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Introduction

ISO 9041 is one of a set of International Standards produced to facilitate the interconnection of computer systems. It is related to other International Standards in the set as defined in the Reference Model for Open Systems Interconnection (ISO 7498). The Reference Model subdivides the area of standardization for interconnection into a series of layers of specification, each of manageable size.

This part of ISO 9041 defines the manner in which two protocol machines (called Virtual Terminal Protocol Machines or VTPMs) in the Application Layer of the Reference Model for Open Systems Interconnection communicate in order to provide the Virtual Terminal Basic Class Service defined in ISO 9040 making use of the Presentation Layer and of the association control service of ACSE within the Application Layer.

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1 Scope

This part of ISO 9041 specifies

- a) a set of procedures for the connection-oriented transfer of data, control and reference information between protocol machines which implement the functions of a provider of the Basic Class Virtual Terminal Service;
- b) the two modes in which those procedures operate;
- c) the structure of protocol elements used for the transfer of data and control information and the mapping of these protocol elements onto ACSE and lower layer services;
- d) the means of negotiating the functional units to be used by the protocol machines and the parameters of the service;
- e) the structure and mapping of protocol elements used for the transfer of data and control information. ISO 904

The procedures are defined in terms of

- f) the interactions between Virtual Terminal Protocol Machines through the exchange of Virtual Terminal protocol elements;
- g) the interactions between a Virtual Terminal Protocol Machine and the Virtual Terminal service user in the same system through the exchange of Virtual Terminal service primitives;
- h) the interactions between a Virtual Terminal Protocol Machine and the ACSE and Presentation Service providers through the exchange of service primitives.

This part of ISO 9041 also specifies conformance requirements (see clause 13) for systems implementing these procedures. It does not contain tests which can be used to demonstrate this conformance.

These procedures are applicable to instances of communication between systems that support the Basic Class Virtual Terminal Service in the Application Layer of the Reference Model for Open Systems Interconnection and which wish to interconnect in an open systems environment.

2 Normative references

The following standards contain provisions which, through reference in this text, constitute provisions of this part of ISO 9041. At the time of publication, the editions indicated were valid. All standards are subject to revision, and parties to agreements based on this part of ISO 9040 are encouraged to investigate the possibility of applying the most recent editions of the standards listed below. Members of IEC and ISO maintain registers of currently valid International Standards.

ISO 2022:1986, Information processing systems – ISO 7-bit and 8-bit Coded Character Sets – Code Extension Techniques.

SO 6429:1988, Information processing systems — Control functions for 7-bit and 8-bit Coded Character Sets.

ISO 7498:1984, Information processing systems – Open Systems Interconnection – Basic Reference Model.

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ISO/TR 8509:1987, Information processing systems – Open Systems Interconnection – Service conventions.

ISO 8649:1988, Information processing systems - Open Systems Interconnection - Association Control Service Element.

ISO 8822:1988, Information processing systems – Open Systems Interconnection – Connection oriented presentation service definition.

ISO 8824:1987, Information processing systems – Open Systems Interconnection – Specification of Abstract Syntax Notation One (ASN.1).

ISO 8825:1987, Information processing systems – Open Systems Interconnection – Specification of Basic Encoding Rules for Abstract Syntax Notation One (ASN.1).

ISO 9040:1990, Information technology – Open Systems Interconnection – Virtual Terminal Basic Class Service.

The International Register of Coded Character Sets to be used with Escape Sequences. 1)

¹⁾ Available from the European Computer Manufacturers Association (ECMA), 114 Rue du Rhône, CH 1204 Genève, Switzerland.

3 **Definitions**

Global OSI definitions

This part of ISO 9041 is based on the concepts developed in ISO 7498, and makes use of the following terms defined in it:

- 1) application entity;
- application layer;
- protocol data unit;
- 4) user element.

Definitions of the following terms are given in ISO/TR 8509:

- 5) primitive;
- 6) confirm (primitive);
- 7) Indication (primitive);
- 8) request (primitive);
- 9) response (primitive);
- 10) service provider;
- 11) service user.

3.2 Association Control Service Element definitions

This part of ISO 9041 makes use of the following terms defined in ISO 8649: standard

- 1) application association;
- 2) application context.

