N-Nitrosodimethylamine

sc-257862

Material Safety Data Sheet



Hazard Alert Code Key:

EXTREME

HIGH

MODERATE

LOW

Section 1 - CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT NAME

N-Nitrosodimethylamine

STATEMENT OF HAZARDOUS NATURE

CONSIDERED A HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE ACCORDING TO OSHA 29 CFR 1910.1200.

NFPA



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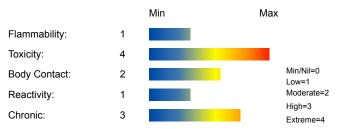
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SYNONYMS

C2-H6-N2-O, O=N-N(CH3)2, DMN, DMNA, NDMA, "dimethylamine, N-nitroso-", dimethylnitrosamine, "N, N-dimethylnitrosamine", dimethylnitrosoamine, N-methyl-N-nitrosomethanamine, nitrosodimethylamine, "N-nitroso-N, N-dimethylamine", "RCRA Waste No. P-082", nitrosamine

Section 2 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

CHEMWATCH HAZARD RATINGS







CANADIAN WHMIS SYMBOLS



EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

RISK

Toxic if swallowed.

Very toxic by inhalation.

May cause CANCER.

Toxic: danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure if swallowed.

Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS

ACUTE HEALTH EFFECTS

SWALLOWED

■ Toxic effects may result from the accidental ingestion of the material; animal experiments indicate that ingestion of less than 40 gram may be fatal or may produce serious damage to the health of the individual.

EYE

■ Although the liquid is not thought to be an irritant, direct contact with the eye may produce transient discomfort characterized by tearing or conjunctival redness (as with windburn).

SKIN

- The material is not thought to be a skin irritant (as classified using animal models). Temporary discomfort, however, may result from prolonged dermal exposures. <\p>.
- Skin contact with the material may damage the health of the individual; systemic effects may result following absorption.
- Open cuts, abraded or irritated skin should not be exposed to this material.
- Entry into the blood-stream, through, for example, cuts, abrasions or lesions, may produce systemic injury with harmful effects. Examine the skin prior to the use of the material and ensure that any external damage is suitably protected.

INHALED

- The material is not thought to produce respiratory irritation (as classified using animal models). Nevertheless inhalation of vapors, fumes or aerosols, especially for prolonged periods, may produce respiratory discomfort and occasionally, distress.
- Inhalation of aerosols (mists, fumes), generated by the material during the course of normal handling, may produce severely toxic effects. Relatively small amounts absorbed from the lungs may prove fatal.

CHRONIC HEALTH EFFECTS

■ Toxic: danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure if swallowed.

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This material can cause serious damage if one is exposed to it for long periods. It can be assumed that it contains a substance which can produce severe defects.

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Limited evidence suggests that repeated or long-term occupational exposure may produce cumulative health effects involving organs or biochemical systems.

N-nitroso compounds cause cancer and mutations in a number of organs, especially the liver.

When administered orally to test animals it induced increased incidence of liver hemangiosarcomas, hepatocellular carcinomas and kidney and lung tumors in mice; hepatocellular carcinomas and bile duct tumors in rabbits and guinea pigs; liver hemangiosarcomas in ducks and liver adenomas and

adenocarcinomas in fish. Inhalation studies produced tumors in the lung, liver and kidney of mice.

[National Toxicology Program - Sixth Annual Report on Carcinogens 1991]

Based upon laboratory studies in which tumours have been induced in all species examined at relatively low doses, NDMA is clearly carcinogenic. There is overwhelming evidence that NDMA is mutagenic and clastogenic. While the mechanism by which NDMA induces tumours is not fully elucidated, DNA adducts (in particular, O(sup6)-methylguanine) formed by the methyldiazonium ion generated during metabolism likely play a critical role. Qualitatively, the metabolism of NDMA appears to be similar in humans and animals; as a result, it is considered highly likely that NDMA is carcinogenic to humans, potentially at relatively low levels of exposure.

