

First Homework (Part of Lab 1)

1. Type the examples in 2.4.1-2.4.5 (You can start with `simple.tex` that we made earlier).
2. Type the example in 2.11.1, and the first example in 2.11.3.
3. Type the two tables right before Section 2.12.

4. (Chapter 3) How would I typeset the following? Answer by showing the result of the typesetting (NOTE: You do NOT have to give the answer as (a), (b), (c), etc)

(a) $\int_a^b f(x) dx = F(b) - F(a)$

(b) $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n f(x_i^*) \Delta x_i = \int_a^b f(x) dx$

(c) $\lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(\theta)}{\theta} = 1$

(d) $y = e^{2^x}$

(e) I ♥ Math!

(f) What's a "phantom"? Answer by giving an example.

5. Typeset the following:

Let $y = f(x)$ be some function that is continuous on a closed interval, $[a, b]$. We wish to determine the length of the curve with represents the graph of f on $[a, b]$.

We first subdivide the interval into n equal pieces whose endpoints we denote by:
 $a = x_0, x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n = b$

We can now approximate the length of the curve by adding the length of the line segments starting at $(x_{i-1}, f(x_{i-1}))$ and ending at $(x_i, f(x_i))$, for $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$.

By the Pythagorean Theorem, the length of the i th line segment is given by:

$$L_i = \sqrt{(x_i - x_{i-1})^2 + (f(x_i) - f(x_{i-1}))^2}$$

By the Mean Value Theorem, if f is differentiable on (a, b) , then on the i th interval we can find x_i^* so that:

$$f(x_i) - f(x_{i-1}) = f'(x_i^*)(x_i - x_{i-1})$$