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Standard Specification for Aluminum and Aluminum-Alloy Extruded Bars, Rods, Wire, Profiles, and Tubes¹

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Note—Appendix and Table X1.1 updated and the year date was changed on Aug. 8, 2008.

1. Scope*

1.1 This specification² covers aluminum and aluminum-alloy extruded bar, rod, wire, profile, and tube in the aluminum alloys (Note 1) and tempers shown in Table 2.

NOTE 1—Throughout this specification, the use of the term *alloy* in the general sense includes aluminum as well as aluminum alloy.

NOTE 2—For rolled or cold-finished bar and rod refer to Specification B 211, for drawn seamless tube used in pressure applications, Specification B 210, for structural pipe and tube, Specification B 429, and for seamless pipe and tube used in pressure applications, Specification B 241/B 241M.

NOTE 3—Structural pipe and tube produced in accordance with B 221 is not intended for fluid-carrying applications involving pressure. Refer to either Specification B 210 or B 241/B 241M, as appropriate, for seamless pipe and tube used in fluid-carrying applications involving pressure.

1.2 Alloy and temper designations are in accordance with ANSI H35.1. The equivalent Unified Numbering System alloy designations are those of Table 1 preceded by A9; for example, A91100 for Aluminum 1100 in accordance with Practice E 527.

1.3 For acceptance criteria for inclusion of new aluminum and aluminum alloys in this specification, see Annex A2.

1.4 A complete metric companion to B 221 has been developed—B 221M; therefore, no metric equivalents are presented in this specification.

2. Referenced Documents

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2.1 The following documents of the issue in effect on the date of material purchase, unless otherwise noted, form a part of this specification to the extent referenced herein:

2.2 ASTM Standards:³

B 210 Specification for Aluminum and Aluminum-Alloy Drawn Seamless Tubes

B 211 Specification for Aluminum and Aluminum-Alloy Bar, Rod, and Wire

B 241/B 241M Specification for Aluminum and Aluminum-Alloy Seamless Pipe and Seamless Extruded Tube

B 429/B 429M Specification for Aluminum-Alloy Extruded Structural Pipe and Tube

B 557 Test Methods for Tension Testing Wrought and Cast Aluminum- and Magnesium-Alloy Products

B 594 Practice for Ultrasonic Inspection of Aluminum-Alloy Wrought Products for Aerospace Applications

B 660 Practices for Packaging/Packing of Aluminum and Magnesium Products

B 666/B 666M Practice for Identification Marking of Aluminum and Magnesium Products

B 807/B 807M Practice for Extrusion Press Solution Heat Treatment for Aluminum Alloys

B 881 Terminology Relating to Aluminum- and Magnesium-Alloy Products

B 918 Practice for Heat Treatment of Wrought Aluminum Alloys

B 945 Practice for Aluminum Alloy Extrusions Press Cooled from an Elevated Temperature Shaping Process for Production of T1, T2, T5 and T10Type Tempers

E 29 Practice for Using Significant Digits in Test Data to Determine Conformance with Specifications

E 34 Test Methods for Chemical Analysis of Aluminum and Aluminum-Base Alloys

E 55 Practice for Sampling Wrought Nonferrous Metals and Alloys for Determination of Chemical Composition

E 527 Practice for Numbering Metals and Alloys in the Unified Numbering System (UNS)

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² For ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code applications see related Specification SB-221 in Section 11 of this Code.

³ For referenced ASTM standards, visit the ASTM website, www.astm.org, or contact ASTM Customer Service at service@astm.org. For Annual Book of ASTM Standards volume information, refer to the standard's Document Summary page on the ASTM website.

*A Summary of Changes section appears at the end of this standard.

