

MATHEMATICS 101 Section 201

Quiz #1, January 16, 2012

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For reference, you may need some or all of the following formulas

$$\sum_{i=1}^n i^2 = \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \quad \sum_{i=1}^n i^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6} \quad \sum_{i=1}^n i^3 = \frac{n^2(n+1)^2}{4}$$

- 1) (5 marks) By evaluating the limit of Riemann sums obtained by using n equal-length subintervals and right endpoints (i.e. R_n), evaluate $\int_1^3 (x^2 + 3x) dx$. No credit will be given for a solution that uses antidifferentiation.

Solution: By definition, we see that

$$\Delta x = \frac{3-1}{n} = \frac{2}{n} \quad x_i = 1 + \frac{2i}{n} \quad f(x) = x^2 + 3x$$

and so we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int_1^3 (x^2 + 3x) dx &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n f(x_i) \Delta x \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{2}{n} \left(\left(1 + \frac{2i}{n} \right)^2 + 3 \left(1 + \frac{2i}{n} \right) \right) \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{2}{n} \left(1 + \frac{4i}{n} + \frac{4i^2}{n^2} + 3 + \frac{6i}{n} \right) \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{2}{n} \left(4 + \frac{10i}{n} + \frac{4i^2}{n^2} \right) \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{8}{n} + \frac{20i}{n^2} + \frac{8i^2}{n^3} \right). \end{aligned}$$

Now, by the linearity of summations,

$$\int_1^3 (x^2 + 3x) dx = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{8}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n 1 + \frac{20}{n^2} \sum_{i=1}^n i + \frac{8}{n^3} \sum_{i=1}^n i^2$$

Using the formulas above,

$$\begin{aligned} \int_1^3 (x^2 + 3x) dx &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{8}{n}(n) + \frac{20}{n^2} \frac{n(n+1)}{2} + \frac{8}{n^3} \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6} \\ &= 8 + 10 + \frac{8}{3} = \frac{62}{3} \end{aligned}$$

completing the question. ■

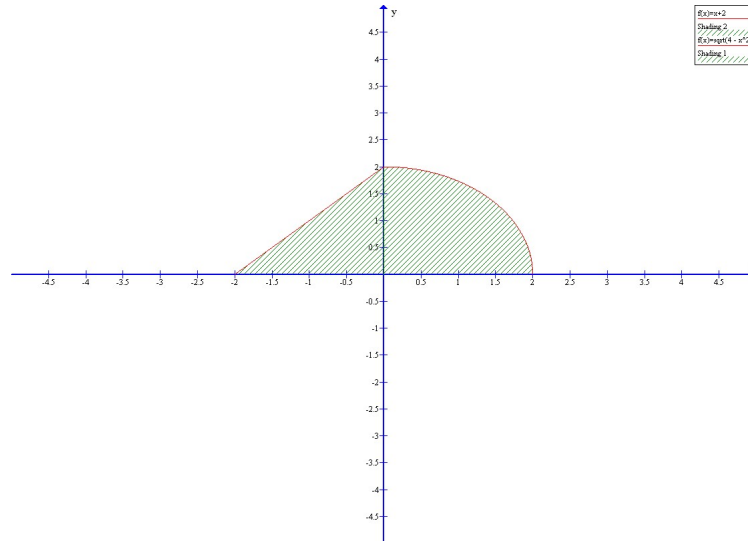
Marking scheme: 1 point for identifying the variables, 1 point for writing the sum, one point for breaking it down and correctly applying the formulas, 1 point for the limit, 1 point for the final arithmetic.

- 2) (3 marks) Evaluate

$$I = \int_{-2}^0 (x+2) dx + \int_0^2 \sqrt{4-x^2} dx$$

by interpreting it in terms of areas. In other words, draw a picture (both integrals on one diagram) of the region the integrals represent, and find the area using high-school geometry. *No credit will be given for a solution that uses antidifferentiation.*

Solution: By the diagram



we see that we have a triangle of area $0.5(2)(2) = 2$ and a quarter circle of area $0.25\pi(2)^2 = \pi$ and so the total area is $2 + \pi$ as required. ■

Marking scheme: 1 point for a complete diagram with shading, 1 point for the area of the triangle, 1 point for the area of the quarter circle and summarizing as a total area.

- 3) (2 marks) Suppose that $f(x)$ is continuous. Write the following integrals as a single integral of the form $\int_a^b f(x) dx$

$$\int_{-4}^2 f(x) dx + \int_2^7 f(x) dx - \int_{-4}^{-1} f(x) dx$$

Solution: Notice that

$$\int_{-4}^2 f(x) dx = \int_{-4}^{-1} f(x) dx + \int_{-1}^2 f(x) dx$$

and hence the above sum reduces to

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{-4}^2 f(x) dx + \int_2^7 f(x) dx - \int_{-4}^{-1} f(x) dx \\ &= \int_{-4}^{-1} f(x) dx + \int_{-1}^2 f(x) dx + \int_2^7 f(x) dx - \int_{-4}^{-1} f(x) dx \\ &= \int_{-1}^7 f(x) dx \end{aligned}$$

completing the proof. ■

Marking scheme: 2 points for a complete solution (partial credit can be given if reasonable progress is made).