



CDS 101/110a: Lecture 8-1 PID Control

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Goals:

- Continuation frequency-domain performance specification
- Introduce PID (Proportional + Integral + Derivative) feedback
- Show how to use (*tune*) PID to achieve a performance specification

Reading:

- Åström and Murray, *Feedback Systems*, Ch 10
- *Advanced*: Lewis, Chapters 12-13

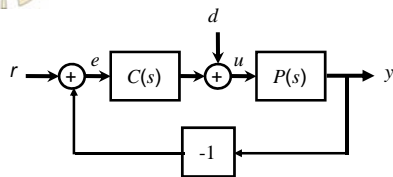
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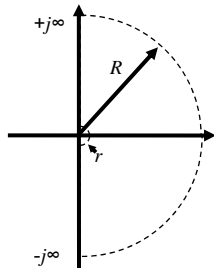
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Last Week: Loop Analysis



- $L(s) = P(s)C(s)$: zeroes $1+L(s)$ are poles of TF
- Nyquist criteria for loop stability
- Gain, phase margin for robustness



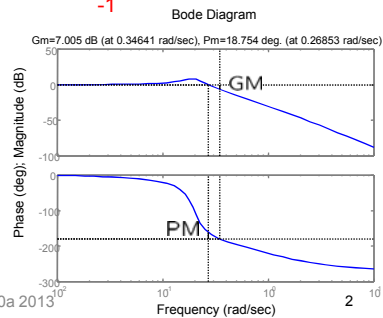
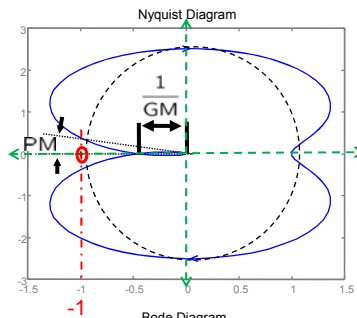
Thm (Nyquist).

- P # RHP poles of $L(s)$
- N # CW encirclements
- Z # RHP zeros of $1+L$

$$Z = N + P$$

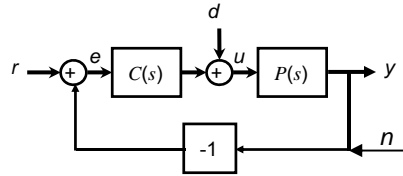
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Design based on loop transfer function



$$L(s) = P(s)C(s)$$

$$H_{er} = \frac{1}{1+L} \quad H_{yr} = \frac{L}{1+L}$$

$$H_{yd} = \frac{P}{1+L} \quad H_{yn} = \frac{-L}{1+L}$$

“Gang of Four”



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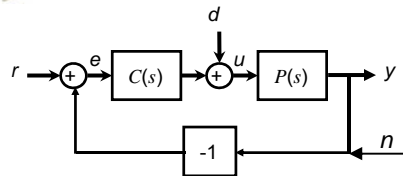
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- Stability depends only on $L = PC$ (last week)
 - Robustness requires reasonable gain and phase margin
- Performance depends (mostly) on $L = PC$
 - When L is large, tracking performance and disturbance rejection is good
 - When L is small, sensor noise rejection is good, actuator response is small.
 - Typically care about tracking and disturbance response at low frequencies
- Use **Loop Analysis** to design $C(s)$:
 - **PID Control** (Today)
 - **Loop Shaping** (Wednesday)

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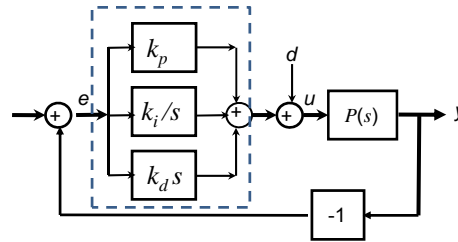
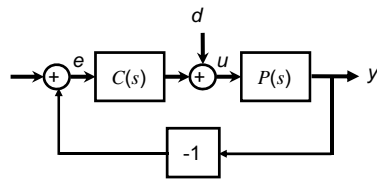
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Proportional Integral Derivative (PID) Control

$$u(t) = \underbrace{k_p e(t)}_{\text{Proportional}} + \underbrace{k_i \int_0^t e(\tau) d\tau}_{\text{Integral}} + \underbrace{k_d \frac{de(t)}{dt}}_{\text{Derivative}}$$



Extremely common and popular

- “Based on a survey of over 11,000 controllers in the refining, chemicals and pulp and paper industries, 97% ... utilize PID feedback.” L. Desborough and R. Miller, 2002
- Many variations possible

