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Togo

Scaling-up of Togo Cooperatives

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Union of Agricultural product processors cooperatives in Togo. 39 agricultural cooperatives bringing together 676 producers working nationwide to process local products.

The organization also manages 3 boutiques where they sell the products of associated cooperatives members. It is also part of the European project PROCAT for strengthening the pineapple supply chain.



Strengthening plan for the cooperative sector (in alignment with the Ministry of Agriculture in Togo)

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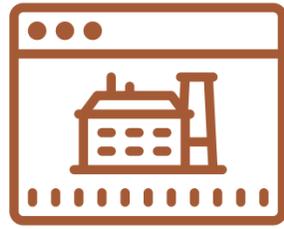


Intervention programme to strengthen
the system of cooperatives at the
national level, implemented in
partnership with Togolese organisations
and institutions.

**Objectives: structuring the cooperative system, capacity building, market
and finance access**

Objectives:

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To strengthen technical capabilities of the 39 cooperatives member across the country



To improve local production units profitability: 10 Maritime Region, 4 Central Region, 4 Plateaux Region, 16 Kara Region, 5 Savannah Region

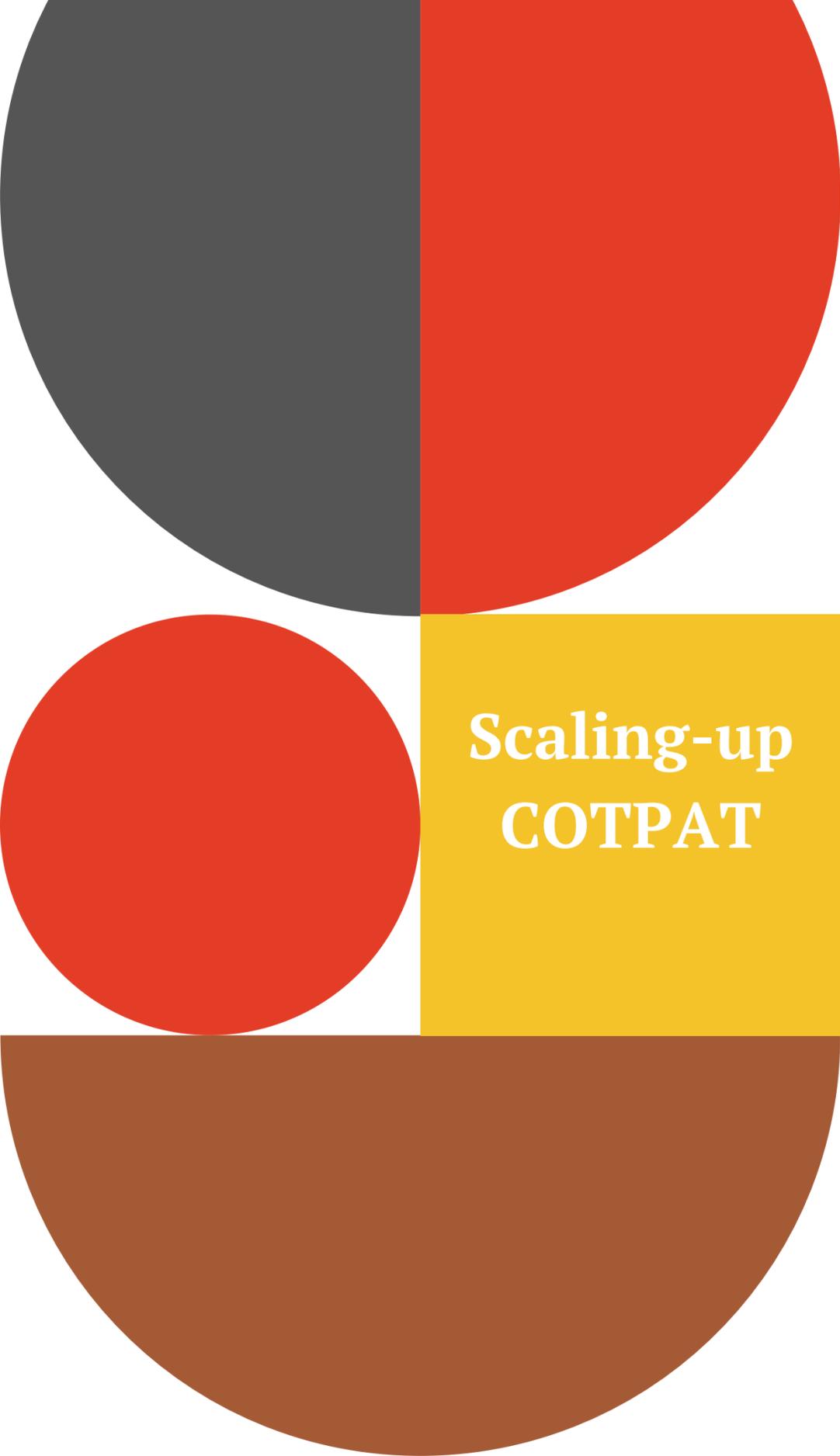


To promote local products consumption: cassava, pineapple and fruit juices, fonio, flours, cereals, moringa, soy, ginger, honey, rice, oil, sorghum, tomatoes, corn, COUS-COUS.

