

## Simpson's Rule for Polynomials of Degree 2 or Less

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Evaluate the following definite integrals

$$\int_{-1}^3 x + 5 dx$$

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$$\int_0^4 x^2 - 3x + 2 \, dx$$

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Evaluate the following definite integrals

$$\int_2^4 3x^2 + 2x + 1 \, dx$$

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$$\int_{-2}^2 4x^2 - 1 \, dx$$

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