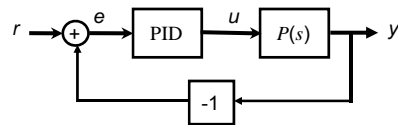
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Overview: PID control



$$u = k_p e + k_i \int e dt + k_d \dot{e}$$

$$C(s) = \frac{k_i}{s} + k_p + k_d s$$

- Intuition
 - Proportional term: provides inputs that correct for “current” errors
 - Integral term: ensures steady state error goes to zero
 - Derivative term: provides “anticipation” of upcoming changes (or damping in some cases)
- A bit of history on “three term control”
 - First appeared in 1922 paper by Minorsky: “Directional stability of automatically steered bodies” under the name “three term control”
 - Also realized that “small deviations” (linearization) could be used to understand the (nonlinear) system dynamics under control
- Utility of PID
 - For many systems, only need PI or PD (special case)
 - Many tools for tuning PID loops and designing gains
 - Found in biological Systems

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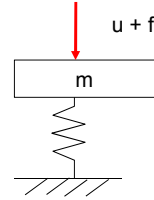
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Time-domain motivation

- Mass-spring system: $m\ddot{z} + c\dot{z} + kz = u + f$
- PD control: $u = -(k_p z + k_d \dot{z})$
- Closed-loop: $m\ddot{z} + (c + k_d)\dot{z} + (k + k_p)z = f$



- Derivative gain acts like increasing damping
 - Increases system stability (greater phase margin)
- Proportional gain acts like increasing stiffness
 - No matter how large the stiffness, still a non-zero response to disturbance force
- Steady-state (for constant disturbance force f)

$$\dot{z} = 0 \Rightarrow \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} z(t) = \frac{1}{k + k_p} f, \text{ and } \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} u(t) = -\frac{k_p}{k + k_p} f$$

- Integral control: $\dot{q} = z$

$$u = -(k_i q + k_p z + k_d \dot{z})$$
 - Steady-state (assuming stability) then for constant f

$$\dot{q} = 0 \Rightarrow \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} z = 0, \text{ and } \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} u(t) = -f$$

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Proportional Feedback

- Simplest controller choice: $u = k_p e$
 - Effect: lifts gain with no change in phase
 - Good for plants with low phase up to desired bandwidth
 - Bode: shift gain up by factor of k_p
 - Step response: better steady state error, but with decreasing stability

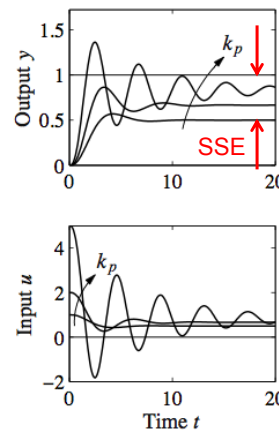
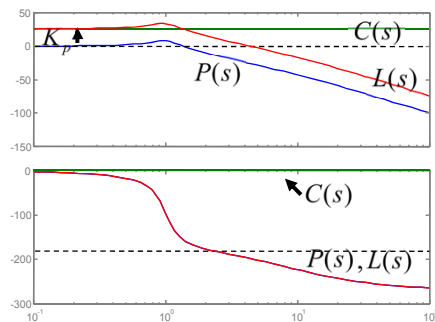
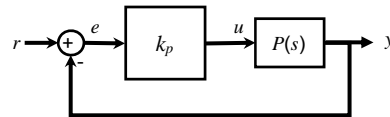


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Proportional Feedback (continued)

$$H_{yr} = \frac{PC}{1 + PC}$$

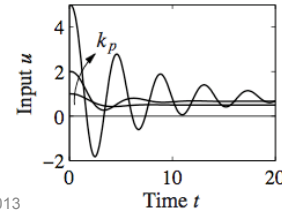
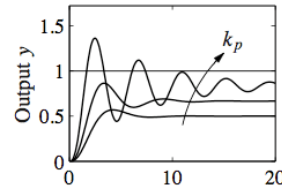
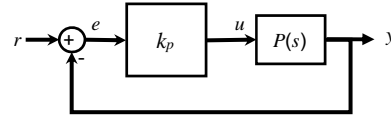
Unit Step Steady State Error

$$1 - H_{yr}(0) = \frac{1}{1 + k_p P(0)} \neq 0$$

Error decreases with gain, but not zero. To avoid SSE:

$$u(t) = k_p e(t) + u_{ff}$$

u_{ff} is a *feed-forward* term, called a *reset*. Not good in practice.



