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# ⊕-g-RADICAL SUPPLEMENTED MODULES

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Abstract. In this work  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented modules are defined and some properties of these modules are investigated. It is proved that the finite direct sum of  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented modules is also  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented. Let M be a  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented R-module. If  $\operatorname{Rad}_g(M) \ll_g M$ , then M is  $\oplus$ -g-supplemented. If  $\operatorname{Rad}_g(M) \ll M$ , then M is  $\oplus$ -supplemented.

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#### 1. Introduction

Throughout this paper all rings will be associative with identity and all modules will be unital left modules.

Let R be a ring and M be an R-module. We will denote a submodule N of Mby  $N \le M$ . Let M be an R-module and  $N \le M$ . If L = M for every submodule L of M such that M = N + L, then N is called a *small submodule* of M and denoted by  $N \ll M$ . Let M be an R-module and  $N \leq M$ . If there exists a submodule K of M such that M = N + K and  $N \cap K = 0$ , then N is called a *direct summand* of M and it is denoted by  $M = N \oplus K$ . For any R-module M, we have  $M = M \oplus 0$ . The intersection of all maximal submodules of M is called the radical of M and denoted by Rad(M). If M have no maximal submodules, then it is defined Rad(M) = M. M is said to be *semilocal* if M/Rad(M) is semisimple. A submodule N of an R-module M is called an essential submodule of M and denoted by  $N \subseteq M$  in case  $K \cap N \neq 0$ for every submodule  $K \neq 0$ , or equivalently, K = 0 for every  $K \leq M$  with  $N \cap K =$ 0. Let M be an R-module and K be a submodule of M. K is called a generalized small (or briefly, g-small) submodule of M if for every essential submodule T of M with the property M = K + T implies that T = M, then we write  $K \ll_g M$  (in [13], it is called an *e-small submodule* of M and denoted by  $K \ll_e M$ ). It is clear that every small submodule is a generalized small submodule but the converse is not true in general. Let M be an R-module. M is called a hollow module if every proper submodule of M is small in M. M is called a generalized hollow (or briefly, g-hollow) module if every proper submodule of M is g-small in M. Here it is clear

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that every hollow module is generalized hollow. The converse of this statement is not always true. M is called a local module if M has the largest submodule, i.e. a proper submodule which contains all other proper submodules. M is called a generalized local (briefly, g-local) if M has a large proper essential submodule which contain all proper essential submodules of M or M have no proper essential submodules. Let U and V be submodules of M. If M = U + V and V is minimal with respect to this property, or equivalently, M = U + V and  $U \cap V \ll V$ , then V is called a *supplement* of U in M. M is said to be supplemented if every submodule of M has a supplement in M. If every submodule of M has a supplement that is a direct summand in M, then *M* is called a  $\oplus$ -supplemented module. Let *M* be an *R*-module and  $U,V \leq M$ . If M = U + V and M = U + T with  $T \le V$  implies that T = V, or equivalently, M = U + V and  $U \cap V \ll_g V$ , then V is called a g-supplement of U in M. M is said to be g-supplemented if every submodule of M has a g-supplement in M. M is said to be  $\oplus$ -g-supplemented if every submodule of M has a g-supplement that is a direct summand in M (see [10]). A module M is said to have the Summand Sum Property (SSP) if the sum of two direct summands of M is again a direct summand of M (see [12, Exercise 39.17(3)]). We say that a module M has (D3) property if  $M_1 \cap M_2$  is a direct summand of M for every direct summands  $M_1$  and  $M_2$  of M with  $M = M_1 + M_2$ (see [8]). Let M be an R-module and  $U, V \leq M$ . If M = U + V and  $U \cap V \leq \text{Rad}(V)$ , then V is called a generalized (radical) supplement (briefly, Rad-supplement) of U in M. M is said to be generalized (radical) supplemented (briefly, Rad-supplemented) if every submodule of M has a Rad-supplement in M. M is said to be generalized  $(radical) \oplus -supplemented$  (briefly,  $Rad \oplus -supplemented$ ) if every submodule of M has a Rad-supplement that is a direct summand in M. The intersection of all essential maximal submodules of an R-module M is called the generalized radical of M and denoted by  $\operatorname{Rad}_{\varrho}(M)$  (in [13], it is denoted by  $\operatorname{Rad}_{\varrho}(M)$ ). If M have no essential maximal submodules, then we denote  $Rad_g(M) = M$ . An R-module M is said to be g-semilocal if  $M/\text{Rad}_g(M)$  is semisimple (see [9]). Let M be an R-module and  $U, V \leq M$ . If M = U + V and  $U \cap V \leq \text{Rad}_{g}(V)$ , then V is called a generalized radical supplement (or briefly, g-radical supplement) of U in M. M is said to be generalized radical supplemented (briefly, g-radical supplemented) if every submodule of M has a g-radical supplement in M.