3.3 Presentation Layer Service Element definition

This part of ISO 9041 makes use of the term abstract syntax which is defined in ISO 8822.

3.4 Virtual Terminal Service definitions

This part of ISO 9041 uses the following definitions contained in ISO 9040:

- 1) A-mode, Asynchronous Mode;
- 2 access-rule:
- 3) Application VT-user;
- 4) Block;
- 5) character-box graphic element;
- 6) Context Control Object (CCO);
- 7) current-VTE;
- 8) draft-VTE;
- 9) Field:
- 10) Field Definition Control Object (FDCO):
- 11) Field Definition Record (FDR);
- 12) Field Element;
- 13) Field Entry Condition (FEC);
- 14) Field Entry Event (FEE);

- 15) Field Entry Instruction (FEI);
- 16) Field Entry Instruction Control Object (FEICO);
- 17) Field Entry Instruction Record (FEIR);
- 18) Field Entry Pilot Control Object (FEPCO);
- 19) Field Entry Pilot Record (FEPR);
- 20) Field Entry Reaction (FER);
- 21) full-VTE:
- 22) Initial Facility Set;
- 23) net-effecting:
- 24) Reference Information Object (RIO);
- 25) repertoire;
- 26) S-mode, Synchronous Mode;
- 27) Terminal VT-user:
- 28) Transmission Policy Control Object (TPCO);
- 29) VT-association;
- 30) VT-context-value;
- 31) VT-environment (VTE);
- 32) VT-user;
- 33) VTE-parameter.

3.5 Virtual Terminal Protocol definitions

For the purposes of this part of ISO 9041 the following definitions apply.

3.5.1 protocol element: An abstract unit of information. defined in clause 6, communicated between peer VTPMs, that maps

- 1) directly to an ACSE or presentation service primitive; and/or
- 2) to a PDU type that is conveyed by a user information parameter of ACSE or a user data parameter of the presentation service.
- 3.5.2 initiating VTPM: The VTPM that initiates an individual procedure.
- 3.5.3 target VTPM: The VTPM to which the protocol element initiating a procedure is directed.
- 3.5.4 sending VTPM: The initiating VTPM for a data transfer procedure.
- 3.5.5 receiving VTPM: The target VTPM for a data transfer procedure.
- 3.5.6 dynamic conformance requirements: All those requirements (and options) which determine what observable behaviour is permitted in instances of communication.
- 3.5.7 static conformance requirements: Constraints which facilitate interworking by defining the requirements for kernel sets of capabilities of an implementation.

3.5.8 protocol implementation conformance statement (PICS): A statement made by the supplier of an implementation which states the capabilities and options which have been implemented, and any features which have been omitted.

3.5.9 VT-token: A single entity which maps onto all of the available session tokens provided by the Presentation Layer. If there are no session tokens available then both sides are considered to hold this token.

PAB Provider Abort

PDU Protocol Data Unit

PICS Protocol Implementation
Conformance Statement

TWA Two-Way Alternate

TWS Two-Way Simultaneous

VTP Virtual Terminal Protocol

Virtual Terminal Protocol Machine

4 Abbreviations

4.1 Virtual Terminal Service abbreviations

Virtual To	erminal Service abbreviations
A-mode	Asynchronous Mode
ACS	Access Control Store
CCA	Conceptual Communication Area
CCO	Context Control Object
CDS	Conceptual Data Store
CO	Control Object
CSS	Control, Signal and Status Store
DO	Display Object
DSD	Data Structure Definition
FDCO	Field Definition Control Object
FDR	Field Definition Record TANDARD P
FEC	Field Entry Condition
FEE	Filed Entry Event (standards.itel
FEI	Field Entry Instruction
FEICO	Field Entry Instruction Control Object 9041-1:1990
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FEPCO	Field Entry Pilot Control Object
FEPR	Field Entry Pilot Record
FER	Field Entry Reaction
MIN	Multiple Interaction Negotiation
RIO	Reference Information Object
S-mode	Synchronous Mode
TPCO	Transmission Policy Control Object
VT	Virtual Terminal
VTE	Virtual Terminal Environment
VTS	Virtual Terminal Service 5

