

WW7 #9 Find $\lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} \left(\frac{3^t + 6^t}{3} \right)^{1/t}$ Week 11 Friday L04 11am 1

In $\left(\frac{3^t + 6^t}{3} \right)^{1/t}$ bring out 6^t :

$$= \left(\frac{6^t \left(\left(\frac{3}{6} \right)^t + 1 \right)}{3} \right)^{1/t} = (6^t)^{1/t} \left(\frac{\left(\frac{3}{6} \right)^t + 1}{3} \right)^{1/t} = 6 \left(\frac{\left(\frac{1}{2} \right)^t + 1}{3} \right)^{1/t}$$

As $t \rightarrow +\infty$, the term $\left(\frac{1}{2} \right)^t \rightarrow 0$. So $\frac{\left(\frac{1}{2} \right)^t + 1}{3} \rightarrow \frac{0+1}{3} = \frac{1}{3}$

Since $\frac{1}{t} \rightarrow 0$ and $\frac{\left(\frac{1}{2} \right)^t + 1}{3} \rightarrow \frac{1}{3}$, we have

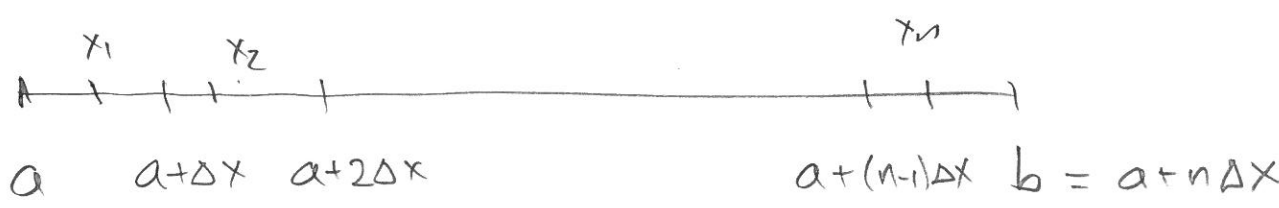
$$\left(\frac{\left(\frac{1}{2} \right)^t + 1}{3} \right)^{1/t} \rightarrow \left(\frac{1}{3} \right)^0 = 1$$

Conclude $\lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} \left(\frac{3^t + 6^t}{3} \right)^{1/t} = 6 \cdot 1 = 6$.

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Riemann Sums of a function with domain $a \leq x \leq b$.

Take integer n ,
divide interval
into n subintervals of length $\Delta x = \frac{b-a}{n}$.



Pick points x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n from the subintervals.

The sum $\Delta x \cdot f(x_1) + \Delta x f(x_2) + \dots + \Delta x f(x_n)$
is called a Riemann Sum. It is approximation for area.

If we choose x_i to be RIGHT endpoint, then RS is called Right Riemann Sum.

We can also choose left endpoint, midpoint, etc.

We use summation notation $\sum_{i=1}^n (\Delta x) f(x_i)$ shorthand for

If function is continuous. We can pick x_i^{\max} to be point the i th interval which gives function max, then "obviously" the RS

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \Delta x f(x_i^{\max}) \quad \text{"upper estimate"}$$

is larger than any other RS (with n subintervals)

We can also pick x_i^{\min} for min

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \Delta x f(x_i^{\min}) \quad \text{"lower estimate"}$$

We say a function f is integrable over interval $a \leq x \leq b$, if as $n \rightarrow \infty$, any Riemann sum $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n \Delta x f(x_i)$ has limit.

Example $f(x) = x^2$ interval $0 \leq x \leq b$.

