt{t}$ ;  $4 \leq t \leq 9$

In Exercises 15–18, a particle moves with acceleration  $a(t)$  m/s<sup>2</sup> along an  $s$ -axis and has velocity  $v_0$  m/s at time  $t = 0$ . Find the displacement and the distance traveled by the particle during the given time interval.

15.  $a(t) = -2$ ;  $v_0 = 3$ ;  $1 \leq t \leq 4$
16.  $a(t) = t - 2$ ;  $v_0 = 0$ ;  $1 \leq t \leq 5$
17.  $a(t) = 1/\sqrt{5t + 1}$ ;  $v_0 = 2$ ;  $0 \leq t \leq 3$
18.  $a(t) = \sin t$ ;  $v_0 = 1$ ;  $\pi/4 \leq t \leq \pi/2$
19. In each part use the given information to find the position, velocity, speed, and acceleration at time  $t = 1$ .  
 (a)  $v = \sin \frac{1}{2}\pi t$ ;  $s = 0$  when  $t = 0$   
 (b)  $a = -3t$ ;  $s = 1$  and  $v = 0$  when  $t = 0$
20. The accompanying figure shows the velocity versus time curve over the time interval  $1 \leq t \leq 5$  for a particle moving along a horizontal coordinate line.  
 (a) What can you say about the sign of the acceleration over the time interval?  
 (b) When is the particle speeding up? Slowing down?  
 (c) What can you say about the location of the particle at time  $t = 5$  relative to its location at time  $t = 1$ ? Explain your reasoning.

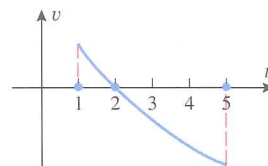


Figure Ex-20

In Exercises 21–24, sketch the curve and find the total area between the curve and the given interval on the  $x$ -axis.

21.  $y = x^2 - 1$ ;  $[0, 3]$       22.  $y = \sin x$ ;  $[0, 3\pi/2]$
23.  $y = e^x - 1$ ;  $[-1, 1]$       24.  $y = \frac{x-1}{x}$ ;  $[\frac{1}{2}, 2]$
25. Suppose that the velocity function of a particle moving along an  $s$ -axis is  $v(t) = 20t^2 - 100t + 50$  ft/s and that the particle is at the origin at time  $t = 0$ . Use a graphing utility to generate the graphs of  $s(t)$ ,  $v(t)$ , and  $a(t)$  for the first 6 s of motion.
26. Suppose that the acceleration function of a particle moving along an  $s$ -axis is  $a(t) = 4t - 30$  m/s and that the position and velocity at time  $t = 0$  are  $s_0 = -5$  m and  $v_0 = 3$  m/s. Use a graphing utility to generate the graphs of  $s(t)$ ,  $v(t)$ , and  $a(t)$  for the first 25 s of motion.
27. Let the velocity function for a particle that is at the origin initially and moves along an  $s$ -axis be  $v(t) = 0.5 - te^{-t}$ .  
 (a) Generate the velocity versus time curve, and use it to make a conjecture about the sign of the displacement over the time interval  $0 \leq t \leq 5$ .  
 (b) Use a CAS to find the displacement.
28. Let the velocity function for a particle that is at the origin initially and moves along an  $s$ -axis be  $v(t) = t \ln(t + 0.1)$ .  
 (a) Generate the velocity versus time curve, and use it to make a conjecture about the sign of the displacement over the time interval  $0 \leq t \leq 1$ .  
 (b) Use a CAS to find the displacement.
29. Suppose that at time  $t = 0$  a particle is at the origin of an  $x$ -axis and has a velocity of  $v_0 = 25$  cm/s. For the first 4 s thereafter it has no acceleration, and then it is acted on by a retarding force that produces a constant negative acceleration of  $a = -10$  cm/s<sup>2</sup>.  
 (a) Sketch the acceleration versus time curve over the interval  $0 \leq t \leq 12$ .  
 (b) Sketch the velocity versus time curve over the time interval  $0 \leq t \leq 12$ .  
 (c) Find the  $x$ -coordinate of the particle at times  $t = 8$  s and  $t = 12$  s.  
 (d) What is the maximum  $x$ -coordinate of the particle over the time interval  $0 \leq t \leq 12$ ?
30. Formulas (8) and (9) for uniformly accelerated motion can be rearranged in various useful ways. For simplicity, let  $s = s(t)$  and  $v = v(t)$ , and derive the following variations of those formulas.