4.3 VT Protocol elements

VTPM

APQ	VT-P-ABORT
ASQ	VT-ASSOCIATE-REQ
ASR	VT-ASSOCIATE-RESP
AUQ	VT-U-ABORT
BKQ	VT-BREAK-REQ
BKR	VT-BREAK-RESP
DAQ	VT-ACK-RECEIPT
DLQ	VT-DELIVER
ENQ	VT-END-NEG-REQ
ENR	VT-END-NEG-RESP
GTQ	VT-GIVE-TOKEN
HDQ	VT-HIGH-PRI-DATA
NAQ	VT-NEG-ACCEPT
hNDQ)	VT-DATA
NIQ	VT-NEG-INVITE
NJQ	VT-NEG-REJECT
	-4VT-NEG-OFFER
-19ALQ	VT-RELEASE-REQ
RLR	VT-RELEASE-RESP
RTQ	VT-REQUEST-TOKEN
SNQ	VT-START-NEG-REQ
SNR	VT-START-NEG-RESP
SPQ	VT-SWITCH-PROFILE-REQ
SPR	VT-SWITCH-PROFILE-RESP
UDQ	VT-URGENT-DATA

4.2 Miscellaneous

ACSE Association Control Service Element

ASN.1 Abstract Syntax Notation One

Overview

5.1 Virtual Terminal Service summary

The protocol specified in this part of ISO 9041 provides the Basic Class Virtual Terminal Service defined in ISO 9040. The VT-service primitives are listed in table 1.

Table 1 - Virtual Terminal Service Primitives

Primitive		Parameters
VT-ASSOCIATE	request indication	Called Application Entity Title Calling Application Entity Title VT-class VT-functional-units VT-mode VT-WAVAR-owner VT-profile-name VT-profile-arg-offer-list
	response confirm	Responding Application Entity Title VT-functional-units VT-WAVAR-owner VT-profile-arg-value-list VT-result VT-user-failure-reason (confirm only)
VT-P-ABORT	indication	VT-reason
VT-RELEASE	request indication	
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VT-U-ABORT https://stand	request ISO and indication 1 c64a57b7	9041_1:1990 VT-user-failure-reason tandards/sist/ee114c53-2963-44ec-aef9- 88/iso-9041-1-1990
VT-SWITCH-PROFILE	request indication	VT-profile-name VT-profile-arg-offer-list
	response confirm	VT-profile-arg-value-list VT-result VT-user-failure-reason VT-provider-failure-reason (confirm only)
VT-START-NEG	request indication	VT-profile-name VT-profile-arg-offer-list
	response confirm	VT-profile-arg-value-list VT-result VT-user-failure-reason VT-provider-failure-reason (confirm only)
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Table 1 (concluded)

Primitive		Parameters
VT-END-NEG	request indication	VT-vte-choice VT-vte-failure-allowed
	response confirm	VT-vte-choice VT-result VT-user-failure-reason VT-provider-failure-reason (confirm only)
VT-NEG-INVITE	request indication	VT-param-ident-list
VT-NEG-OFFER	request indication	VT-param-offer-list
VT-NEG-ACCEPT	request indication	VT-param-value-list
VT-NEG-REJECT	request indication	VT-param-ident-list
VT-DATA iTeh S'	request Al indication standard	VT-echo-now VT-start-entry S. VT-object-update VT-object-descriptor VT-object-data
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VT-URGENT-DATA	request indication	VT-object-update VT-object-descriptor VT-object-data
VT-DELIVER	request indication	VT-ack-request
VT-ACK-RECEIPT	request indication	
VT-BREAK	request indication	VT-token VT-information
	response confirm	VT-token VT-information
VT-GIVE-TOKEN	request indication	
VT-REQUEST-TOKEN	request indication	

5.2 Model

The Basic Class Virtual Terminal Protocol operates between two Virtual Terminal Protocol Machines (VTPMs) in the Application layer of the OSI model. Protocol elements are exchanged between these, using the services of Association Control and of the Presentation layer as defined in ISO 8649 and ISO 8822.