Data on non-neoplastic effects in laboratory animals associated with exposure to NDMA are limited, attributable primarily to the focus on its carcinogenicity. Effects on the liver and kidney in repeated-dose toxicity studies, embryo toxicity and embryo lethality in single-dose developmental studies, and a range of immunological effects (suppression of humoral- and cell-mediated immunity) reversible at lowest concentrations have been reported.

Section 3 - COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

NAME CAS RN %
N-nitrosodimethylamine 62-75-9 >98

Section 4 - FIRST AID MEASURES

SWALLOWED

· IF SWALLOWED, REFER FOR MEDICAL ATTENTION, WHERE POSSIBLE, WITHOUT DELAY. · Where Medical attention is not immediately available or where the patient is more than 15 minutes from a hospital or unless instructed otherwise:

FYF

■ If this product comes in contact with the eyes: · Immediately hold eyelids apart and flush the eye continuously with running water. · Ensure complete irrigation of the eye by keeping eyelids apart and away from eye and moving the eyelids by occasionally lifting the upper and lower lids

SKIN

■ If skin contact occurs: · Immediately remove all contaminated clothing, including footwear · Flush skin and hair with running water (and soap if available).

INHALED

· If fumes or combustion products are inhaled remove from contaminated area. · Lay patient down. Keep warm and rested.

NOTES TO PHYSICIAN

■ Treat symptomatically.

for poisons (where specific treatment regime is absent):

-----BASIC TREATMENT

- · Establish a patent airway with suction where necessary.
- · Watch for signs of respiratory insufficiency and assist ventilation as necessary.

	Section 5 - FIRE FIGHTING MEAS	SURES
Vapor Pressure (mmHg):	4.988 @ 20 C	
Upper Explosive Limit (%):	Not available	
Specific Gravity (water=1):	1.0048	
Lower Explosive Limit (%):	Not available	

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA

- · Water spray or fog.
- · Foam.

FIRE FIGHTING

- · Alert Emergency Responders and tell them location and nature of hazard.
- \cdot Wear full body protective clothing with breathing apparatus.

When any large container (including road and rail tankers) is involved in a fire,

consider evacuation by 800 metres in all directions.

GENERAL FIRE HAZARDS/HAZARDOUS COMBUSTIBLE PRODUCTS

- · Combustible.
- · Slight fire hazard when exposed to heat or flame.

Combustion products include: carbon dioxide (CO2), nitrogen oxides (NOx), other pyrolysis products typical of burning organic material. May emit poisonous fumes.

FIRE INCOMPATIBILITY

■ Avoid contamination with oxidizing agents i.e. nitrates, oxidizing acids,chlorine bleaches, pool chlorine etc. as ignition may result.

PERSONAL PROTECTION

Glasses:

Chemical goggles.

Gloves:

Respirator:

Type A-P Filter of sufficient capacity

Section 6 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

MINOR SPILLS

- $\cdot \ \text{Remove all ignition sources}.$
- · Clean up all spills immediately.

MAJOR SPILLS

- · Clear area of personnel and move upwind.
- · Alert Emergency Responders and tell them location and nature of hazard.

Section 7 - HANDLING AND STORAGE

PROCEDURE FOR HANDLING

- · Avoid all personal contact, including inhalation.
- · Wear protective clothing when risk of exposure occurs.

RECOMMENDED STORAGE METHODS

- Store in a dark glass or other suitable light resistant container.
- · Lined metal can, Lined metal pail/drum
- · Plastic pail.

For low viscosity materials

- · Drums and jerricans must be of the non-removable head type.
- · Where a can is to be used as an inner package, the can must have a screwed enclosure.

All inner and sole packagings for substances that have been assigned to Packaging Groups I or II on the basis of inhalation toxicity criteria, must be hermetically sealed.

STORAGE REQUIREMENTS

- · Store in original containers.
- · Keep containers securely sealed.

