

Notation indefinite integral

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DEFINITION & EXAMPLES

$$\int f(x) dx = F(x) + c$$

means : $F(x) + c$ is the general anti-derivative for $f(x)$.

Thm $\int x^n dx = \frac{1}{n+1} x^{n+1} + c \quad \text{for } n \neq -1$

Proof : $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{1}{n+1} x^{n+1} + c \right) = x^n \quad \square$

Thm $\int \frac{1}{x} dx = \ln|x| + c$

Proof $\frac{d}{dx} (\ln(x) + c) = \frac{1}{x} \quad (x > 0)$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\ln(-x) + c) = -\frac{1}{-x} = \frac{1}{x} \quad (x < 0) \quad \square$$

Thm sums and constant multiples

$$\int f(x) + g(x) dx = \int f(x) dx + \int g(x) dx$$

$$\int cf(x) dx = c \int f(x) dx$$

Warning : no product / quotient / chain rule for integrals!

Useful integrals

$$\int \sin(x) dx = -\cos(x) + c$$

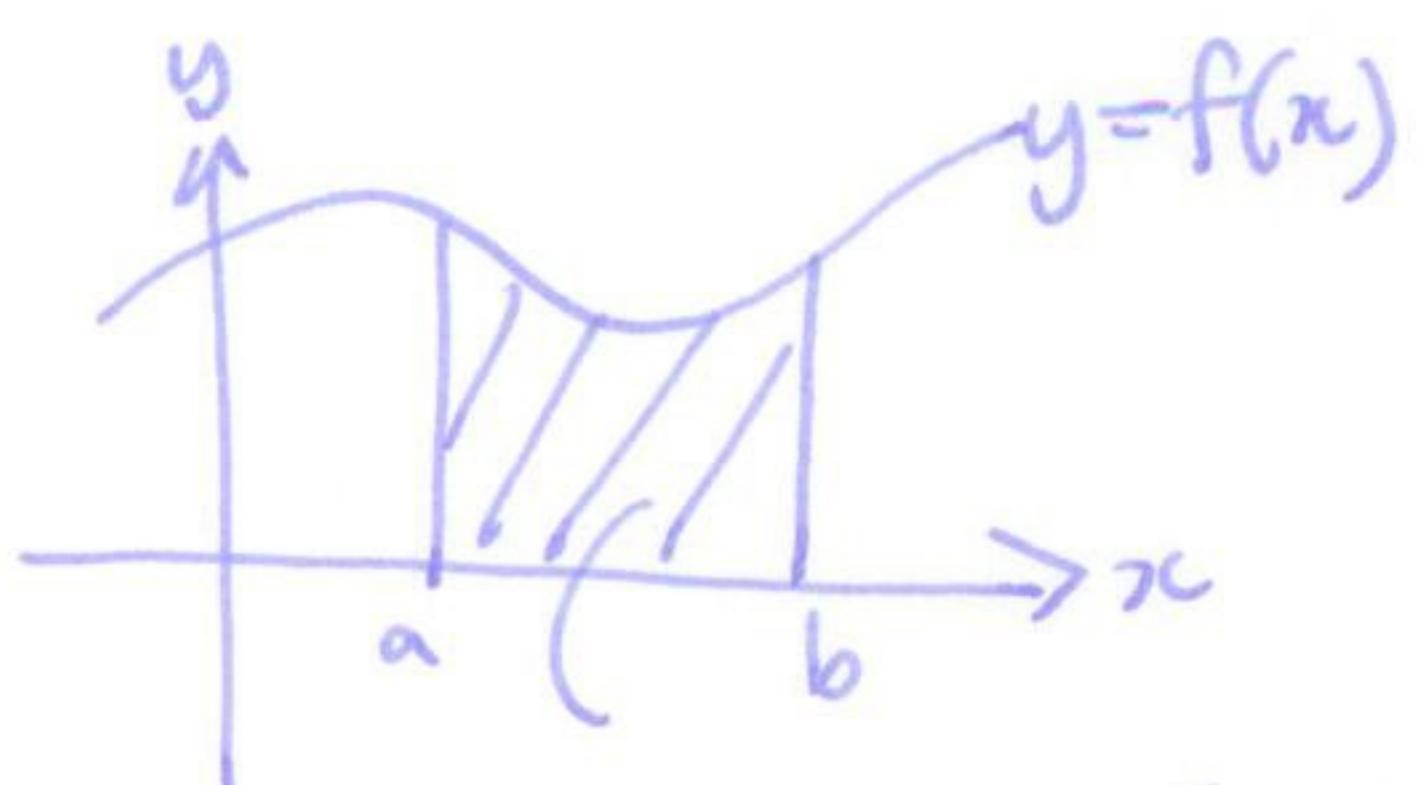
$$\int e^x dx = e^x + c$$

$$\int \cos(x) dx = \sin(x) + c$$

Example $\int x^2 + \frac{1}{x} + \sin(x) dx$

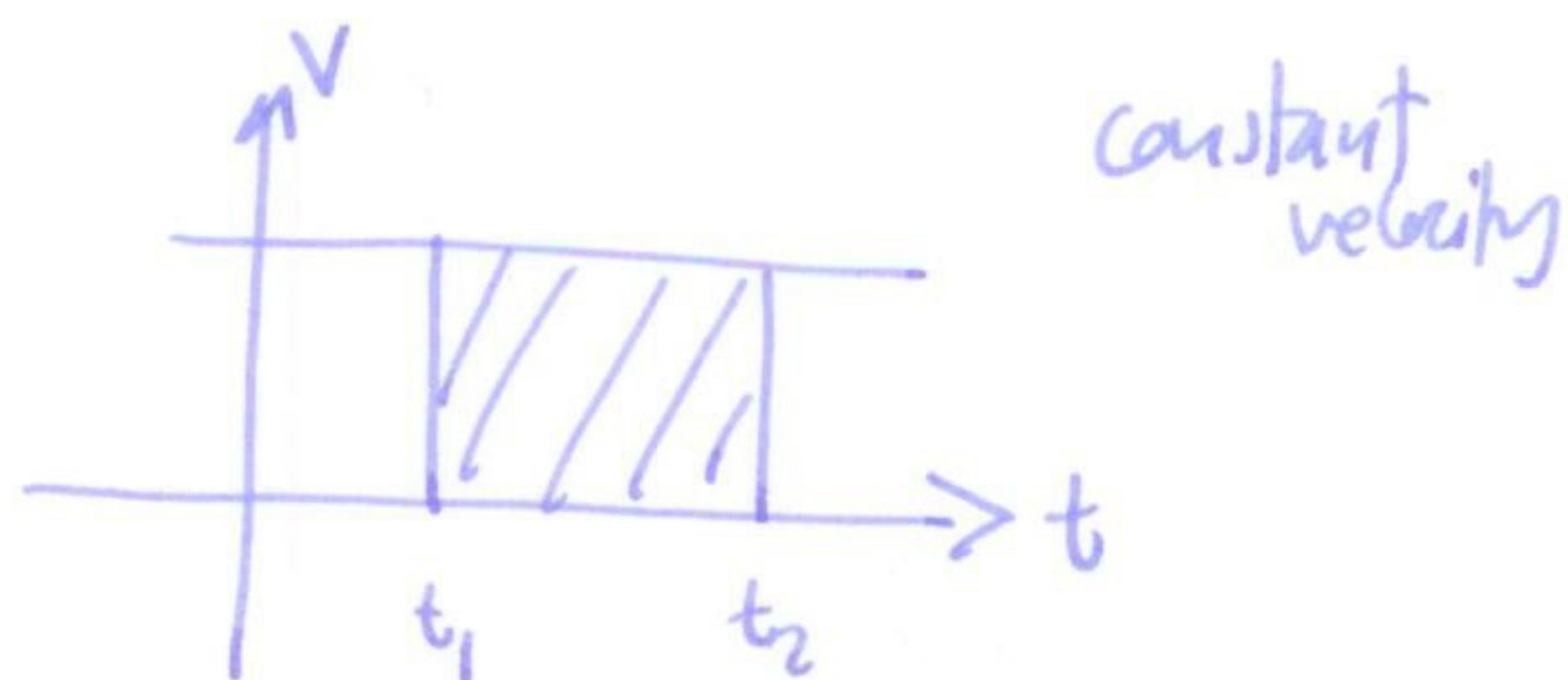
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§5.1 Approximating areas

