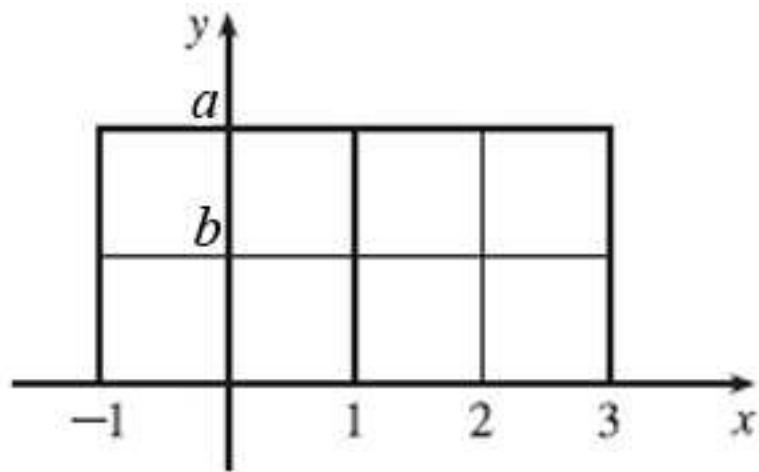


The subrectangles are shown in the figure.

Since $\Delta A = 1$, we estimate

$$\begin{aligned}\iint_R (y^2 - 2x^2) dA &\approx \sum_{i=1}^4 \sum_{j=1}^2 f(x_{ij}^*, y_{ij}^*) \Delta A = f(-1, 7) \Delta A + f(-1, 8) \Delta A + f(0, 7) \Delta A \\ &+ f(0, 8) \Delta A + f(1, 7) \Delta A + f(1, 8) \Delta A + f(2, 7) \Delta A + f(2, 8) \Delta A \\ &= 47(1) + 62(1) + 49(1) + 64(1) + 47(1) + 62(1) + 41(1) + 56(1) = 428\end{aligned}$$



Assume $a = 8$

$b = 7$