

Engine Components & Sumpguards



Built-up Short Engine

1380cc Built-up Short (half) Engine for Road Use.

1. This engine is vacuum packed for storage and is built to the following specifications based on A-plus engines.

Crankshaft reground and fitted with new bearings and thrusts. Set of remanufactured selected con rods with 73.5mm pistons fitted. Block is correctly offset bored to take the larger pistons, refaced, cleaned and then refitted with new core plugs and oil bungs. New camshaft bearings fitted and the crankshaft main bearing housings line bore honed. An Evolution fast road camshaft is dial gauge timed exactly and fitted with new cam followers. This camshaft was selected because during extensive testing and trials it gave the broadest range of power and torque to over 6000 rpm, although only 5500rpm was required for fast road use, still giving acceptable economy. Distributor spindles are fitted so ensure you have A-plus distributor. A front plate and timing cover are fitted to accept a set of new duplex gears and timing chain. The compression ratio is 9.75 to 10 to 1 when using a standard 21cc head. The engine is painted. The following are not supplied: Primary gear and all clutch ancillaries/ components, head studs and water pump, front pulley and bolt, oil pump



and oil filter assembly. All the parts not supplied are considered bolt on parts which should make the rest of assembly within the ability of any Mini owner who is armed with a technical manual for torque settings and fitting

1.	a. Half engine - +40 for 1310cc	. ENG003
	b. Half engine - 1380cc	. ENGO01
Re	fundable surcharge may apply. Call for details.	

WARNING: Do not use synthetic based oil for the running-in period as it is detrimental to the ring bedding in process.

NOTE: The ring packs on these engines are coated in special heavy oil for storage and will smoke heavily on start up.

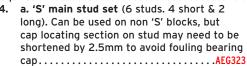
Main Straps

On all performance 'A' series engines it is essential to ensure accurate and as

near permanent location of the center main of the crank as possible. Movement allowed here, especially at sustained high rpm levels, can cause spun bearings, crank or main cap breakage with severe or mortal damage to the engine. We, therefore, offer a range of strengthening products, plus 'S' main bearing studs and nuts.

- 4 bolt steel center main cap for large bore engines (not 'S'). Ultimate center main location. Essential for all stroked engines. Needs line boring, and two extra holes drilling in the block and tapping 7/16UNF. The thrust faces are part machined for final finishing whilst the line boring is being done. Comes with correct length high tensile bolts. Bolts on one way only so take care to read instructions C-AGA619
- a. Steel center main strap for 1275cc, non 'S' large bore engines. Comes with longer high tensile bolts. Main cap top needs machining flat. No other modifications required...

b. Steel center main strap for small bore engines. Comes with longer high tensile bolts. Main cap top needs machining flat. No other modifications required.....CMS10



b. 'S' center main strap studs (6 studs. 4 short & 2 extra long) for center main and strap AEG323L



Connecting Rods and Bolts

As the Cooper 'S' con rod has not been produced by BL for many years, we have had them reproduced, faithful to the ORIGINAL specification - including material type, EN24V. These are the strongest production 'A' series con rods produced.

a. 1071cc and 1275 'S' rod 5.75" centers. Individually. . . . AEG624 b. 970 'S' rod 5.875" center length. Order individually . . AEG309



Fitted with ARP nuts and bolts. These are made in a higher grade material and to specific tolerances, including the thread grade. Poor threads vastly reduce torque accuracy causing premature bolt failure.

7. ARP Hi-grade 'S' big end bolt and nut

set. Torque up to 40-42lb ft. ARP Hi-grade 1300cc type big end bolt set. Torque up to 38-40lb ft.

The Cooper 'S' big end nut is now in all metal self locking material. Order individually AEG147

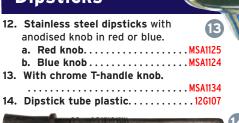
OIL

Iternative multi-point nut for 'S' big end bolt - ex Jaguar nut. Order individually.....EAC5541A



11. Shouldered big end nut for 1300cc rod bolts. Give better clamp down than standard 1300cc type. Order individuallyC-STR290

Dipsticks







For serious off-road and rough stages, the only type to fit is the rounded sledge front version, which helps ride the car over potentially damaging rough terrain. Extra strengthening bar fits on to front subframe cross member adding reinforcements. Similar design to the

Scottish/ Scandinavian works design.

