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$$y' = \frac{1}{x}$$

$$S = \int \sqrt{1 + y'^2} dx$$

$$= \int_{1/10}^1 \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{1}{x}\right)^2} dx$$

$$= \int_{1/10}^1 \sqrt{\frac{x^2 + 1}{x^2}} dx$$

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