

Let $x = 2 - \cos \theta$. Then,

$$\theta = \cos^{-1}(2 - x)$$

$$\frac{dx}{d\theta} = \sin \theta$$

Hence,

$$\int_{\frac{3}{2}}^2 \left(\frac{x-1}{3-x} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} dx = \int_{\frac{\pi}{3}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \left(\frac{1-\cos \theta}{1+\cos \theta} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \sin \theta d\theta$$

$\cos \theta = (\cos \frac{1}{2}\theta)^2 - (\sin \frac{1}{2}\theta)^2$, hence:

$$\int_{\frac{\pi}{3}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \left(\frac{1-\cos \theta}{1+\cos \theta} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \sin \theta d\theta = \int_{\frac{\pi}{3}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \left(\frac{2(\sin \frac{1}{2}\theta)^2}{2(\cos \frac{1}{2}\theta)^2} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \sin \theta d\theta$$

Since $0 \leq \theta < \pi$ in the domain we are considering, both $\sin \frac{1}{2}\theta$ and $\cos \frac{1}{2}\theta$ may be assumed to be positive:

$$\int_{\frac{\pi}{3}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \left(\frac{2(\sin \frac{1}{2}\theta)^2}{2(\cos \frac{1}{2}\theta)^2} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \sin \theta d\theta = \int_{\frac{\pi}{3}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\sin \frac{1}{2}\theta}{\cos \frac{1}{2}\theta} \sin \theta d\theta$$

$\sin \theta = 2 \sin \frac{1}{2}\theta \cos \frac{1}{2}\theta$, hence:

$$\int_{\frac{\pi}{3}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\sin \frac{1}{2}\theta}{\cos \frac{1}{2}\theta} \sin \theta d\theta = \int_{\frac{\pi}{3}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\sin \frac{1}{2}\theta}{\cos \frac{1}{2}\theta} \cdot 2 \sin \frac{1}{2}\theta \cos \frac{1}{2}\theta d\theta = \int_{\frac{\pi}{3}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} 2 \left(\sin \frac{1}{2}\theta \right)^2 d\theta$$

And since $1 - \cos \theta = 2 \left(\sin \frac{1}{2}\theta \right)^2$:

$$\int_{\frac{\pi}{3}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} 2 \left(\sin \frac{1}{2}\theta \right)^2 d\theta = \int_{\frac{\pi}{3}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} (1 - \cos \theta) d\theta = [\theta - \sin \theta]_{\frac{\pi}{3}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}}$$

Therefore:

$$\int_{\frac{3}{2}}^2 \left(\frac{x-1}{3-x} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} dx = \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi}{3} \right) - \left(1 - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right) = \frac{\pi}{6} - 1 + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = \frac{2(\pi + 3\sqrt{3} - 6)}{12}$$

Now, let $x = A - B \cos \theta$ with constants A, B such that:

$$\begin{aligned} x - a &= N(1 - \cos \theta) \\ b - x &= N(1 + \cos \theta) \end{aligned}$$

Comparing coefficients,

$$N = B = A - a = b - A$$

Since $A - a = b - A$, $A = \frac{1}{2}(a + b)$, hence, $B = N = \frac{1}{2}(b - a)$. Thus:

$$x = \frac{1}{2}((a + b) - (b - a) \cos \theta)$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{(a + b) - 2x}{(b - a)}$$

$$\frac{dx}{d\theta} = \frac{1}{2}(b - a) \sin \theta$$

Let p' be such that $p = \frac{1}{2}((a + b) - (b - a) \cos p')$. Then:

$$\cos p' = \frac{(a + b) - 2p}{(b - a)} = \frac{(a + b) - \frac{1}{2}(3a + b)}{(b - a)} = \frac{\frac{1}{2}(b - a)}{(b - a)} = \frac{1}{2}$$

Hence $p' = \frac{\pi}{3}$.

Let q' be defined analogously for q . Then:

$$\cos q' = \frac{(a + b) - 2q}{(b - a)} = \frac{(a + b) - (a + b)}{(b - a)} = 0$$

Hence $p' = \frac{\pi}{2}$.

Therefore:

$$\int_p^q \left(\frac{x - a}{b - x} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} dx = \int_{p'}^{q'} \left(\frac{\frac{1}{2}(b - a)(1 - \cos \theta)}{\frac{1}{2}(b - a)(1 - \cos \theta)} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \cdot \frac{1}{2}(b - a) \sin \theta d\theta$$

$$\int_p^q \left(\frac{x - a}{b - x} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} dx = \frac{1}{2}(b - a) \int_{\frac{\pi}{3}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \left(\frac{1 - \cos \theta}{1 + \cos \theta} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \sin \theta d\theta$$

Using the previous result:

$$\int_p^q \left(\frac{x - a}{b - x} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} dx = \frac{1}{2}(b - a) \cdot \frac{2(\pi + 3\sqrt{3} - 6)}{12} = \frac{(b - a)(\pi + 3\sqrt{3} - 6)}{12}$$