Section 8 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

EXPOSURE CONTROLS

Source	Material	TWA ppm	TWA mg/m³	STEL ppm	STEL mg/m³	Peak ppm	Peak mg/m³	TWA F/CC	Notes
Canada - British Columbia Occupational Exposure Limits	N-nitrosodimethylamine (n-Nitrosodimethylamine)		(L)						Skin; 2A
Canada - Yukon Permissible Concentrations for Airborne Contaminant Substances ENDOELTABLE	N-nitrosodimethylamine (K N-Nitrosodimethylamine (dimethylnitrosoamine) - Skin)		(See Table 16)						

PERSONAL PROTECTION







RESPIRATOR

Type A-P Filter of sufficient capacity Consult your EHS staff for recommendations

EYE

- · Safety glasses with side shields
- · Chemical goggles.

HANDS/FEET

■ Wear chemical protective gloves, eg. PVC.

Suitability and durability of glove type is dependent on usage. Important factors in the selection of gloves include: such as:

- · frequency and duration of contact,
- · chemical resistance of glove material,
- · glove thickness and
- · dexterity

Select gloves tested to a relevant standard (e.g. Europe EN 374, US F739).

- · When prolonged or frequently repeated contact may occur, a glove with a protection class of 5 or higher (breakthrough time greater than 240 minutes according to EN 374) is recommended.
- · When only brief contact is expected, a glove with a protection class of 3 or higher (breakthrough time greater than 60 minutes according to EN 374) is recommended.
- · Contaminated gloves should be replaced.

Gloves must only be worn on clean hands. After using gloves, hands should be washed and dried thoroughly. Application of a non-perfumed moisturiser is recommended.

Attacks natural and nitrile rubbers, neoprene, polyvinyl alcohol (PVA), PVC, Viton

OTHER

- · Employees working with confirmed human carcinogens should be provided with, and be required to wear, clean, full body protective clothing (smocks, coveralls, or long-sleeved shirt and pants), shoe covers and gloves prior to entering the regulated area.
- · Employees engaged in handling operations involving carcinogens should be provided with, and required to wear and use half-face filter-type respirators with filters for dusts, mists and fumes, or air purifying canisters or cartridges. A respirator affording higher levels of protection may be substituted.
- · Emergency deluge showers and eyewash fountains, supplied with potable water, should be located near, within sight of, and on the same

level with locations where direct exposure is likely.

- Prior to each exit from an area containing confirmed human carcinogens, employees should be required to remove and leave protective clothing and equipment at the point of exit and at the last exit of the day, to place used clothing and equipment in impervious containers at the point of exit for purposes of decontamination or disposal. The contents of such impervious containers must be identified with suitable labels. For maintenance and decontamination activities, authorized employees entering the area should be provided with and required to wear clean, impervious garments, including gloves, boots and continuous-air supplied hood.
- · Prior to removing protective garments the employee should undergo decontamination and be required to shower upon removal of the garments and hood.

ENGINEERING CONTROLS

- · Employees exposed to confirmed human carcinogens should be authorized to do so by the employer, and work in a regulated area.
- · Work should be undertaken in an isolated system such as a "glove-box". Employees should wash their hands and arms upon completion of the assigned task and before engaging in other activities not associated with the isolated system.
- · Within regulated areas, the carcinogen should be stored in sealed containers, or enclosed in a closed system, including piping systems, with any sample ports or openings closed while the carcinogens are contained within.
- Open-vessel systems are prohibited.
- · Each operation should be provided with continuous local exhaust ventilation so that air movement is always from ordinary work areas to the operation.
- · Exhaust air should not be discharged to regulated areas, non-regulated areas or the external environment unless decontaminated. Clean make-up air should be introduced in sufficient volume to maintain correct operation of the local exhaust system.
- · For maintenance and decontamination activities, authorized employees entering the area should be provided with and required to wear clean, impervious garments, including gloves, boots and continuous-air supplied hood. Prior to removing protective garments the employee should undergo decontamination and be required to shower upon removal of the garments and hood.
- Except for outdoor systems, regulated areas should be maintained under negative pressure (with respect to non-regulated areas).
- · Local exhaust ventilation requires make-up air be supplied in equal volumes to replaced air.
- · Laboratory hoods must be designed and maintained so as to draw air inward at an average linear face velocity of 150 feet/ min. with a minimum of 125 feet/ min. Design and construction of the fume hood requires that insertion of any portion of the employees body, other than hands and arms, be disallowed.

