



THE ENERGY TRANSFORMATION SCENARIOS

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2020 2030 2040 2050

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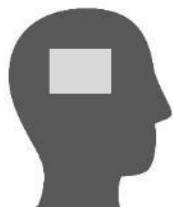
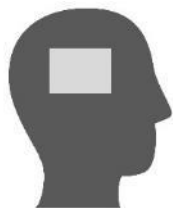
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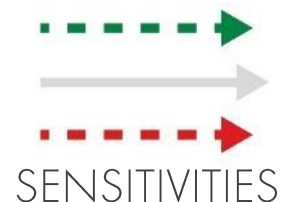
Stretch mindsets for better-informed decisions

Help to improve judgment in the face of radical uncertainties

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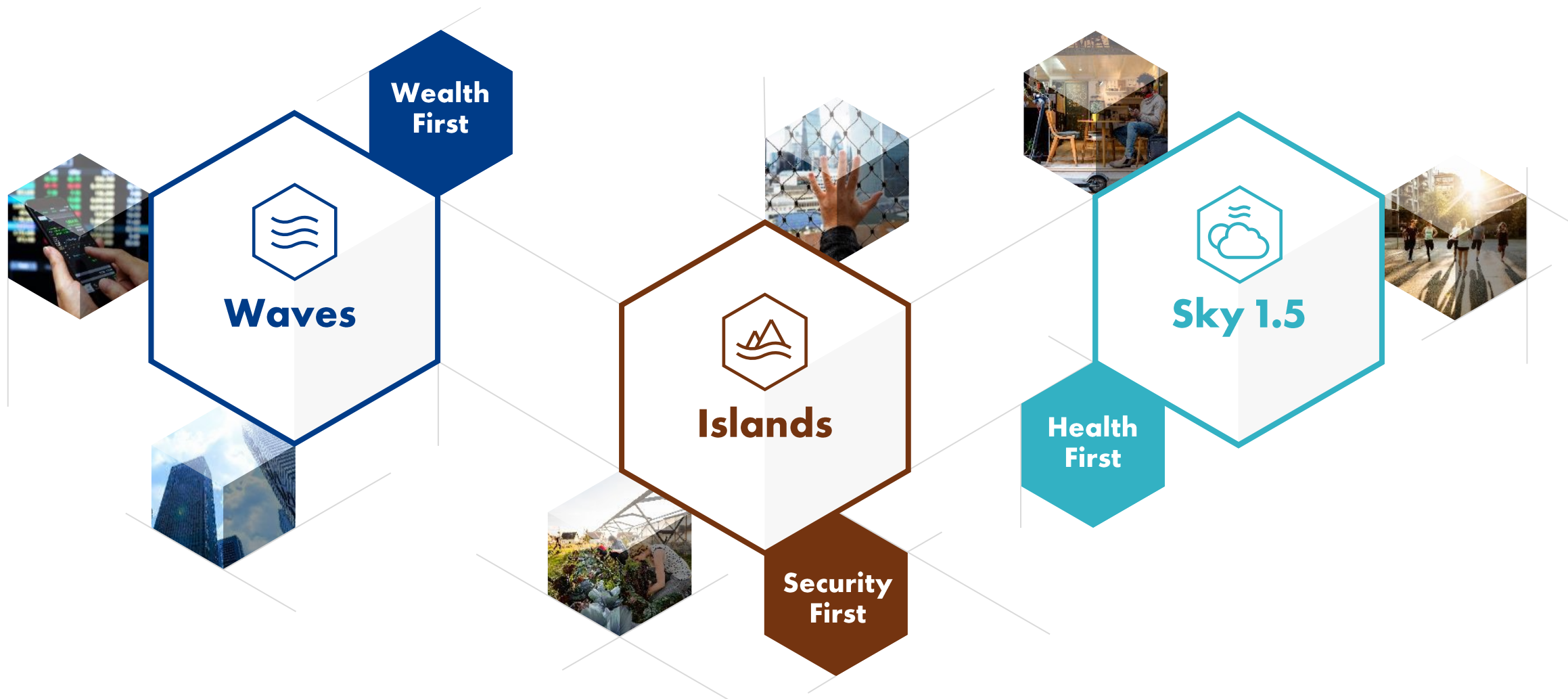
The Path