The VT service is modelled as a single Conceptual Communication Area which is accessible to two communicating service users and which contains all the necessary information to allow these VT-users to derive a consistent view of the Virtual Devices which constitute the Virtual Terminal. The CCA is partitioned into four sub-areas:

- a) a conceptual data store (CDS) containing one or more display objects;
- b) a control, signaling and status store (CSS) containing a number of control objects;
- c) an access control store (ACS);
- d) a data structure definition (DSD) which parametrically defines the structure of the CDS and CSS.

The CCA is conceptually accessed by VT-users via service primitives in which information is transferred to or from the VT-users. Each VTPM is modelled as having its own CCA, see figure 1. These two CCAs constitute the VT context referred to in the Basic Class VTS definition. Each VTPM may also maintain a reset context which preserves the contents of all DOs and COs as they existed at the time the current VTE was established. This is used to provide the VT-context-value after completion of the break procedure, see 8.8.

5.3 Service assumed from the Presentation Layer

The protocol specified in this part of ISO 9041 assumes the use of the Presentation Service defined in ISO 8822. Information is transferred to and from the Presentation service provider in the primitives listed in table 2.

5.4 Service assumed from ACSE

The protocol specified in this part of ISO 9041 assumes the use of the Association Control service defined in ISO 8649. Information is transferred to and from ACSE in the service primitives listed in table 3.

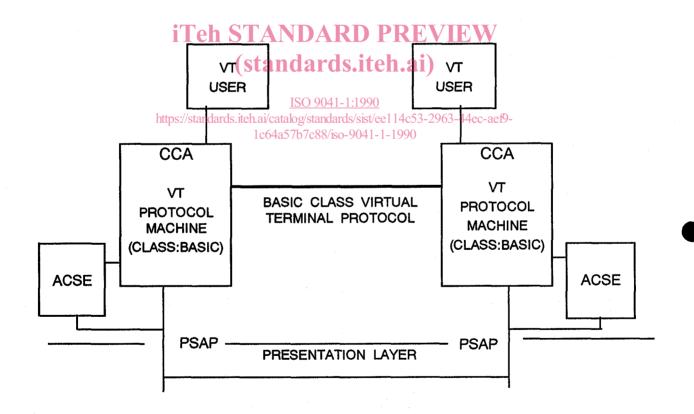


Figure 1 - Model

Table 2 - Presentation Service primitives

Presentation service	primitives
P-DATA	request indication
P-EXPEDITED-DATA	request indication
P-RESYNCHRONIZE	request indication response confirm
P-SYNCHRONIZE-MAJOR	request indication response confirm
P-TOKEN-GIVE	request indication
P-TOKEN-PLEASE	request indication
P-TYPED-DATA	request indication

Table 3 - ACSE service primitives 1 (2 rd S. 11

ACSE service	primitive SO
A-ASSOCIATE	request 57b70 indication response confirm
A-RELEASE	request indication response confirm
A-ABORT	request indication
A-P-ABORT	indication

5.5 Functions of the VT Protocol

5.5.1 Association Establishment

The purpose of VT-association establishment is to establish a VT-association between two VT-users such that

- a) the use of this VT-protocol is confirmed;
- b) the required dialogue discipline is agreed;
- c) a suitable transfer syntax is used;

d) either an initial VTE is agreed or it is agreed that the VT-environment will be negotiated later before any data is transferred.

5.5.2 Association Termination

The purpose of VT-association Termination is to cause the VT-association to cease to exist.

5.5.3 Negotiation

Negotiation provides a mechanism by which the VT-users and VTPMs can agree upon the VT-environment to be used. Two forms of negotiation are supported, a single interaction profile switch and a multiple interaction dialogue.

5.5.4 Data Transfer

The purpose of Data Transfer is the sending, from one VTPM to the other, of structured data representing operations upon an object or objects in the CCA defined in the virtual terminal model.