TABLE 1 Chemical Composition Limits ^{A,B,C}

Alloy	Silicon	Iron	Copper	Manganese	Magnesium	Chromium	Zinc	Titanium	Vanadium	Other Elements ^D		Aluminum
										Each	Total ^E	
1060	0.25	0.35	0.05	0.03	0.03	...	0.05	0.03	0.05	0.03	...	99.60 min ^F
1100	0.95 Si + Fe	0.05–0.20	0.05	...	...	0.10	...	...	0.05	0.15	99.00 min ^F	
2014	0.50–1.2	0.7	3.9–5.0	0.40–1.2	0.20–0.8	0.10	0.25	0.15 ^G	...	0.05 ^G	0.15	remainder
2024	0.50	0.50	3.8–4.9	0.30–0.9	1.2–1.8	0.10	0.25	0.15 ^G	...	0.05 ^G	0.15	remainder
2219	0.20	0.30	5.8–6.8	0.20–0.40	0.02	...	0.10	0.02–0.10	0.05–0.15	0.05 ^H	0.15 ^H	remainder
3003	0.6	0.7	0.05–0.20	1.0–1.5	...	...	0.10	...	...	0.05	0.15	remainder
Alclad 3003	...	3003 Clad with 7072 alloy				...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3004	0.30	0.7	0.25	1.0–1.5	0.8–1.3	...	0.25	...	...	0.05	0.15	remainder
3102	0.40	0.7	0.10	0.05–0.40	...	...	0.30	0.10	...	0.05	0.15	remainder
5052	0.25	0.40	0.10	0.10	2.2–2.8	0.15–0.35	0.10	...	...	0.05	0.15	remainder
5083	0.40	0.40	0.10	0.40–1.0	4.0–4.9	0.05–0.25	0.25	0.15	...	0.05	0.15	remainder
5086	0.40	0.50	0.10	0.20–0.7	3.5–4.5	0.05–0.25	0.25	0.15	...	0.05	0.15	remainder
5154	0.25	0.40	0.10	0.10	3.1–3.9	0.15–0.35	0.20	0.20	...	0.05	0.15	remainder
5454	0.25	0.40	0.10	0.50–1.0	2.4–3.0	0.05–0.20	0.25	0.20	...	0.05	0.15	remainder
5456	0.25	0.40	0.10	0.50–1.0	4.7–5.5	0.05–0.20	0.25	0.20	...	0.05	0.15	remainder
6005	0.6–0.9	0.35	0.10	0.10	0.40–0.6	0.10	0.10	0.10	...	0.05	0.15	remainder
6005A	0.50–0.9	0.35	0.30	0.50 ^I	0.40–0.7	0.30 ^I	0.20	0.10	...	0.05	0.15	remainder
6060	0.30–0.6	0.10–0.30	0.10	0.10	0.35–0.6	0.5	0.15	0.10	...	0.05	0.15	remainder
6061 ^J	0.40–0.8	0.7	0.15–0.40	0.15	0.8–1.2	0.04–0.35	0.25	0.15	...	0.05	0.15	remainder
6063	0.20–0.6	0.35	0.10	0.10	0.45–0.9	0.10	0.10	0.10	...	0.05	0.15	remainder
6066	0.9–1.8	0.50	0.7–1.2	0.6–1.1	0.8–1.4	0.40	0.25	0.20	...	0.05	0.15	remainder
6070	1.0–1.7	0.50	0.15–0.40	0.40–1.0	0.50–1.2	0.10	0.25	0.15	...	0.05	0.15	remainder
6082	0.7–1.3	0.50	0.10	0.40–1.0	0.6–1.2	0.25	0.20	0.10	...	0.05	0.15	remainder
6105	0.6–1.0	0.35	0.10	0.15	0.45–0.8	0.10	0.10	0.10	...	0.05	0.15	remainder
6162	0.40–0.8	0.50	0.20	0.10	0.7–1.1	0.10	0.25	0.10	...	0.05	0.15	remainder
6262	0.40–0.8	0.7	0.15–0.40	0.15	0.8–1.2	0.04–0.14	0.25	0.15	...	0.05 ^K	0.15 ^K	remainder
6351	0.7–1.3	0.50	0.10	0.40–0.8	0.40–0.8	...	0.20	0.20	...	0.05	0.15	remainder
6463	0.20–0.6	0.15	0.20	0.05	0.45–0.9	...	0.05	...	...	0.05	0.15	remainder
6560	0.30–0.7	0.10–0.30	0.05–0.20	0.20	0.20–0.6	0.05	0.15	0.10	...	0.05	0.15	remainder
7005	0.35	0.40	0.10	0.20–0.7	1.0–1.8	0.06–0.20	4.0–5.0	0.01–0.06	...	0.05 ^L	0.15 ^L	remainder
7072 ^M	0.7 Si + Fe	0.10	0.10	0.10	...	0.8–1.3	...	...	...	...	...	remainder
7075	0.40	0.50	1.2–2.0	0.30	2.1–2.9	0.18–0.28	5.1–6.1	0.20 ^N	...	0.05 ^N	0.15	remainder
7116	0.15	0.30	0.50–1.1	0.05	0.8–1.4	...	4.2–5.2	0.05	0.05	0.05 ^O	0.15	remainder
7129	0.15	0.30	0.50–0.9	0.10	1.3–2.0	0.10	4.2–5.2	0.05	0.05	0.05 ^O	0.15	remainder
7178	0.40	0.50	1.6–2.4	0.30	2.4–3.1	0.18–0.28	6.3–7.3	0.20	...	0.05	0.15	remainder

