

This degree plan packet is meant to be a resource for current students at Texas A&M University.

If you are a prospective freshman or transfer student and would like to see if the courses listed in this packet coincide with courses you have taken or are looking to take outside of Texas A&M, please utilize one of the following resources:

Texas A&M University Transfer Course Equivalency Site

<https://howdy.tamu.edu/uPortal/p/tce-ui.ctf1/max/render.uP>

Texas Common Course Numbering System

<https://www.tccns.org/>

**TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY
B.S. DEGREE PLAN IN SPORT MANAGEMENT**

STUDENT _____ UIN# _____ 00
(Last) (First) (Pref.)

Writing Requirement SPMT 265 & 470 Foreign Language (2 yrs. HS OR 2 semesters University) _____

International and Cultural Diversity* (3 hours) _____ Cultural Discourse (3 hours) 304 or 319

COURSE #	HRS	SEM	GRD	COURSE #	HRS	SEM	GRD
ENGLISH & SPEECH (6)				SPORT MANAGEMENT (47)			
ENGL 103 or 104	3			SPMT 260 – Overview of Pract. in Sport	2		
COMM 203 or 205 or 243	3			SPMT 270 – Sport Marketing	2		
MATH (9)				SPMT 262 – Human Cptl. Mgmt. in Sport	3		
MATH 140	3			SPMT 272 – Sport Marketing Issues	2		
MATH 142	3			SPMT 265+ – Sport Communication	4		
STAT 201	3			SPMT 295 – Intro to Culminating Exp.	1		
LIFE & PHYSICAL SCIENCE (9)				SPMT 360 – Organizational Issues in Sport	3		
				SPMT 362 – Sport Leadership	3		
				SPMT 364 – Financial Mgmt. in Sport	3		
				SPMT 366 – Sport Fac. & Event Mgmt.	3		
				SPMT 370 – Fan Behavior in Sport	3		
				SPMT 372 – Sales Strategies in Sport	3		
LANGUAGE, PHIL & CULTURE* (3)				SPMT 374 – Strategic Sport Marketing	3		
	3			SPMT 460 – Sport Business Planning	3		
CREATIVE ARTS* (3)				SPMT 470+ – App. of Mktg. Strategies	3		
	3			SPMT 462 – Leadership App. in Sport	3		
SOCIAL SCIENCE (3)				SPMT 472 – Data Analysis & Prob. Solv	3		
SPMT 304 or 319	3			CULMINATING EXPERIENCE REQUIREMENT (13)			
CITIZENSHIP (12)				SPMT 402/481	1		
HIST	3			SPMT 484 or 401, 450 or 455	12		
HIST	3						
POLS 206 – American National Govt.	3						
POLS 207 – State and Local Govt.	3						
				ELECTIVES* (15)			

* Courses that satisfy LPC, Creative Arts and Electives can also be used to satisfy ICD credit
 + Satisfy the University Core Curriculum Writing Requirement

STUDENT _____ DATE _____ MINIMUM HOURS REQUIRED: 120
 ADVISOR _____ DATE _____ PROPOSED GRAD. DATE: _____
 CHAIR, SPMT _____ DATE _____ _____