5.5.5 Delivery Control

The purpose of Delivery Control is

- a) to allow the VT-user sending data to indicate points at which operations on VT objects conceptually take effect;
- b) to allow the receipt of such a delivery point indication to be acknowledged;
- c) to allow data which update objects with the same access 9041-1:199 (ules to be grouped together and simultaneously be made available to the VT-user available to the VT-user 14033-2403-4400-4009

88/iso-9045.5.6⁹⁹Dialogue Management

Dialogue Management provides the VT-users with access to the lower layer functions. This dialogue management enforces TWA discipline on the sending of some data and on the exercise of some control functions.

5.5.7 Error Handling

Error Handling permits detection of non-compliance with the protocol, reception of error indications from other service providers and the taking of appropriate action. The errors cause the association to be terminated with an appropriate error indication (identifying the source of error).

NOTE - The procedure for Error Handling is included with that for unconditional termination of an association.

5.5.8 Interrupt

Two interrupt functions are provided. The first is a non-destructive mechanism which allows priority information to be exchanged between the VT-users outside the normal data flow without disrupting that data flow. The second is a destructive mechanism which allows a VT-user unconditionally to bring the current dialogue to a halt. Information is exchanged between the VT-users to enable them to resynchronize their operations.

5.6 Protocol functional units

This part of ISO 9041 defines the following functions which are available in the Basic Class Virtual Terminal Protocol independently of which functional units have been selected:

- a) Association Establishment;
- b) Association Termination;
- c) Data Transfer;
- d) Delivery Control (optional);
- e) Dialogue Management (S-mode only);
- f) Error Handling.

This part of ISO 9041 also defines six functional units of the Basic Class Virtual Terminal Protocol which correspond to the six service functional units which are defined in ISO 9040. The following functions are available only if the corresponding functional unit has been selected:

- g) Switch Profile Negotiation;
- h) Multiple Interaction Negotiation;
- i) Negotiated Release;
- j) Break;
- k) Urgent Data.
- I) Reference Information Objects

The Multiple Interaction Negotiation functional unit may only be selected if the Switch Profile functional unit is also selected.

5.7 Modes of operation

The protocol operates in two modes: Asynchronous and Synchronous. In the Synchronous mode (S-mode) the presenta 9041-1:190 SNR tion connection supporting the VT communication is treated induced by the presentation connection, and the VTPMs send normal update 8/iso-904-1-1990 data to each other alternately. In the Asynchronous mode (A-mode) the presentation connection is treated as a TWS clauses 11 a connection, and the VTPMs are not restricted in the exchange of data.

5.8 Access control

The initiation and reception of some protocol elements by a VT-user is conditional upon the location of the token and upon the access-rules associated with the objects affected by the elements.

6 Protocol elements

Table 4 lists the elements of the Virtual Terminal Basic Class protocol along with the associated VT service and a cross reference to the clause where the protocol element is further described. The description includes, for each element, its purpose and a list of its parameters.

Procedures specifying the use of the elements are specified in clauses 7 through 10 and their mapping to the presentation

Table 4 - VT protocol elements

ctions which are			
al Protocol inde- n selected:	Protocol element	Full name	Cross reference
nly);	ASQ ASR APQ AUQ RLQ RLR	VT-ASSOCIATE VT-ASSOCIATE VT-P-ABORT VT-U-ABORT VT-RELEASE VT-RELEASE	6.2 6.3 6.1 6.4 6.18 6.19
onal units of the orrespond to the in ISO 9040. The e corresponding	HDQ NDQ UDQ DAQ	VT-DATA VT-DATA VT-DATA VT-ACK-RECEIPT	6.12 6.14 6.25
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	SPQ SPR	VT-SWITCH-PROFILE VT-SWITCH-PROFILE	6.23 6.24
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ronous and Syn- le) the presenta <u>9041-1:19</u> catlon is treated indards/si	SNQ SNR	VT-START-NEG VT-START-NEG	6.21 6.22

service or ACSE and their ASN.1 structure are specified in clauses 11 and 12.

In some implementations it may not be possible to provide the parameters of the APQ and AUQ protocol elements. This is due to possible length limitations in the supporting services. Consequently, the decision whether to send these parameters is a local one based upon a knowledge of the capability of the supporting services. For the same reason the parameters of other protocol elements, while they may be sent, may be restricted as to their complexity. These latter are

- a) ASQ;
- b) ASR;
- c) SNQ;
- d) SNR;
- e) SPQ;
- f) SPR;
- g) UDQ.