$$(a) a = \frac{v^2 - v_0^2}{2(s - s_0)} \quad (b) t = \frac{2(s - s_0)}{v_0 + v}$$

$$(c) s = s_0 + vt - \frac{1}{2}at^2 \text{ [Note how this differs from (8).]}$$

Exercises 31–38 involve uniformly accelerated motion. In these exercises assume that the object is moving in the positive direction of a coordinate line, and apply Formulas (8) and (9) or those from Exercise 30, as appropriate. In some of these problems you will need the fact that  $88 \text{ ft/s} = 60 \text{ mi/h}$ .

31. (a) An automobile traveling on a straight road decelerates uniformly from 55 mi/h to 25 mi/h in 30 s. Find its acceleration in  $\text{ft/s}^2$ .  
 (b) A bicycle rider traveling on a straight path accelerates uniformly from rest to 30 km/h in 1 min. Find his acceleration in  $\text{km/s}^2$ .
32. A car traveling 60 mi/h along a straight road decelerates at a constant rate of  $10 \text{ ft/s}^2$ .  
 (a) How long will it take until the speed is 45 mi/h?  
 (b) How far will the car travel before coming to a stop?
33. Spotting a police car, you hit the brakes on your new Porsche to reduce your speed from 90 mi/h to 60 mi/h at a constant rate over a distance of 200 ft.  
 (a) Find the acceleration in  $\text{ft/s}^2$ .  
 (b) How long does it take for you to reduce your speed to 55 mi/h?  
 (c) At the acceleration obtained in part (a), how long would it take for you to bring your Porsche to a complete stop from 90 mi/h?
34. A particle moving along a straight line is accelerating at a constant rate of  $3 \text{ m/s}^2$ . Find the initial velocity if the particle moves 40 m in the first 4 s.
35. A motorcycle, starting from rest, speeds up with a constant acceleration of  $2.6 \text{ m/s}^2$ . After it has traveled 120 m, it slows down with a constant acceleration of  $-1.5 \text{ m/s}^2$  until it attains a speed of 12 m/s. What is the distance traveled by the motorcycle at that point?
36. A sprinter in a 100-m race explodes out of the starting block with an acceleration of  $4.0 \text{ m/s}^2$ , which she sustains for 2.0 s. Her acceleration then drops to zero for the rest of race.  
 (a) What is her time for the race?  
 (b) Make a graph of her distance from the starting block versus time.
37. A car that has stopped at a toll booth leaves the booth with a constant acceleration of  $2 \text{ ft/s}^2$ . At the time the car leaves the booth it is 5000 ft behind a truck traveling with a constant velocity of 50 ft/s. How long will it take for the car to catch the truck, and how far will the car be from the toll booth at that time?
38. In the final sprint of a rowing race the challenger is rowing at a constant speed of 12 m/s. At the point where the leader is 100 m from the finish line and the challenger is 15 m behind, the leader is rowing at 8 m/s but starts accelerating at a constant  $0.5 \text{ m/s}^2$ . Who wins?
- In Exercises 39–48, assume that a free-fall model applies. Solve these exercises by applying Formulas (12) and (13) or, if appropriate, use those from Exercise 30 with  $a = -g$ . In these exercises take  $g = 32 \text{ ft/s}^2$  or  $g = 9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$ , depending on the units.
39. A projectile is launched vertically upward from ground level with an initial velocity of 112 ft/s.  
 (a) Find the velocity at  $t = 3 \text{ s}$  and  $t = 5 \text{ s}$ .  
 (b) How high will the projectile rise?  
 (c) Find the speed of the projectile when it hits the ground.
40. A projectile fired downward from a height of 112 ft reaches the ground in 2 s. What is its initial velocity?
41. A projectile is fired vertically upward from ground level with an initial velocity of 16 ft/s.  
 (a) How long will it take for the projectile to hit the ground?  
 (b) How long will the projectile be moving upward?
42. A rock is dropped from the top of the Washington Monument, which is 555 ft high.  
 (a) How long will it take for the rock to hit the ground?  
 (b) What is the speed of the rock at impact?
43. A helicopter pilot drops a package when the helicopter is 200 ft above the ground and rising at a speed of 20 ft/s.  
 (a) How long will it take for the package to hit the ground?  
 (b) What will be its speed at impact?
44. A stone is thrown downward with an initial speed of 96 ft/s from a height of 112 ft.  
 (a) How long will it take for the stone to hit the ground?  
 (b) What will be its speed at impact?
45. A projectile is fired vertically upward with an initial velocity of 49 m/s from a tower 150 m high.  
 (a) How long will it take for the projectile to reach its maximum height?  
 (b) What is the maximum height?  
 (c) How long will it take for the projectile to pass its starting point on the way down?  
 (d) What is the velocity when it passes the starting point on the way down?  
 (e) How long will it take for the projectile to hit the ground?  
 (f) What will be its speed at impact?
46. A man drops a stone from a bridge. What is the height of the bridge if  
 (a) the stone hits the water 4 s later  
 (b) the sound of the splash reaches the man 4 s later? [Take 1080 ft/s as the speed of sound.]
47. In the final stages of a Moon landing, a lunar module fires its retrorockets and descends to a height of  $h = 5 \text{ m}$  above the lunar surface (Figure Ex-47). At that point the retrorockets are cut off, and the module goes into free fall. Given that the Moon's gravity is  $1/6$  of the Earth's, find the speed of the module when it touches the lunar surface.

