

THE COMPLETE WORKS OF RENE DESCARTES

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Works of Ren Descartes René Descartes, 2017-10-14 Works of Ren Descartes is a collection of works by the famed writer philosopher mathematician and scientist Dubbed the father of modern western philosophy much of subsequent Western philosophy is a response to his writings which are studied closely to this day A native of the Kingdom of France he spent about 20 years 1629-49 of his life in the Dutch Republic after serving for a while in the Dutch States Army of Maurice of Nassau Prince of Orange and the Stadtholder of the United Provinces He is generally considered one of the most notable intellectual representatives of the Dutch Golden Age The collection includes Rules for the Direction of the Mind 1628 Discourse on the Method 1637 Meditations on First Philosophy 1641 Principles of Philosophy 1644 Odin's Library Classics is dedicated to bringing the world the best of humankind's literature from throughout the ages Carefully selected each work is unabridged from classic works of fiction nonfiction poetry or drama

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The Philosophical Writings of Descartes: Volume 1 René Descartes, 1984 A completely new translation of the works of Descartes is intended to replace the Haldane and Ross edition first published in 1911 All material from that edition is translated here with a number of other texts crucial for understanding Cartesian philosophy **Treatise of Man** René Descartes, 1972 Besides his more famous works of philosophy Discourse on Method Meditations on First Philosophy and Principles of Philosophy Descartes devoted a great deal of time and thought to the study of physiology and anatomy An account of his activities in 1629 reports that he visited butcher shops on an almost daily basis to study specific animal organs and he practiced dissection and even vivisection to explore the workings of major organ systems In the 1630s he assisted in the dissection of human cadavers all to satisfy his intense curiosity about how bodies animal and human work The fruits of this research can be found in his Treatise of Man a work that he decided not to publish for fear of suffering the same fate as Galileo Consequently this fascinating treatise did not appear until twelve years after his death Among its many

intriguing features are his detailed descriptions of the nervous system and its interactions with the muscles to create movement in response to stimulus Though we now know that many of these details are wrong Descartes understanding that much of the body functions as a machine was a stroke of genius He is the first to describe the reflex arc anticipating Pavlov and the behaviorists by almost 300 years The idea of the body as a kind of animal machine that functions according to physical laws was an immense advance over the previous scholastic notions based on Aristotle which merely begged the question of how the various organs of the body work by stating that it is in their nature to perform their specific functions This is a landmark work that students of history medicine biology and the history of science will find richly rewarding

Selected Works of Rene Descartes Rene Descartes, 2011-05 Rene Descartes was a French philosopher and writer who spent most of his adult life in the Dutch Republic He has been dubbed the Father of Modern Philosophy and much subsequent Western philosophy is a response to his writings which are studied closely to this day In particular his *Meditations on First Philosophy* continues to be a standard text at most university philosophy departments Descartes influence in mathematics is equally apparent the Cartesian coordinate system allowing geometric shapes to be expressed in algebraic equations was named after him He is credited as the father of analytical geometry Descartes was also one of the key figures in the Scientific Revolution Descartes frequently sets his views apart from those of his predecessors In the opening section of the *Passions of the Soul* a treatise on the Early Modern version of what are now commonly called emotions Descartes goes so far as to assert that he will write on this topic as if no one had written on these matters before Many elements of his philosophy have precedents in late Aristotelianism the revived Stoicism of the 16th century or in earlier philosophers like St Augustine In his natural philosophy he differs from the Schools on two major points First he rejects the analysis of corporeal substance into matter and form second he rejects any appeal to ends divine or natural in explaining natural phenomena In his theology he insists on the absolute freedom of God s act of creation Descartes was a major figure in 17th century continental rationalism later advocated by Baruch Spinoza and Gottfried Leibniz and opposed by the empiricist school of thought consisting of Hobbes Locke Berkeley Jean Jacques Rousseau and Hume Leibniz Spinoza and Descartes were all well versed in mathematics as well as philosophy and Descartes and Leibniz contributed greatly to science as well As the inventor of the Cartesian coordinate system Descartes founded analytic geometry the bridge between algebra and geometry crucial to the discovery of infinitesimal calculus and analysis He is perhaps best known for the philosophical statement *Cogito ergo sum* French *Je pense donc je suis* English *I think therefore I am* or *I am thinking therefore I exist* or *I do think therefore I do exist* found in part IV of *Discourse on the Method* [Philosophical Works](#) Rene Descartes, Elizabeth Sanderson 1862-1937 Haldane, G R T (George Robert Thomson) Ross, 2015-08-13 This work has been selected by scholars as being culturally important and is part of the knowledge base of civilization as we know it This work was reproduced from the original artifact and remains as true to the original work as possible Therefore you will see the original copyright references

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The Philosophical Works of Descartes Elizabeth Sanderson Haldane, René Descartes, 1955 *Descartes* René Descartes, 2004 Each volume in this series has a full Introduction including biographical details and a further reading list