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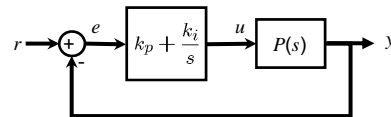
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Proportional + Integral (PI) Compensation

- Use to eliminate steady state error
 - Effect: lifts gain at low frequency
 - Gives zero steady state error
 - Bode: infinite SS gain + nonzero phase margin
 - Step response: zero steady state error, with smaller settling time, but more overshoot



$$k_p > 0, k_i > 0$$

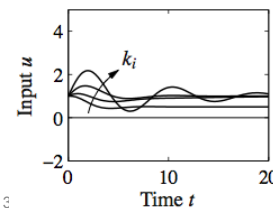
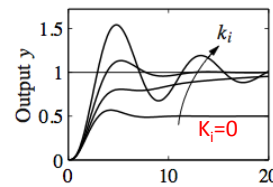
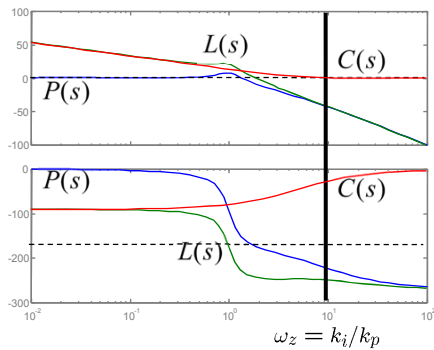


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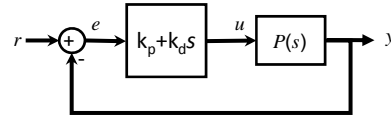
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Proportional + Derivative (PD) Control



PD controller can be written as:

$$u = k_p e + k_d \frac{de}{dt} = k_p \left(e + T_d \frac{de}{dt} \right) = k_p e_p$$

Where e_p is the *prediction error*, which is the linear approximation of error at time T_d

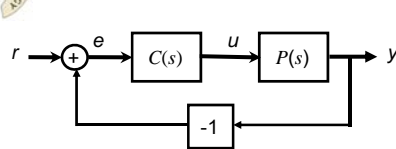
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Proportional + Integral + Derivative (PID) Control



$$\begin{aligned} C(s) &= k_p + k_i \frac{1}{s} + k_d s \\ &= k \left(1 + \frac{1}{T_i s} + T_d s \right) \\ &= (k T_d) \frac{(s + \alpha_i)(s + \alpha_d)}{s} \end{aligned}$$

Bode Diagrams

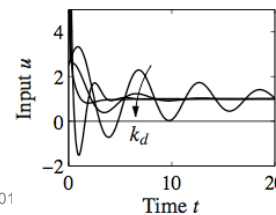
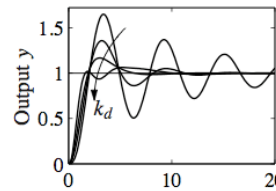
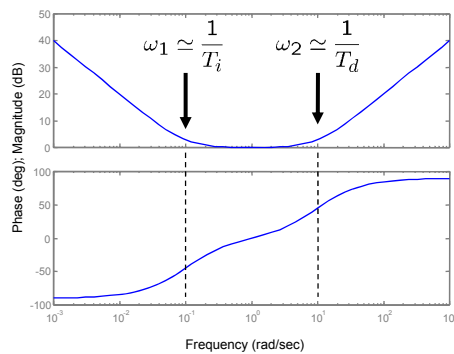


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Example: Cruise Control using PID - Specification



Car going up hill (adapted from Ex. 5.11, p. 158) ·

Car Dynamics under Cruise Control

$$m \frac{dv}{dt} = \underbrace{\alpha_n u T(\alpha_n v)}_{\text{Engine Force}} - \underbrace{mg C_r \text{sgn}(v)}_{\text{Rolling Friction}} - \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} \rho C_v A v^2}_{\text{Air Drag}} - \underbrace{mg \sin \theta}_{\text{Gravity}}$$

Dynamics linearized about equilibrium

Transfer Function (including dynamics of cruise control (diff from book))

$$P(s) = \frac{1/m}{s + b/m} \times \frac{r}{s + a}$$

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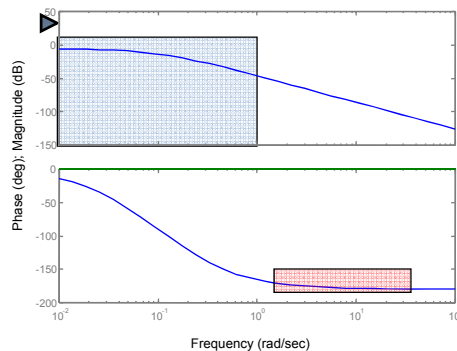


