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Prove that:

$$\int_0^1 \left(x \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n^3} + \frac{\ln^2(x)}{(1+x^2)^2} \right) dx = G + \frac{\zeta(3)}{2} + \frac{\pi^3}{32} - \frac{\pi^2}{24} + \frac{3}{16}$$

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Solution 1 by Bui Hong Suc-Vietnam

$$\text{Let : } S_{n,k} = \int_0^1 x^{k-1} Li_n(x) dx \stackrel{I.B.P}{\cong} \frac{x^k Li_n(x)}{k} \Big|_0^1 - \frac{1}{k} \int_0^1 x^{k-1} Li_{n-1}(x) dx = \frac{Li_n(1)}{k} - \frac{1}{k} S_{n-1,k} =$$

$$\frac{\zeta(n)}{k} - \frac{1}{k} \left(\frac{\zeta(n-1)}{k} - \frac{1}{k} S_{n-2,k} \right) = \frac{\zeta(n)}{k} - \frac{\zeta(n-1)}{k^2} + \frac{1}{k^2} S_{n-2,k} = \frac{\zeta(n)}{k} - \frac{\zeta(n-1)}{k^2} + \frac{\zeta(n-2)}{k^3} -$$

$$\frac{1}{k^3} S_{n-3,k} = \dots = \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} (-1)^{i-1} \frac{\zeta(n+1-i)}{k^i} + \frac{(-1)^{n-2}}{k^{n-1}} S_{1,k} = \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} (-1)^{i-1} \frac{\zeta(n+1-i)}{k^i} +$$

$$\frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{k^{n-1}} \int_0^1 x^{k-1} \ln(1-x) dx = \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} (-1)^{i-1} \frac{\zeta(n+1-i)}{k^i} + \frac{(-1)^{i-1} H_k}{k^n}$$

$$\therefore S_1 = \int_0^1 \frac{\ln^2(x)}{(1+x^2)^2} dx$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n (n+1) \int_0^1 x^{2n} \ln^2(x) dx \stackrel{I.B.P}{\cong} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n (n+1)}{2n+1} (x^{2n+1} \ln^2(x) -$$

$$\frac{2x^{2n+1} \ln(x)}{2n+1} + \frac{2x^{2n+1}}{(1+2n)^2}) \Big|_0^1 = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n (2n+2)}{(1+2n)^3} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n (2n+1+1)}{(1+2n)^3} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(1+2n)^2} +$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(1+2n)^3} = \beta(2) + \beta(3) = G + \frac{\pi^3}{32}$$

$$\text{Then : } \Omega = \int_0^1 \left(x^{k-1} \sum_{a=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^a}{a^n} + \frac{\ln^2(x)}{(1+x^2)^2} \right) dx = \int_0^1 x^{k-1} Li_n(x) dx + \int_0^1 \frac{\ln^2(x)}{(1+x^2)^2} dx =$$

$$S_{n,k} + S_1 = \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} (-1)^{i-1} \frac{\zeta(n+1-i)}{k^i} + \frac{(-1)^{i-1} H_k}{k^n} + G + \frac{\pi^3}{32}$$

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$$\text{As } n = 3, k = 2 : \Omega = \int_0^1 \left(x \sum_{a=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^a}{a^3} + \frac{\ln^2(x)}{(1+x^2)^2} \right) dx = \int_0^1 x Li_3(x) dx + \int_0^1 \frac{\ln^2(x)}{(1+x^2)^2} dx =$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{i-1} \frac{\zeta(4-i)}{2^i} + \frac{H_2}{8} + G + \frac{\pi^3}{32} = G + \frac{\zeta(3)}{2} + \frac{\pi^3}{32} - \frac{\pi^2}{24} + \frac{3}{16}$$

Solution 2 by Exodo Halcalias-Angola

$$\int_0^1 \left(x \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n^3} + \frac{\ln^2(x)}{(1+x^2)^2} \right) dx = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^3} \int_0^1 x^{n+1} dx + \int_0^1 \frac{\ln^2(x)}{(1+x^2)^2} dx = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^3(n+2)} +$$

$$\left(\frac{\ln^2(x)}{2} \left(\frac{x}{x^2+1} + \tan^{-1}(x) \right) \right) \Big|_0^1 - \int_0^1 \frac{\ln(x)}{x^2+1} dx - \int_0^1 \frac{\ln(x) \tan^{-1}(x)}{x} dx =$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^3} - \frac{1}{4} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2} + \frac{1}{4} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n(n+2)} - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n-1} \int_0^1 x^{2n-2} \ln(x) dx -$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{2n-1} \int_0^1 x^{2n-2} \ln(x) dx = \frac{\zeta(3)}{2} - \frac{\zeta(2)}{4} + \frac{1}{4} \int_0^1 x \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n} dx + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{(2n-1)^2} +$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{(2n-1)^3} = \frac{\zeta(3)}{2} - \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{\pi^2}{6} - \frac{1}{4} \int_0^1 x \ln(1-x) dx + \beta(2) + \beta(3) = \frac{\zeta(3)}{2} - \frac{\pi^2}{24} -$$

$$\frac{1}{4} \cdot (2(x^2-1) \ln(1-x) - x(x+2)) \Big|_0^1 + G + \frac{\pi^3}{32} = \frac{\zeta(3)}{2} - \frac{\pi^2}{24} + G + \frac{\pi^3}{32} + \frac{3}{16}$$

$$\therefore \int_0^1 \left(x \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n^3} + \frac{\ln^2(x)}{(1+x^2)^2} \right) dx = G + \frac{\zeta(3)}{2} + \frac{\pi^3}{32} - \frac{\pi^2}{24} + \frac{3}{16}$$

