Sigma Notation

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_i = a_1 + a_x + a_3 + \dots + a_n$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{5} 2i = 2(1) + 2(2) + 2(3) + 2(4) + 2(5)$$
$$= 2 + 4 + 6 + 8 + 10 = 30$$

$$\sum_{k=3}^{7} k^2 = 3^2 + 4^2 + 5^2 + 6^2 + 7^2$$
$$= 9 + 16 + 25 + 36 + 49 = 40$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{4} 5 = 5 + 5 + 5 + 5 = 4(5)$$

General ideas

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} c = n(c) \ (lower \ bound = 1)$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} k a_i = k \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_i$$

$$\sum (a_i \pm b_i) = \sum a_i \pm \sum b_i$$

Need to Know!!

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

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

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

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \frac{i^2}{n^3} = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \frac{1}{n^3} i^2$$

Couple the idea of summation with limits

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \sum_{i=1}^{n} \frac{i^{2}}{n^{3}} = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \frac{1}{n^{3}} i^{2}$$

Major ideas:

Factor out all of the constants

Separate all of our fractions

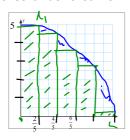
Techniques

$$\lim_{n\to\infty}\sum_{i=1}^{n}\frac{(i-1)^{2}}{\cdot n^{3}}$$

Area's

We are going to compare the area's of inscribed versus circumscribed polygons to determine the area under a curve

$$f(x) = -x^2 + 5$$

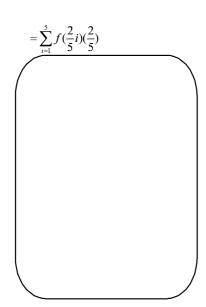


5 rectangles



6.48 is less than the area of the region

Area of Rectangles

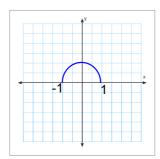


Let f be continuous and nonnegative on [a, b]. The area of the region bounded by the graph of f, the x-axis and the vertical lines x = a, x = b is

Area =
$$\lim_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{n=1}^{n} f(c_i) \Delta x$$

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

$$f(x) = 1 - x^2$$
, from [-1,1]
$$\Delta x = \frac{1 - (-1)}{n} = \frac{2}{n}$$



$$= \lim_{n \to \infty} f(c_i) \Delta x$$

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \sum_{i=1}^{n} (1 + \frac{2i}{n})^{3} (\frac{2}{n})$$

$$y = x^2 + 1, [0,3]$$
 Find the area

$$f(x) = x^2 + 4x$$
 Find area using midpoints and n=4