The Future



The Energy Transformation Scenarios



Waves Late, but fast decarbonisation



- Wealth first – repair the economy
- Surge in energy use and emissions
- Growing inequality and more frequent and extreme weather events
- Social pressures; issues intensify
- Backlash forces rapid policy-driven reductions in fossil fuels
- 2.3°C above pre-industrial levels by the end of this century

Islands Late and slow decarbonisation



- Security first – growing nationalism
- Frictions in collaboration and trade
- Economies stagnate; growth in energy demand stalls
- Global climate action slows
- Cleaner technology makes slow progress
- 2.5°C above pre-industrial levels by 2100, and still rising



Sky 1.5 Accelerated decarbonisation now



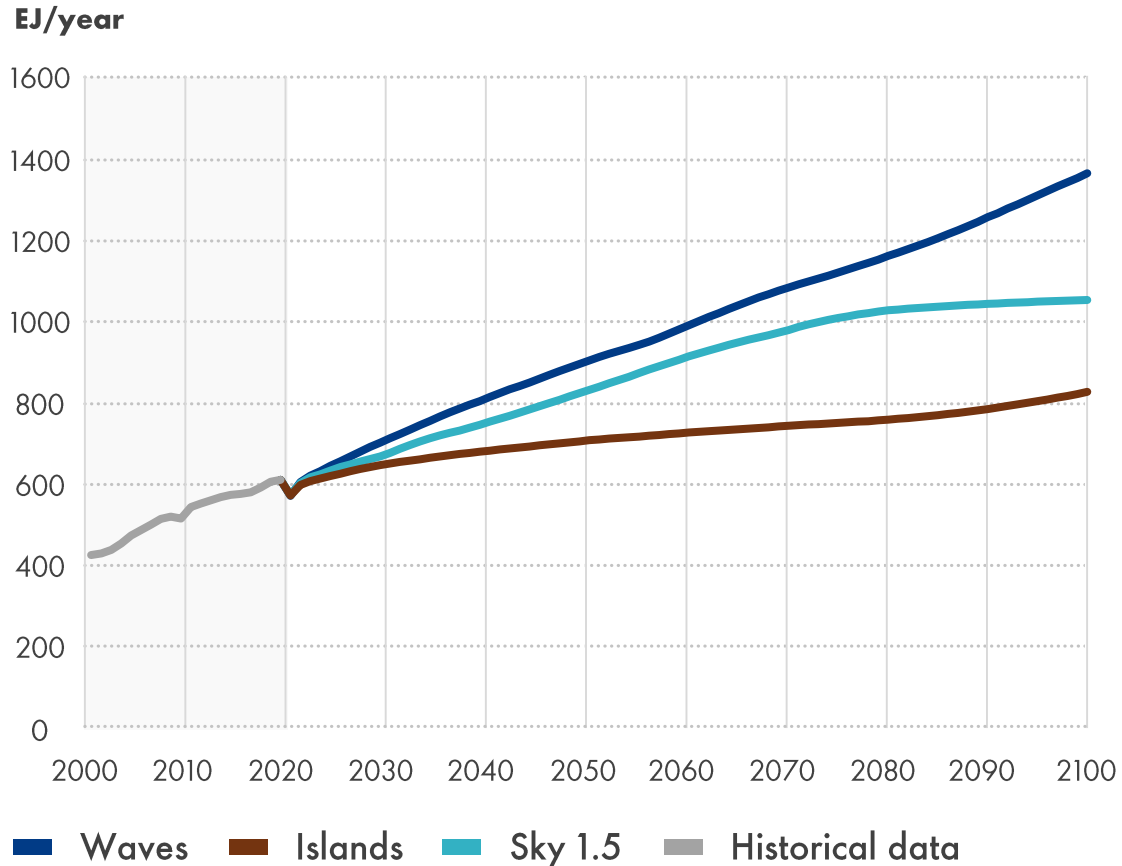
- Health first – well-being is the priority
- People proceed cautiously, economies reopen slowly but steadily
- Recognition of value in alignments
- Green investment reshapes energy system
- Deep structural changes lower emissions
- 1.5°C above pre-industrial levels this century, in line with Paris goal



