$$\int_{C} x ds = \int_{0}^{\pi} x \sqrt{1 + \cos^{2} x} dx = \frac{\pi}{2} \int_{0}^{\pi} \sqrt{1 + \cos^{2} x} dx = \frac{\pi}{2} \int_{0}^{\pi} \frac{1 + \cos^{2} x}{\sqrt{1 + \cos^{2} x}} dx$$

$$\geq \frac{\pi}{2\sqrt{2}} \int_{0}^{\pi} (1 + \cos^{2} x) dx = \frac{\sqrt{3}\sqrt{2}}{8} \pi^{2} \quad (3 \%)$$