For n , we get $\Delta x = \frac{b-0}{n} = \frac{b}{n}$



Since f is increasing left RS is underestimate -
right RS is overestimate

and any other RS with n subintervals is between the two.

$$\text{Left RS} = \Delta x f(0) + \Delta x f\left(\frac{b}{n}\right) + \Delta x f\left(2\left(\frac{b}{n}\right)\right) + \dots + \Delta x f\left((n-1)\left(\frac{b}{n}\right)\right)$$

$$= \Delta x \sum_{i=0}^{(n-1)} f\left(i\left(\frac{b}{n}\right)\right) = \Delta x \sum_{i=0}^{(n-1)} i^2 \left(\frac{b}{n}\right)^2 \quad f\left(i\left(\frac{b}{n}\right)\right) = i^2 \left(\frac{b}{n}\right)^2$$

$$= \left(\frac{b}{n}\right)^3 \cdot \left\{ \sum_{i=0}^{(n-1)} i^2 \right\} = \left(\frac{b}{n}\right)^3 \cdot \{ 0^2 + 1^2 + 2^2 + \dots + (n-1)^2 \}$$

$$\text{Similarly Right RS} = \Delta x \sum_{i=1}^n f\left(i\left(\frac{b}{n}\right)\right) = \left(\frac{b}{n}\right)^3 \{ 1^2 + 2^2 + \dots + (n-1)^2 + n^2 \}$$

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

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

So Left RS is $\left(\frac{b}{n}\right)^3 \cdot \frac{(n-1)n(2n-1)}{6} = \frac{b^3}{3} \cdot \frac{(1-\frac{1}{n}) \cdot 1 \cdot (2-\frac{1}{n})}{2}$

Right RS is $\left(\frac{b}{n}\right)^3 \cdot \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6} = \frac{b^3}{3} \cdot \frac{1 \cdot (1+\frac{1}{n}) \cdot (2+\frac{1}{n})}{2}$

As $n \rightarrow \infty$, the terms $\frac{(1-\frac{1}{n}) \cdot 1 \cdot (2-\frac{1}{n})}{2} \rightarrow 1$

as does $\frac{1 \cdot (1+\frac{1}{n}) \cdot (2+\frac{1}{n})}{2} \rightarrow 1$

Since other RS are trapped we see $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{b}{n}\right)^3 f(x_i) \rightarrow \frac{b^3}{3}$

So $f(x) = x^2$ on $0 \leq x \leq b$, is integrable and its

definite integral is $\frac{b^3}{3}$. We use notation $\int_a^b x^2 dx$

$$RS \quad \sum_{i=1}^n \Delta x \cdot f(x_i) = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 \frac{\Delta x}{n}$$

As $n \rightarrow \infty$, we change Δx to dx .

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \text{---} & x_i^2 & \text{---} & x^2 \\ \text{---} & \sum_{i=1}^n & \text{---} & \int_a^b \end{array}$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 \Delta x \longrightarrow \underline{\underline{\int_a^b x^2 dx}}$$

Originally areas and definite integral were "computed" in this fashion. (letting $n \rightarrow \infty$).

Fundamental Theorem of Calculus, shows how to compute definite integrals using antiderivatives.

Suppose f is increasing function on $a \leq x \leq b$.

Left RS underestimate

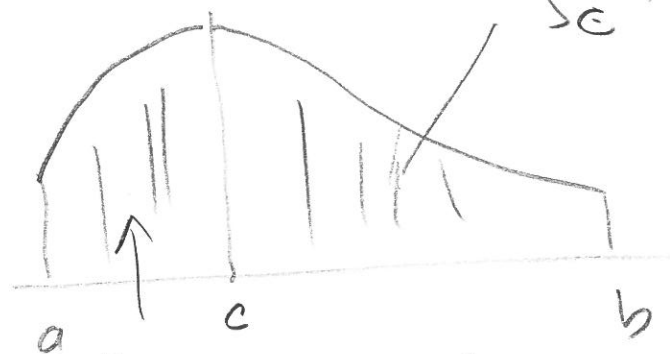
Right RS overestimate

$$(\text{Right RS} - \text{Left RS}) = (f(b) - f(a)) \cdot \Delta x \quad \Delta x = \frac{b-a}{n}$$

As $n \rightarrow \infty$, we see gap between Right RS and Left RS $\rightarrow 0$ so there is a limit. So $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n \Delta x f(x_i)$ exists.

Conclude Any function which is increasing is integrable
Same for decreasing functions

$\int_c^b f(x) dx$ exists because f decreases.



$\int_a^c f(x) dx$ exists because f increases