^A Limits are in weight percent maximum unless shown as a range, or stated otherwise.^B Analysis shall be made for the elements for which limits are shown in this table.^C For the purpose of determining conformance to these limits, an observed value or a calculated value obtained from analysis shall be rounded to the nearest unit in the last right-hand place of the figures used in expressing the specified limit, in accordance with the rounding-off method of Practice E 29.^D Others includes listed elements for which no specific limit is shown as well as unlisted metallic elements. The producer may analyze samples for trace elements not specified in the specification. However, such analysis is not required and may not cover all metallic Others elements. Should any analysis by the producer or the purchaser establish that an Others element exceeds the limit of Each or that the aggregate of several Others elements exceeds the limit of Total, the material shall be considered nonconforming.^E Other Elements—Total shall be the sum of unspecified metallic elements 0.010 % or more, rounded to the second decimal before determining the sum.^F The aluminum content shall be calculated by subtracting from 100.00 % the sum of all metallic elements present in amounts of 0.010 % or more each, rounded to the second decimal before determining the sum.^G Upon agreement between the purchaser and the producer or supplier, a Zr + Ti limit of 0.20 % max is permitted. Properties in Specification (Table 2) are not based on the Zirconium and Titanium algorithm.^H Zirconium, 0.10–0.25 %. The total for other elements does not include zirconium.^I Manganese plus chromium shall total 0.12–0.50.^J In 1965 the requirements for 6062 were combined with those for 6061 by revising the minimum chromium from "0.15 %" to "0.04 %." This action cancelled alloy 6062.^K Bismuth and lead shall be 0.40–0.7 % each.^L Zirconium 0.08–0.20 %. The total for other elements does not include zirconium.^M Composition of cladding alloy applied during the course of manufacture. Samples from finished tube shall not be required to conform to these limits.^N Upon agreement between the purchaser and the producer or supplier, a Zr + Ti limit of 0.25 % max is permitted. Properties in Specification (Table 2) are not based on the Zirconium and Titanium algorithm.^O Gallium 0.03 % max.

E 607 Test Method for Atomic Emission Spectrometric Analysis Aluminum Alloys by the Point to Plane Technique Nitrogen Atmosphere

E 716 Practices for Sampling Aluminum and Aluminum Alloys for Spectrochemical Analysis

E 1004 Practice for Determining Electrical Conductivity Using the Electromagnetic (Eddy-Current) Method

E 1251 Test Method for Analysis of Aluminum and Aluminum Alloys by Atomic Emission Spectrometry

G 47 Test Method for Determining Susceptibility to Stress-Corrosion Cracking of 2XXX and 7XXX Aluminum Alloy Products
Method of Test for Exfoliation Corrosion Susceptibility in 7XXX Series Copper-Containing Aluminum Alloys (EXCO Test)
(G 34-72)⁴⁴ The applicable edition in the use of this specification is G 34-72, which is available in the gray pages of the Annual Book of ASTM Standards, Vol 02.02.

TABLE 2 Mechanical Property Limits^{A,B}

NOTE 1—Strength values shown in parentheses are for information only.