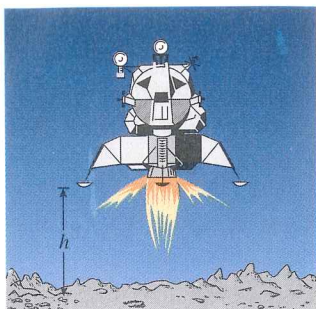


Figure Ex-47

48. Given that the Moon's gravity is  $1/6$  of the Earth's, how much faster would a projectile have to be launched upward from the surface of the Earth than from the surface of the Moon to reach a height of 1000 ft?

In Exercises 49–54, find the average value of the function over the given interval.

49.  $f(x) = 3x$ ;  $[1, 3]$       50.  $f(x) = x^2$ ;  $[-1, 2]$   
 51.  $f(x) = \sin x$ ;  $[0, \pi]$       52.  $f(x) = \cos x$ ;  $[0, \pi]$   
 53.  $f(x) = 1/x$ ;  $[1, e]$       54.  $f(x) = e^x$ ;  $[-1, \ln 5]$
55. (a) Find  $f_{\text{ave}}$  of  $f(x) = x^2$  over  $[0, 2]$ .  
 (b) Find a point  $x^*$  in  $[0, 2]$  such that  $f(x^*) = f_{\text{ave}}$ .  
 (c) Sketch the graph of  $f(x) = x^2$  over  $[0, 2]$  and construct a rectangle over the interval whose area is the same as the area under the graph of  $f$  over the interval.
56. (a) Find  $f_{\text{ave}}$  of  $f(x) = 2x$  over  $[0, 4]$ .  
 (b) Find a point  $x^*$  in  $[0, 4]$  such that  $f(x^*) = f_{\text{ave}}$ .  
 (c) Sketch the graph of  $f(x) = 2x$  over  $[0, 4]$  and construct a rectangle over the interval whose area is the same as the area under the graph of  $f$  over the interval.
57. (a) Suppose that the velocity function of a particle moving along a coordinate line is  $v(t) = 3t^3 + 2$ . Find the average velocity of the particle over the time interval  $1 \leq t \leq 4$  by integrating.  
 (b) Suppose that the position function of a particle moving along a coordinate line is  $s(t) = 6t^2 + t$ . Find the average velocity of the particle over the time interval  $1 \leq t \leq 4$  algebraically.
58. (a) Suppose that the acceleration function of a particle moving along a coordinate line is  $a(t) = t + 1$ . Find the average acceleration of the particle over the time interval  $0 \leq t \leq 5$  by integrating.  
 (b) Suppose that the velocity function of a particle moving along a coordinate line is  $v(t) = \cos t$ . Find the average acceleration of the particle over the time interval  $0 \leq t \leq \pi/4$  algebraically.
59. Water is run at a constant rate of  $1 \text{ ft}^3/\text{min}$  to fill a cylindrical tank of radius 3 ft and height 5 ft. Assuming that the tank is empty initially, make a conjecture about the average weight of the water in the tank over the time period required to fill

