

November 10, 2025

Marine Corps Day

Today in History:

Sesame Street debuts (1969)

Edmund Fitzgerald sinks in Lake Superior (1975)

Number of the Day: 5356

5356 = $2 \times 2 \times 13 \times 103$

5356 is the 103rd triangular number.

Fun Fact:

Law in Helena Montana states women can't dance on a table unless she has on 3 pounds, 2 oz. of clothing.

Quote of the Day:

"If everyone is thinking alike, then somebody isn't thinking."

-George S. Patton

Today's Weather:

Windy with snow showers, high of 36°.

Math 121 - Quiz #37

Find

$$\int_1^3 \frac{x^2 + 1}{x^2} dx = \int_1^3 \left(\frac{x^2}{x^2} + \frac{1}{x^2} \right) dx$$

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

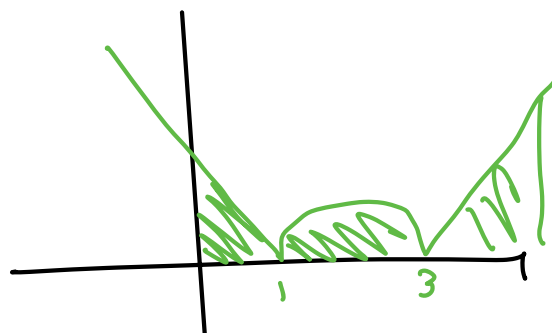
$$\left(3 - \frac{1}{3} \right) - \left(1 - 1 \right) = \frac{8}{3}$$

$$\int_0^5 |x^2 - 4x + 3| dx$$

$$y = x^2 - 4x + 3$$



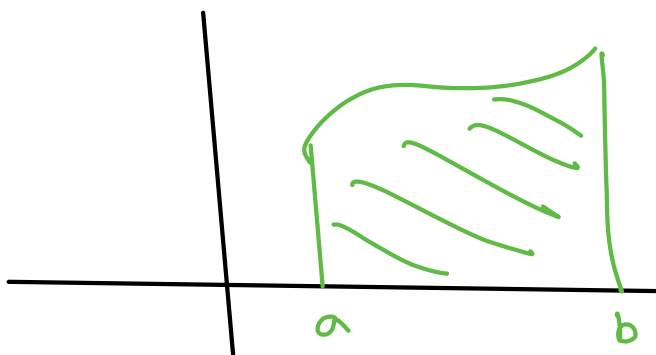
$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^1 |x^2 - 4x + 3| dx \\ & + \int_1^3 |x^2 - 4x + 3| dx \\ & + \int_3^5 |x^2 - 4x + 3| dx \end{aligned}$$



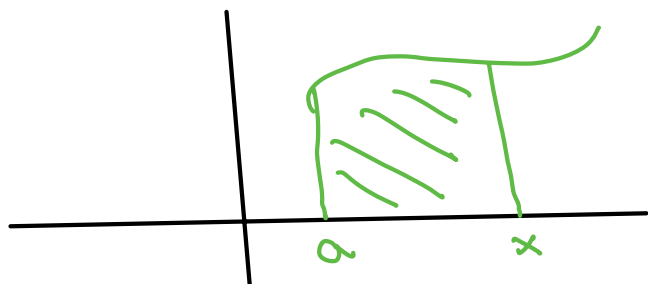
$$\int_0^1 (x^2 - 4x + 3) dx + \left| \int_1^3 (x^2 - 4x + 3) dx \right| + \int_3^5 (x^2 - 4x + 3) dx$$

$$\begin{aligned} \textcircled{5} \quad \int_3^5 \frac{6}{x^3} dx &= \int_3^5 6x^{-3} dx \\ &= 6 \frac{x^{-2}}{-2} = -3x^{-2} \Big|_3^5 \\ &= \frac{-3}{x^2} \Big|_3^5 = \frac{-3}{25} + \frac{3}{9} \end{aligned}$$

