


Pythagorean Theorem (and one of its beautiful proofs)


$$
c^{2}=a^{2}+b^{2}
$$

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$y=g(x)$
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The length of the free segment can be computed using the Pythagorean theorem. $\sqrt{(\Delta x)^{2}+(\Delta y)^{2}}$


We repeat this for every arc, and we obtain an approximation of the length of the whole curve.

$$
\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sqrt{\left(\Delta x_{i}\right)^{2}+\left(\Delta y_{i}\right)^{2}}
$$

If the function $g$ and its derivative are continuous, when the lengths $\Delta \mathrm{x}$ of each interval goes to zero, the above sum
converges to $\int_{a}^{b} \sqrt{\left(1+\left(g^{\prime}(x)\right)^{2}\right.} d x$ where a and b are the extremes of the interval where x "lives"

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$$
x=f(t), y=g(t)
$$

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$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sqrt{\left(\Delta x_{i}\right)^{2}+\left(\Delta y_{i}\right)^{2}}$
$\Delta x=f\left(t_{i+1}\right)-f\left(t_{i}\right) \approx f^{\prime}\left(\hat{t}_{i}\right) \Delta t$
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Set up (but do not evaluate) the length of the curve defined by parametric
equations
$\mathrm{x}=\sin (\mathrm{t})$,



Example: Estimate the length of the curve given
by the function $F(t)=(\cos (3 t), \sin (t)), t$ in $[0,2 \pi]$ using a partition of $[0,2 \pi]$ into 4 intervals.
What intervals would you choose to get a better estimation?


## Review of Volumes

## Generate solids rotating a

 curve about vertical or horizontal axes. The obtained solids are called solids of revolution.

$V=\int_{a}^{b} 2 \pi x f(x) d x$
Find a volume of solids of revolution by the washer method or the cylindrical shell method.

## Peano curve animation from Wikipedia



## Example

The closed region bounded by the graph of $x=y^{2}$ and the vertical line $x=2$ is revolved about the line $x=2$. Calculate the volume of the solid of revolution.


## Example

Denote by R the region bounded by the $y$-axis the graph of $f(x)=x$ and the graph of $g(x)=x^{2}-2$, on the right of the $y$-axis.

Calculate the volume of the solid of revolution obtained by revolving $R$ about the $y$-axis.


## Consider the following picture:

* How high would the water level be if the waves all settled?


After explaining to a student through various lessons and examples that:

$$
\operatorname{Lim}_{x \rightarrow 8} \frac{1}{x-8}=\infty
$$

I tried to check if she really understood that, so I gave her a different example. This was the result:
$\operatorname{LIM}_{x \rightarrow 5} \frac{1}{x-5}=$ n

The homework grades of a student are 6, 6, 7, 8, 10. Find the average homework score.
average $=$ sum of grades $/$ number of hw

The temperature of a room is 70 degrees Fahrenheit at 10AM, 72 degrees Fahrenheit at 11:05AM and 74 at 11:30AM. Use these data to estimate the average temperature.

What if we want to make a more accurate estimation of the average temperature?

If the temperature is given by a function $f, f(x)=$ temperature at time $x, x$ in $[a, b]$. We want to estimate the average value of $f$. Divide [a, b] into n equal intervals.
$\Delta x=(b-a) / n$
$x_{i}$ is a number the i-th interval


We estimate for the average
value:
$f_{\text {average }} \approx \frac{f\left(x_{1}\right)+f\left(x_{2}\right)+\ldots+f\left(x_{n}\right)}{n}$

## Example

* If $f(x)=x^{2}$, find the average value of $f$ on the interval $[1,3]$ and interpret the result geometrically.
* http:/ / demonstrations.wolfram.com/ DistanceAndAverageVelocityForPiecewiseTrajectory /

$$
\begin{aligned}
f_{\text {average }} & \approx \frac{f\left(x_{1}\right)+f\left(x_{2}\right)+\ldots+f\left(x_{n}\right)}{n} \\
& =\frac{\Delta x}{b-a}\left[f\left(x_{1}\right)+f\left(x_{2}\right)+\ldots f\left(x_{n}\right)\right]
\end{aligned}
$$

Since

$$
\Delta x=(b-a) / n
$$

Taking limits $\quad \frac{1}{b-a} \int_{a}^{b} f(x) d x$


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## Example

- The temperature of a room is 70 degrees Fahrenheit at 10AM, 72 degrees Fahrenheit at 11:05AM and 74 at 11:30AM. Use these data to estimate the average temperature.
- The equation below gives the temperature $\mathrm{T}(\mathrm{t})$ of a room after t minutes.

$$
T(t)=\frac{8}{14625} t^{2}-\frac{14}{2925} t+70
$$

- What is the average temperature during the first 90 minutes?
- What is the average temperature during the first 30 seconds?


## Example

The speed of an object is given by the equation $v(t)=12 t-t^{2}$ where $v$ is in meters/ sec and t is in seconds.

Determine what is the total distance traveled and the average speed of the object between $\mathrm{t}=2 \mathrm{~s}$ and $\mathrm{t}=11 \mathrm{~s}$.

To determine the average value, we find a horizontal line such that the area under this horizontal line is equal to the area under the curve between two specified values of $t$.


## Example

Find the average value of the function $f(x)=20-x^{2}$ in the interval $[-2,4]$. Also, find all the values of $x$ at which the average occurs.
Give the geometric interpretation of the results.