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Business Scale up

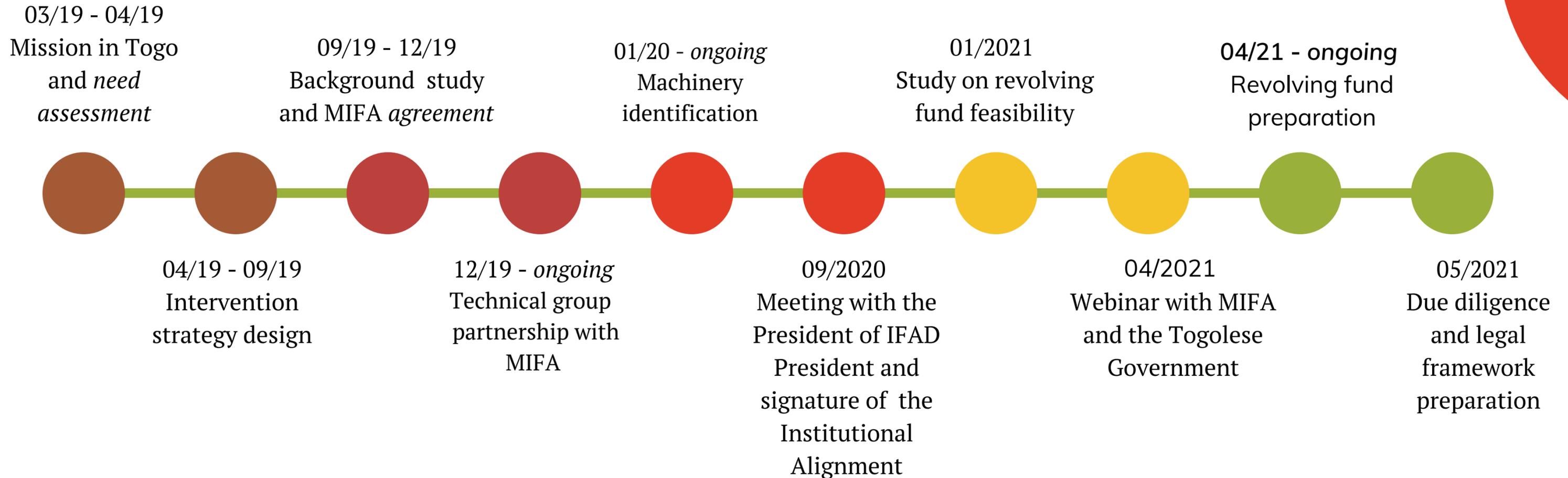
- Machinery supply for products transformation
- Packaging supply: glass bottles, product packaging
- Financing participation for working capital
- Monitoring and market orientation: economic and marketing planning, local institutions agreements
- Revolving fund establishment : financing materials, capital and working capital

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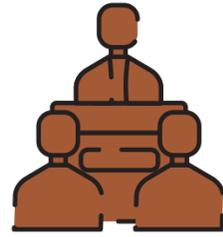


Timeline and Activities

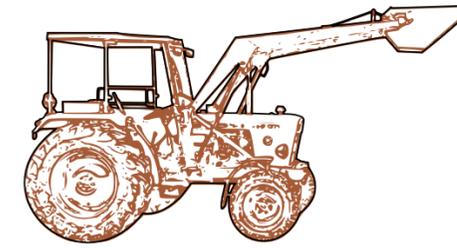
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Results



