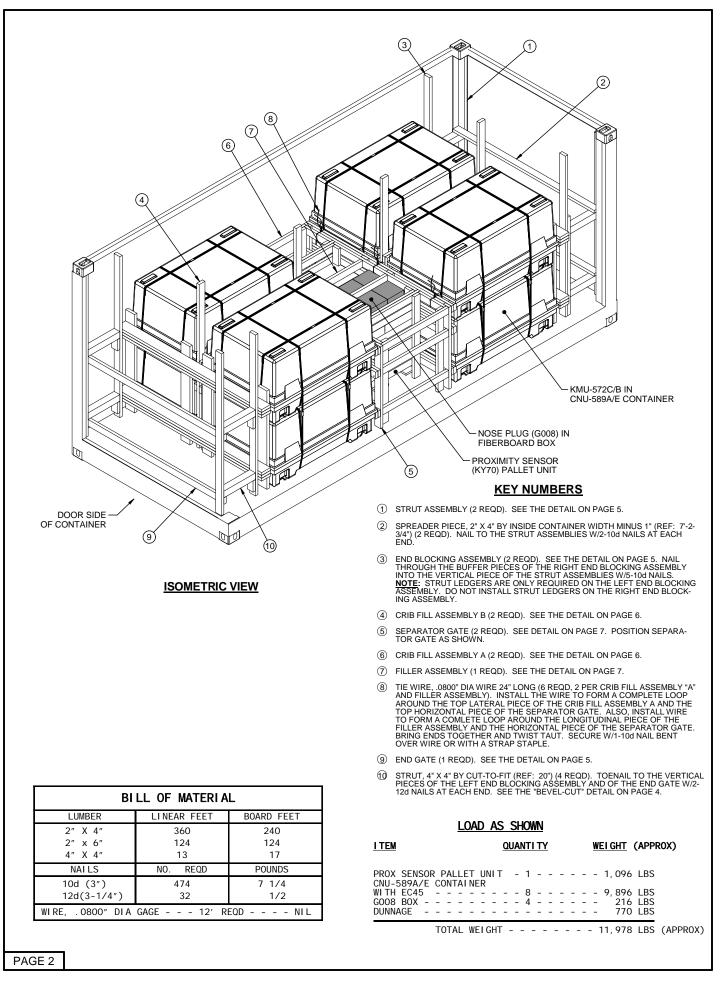
LOADING AND BRACING[®] IN SIDE OPENING ISO CONTAINERS OF GBU-31(V) 1/B AND 3/B BULK PACK COMPONENTS, KMU-572 C/B, DSU-33B/B, AND NOSE PLUGS

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GENERAL NOTES

- A. THIS DOCUMENT HAS BEEN PREPARED AND ISSUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH AR 740-1 AND AUGMENTS TM 743-200-1 (CHAPTER 5).
- B. THE SPECIFIED OUTLOADING PROCEDURES ARE APPLICABLE TO LOADS OF GBU-31(V) 1/B AND 3/B BULK PACK COMPONENTS, KMU-572 C/B, DSU-33B/B, AND NOSE PLUGS. SUBSEQUENT REFERENCE TO CONTAINERS HEREIN MEANS THE CONTAINERS WITH THE GBU-31(V) 1/B AND 3/B COM-PONENTS. SEE NAVY DRAWING 6214068 AND SPI F01-394-8480 FOR DE-TAILS OF THE CONTAINERS AND PALLET UNIT. <u>CAUTION</u>: REGARDLESS OF THE QUANTITY OF CONTAINERS AND PALLET UNITS TO BE SHIPPED, THE "MAXIMUM GROSS WEIGHT" OF THE SIDE OPENING ISO CONTAINER MUST NOT BE EXCEEDED.
