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Find:

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{dx dy}{\sin^2(x) + \cos(y)}$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
 \Omega &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \left(\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{dx}{\sin^2(x) + \cos(y)} \right) dy = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \left(\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\frac{dx}{\cos^2(x)}}{\frac{\sin^2(x)}{\cos^2(x)} + \frac{\cos(y)}{\cos^2(x)}} \right) dy = \\
 &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \left(\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{d(\tan x)}{(\tan x)^2 + \cos y (1 + \tan^2(x))} \right) dy \stackrel{\tan(x)=t}{\cong} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \left(\int_0^{\infty} \frac{dx}{\cos(y) + (1 + \cos(y))t^2} \right) dy = \\
 &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{dy}{\sqrt{\cos(y)(1 + \cos(y))}} \left(\int_0^{\infty} \frac{d \sqrt{\frac{1 + \cos(y)}{\cos(y)} t}}{1 + \left(\sqrt{\frac{1 + \cos(y)}{\cos(y)} t} \right)^2} \right) dx = \\
 &\left. \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{dy}{\sqrt{\cos(y)(1 + \cos(y))}} \left(\arctan \sqrt{\frac{1 + \cos(y)}{\cos(y)} t} \right) \right|_0^\infty = \frac{\pi}{2} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{\cos(y)(1 + \cos(y))}} \right) dy = \\
 &\stackrel{\tan(\frac{y}{2})=t}{=} \frac{\pi}{2} \int_0^1 \frac{\left(\frac{2}{1+t^2} \right)}{\sqrt{\frac{1-t^2}{1+t^2} \cdot \frac{2}{1+t^2}}} dt = \frac{\pi}{2} \sqrt{2} \int_0^1 \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-t^2}} dt = \frac{\pi}{2} \sqrt{2} \arcsin(1) = \frac{\pi^2}{2\sqrt{2}}
 \end{aligned}$$