Temper	Specified Section or Wall Thickness, in.		Area, in. ²	Tensile Strength, ksi		Yield Strength (0.2 % offset), ksi		Elongation in 2 in. or 4 × Diameter, min, % ^{C,D}
	min	max		min	max			
<u>Aluminum 1060^E</u>								
O <u>H112</u>	all all	all all	8.5 8.5	14.0	2.5 2.5	... ...	25 25	
<u>Aluminum 1100^E</u>								
O <u>H112</u>	all all	all all	11.0 11.0	15.5	3.0 3.0	... ...	25 25	
<u>Alloy 2014^E</u>								
O <u>T4</u> <u>T4510^F</u> <u>T4511^F</u>	all all	all all	... 50.0	30.0 ... ...	... 35.0	... ...	18.0 12	
<u>T42^G</u>	all up through 0.499 0.500–0.749	all all all	50.0 60.0 64.0	29.0 53.0 58.0	... ...	... ...	12 7	
<u>T6</u> <u>T6510^F</u> <u>T6511^F</u>			up through 25 over 25 through 32	68.0 68.0	60.0 58.0	... ...	7 7	
<u>T62^G</u>			up through 0.749 0.750 and over	60.0 60.0 60.0	53.0 53.0 53.0	... ... ...	7 7 6	
<u>Alloy 2024^E</u>								
O <u>T3</u> <u>T3510^F</u> <u>T3511^F</u>	all up through 0.249 0.250–0.749 0.750–1.499 1.500 and over	all all all all all	35.0 57.0 60.0 65.0 70.0 68.0	... ... ... ... ... ...	42.0 44.0 46.0 52.0 ^J 52.0 ^J 48.0 ^J	... ... ... ... ... ...	19.0 12 ^H 12 ^H 10 10 8	
<u>T42^G</u>	up through 0.749 0.750–1.499 1.500 and over	all all all	57.0 57.0 57.0	38.0 38.0 38.0	... ... ...	... ... ...	12 10 10	
<u>T81</u> <u>T8510^F</u> <u>T8511^F</u>	0.050–0.249 0.250–1.499 1.500 and over	all all up through 32	64.0 66.0 66.0	56.0 58.0 58.0	... ... ...	... ... ...	4 5 5	
<u>Alloy 2219^E</u>								
O <u>T31</u> <u>T3510^F</u> <u>T3511^F</u>	all up through 0.499 0.500–2.999	all up through 25 up through 25	... 42.0 45.0	32.0 26.0 27.0	... ...	18.0 ...	12 14	
<u>T62^G</u>	up through 0.999 1.000 and over	up through 25 up through 25	54.0 54.0	36.0 36.0	... ...	...	6 6	
<u>T81</u> <u>T8510^F</u> <u>T8511^F</u>	up through 2.999	up through 25	58.0	42.0	... ...	...	6	
<u>Alloy 3003^E</u>								
O <u>H112</u>	all all	all all	14.0 14.0	19.0	5.0 5.0	... ...	25 25	
<u>Alloy Alclad 3003^E</u>								
O <u>H112</u>	all all	all all	13.0 13.0	18.0	4.5 4.5 ^K	... ...	25 25	