Section 9 - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Liquid.

Mixes with water.

Toxic or noxious vapours/gas.

State	Liquid	Molecular Weight	74.08
Melting Range (°F)	122	Viscosity	Not Applicable
Boiling Range (°F)	303.8- 307.4	Solubility in water (g/L)	Miscible
Flash Point (°F)	141.998	pH (1% solution)	Not available
Decomposition Temp (°F)	Not Available	pH (as supplied)	Not applicable
Autoignition Temp (°F)	Not available	Vapor Pressure (mmHg)	4.988 @ 20 C
Upper Explosive Limit (%)	Not available	Specific Gravity (water=1)	1.0048
Lower Explosive Limit (%)	Not available	Relative Vapor Density (air=1)	>1
Volatile Component (%vol)	Negligible	Evaporation Rate	Not available
N-NITROSODIMETHYLAMINE			
	log Kow (Prager 1995):		-0.57
	log Kow (Sangster 1997)	1	0.48

APPEARANCE

Volatile, yellow oily liquid of low viscosity; mixes with water, alcohol, ether, other organic solvents and lipids. Sensitive to light, especially ultraviolet light and undergoes rapid photolytic degradation.

Section 10 - CHEMICAL STABILITY

CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO INSTABILITY

- · Presence of incompatible materials.
- · Product is considered stable.

STORAGE INCOMPATIBILITY

· Many N-nitro compounds show explosive instability arising from low N-N bonding energy.

BRETHERICK L.: Handbook of Reactive Chemical Hazards

- · N-nitroso compounds are often sensitive to moisture and light; they may react with water and nucleophilic agents.
- · Alkaline hydrolysis may produce highly explosive gas.

Avoid reaction with oxidizing agents.

Incompatible with organic anhydrides, acrylates, alcohols, aldehydes, alkylene oxides, substituted allyls, cellulose nitrate, cresols,

 $cap rolactam\ solutions,\ epichlorohydrin,\ ethylene\ dichloride,\ is ocyanates,\ ketones,\ glycols,\ maleic\ anhydride,\ nitrates,\ phenols,\ vinyl\ acetate.$

May increase explosive sensitivity of nitromethane UV light, strong oxidisers may cause reactions

Store in dark bottles

Attacks natural and nitrile rubbers, neoprene, polyvinyl alcohol (PVA), PVC, Viton

For incompatible materials - refer to Section 7 - Handling and Storage.

Section 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

N-NITROSODIMETHYLAMINE

TOXICITY AND IRRITATION

N-NITROSODIMETHYLAMINE:

■ unless otherwise specified data extracted from RTECS - Register of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances.

TOXICITY IRRITATION

Oral (woman) LDLo: 20 mg/kg/2.5y Nil Reported

Oral (rat) LD50: 58 mg/kg

Inhalation (rat) LC50: 78 ppm/4h

Intraperitoneal (rat) LD50: 26.5 mg/kg

■ WARNING: This substance has been classified by the IARC as Group 2A: Probably Carcinogenic to Humans.

Tenth Annual Report on Carcinogens: Substance anticipated to be Carcinogen [National Toxicology Program: U.S. Dep. of Health & Human Services 2002].

CARCINOGEN

METHANAMINE, N-METHYL-N-NITROSO	US Environmental Defense Scorecard Recognized Carcinogens	Reference(s)	P65
METHANAMINE, N-METHYL-N-NITROSO	US Environmental Defense Scorecard Suspected Carcinogens	Reference(s)	P65
N-Nitrosodimethylamine	US Air Toxics Hot Spots TSD for Describing Available Cancer Potency Factors	IARC Class	2A

Section 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

This material and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste.

Avoid release to the environment.

