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Find a closed form:

$$\Omega = \int_0^1 \int_0^1 \frac{\ln(xy) \ln(1 + 2xy)}{xy} dx dy$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
 \Omega &= \int_0^1 \int_0^1 \frac{\ln(xy) \ln(1 + 2xy)}{xy} dx dy = \\
 &\stackrel{xy \rightarrow t}{=} \int_0^1 \int_0^y \frac{\ln(t) \ln(1 + 2t)}{ty} dt dy = - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-2)^n}{n} \int_0^1 \int_0^y \frac{1}{y} \ln(t) t^{n-1} dt dy = \{IBP\ method\} \\
 &= - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-2)^n}{n^2} \int_0^1 \ln(y) y^{n-1} dy + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-2)^n}{n^2} \int_0^1 \int_0^y \frac{t^{n-1}}{y} dt dy = A + B \\
 A &= - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-2)^n}{n^2} \int_0^1 \ln(y) y^{n-1} dy = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-2)^n}{n^4} \quad \{note \int_0^1 x^m (\ln x)^n dx = \frac{(-1)^n n!}{(m+1)^{n+1}}\} \\
 B &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-2)^n}{n^2} \int_0^1 \int_0^y \frac{t^{n-1}}{y} dt dy = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-2)^n}{n^3} \int_0^1 y^{n-1} dy = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-2)^n}{n^4} \\
 I &= A + B = 2 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-2)^n}{n^4} = 2 \operatorname{Li}_4(-2) \quad \{note \operatorname{Li}_4(-2) = -\operatorname{Li}_4\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) - \frac{7\pi^4}{360} - \frac{\pi^2 (\ln 2)^2}{12} - \frac{(\ln 2)^4}{24}\} \\
 I &= \operatorname{Li}_4(-2) - \operatorname{Li}_4\left(\frac{-1}{2}\right) - \frac{\pi^2 (\ln 2)^2}{12} - \frac{7\pi^4}{360} - \frac{(\ln 2)^4}{24}
 \end{aligned}$$