Energy demand grows and the energy system decarbonises

Energy demand rises, with Sky 1.5 levelling off late-century

Total primary energy



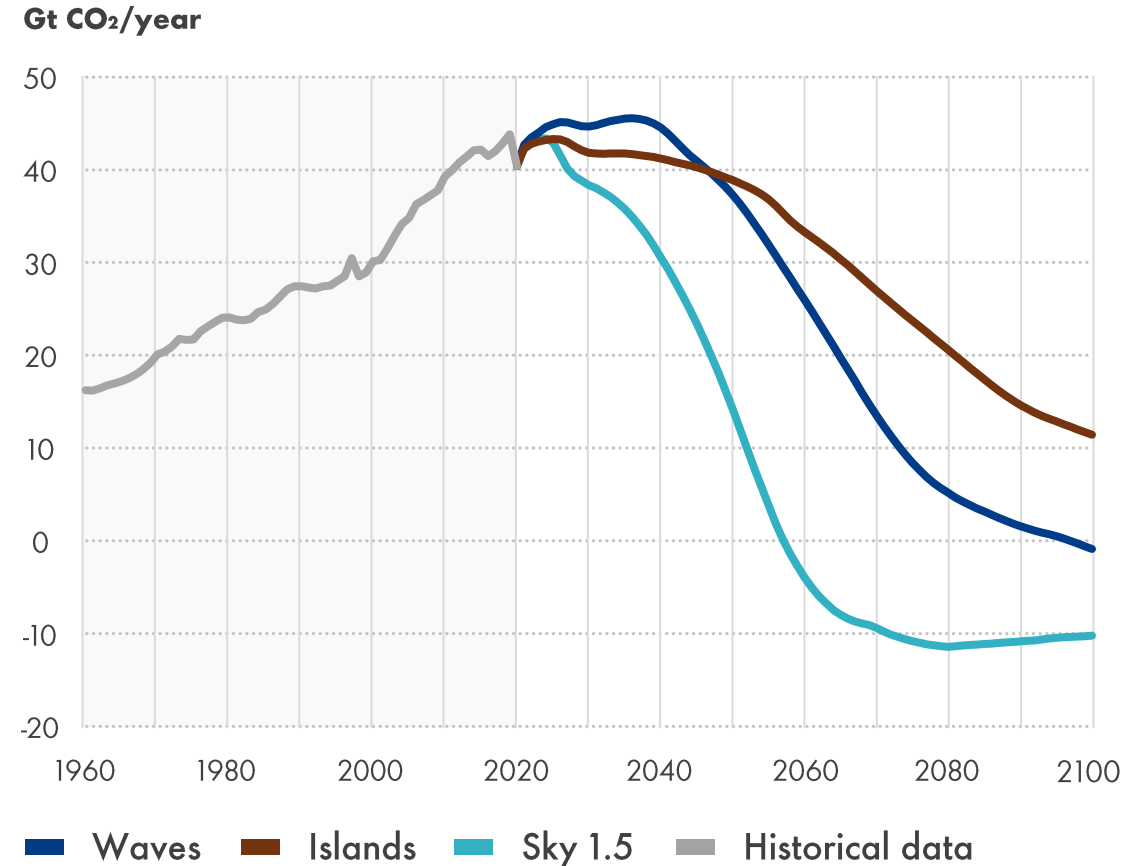
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CO₂ emissions decline towards net-zero, but the pace varies