Example: Cruise Control using PID - Specification



$$P(s) = \frac{1/m}{s + b/m} \times \frac{r}{s + a}$$

- Performance Specification
 - 1% steady state error
 - ⇒ Zero frequency gain > 100
 - 10% tracking error up to 1 rad/sec
 - ⇒ Gain > 10 from 0-1 rad/sec
 - 45° phase margin
 - ⇒ Gives good relative stability
 - ⇒ Provides robustness to uncertainty
 - ⇒ But overshoot will be ~25%
- Observations
 - Purely proportional gain won't work: to get gain above desired level will not leave adequate phase margin
 - Need to increase the phase from ~0.5 to 2 rad/sec and increase gain as well



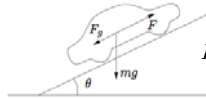
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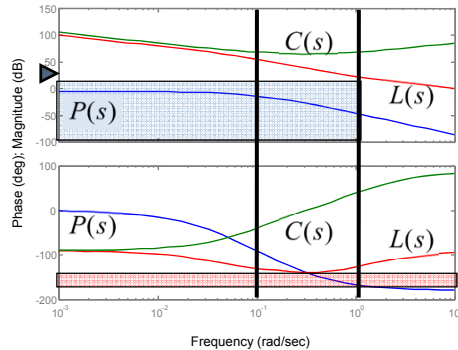
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Example: Cruise Control using PID - Design



$$P(s) = \frac{1/m}{s + b/m} \times \frac{r}{s + a}$$



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- Approach
 - Use proportional gain to give desired tracking performance
 - Use integral gain to make steady state error small (zero, in fact)
 - Use derivative action to increase phase lead in the cross over region

- Controller
 - $T_i = 1/0.1$; $T_d = 1/1$; $k = 2000$

$$C(s) = 2000 \frac{s^2 + 1.1s + 0.1}{s} = 2200 + \frac{200}{s} + 2000s$$

- Closed loop system
 - Very high steady state gain
 - Adequate tracking @ 1 rad/sec
 - ~80° phase margin
 - Verify with Nyquist + Gang of 4

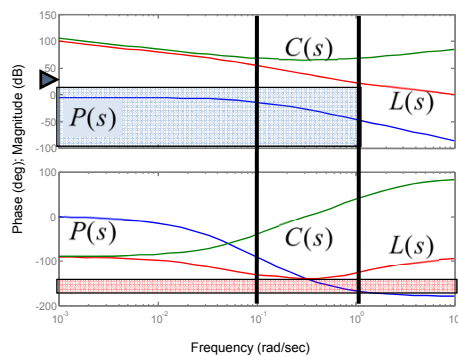


Example: Cruise Control using PID - Verification



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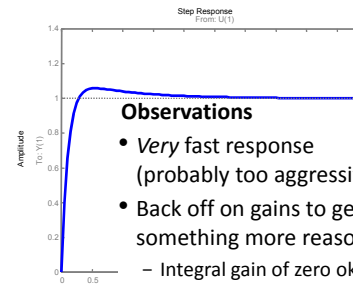
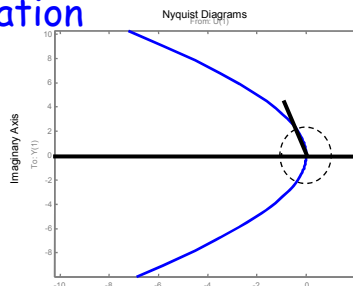
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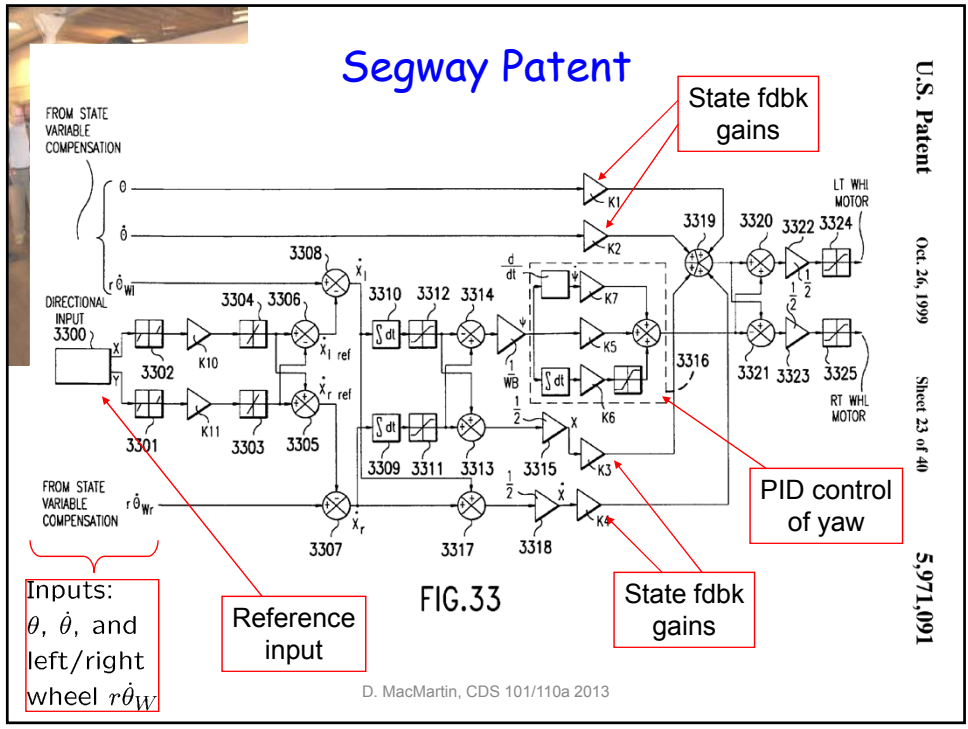
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- Observations**
- Very fast response (probably too aggressive)
 - Back off on gains to get something more reasonable
 - Integral gain of zero ok
 - Lower-rate fdbk gain ok