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THIS GUIDE IS INTENDED TO ASSIST IN SCHEDULING. EVERYTHING IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE.					
COURSE	PRE-REQUISITE	CLASS	SUBSTITUTE	MIN GRADE	Detailed Information
ENGL 104		U1-U2	ENGL 103	C	Must take as U1 or U2 at Sport TAMU, otherwise you will have to transfer this course in.
COMM 203		U1-U4	COMM 205, 243		
MATH 140		U1-U3	MATH 148, 152, 166, 172	D	Certain TAMU MPE scores can be used as the pre-req. See Math dept. for details
MATH 142	MATH 140	U1-U3	MATH 147, 151, 171		
STAT 201		U1-U4			
Life and Physical Science		U1-U4		D	See core.tamu.edu. To be taken in 3-3-3 or 4-4-1 format.
HIST - 3 hrs		U1-U4		D	See core.tamu.edu
HIST - 3 hrs		U1-U4			See core.tamu.edu
POLS 206		U1-U4			
POLS 207		U1-U4			
**Language, Phil & Culture Elective		U1-U4		D	See core.tamu.edu Some courses may meet International Cultural Diversity and Cultural Discourse requirements
**Creative Arts Elective		U1-U4			See core.tamu.edu Some courses may meet International Cultural Diversity and Cultural Discourse requirements
Electives		U1-U4		C	Select 15 hours from the electives list in the degree plan packet; Work with advisor to choose appropriate courses.
SPMT 304 or SPMT 319%		U1-U4	SOCI 319	C	Will satisfy the Social Science requirement as well as the Cultrual Discourse requirement.
SPMT 260 & SPMT 270		U1-U4	SPMT 217	C	Must be taken at Texas A&M; Fall/Spring/Summer
SPMT 262 & SPMT 272	SPMT 260 & SPMT 270	U1-U4		C	Must be taken at Texas A&M; Fall/Spring
SPMT 265+	ENGL 103/104 & COMM 203 Completed or concurrent enrollment with SPMT 260, 270, 262, 272	U1-U4		C	Must be taken at Texas A&M; Fall/Spring/Summer
SPMT 295	SPMT 260, 270, 262, 272, 265	U1-U4		C	Must be taken at Texas A&M; Fall/Spring/Summer
SPMT 360	All 200s	U3-U4		C	Must be taken at Texas A&M; Fall/Spring Heavy
SPMT 362	All 200s	U3-U4		C	Must be taken at Texas A&M; Fall Heavy/Spring/Summer
SPMT 364	All 200s	U3-U4		C	Must be taken at Texas A&M; Fall Heavy/Spring/Summer
SPMT 366	All 200s	U3-U4		C	Must be taken at Texas A&M; Fall Heavy/Spring
SPMT 372	All 200s	U3-U4		C	Must be taken at Texas A&M; Fall Heavy/Spring
SPMT 374	All 200s	U3-U4		C	Must be taken at Texas A&M; Fall Heavy/Spring
SPMT 370	All 200s	U3-U4		C	Must be taken at Texas A&M; Fall/Spring Heavy/Summer
SPMT 460, 470+, 462, 472	All 300s	U3-U4		C	Must be taken at Texas A&M; Fall/Spring only
SPMT 402 or SPMT 481		U3-U4		C	Must be taken at Texas A&M in the semester prior to beginning your culminating experience; Fall/Spring/Summer (402 ONLY)
SPMT 450, 401, 455, 484, or 485		U3-U4		C	Must be taken at Texas A&M; Must complete all other coursework on degree plan before SPMT 484 Field Based Course Fall/Spring/Summer
+Writing Course Requirement					
% Will satisfy the University Cultural Discourse requirement					
** Proper selection might also meet International Cultural Diversity and Cultural Discourse requirements - see core.tamu.edu					

GENERAL RULES

Sport Management

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I. MANDATORY ADVISING

Any student who is entering their first semester at Texas A&M University is required to attend a mandatory advising session with their academic advisor prior to registering for courses. Students will receive an e-mail about this meeting in the first few weeks of classes. These meetings take place in the middle of the semester and serve as an opportunity for students to seek help in any area they may be struggling with. Additionally, this is an opportunity for your advisor get to know you. Failure to complete this requirement will result in a registration hold being placed on your account that will not allow you to register for the following semester.

II. COURSE SEQUENCING

The sport management curriculum is sequenced, meaning you must complete certain courses prior to enrolling for their follow up courses. Sequencing means **you must complete your SPMT specific courses in order from 200s to 300s to 400s**. The courses required to be sequenced are the 47 hours of Major Coursework on your degree plan. The purpose of course sequencing is to present material in a logical and orderly succession and lay the foundation layer first to then build on that foundation in the courses that follow. Please refer to the curriculum spreadsheet and degree plan examples regarding how the courses must be sequenced. You can always verify course pre-requisites by clicking on the course title in Howdy.