16. Extension piece for either sumpguard 15 or 17 to give added protection. Weight 2.770 kilos C-AJJ3320EXT

17. The square front type is adequate for competition road use and is cheaper and lighter than item 15. Weight 4.885 kilos C-AJJ3321

Mini Spares Mag/Alloy Sumpguard for road use only. Adequate protection for everyday use. Especially on lowered cars to protect the gearbox cooling fins. 5mm clearance from gearbox case. CNC designed to fit front sub frames correctly. Weight 2.770 kilos SUMPGUARD

Innocenti - original type of Italian Mini Sumpguard Very useful, inexpensive protection for the fins on the gearbox. Sturdy steel construction. Weight 4.23kilos......MS96





Pistons

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Large Bore Mega Pistons

NOTE: We supply and sell each piston individually.
Order 4 pistons for a complete engine set.
Ringsets are for all four pistons.

Owing to poor supplies of performance pistons 10 years ago we recruited AE Hepolite to develop and design a range of Mini Spares pistons, using their technical and manufacturing expertise. Made in AE109TF lightweight alloy with special double heat treatment they have a full skirt for maximum piston and ring stability. One thick crown height to allow for machining when long stroke cranks, or longer con rods are used.

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Large Bore Pistons

Large Bore Pistons for all Cooper "S" and 1275cc Minis are manufactured by AE Hepolite pistons (Federal Mogul), the largest manufacturer of pistons in the world. These



high quality pistons have been used in many successful competition applications.

- 6. The different CR's are achieved by different pin to crown heights, with 21.4cc cylinder head camber size. The P21253 pistons are the best suited to high performance use, with a much smaller oil drain slot behind the oil control ring, thereby reducing the possibility of breakage.

 - **b. Ringsets** for P21250 & P21251. Available in standard,+20,+30,

When fitted to Cooper "S" and early 1300 blocks can equal 10:1CR......P21253

- d. Ringsets for P21253. Available in standard,+20, +40, +60......R41570

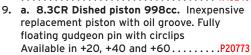


WHEN ORDERING PISTONS OR RINGSETS
PLEASE STATE SIZE REQUIRED.
NOTE: ALL PISTONS SOLD INDIVIDUALLY.

Small Bore Pistons

8. The low drag slipper piston used by the Rover Group in the last 998cc Mini and Metros proved to be exceptionally reliable having been used in Mini race engines. They are available in flat top with press fit gudgeon pins but +40 only. Obviously the correct rod type should be used (can be modified by experts).





b. Ringset for P20773...... R33636





Pistons Liners

10. All piston liners are supplied individually.

a. 998 piston liner. Customer order only. 12664
b. 1275 piston liner. (HEPOLITE SU3598). AEG428



The Evolution range was produced to fill the gap in the market for top quality, high strength pistons for performance and standard use. Manufactured in top grade cast aluminum with advanced heat treatment, plus a far higher silicon content than almost all other mass-manufactured pistons means it is lighter and more durable for use in any engine. All wrist pins are oil fed from the oil control ring land rather than rely on splash from whirling components. To extend the life of blocks 73mm and 74mm sizes for 1275cc and a plus 80 oversize for 998cc have been made.

11. SMALL BORE, based on the original 998cc flat top piston but with oil holes, rather than slots behind the rings to give crown strength, the only other change is the ring pack, to use a readily and sensibly priced set. Otherwise it retains the full skirt design with circlip retention of the wrist pin which means they can also be used for the later press fit pin rods from the A plus engines, by either

means they can also be used for the later pressifit pin rods from the A plus engines, by either leaving the circlips out and using the original interference fit, or honing out the small end of the con rod for a floating pin fit and using the circlips for retention. This piston replaces the control of the circlips for retention.

circlips for retention. This piston replaces the original Hepolite 18516KR and P20950 as used on the 998 Coopers but do not mix with old Hepolite as they are not an exact copy.