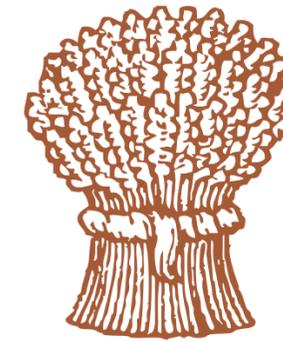
Strengthening cooperative governance



Employment: 125 agricultural producers



Technical Assistance



Products quality, conservation and marketing



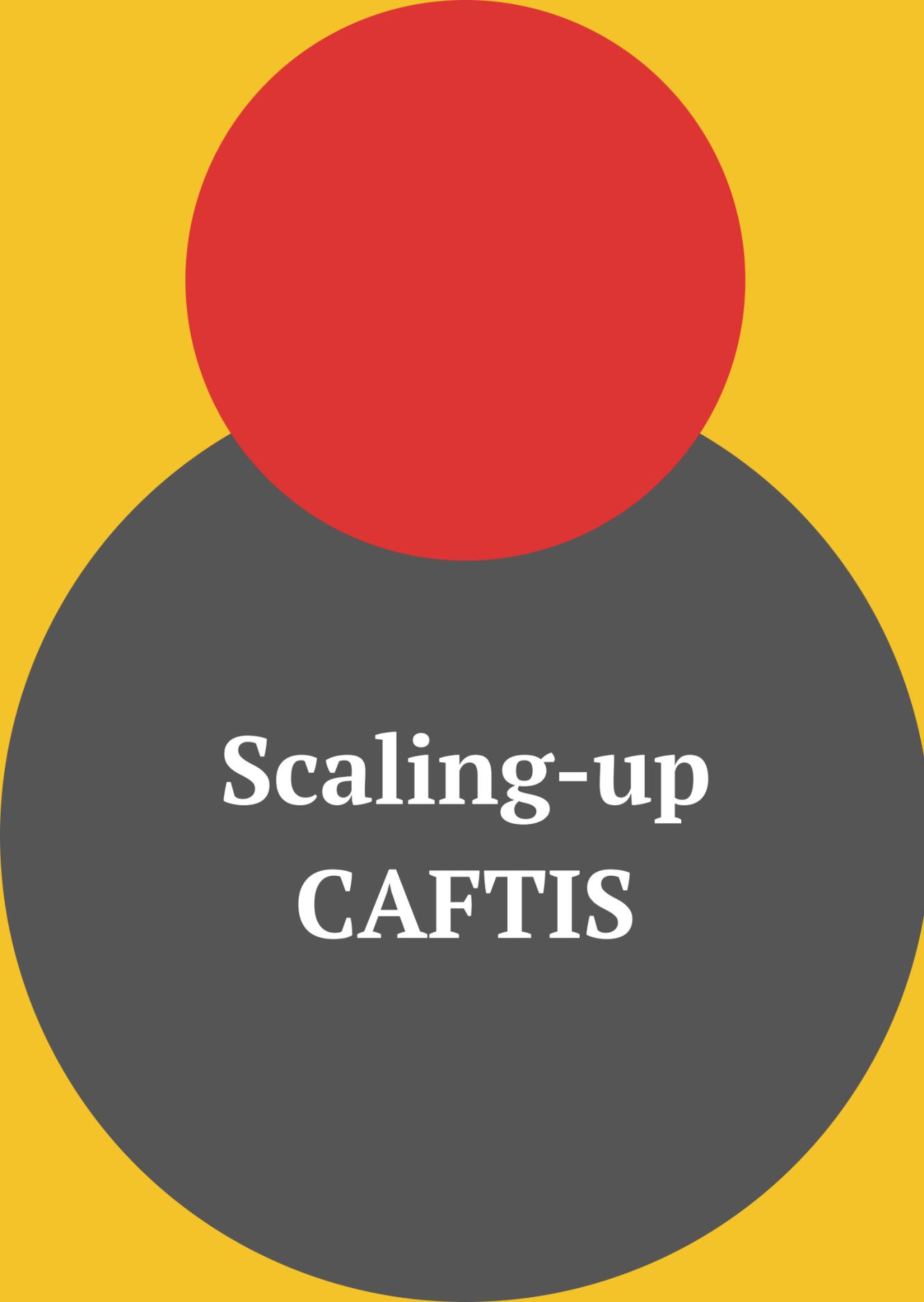
Increased income and job opportunities



Partnerships with the government of Togo, and private entities



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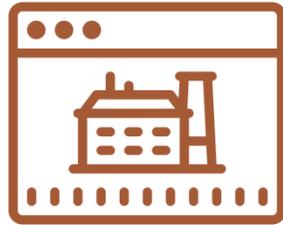


Scaling-up CAFTIS

Company engaged in traditional cloths and fabrics production in Dapaong, capital of the Savanes Region and headquarters of the Tone prefecture. The cooperative brings together more than 900 producers, about 80% of whom are women, and organises the training of young apprentices, allowing them to acquire the Certificat de Fin d'Apprentissage.

Objectives:

CAFTIS - textile and fashion



To strengthen cooperative and membership weavers' technical capabilities



To improve profitability and employment opportunities for the cooperative and weavers members.



To improve CAFTIS access to the market and preserve traditional weaving techniques

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