Refer to special instructions/ safety data sheets.

Ecotoxicity

Persistence: Water/Soil
N-nitrosodimethylamine
Persistence: Air Bioaccumulation Mobility
LOW LOW HIGH

Section 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

US EPA Waste Number & Descriptions

B. Component Waste Numbers

When N-nitrosodimethylamine is present as a solid waste as a discarded

commercial chemical product, off-specification species, as a container residue,

or a spill residue, use EPA waste number P082 (waste code T).

Disposal Instructions

All waste must be handled in accordance with local, state and federal regulations.

! Puncture containers to prevent re-use and bury at an authorized landfill.

Legislation addressing waste disposal requirements may differ by country, state and/ or territory. Each user must refer to laws operating in their area. In some areas, certain wastes must be tracked.

A Hierarchy of Controls seems to be common - the user should investigate:

- Reduction
- · Reuse
- · Recycling
- · Disposal (if all else fails)

This material may be recycled if unused, or if it has not been contaminated so as to make it unsuitable for its intended use. If it has been contaminated, it may be possible to reclaim the product by filtration, distillation or some other means. Shelf life considerations should also be

applied in making decisions of this type. Note that properties of a material may change in use, and recycling or reuse may not always be appropriate.

DO NOT allow wash water from cleaning equipment to enter drains. Collect all wash water for treatment before disposal.

- · Recycle wherever possible or consult manufacturer for recycling options.
- · Consult Waste Management Authority for disposal.

Section 14 - TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION



DOT:

Symbols: G Hazard class or Division: 6.1 Identification Numbers: UN2810 PG: I Label Codes: 6.1 Special provisions: T14, TP2,

TP13, TP27

Packaging: Exceptions: None Packaging: Non- bulk: 201 Packaging: Exceptions: None Quantity limitations: 1 L

Passenger aircraft/rail:

Quantity Limitations: Cargo 30 L Vessel stowage: Location: B

aircraft only:

Vessel stowage: Other: 40

Hazardous materials descriptions and proper shipping names:

Toxic, liquids, organic, n.o.s. **Air Transport IATA:**

ICAO/IATA Class: 6.1 ICAO/IATA Subrisk: None UN/ID Number: 2810 Packing Group: I

Special provisions: A3

Cargo Only

Packing Instructions: 604 Maximum Qty/Pack: 30 L Passenger and Cargo Passenger and Cargo Packing Instructions: 603 Maximum Qty/Pack: 1 L

Passenger and Cargo Limited Quantity Passenger and Cargo Limited Quantity

Packing Instructions: - Maximum Qty/Pack: -

Shipping Name: TOXIC LIQUID, ORGANIC, N.O.S. *(CONTAINS N-

NITROSODIMETHYLAMINE)

Maritime Transport IMDG:
IMDG Class: 6.1 IMDG Subrisk: None
UN Number: 2810 Packing Group: I

EMS Number: F-A , S-A Special provisions: 274 315 Limited Quantities: 0 Marine Pollutant: Yes Shipping Name: TOXIC LIQUID, ORGANIC, N.O.S.

Section 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION

N-nitrosodimethylamine (CAS: 62-75-9) is found on the following regulatory lists;