III. PROGRESS TOWARDS DEGREE

Students must show progress towards their degree by completing a combined total of 24 credit hours on their degree plan during the fall and spring semesters. At the end of the spring semester, students who did not complete 24 credit hours on their degree plan may be placed on probation. They must complete at least 12 hours on their degree plan plus make up any additional hours not completed the year before during the next fall semester. Failure to do so could result in dismissal from the department.

IV. UNDERGRADUATE DEGREE PLANNER REQUIREMENT

The Undergraduate Degree Planner (UGDP) is an electronic tool that allows students to create a four-year layout of degree requirements to map out a tentative graduation timeline. The UGDP is in Howdy and accessible at any time to edit or plan future semesters. Students are encouraged to update their UGDP each semester to prepare for class registration, stay on track with course sequencing, and prepare for academic advising meetings. **The UGDP is not a substitute for advising.** Completion of your UGDP does NOT ensure you are meeting all the requirements for graduation or that your courses will be available in the semester(s) you plan.

V. COURSE FORCING

The department will not force students into any course that does not fall within our department (i.e. KINE & SPMT). If a student is entering their final semester before graduation and needs a course that falls within the department, they may be able to be forced into that course depending on classroom space. If a course falls outside of the department, students will need to contact the school and/or department in which that course is housed to see if they can be forced in.

Electives

All Sport Management students are required to take 15 hours of elective courses. If a student wishes to pursue a minor, they may use their elective hours towards that minor as long as it aligns with their career goals in the sport industry. If you are interested in this option, please consult your advisor for a list of approved minors.

The following rules apply:

1. Maximum of 3 hours of SPMT 483 (course must be approved by a SPMT faculty member)
2. Maximum of 6 hours of SPMT 485 (course must be approved by a SPMT faculty member)

Sport Management

SPMT 220 – Olympic Studies
SPMT 230 – Introduction to Leadership
SPMT 330 – Applied Leadership
SPMT 336 – Diversity in Sport Organizations
SPMT 337 – International Sport Business

SPMT 340 – Sport Governance
SPMT 421 – Legal Aspects of Sport
SPMT 489 – Special Topics (vary by sem.)
KINE 199 – Any Topic (Up to 3 credit hours)

Business & Tourism

ACCT 209 – Survey of Accounting Principles
ACCT 229[^] – Introduction to Accounting I
ACCT 210 – Survey of Managerial & Cost Acct. Principles
ACCT 230[^] – Introduction to Accounting II
ECON 202 – Principles of Economics
ECON 203 – Principles of Economics (ECON 202 is pre-req)
FINC 201[^] – Personal Finance
FINC 409 – Survey of Financial Principles
FINP 235 – Foundations in Money Education
ISTM 209 – Business Information System Concepts
MGMT 209 – Business Govt & Society
MGMT 309 – Survey of Management
MKTG 409 – Principles of Marketing
HMGT 302 – Applications of Tourism Principles
HMGT 331 – Tourism Marketing (RPTS 302 pre-req.)

Event Planning

HMGT 211 – Planning & Implementation of Event/Programs

Leadership & Communication

COMM 205 – Communication for Tech. Professions
COMM 210 – Group Communication & Discussion
COMM 320 – Organizational Communication
ALED 340 – Professional Leadership Development
ALED 341 – Team Learning (ALED 340 is pre-req.)

