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HW7 Solution

1. (P.223 Q2) Let  $E = \{a, b\}$ , it is straight forward to check  $H_n$  is continuous on  $[a, b]$ ,  $H'_n(x) = x^n$  for  $x \in [a, b] \setminus E$  and  $x^n \in C[a, b] \subset \mathcal{R}[a, b]$ . Fundamental theorem of calculus 7.3.1 is thus applicable and the result follows.
2. (P.223 Q3) Separate  $[-2, 3]$  into 3 regions  $I = [-2, -1]$ ,  $II = [-1, 1]$ ,  $III = [1, 3]$ .  
For  $|x| \geq 1$ ,  $G(x) = \frac{1}{2}(x^2 - 1)$ , further, for  $|x| > 1$ ,  $G'(x) = x = g(x)$ .  
For  $|x| < 1$ ,  $G(x) = \frac{1}{2}(1 - x^2)$ ,  $G'(x) = -x = g(x)$ .  
For  $x \in [-2, 3]$ ,  $g(x)$  only has finite discontinuity (at 1 and -1), hence  $g(x) \in \mathcal{R}[-2, 3]$ .  
Let  $E_I = \{-1\}$ ,  $E_{II} = \{-1, 1\}$  and  $E_{III} = \{1\}$ , fundamental theorem of calculus 7.3.1 is thus respectively applicable on  $I$ ,  $II$ ,  $III$ . and therefore

$$\int_{-2}^3 g = \int_{-2}^{-1} g + \int_{-1}^1 g + \int_1^3 g = G(-1) - G(-2) + G(1) - G(-1) + G(3) - G(1) = G(3) - G(-2) = \frac{5}{2}.$$