

## 4.2 Summations and Area

### Objective: You will be able to:

- use sigma notation to write and evaluate a sum
- use rectangles to approximate the area under a curve

(upper bound)

$$\sum_{i=1}^6 i + 2$$

index (lower bound)  
of summation

Sigma  
(Sum)

$$1+2 + \frac{2+2}{3+4} + \frac{3+2}{5+6} + \frac{4+2}{6+7} + \frac{5+2}{7+8} + \frac{6+2}{8}$$

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$$\sum_{x=1}^6 (x+2)$$

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Use sigma notation to write:

$$\frac{5}{1+1} + \frac{5}{1+2} + \frac{5}{1+3} + \dots + \frac{5}{1+15}$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{15} \frac{5}{1+x}$$

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$$\sum_{x=1}^{15} \left( \frac{5}{1+x} \right)$$

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Use sigma notation to write:

$$2(1) - 3 + 2(2) - 3 + 2(3) - 3 + \dots + 2(35) - 3$$

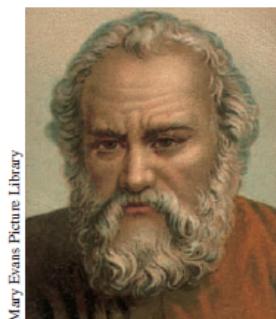
Use a calculator to evaluate the sum.

sum ( seq ( 2x - 3, x, 1, 35 ) )  
list, math list, ops

Newer version

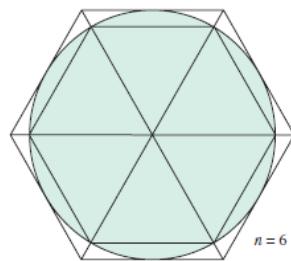
alpha F2

summation

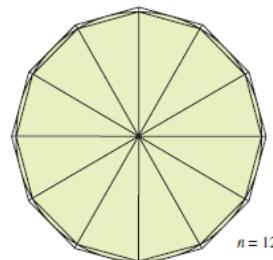


ARCHIMEDES (287–212 B.C.)

Archimedes used the method of exhaustion to derive formulas for the areas of ellipses, parabolic segments, and sectors of a spiral. He is considered to have been the greatest applied mathematician of antiquity.



$n=6$



$n=12$

The area under a curve can be approximated using summations.

<https://www.geogebra.org/m/H4v6Dk4Y>

change to this  $f(x)$   $n=5$   
 $8 - 0.25x^2$

Calculus the Musical: Without Riemann  
*Calculus in Motion:*



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Geometry in Calculus...

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

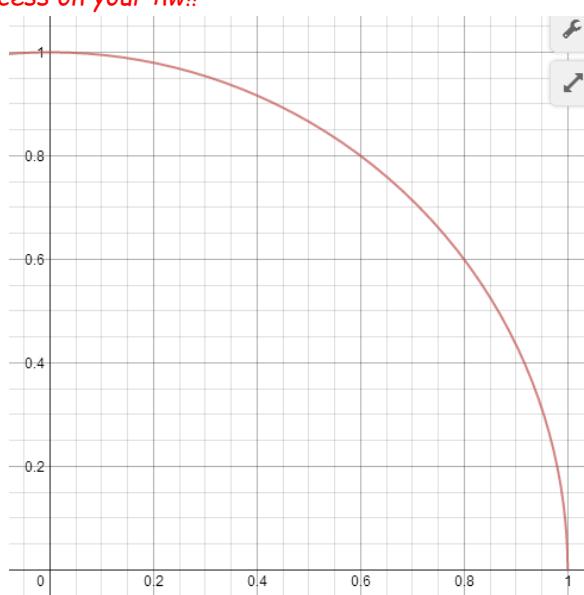
area  $\int dy = \int f(x) dx$   
height base