it, and then check your conjecture by integrating. [Take the weight density of water to be  $62.4 \text{ lb}/\text{ft}^3$ .]

60. (a) The temperature of a 10-m-long metal bar is  $15^\circ\text{C}$  at one end and  $30^\circ\text{C}$  at the other end. Assuming that the temperature increases linearly from the cooler end to the hotter end, what is the average temperature of the bar?  
 (b) Explain why there must be a point on the bar where the temperature is the same as the average, and find it.
61. (a) Suppose that a reservoir supplies water to an industrial park at a constant rate of  $r = 4$  gallons per minute (gal/min) between 8:30 A.M. and 9:00 A.M. How much water does the reservoir supply during that time period?  
 (b) Suppose that one of the industrial plants increases its water consumption between 9:00 A.M. and 10:00 A.M. and that the rate at which the reservoir supplies water increases linearly, as shown in the accompanying figure. How much water does the reservoir supply during that 1-hour time period?  
 (c) Suppose that from 10:00 A.M. to 12 noon the rate at which the reservoir supplies water is given by the formula  $r(t) = 10 + \sqrt{t}$  gal/min, where  $t = 0$  corresponds to 10:00 A.M. How much water does the reservoir supply during that 2-hour time period?

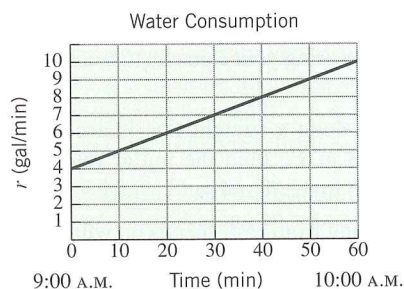


Figure Ex-61

62. A traffic engineer monitors the rate at which cars enter the main highway during the afternoon rush hour. From her data she estimates that between 4:30 P.M. and 5:30 P.M. the rate  $R(t)$  at which cars enter the highway is given by the formula  $R(t) = 100(1 - 0.0001t^2)$  cars per minute, where  $t = 0$  corresponds to 4:30 P.M.
- (a) When does the peak traffic flow into the highway occur?  
 (b) Find the number of cars that enter the highway during the rush hour.
63. (a) Prove: If  $f$  is continuous on  $[a, b]$ , then
- $$\int_a^b [f(x) - f_{\text{ave}}] dx = 0$$
- (b) Does there exist a constant  $c \neq f_{\text{ave}}$  such that
- $$\int_a^b [f(x) - c] dx = 0?$$

in the window  $[0, 100] \times [0, 0.2]$ , and use that graph and part (d) of Exercise 44 to make a rough estimate of the error in the approximation

$$e \approx \left(1 + \frac{1}{50}\right)^{50}$$

46. Prove: If  $f$  is continuous on an open interval  $I$  and  $a$  is any point in  $I$ , then

$$F(x) = \int_a^x f(t) dt$$

is continuous on  $I$ .

