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$$\text{Find } \Omega : \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\arctan x}{1+x^2+x^4} dx$$

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$$I = \int_0^1 \frac{\arctan x}{1+x^2+x^4} dx + \int_1^{\infty} \frac{\arctan x}{1+x^2+x^4} dx$$

In the second integral we substitute $x = \frac{1}{y}$ and make use of $\arctan\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = \frac{\pi}{2} - \arctan x$, which is valid for any $x > 0$

$$I = \int_0^1 \frac{\arctan x + x^2 \arctan\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)}{1+x^2+x^4} dx = \int_0^1 \frac{(1-x^2) \arctan x}{1+x^2+x^4} dx + \frac{\pi}{2} \int_0^1 \frac{x^2}{1+x^2+x^4} dx$$

We also have:

$$\int \frac{1-x^2}{1+x^2+x^4} dx = \int \frac{\frac{1}{x^2} - 1}{\frac{1}{x^2} + 1 + x^2} dx = \int \frac{(x + \frac{1}{x})'}{1 - (x + \frac{1}{x})^2} dx = \frac{1}{2} \ln \left(\frac{1+x+x^2}{1-x+x^2} \right) + C_2$$

Therefore we integrate by parts the first integral:

$$\begin{aligned} I &= \frac{1}{2} \ln \left(\frac{1+x+x^2}{1-x+x^2} \right) \arctan x \Big|_0^1 - \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \ln \left(\frac{1+x+x^2}{1-x+x^2} \right) \frac{dx}{1+x^2} + \frac{\pi}{2} \int_0^1 \frac{x^2}{1+x^2+x^4} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \ln 3 \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \frac{\ln(1-x^3) - \ln(1-x) - \ln(1+x^3) + \ln(1+x)}{1+x^2} dx + \frac{\pi}{2} \frac{\sqrt{3}\pi - 3 \ln 3}{12} \\ &= \frac{\pi^2}{8\sqrt{3}} - \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\pi}{6} \ln(2+\sqrt{3}) + \frac{\pi}{8} \ln 2 - \frac{4}{3} G - \frac{\pi}{8} \ln 2 + G - \frac{\pi}{3} \ln(2+\sqrt{3}) - \frac{\pi}{8} \ln 2 + \frac{5}{3} G + \frac{\pi}{8} \ln 2 \right) \\ \Omega &= \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\arctan x}{1+x^2+x^4} dx = \frac{\pi^2}{8\sqrt{3}} + \frac{\pi}{12} \ln(2+\sqrt{3}) - \frac{2}{3} G \end{aligned}$$

Where G is Catalan's constant, $G = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(2n+1)^2}$

Proofs:

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^1 \frac{x^2}{1+x^2+x^4} dx &= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \frac{2}{x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2} + 1} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \frac{1 - \frac{1}{x^2}}{(x + \frac{1}{x})^2 - 1} dx + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \frac{1 + \frac{1}{x^2}}{(x - \frac{1}{x})^2 + 3} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \ln \left(\frac{x^2 - x + 1}{x^2 + x + 1} \right) \Big|_0^1 + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} \arctan \left(\frac{x - \frac{1}{x}}{\sqrt{3}} \right) \Big|_0^1 \\ &\quad \int_0^1 \frac{x^2}{1+x^2+x^4} dx = \frac{\sqrt{3}\pi - 3 \ln 3}{12} \end{aligned}$$

Let $K = \int_0^1 \frac{\ln(1-x)}{1+x^2} dx$ then substitute $x = \frac{1}{y}$:

$$K = \int_1^\infty \frac{\ln(x-1)}{1+x^2} dx - \int_1^\infty \frac{\ln x}{1+x^2} dx$$

In the first integral put $x = \tan y$ and then use $\int_a^b f(x) dx = \int_a^b f(a+b-x) dx$

$$K_1 = \int_{\frac{\pi}{4}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \ln(\tan(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\pi}{2} - y) - 1) dy = \int_{\frac{\pi}{4}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \ln\left(\frac{2}{\tan x - 1}\right) dx$$

$$2K_1 = \int_{\frac{\pi}{4}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \ln 2 dx \rightarrow K_1 = \frac{\pi}{8} \ln 2$$

Since $\int_1^\infty \frac{\ln x}{1+x^2} dx = G \rightarrow K = \frac{\pi}{8} \ln 2 - G$

$$J = \int_0^1 \frac{\ln(1+x)}{1+x^2} dx, \quad x = \frac{1-t}{1+t} \rightarrow t = \frac{1-x}{1+x} \rightarrow dx = -\frac{2}{(1+x)^2} dt$$

$$J = \int_0^1 \frac{\ln 2 - \ln(1+t)}{1+t^2} dt \rightarrow 2J = \ln 2 \int_0^1 \frac{dx}{1+x^2} \rightarrow J = \frac{\pi}{8} \ln 2$$