The World, or the Treatise of light René Descartes, 2024-05-09 Descartes is rightly considered the father of modern philosophy Schopenhauer A modern translation of Descartes famous work The World or the Treatise of the light This edition contains a timeline of Descartes life and works a glossary of Cartesian terminology and Afterword by the translator that explains the significance of Descartes contributions to modern philosophy and science particularly his method of skepticism and rationalism This scholarly apparatus nests this work into Descartes larger body of work and the place of his philosophy into the broader history of western ideology The World focuses on the nature of matter motion and light offering a physical explanation of phenomena through the concept of vortices Descartes argues that the universe is filled with a subtle matter that forms swirling vortices that govern the motion of celestial bodies and explain the propagation of light He rejects the vacuum arguing instead that space is completely filled with matter in various forms The treatise includes a famous analogy comparing light to the pressure of a cane on a blind man s hand illustrating that light is not a substance but rather the effect of motion transmitted through a medium This mechanistic model of the universe anticipates later developments in physics particularly Newtonian mechanics while also reflecting Descartes dualistic distinction between the immaterial mind and the material mechanical universe The World marks an important step in the shift from medieval scholastic explanations of the cosmos to a more scientific mathematical understanding of nature This work is historically significant because it represents Descartes attempt to develop a comprehensive mechanistic explanation of the natural world focusing in particular on the nature of light and the physical universe In The World Descartes proposes the radical view that the universe operates according to purely mechanical laws eliminating the need for teleological explanations or Aristotelian notions of purpose His ideas in this text are consistent with his broader goal of understanding the natural world through clear rational and mathematical principles a central theme in Cartesian philosophy Although Descartes had intended to publish The World earlier he withheld it due to the condemnation of Galileo by the Catholic Church fearing that his own heliocentric views might attract similar censure Descartes focus on clear logical reasoning is a hallmark of his philosophy and his influence on fields such as mathematics and physics is profound with his work laying the

foundation for later scientific advances *Le Monde ou Trait de la Lumi re* was actually written between 1629-1633 though not published until 1664 after Descartes' death. Descartes initially withheld publication upon learning of Galileo's condemnation by the Catholic Church as the work presented a thoroughly mechanistic and heliocentric view of the universe. The text outlines Descartes' complete physics through an ingenious literary device: he describes the creation of an imaginary world governed purely by mechanical laws, allowing him to present his radical cosmology while maintaining plausible deniability about its application to the actual world. Through this hypothetical universe, he develops his theory of matter and motion, introducing his influential concept of matter as pure extension and his conservation principle that the total quantity of motion in the universe remains constant. The work's suppression and delayed publication creates a fascinating tension in Descartes' published corpus. Many ideas first developed in *Le Monde* appear in modified form in his later works, particularly the *Principia philosophiae*, but often with crucial differences that reflect his growing caution about theological controversy. The text's treatment of light is particularly significant: Descartes presents light as a mechanical pressure propagated instantaneously through his subtle matter, laying groundwork for later wave theories despite his own instantaneous model. His vortex theory of planetary motion, while ultimately incorrect, represents one of the first attempts to explain celestial mechanics through purely mechanical principles without resort to occult forces or divine intervention. The work also contains his theory of animal automatism, the controversial claim that animals are purely mechanical beings without souls, though presented more boldly than in his published works.

The Scientific Work of René Descartes J. F. Scott, 2016-08-12

When originally published in 1952, this book filled a gap in the history of philosophy and science and remains an important work today because it puts the main mathematical and physical discoveries of Descartes in an accessible form for the benefit of English readers. Descartes is acknowledged to be the founder of modern mathematics through his invention of analytical geometry, and this volume charts Descartes' role in bringing a unity into algebra and geometry and the development of mathematics into a discipline which could be properly analysed. Carefully paraphrasing the *Geometrie*, this volume retains much of Descartes' original notation as well as the original diagrams. The volume also discusses the considerable contribution that Descartes made to the physical sciences, which involved accurate work in optics, light, sight, and colour.

Principles of Philosophy René Descartes, 2024-05-09

Descartes' interpretation of being and truth first creates the precondition for the possibility of a theory of knowledge or metaphysics of knowledge. Only through Descartes' realism is enabled to prove the reality of the external world and to save that which exists in itself. Heidegger, *The Time of the World*. Image: A modern translation of Descartes' famous work *Principles of Philosophy* (original Latin title: *Principia philosophiae*). This edition contains a timeline of Descartes' life and works, a glossary of Cartesian terminology, and an Afterword by the translator that explains the significance of Descartes' contributions to modern philosophy and science, particularly his method of skepticism and rationalism. This scholarly apparatus nests this work into Descartes' larger body of work and the place of his philosophy into

