

Quiz 1, Calculus 2

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1. (3 points) (a) Calculate the Riemann sum to approximate the area under the curve for the function $f(x) = x^2$, from $x = 0$ to $x = 3$, using 5 subintervals and evaluating at *right* endpoints (that is, calculate R_5). Show/explain your work.
(b) Is your answer from (a) an *overestimate* or an *underestimate* of the actual area under the curve? Use a quick sketch of the graph to explain your reasoning.

2. (2 points) Use the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus to calculate

$$\frac{d}{dx} \int_4^{\ln(x)} \sin(t^3) dt$$

3. (5 points) Below, the first few steps are done for using the limit definition to calculate a definite integral, evaluating at the *right* endpoint. Answer the questions below. You can use the back side of this sheet if you need more space.

$$\int_0^3 x^2 dx = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n f(x_i) \Delta x \quad (1)$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3}{n} \left[f\left(\frac{3}{n}\right) + f\left(\frac{6}{n}\right) + f\left(\frac{9}{n}\right) + \cdots + f\left(\frac{3n}{n}\right) \right] \quad (2)$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3}{n} \left[\left(\frac{3}{n}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{6}{n}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{9}{n}\right)^2 + \cdots + \left(\frac{3n}{n}\right)^2 \right] \quad (3)$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3}{n} \left(\frac{3}{n}\right)^2 [1^2 + 2^2 + 3^2 + \cdots + n^2] \quad (4)$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{3}{n}\right)^3 \left[\sum_{i=1}^n i^2 \right] \quad (5)$$

- (a) Explain where the $\frac{3}{n}$ comes from (between lines 1 and 2).
- (b) Explain what is happening between lines 3 and 4. Be clear as to why you get that result.
- (c) Use the magic formula $\sum_{i=1}^n i^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}$ to finish calculating the limit.
- (d) Use antiderivatives and the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus (the evaluation theorem) to calculate $\int_0^3 x^2 dx$ to double-check your answer from (3c).