Social & Personal Impact

PBSI 107 – Introduction to Psychology
HMGT 301 – Leisure & Outdoor Recreation in U.S. Culture
COMM 315 – Interpersonal Communication
COMM 340 – Communication & Popular Culture
HMGT 426 – Tourism Impacts

Cultural/Diversity

HMGT 340 – Recreation, Parks, & Diverse Populations
MKTG/IBUS 402 – Global Marketing (Summer only)
EHRD 408 – Diversity Issues & Practices in HRD
WGST 430 – Employment Discrimination Law

Bolded Courses satisfy the International & Cultural Diversity requirement

[^]This course cannot be taken at A&M, it can only be transferred in from a community college

NOTE: Most 300/400 level courses will require U3 status or higher, please be sure to check all restrictions prior to registration

Approved Minors for Sport Management Interdisciplinary Option

Business

College/Department: Mays Business School
Pre-Requisites: None
Declaration Process: Notify SPMT Advisor
Hours: 18

Communication

College/Department: Arts & Sciences/Communication
Pre-Requisites: None
Declaration Process: Complete minor form on COMM website; submit to SPMT Advisor
Hours: 15

Journalism

College/Department: Liberal Arts/Journalism
Pre-Requisites: JOUR 102; fewer than 30 hours & 3.0 GPA
Declaration Process: Application through JOUR department
Hours: 18

Coaching

College/Department: Education/KNSM
Pre-Requisites: BIOL 111
Declaration Process: Application through KNSM department
Hours: 18

TMGT – Tourism Resource Management

College/Department: Agriculture/HMGT
Pre-Requisites: None
Declaration Process: Notify SPMT Advisor
Hours: 18

ALEC – Youth Development

College/Department: Agriculture/AGEC
Pre-Requisites: None
Declaration Process: Notify SPMT Advisor
Hours: 18

RMGT – Recreation Management

College/Department: Agriculture/HMGT
Pre-Requisites: None
Declaration Process: Notify SPMT Advisor
Hours: 18

Psychology

College/Department: Arts & Sciences, Psychology
Pre-Requisites: PBSI 107; fewer than 90 hours
Declaration Process: Complete minor form; submit to SPMT advisor
Hours: 15

Facility Management

College/Department: Architecture, Construction Science
Pre-Requisites: 2.0 GPA
Declaration Process: Application through COSC department
Hours: 18

Human Resource Development

College/Department: Education, Education Administration & Human Resource Development
Pre-Requisites: 2.0 GPA; between 12 and 75 total hours
Declaration Process: Application through EHRD department
Hours: 18

Leadership Studies

College/Department: Agriculture/AGEC
Pre-Requisites: ALED 202; 2.5 GPA; fewer than 75 hours
Declaration Process: Contact AGECEC advisor
Hours: 15

Art – Graphic Design

College/Department: PVFA
Pre-Requisites: 3.25 GPA; less than 70 hours
Declaration Process: Application through PVFA department
Hours: 18

Statistics

College/Department: Arts & Sciences/Statistics
Pre-Requisites: MATH 151 & 152 or equivalent
Declaration Process: Acquire form from STAT department; submit to SPMT advisor
Hours: 15

Philosophy

College/Department: Arts & Sciences/Philosophy
Pre-Requisites: Less than 90 hours
Declaration Process: Acquire form from PHIL department; submit to SPMT advisor
Hours: 15

Sociology

College/Department: Arts & Sciences/Sociology
Pre-Requisites: 1 SOCI course (C or better); less than 95 hours
Declaration Process: Acquire form from SOCI department; submit to SPMT advisor
Hours: 15

Economics

College/Department: Arts & Sciences/Economics
Pre-Requisites: None
Declaration Process: Notify to SPMT advisor
Hours: 15

Pre-Law Certificate

College/Department: Arts & Sciences/Philosophy
Pre-Requisites: None
Declaration Process: Complete form from PHIL department website; submit to SPMT advisor
Hours: 12

Professional Event Management Certificate

College/Department: Agriculture/Recreation, Parks & Tourism Sciences
Pre-Requisites: RPTS 311 or HMGT 211
Declaration Process: Application through HMGT department
Hours: 15

Courses Available for Transfer

The courses listed below are the only courses that can be transferred into your degree plan; all other courses are required to be taken at Texas A&M or will require faculty approval in order to count. Please be sure you utilize the Transfer Course Equivalency website or consult your advisor to make sure you are taking the correct course. If you have questions, always ask your advisor; do not rely on information from other students.