## SUPPLEMENTARY EXERCISES

- Write a paragraph that describes the *rectangle method* for defining the area under a curve  $y = f(x)$  over an interval  $[a, b]$ .
- What is an *integral curve* of a function  $f$ ? How are two integral curves of a function  $f$  related?
- The *definite integral* of  $f$  over the interval  $[a, b]$  is defined as the limit

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = \lim_{\max \Delta x_k \rightarrow 0} \sum_{k=1}^n f(x_k^*) \Delta x_k$$

Explain what the various symbols on the right side of this equation mean.

- State the two parts of the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus, and explain what is meant by the phrase "differentiation and integration are inverse processes."
- Derive the formulas for the position and velocity functions of a particle that moves with uniformly accelerated motion along a coordinate line.
- (a) Devise a procedure for finding upper and lower estimates of the area of the region in the accompanying figure (in  $\text{cm}^2$ ).  
(b) Use your procedure to find upper and lower estimates of the area.  
(c) Improve on the estimates you obtained in part (b).



Figure Ex-6

7. Suppose that

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^1 f(x) dx &= \frac{1}{2}, & \int_1^2 f(x) dx &= \frac{1}{4}, \\ \int_0^3 f(x) dx &= -1, & \int_0^1 g(x) dx &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

In each part, use this information to evaluate the given inte-

gral, if possible. If there is not enough information to evaluate the integral, then say so.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(a)} \int_0^2 f(x) dx & \quad \text{(b)} \int_1^3 f(x) dx & \quad \text{(c)} \int_2^3 5f(x) dx \\ \text{(d)} \int_1^0 g(x) dx & \quad \text{(e)} \int_0^1 g(2x) dx & \quad \text{(f)} \int_0^1 [g(x)]^2 dx \end{aligned}$$

8. In each part, use the information in Exercise 7 to evaluate the given integral. If there is not enough information to evaluate the integral, then say so.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(a)} \int_0^1 [f(x) + g(x)] dx & \quad \text{(b)} \int_0^1 f(x)g(x) dx \\ \text{(c)} \int_0^1 \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} dx & \quad \text{(d)} \int_0^1 [4g(x) - 3f(x)] dx \end{aligned}$$

9. In each part, evaluate the integral. Where appropriate, you may use a geometric formula.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(a)} \int_{-1}^1 1 + \sqrt{1-x^2} dx \\ \text{(b)} \int_0^3 (x\sqrt{x^2+1} - \sqrt{9-x^2}) dx \\ \text{(c)} \int_0^1 x\sqrt{1-x^4} dx \end{aligned}$$

10. Evaluate the integral  $\int_0^1 |2x-1| dx$ , and sketch the region whose area it represents.

11. One of the numbers  $\pi$ ,  $\pi/2$ ,  $35\pi/128$ ,  $1-\pi$  is the correct value of the integral

$$\int_0^\pi \sin^8 x dx$$

Use the accompanying graph of  $y = \sin^8 x$  and a logical process of elimination to find the correct value. [Do not attempt to evaluate the integral.]

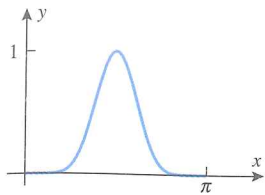


Figure Ex-11

12. Evaluate

$$\int \frac{e^{2x}}{e^x + 3} dx$$

[Hint: Divide  $e^x + 3$  into  $e^{2x}$ .]

13. Give a convincing geometric argument to show that

$$\int_1^e \ln x dx + \int_0^1 e^x dx = e$$

14. In each part, find the limit by interpreting it as a limit of Riemann sums in which the interval  $[0, 1]$  is divided into  $n$  subintervals of equal length.

