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**Find a closed form:**

$$\int_0^\infty \frac{x^2 + \sin(\pi x)}{1 + \exp(\pi x)} dx$$

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$$\int_0^\infty \frac{x^2 + \sin(\pi x)}{1 + e^{\pi x}} dx = \int_0^\infty \frac{x^2}{1 + e^{\pi x}} dx + \int_0^\infty \frac{\sin(\pi x)}{1 + e^{\pi x}} dx = \Omega_1 + \Omega_2$$

$$\Omega_1 = \int_0^\infty \frac{x^2}{1 + e^{\pi x}} dx \quad \left\{ e^{\pi x} = \frac{1}{t}, \pi x = -\ln(t), dx = -\frac{1}{\pi t} dt \right\}$$

$$\Omega_1 = -\frac{1}{\pi^3} \int_0^1 \frac{\ln^2(t) dt}{1 + \frac{1}{t}} = -\frac{1}{\pi^3} \int_0^1 \frac{\ln^2(t) dt}{1 + t} = -\frac{1}{\pi^3} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \int_0^1 t^n \ln^2(t) dt$$

$$\stackrel{IBP}{=} -\frac{2}{\pi^3} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(n+1)^3} = \frac{3\zeta(3)}{2\pi^3}$$

$$\Omega_2 = \int_0^\infty \frac{\sin(\pi x)}{1 + e^{\pi x}} dx \stackrel{\{\pi x=t\}}{\cong} \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^\infty \frac{\sin(t)}{1 + e^t} dt = \frac{1}{\pi} I; \text{ note } \{\sinh(it) = i\sin(t)\}$$

$$I(a) = \int_0^\infty \frac{\sinh(at)}{1 + e^t} dt \stackrel{e^t \rightarrow t}{\cong} \frac{1}{2} \underbrace{\int_1^\infty \frac{t^a}{t(t+1)} dt}_{t \rightarrow \frac{1}{t}} - \frac{1}{2} \int_1^\infty \frac{t^{-a}}{t(t+1)} dt =$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \frac{t^{-a}}{1+t} dt - \frac{1}{2} \int_1^\infty t^{-a} \left( \frac{1}{t} - \frac{1}{1+t} \right) dt = \frac{1}{2} \left( \underbrace{\int_0^\infty \frac{t^{-a}}{1+t} dt}_{\{\pi \csc(\pi a) \Re\{a\} < 1\}} - \int_1^\infty t^{-a-1} dt \right) =$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \left( \pi \csc(\pi a) - \frac{1}{a} \right); I(i) = \frac{1}{2} \left( \pi \csc(\pi i) - \frac{1}{i} \right) = \frac{i}{2} (1 - \pi \operatorname{csch}(\pi))$$

$$\Omega_2 = \frac{1}{\pi} \left( \int_0^\infty \frac{\sin(t)}{1 + e^t} dt \right) = -\frac{i}{\pi} \left( \int_0^\infty \frac{\sinh(it)}{1 + e^t} dt \right) = \frac{1}{2\pi} (1 - \pi \operatorname{csch}(\pi))$$

$$\int_0^\infty \frac{x^2 + \sin(\pi x)}{1 + e^{\pi x}} dx = \int_0^\infty \frac{x^2}{1 + e^{\pi x}} dx + \int_0^\infty \frac{\sin(\pi x)}{1 + e^{\pi x}} dx =$$

$$\frac{3\zeta(3)}{2\pi^3} + \frac{1}{2\pi} - \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{csch}(\pi)$$

**Note :**  $\zeta(3) \rightarrow$  Apery's constant

**Solution 2 by Ankush Kumar Parcha-India**

$$We have, \underbrace{\int_0^\infty \frac{x^2}{1 + \exp(\pi x)} dx}_{\Omega_1} + \underbrace{\int_0^\infty \frac{\sin(\pi x)}{1 + \exp(\pi x)} dx}_{\Omega_2}$$