- C. THE LOAD AS SHOWN IS BASED ON A 6,500 POUND 20' LONG BY 8' WIDE BY 8'-6" HIGH SIDE OPENING ISO CONTAINER WITH INSIDE DIMENSIONS OF 19'-6-114" LONG BY 90" WIDE BY 89" HIGH, WITH A MAXIMUM GROSS WEIGHT OF 52,910 POUNDS. OLDER/OTHER CONTAINERS MAY HAVE DIFFERENT IN-SIDE MEASUREMENTS, VERIFY INSIDE CONTAINER DIMENSIONS PRIOR TO FABRICATING DUNNAGE. THE LOAD IS DESIGNED FOR TRAIL-ER/CONTAINER-ON-FLATCAR (T/COFC) SHIPMENT, HOWEVER, THE LOAD AS DESIGNED CAN ALSO BE MOVED BY OTHER SURFACE MODES OF TRANSPORT. <u>NOTICE</u>: OTHER CONTAINERS OF THE SAME DESIGN CON-FIGURATION CAN BE USED.
- D. WHEN LOADING CONTAINERS, THEY ARE TO BE POSITIONED SO AS TO ACHIEVE A TIGHT LOAD (TIGHT AGAINST THE DUNNAGE ASSEMBLIES). THE UNBLOCKED SPACE ACROSS THE WIDTH OF A LOAD BAY IS NOT TO EX-CEED 1-1/2". EXCESSIVE SLACK CAN BE ELIMINATED FROM A LOAD BY LAM-INATING ADDITIONAL PIECES OF APPROPRIATE THICKNESS TO THE HORI-ZONTAL PIECES ON THE CRIB FILL ASSEMBLIES. NAIL EACH ADDITIONAL PIECE W/1 APPROPRIATELY SIZED NAIL EVERY 12". ADDITIONALLY, THE THICKNESS, OR QUANTITY OF THE VERTICAL OR HORIZONTAL PIECES IN THE CRIB FILL ASSEMBLIES MAY BE ADJUSTED AS REQUIRED TO FACILI-TATE VARIANCE IN THE SIZE OF THE CONTAINERS. THE LOADS MUST BE AS TIGHT AS POSSIBLE LONGITUDINALLY, BUT THE VOID MUST NOT EX-CEED 3/4" OVERALL. EXCESSIVE SLACK CAN BE ELIMINATED BY INCREAS-ING THE LENGTH OF THE STRUTS.
- E. A STAGGERED NAILING PATTERN WILL BE USED WHENEVER POSSIBLE WHEN NAILS ARE DRIVEN INTO JOINTS OF DUNNAGE ASSEMBLIES OR WHEN LAMINATING DUNNAGE. ADDITIONALLY, THE NAILING PATTERN FOR AN UPPER PIECE OF LAMINATED DUNNAGE WILL BE ADJUSTED AS RE-QUIRED SO THAT A NAIL FOR THAT PIECE WILL NOT BE DRIVEN THROUGH ONTO OR RIGHT BESIDE A NAIL IN A LOWER PIECE.
- F. PORTIONS OF THE CONTAINER DEPICTED WITHIN THIS DRAWING, SUCH AS THE SIDEWALL, HAVE NOT BEEN SHOWN IN THE LOAD VIEWS FOR CLARITY PURPOSES.
- G. IN SOME CONTAINERS THERE IS A SLOT AT THE CORNERS OF THE ENDWALL. PIECES OF DUNNAGE MATERIAL MUST BE LAMINATED TO THE BUFFER PIECES ON THE END GATE OR STRUT ASSEMBLIES TO PROVIDE A FLAT SURFACE FOR THE BUFFER PIECES. A PIECE OF 2" X 4", 2" X 3" OR A SPECIAL WIDTH PIECE CUT-TO-FIT CAN BE USED. THIS FILL PIECE WILL BE NAILED WITH ONE APPROPRIATELY SIZED NAIL EVERY 12". NOTE THAT SOME CONTAINERS ARE EQUIPPED WITH "TIE-BARS" IN THE CORNER SLOT, WHICH PRECLUDE THE USE OF A FULL HEIGHT FILL PIECE. WHEN "TIE-BARS" ARE PRESENT, THE FILL PIECE MUST BE INSTALLED IN SEGMENTS DESIGNED TO FIT BETWEEN THE "TIE-BARS" VERTICALLY. THE FILL PIECE(S) IS NOT REQUIRED WHEN THE CORNER PORTIONS OF THE CON-TAINER FORWARD WALL ARE SMOOTH AND FLAT. DO NOT ALLOW ANY DUNNAGE ASSEMBLY TO CONTACT THE CONTAINER ENDWALLS, ONLY THE CORNER POSTS OF THE CONTAINER SHOULD BE USED FOR FORWARD LONGITUDINAL BLOCKING.