Segway Patent





Implementing Derivative Action

- Problems with derivatives
 - High frequency noise amplified by derivative term
 - Step inputs in reference can cause large inputs
 - Shows up in Gang of Four...
- Solution: modified PID control
 - Use high frequency rolloff in derivative term
 - first order filter will give finite gain at high frequency
 - use higher order filter if needed
 - Don't feed reference signal through derivative block
 - Useful when reference has unwanted high frequency content
 - Alternative solution: reference shaping via two DOF design ($F(s)$ block)
 - Many other variations (see AM08 + refs)

Bode Diagrams

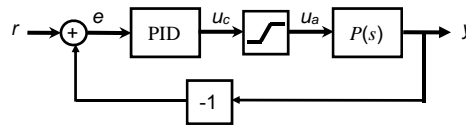
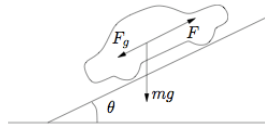
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Windup and Anti-Windup Compensation

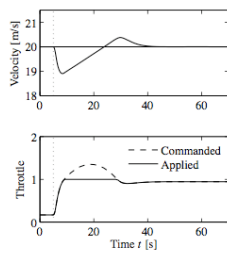


• Problem

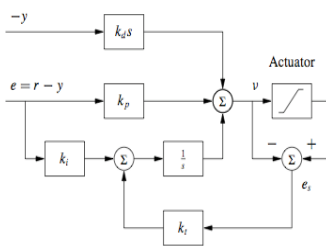
- Limited magnitude input (saturation)
- Integrator "winds up") overshoot

• Solution

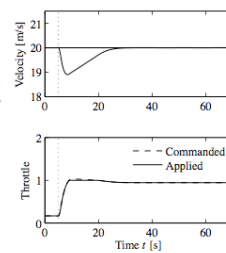
- Compare commanded input to actual
- Subtract off difference from integrator



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(b) Anti-windup



Summary: Frequency Domain Design using PID

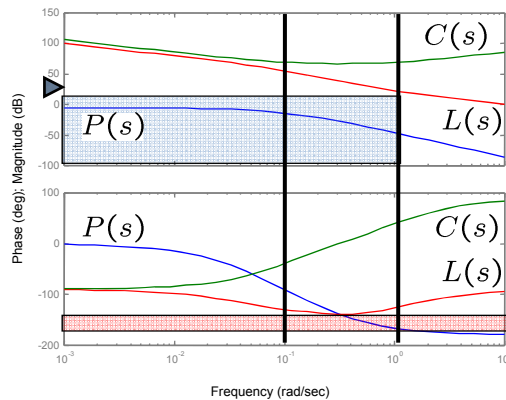
• Loop Shaping for Stability & Performance

- Steady state error, bandwidth, tracking

$$H_{uc}(s) = k_p + k_i \frac{1}{s} + k_d s$$

• Main ideas

- Performance specs give bounds on loop transfer function
- Use controller to shape response
- Gain/phase relationships constrain design approach
- Standard compensators: proportional, PI, PD, PID



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