

Jacob Meier

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1. Fermat,

2. His most famous pupil was Victor Bonnet. His book, "Traité des propriétés projectives des figures" contained essential concepts of geometry,

3. Galois' father was mayor

(4) Balzac

$$(5) \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}} dx = \sqrt{2\pi}$$

$$\text{Proof: } \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}} dx = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-\frac{y^2}{2}} dy = \iint_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-\left(\frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{y^2}{2}\right)} dx dy$$

Polar Coordinates:

$$= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\infty} r e^{-\frac{r^2}{2}} dr d\theta = \left[-\sqrt{2} e^{-\frac{r^2}{2}} \right]_0^{\infty} = \sqrt{2\pi}$$