Let $I_2 = \int_0^\infty \frac{\ln(x^3+1)}{1+x^2} dx$ and substitute $x = \frac{1}{y}$:

$$I_2 = \int_1^\infty \frac{\ln(y^3+1) - \ln(y^3)}{1+y^2} dy = \frac{1}{2} \left(\int_0^\infty \frac{\ln(1+x^3)}{1+x^2} dx - 3 \int_1^\infty \frac{\ln x}{1+x^2} dx \right)$$

(1) $I_2 = \frac{1}{2} I(1) - \frac{3}{2} G$ Where:

$$I(t) = \int_0^\infty \frac{\ln(t+x^3)}{1+x^2} dx \rightarrow I'(t) = \int_0^\infty \frac{dx}{(t+x^3)(1+x^2)}$$

Using partial fractions:

$$I'(t) = \frac{1}{1+t^2} \left(\int_0^\infty \left(\frac{x}{1+x^2} - \frac{x^2}{t+x^3} \right) dx + t \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx - t \int_0^\infty \frac{x}{t+x^3} dx + \int_0^\infty \frac{dx}{t+x^3} \right)$$

In the last two integrals substitute $x^3 = ty$

$$I'(t) = \frac{1}{1+t^2} \left(\ln \left(\frac{\sqrt{1+x^2}}{\sqrt[3]{t+x^3}} \right) \Big|_0^\infty + \frac{\pi}{2} t + \frac{1}{3} t^{-2/3} \int_0^\infty \frac{y^{-2/3}}{1+y} dy - \frac{1}{3} t^{2/3} \int_0^\infty \frac{y^{-1/3}}{1+y} dy \right)$$

Using the identity $\int_0^\infty \frac{x^{a-1}}{1+x} dx = \pi \csc(a\pi)$ results in:

$$I'(t) = \frac{1}{1+t^2} \left(\frac{1}{3} \ln t + \frac{\pi}{2} t + \frac{2\pi}{3\sqrt{3}} (t^{-2/3} - t^{2/3}) \right)$$

Since $I(0) = 3 \int_0^\infty \frac{\ln x}{1+x^2} dx$ with $x = \frac{1}{y}$ gives $I(0) = -3 \int_0^\infty \frac{\ln y}{1+y^2} dy \rightarrow I(0) = 0$

Therefore $I(1) - I(0) = \int_0^\infty \frac{\ln(1+x^3)}{1+x^2} dx$, but $I(1) - I(0) = \int_0^1 I'(t) dt$

$$I(1) = \frac{1}{3} \int_0^1 \frac{\ln t}{1+t^2} dt + \frac{\pi}{2} \int_0^1 \frac{t}{1+t^2} dt + \frac{2\pi}{3\sqrt{3}} \int_0^1 \frac{t^{-2/3} - t^{2/3}}{1+t^2} dt$$

$$I(1) = -\frac{1}{3}G + \frac{\pi}{4} \ln 2 + \frac{2\pi}{3} \ln(2 + \sqrt{3})$$

Combining the result with (1) gives:

$$I_2 = \int_0^1 \frac{\ln(1+x^3)}{1+x^2} dx = \frac{\pi}{3} \ln(2 + \sqrt{3}) + \frac{\pi}{8} \ln 2 - \frac{5}{3}G$$

Let $I_3 = \int_0^1 \frac{\ln(1-x^3)}{1+x^2} dx$ making two substitution $x = -\frac{1}{y}$ and $x = -y$

$$2I_3 = \int_{-\infty}^0 \frac{\ln(1+y^3)}{1+y^2} dy - \int_{-\infty}^{-1} \frac{\ln y^3}{1+y^2} dy$$

$$\begin{aligned} I_3 &= \frac{1}{2} \left(\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\ln(1+x^3)}{1+x^2} dx - \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\ln(1+x^3)}{1+x^2} dx - 3 \int_1^{\infty} \frac{\ln x}{1+x^2} dx - i\pi \int_1^{\infty} \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left(X(1) - I(1) - 3G - i\frac{\pi^2}{4} \right) \end{aligned}$$

Where $X(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\ln(1+x^3)}{1+x^2} dx$

$$X'(t) = \frac{1}{1+t^2} \left(\ln \left(\frac{\sqrt{1+x^2}}{\sqrt[3]{t+x^3}} \right) \Big|_{-\infty}^{\infty} + \pi t + \frac{2}{3} t^{-2/3} \int_0^{\infty} \frac{t^{-2/3}}{1+t} dt - \frac{2}{3} t^{2/3} \int_0^{\infty} \frac{t^{-1/3}}{1+t} dt \right)$$

With the same approach from $I(1)$ results in:

$$I_3 = \frac{1}{2} \left(i\frac{\pi^2}{4} + \frac{\pi}{2} \ln 2 + \pi \ln(2 + \sqrt{3}) + \frac{1}{3}G - \frac{\pi}{4} \ln 2 - \frac{2\pi}{3} \ln(2 + \sqrt{3}) - 3G - i\frac{\pi^2}{4} \right)$$

$$I_3 = \int_0^1 \frac{\ln(1-x^3)}{1+x^2} dx = \frac{\pi}{6} \ln(2 + \sqrt{3}) + \frac{\pi}{8} \ln 2 - \frac{4}{3}G$$