12. Before taking blocks out to 73.5 we have introduced a new 73mm option to extend block life. On a standard stroke 73mm gives 1362cc and shows no measurable loss of performance over the 73.5mm 1380cc size and also alleviates any cylinder head gasket problems that might be encountered. We have also had the 73.5 and 74mm size made identical with the same 10cc dish shape for

improved swirl/burn. The pistons are lighter than cast pistons of its size and a lighter wrist pin is used to enhance this.
Ring sets for 73mm are C-STN98 and for 73.5mm are C-STN97.









Oil Pumps

The precision machined and built sureflow oil pump has not been available since late 2005. Mini Spares stock only standard type oil pumps, and have tested all the range to ensure good performance and reliability.



If fitting a 1300cc oil pump to 998cc blocks a spacer 12G1127 would still be required. When changing the camshaft we recommend you purchase an A-plus type, which has stronger 1/2" lobes and fit the corresponding oil pump to block type.

1.	998cc spade drive A-plusGLP139
2.	1300cc slot drive A-plusGLP138
3.	Steel backed oil pump with increased pumping capacity as
	required, originally on Turbo enginesGLP110MS
4.	Pin drive early small bore engines except 'S'GLP142
5.	Star drive



Flow comparison - gallons per minute/litres
per minute at 1000rpm.
MSC Sureflow oil pumps 1.41/6.4
MSC Turbo oil pump
Holburn Eaton steel backed pump 1.32/6.0
Concentric 5 into 6 rotor/annulus. 1.27/5.8

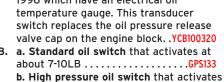


Oil Switches and Transducers

A high pressure oil warning light switch is available to help protect the engine. The standard one comes on at 7lb much too late a warning to avoid any damage. The high pressure



and is a direct replacement for the standard one. But this is a 15-60lb high pressure adjustable oil warning light switch HPS3 7. Standard on all twin point cars from 1996 which have an electrical oil



at about 22LB. HPS1 Oil pressure switch fitted from 1996 on.

Oil Pressure Regulator Kit

10. Oil pressure regulator kit is a simple way of increasing or decreasing oil pressure by the turn of a knob. You do not need high oil pressure; just consistent. Available in four knob colors.



11. Original Cooper 'S'	oil release valve	e <mark>spring,</mark> shorte	r and stronger
than the standard m	ini spring		AEA536

12. Ball bearing to replace standard valve cap (cap shown as no. 15). Often used on performance engines where dirt or debris could get trapped around the standard valve (must use with AEA536).

			BLS916
13	Ball / oil release	valve kit (Items 11 & 12 together)	AFA536KIT







14.	Standard oil pressure spring 6K853
15.	Original type oil release valve cap. Factory fitted 12H865
16.	Standard oil release valve kit. (No's 14 & 15 in kit) 6K853KIT

Drain Plugs & Magnetic Oil Traps



17. Magnetic sump plug with extended nose to collect met	al debris
in the bottom of the gear box	DP1

18. Sump plug repair plug with tapered cutting threads (must never be over-tightened!)DP2

19. Sump plug standard as originally fitted DAM7335



20. Magnetic oil trap	. Fits in place of	oil pick up p	plate on the rear of
gearbox.			

a. With filter	P55
b. Without filterH	PS6
Transmission drain plug with threaded hole when using Smith	
small capillary type oil temperature gaugeH	PS8

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Crankshafts, Bearings & Cams Keys

Forged EN40B Cranks



- a. 81.33mm stroke EN40B, nitrided, 1.625" 'S' big end journal.
 - b. 76mm stroke EN40B, nitrided, 1.625" 'S' big end journal. c. 84mm stroke EN40B, nitrided, 1.625" 'S' big end journal.
 - d. 86mm stroke EN40B, nitrided, 1.625" 'S' big end journal.

 - e. 81.33mm stroke EN40B, nitrided, for 1300cc block with 1300cc big end journal diameter, = 1.7497" standard.... C-STR931
 - f. 81.33mm stroke EN40B, nitrided, for 1300cc block with 'S' big end journal diameter, = 1.625" standardC-STR932
 - g. Same as C-STR932 but without primary gear circlip groove

Future forged EN40B crankshafts will be mass center balanced and benefit from latest technology in having leading edge chamfering on the crank webs, which helps reduce whip and resistance at high rpm giving smoother running and balancing properties. (as shown above)

Cranks for the short stroke 'S' are available to order only, and are cut from a steel billet as the forgings are no longer available.

