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1. (5 points) Determine whether the integral  $\int_1^\infty \frac{\ln(x)}{x} dx$  is convergent or divergent. If it is convergent, evaluate it.

**Solution:**

Try  $u = \ln(x)$ ; then  $dx = xdu$ , and:

$$= \int_{x=1}^{\infty} u du$$

$$= \left[ \frac{u^2}{2} \right]_{x=1}^{\infty}$$

$$= \left[ \frac{(\ln(x))^2}{2} \right]_{x=1}^{\infty}$$

$$= \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \left[ \frac{(\ln(t))^2}{2} - \frac{(\ln(1))^2}{2} \right]$$

$$= \infty$$

So the integral diverges.

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2. (5 points) Find the exact length of the curve

$$y = \ln(\sec(x)),$$

where  $0 \leq x \leq \frac{\pi}{4}$ .

**Solution:**

$$y = \ln(\sec(x))$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}[y] = \frac{d}{dx}[\ln(\sec(x))]$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}[y] = \frac{\sec(x) \tan(x)}{\sec(x)}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}[y] = \tan(x)$$

$$\left(\frac{d}{dx}[y]\right)^2 = \tan^2(x)$$

$$\left(\frac{d}{dx}[y]\right)^2 + 1 = \tan^2(x) + 1$$

$$\left(\frac{d}{dx}[y]\right)^2 + 1 = \sec^2(x)$$

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$$\sqrt{\left(\frac{d}{dx}[y]\right)^2 + 1} = \sec(x)$$

So, the arc length is:

$$\int_0^{\pi/4} \sec(x) dx$$

$$= [\ln |\sec(x) + \tan(x)|]_0^{\pi/4}$$

$$= [\ln |\sqrt{2} + 1| - \ln |1|]$$

$$= \ln |\sqrt{2} + 1|$$