- H. WHETHER A CONTAINER IS FULL OR IS LOADED WITH A REDUCED QUANTI-TY OF LADING UNITS, THE LENGTHWISE CENTER OF GRAVITY OF THE LOAD MUST BE WITHIN 12", IN EITHER DIRECTION, OF THE MID-POINT OF THE CONTAINER.
- J. $\underline{\textbf{CAUTION}}$: DO NOT NAIL DUNNAGE MATERIAL TO THE CONTAINER WALLS OR FLOOR. ALL NAILING WILL BE WITHIN THE DUNNAGE.

K. MAXIMUM LOAD WEIGHT CRITERIA:

THE MAXIMUM LOAD WEIGHTS ARE CONTROLLED BY EQUIPMENT CAPABIL-ITY FACTORS. ALTHOUGH THE HEAVIEST MAXIMUM LOADS ARE DELINEAT-ED IN THE LOAD VIEWS, PROVISIONS ARE INCLUDED WITHIN THIS DRAWING SO THAT THE BASIC LOADS CAN BE ADJUSTED TO SATISFY A LESSER QUANTITY OF LADING UNITS. DEPENDING ON TRANSPORTATION ROUTING, IT MAY BE NECESSARY TO REDUCE THE LOAD WEIGHT TO SATISFY "WEIGHT LAWS" OF CERTAIN STATES. ALSO, IT MAY BE NECESSARY TO REDUCE THE LOAD WEIGHT TO SATISFY OTHER WEIGHT RESTRICTIONS IMPOSED ON THE INTERMODAL CONTAINER SYSTEM.

- L. REQUIREMENTS CITED WITHIN THE ASSOCIATION OF AMERICAN RAIL-ROADS (AAR) INTERMODAL LOADING GUIDE APPLY WHEN THE SHIPMENT MOVES BY TRAILER/CONTAINER-ON-FLATCAR (T/COFC). SPECIAL T/COFC NOTES FOLLOW:
 - 1. A LOADED CONTAINER MUST BE ON A CHASSIS EQUIPPED WITH TWO BOGIE ASSEMBLIES WHEN BEING MOVED IN TOFC SERVICE.
 - 2. THE LOAD LIMIT OF A T/COFC RAILCAR MUST NOT BE EXCEEDED, NOR WILL A CAR BE LOADED SO THAT THE TRUCK UNDER ONE END OF THE CAR CARRIES MORE THAN ONE-HALF OF THE LOAD LIMIT FOR THAT CAR.

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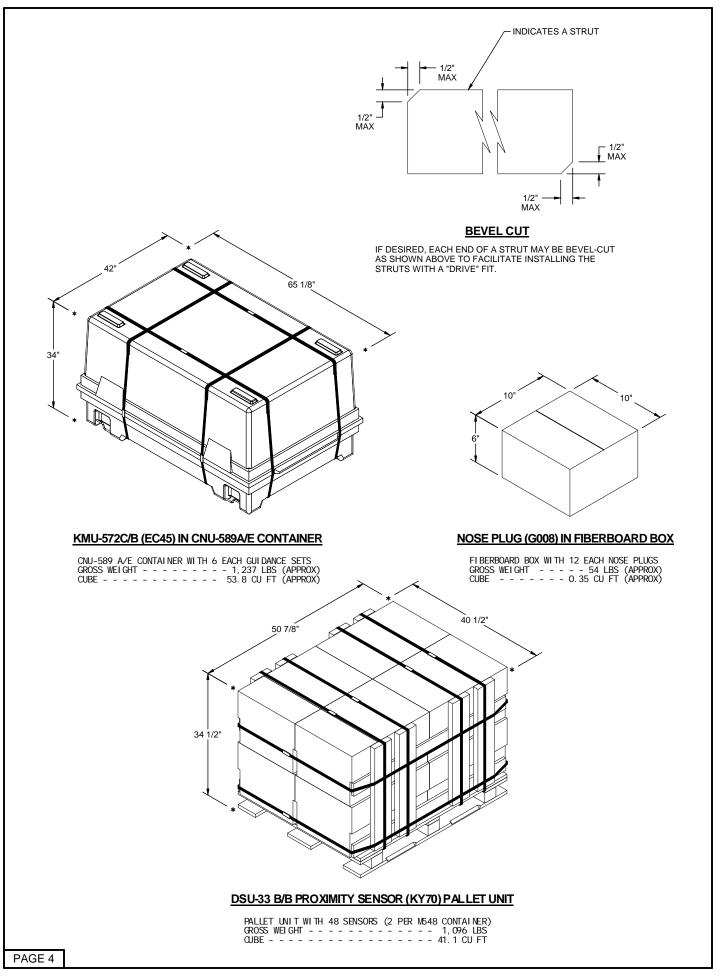
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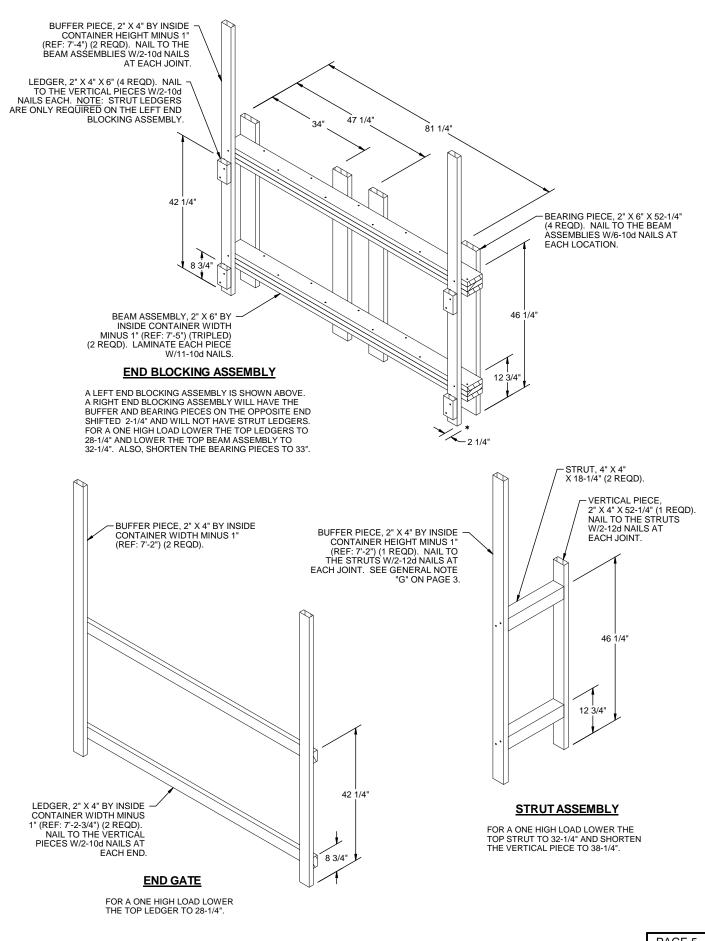
- M. DURING INTRASTATE AND/OR INTERSTATE MOVES BY MOTOR CARRIER, A PROPER CHASSIS OR MODIFIED FLATBED TRAILER MUST BE USED TO PRECLUDE VIOLATION OF ONE OR MORE "WEIGHT LAWS" APPLICABLE TO THE STATE OR STATES INVOLVED.
- N. CONVERSION TO METRIC EQUIVALENTS: DIMENSIONS WITHIN THIS DOCU-MENT ARE EXPRESSED IN INCHES AND WEIGHTS ARE EXPRESSED IN POUNDS. WHEN NECESSARY, THE METRIC EQUIVALENTS MAY BE COM-PUTED ON THE BASIS OF ONE INCH EQUALS 25.4MM AND ONE POUND EQUALS 0.454 KG.
- O. DUNNAGE LUMBER SPECIFIED IS OF NOMINAL SIZE. FOR EXAMPLE, 1" X 4" MATERIAL IS ACTUALLY 3/4" THICK BY 3-1/2" WIDE AND 2" X 6" MATERIAL IS ACTUALLY 1-1/2" THICK BY 5-1/2" WIDE.