F.T.C. II



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



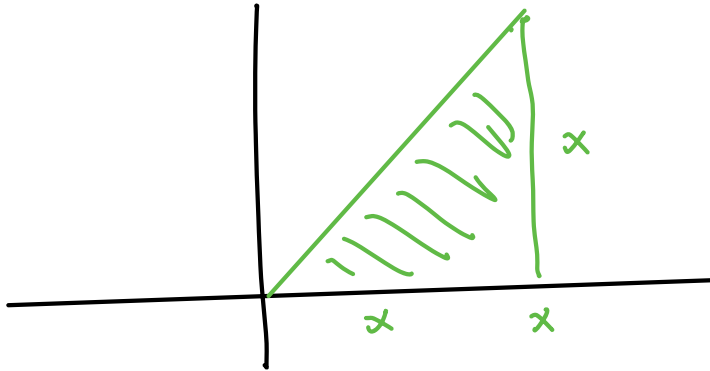
$$A(x) = \int_a^x f(t) dt$$

EXAMPLE

$$f(x) = x$$

$$a = 0$$

$$A(x) = \int_0^x t \, dt = \left. \frac{t^2}{2} \right|_0^x = \frac{x^2}{2}$$



$$A(1) = \int_0^1 t \, dt = \left. \frac{t^2}{2} \right|_0^1 = \frac{1}{2}$$

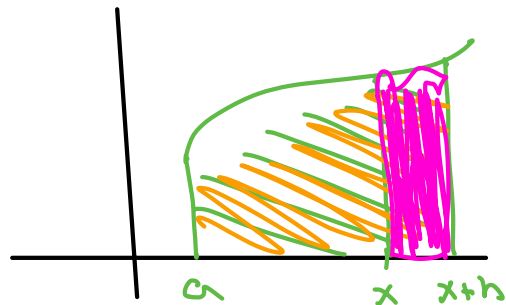
$$A(-1) = \int_{-1}^0 t \, dt = \left. \frac{t^2}{2} \right|_{-1}^0 = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$A(0) = \int_0^0 t \, dt = \left. \frac{t^2}{2} \right|_0^0 = 0$$

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

$$\frac{dA}{dx} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(A(x+h) - A(x))}{h}$$

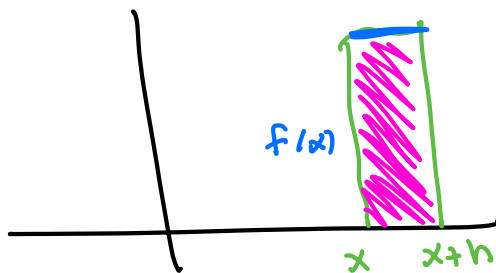
$$A(x+h) = \int_a^{x+h} f(t) \, dt =$$



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



$$A(x+h) - A(x) =$$



$$= b \cdot h$$

$$b = x+h-x = h$$

$$h = f(x)$$

$$A(x+h) - A(x) = h f(x)$$

$$\frac{dA}{dx} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{A(x+h) - A(x)}{h}$$

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

F.T.C. II

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

EXAMPLES

$$\textcircled{1} \quad A(x) = \int_1^x \sqrt{t^3 + 1} \, dt.$$

$$A'(x) = \sqrt{x^3 + 1}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad A(x) = \int_3^x \frac{t^3}{t^3 + 4t + 5} \, dt$$

$$A'(x) = \frac{x^3}{x^3 + 4x + 5}$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad \frac{d}{dx} \int_{-1}^x \frac{e^t}{\sin t + \cos t} \, dt = \frac{e^x}{\sin x + \cos x}$$

$$\textcircled{4} \quad \frac{d}{dx} \int_x^1 \frac{e^t}{\sin t + \cos t} \, dt = - \frac{e^x}{\sin x + \cos x}$$

$$\int_x^1 \frac{e^t}{\sin t + \cos t} \, dx = - \int_1^x \frac{e^t}{\sin t + \cos t} \, dt$$

$$\textcircled{5} \quad \frac{d}{dx} \left[\int_1^{e^x} \frac{\sin t}{\sin t + \cos t} \, dt \right]$$

$$= \frac{d}{dx} \left[-\cos t \Big|_1^{e^x} \right] = \frac{d}{dx} \left[-\cos e^x + \cos 1 \right]$$

$$= e^x \sin(e^x)$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left[\int_1^{e^x} \sin t \, dt \right] = e^x \cdot \sin(e^x)$$

↑
CHAIN RULE

$$\textcircled{6} \quad \frac{d}{dx} \left[\int_3^{\ln x} \frac{t^2}{t^3 + 1} \, dt \right] = \frac{(\ln x)^2}{(\ln x)^3 + 1} \cdot \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\textcircled{7} \quad \frac{d}{dx} \left[\int_{\underline{x^3}}^1 \tan(t^2) \, dt \right] = \underbrace{-\tan((x^3)^2)}_{\text{BOTTOM}} \cdot \underbrace{3x^2}_{\text{CHAIN RULE}}$$

$$\textcircled{8} \quad \frac{d}{dx} \left[\int_{\sin x}^{\cos x} \frac{t^2 + 5}{e^t} \, dt \right]$$

$$= \frac{\cos^2 x + 5}{e^{\cos x}} (-\sin x) - \frac{\sin^2 x + 5}{e^{\sin x}} \cdot (\cos x)$$

$$\textcircled{9} \quad \frac{d}{dx} \left[\int_5^{10} \frac{t^3 + e^t}{\ln t - \sec t} \, dt \right] = 0$$