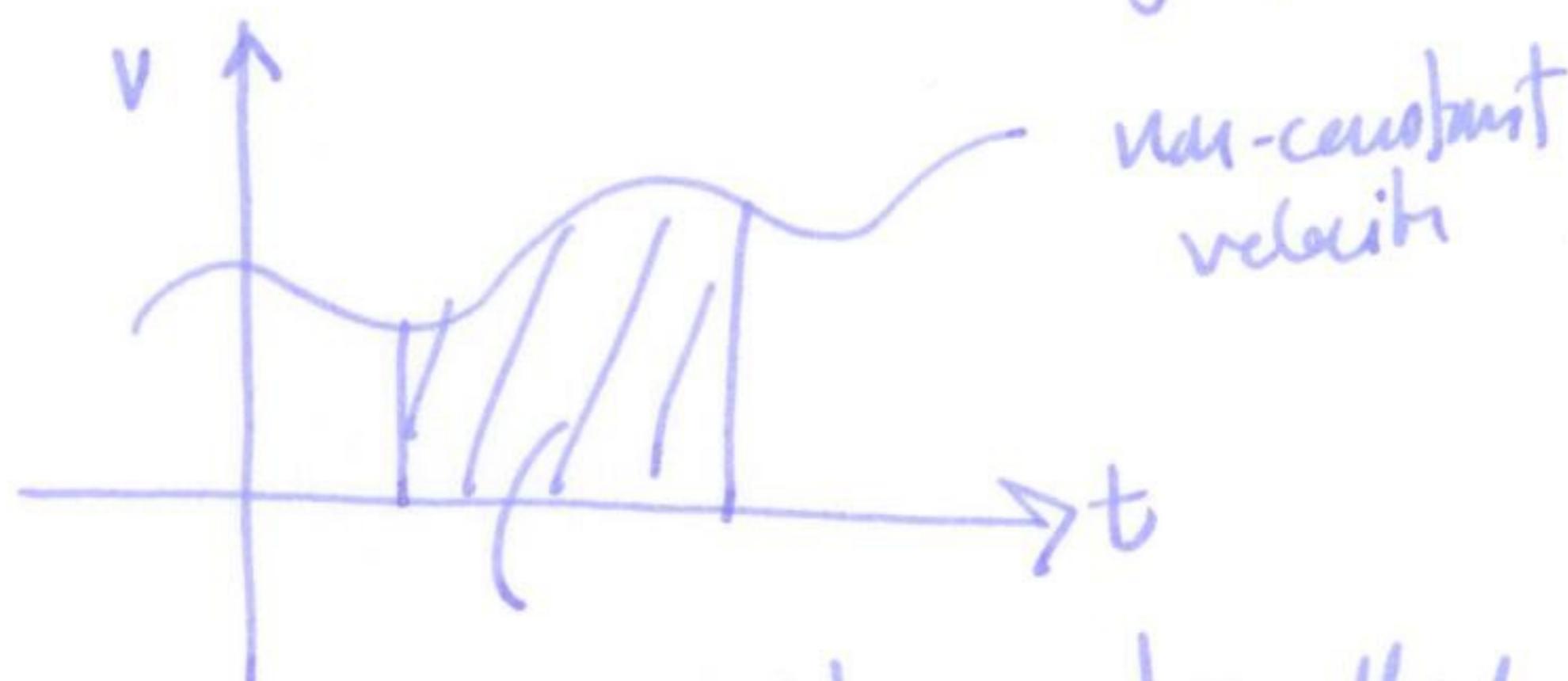


area under the graph between $x=a$ and $x=b$

e.g.