More informations about supplemented modules are in [2, 8, 12]. More results about  $\oplus$ -supplemented modules are in [4, 5, 8]. More details about generalized (radical) supplemented modules are in [11]. More details about generalized (radical)  $\oplus$ -supplemented modules are in [1, 3]. More informations about g-supplemented modules are in [6]. More informations about g-radical supplemented modules are in [7].

Now we will give some important properties of the generalized radical of any module.

**Lemma 1.** Let M be an R-module. The following conditions hold.

- (1)  $\operatorname{Rad}_g(M) = \sum_{L \ll_g M} L$ .
- (2)  $Rm \ll_g M$  for every  $m \in \operatorname{Rad}_g(M)$ .
- (3) If  $N \leq M$ , then  $\operatorname{Rad}_{g}(N) \leq \operatorname{Rad}_{g}(M)$ .
- (4) If  $K, L \leq M$ , then  $\operatorname{Rad}_{g}(K) + \operatorname{Rad}_{g}(L) \leq \operatorname{Rad}_{g}(K + L)$ .
- (5) Let N be an R-module and  $f: M \to N$  be an R-module homomorphism. Then  $f(\operatorname{Rad}_g(M)) \leq \operatorname{Rad}_g(N)$ .
- (6) If  $K, L \leq M$ , then  $\frac{\operatorname{Rad}_{g}(K) + L}{L} \leq \operatorname{Rad}_{g}\left(\frac{K + L}{L}\right)$ . (7) If  $M = \bigoplus_{i \in I} M_{i}$ , then  $\operatorname{Rad}_{g}(M) = \bigoplus_{i \in I} \operatorname{Rad}_{g}(M_{i})$ .

*Proof.* See [7, Lemma 2, Lemma 3 and Lemma 4].

## 2. $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented modules

**Definition 1.** Let M be an R-module. If every submodule of M has a g-radical supplement that is a direct summand of M, then M is called a  $\oplus$ -generalized radical supplemented (briefly, ⊕-*g*-radical supplemented) module.

Clearly we can see that every  $\oplus$ -g-supplemented module is  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented, but the converse is not true in general (see Example 1 and Example 2). We also clearly can see that every  $\oplus$ -supplemented and every g-hollow modules are  $\oplus$ g-radical supplemented. Let M be  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented R-module. Then M is g-radical supplemented and by [7, Theorem 1] M is g-semilocal.

**Lemma 2.** Let M be an R-module and  $M = M_1 \oplus M_2$ . If  $M_1$  and  $M_2$  are  $\oplus$ -gradical supplemented, then M is also  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented.