TABLE 2 *Continued*

Temper	Specified Section or Wall Thickness, in.	Area, in. ²	Tensile Strength, ksi		Yield Strength (0.2 % offset), ksi		Elongation in 2 in. or 4 × Diameter, min, % ^{C,D}
			min	max	min	max	
<u>Alloy 3004^E</u>							
O	all	all	23.0	29.0	8.5	...	...
<u>Alloy 3102</u>							
H112 ^L	0.028–0.050	all	11.0	18.0	4.0	...	25
<u>Alloy 5052</u>							
O	all	all	25.0	35.0	10.0	...	...
<u>Alloy 5083^E</u>							
O	up through 5.000 ^M	up through 32	39.0	51.0	16.0	...	14
H111	up through 5.000 ^M	up through 32	40.0	...	24.0	...	12
H112	up through 5.000 ^M	up through 32	39.0	...	16.0	...	12
<u>Alloy 5086^E</u>							
O	up through 5.000 ^M	up through 32	35.0	46.0	14.0	...	14
H111	up through 5.000 ^M	up through 32	36.0	...	21.0	...	12
H112	up through 5.000 ^M	up through 32	35.0	...	14.0	...	12
<u>Alloy 5154</u>							
O	all	all	30.0	41.0	11.0	...	...
H112	all	all	30.0	...	11.0	...	...
<u>Alloy 5454^E</u>							
O	up through 5.000 ^M	up through 32	31.0	41.0	12.0	...	14
H111	up through 5.000 ^M	up through 32	33.0	...	19.0	...	12
H112	up through 5.000 ^M	up through 32	31.0	...	12.0	...	12
<u>Alloy 5456^E</u>							
O	up through 5.000 ^M	up through 32	41.0	53.0	19.0	...	14
H111	up through 5.000 ^M	up through 32	42.0	...	26.0	...	12
H112	up through 5.000 ^M	up through 32	41.0	...	19.0	...	12
<u>Alloy 6005</u>							
T1	up through 0.500	all	25.0	...	15.0	...	16
T5	{ up through 0.124 0.125–1.000	all	38.0	...	35.0	...	8
		all	38.0	...	35.0	...	10
<u>Alloy 6005A</u>							
T1	up through 0.249	all	25.0	...	14.5	...	15
T5	up through 0.249	all	38.0	...	31.0	...	7
T61	0.250–0.999	all	38.0	...	31.0	...	9
	up through 0.249	all	38.0	...	35.0	...	8
	0.250–0.999	all	38.0	...	35.0	...	10
<u>Alloy 6060</u>							
T51	up through 0.125	all	22.0	...	16.0	...	8
T61	up through 0.124	all	30.0	...	25.0	...	8
	0.125–1.000	all	30.0	...	25.0	...	10
<u>Alloy 6061^E</u>							
O	all	all	...	22.0	...	16.0	16
T1	up through 0.625	all	26.0	...	14.0	...	16
T4	all	all	26.0	...	16.0	...	16
T4510 ^F	all	all	26.0	...	12.0	...	16
T4511 ^F	all	all	35.0	...	30.0	...	8
T42 ^G	all	all	38.0	...	35.0	...	8
T51	up through 0.625	all	35.0	...	30.0	...	10
T6, T62 ^G	up through 0.249	all	38.0	...	35.0	...	8
T6510 ^F	up through 0.249	all	38.0	...	35.0	...	10
T6511 ^F	0.250 and over	all	38.0	...	35.0	...	12
<u>Alloy 6063</u>							
O	all	all	...	19.0	...	...	18
T1	up through 0.500	all	17.0	...	9.0	...	12
	0.501–1.000	all	16.0	...	8.0	...	12

TABLE 2 *Continued*

Temper	Specified Section or Wall Thickness, in.	Area, in. ²	Tensile Strength, ksi		Yield Strength (0.2 % offset), ksi		Elongation in 2 in. or 4 × Diameter, min, % ^{C,D}
			min	max	min	max	
T4, T42 ^G	{ up through 0.500 0.501–1.000	all	19.0	...	10.0	...	14
		all	18.0	...	9.0	...	14
T5	{ up through 0.500 0.501–1.000	all	22.0	...	16.0	...	8
		all	21.0	...	15.0	...	8
T52	up through 1.000	all	22.0	30.0	16.0	25.0	8
T54	{ up through 0.124 0.125–0.499	all	33.0	...	30.0	...	8
T6, T62 ^G	{ up through 0.124 0.125–1.000	all	30.0	...	25.0	...	8
		all	30.0	...	25.0	...	10
<u>Alloy 6066</u>							
O	all	all			29.0	...	18.0
T4, T4510, T4511 ^F	all	all	40.0	...	25.0	...	16
T42 ^G	all	all	40.0	...	24.0	...	14
T6, T6510, T6511 ^F	all	all	50.0	...	45.0	...	8
T62 ^G	all	all	50.0	...	42.0	...	8
<u>Alloy 6070</u>							
T6, T62	up through 2.999	up through 32	48.0	...	45.0	...	6
<u>Alloy 6082</u>							
T6, T6511	{ 0.200–0.750 0.751–6.000 6.001–8.000	all	45.0	...	38.0	...	6
		all	45.0	...	38.0	...	8
		all	41.0	...	35.0	...	6
<u>Alloy 6105</u>							
T1	up through 0.500	all	25.0	...	15.0	...	16
T5	{ up through 0.124 0.125–1.000	all	38.0	...	35.0	...	8
		all	38.0	...	35.0	...	10
<u>Alloy 6162</u>							
T5, T5510, T5511 ^F	up thru 1.000	all	37.0	...	34.0	...	7
T6, T6510, T6511 ^F	up thru 0.249	all	38.0	...	35.0	...	8
	0.250–0.499	all	38.0	...	35.0	...	10
<u>Alloy 6262</u>							
T6 T6510 ^F T6511 ^F	{ all	all	38.0	...	35.0	...	10
<u>Alloy 6351</u>							
T1	up through 0.499	up through 20	26.0	...	13.0	...	15
T11	up through 0.749	all	26.0	...	16.0	...	16
T4	up through 0.749	all	32.0	...	19.0	...	16
T5	up through 0.249	all	38.0	...	35.0	...	8
	0.250–1.000	all	38.0	...	35.0	...	10
T51	0.125–1.000	all	36.0	...	33.0	...	10
T54	up through 0.500	all	30.0	...	20.0	...	10
T6	{ up through 0.124 0.125–0.749	all	42.0	...	37.0	...	8
		all	42.0	...	37.0	...	10
<u>Alloy 6463</u>							
T1	up through 0.500	up through 20	17.0	...	9.0	...	12
T5	up through 0.500	up through 20	22.0	...	16.0	...	8