$$\Omega_1 = \int_0^\infty \frac{x^2}{1 + \exp(\pi x)} dx \stackrel{\pi x \rightarrow x}{\cong} \frac{1}{\pi^3} \int_0^\infty \frac{x^2}{1 + \exp(x)} dx \stackrel{\text{Note section}}{\cong} \frac{1}{\pi^3} \sum_{n \in N} (-1)^n \mathcal{L}_x \{x^2\}(n)$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{Note Section} \quad \stackrel{\text{Note } \eta(s) = (1 - 2^{1-s})\zeta(s)}{\stackrel{(2)}{\equiv}} \frac{2}{\pi^3} \sum_{n \in N} \frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{n^3} \Rightarrow \frac{2}{\pi^3} \eta(3) \stackrel{\text{Note section (1)}}{\stackrel{(3)}{\equiv}} \int_0^\infty \frac{x^2}{1 + \exp(\pi x)} dx = \frac{3\zeta(3)}{2\pi^3} \\
 & \Omega_2 = \int_0^\infty \frac{\sin(\pi x)}{1 + \exp(\pi x)} dx \stackrel{\pi x \rightarrow x}{\stackrel{(1)}{\equiv}} \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^\infty \frac{\sin(x)}{1 + \exp(x)} dx \stackrel{\text{Note section (1)}}{\stackrel{(4)}{\equiv}} \\
 & \frac{1}{\pi} \sum_{n \in N} (-1)^{n-1} \mathcal{L}_x \{ \sin(x) \}(n) \stackrel{\text{Note Section}}{\stackrel{(3)}{\equiv}} \frac{1}{\pi} \sum_{n=1}^\infty \frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{n^2 + 1} = \frac{1}{\pi} \Im \sum_{n \in N} \frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{n-i} \stackrel{\text{Note Section}}{\stackrel{(4)}{\equiv}} \\
 & \frac{1}{2\pi} \Im \left[ \psi^{(0)} \left( 1 - \frac{i}{2} \right) - \psi^{(0)} \left( \frac{1}{2} - \frac{i}{2} \right) \right] \\
 & \text{Note : } (\Im \{ \psi^{(0)}(z) \}) = \frac{\psi^{(0)}(z) - \overline{\psi^{(0)}(z)}}{2i}; \overline{\psi^{(0)}(z)} = \psi^{(0)}(\overline{z}) \\
 & \Rightarrow \frac{-i}{4\pi} \left[ \psi^{(0)} \left( 1 - \frac{i}{2} \right) - \psi^{(0)} \left( 1 + \frac{i}{2} \right) + \psi^{(0)} \left( \frac{1}{2} + \frac{i}{2} \right) - \psi^{(0)} \left( \frac{1}{2} - \frac{i}{2} \right) \right] \stackrel{\text{Note section (5,6,7)}}{\stackrel{(5)}{\equiv}} \\
 & \frac{-i}{4\pi} \left[ 2i + \pi \cot \left( \frac{i\pi}{2} \right) + \pi \tan \left( \frac{i\pi}{2} \right) \right] \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2\pi} + \frac{1}{4} \left[ \tanh \left( \frac{\pi}{2} \right) - \coth \left( \frac{\pi}{2} \right) \right] \rightarrow \\
 & \Omega_2 = \int_0^\infty \frac{\sin(\pi x)}{1 + \exp(\pi x)} dx = \frac{1}{2\pi} - \frac{\operatorname{csch}(\pi)}{2}
 \end{aligned}$$

*Put the values of  $\Omega_1$  and  $\Omega_2$  in equation – (1). We get,*

$$\Omega_1 + \Omega_2 = \int_0^\infty \frac{x^2 + \sin(\pi x)}{1 + \exp(\pi x)} dx = \frac{1}{2\pi} - \frac{\operatorname{csch}(\pi)}{2} + \frac{3\zeta(3)}{2\pi^3}$$

**Note Section :**

$$1. \text{ Maz Summation Identity : } \sum_{n \in N} (-1)^{n-1} \mathcal{L}_t \{ f(t) \}(n) = \int_0^\infty \frac{f(t)}{1 + e^t} dt$$

$$2. \mathcal{L}_t \{ t^a \}(s) = \frac{\Gamma(a+1)}{s^{a+1}}, \Re(a) > -1$$

$$3. \mathcal{L}_t \{ \sin(\omega t) \}(s) = \frac{\omega}{s^2 + \omega^2}, s > |\Im(\omega)|$$