1071cc 'S' steel billet crank, stroke length 68.26mm C-AEG170 970cc 'S' steel billet crank, stroke length 61.91mm. C-AEG329

BORE/STROKE CAPACITY COMBINATIONS IN CC						
	.020 .040 .060 73.5mm 74mm					
76mm	1209	1226	1243	1290	1308	
79mm	1256	1274	1297	1341	1359	
81.33mm	1293	1312	1330	1379	1399	
84mm	1336	1355	1374	1425	1445	
86mm	1368	1387	1407	1459	1480	

Thrust Washers



When refitting crankshafts, thrust washers should always be checked and replaced. Available in standard and plus 3 thou only in an engine set of 4.

- 2. a for 1275 standard AEW2136 b for 1275 at 3 thou oversize.
-AEW2136-003
- a for 998 standard size..... AEW2122 b for 998 at 3 thou oversize.

.....AEW2122-003

As many as possible of our engine parts are supplied by Federal Mogul one of the worlds largest suppliers of automotive components, who purchased Vandervell, Glacier, Payen and AE Hepolite. All of these old names are synonymous with the BMC/ Leyland A series engine and we have carried on the tradition.

End & Main Bearings

- 4. Our main range of bearings was Vandervell but owing to poor supply, varying tolerances and imperfections all the leading engine builders and Mini Spares have reverted to the superior ACL bearings which are steel backed lead indium copper race quality. * Please state oversizes when ordering
 - bearings.
 - a. Big ends 850/998/1100 and Cooper 'S', 1.625" diameter, available in
 - b. Big ends 1275cc 1.749" diameter, available in std/10/20/30/40 AEB91306 c. Mains 1300cc and all 'S', available in std/10/20/30/40 AEM91120
 - d. Mains 1300cc A-plus, available in std/10/20 only, with center locating tab.AEM91886
 - e. Mains 998/1100cc, available in std/10/20/30/40..... AEM3314 f. Mains 998 A-plus, available in std AE material only in std/10/20 only, with center locating tab......AEM3427

Cam Keys Offset & Standard







To aid accurate timing when using non adjustable timing gear systems, there is a range of proper CNC machined offset cam keys available. These come in 1° increments up to 9°. One tooth round on the gear represents 13° of cam timing, so if you are more than 9° out move the cam gear one tooth in the required direction and use the keys the other way round as they are bi-directional. They are available individually.



- 5. Standard camshaft key. Always replace when fitting a new camshaft .. WKN505
- 6. Offset camshaft key, represents 1° offset. Change the number to order the required key, (ie. for 3°, WKN3 OSET). Available from 1° to 9°
- 7. Crankshaft timing
- gear key.....6K836 8. 360° Protractor for timing camshaft.

...... C-AJP337

MPZ Engine Build Lubes

- MPZ Engine Assembly Lube. Favoured by professionals for press fitting piston wrist pins, pre lubing bushes, plain bearings, roller bearings, journals and gears. Prevents scuff, seizure, wear, rust, waterproof and corrosion proof. (4 fl oz). KCLUBE
- 10. MPZ Cam Lube. As above but converted into a non-melting gel type grease. These features protect cam lobe, lifters and valvetrain components from scuffing and wear during initial start-up. Also useful for Mini oil pumps to stop drain back on start up. (1 fl oz)......KCLUBE1







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37 Camshafts



Kent Cams

All 1/2" lobe Kent cams are now supplied on new A plus slot drive blanks as supplies of usable old units are scarce.

- Road Cam. Excellent urban cam, pulls from very low down, increases low, mid and top end in nearly all engines. Smooth idle, and good economy. Rev band up to 6,000 rpm............MDM256
- Fast Road Cam. Brilliant all round performance road cam. Smooth idle, pulls from around 1,200 rpm. Small gain in low end, big increase in mid and top end. Unbeatable for genuine fast road use. Rev band 1,200 rpm to 6,500/7,000 rpm MDM266
- 3. a. Mild Road Cam. Single point injection only MDM274
 b. Performance Road Cam. Twin point injection MDM274MPI
- 5. Rally Cam. Hottest road useable cam. Not a good traffic cam.