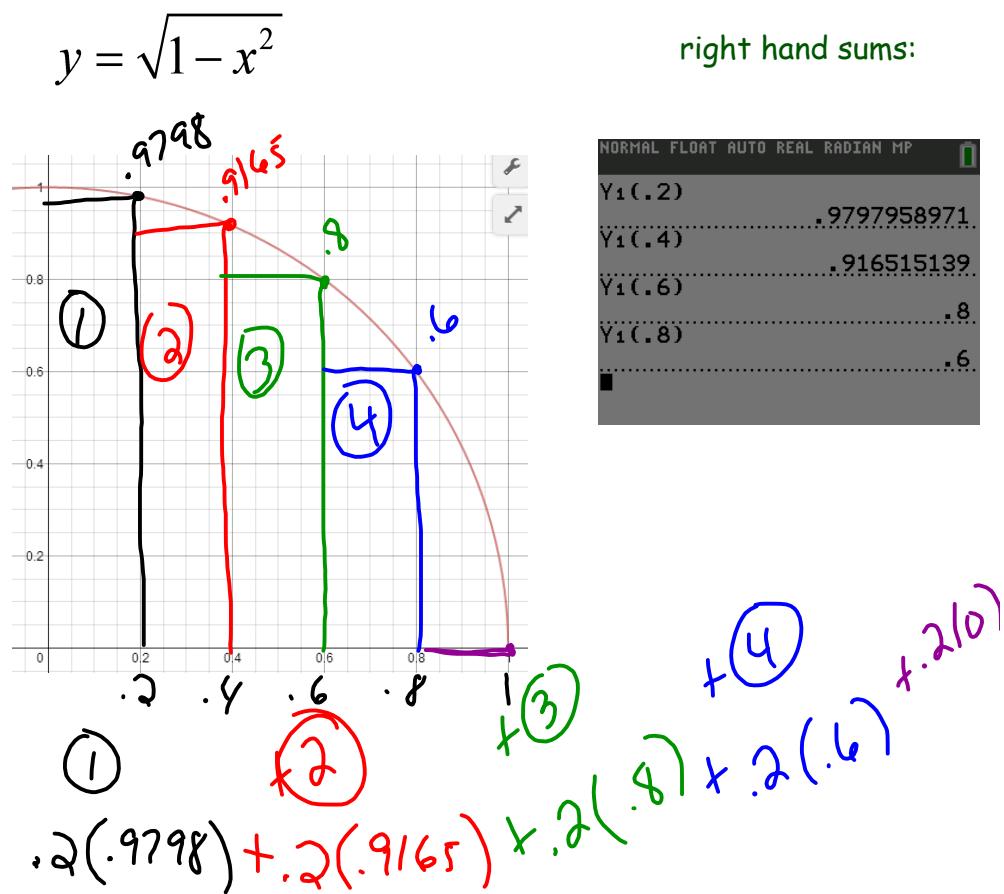
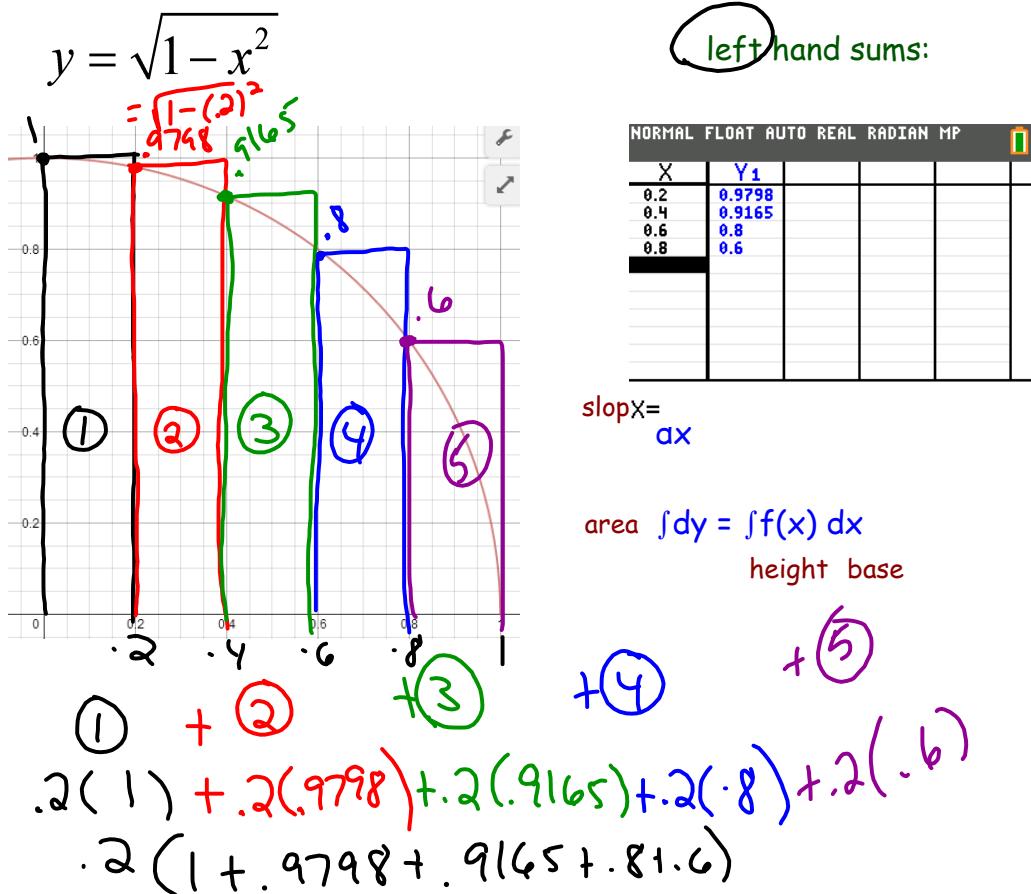
$$\sum f(x) \Delta x$$

