

オイラー定数 γ

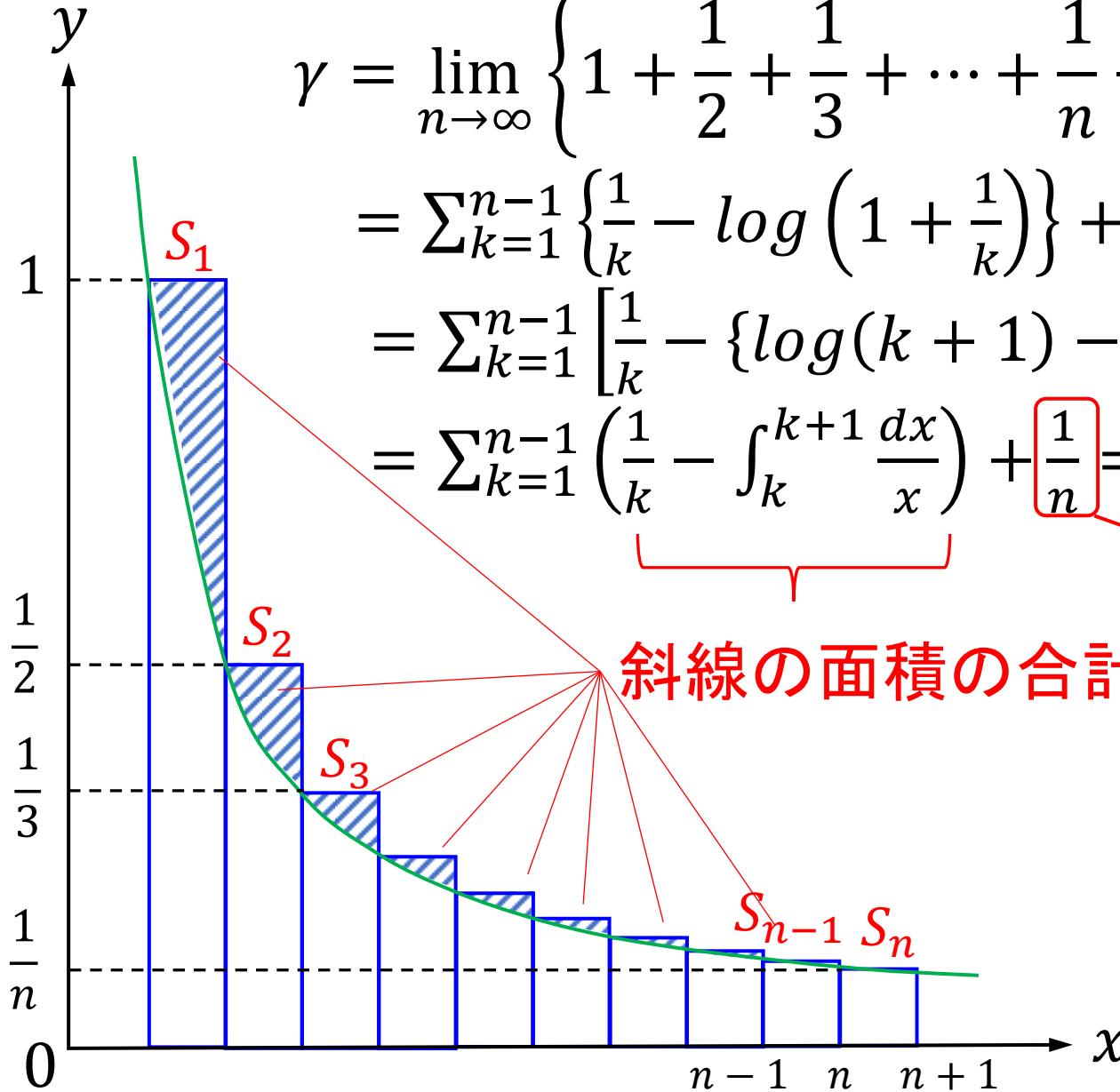
$$\gamma = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left\{ 1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \cdots + \frac{1}{n} - \log n \right\}$$

数学では
 $\log n = \log_e n = \ln n$

$$\log n = \log \left(\frac{2}{1} \cdot \frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{4}{3} \cdot \cdots \cdot \frac{n}{n-1} \right) = \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \log \left(1 + \frac{1}{k} \right)$$
 を代入して

$$\begin{aligned}\gamma &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left\{ 1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \cdots + \frac{1}{n} - \log n \right\} \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \left\{ \frac{1}{k} - \log \left(1 + \frac{1}{k} \right) \right\} + \frac{1}{n} \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \left[\frac{1}{k} - \{\log(k+1) - \log k\} \right] + \frac{1}{n} \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \left(\frac{1}{k} - \int_k^{k+1} \frac{dx}{x} \right) + \frac{1}{n}\end{aligned}$$

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$$= \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \left(\frac{1}{k} - \int_k^{k+1} \frac{dx}{x} \right) + \boxed{\frac{1}{n}} = 0.5772$$

$\ln n$ の場合は $\gamma = 0.5772$
 $0.5772/\ln 10 = 0.2507$

$n \rightarrow \infty$ のとき $\frac{1}{n} \rightarrow 0$

短冊面積と $\log n$ の間には
 0.5772の誤差がある