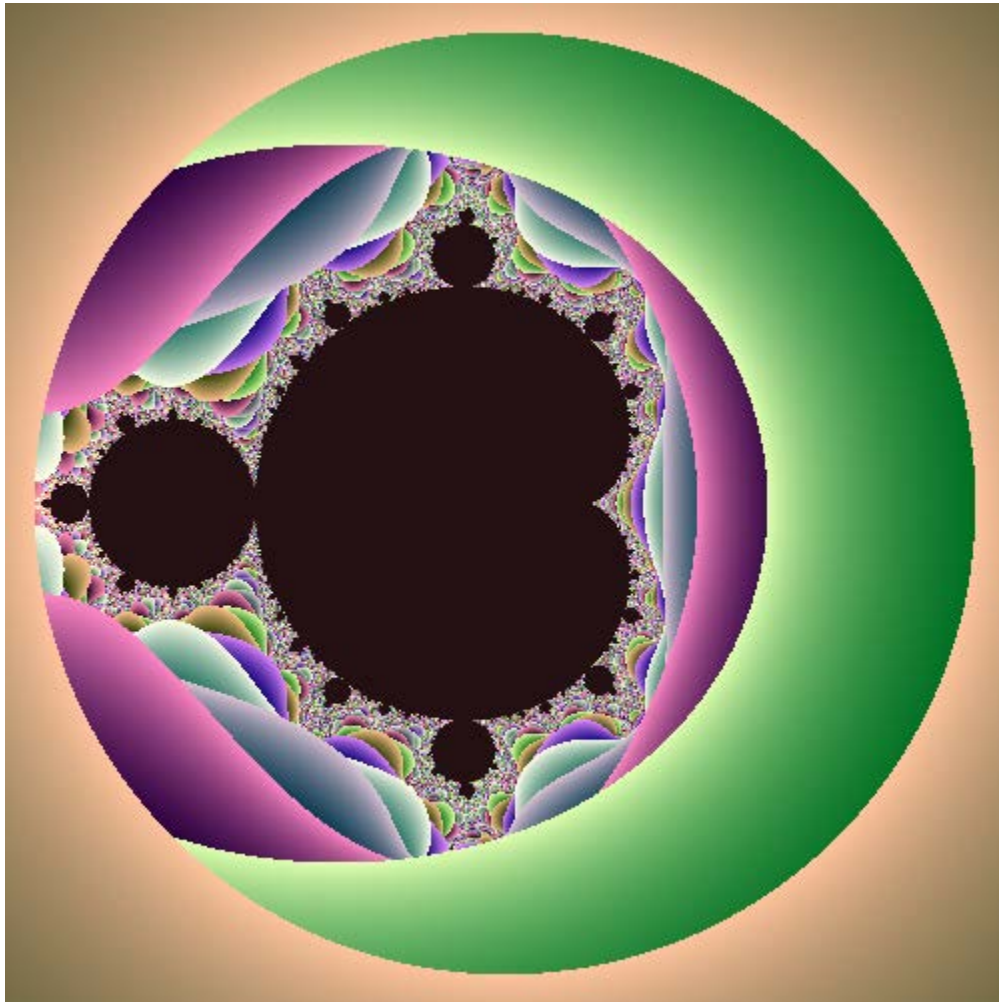


Question 416 : Pi , Integral Representations

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Abstract

This note presents some elementary integrals for pi.



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$$\pi = \frac{16}{\sqrt{3}} \int_0^{2\sqrt{3}/9} \left(\sqrt{1 - 2 \cos \left(\frac{2\pi + \cos^{-1} f(x)}{3} \right)} - \sqrt{1 - 2 \cos \left(\frac{4\pi + \cos^{-1} f(x)}{3} \right)} \right) dx \quad (1)$$

$$f(x) = \frac{27x^2 - 2}{2}$$

$$\pi = \frac{8\sqrt{2}}{9} \int_{-1}^1 \left(\sqrt{1 - 2 \cos \left(\frac{2\pi + \cos^{-1} x}{3} \right)} - \sqrt{1 - 2 \cos \left(\frac{4\pi + \cos^{-1} x}{3} \right)} \right) \frac{dx}{\sqrt{1+x}} \quad (2)$$

$$\pi = \frac{8\sqrt{2}}{9} \int_{-1}^1 \left(\sqrt{1 - 2 \cos \left(\frac{5\pi - 2 \sin^{-1} x}{6} \right)} - \sqrt{1 - 2 \cos \left(\frac{9\pi - 2 \sin^{-1} x}{6} \right)} \right) \frac{dx}{\sqrt{1+x}} \quad (3)$$

$$\pi = \frac{8\sqrt{2}}{9} \int_0^{\pi} \left(\sqrt{1 - 2 \cos \left(\frac{2\pi + x}{3} \right)} - \sqrt{1 - 2 \cos \left(\frac{4\pi + x}{3} \right)} \right) \sqrt{1 - \cos x} dx \quad (4)$$

$$\pi = \frac{8\sqrt{2}}{9} \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \left(\sqrt{1 - 2 \cos \left(\frac{5\pi - 2x}{6} \right)} - \sqrt{1 - 2 \cos \left(\frac{9\pi - 2x}{6} \right)} \right) \sqrt{1 - \sin x} dx \quad (5)$$

$$\pi = \frac{16}{9} \int_0^{\pi} \left(\sqrt{1 - 2 \cos \left(\frac{2\pi + x}{3} \right)} - \sqrt{1 - 2 \cos \left(\frac{4\pi + x}{3} \right)} \right) \sin \left(\frac{x}{2} \right) dx \quad (6)$$

$$\pi = \frac{16}{3} \int_0^{\pi/3} \left(\sqrt{1 + \cos x + \sqrt{3} \sin x} - \sqrt{1 + \cos x - \sqrt{3} \sin x} \right) \sin \left(\frac{3x}{2} \right) dx \quad (7)$$

$$\pi = \frac{32\sqrt{2}}{3} \int_0^{\pi/6} \left(\sqrt{1 + \sqrt{3} \tan x} - \sqrt{1 - \sqrt{3} \tan x} \right) \cos x \sin(3x) dx \quad (8)$$

$$\pi = 32\sqrt{2} \int_0^1 \left(\sqrt{1+x} - \sqrt{1-x} \right) \frac{(9x - x^3)}{(3+x^2)^3} dx \quad (9)$$

$$\pi = 32 \int_0^{\pi/2} \left(\cos\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) - \sin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) \right) \frac{(9 - (\cos x)^2)}{(3 + (\cos x)^2)^3} \sin(2x) dx \quad (10)$$

$$\pi = \frac{8\sqrt{2}}{9} \int_{1/2}^1 \left(\sqrt{1+x+\sqrt{3}\sqrt{1-x^2}} - \sqrt{1+x-\sqrt{3}\sqrt{1-x^2}} \right) \frac{(12x^2-3)}{\sqrt{1-3x+4x^3}} dx \quad (11)$$

$$\pi = \frac{8\sqrt{2}}{9} \int_0^{\sqrt{3}/2} \frac{\left(\sqrt{1+\sqrt{3}x+\sqrt{1-x^2}} - \sqrt{1-\sqrt{3}x+\sqrt{1-x^2}} \right) (9x-12x^3)}{\sqrt{(1-x^2)(1+(1-4x^2)\sqrt{1-x^2})}} dx \quad (12)$$

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