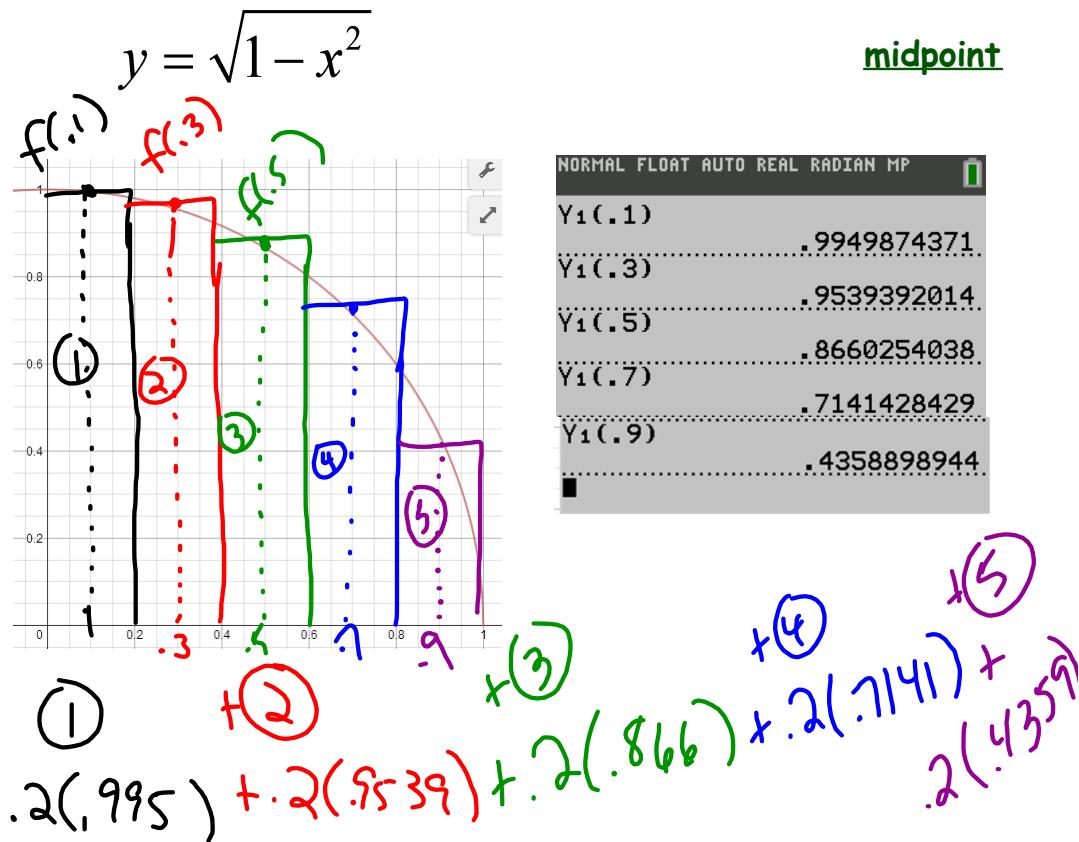
Use left hand, right hand sums, and midpoint to approximate the area of the region using 5 subintervals of equal width from  $(0, 1)$   
*you must clearly show the following process on your hw!!*

$$\frac{1-0}{5} = .2$$

$$y = \sqrt{1 - x^2}$$



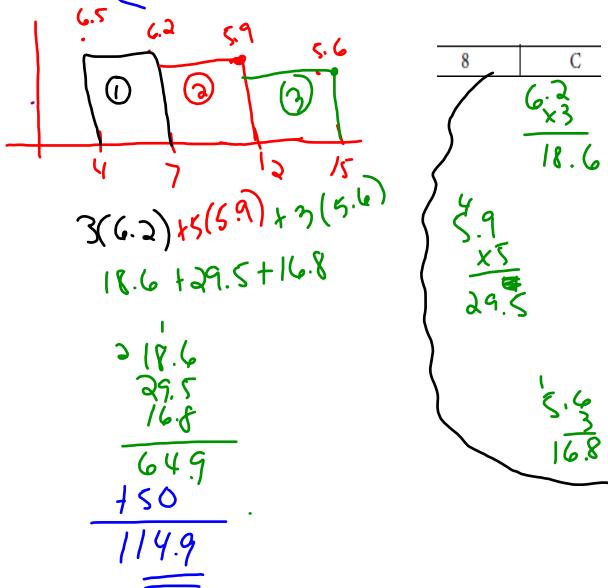




$t$ (hours)	4	7	12	15
$R(t)$ (liters/hour)	6.5	6.2	5.9	5.6

8. A tank contains 50 liters of oil at time  $t = 4$  hours. Oil is being pumped into the tank at a rate  $R(t)$ , where  $R(t)$  is measured in liters per hour, and  $t$  is measured in hours. Selected values of  $R(t)$  are given in the table above. Using a right Riemann sum with three subintervals and data from the table, what is the approximation of the number of liters of oil that are in the tank at time  $t = 15$  hours?

(A) 64.9    (B) 68.2    (C) 114.9    (D) 116.6    (E) 118.2



## Attachments

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