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Prove that:

$$\int_0^1 \frac{(1-x)(1-x^2)(1-x^3)}{(1+x^2)\ln x} dx = \ln\left(\frac{18\pi^2}{5\varpi^4}\right)$$

where ϖ is Lemniscate Constant

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$$\begin{aligned} I &= \int_0^1 \frac{(1-x)(1-x^2)(1-x^3)}{(1+x^2)\ln x} dx = \int_0^1 \frac{(1-x)}{\ln x} \left(x^3 - 2x - 1 + \frac{2(1+x)}{1+x^2} \right) dx = \\ &= \int_0^1 \frac{-x^4 + x^3 + 2x^2 - x - 1}{\ln x} dx - 2 \int_0^1 \frac{x^2 - 1}{(1+x^2)\ln x} dx \\ &= - \int_0^1 \frac{x^4 - 1}{\ln x} dx + \int_0^1 \frac{x^3 - 1}{\ln x} dx + 2 \int_0^1 \frac{x^2 - 1}{\ln x} dx - \int_0^1 \frac{x - 1}{\ln x} dx - 2 \int_0^1 \frac{x^2 - 1}{(1+x^2)\ln x} dx \\ &= -H(5) + H(4) + 2H(3) - H(2) - 2K(2) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{here, } H(a) = \int_0^1 \frac{x^{a-1} - 1}{\ln x} dx = \int_{x=0}^1 \int_{t=1}^a x^{t-1} dt dx = \int_{t=1}^a \int_{x=0}^1 x^{t-1} dx dt = \int_1^a \frac{dt}{t} = \ln(a)$$

$$\Rightarrow I = -\ln 5 + \ln 4 + 2\ln 3 - \ln 2 - 2K(2) = \ln\left(\frac{18}{5}\right) - 2K(2)$$

$$\text{And, } K(a) = \int_0^1 \frac{x^a - 1}{(1+x^2)\ln x} dx \Rightarrow K(0) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow K'(a) = \int_0^1 \frac{x^a}{1+x^2} dx = \int_0^1 \frac{x^a - x^{a+2}}{1-x^4} dx \stackrel{x \rightarrow \frac{1}{x^4}}{=} \frac{1}{4} \int_0^1 \frac{x^{\frac{a-3}{4}} - x^{\frac{a-1}{4}}}{1-x} dx =$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \left(\psi\left(\frac{a+3}{4}\right) - \psi\left(\frac{a+1}{4}\right) \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow K(a) = \frac{1}{4} \int_0^a \left(\psi\left(\frac{a+3}{4}\right) - \psi\left(\frac{a+1}{4}\right) \right) da = \left[\ln\left(\frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{a+3}{4}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{a+1}{4}\right)}\right) \right]_0^a = \ln\left(\frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{a+3}{4}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{a+1}{4}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)}\right)$$

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$$\Rightarrow K(2) = \ln\left(\frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{5}{4}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)}\right) = \ln\left(\frac{\Gamma^2\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)}{4\Gamma^2\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)}\right) = \ln\left(\frac{\Gamma^4\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)}{4\Gamma^2\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)\Gamma^2\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)}\right) = \ln\left(\frac{\Gamma^4\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)}{4(\pi\sqrt{2})^2}\right) = \ln\left(\frac{\Gamma^4\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)}{8\pi^2}\right)$$

$$\text{Now, } \varpi = \frac{\Gamma^2\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)}{2\sqrt{2}\pi} \Rightarrow \varpi^2 = \frac{\Gamma^4\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)}{8\pi} \Rightarrow K(2) = \ln\left(\frac{\varpi^2}{\pi}\right) \Rightarrow I = \ln\left(\frac{18}{5}\right) - 2\ln\left(\frac{\varpi^2}{\pi}\right) = \ln\left(\frac{18\pi^2}{5\varpi^4}\right)$$