*Proof.* Let U be any submodule of M. Since  $M_2$  is  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented,  $(M_1+U)\cap M_2$  has a g-radical supplement X that is a direct summand of  $M_2$ . Since X is a g-radical supplement of  $(M_1+U)\cap M_2$  in  $M_2$ ,  $M_2=(M_1+U)\cap M_2+X$  and  $(M_1 + U) \cap X = (M_1 + U) \cap M_2 \cap X \le \text{Rad}_g(X)$ . By  $M_2 = (M_1 + U) \cap M_2 + X$ ,  $M = (M_1 + U) \cap X = (M_1 + U) \cap M_2 \cap X = (M_$  $M_1 \oplus M_2 = M_1 + (M_1 + U) \cap M_2 + X = M_1 + U + X$ . Since  $M_1$  is  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented,  $(U+X)\cap M_1$  has a g-radical supplement Y that is a direct summand of  $M_1$ . Since Y is a g-radical supplement of  $(U+X)\cap M_1$  in  $M_1$ ,  $M_1=(U+X)\cap M_1+Y$  and  $(U+X)\cap Y = (U+X)\cap M_1\cap Y \leq \text{Rad}_g(Y)$ . By  $M_1 = (U+X)\cap M_1 + Y$ ,  $M = M_1 + X$  $U+X=(U+X)\cap M_1+Y+U+X=U+X+Y$ . Since  $(M_1+U)\cap X\leq \operatorname{Rad}_{\varrho}(X)$  and  $(U+X)\cap Y\leq \operatorname{Rad}_g(Y)$ , by Lemma 1,  $U\cap (X+Y)\leq (U+Y)\cap X+(U+X)\cap Y\leq (U+Y)\cap X$  $(M_1+U)\cap X+(U+X)\cap Y\leq \operatorname{Rad}_g(X)+\operatorname{Rad}_g(Y)\leq \operatorname{Rad}_g(X+Y)$ . Hence X+Yis a g-radical supplement of U in M. Since X is a direct summand of  $M_2$  and Y is a direct summand of  $M_1$ , X + Y is a direct summand of  $M = M_1 \oplus M_2$ . Hence M is ⊕-*g*-radical supplemented.

**Corollary 1.** Let M be an R-module and  $M = M_1 \oplus M_2 \oplus \cdots \oplus M_n$ . If  $M_i$  is  $\oplus$ -gradical supplemented for every i = 1, 2, ..., n, then M is also  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented.

*Proof.* Clear from Lemma 2.

**Proposition 1.** Let M be a  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented R-module. If  $\operatorname{Rad}_g(M) \ll_g M$ , then M is  $\oplus$ -g-supplemented.

*Proof.* Let  $U \le M$ . Since M is  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented, U has a g-radical supplement V that is a direct summand in M. Here M = U + V and  $U \cap V \le \operatorname{Rad}_g(V)$ . By Lemma 1,  $\operatorname{Rad}_g(V) \le \operatorname{Rad}_g(M) \ll_g M$ . Since V is a direct summand of M, we can see that  $\operatorname{Rad}_g(V) \ll_g V$ . Hence  $U \cap V \ll_g V$  and V is a g-supplement of U in M. Therefore, M is  $\oplus$ -g-supplemented. □

**Proposition 2.** Let M be  $a \oplus -g$ -radical supplemented R-module. If  $\operatorname{Rad}_g(M) \ll M$ , then M is  $\oplus$ -supplemented.

*Proof.* Similar to proof of Proposition 1.

**Lemma 3.** Let  $M = M_1 \oplus M_2$  and  $X, Y \leq M_2$ . Then Y is a g-radical supplement of X in  $M_2$  if and only if Y is a g-radical supplement of  $M_1 + X$  in M.

Proof.

⇒: Since Y is a g-radical supplement of X in  $M_2$ ,  $M_2 = X + Y$  and  $X \cap Y \le \operatorname{Rad}_g(Y)$ . Then  $M = M_1 + M_2 = M_1 + X + Y$  and by Modular Law,  $(M_1 + X) \cap Y = (M_1 + X) \cap M_2 \cap Y = (M_1 \cap M_2 + X) \cap Y = (0 + X) \cap Y = X \cap Y \le \operatorname{Rad}_g(Y)$ . Hence Y is a g-radical supplement of  $M_1 + X$  in M. ⇒: Since Y is a g-radical supplement of  $M_1 + X$  in M,  $M = M_1 + X + Y$  and  $(M_1 + X) \cap Y \le \operatorname{Rad}_g(Y)$ . Then by Modular Law,  $M_2 = M_2 \cap M = M_1 + X \cap Y \subseteq \operatorname{Rad}_g(Y)$ .