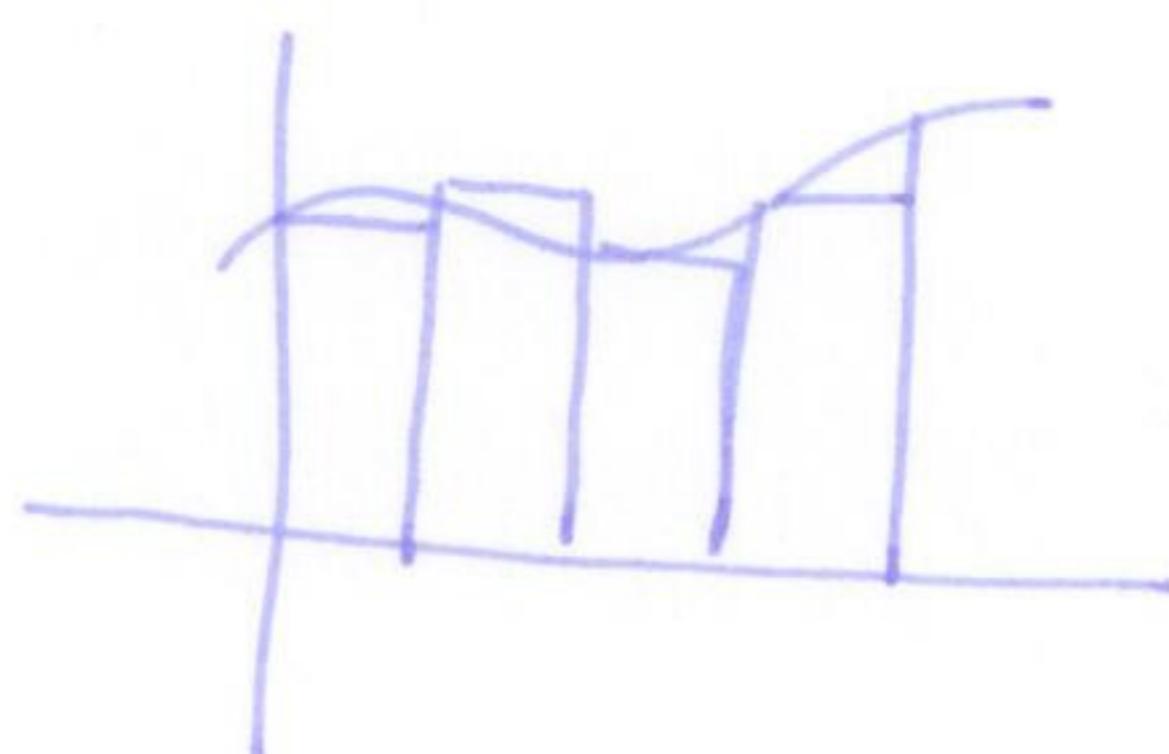


constant velocity
distance = velocity \times time travelled
= area under graph



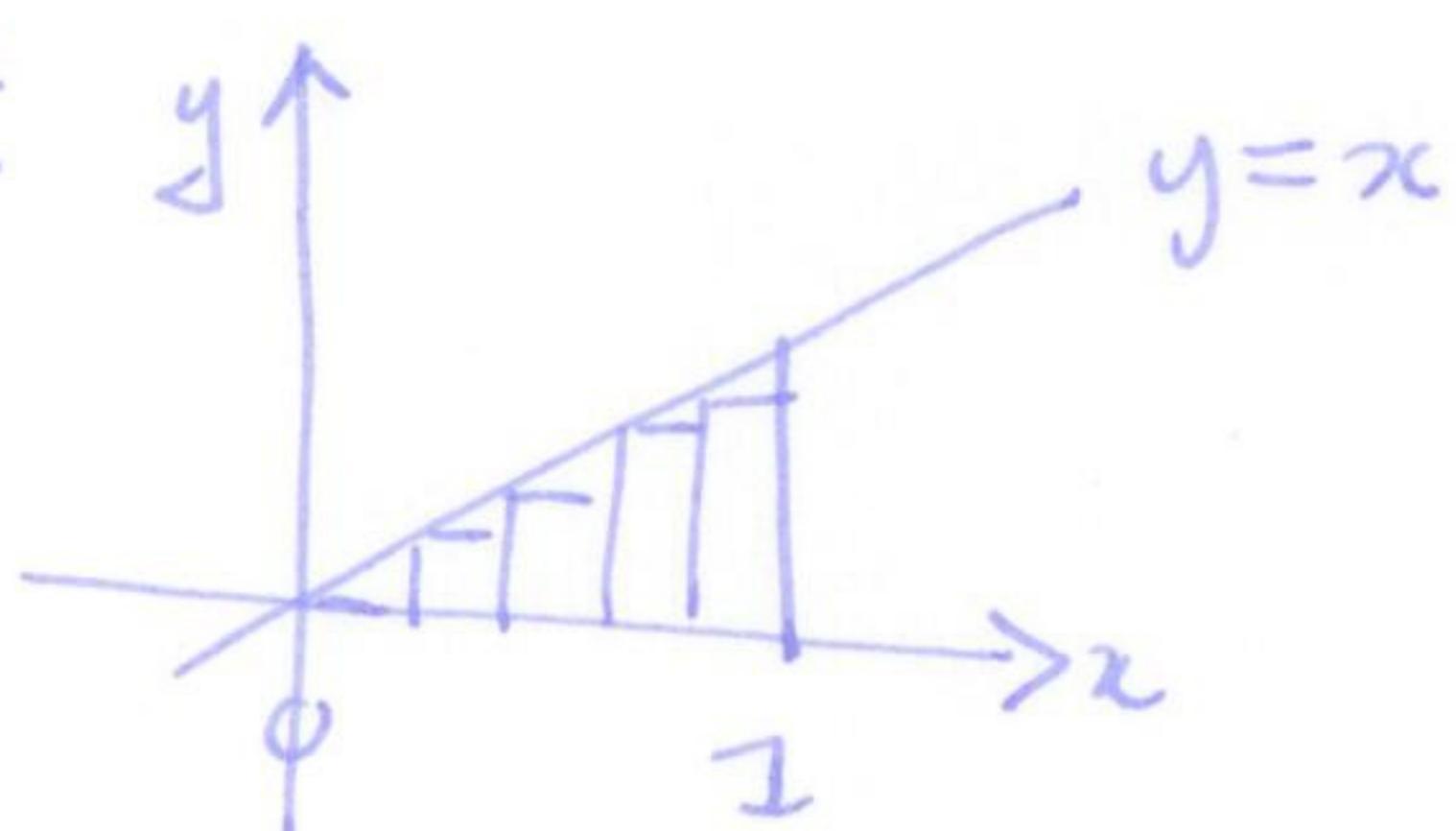
non-constant velocity
area = distance travelled

finding the area:



approximate by rectangles

Example



find area under $y=x$
between 0 and 1
(Answer = 1/2)

$$\sum \text{area of rectangles} = \sum f(x) \cdot \text{width}$$

five rectangles: $f(0) \cdot \frac{1}{5} + f\left(\frac{1}{5}\right) \cdot \frac{1}{5} + f\left(\frac{2}{5}\right) \cdot \frac{1}{5} + f\left(\frac{3}{5}\right) \cdot \frac{1}{5} + f\left(\frac{4}{5}\right) \cdot \frac{1}{5}$

$$= \frac{1}{5} \left(0 + \frac{1}{5} + \frac{2}{5} + \frac{3}{5} + \frac{4}{5} \right) = \frac{1}{25} (10) = \frac{10}{25}$$

n rectangles: $f(0) \frac{1}{n} + f(\frac{1}{n}) \frac{1}{n} + f(\frac{2}{n}) \frac{1}{n} + \dots + f(\frac{n-1}{n}) \frac{1}{n}$.

$$= \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} f\left(\frac{k}{n}\right) \frac{1}{n} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} f\left(\frac{k}{n}\right)$$

in this example $f(x)=x$ $= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{k}{n} = \frac{1}{n^2} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} k$