$$4. \sum_{n \in N} \frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{n-a} = \frac{1}{2} \left[ \psi^{(0)} \left( 1 - \frac{a}{2} \right) - \psi^{(0)} \left( \frac{1}{2} - \frac{a}{2} \right) \right]$$

$$5. \psi^{(0)} \left( \frac{1}{2} + z \right) - \psi^{(0)} \left( \frac{1}{2} - z \right) = \pi \tan(\pi z)$$

$$6. \psi^{(0)}(1+z) = \psi^{(0)}(z) + \frac{1}{z}$$

$$7. \psi^{(0)}(1-z) = \psi^{(0)}(z) + \pi \cot(\pi z)$$

**Solution 3 by Cosghun Memmedov-Azerbaijan**

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Omega &= \int_0^\infty \frac{x^2 + \sin(\pi x)}{1 + e^{\pi x}} dx = \int_0^\infty \frac{x^2}{1 + e^{\pi x}} dx + \int_0^\infty \frac{\sin(\pi x)}{1 + e^{\pi x}} dx = M + K \\
 M &= \int_0^\infty \frac{x^2}{1 + e^{\pi x}} dx \stackrel{\{ \pi x \rightarrow x \}}{\stackrel{(1)}{\equiv}} \frac{1}{\pi^3} \int_0^\infty \frac{x^2}{1 + e^x} dx = \frac{1}{\pi^3} \int_0^\infty \frac{x^2 e^{-x}}{1 + e^{-x}} dx = \\
 &\stackrel{\frac{1}{\pi^3} \sum_{n=0}^\infty (-1)^n \int_0^\infty e^{-x(n+1)} x^2 dx}{\stackrel{\{ x(n+1)=t \}}{\stackrel{(2)}{\equiv}}} \frac{1}{\pi^3} \sum_{n=0}^\infty \frac{(-1)^n}{(n+1)^3} \int_0^\infty e^{-t} t^2 dt =
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$$\begin{aligned}
& \frac{1}{\pi^3} \Gamma(3) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(n+1)^3} = \frac{2}{\pi^3} \eta(3) = \frac{3}{2\pi^3} \zeta(3) \\
K &= \int_0^\infty \frac{\sin(\pi x)}{1+e^{\pi x}} dx \stackrel{\{\pi x \rightarrow x\}}{=} \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^\infty \frac{\sin(x)}{1+e^x} dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \Im \int_0^\infty \frac{e^{ix}}{1+e^x} dx = \\
& \frac{1}{\pi} \Im \int_0^\infty \frac{e^{x(i-1)}}{e^{-x}+1} dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \Im \left\{ \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \int_0^\infty e^{-x(n+1-i)} dx \right\} = \frac{1}{\pi} \Im \left\{ \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n+1-i} \right\} = \\
& \frac{1}{\pi} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(n+1)^2+1} = -\frac{1}{\pi} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n^2+1} = \frac{1}{\pi} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2+1} - \frac{2}{\pi} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{4n^2+1} = \\
& \frac{1}{2\pi} (\pi \coth(\pi) - 1) - \frac{2}{\pi} \left( \frac{\pi}{4} \coth\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{2} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \left( \coth(\pi) - \coth\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) \right) + \frac{1}{2\pi} = \\
& \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{e^\pi + e^{-\pi}}{e^\pi - e^{-\pi}} - \frac{e^{\frac{\pi}{2}} + e^{-\frac{\pi}{2}}}{e^{\frac{\pi}{2}} - e^{-\frac{\pi}{2}}} \right) + \frac{1}{2\pi} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{e^\pi + e^{-\pi}}{e^\pi - e^{-\pi}} - \frac{e^\pi + e^{-\pi} + 2}{e^\pi - e^{-\pi}} \right) + \frac{1}{2\pi} = \\
& -\frac{1}{e^\pi - e^{-\pi}} + \frac{1}{2\pi} = -\frac{\operatorname{csch}(\pi)}{2} + \frac{1}{2\pi} \\
\Omega = M + K &= \frac{3}{2\pi^3} \zeta(3) - \frac{\operatorname{csch}(\pi)}{2} + \frac{1}{2\pi} = \frac{\pi^2 + 3\zeta(3) - \pi^3 \operatorname{csch}(\pi)}{2\pi^3}
\end{aligned}$$