and  $(M_1+X) \cap Y \leq \operatorname{Rad}_g(Y)$ . Then by Modular Law,  $M_2 = M_2 \cap M = M_2 \cap (M_1+X+Y) = M_1 \cap M_2 + X + Y = 0 + X + Y = X + Y$  and  $X \cap Y \leq (M_1+X) \cap Y \leq \operatorname{Rad}_g(Y)$ . Hence Y is a g-radical supplement of X in  $M_2$ .

**Proposition 3.** Let M be a  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented module. If every g-radical supplement submodule in M is a direct summand of M, then every direct summand of M is  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented.

*Proof.* Let N be a direct summand of M and  $M = N \oplus K$  with  $K \le M$ . Since M is g-radical supplemented, by [7, Lemma 9], M/K is g-radical supplemented. By  $\frac{M}{K} = \frac{N \oplus K}{K} \cong \frac{N}{N \cap K} = \frac{N}{0} \cong N$ , N is also g-radical supplemented. Let  $X \le N$  and Y be a g-radical supplement of X in N. Since  $M = N \oplus K$ , by Lemma 3, Y is a g-radical supplement of K + X in M. Since every g-radical supplement submodule in M is a direct summand of M. By  $Y \le N$ , Y is also a direct summand of N. Hence N is  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented.

**Lemma 4.** Let M be a  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented R-module and  $K \leq M$ . If  $\frac{X+K}{K}$  is a direct summand of  $\frac{M}{K}$  for every direct summand X of M, then  $\frac{M}{K}$  is  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented.

*Proof.* Let U/K be any submodule of M/K. Since M is  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented, U has a g-radical supplement X in M that is a direct summand in M. Since X is a g-radical supplement of U in M and  $K \le U$ , by [7, Lemma 8],  $\frac{X+K}{K}$  is a g-radical supplement of U/K in M/K. Since X is a direct summand of M, by hypothesis,  $\frac{X+K}{K}$  is a direct summand of M/K. Hence M/K is  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented.

**Lemma 5.** Let M be a distributive and  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented R-module. Then every factor module of M is  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented.

*Proof.* Let  $K \leq M$  and X be a direct summand of M. Since X is a direct summand of M, there exists  $Y \leq M$  such that  $M = X \oplus Y$ . Since  $M = X \oplus Y$ ,  $\frac{M}{K} = \frac{X+K}{K} + \frac{Y+K}{K}$ . Since M is distributive,  $(X+K) \cap (Y+K) = K$  and  $\frac{X+K}{K} \cap \frac{Y+K}{K} = \frac{(X+K) \cap (Y+K)}{K} = \frac{K}{K} = 0$ . Hence  $\frac{M}{K} = \frac{X+K}{K} \oplus \frac{Y+K}{K}$  and by Lemma 4, M/K is  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented.  $\square$ 

**Corollary 2.** Let M be a distributive and  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented R-module. Then every homomorphic image of M is  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented.

*Proof.* Clear from Lemma 5.

**Lemma 6.** Let M be an R-module and K be a direct summand of M. Then  $\operatorname{Rad}_g(K) = K \cap \operatorname{Rad}_g(M)$ .

*Proof.* Since K is a direct summand of M, there exists  $T \le M$  such that  $M = K \oplus T$ . By Lemma 1,  $\operatorname{Rad}_g(M) = \operatorname{Rad}_g(K) \oplus \operatorname{Rad}_g(T)$ . Then by Modular Law,  $K \cap \operatorname{Rad}_g(M) = K \cap (\operatorname{Rad}_g(K) \oplus \operatorname{Rad}_g(T)) = \operatorname{Rad}_g(K) \oplus K \cap \operatorname{Rad}_g(T) = \operatorname{Rad}_g(K) + 0 = \operatorname{Rad}_g(K)$ , as desired. □

**Lemma 7.** Let M be a  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented R-module with (D3) property. Then every direct summand of M is  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented.