NOTE-In the following sub-clauses the prefix VT- is used where there is a service parameter in ISO 9040 with the same name.

6.1 APQ (VT-P-ABORT)

6.1.1 Purpose

To force unconditional termination of the VT-association (initiated by the VTPM).

6.1.2 Parameter

VT-reason: Takes one of the values "local error" or "protocol error", or is absent.

6.2 ASQ (VT-ASSOCIATE-REQ)

6.2.1 Purpose

To request establishment of a VT-association.

6.2.2 Parameters

- a) called-application-entity-title: Specifies the application entity with which a VT-association is to be established;
- b) calling-application-entity-title: Identifies the application entity initiating the VT-association;
- vT-class: Specifies the VT service class to be provided; takes the value "Basic";
- d) VT-mode: Specifies whether A-mode or S-mode will be in effect when the association is established and whether mode switching is to be permitted;
- e) VT-WAVAR-owner: Defines which side of the dialogue S.1 will initially own the WAVAR token if this exists; takes one of the values "initiator-side", "acceptor-side", or "acceptor-chooses";

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- f) VT-profile-name: The name of the profile (see ISO 9040) iso-904 if value is absent, the default profile defined in ISO 9040 for A-mode or for S-mode, as selected by the VT-mode parameter, is used;
- g) VT-profile-arg-offer-list: A list of items in which each profile argument under negotiation is either a value, list of values or range of values;
- h) VT-functional-units: Specifies the proposed functional units of the current VT service class; takes one or more values from the following list:
 - 1) Profile Switch,
 - 2) Multiple Interaction Negotiation,
 - 3) Negotiated Release,
 - 4) Urgent Data,
 - 5) Destructive Break,
 - 6) Enhanced Access-rules,
 - 7) Structured Control Objects (Structured COs),
 - 8) Blocks,
 - 9) Fields,
 - 10) Reference Information Objects (RIOs);

i) protocol-version: For the initiating VTPM this is a variable length bit string where each bit set to one indicates that the corresponding version of the protocol is supported. Bit 0

represents the first version, bit 1 represents the second, etc. Multiple bits may be set indicating support of multiple versions. No trailing bits higher than the highest version of this standard that the VTPM supports shall be sent, i.e., the last bit of the string must be set to one. The receiving VTPM shall ignore trailing bits higher than the one indicating the latest version of this part of ISO 9041 that it supports;

j) implementation-identifier: Allows implementors to identify their implementation and its version as a printable string for maintenance purposes. The format for these strings is to be determined by implementors in a way convenient for their implementation.

6.3 ASR (VT-ASSOCIATE-RESP)

6.3.1 Purpose

To complete or refuse establishment of a VT-association.

6.3.2 Parameters

- a) responding-application-entity-title: Identifies the application entity which is responding to a VT-association request;
- b) VT-WAVAR-owner: As in 6.2 except that the value "acceptor chooses" is not allowed. Only present if the ASQ parameter was "acceptor chooses";
- c) VT-profile-arg-value-list: A list of parameters with unique values of each parameter selected from the list or range of values in the profile argument offer list; not present if the value of result is "failure";
- 99 d) VT-result: Takes one of the values "success", "success
 - e) failure-reason: Conveys either a text string supplied by the responding VT-user or one of the values "VTE-incomplete", VTE-parameter-not-supported", "VTE-parameter-combination-not-supported", or "VTE-profile-not-supported";
 - f) protocol-version: In the case of successful establishment this is similar to the corresponding item in 6.2.2 except that only a single bit may be set to one. This bit selects the version of the protocol which will be used during the association. If the VT-result value is "failure" this bit string indicates the protocol version(s) of this part of ISO 9041 that can be supported by the rejecting VTPM;
 - g) VT-functional units: As in 6.2.2 h);
 - h) implementation-identifier: As in 6.2.2 j).

6.4 AUQ (VT-U-ABORT)

6.4.1 Purpose

To force unconditional termination of the VT-association (initiated by the VT-user).

6.4.2 Parameters

VT-user-failure-reason: User provided text string.

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