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Let $P_2(x)$ denote the number of pseudoprimes $n \leq x$ of the form $n = pq$, where p, q are distinct primes. We conjecture $P_2(x) \sim C\sqrt{x}/\ln^2(x)$, where C is an explicit, although difficult to compute, constant. Our conjecture is closely related to a similar conjecture of Granville and Pomerance on the density of Carmichael numbers with k prime factors. A heuristic argument and computational evidence are given in support of our conjecture. (Received October 03, 2000)