 Lumpy idle.......MDM286
- Full Race Cam. Needs fully prepared engine for best results. Rev range 4,000 to 8,500/9,000 dependant on build. High compression ratio also required, 12:1 plusMDM310

Mini Spares 'Evolution' Cams

13. 998cc Cooper cam is a classic and available. We can do most ½"
pin drive cams ground from new blanks if required AEA630

Piper Cams



Cam Bearings



It is also essential to fit cam bearings in any 850cc block being used in competition to prevent seizure of the cam. The block will need to be line-bored by a competent engineering company to enable fitment.

Housing diameters should be FRONT 1.7955" to 1.7965" Center 1.753" to 1.754"

REAR 1.503" to 1.504", FRONT is the water pump end.

- 16. Large bore cam bearing set. Has slightly wider bearing at oil pump end than the small bore block..............AEC3063



This selection of cams are the very latest supercams available for the 'A' series engine. Their design gives more torque, more power and more usable rpm than their equivalent single pattern cams. Particularly when a single Weber on a short inlet manifold is used. Current state of the art technology.

- 8. Street Cam. Single point injection onlyMDM274SP
 9. Ultimate Street Cam.MDM286SP

Kent Scatter Pattern Cams

- 12. Ultimate Race Cam. Needs fully prepared engine for good results - high compression ratio, high flow head, exhaust manifold and system. Best for short stroke circuit/tarmac engines.

Early 850/998/1100cc used ³/8" wide lobe pin drive camshafts. We recommend you use A-plus camshaft with stronger ½" lobe widths and use corresponding oil pump. Always state type of oil pump drive that is required when ordering.

Pin type now only available in ³/8" lobe.

The timing figures are quoted in degrees inlet period/exhaust period - inlet opens before top dead center/closes after bottom dead center, exhaust opens before bottom dead center and closes after top dead center.								
		POWER BAND	TIMING IN/EX IN °	DURATION IN/EX	LCA°	LIFT STD RATIO	CAM LIFT	
	MDM256 Mild Road	1000-6000	21-53 / 53-21	254 / 254	106	.320 / .320	.263/.263	
빚	MDM266 Fast Road	1000-6500	24-56 / 61-29	260 / 268	106	.320 / .330	.263/.270	
S S X	MDM274 Fast Road	1000-6000	12-56 / 69-25	248 / 274	112	.348 / .343	.258/.281	
ADY NNG AMS	MDM276 Road Rally	1500-7000	29-61 / 66-34	270 / 280	106	.360 / .380	.293/.315	
MEG, RA	MDM286 Rally	2000-7500	34-66 / 71-39	280 / 290	106	.388 / .400	.315/.324	
Σ	MDM296 Race	3250-8000	39-71 / 76-44	290 / 300	106	.400 / .420	.324/.340	
	MDM310 Full Race	4000-8500	49-81 / 81-49	310 / 310	106	.420 / .420	.340/.340	
	MDM315 Full Race	4500-9000	53-81 / 81-53	314 / 314	104	.428 / .428	.347/.347	
H K Z		POWER BAND	TIMING No.1&4 IN/EX	TIMING No.2&3 IN/EX	LCA°	LIFT STD RATIO	CAM LIFT	
I두쁜దડ	MD286SPM	2000-7500	34-66 / 71-39	37-63 / 71-39	106	.388 / .400	.315/.324	
A L H	MD296SPM	3250-8000	39-71 / 76-44	42-68 / 76-44	106	.400 / .420	.324/.340	
AT AT	MD290SPM	3500-8250	41-69 / 73-37	47-63 / 67-43	103	.395 / .395	.383/.383	
ME SC PA	MD310SPM	4000-8500	49-81 / 81-49	52-78 / 81-49	103	.420 / .420	.340/.340	

All camshafts are A-plus slot drive, ensure you obtain the correct oil pump. Valve lifts are actual lifts achieved when fitted. All valve gap clearances are 0.16" (0.40mm)



Pullevs, Belts & Dampers

Crank & Ancillary Pulleys

Alternative ancillary drive systems are available. For race use where the alternator is not used there is a toothed belt drive system with large diameter or standard diameter water pump pulley that eliminates problems caused by conventional belts being turned or thrown through misalignment.

