

Answer on Question #50682 - Math - Calculus

integral $\sqrt{1-x^2} \cdot \sin^{-1} x \, dx$

Solution

Method 1

(integration by parts)

We have $\sin^{-1} x = \arcsin x$ and $(\sin^{-1} x)' = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$.

We use also integration by parts

$$\int \varphi(x) * \psi'(x) dx = \varphi(x) * \psi(x) - \int \psi(x) * \varphi'(x) dx.$$

Let $I = \int \sqrt{1-x^2} * \sin^{-1} x \, dx$.

Then,

$$\begin{aligned} I &= \int \sqrt{1-x^2} \cdot \sin^{-1} x \, dx = \\ &= \left| \begin{array}{l} \varphi(x) = \sqrt{1-x^2} \cdot \sin^{-1} x, \psi'(x) = 1, \\ \varphi'(x) = \frac{-2x \sin^{-1} x}{2\sqrt{1-x^2}} + \sqrt{1-x^2} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} = 1 - \frac{x \sin^{-1} x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}, \psi(x) = x \end{array} \right| = \\ &= x \left(\sin^{-1} x \cdot \sqrt{1-x^2} \right) \\ &\quad - \int x \left(\sqrt{1-x^2} * \sin^{-1} x \right)' dx = \\ &= x \sin^{-1} x \cdot \sqrt{1-x^2} \\ &\quad - \int x \left(\frac{-x \sin^{-1} x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} + \sqrt{1-x^2} * \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} \right) dx = \\ &= x \sin^{-1} x \cdot \sqrt{1-x^2} - \int x dx - \int \frac{1-x^2-1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} \sin^{-1} x \, dx = x \sin^{-1} x \\ &\quad \cdot \sqrt{1-x^2} - \frac{x^2}{2} - \int \sqrt{1-x^2} \cdot \sin^{-1} x \, dx + \int \frac{\sin^{-1} x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx = x \sin^{-1} x \\ &\quad \cdot \sqrt{1-x^2} - \frac{x^2}{2} - I + \int \sin^{-1} x d(\sin^{-1} x) = x \sin^{-1} x \cdot \sqrt{1-x^2} - \frac{x^2}{2} - I \\ &\quad + \frac{(\sin^{-1} x)^2}{2} + C, \end{aligned}$$

where C is an arbitrary real constant. Equating the left-hand and the right-hand sides of the previous equalities,

$$I = x \sin^{-1} x \cdot \sqrt{1-x^2} - \frac{x^2}{2} - I + \frac{(\sin^{-1} x)^2}{2} + C,$$

we obtain

$$2I = 2 \int \sqrt{1-x^2} * \sin^{-1} x \, dx = x \sin^{-1} x \cdot \sqrt{1-x^2} - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{(\sin^{-1} x)^2}{2} + C$$

Hence

$$\int \sqrt{1-x^2} \cdot \sin^{-1} x \, dx = \frac{x \sin^{-1} x}{2} \sqrt{1-x^2} - \frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{(\sin^{-1} x)^2}{4} + C.$$

Method 2

(substitution and integration by parts)

$$\begin{aligned}
\int \sqrt{1-x^2} * \sin^{-1} x \, dx &= |\text{substitution } x = \sin(t), t = \sin^{-1}(x), dx = \cos t dt| = \\
&= \int \cos(t) \sin^{-1}(\sin(t)) \cos(t) \, dt = \int t \cos^2 t \, dt = \int t \frac{1 + \cos(2t)}{2} \, dt \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \int t \, dt + \frac{1}{2} \int t \cos(2t) \, dt = \frac{1}{2} \frac{t^2}{2} \\
&+ \frac{1}{4} \int t \, d\sin(2t) = |\text{integration by parts}| = \frac{t^2}{4} + \frac{1}{4} \left(t \sin(2t) - \int \sin(2t) \, dt \right) \\
&= \frac{t^2}{4} + \frac{t \sin(2t)}{4} + \frac{\cos(2t)}{8} + C = \frac{t^2}{4} + \frac{2t \sin(t) \cos(t)}{4} + \frac{1 - 2 \sin^2 t}{8} + C = \\
&= \frac{(\sin^{-1} x)^2}{4} + \frac{\sin^{-1} x \cdot \sin(\sin^{-1} x) \cdot \cos(\sin^{-1} x)}{2} + \frac{1 - 2(\sin(\sin^{-1} x))^2}{8} + C = \\
&= \frac{(\sin^{-1} x)^2}{4} + \frac{x \sin^{-1} x \cdot \sqrt{1-x^2}}{2} - \frac{x^2}{4} + C_1, \text{ where } C_1 = \frac{1}{8} + C, \text{ later we can note } C
\end{aligned}$$

instead of C_1 in the answer.

Answer:

$$\int \sqrt{1-x^2} \cdot \sin^{-1} x \, dx = \frac{x \sin^{-1} x}{2} \sqrt{1-x^2} - \frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{(\sin^{-1} x)^2}{4} + C.$$