Solution 3 by Quadri Faruk Temitope-Nigeria

$$I = \int_0^1 \left(x \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n^3} + \frac{\ln^2(x)}{(1+x^2)^2} \right) dx = \int_0^1 x \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n^3} dx + \int_0^1 \frac{\ln^2(x)}{(1+x^2)^2} dx = A + B$$

Working on A:

$$A = \int_0^1 x \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n^3} dx = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^3} \int_0^1 x^{n+1} dx = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^3} \cdot \frac{1}{(n+2)} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^3(n+2)} =$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^3} - \frac{1}{4} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2} + \frac{1}{8} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[\frac{1}{n} - \frac{1}{n+2} \right] = \frac{\zeta(3)}{2} - \frac{1}{4} \zeta(2) + \frac{3}{2} \left(\frac{1}{8} \right) = \frac{\zeta(3)}{2} - \frac{1}{4} \zeta(2) + \frac{3}{16}$$

$$A = \frac{\zeta(3)}{2} - \frac{1}{4}\zeta(2) + \frac{3}{16}$$

Working on B :

$$B = \int_0^1 \frac{\ln^2(x)}{(1+x^2)^2} dx \left\{ dv = \frac{1}{(1+x^2)^2}, \quad v = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{x}{1+x^2} + \tan^{-1}(x) \right) \right.$$

$$\left. \left\{ u = \ln^2(x), \quad \frac{du}{dx} = \frac{2\ln(x)}{x} \right\} \right.$$

$$B = \int_0^1 \frac{\ln^2(x)}{(1+x^2)^2} dx = \left(\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{x}{x^2+1} + \tan^{-1}(x) \right) \ln^2(x) \right) \Big|_0^1 - \int_0^1 \frac{\ln(x)}{1+x^2} dx -$$

$$\int_0^1 \frac{\ln(x)\tan^{-1}(x)}{x} dx = - \int_0^1 \frac{\ln(x)}{1+x^2} dx - \int_0^1 \frac{\ln(x)\tan^{-1}(x)}{x} dx =$$

$$- \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \int_0^1 x^{2n} \ln(x) dx - \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{2n+1} \int_0^1 x^{2n+1-1} \ln(x) dx =$$

$$- \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{d}{dn} \left(\int_0^1 x^{2n} dx \right) - \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(2n+1)} \frac{d}{dn} \left(\int_0^1 x^{2n} dx \right) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(2n+1)^2} +$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(2n+1)^3} = G + \frac{\pi^3}{32}$$

$$I = A + B = \frac{\zeta(3)}{2} - \frac{1}{4}\zeta(2) + \frac{3}{16} + G + \frac{\pi^3}{32} = G + \frac{\zeta(3)}{2} + \frac{\pi^3}{32} - \frac{\pi^2}{24} + \frac{3}{16}$$

$$\therefore \int_0^1 \left(x \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n^3} + \frac{\ln^2(x)}{(1+x^2)^2} \right) dx = G + \frac{\zeta(3)}{2} + \frac{\pi^3}{32} - \frac{\pi^2}{24} + \frac{3}{16}$$

Solution 4 by Abbaszade Yusif-Azerbaijan

$$\int_0^1 \left(x \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n^3} + \left(\frac{\ln x}{1+x^2} \right)^2 \right) dx = \int_0^1 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^{n+1}}{n^3} dx + \int_0^1 \left(\frac{\ln x}{1+x^2} \right)^2 dx = \xi_1 + \xi_2$$

$$\xi_1 = \int_0^1 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^{n+1}}{n^3} dx = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^3(n+2)} = \frac{1}{8} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{n^2 - 2n + 4}{n^3} - \frac{1}{n+2} \right)$$

$$\xi_1 = \frac{1}{8} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\left(\frac{1}{n} - \frac{1}{n+2} \right) - \frac{2}{n^2} + \frac{4}{n^3} \right) = \frac{1}{8} \left(1 + \frac{1}{2} - 2 \times \frac{\pi^2}{6} + 4\zeta(3) \right)$$

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$$\xi_1 = \frac{1}{8} \left(\frac{3}{2} - \frac{\pi^2}{3} + 4\zeta(3) \right) = \frac{3}{16} - \frac{\pi^2}{24} + \frac{\zeta(3)}{2}$$

$$\xi_2 = \int_0^1 \left(\frac{\ln x}{1+x^2} \right)^2 dx = \frac{\ln^2 x}{2} \left(\frac{x}{1+x^2} + \arctan x \right) \Big|_0^1 - \int_0^1 \left(\frac{\ln x}{1+x^2} + \frac{\ln x \arctan x}{x} \right) dx$$

$$\xi_2 = - \int_0^1 \frac{\ln x}{1+x^2} dx - \ln x Ti_2(x) \Big|_0^1 + \int_0^1 \frac{Ti_2(x)}{x} dx \quad x = \tan(\theta)$$

$$\xi_2 = - \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \frac{\ln(\tan \theta)}{\sec^2 \theta} \times \sec^2 \theta d\theta + Ti_3(1) = \frac{\pi^3}{32} - \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \ln(\tan \theta) d\theta = \frac{\pi^3}{32} + G$$

$$\int_0^1 \left(x \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n^3} + \left(\frac{\ln x}{1+x^2} \right)^2 \right) dx = \xi_1 + \xi_2 = G + \frac{\zeta(3)}{2} + \frac{\pi^3}{32} - \frac{\pi^2}{24} + \frac{16}{3}$$

Note Section :

$$\int_0^x \frac{Ti_{n-1}(t)}{t} dt = Ti_n(x), \quad \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \ln(\tan x) dx = -G$$