- P. LOAD-BLOCKING STRUTS WHICH ARE 48" OR LONGER MUST BE STIFF-ENED BY THE APPLICATION OF HORIZONTAL AND VERTICAL STRUT BRACING AS SHOWN IN THE "TYPICAL STRUT BRACING" DETAIL ON PAGE 73 OF DRAWING AMC 19-48-4267-15PA1009. BRACING IS NOT RE-QUIRED IF THE STRUTS FOR THE LOAD BEING SHIPPED ARE SHORTER THAN 44". THE LENGTH OF THE LOAD-BLOCKING STRUTS SHOULD BE KEPT AS SHORT AS POSSIBLE (APPROX 18" MINIMUM), BUT IN THE EVENT IT IS NECESSARY TO USE STRUTS WHICH ARE 8-0" OR MORE IN LENGTH, IT WILL BE NECESSARY TO PPLY AN ADDITIONAL SET OF HORIZONTAL AND VERTICAL STRUT BRACING PIECES. STRUT BRACING SHOULD BE APPLIED SO AS TO PROVIDE NEARLY EQUAL SPACES BE-TWEEN ADJACENT STRUT BRACING PIECES. NOTE THAT HORIZONTAL STRUT BRACING PIECES FOR THE UPPER LEVEL OF STRUTS FOR ALL BUT THE UPPERMOST TIER OF A LOAD MAY BE DIFFICULT TO APPLY TO THE TOP SURFACES OF THE STRUT AS DEPICTED. STRUT BRACING WILL BE QUALLY EFFECTIVE IF APPLIED TO THE UNDER SIDE OF THOSES STRUTS.
- Q. RECOMMENDED SEQUENTIAL LOADING PROCEDURES:
 - PREFABRICATE TWO STRUT ASSEMBLIES, TWO END BLOCKING AS-SEMBLIES (ONE LEFT AND ONE RIGHT), ONE FILLER ASSEMBLY, TWO CRIB FILL ASSEMBLIES "A", TWO CRIB FILL ASSEMBLIES "B", TWO SEPARATOR GATES, AND ONE END GATE.
 - 2. INSTALL THE TWO STRUT ASSEMBLIES AND TWO SPREADER PIECES.
 - 3. INSTALL THE RIGHT END BLOCKING ASSEMBLY.
 - 4. INSTALL FOUR CNU-589 CONTAINERS WITH CRIB FILL ASSEMBLY "B".
 - 5. INSTALL THE SEPARATOR GATE.
 - 6. INSTALL THE PALLET UNIT WITH TWO CRIB FILL ASSEMBLIES "A", THE FILLER ASSEMBLY, AND FOUR FIBERBOARD BOXES.
 - 7. REPEAT STEP 5.
 - 8. REPEAT STEP 4.
 - 9. INSTALL THE LEFT END BLOCKING ASSEMBLY.
 - 10. INSTALL THE END GATE.
 - 11. INSTALL THE FOUR STRUTS.
 - 12. WIRE TIE THE CRIB FILL ASSEMBLIES "A" AND THE FILLER ASSEMBLY TO THE SEPARATOR GATES.