(a) 
$$\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{\sqrt{1} + \sqrt{2} + \sqrt{3} + \cdots + \sqrt{n}}{n^{3/2}}$$

(b) 
$$\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{1^4 + 2^4 + 3^4 + \cdots + n^4}{n^5}$$

(c) 
$$\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{e^{1/n} + e^{2/n} + e^{3/n} + \cdots + e^{n/n}}{n}$$

15. (a) Divide the interval  $[1, 2]$  into 5 subintervals of equal length, and use appropriate Riemann sums to show that

$$0.2 \left[ \frac{1}{1.2} + \frac{1}{1.4} + \frac{1}{1.6} + \frac{1}{1.8} + \frac{1}{2.0} \right] < \ln 2$$

$$< 0.2 \left[ \frac{1}{1.0} + \frac{1}{1.2} + \frac{1}{1.4} + \frac{1}{1.6} + \frac{1}{1.8} \right]$$

- (b) Show that if the interval  $[1, 2]$  is divided into  $n$  subintervals of equal length, then

$$\sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{n+k} < \ln 2 < \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{1}{n+k}$$

- (c) Show that the difference between the two sums in part (b) is  $1/2n$ , and use this result to show that the sums in part (a) approximate  $\ln 2$  with an error of at most 0.1.
- (d) How large must  $n$  be to ensure that the sums in part (b) approximate  $\ln 2$  to three decimal places?
16. The accompanying figure shows the direction field for a differential equation  $dy/dx = f(x)$ . Which of the following functions is most likely to be  $f(x)$ ?

$$\sqrt{x}, \quad \sin x, \quad x^4, \quad x$$

Explain your reasoning.

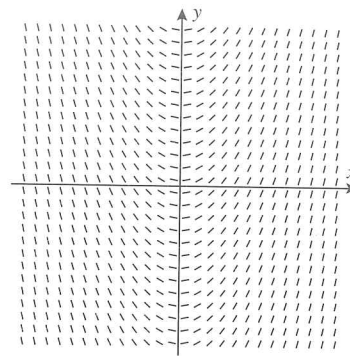


Figure Ex-16

17. In each part, confirm the stated equality.

(a)  $1 \cdot 2 + 2 \cdot 3 + \cdots + n(n+1) = \frac{1}{3}n(n+1)(n+2)$

(b) 
$$\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \left( \frac{9}{n} - \frac{k}{n^2} \right) = \frac{17}{2}$$

(c) 
$$\sum_{i=1}^3 \left( \sum_{j=1}^2 (i+j) \right) = 21$$

18. Express

$$\sum_{k=4}^{18} k(k-3)$$

in sigma notation with

(a)  $k = 0$  as the lower limit of summation

(b)  $k = 5$  as the lower limit of summation.

19. (a) Show that the substitutions  $u = \sec x$  and  $u = \tan x$  produce different values for the integral

$$\int \sec^2 x \tan x dx$$

(b) Explain why both are correct.

20. Use the two substitutions in Exercise 19 to evaluate the definite integral

$$\int_0^{\pi/4} \sec^2 x \tan x dx$$

and confirm that they produce the same result.

21. Evaluate the integral

$$\int \sqrt{1+x^{-2/3}} dx$$

by making the substitution  $u = 1 + x^{2/3}$ .

22. (a) Express Formula 8 of Section 7.5 in sigma notation.
- (b) If  $c_1, c_2, \dots, c_n$  are constants and  $f_1, f_2, \dots, f_n$  are integrable functions on  $[a, b]$ , do you think it is always true that

$$\int_a^b \left( \sum_{k=1}^n c_k f_k(x) \right) dx = \sum_{k=1}^n \left[ c_k \int_a^b f_k(x) dx \right]?$$

Explain your reasoning.

23. Find an integral formula for the antiderivative of  $1/(1+x^2)$  on the interval  $(-\infty, +\infty)$  whose value at  $x = 1$  is (a) 0 and (b) 2.