The crank pulley is made to accept the 12A367 damper ring as shown on the crankshaft page, which is not included but advisable for most applications to reduce crankshaft failure.

A tooth belt drive kit for the alternator is also available with an oversized alternator pulley. Running a secondary belt from the water pump pulley to the alternator ensures that if the charging system belt goes, the car can still be driven.



- Crank pulley for all tooth belt drive kits. Use 12A367 damper ring
- a. Standard diameter tooth belt drive alloy water pump pulley b. Same as C-AEA477 above water pump pulley with 28 teeth, but in steel for use in dirty, dusty conditions where the alloy pulley can wear quicklyC-AEA478
- Large diameter tooth belt drive alloy water pump pulley with 36
- a. Dynamo or alternator tooth belt pulley for 15mm fixing hole
 - b. Alternator tooth belt pulley for 17mm fixing hole 1985 on.
- Tooth belt for alternator to standard 28 teeth water pump
- Tooth belt for alternator to large 36 teeth water pump pulley.
- 9. a. $3^{7}/8^{\prime\prime}$ (3.875") pressed steel water pump pulley. Pre 1980.
- b. Large diameter 43/4" water pump pulley as fitted from 1980
- 10. Large 5" diameter alloy dynamo/alternator 'V' pulley is available for reducing the speed of the charging system to prevent

TOOTH BELT DRIVE FOR CRANK TO WATER PUMP USE FOLLOWING PARTS					
WATER	1 01111 0 0 2 1 0 2 2 0 11110 1	ARTIO			
Crank Pulley	Water Pump Pulley	Fan Belt			
C-AEG455	ALLOY 1.13 TO 1 RATIO	C-BELT270			
C-AEG455	ALLOY 0.87 TO 1 RATIO	C-BELT255			
C-AEG455	STEEL 0.87 TO 1 RATIO	C-BELT255			
TOOTH BELT DRIVE FROM WATERPUMP TO DYNAMO OR ALTERNATOR					
15mm Hole	17mm Hole	Fan Belt			
Pullev Pre 85		Pulley 85 on			

C-AEA480

C-AEA480

For complete kit follow the line across choosing pulley for electrics

C-BELT225

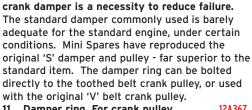
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C-AEA479

Pulleys, Belts & Dampers







For high performance engines an efficient

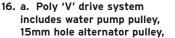
- 11. Damper ring. For crank pulley12A367
- 13. One piece damper pulley latest Poly 'V' belt pulley as per Twin points 1997on . . . LHF100130 14. Original ST Works locktab for use with
- original hexagon bolt and split pulley.

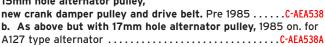


15. Consistent and effective crank damper retention has long been a problem on the 'A' series engine. This is mostly due to a short retaining bolt, which can become loose. The socket cap head bolt with extended threads and a large washer eradicate this problem and allow further spacing of the pulley.

Crank & Ancillary Pulleys

For improved drive for fast road applications where an alternator is used, a poly 'V' system is available. This is the latest design of ancillary drive fitted to most modern production cars, including the 1997 Mini with a front mounted radiator.





Fan Belts

Nearly all cogged fan belts indicate their length by the last 3 digits of the part number in millimetres. The fan belts were changed so many times on pre 1990 cars the only sure way to find a correct replacement is to look at your old fan belt and if it appeared to be the correct size, see if there are any remnants of the part number and always carry a new spare so you have the part number on hand at all times. If not measure the old belt

18. a. Original small water pump pulley less charging system. This replaces C-AEA539 GCB10685 b. With CAM6408 large (4.75" wide) water pump pulley less charging system......GCB10725 c. With dynamo or 16/17ACR alternator.

..... GCB10813 d. With CAM6408 large pulley 1980 -1996 plus e. Longer alternative than No.4 with CAM6408 large pulley and alternator..........GCB10838 f. With C-AEA535 large charging pulley and 3.875" pressed steel pulley......GCB10863

CAM6408 large pulley.................GCB10900 19. Poly 'V' belts on Twin point injection cars from 1996.

a. Without air con compressor GMB50920 b. With air con compressorGMB51005

g. With C-AEA535 large charging pulley and





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