General Courses

Texas A&M Course Number	Transfers to A&M As...	Texas Common Course Number
ENGL 103	ENGL 103	ENGL 1301
ENGL 104	ENGL 104	ENGL 1302
COMM 203	COMM 203	SPCH 1315
COMM 243	COMM 243	SPCH 2335
MATH 140	MATH 140	MATH 1324
MATH 142	MATH 142	MATH 1325
STAT 201	STAT 201	MATH 1342
POLS 206	POLS 206	GOVT 2305
POLS 207	POLS 207	GOVT 2306

Other courses are also eligible for transfer in the following categories, but are too numerous to list here. To find a list of Texas Common Course Numbers for Natural Sciences, History, Creative Arts and Language, Philosophy & Culture courses, please go to the following website:

<http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/appendices/texas-common-course-numbering-system/>

Electives

Texas A&M Course Number	Transfers to A&M As...	Texas Common Course Number
COMM 210	COMM 210	SPCH 2333
ECON 202	ECON 202	ECON 2302
ECON 203	ECON 203	ECON 2301
MGMT 209	MGMT 209	BUSI 2301
PBSI 107	PBSI 107	PSYC 2301
ACCT 229	ACCT 229	ACCT 2301 or 2401
ACCT 230	ACCT 230	ACCT 2302

Remember that it is always a good idea to consult with your Academic Advisor before taking a course away from A&M to ensure that you are taking the correct course.

Four-Year Degree Planning Example Texas A&M University

Fall		Spring		Summer Session I		Summer Session II	
Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs
SPMT 260	2	SPMT 262	3				
SPMT 270	2	SPMT 272	2				
Science	3	COMM 203	3				
ENGL 104	3	MATH 142	3				
MATH 140	3	SPMT 265	4				
POLS 206	3	SPMT 295	1				
TOTAL	16	TOTAL	16	TOTAL	0	TOTAL	0

Fall		Spring		Summer Session I		Summer Session II	
Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs
SPMT 304 or 319	4	Science	3				
Science	3	HIST	3				
LPC	3	Elective	3				
Creative Arts	3	STAT 201	3				
HIST	3	Elective	3				
TOTAL	16	TOTAL	15	TOTAL	0	TOTAL	0

Fall		Spring		Summer Session I		Summer Session II	
Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs
SPMT 360	3	SPMT 364	3				
SPMT 370	3	SPMT 366	3				
SPMT 362	3	SPMT 374	3				
SPMT 372	3	Elective	3				
POLS 207	3	Elective	3				
TOTAL	15	TOTAL	15	TOTAL	0	TOTAL	0

Fall		Spring		Summer Session I		Summer Session II	
Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs
SPMT 460	3	Culminating Exp.	12				
SPMT 462	3						
SPMT 470	3						
SPMT 472	3						
Elective	3						
Culminating Exp.	1						
TOTAL	16	TOTAL	12	TOTAL	0	TOTAL	0

Planned Graduation Date: _____

Four-Year Degree Planning Example

Texas A&M University

Fall		Spring		Summer Session I		Summer Session II	
Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs
SPMT 260	2	SPMT 262	3				
SPMT 270	2	SPMT 272	2				
Science	3	COMM 203	3				
ENGL 104	3	MATH 142	3				
MATH 140	3	SPMT 304/319	3				
TOTAL	13	TOTAL	14	TOTAL	0	TOTAL	0

Fall		Spring		Summer Session I		Summer Session II	
Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs
SPMT 265	4	Science	3				
Science	3	HIST	3				
LPC	3	POLS 206	3				
SPMT 295	1	Creative Arts	3				
HIST	3	Elective	3				
TOTAL	14	TOTAL	15	TOTAL	0	TOTAL	0