**C** 24. Let  $F(x) = \int_0^x \frac{t-3}{t^2+7} dt$ .

- (a) Find the intervals on which  $F$  is increasing. Decreasing.  
 (b) Find the open intervals on which  $F$  is concave up. Concave down.  
 (c) Find the  $x$ -values, if any, at which the function  $F$  has absolute extrema.  
 (d) Use a CAS to graph  $F$ , and confirm that the results in parts (a), (b), and (c) are consistent with the graph.

25. Prove that the function

$$F(x) = \int_0^x \frac{1}{1+t^2} dt + \int_0^{1/x} \frac{1}{1+t^2} dt$$

is constant on the interval  $(0, +\infty)$ .

26. What is the natural domain of the function

$$F(x) = \int_1^x \frac{1}{t^2-9} dt?$$

Explain your reasoning.

27. In each part, determine the values of  $x$  for which  $F(x)$  is positive, negative, or zero without performing the integration; explain your reasoning.

(a)  $F(x) = \int_1^x \frac{t^4}{t^2+3} dt$     (b)  $F(x) = \int_{-1}^x \sqrt{4-t^2} dt$

28. Find a formula (defined piecewise) for the upper boundary of the trapezoid shown in the accompanying figure, and then integrate that function to derive the formula for the area of the trapezoid given on the inside front cover of this text.

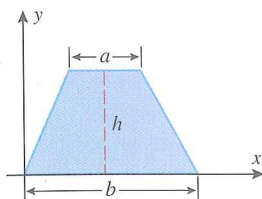


Figure Ex-28

- M** 29. An engineer studying the power consumption of a manufacturing plant determines that the plant's daily rate of electricity usage in kilowatts per hour (kW/h) can be reasonably modeled by the formula

$$R(t) = 2000e^{-t/48} + 500 \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{12}t\right) \quad (0 \leq t \leq 24)$$

- (a) How many kilowatts of electricity does the plant use in a 24-hour period?  
 (b) Find the average rate of electricity usage over the first 8 hours of operation.  
 (c) Generate the graph of  $R(t)$  over the first 8-hour period, and use it to make a rough estimate of the maximum

rate of electricity usage during that period and when it occurs.

- (d) Determine the maximum rate of electricity usage during the first 8-hour period to two decimal places.

30. Suppose that a tumor grows at the rate of  $r(t) = t/7$  grams (g) per week. When, during the second 26 weeks of growth, is the weight of the tumor the same as its average weight during that period?

31. The velocity of a particle moving along an  $s$ -axis is measured at 5-s intervals for 40 s, and the velocity function is modeled by a smooth curve drawn through the data points, as shown in the accompanying figure.

- (a) Does the particle have constant acceleration? Explain your reasoning.  
 (b) Is there any 15-s time interval during which the acceleration is constant? Explain your reasoning.  
 (c) Estimate the average velocity of the particle over the 40-s time period.  
 (d) Estimate the distance traveled by the particle from time  $t = 0$  to time  $t = 40$ .  
 (e) Is the particle ever slowing down during the 40-s time period? Explain your reasoning.  
 (f) Is there sufficient information for you to determine the  $s$ -coordinate of the particle at time  $t = 10$ ? If so, find it. If not, explain what additional information you need.

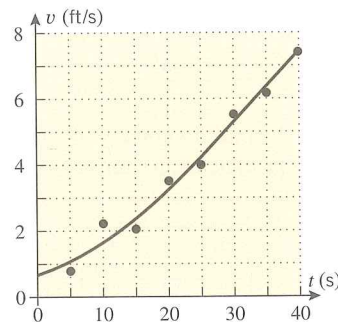


Figure Ex-31

32. Suppose that a particle moves along the  $x$ -axis so that its  $x$ -coordinate at time  $t$  is given by  $x = ae^{kt} + be^{-kt}$ .
- (a) Show that the acceleration is proportional to  $x$ .  
 (b) Assuming that the velocity of the particle at time  $t = 0$  is  $v_0$ , find a formula for the acceleration function in terms of  $a$ ,  $b$ ,  $x$ , and  $v_0$ .