13. INSTALL FIBERBOARD BOXES INTO FILLER ASSEMBLY.

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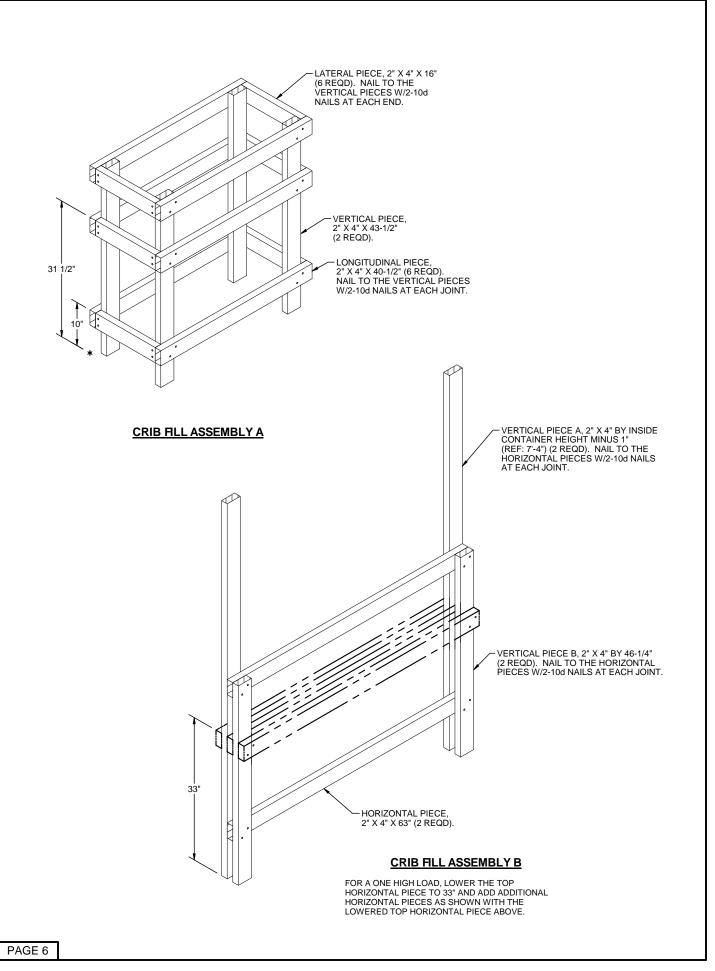
<u>LUMBER</u> :	SEE TM 743-200-1 (DUNNAGE LUMBER) AND VOLUNTARY PRODUCT STANDARD PS 20.
<u>NAILS</u> :	ASTM F1667; COMMON STEEL NAIL NLCMS OR NLCMMS).
WIRE, CARBON STEEL -:	ASTM A853; ANNEALED AT FINISH, BLACK OXIDE FINISH, O. 0800" DIA, GRADE 1006 OR BETTER.
<u>STAPLE</u> :	ASTM F1667; STFCS-189 OR STFCS- 207,15/16" OR 1" CROWN WIDTH X 3/4" LEG LENGTH FOR 3/4" STRAPPING, OR STFCS- 224, 1-17/32" CROWN WIDTH X 3/4" LEG LENGTH FOR 1-1/4" STRAPPING.

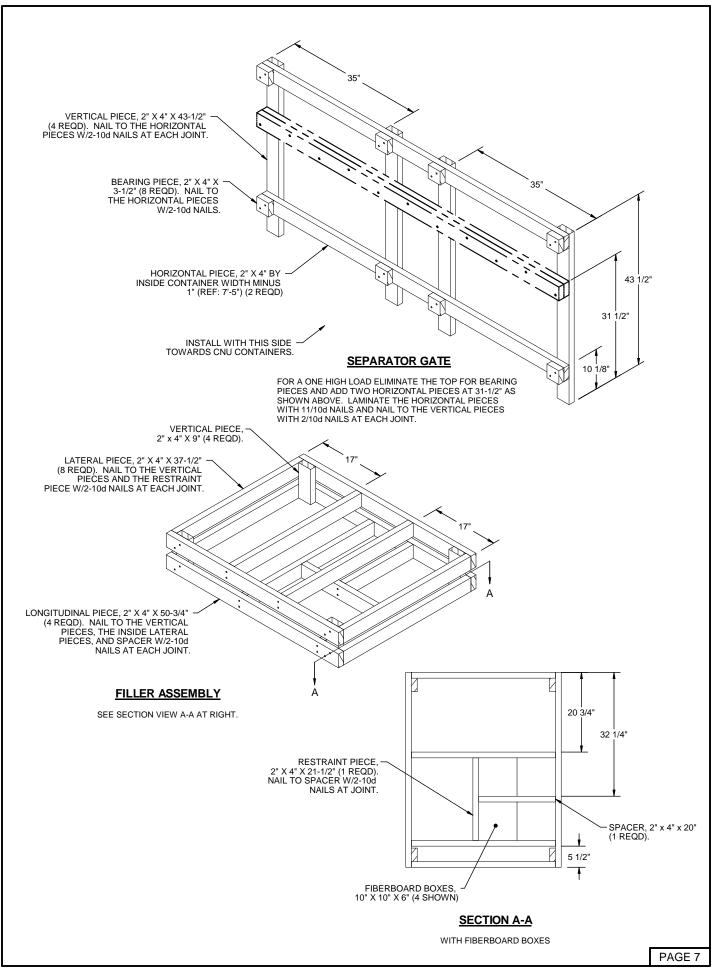




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