TABLE 2 *Continued*

Temper	Specified Section or Wall Thickness, in.	Area, in. ²	Tensile Strength, ksi		Yield Strength (0.2 % offset), ksi		Elongation in 2 in. or 4 × Diameter, min, % ^{C,D}						
			min	max	min	max							
T6	{ up through 0.124 0.125–0.500	up through 20 up through 20	30.0 30.0	... ...	25.0 25.0	... ...	8 10				
Alloy 6560													
T5	0.090–0.125	all	22.0	...	16.0	...	8						
T6	0.090–0.125	all	30.0	...	25.0	...	8						
Alloy 7005													
T53	up through 0.750	all	50.0	...	44.0	...	10						
Alloy 7075 ^E													
O	{ all up through 0.249 0.250–0.499 0.500–1.499 1.500–2.999 3.000–4.499	{ all up through 20 over 20 through 32 up through 32	{ ... 78.0 81.0 81.0 81.0 81.0 78.0 78.0	{ 40.0 70.0 70.0	{ ... 24.0	{	{ 10 7 7 7 7 6 6						
T6, T62 ^G	{ T6510 ^F T6511 ^F	{ 0.062–0.249 0.250–1.499 1.500–2.999 3.000–4.499	{ up through 20 up through 25 up through 25 up through 20 over 20 through 32	{ 68.0 70.0 69.0 68.0 65.0 68.0 65.0	{ 58.0 61.0 59.0 57.0 55.0 57.0 55.0	{	{ 7 8 8 7 7						
T73													
T73510 ^F	{ T73511 ^F												
T76													
T76510 ^F	{ T76511 ^F												
T76511 ^F													
Alloy 7116													
T5	0.125–0.500	all	48.0	...	42.0	...	8						
Alloy 7129													
T5, T6	up through 0.500	all	55.0	...	49.0	...	9						
Alloy 7178 ^E													
O	{ all up through 0.061	{ up through 32 up through 20	{ ... 82.0	{ 40.0 76.0	{ 24.0	{ 10	{						
T6	{ T6510 ^F T6511 ^F	{ 0.062–0.249 0.250–1.499 1.500–2.499 2.500–2.999	{ up through 20 up through 25 up through 25 over 25 through 32 up through 32	{ 84.0 87.0 86.0 84.0 82.0	{ 76.0 78.0 77.0 75.0 71.0	{	{ 5 5 5 5 5						
T62 ^G													
Alloy 7178 ^E													
O	{ up through 0.061 0.062–0.249 0.250–1.499	{ up through 20 up through 20 up through 25	{ 79.0 82.0 86.0	{	{ 73.0 74.0 77.0	{	{ 5 5 5						
T6510 ^F	{ T6511 ^F												
T6511 ^F													
T62 ^G	{ 1.500–2.499 2.500–2.999	{ up through 25 over 25 through 32 up through 32	{ 86.0 84.0 82.0	{ 77.0 75.0 71.0	{	{ 5 5 5	{ 5 5 5						
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