In Exercises 33–42, evaluate the integrals by hand, and check your answers with a CAS if you have one.

33.  $\int \frac{\cos 3x}{\sqrt{5+2\sin 3x}} dx$

34.  $\int \frac{\sqrt{3+\sqrt{x}}}{\sqrt{x}} dx$

35.  $\int \frac{x^2}{(ax^3+b)^2} dx$

36.  $\int x \sec^2(ax^2) dx$

37.  $\int [\ln(e^x) + \ln(e^{-x})] dx$
38.  $\int_{-2}^{-1} \left( u^{-4} + 3u^{-2} - \frac{1}{u^5} \right) du$
39.  $\int_e^{e^2} \frac{dx}{x \ln x}$       40.  $\int_0^1 \frac{dx}{\sqrt{e^x}}$
41.  $\int_0^{\ln \sqrt{2}} \frac{1 + \cos(e^{-2x})}{e^{2x}} dx$       42.  $\int_0^1 \sin^2(\pi x) \cos(\pi x) dx$
43. Use a CAS to approximate the area of the region in the first quadrant that lies below the curve  $y = x + x^2 - x^3$  and above the  $x$ -axis.
44. In each part, use a CAS to solve the initial-value problem.
- (a)  $\frac{dy}{dx} = x^2 \cos 3x$ ;  $y(\pi/2) = -1$
- (b)  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{x^3}{(4 + x^2)^{3/2}}$ ;  $y(0) = -2$
45. In each part, use a CAS, where needed, to solve for  $k$ .
- (a)  $\int_1^k (x^3 - 2x - 1) dx = 0$ ,  $k > 1$
- (b)  $\int_0^k (x^2 + \sin 2x) dx = 3$ ,  $k \geq 0$
46. Use a CAS to approximate the largest and smallest values of the integral
- $$\int_{-1}^x \frac{t}{\sqrt{2+t^3}} dt$$
- for  $1 \leq x \leq 3$ .
47. The function  $J_0$  defined by
- $$J_0(x) = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^\pi \cos(x \sin t) dt$$
- is called the **Bessel function of order zero**.
- (a) Use a CAS to graph the equation  $y = J_0(x)$  over the interval  $0 \leq x \leq 8$ .
- (b) Find  $J_0(1)$ .
- (c) Find the smallest positive zero of  $J_0(x)$ .
48. Let  $A$  be the area under the curve  $y = x^2$  over the interval  $[0, 1]$ .
- (a) Find  $A$  by using Part 1 of the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus.
- (b) Find  $A$  by computing the limit of the left endpoint approximations by hand, and then find the limit using a CAS.
- (c) Find  $A$  by computing the limit of the right endpoint approximations by hand, and then find the limit using a CAS.
49. In number theory,  $\pi(n)$  denotes the number of prime numbers that are less than or equal to the positive integer  $n$ . For example, it can be shown with the help of a computer that  $\pi(100,000) = 9592$ ; that is, there are 9592 prime numbers that are less than or equal to 100,000. There are two useful approximations to  $\pi(n)$  that are appropriate for large values of  $n$ :
- $$\pi(n) \approx \frac{n}{\ln n} \quad \text{and} \quad \pi(n) \approx \int_2^n \frac{1}{\ln t} dt$$
- Use a CAS to determine which of these approximations produces the better estimate of  $\pi(100,000)$ .

## EXPANDING THE CALCULUS HORIZON



## Blammo the Human Cannonball

*Blammo the Human Cannonball will be fired from a cannon and hopes to land in a small net at the opposite end of the circus arena. Your job as Blammo's manager is to do the mathematical calculations that will allow Blammo to perform his death-defying act safely. The methods that you will use are from the field of **ballistics** (the study of projectile motion).*

### The Problem

Blammo's cannon has a **muzzle velocity** of 35 m/s, which means that Blammo will leave the muzzle with that velocity. The muzzle opening will be 5 m above the ground, and Blammo's