

# More advanced integration

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# Average of a function

- Let  $f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a continuous function. Then its average value  $y_{av} = \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx$ .

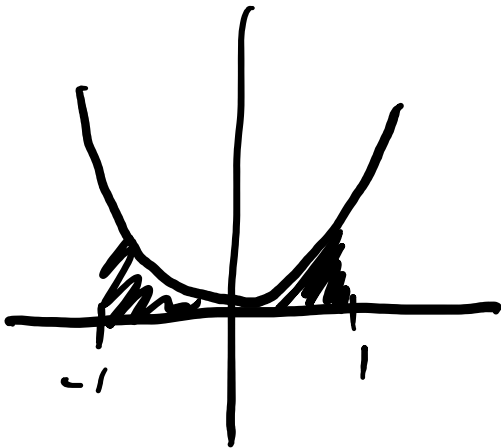
Ex.  $f(x) = x^2$

Find average value b/w  $-1$  and  $1$ .

$$y_{av} = \frac{1}{\underbrace{(1 - (-1))}_2} \int_{-1}^1 x^2 dx = \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{1}{3} x^3 \right]_{x=-1}^{x=1}$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} [1^3 - (-1)^3] = \frac{1}{3}$$

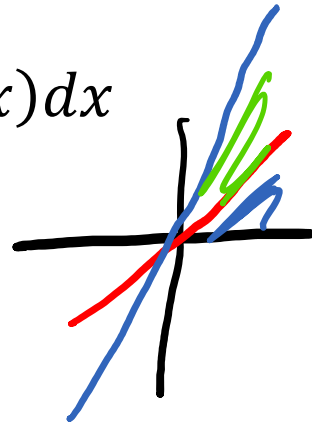
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# Properties of definite integrals

- Constant multiplication:  $\int_a^b k \cdot f(x) dx = k \cdot \int_a^b f(x) dx$

$$\int_0^1 2 \cdot x dx = 2 \int_0^1 x dx$$



- Sum of different integrands with same bounds

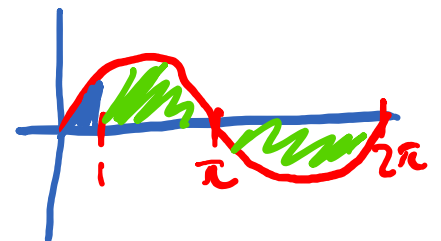
$$\int_a^b [f(x) + g(x)] dx = \int_a^b f(x) dx + \int_a^b g(x) dx$$

$$\int_0^1 (1+x) dx = \int_0^1 1 dx + \int_0^1 x dx$$

- Sum of same integrand with touching bounds

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx + \int_b^c f(x) dx = \int_a^c f(x) dx \text{ where } a < b < c$$

$$\int_0^1 \sin x dx + \int_1^{2\pi} \sin x dx = \int_0^{2\pi} \sin x dx$$



Try it out

$$= \int_1^2 + \int_2^3 - \int_1^2$$

$$\int_0^2 x^2 dx + \int_0^2 5 dx + \int_1^3 (x^2 + 5) dx - \int_1^2 (x^2 + 5) dx$$

$$\int_0^2 (x^2 + 5) dx$$

$$\int_2^3 (x^2 + 5) dx$$

$$= \int_0^3 (x^2 + 5) dx = \left[ \frac{1}{3} x^3 + 5x \right]_0^3 = 9 + 15 = 24$$

A: 24

B: 27

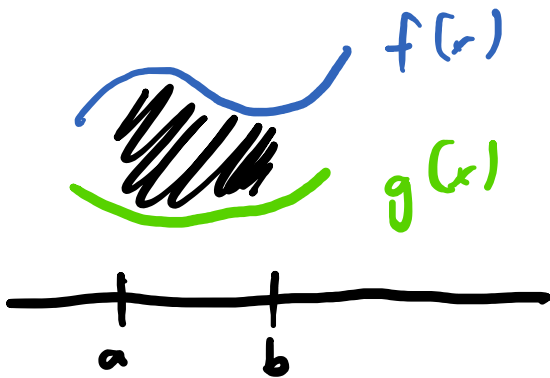
C: 30

D: 33

E: None of the above

# Area between curves

Let  $f$  and  $g$  be continuous functions, and suppose that  $f(x) \geq g(x)$  over the interval  $[a, b]$ . Then the area of the region between the two curves on that interval is  $\int_a^b [f(x) - g(x)] dx$ .



When  $[a, b]$  are unknown, can compute the intersection points to figure out the area bounded by curves.

# Example

- Find the area bounded by the graphs of  $f(x) = 2x - 2$  and  $g(x) = x^2 - 2$ .

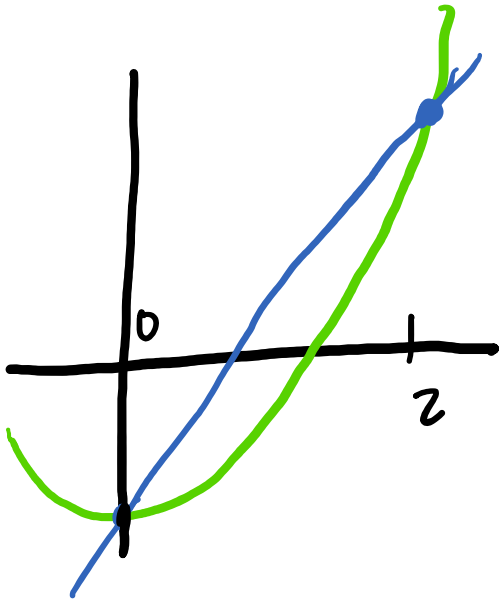
Intersections  $f(x) = g(x)$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 2 = 2x - 2$$

$$x^2 - 2x = 0$$

$$x(x - 2) = 0$$

$$x = 0, 2$$



$$\text{Area: } \int_0^2 [f(x) - g(x)] dx$$

$$= \int_0^2 (2x - x^2) dx$$

$$= \left[ x^2 - \frac{1}{3}x^3 \right]_0^2 = 4 - \frac{8}{3} = \frac{4}{3}$$

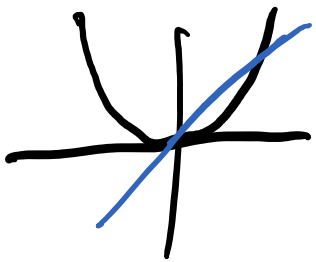
# Try it out

- Find the area bounded by graphs of  $f(x) = x^2$  and  $g(x) = x$ .
- Step 1: find the intersection points.

$$\begin{aligned}x^2 &= x \\ \Rightarrow x^2 - x &= 0 \\ x(x-1) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow x &= 0, 1\end{aligned}$$

- A: -1, 1
- B: 0, 2
- C: -1, 0
- D: 0, 1
- E: None of the above

- Step 2: Decide which graph is on top.



$x > x^2$  for  $x$  b/w 0 and 1

Also can check  
 $f(0.5) = 0.25$ ,  $g(0.5) = 0.5$

- A:  $f(x)$
- B:  $g(x)$
- C: neither
- D: both
- E: ??????

- Step 3: Compute the integral.

$$\begin{aligned}\int_0^1 [x - x^2] dx &= \left[ \frac{1}{2}x^2 - \frac{1}{3}x^3 \right]_0^1 \\ &= \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{3} = \frac{1}{6}\end{aligned}$$

- A: 1/3
- B: 1/4
- C: 1/5
- D: 1/6
- E: None of the above