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Prove that:

$$\int_0^1 \frac{x \cdot \arccos(x)}{\sqrt{2-2x^4}} dx = \frac{\pi}{8\sqrt{2}} {}_4F_3 \left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{4}, \frac{5}{4}; 1, \frac{3}{2}, \frac{3}{2}; 1 \right)$$

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$$I = \int_0^1 \frac{x \cdot \arccos(x)}{\sqrt{2-2x^4}} dx = \int_0^1 \frac{x \cdot \arccos(x)}{\sqrt{2(1-x^4)}} dx = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \int_0^1 \frac{x \cdot \arccos(x)}{\sqrt{1-x^4}} dx$$

$$u = \arccos(x) \quad ; \quad \frac{du}{dx} = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$$

$$dv = \frac{x}{\sqrt{1-x^4}} \quad ; \quad v = \frac{1}{2} \arcsin(x^2)$$

$$I = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left[\frac{1}{2} \arccos(x) \cdot \arcsin(x^2) \Big|_0^1 + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \frac{\arcsin(x^2)}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx \right] = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \int_0^1 \frac{\arcsin(x^2)}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx =$$

$$\underbrace{\int_0^1 \frac{\arcsin(x^2)}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx}_{\substack{x^2=y, \quad x=\sqrt{y} \\ dx=\frac{dy}{2\sqrt{y}}}} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \int_0^1 \frac{\arcsin(y)}{\sqrt{(1-y)} \cdot 2\sqrt{y}} dy = \frac{1}{4\sqrt{2}} \int_0^1 \frac{\arcsin(y)}{\sqrt{y}\sqrt{1-y}} dy =$$

$$\frac{1}{4\sqrt{2}} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(2n!)}{(2^n n!)(2n+1)} \int_0^1 \frac{y^{2n+1}}{\sqrt{y}\sqrt{1-y}} dy = \frac{1}{4\sqrt{2}} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(2n!)}{(2^n n!)(2n+1)} \int_0^1 y^{2n+1} \cdot (1-y)^{-\frac{1}{2}} dy =$$

$$\frac{1}{4\sqrt{2}} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(2n!)}{(2^n n!)(2n+1)} \int_0^1 y^{2n+\frac{3}{2}} \cdot (1-y)^{-\frac{1}{2}-1} dy = \frac{1}{4\sqrt{2}} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(2n!)}{(2^n n!)(2n+1)} \beta \left(2n + \frac{3}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \right) =$$

$$\frac{1}{4\sqrt{2}} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(2n!)}{(2^n n!)(2n+1)} \frac{\Gamma \left(2n + \frac{3}{2} \right) \Gamma \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)}{\Gamma \left(2n + \frac{3}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \right)} = \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{4\sqrt{2}} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(2n!)}{(2^n n!)(2n+1)} \frac{\Gamma \left(2n + \frac{3}{2} \right)}{\Gamma(2n+2)} =$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{4\sqrt{2}} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(2n!)}{(2^n n!)(2n+1)} \frac{\Gamma \left(2n + \frac{3}{2} \right)}{\Gamma(2n+2)} = \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{4\sqrt{2}} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2} \right)_n}{(n!)(2n+1)} \frac{\Gamma \left(2n + \frac{3}{2} \right)}{\Gamma(2n+2)} =$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{4\sqrt{2}} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2} \right)_n}{2 \left(n + \frac{1}{2} \right) n!} \frac{\Gamma \left(2n + \frac{3}{2} \right)}{\Gamma(2n+2)}$$

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This :

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{8\sqrt{2}} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)_n}{2\left(n+\frac{1}{2}\right)n!} \cdot \frac{4(n+1)\left(2n+\frac{3}{2}\right)n!}{4\left(n+\frac{3}{4}\right)(2(n+1))!} \\
 &= \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{8\sqrt{2}} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\Gamma\left(n+\frac{1}{2}\right)\Gamma\left(n+\frac{1}{2}\right)\Gamma\left(n+\frac{3}{4}\right)(n+1)\Gamma\left(n+\frac{5}{4}\right)}{n!\Gamma\left(n+\frac{3}{2}\right)\Gamma\left(n+\frac{3}{2}\right)(n+1)} = \\
 &= \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{8\sqrt{2}} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)_n \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)_n \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)_n \left(\frac{5}{4}\right)_n (1)_n}{n! \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)_n \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)_n (1)_n} = \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{8\sqrt{2}} {}_4F_3 \left[\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{4}, \frac{5}{4}; 1, \frac{3}{2}, \frac{3}{2}; 1 \right]
 \end{aligned}$$