*Proof.* Let *K* be any direct summand of *M*. Then there exists  $T \le M$  such that  $M = K \oplus T$ . Let  $U \le K$ . Since *M* is  $\oplus$ -*g*-radical supplemented, *U* has a *g*-radical supplement *X* that is a direct summand in *M*. Here M = U + X and  $U \cap X \le \operatorname{Rad}_g(X)$ . Since  $U \le K$ , M = U + X = K + X and since *M* has (*D*3) property,  $K \cap X$  is a direct summand of *M*. Then there exists  $Y \le M$  such that  $M = (K \cap X) \oplus Y$ . Here  $K = (K \cap X) \oplus (K \cap Y)$ . Since M = U + X and  $U \le K$ , by Modular Law,  $K = U + (K \cap X)$ . Since  $U \cap X \le \operatorname{Rad}_g(X) \le \operatorname{Rad}_g(M)$ ,  $U \cap K \cap X \le K \cap X \cap \operatorname{Rad}_g(M)$ . Since  $K \cap X$  is a direct summand of *M*, by Lemma 6,  $U \cap K \cap X \le K \cap X \cap \operatorname{Rad}_g(M) = \operatorname{Rad}_g(K \cap X)$ . Hence  $K \cap X$  is a *g*-radical supplement of *U* that is a direct summand in *K*. Therefore, *K* is  $\oplus$ -*g*-radical supplemented.

**Corollary 3.** Let M be a  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented R-module with (D3) property. Then M/X is  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented for every direct summand X of M.

*Proof.* Let X be any direct summand of M. Then there exists  $Y \leq M$  such that  $M = X \oplus Y$ . By Lemma 7, Y is  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented. Then by  $\frac{M}{X} = \frac{X+Y}{X} \cong \frac{Y}{X \cap Y} = \frac{Y}{0} \cong Y$ , M/X is also  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented.

**Corollary 4.** Let M be a  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented R-module with (D3) property and  $f: M \to N$  be an R-module epimorphism with N is an R-module and  $\operatorname{Ker}(f)$  is a direct summand of M. Then N is  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented.

*Proof.* Clear from Corollary 3, since  $M/\text{Ker}(f) \cong \text{Im}(f) = N$ .

**Lemma 8.** Let M be a  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented R-module,  $K \leq M$  and  $K = (K \cap M_1) \oplus (K \cap M_2)$  for every  $M_1, M_2 \leq M$  with  $M = M_1 \oplus M_2$ . Then M/K is  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented.

*Proof.* Let *U/K* ≤ *M/K*. Since *M* is ⊕-*g*-radical supplemented, *U* has a *g*-radical supplement *V* that is a direct summand in *M*. Here there exists *X* ≤ *M* such that  $M = V \oplus X$ . By hypothesis,  $K = (K \cap V) \oplus (K \cap X)$ . Since *V* is a *g*-radical supplement of *U* in *M* and  $K \le U$ , by [7, Lemma 8],  $\frac{V+K}{K}$  is a *g*-radical supplement of U/K in *M/K*. Since  $M = V \oplus X$ ,  $\frac{M}{K} = \frac{V+K}{K} + \frac{X+K}{K}$ . Here  $\frac{V+K}{K} \cap \frac{X+K}{K} = \frac{(V+K)\cap (X+K)}{K} = \frac{(V+K)\cap X+K}{K} = \frac{(V+K)\cap X+K}{K} = \frac{(V+K)\cap X+K}{K} = \frac{V+K}{K} =$ 

**Corollary 5.** Let M be a  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented R-module,  $f: M \to N$  be an R-module epimorphism with N be an R-module and  $\operatorname{Ker}(f) = (\operatorname{Ker}(f) \cap M_1) \oplus (\operatorname{Ker}(f) \cap M_2)$  for every  $M_1, M_2 \leq M$  with  $M = M_1 \oplus M_2$ . Then N is  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented.