"Canada - British Columbia Occupational Exposure Limits", "Canada - Nova Scotia Occupational Exposure Limits", "Canada - Ontario Occupational Exposure Limits", "Canada - Prince Edward Island Occupational Exposure Limits", "Canada - Prince Edward Island Occupational Exposure Limits - Carcinogens", "Canada - Quebec Permissible Exposure Values for Airborne Contaminants (English)", "Canada Saskatchewan Occupational Health and Safety Regulations - Designated Chemical Substances", "Canada - Yukon Permissible Concentrations for Airborne Contaminant Substances", "Canada ARET (Accelerated Reduction / Elimination of Toxics) Substance List", "Canada Environmental Protection Act (CEPA) 1999 - Schedule 1 Toxic Substances List", "Canada Ingredient Disclosure List (SOR/88-64)","Canada Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)","Canada Priority Substances List (PSL1, PSL 2)","Canada Prohibited Toxic Substances (English)","Canada Toxicological Index Service - Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System - WHMIS (English)","International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) - Agents Reviewed by the IARC Monographs","International Chemical Secretariat (ChemSec) REACH SIN* List (*Substitute It Now!) 1.0","US - Alaska Limits for Air Contaminants", "US - California Air Toxics ""Hot Spots"" List (Assembly Bill 2588) Substances for which emissions must be quantified", "US - California Occupational Safety and Health Regulations (CAL/OSHA) - Hazardous Substances List", "US - California Permissible Exposure Limits for Chemical Contaminants", "US -California Proposition 65 - Carcinogens", "US - California Proposition 65 - No Significant Risk Levels (NSRLs) for Carcinogens", "US -California Toxic Air Contaminant List Category II", "US - Connecticut Hazardous Air Pollutants", "US - Idaho - Limits for Air Contaminants", "US - Maine Chemicals of High Concern List", "US - Massachusetts Oil & Hazardous Material List", "US - Michigan Exposure Limits for Air Contaminants", "US - Minnesota Hazardous Substance List", "US - New Jersey Right to Know Hazardous Substances", "US - Oregon Permissible Exposure Limits (Z-1)", "US - Pennsylvania - Hazardous Substance List", "US - Rhode Island Hazardous Substance List", "US -Tennessee Occupational Exposure Limits - Limits For Air Contaminants", "US - Vermont Hazardous Constituents", "US - Vermont Hazardous Waste - Acutely Hazardous Wastes", "US - Vermont Permissible Exposure Limits Table Z-1-A Final Rule Limits for Air Contaminants", "US -Vermont Permissible Exposure Limits Table Z-1-A Transitional Limits for Air Contaminants", "US - Washington Class A toxic air pollutants: Known and Probable Carcinogens", "US - Washington Dangerous waste constituents list", "US - Washington Discarded Chemical Products List - ""P"" Chemical Products", "US - Washington General Occupational Health Standards - List of Carcinogens", "US - Washington Permissible exposure limits of air contaminants", "US - Wyoming Toxic and Hazardous Substances Table Z1 Limits for Air Contaminants", "US ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)", "US ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV) - Carcinogens", "US CERCLA Priority List of Hazardous Substances", "US Clean Air Act - Hazardous Air Pollutants", "US CWA (Clean Water Act) - Priority Pollutants", "US Department of Transportation (DOT) List of Hazardous Substances and Reportable Quantities - Hazardous Substances Other Than Radionuclides", "US DOE Temporary Emergency Exposure Limits (TEELs)", "US EPA Carcinogens Listing", "US EPCRA Section 313 Chemical List", "US List of Lists - Consolidated List of Chemicals Subject to EPCRA, CERCLA and Section 112(r) of the Clean Air Act", "US National Toxicology Program (NTP) 11th Report Part B. Reasonably Anticipated to be a Human Carcinogen", "US NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits (RELs)", "US OSHA Carcinogens Listing", "US OSHA Permissible Exposure Levels (PELs) - Table Z1", "US RCRA (Resource Conservation & Recovery Act) - Appendix IX to Part 264 Ground-Water Monitoring List 1", "US RCRA (Resource Conservation & Recovery Act) - List of Hazardous Inorganic and Organic Constituents 1", "US RCRA (Resource Conservation & Recovery Act) - List of Hazardous Substances", "US Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) - Inventory"

Section 16 - OTHER INFORMATION

LIMITED EVIDENCE

- Skin contact may produce health damage*.
- Cumulative effects may result following exposure*.
- * (limited evidence).

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 A list of reference resources used to assist the committee may be found at:

 www.chemwatch.net/references
- The (M)SDS is a Hazard Communication tool and should be used to assist in the Risk Assessment. Many factors determine whether the reported Hazards are Risks in the workplace or other settings. Risks may be determined by reference to Exposures Scenarios. Scale of use, frequency of use and current or available engineering controls must be considered.

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