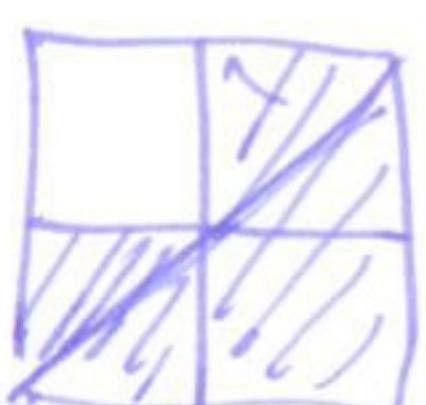
Note if $S_N = 1+2+3+\dots+N$ then $S_n = \frac{1}{2}N(N+1)$

Proof ① induction: suppose true for $N=k$: $S_k = 1+2+3+\dots+k = \frac{1}{2}k(k+1)$
what about S_{k+1} ?

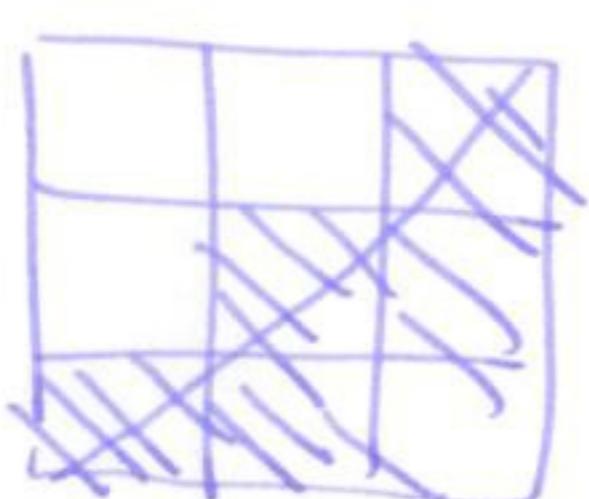
$$\begin{aligned} S_{k+1} &= \underbrace{1+2+\dots+k}_{S_k} + k+1 \\ &= \frac{1}{2}k(k+1) + k+1 = (k+1)\left(\frac{1}{2}k+1\right) = \frac{1}{2}(k+1)(k+2) \end{aligned}$$

so true for $k \Rightarrow$ true for $k+1$ \square . $= S_{k+1}$.

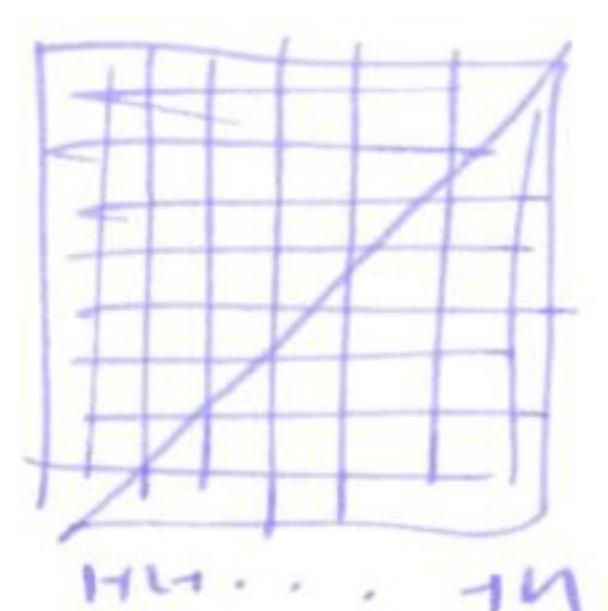
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$$1+2 = \frac{1}{2}(2)^2 + \frac{1}{2}2$$



$$1+2+3 = \frac{1}{2}(3)^2 + \frac{1}{2}3$$



$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2}(n)^2 + \frac{1}{2}n \\ &= \frac{1}{2}n(n+1) \end{aligned}$$

in our example:

$$\text{area} \approx \frac{1}{n^2} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} k = \frac{1}{n^2} \frac{1}{2}(n-1)n = \frac{(n-1)}{2n}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n-1}{2n} = \frac{1}{2} = \text{correct answer.}$$