Fall		Spring		Summer Session I		Summer Session II	
Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs
SPMT 360	3	SPMT 364	3				
SPMT 370	3	SPMT 366	3				
SPMT 362	3	SPMT 374	3				
SPMT 372	3	Elective	3				
POLS 207	3	Culminating Exp.	1				
		STAT 201	3				
TOTAL	15	TOTAL	16	TOTAL	0	TOTAL	0

Fall		Spring		Summer Session I		Summer Session II	
Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs
Culminating Exp.	5	Culminating Exp.	7				
SPMT 460	3	SPMT 462	3				
SPMT 470	3	SPMT 472	3				
Elective	3	Elective	3				
Elective	3						
TOTAL	17	TOTAL	16	TOTAL	0	TOTAL	0

Planned Graduation Date: _____

Accelerated Degree Planning Example

Texas A&M University
***By Advisor Approval Only**

Fall		Spring		Summer Session I		Summer Session II	
Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs
SPMT 260	2	SPMT 304/319	3	SPMT 370	3		
SPMT 270	2	SPMT 366	3	SPMT 362	3		
SPMT 262	3	SPMT 360	3	SPMT 364	3		
SPMT 272	2	SPMT 372	3				
SPMT 265	4	SPMT 374	3				
SPMT 295	1						
TOTAL	14	TOTAL	15	TOTAL	9	TOTAL	0

Fall		Spring		Summer Session I		Summer Session II	
Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs
SPMT 460	3	Culminating Exp.	12				
SPMT 470	3						
SPMT 462	3						
SPMT 472	3						
Culminating Exp.	1						
TOTAL	13	TOTAL	12	TOTAL	0	TOTAL	0

Fall		Spring		Summer Session I		Summer Session II	
Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs
TOTAL	0	TOTAL	0	TOTAL	0	TOTAL	0

Fall		Spring		Summer Session I		Summer Session II	
Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs
TOTAL	0	TOTAL	0	TOTAL	0	TOTAL	0

Planned Graduation Date: _____

Accelerated Degree Planning Example

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Fall		Spring		Summer Session I		Summer Session II	
Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs
SPMT 260	2	SPMT 304/319	3				
SPMT 270	2	SPMT 360	3				
SPMT 262	3	SPMT 362	3				
SPMT 272	2	SPMT 364	3				
SPMT 265	4						
SPMT 295	1						
TOTAL	14	TOTAL	12	TOTAL	0	TOTAL	0

Fall		Spring		Summer Session I		Summer Session II	
Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs
SPMT 366	3	SPMT 460	3				
SPMT 370	3	SPMT 470	3				
SPMT 372	3	SPMT 462	3				
SPMT 374	3	SPMT 472	3				
		Culminating Exp.	1				
TOTAL	12	TOTAL	13	TOTAL	0	TOTAL	0

Fall		Spring		Summer Session I		Summer Session II	
Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs
Culminating Exp.	12						
TOTAL	12	TOTAL	0	TOTAL	0	TOTAL	0

Fall		Spring		Summer Session I		Summer Session II	
Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs
TOTAL	0	TOTAL	0	TOTAL	0	TOTAL	0

Planned Graduation Date: _____

Degree Planning Worksheet

Department of Health and Kinesiology

Texas A&M University

Fall		Spring		Summer Session I		Summer Session II	
Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs
TOTAL		TOTAL		TOTAL		TOTAL	

Fall		Spring		Summer Session I		Summer Session II	
Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs
TOTAL		TOTAL		TOTAL		TOTAL	

Fall		Spring		Summer Session I		Summer Session II	
Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs
TOTAL		TOTAL		TOTAL		TOTAL	

Fall		Spring		Summer Session I		Summer Session II	
Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs	Course	Cr Hrs
TOTAL		TOTAL		TOTAL		TOTAL	

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