CO₂ emissions



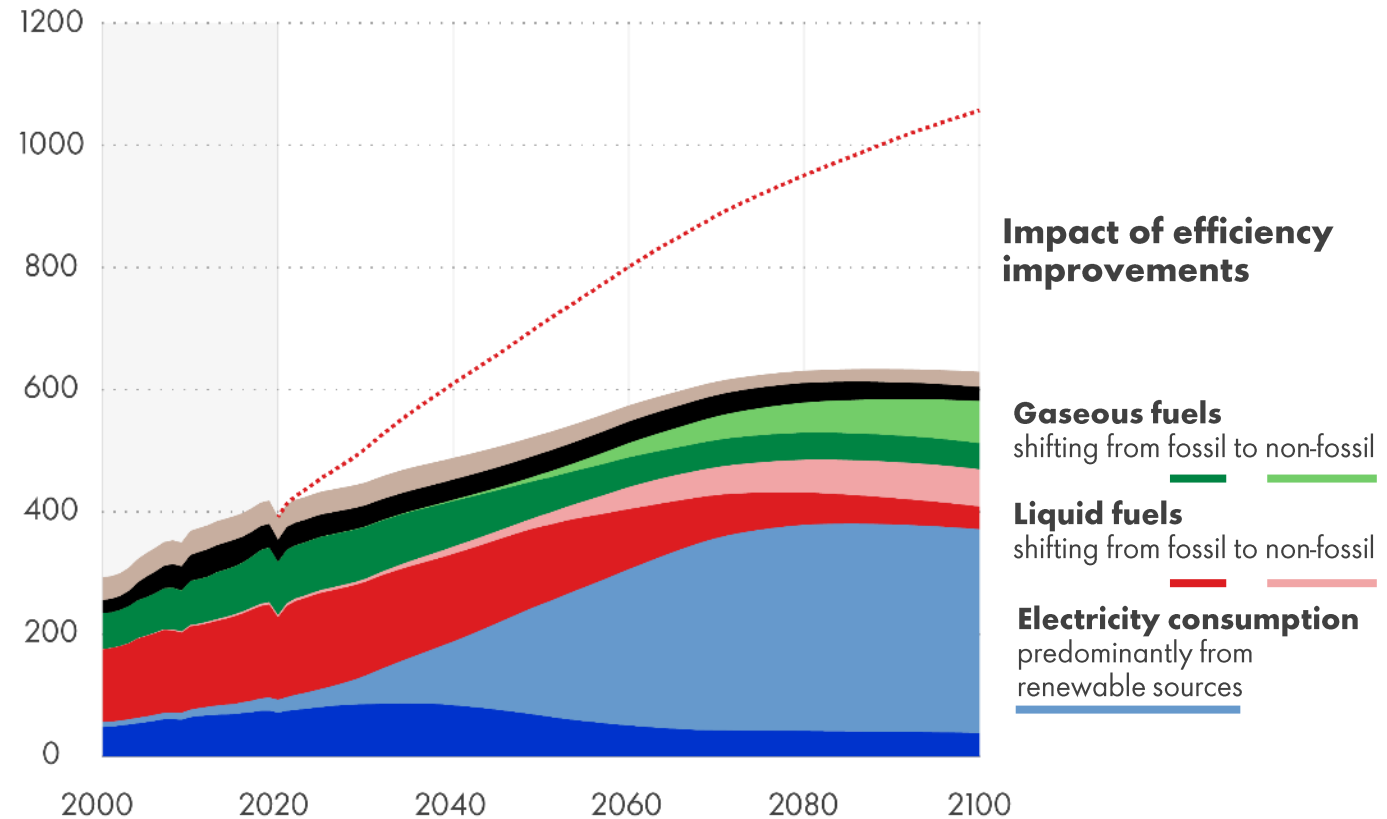
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5 common energy trends across all outlooks – the issue is speed

1. Growing energy needs and efficiency
2. Deep electrification from Renewable sources
3. Need for molecular fuels in hard-to-electrify sectors – increasingly decarbonised
4. Oil and natural gas remain important in key services
5. Emissions removal makes a contribution

Example: Total final consumption of energy – Sky 1.5 scenario

EJ/year (final energy)