*Proof.* Clear from Lemma 8, since  $M/\text{Ker}(f) \cong \text{Im}(f) = N$ .

**Lemma 9.** Let M be a  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented R-module with SSP property. Then M/K is  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented for every direct summand K of M.

*Proof.* Let *K* be any direct summand of *M* and  $U/K \le M/K$ . Since *M* is ⊕-*g*-radical supplemented, *U* has a *g*-radical supplement *V* in *M* such that *V* is a direct summand of *M*. By [7, Lemma 8],  $\frac{V+K}{K}$  is a *g*-radical supplement of U/K in M/K. Since *K* and *V* are direct summands of *M* and *M* has *SSP* property, K+V is also a direct summand of *M*. Hence there exists  $T \le M$  such that  $M = (K+V) \oplus T$ . Since  $M = (K+V) \oplus T$ ,  $\frac{M}{K} = \frac{K+V+T}{K} = \frac{V+K}{K} + \frac{T+K}{K}$ . Since  $(V+K) \cap T = 0$ ,  $\frac{V+K}{K} \cap \frac{T+K}{K} = \frac{(V+K) \cap (T+K)}{K} = \frac{(V+K) \cap T+K}{K} = \frac{0+K}{K} = 0$ . Hence  $\frac{M}{K} = \frac{V+K}{K} \oplus \frac{T+K}{K}$  and M/K is ⊕-*g*-radical supplemented.

**Corollary 6.** Let M be a  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented R-module with SSP property. Then every direct summand of M is  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented.

*Proof.* Let T be any direct summand of M. Then there exists a submodule K of M such that  $M = T \oplus K$ . By Lemma 9, M/K is  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented. Since  $\frac{M}{K} = \frac{T+K}{K} \cong \frac{T}{T \cap K} = \frac{T}{0} \cong T$ , T is also  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented.

Remark 1. Let M be an R-module which has only four proper submodules 0, A, B, C with  $C \le A, C \le B, A \nleq B$  and  $B \nleq A$ . Then M is g-radical supplemented but not  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented.

*Example* 1. Consider the  $\mathbb{Z}$ -module  $\mathbb{Q}$ . Since  $\operatorname{Rad}_g(\mathbb{Q}) = \operatorname{Rad}(\mathbb{Q}) = \mathbb{Q}$ ,  $\mathbb{Z}\mathbb{Q}$  is  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented. But, since  $\mathbb{Z}\mathbb{Q}$  is not supplemented and every nonzero submodule of  $\mathbb{Z}\mathbb{Q}$  is essential in  $\mathbb{Z}\mathbb{Q}$ ,  $\mathbb{Z}\mathbb{Q}$  is not g-supplemented and hence  $\mathbb{Z}\mathbb{Q}$  is not  $\oplus$ -g-supplemented.

*Example* 2. Consider the  $\mathbb{Z}$ -module  $\mathbb{Q} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_{p^2}$  for a prime p. It is easy to check that  $\operatorname{Rad}_g(\mathbb{Z}_{p^2}) \neq \mathbb{Z}_{p^2}$ . By Lemma 1,  $\operatorname{Rad}_g(\mathbb{Q} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_{p^2}) = \operatorname{Rad}_g(\mathbb{Q}) \oplus \operatorname{Rad}_g(\mathbb{Z}_{p^2}) \neq \mathbb{Q} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_{p^2}$ . Since  $\mathbb{Q}$  and  $\mathbb{Z}_{p^2}$  are  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented, by Lemma 2,  $\mathbb{Q} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_{p^2}$  is  $\oplus$ -g-radical supplemented. But  $\mathbb{Q} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_{p^2}$  is not  $\oplus$ -g-supplemented.

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