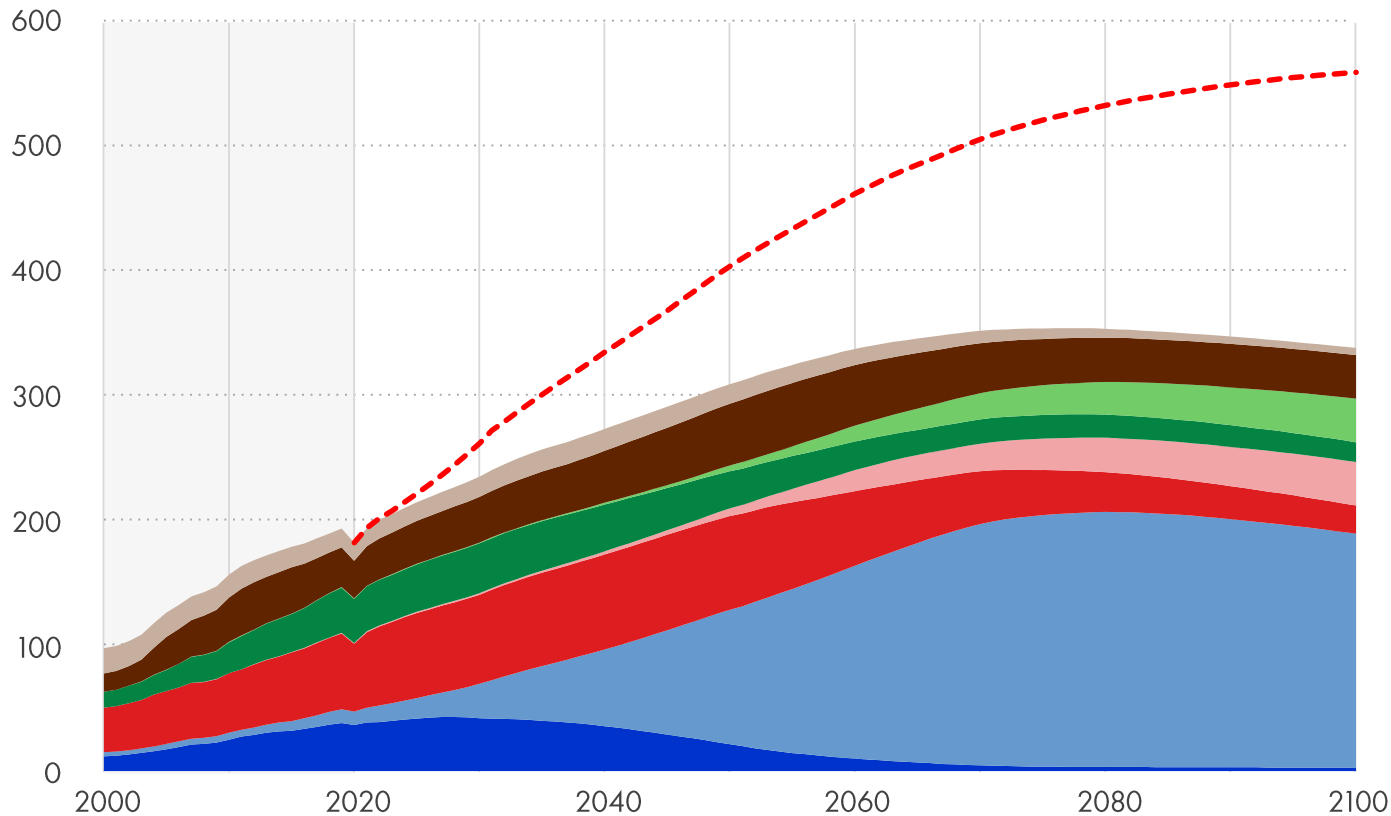


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Specific example: Asia

Example: Total final consumption electricity and fuels – Sky 1.5 scenario

EJ/year (final energy)



Impact of efficiency improvements

Gaseous fuels
shifting from fossil to non-fossil

Liquid fuels
shifting from fossil to non-fossil

Electricity consumption
predominantly from renewable sources

*Electricity includes commercial heat

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Lessons from history & past crises

Action accelerators

Alignments

Policies, sectors,
customers

Smart policy
rules and
incentives

Pioneer
leaders

A person in a yellow jacket stands on a rocky cliff, looking out over a deep blue fjord. The fjord is surrounded by steep, rugged mountains. The sky is a pale blue, and the water reflects the light. In the foreground, there are some green and yellow plants. On the right side, there is a yellow hexagonal graphic with white lines.

History has shown that crises can galvanise people into action.

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Accelerating to net-zero emissions

Scenario overview

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