the broader history of western ideology Descartes focus on clear logical reasoning is a hallmark of his philosophy and his influence on fields such as mathematics and physics is profound with his work laying the foundation for later scientific advances Principia Philosophiae is historically significant for its attempt to establish a comprehensive system of knowledge rooted in rationalist philosophy and scientific inquiry Building on his earlier works Descartes sought to create a unified framework that could explain both metaphysical and physical phenomena through clear and unambiguous reasoning The Principles laid the foundation for modern natural philosophy by combining metaphysics and physics and emphasizing the use of mathematical principles to understand the laws of nature This work reflects Descartes commitment to methodological doubt and deductive reasoning as a means of attaining certainty and further developed his dualistic view of mind and body It also aimed to reconcile the emerging scientific methods with a rationalist metaphysical foundation thereby influencing subsequent developments in philosophy mathematics and physics Descartes distinction between res cogitans thinking substance and res extensa extended substance would shape the intellectual debates of the Enlightenment challenging both scholasticism and empiricism Written in Latin to reach an academic audience the text moves from fundamental metaphysical principles through natural philosophy to his mechanistic physics What distinguishes this work is its architectural approach Descartes builds his entire philosophical system like a mathematical proof beginning with basic metaphysical truths and proceeding step by step to increasingly complex natural phenomena His famous tree metaphor appears here with metaphysics as the roots physics as the trunk and practical sciences as the branches illustrating how all knowledge stems from fundamental philosophical principles The Principia s ambitious scope reveals both the strengths and limitations of Descartes method While his deductive approach produces elegant explanations for phenomena like light refraction and planetary motion his commitment to mechanistic explanations and rejection of action at a distance led him to propose elaborate systems of invisible particles and vortices that would later be superseded by Newtonian physics Yet the work s lasting influence lies not in its specific physical theories but in its methodology the idea that nature could be understood through clear principles and mathematical reasoning rather than Aristotelian categories This methodological legacy proved more durable than his actual physics shaping scientific thinking well beyond his lifetime The text also shows Descartes carefully navigating theological sensitivities particularly regarding questions of motion and the soul demonstrating his political awareness in the wake of Galileo s condemnation

Treatise on Man René Descartes, 2024-05-09 The effect of this man on his age and the new age cannot be imagined broadly enough Ren Descartes is indeed the true beginner of modern philosophy insofar as it makes thinking the principle Hegel A modern translation of Descartes famous 1632 Treatise on Man sometimes translated Abstract of Man or Treatise of Man This edition contains a timeline of Descartes life and works a glossary of Cartesian terminology and Afterword by the translator that explains the significance of Descartes contributions to modern philosophy and science particularly his method of skepticism and rationalism This scholarly apparatus nests this

work into Descartes larger body of work and the place of his philosophy into the broader history of western ideology Here Descartes explores the nature of human beings their place in the world and how they interact with their environment This mechanistic exploration of human physiology represents a pivotal moment in Descartes development of his natural philosophy In this work Descartes presents the human body as a complex machine describing physiological processes through purely mechanical principles blood flow becomes a hydraulic system nerves function like cords or pulleys and muscles operate through inflation and deflation mechanisms It is significant because it established the idea of dualism the belief that the mind and body are separate entities This idea has had a profound significant impact on both philosophy and psychology as it directly influenced Freud This is a foundational text in the history of philosophy and science marking a pivotal moment in the transition from medieval scholastic thought to modern scientific inquiry In this work Descartes sought to explore human physiology and psychology from a mechanistic perspective proposing that the body functions like a machine governed by physical laws The text breaks new ground by explicitly rejecting the Aristotelian tradition of explaining bodily functions through substantial forms or vital spirits instead embracing a thoroughly mechanistic framework that would influence medical thought for centuries to come This was revolutionary because it separated the mind from the body paving the way for his later formulation of dualism the idea that mind and body are distinct entities Descartes used the metaphor of mechanical devices which were becoming increasingly sophisticated in his time to describe the functions of the human body such as the beating of the heart and the movement of muscles in purely mechanical terms This mechanistic model laid the foundation for modern biology particularly in the fields of anatomy and neurology The historical significance of Descartes Discourse on Man extends beyond biology It influenced the development of the scientific method by emphasizing observation experimentation and rational deduction By attempting to explain the body without recourse to traditional religious or metaphysical explanations Descartes work represented a major break from Aristotelian thought which had dominated Western philosophy for centuries Although the Discourse on Man was not published during Descartes lifetime and remained unfinished its ideas spread through his other works especially his Meditations and Discourse on Method Its influence can still be seen in modern philosophical debates about consciousness the nature of the self and the mind body problem The radical nature of L Homme lies not just in its mechanical physiology but in how it carefully navigates the theological tensions of its time While Descartes describes the human body as a machine he strategically avoids discussing the soul s role presenting his work as a thought experiment about hypothetical machine beings rather than actual humans This allowed him to develop his materialist physiology while sidestepping potential religious controversy The work remained unpublished during his lifetime likely due to his caution after Galileo s condemnation in 1633 and finally appeared in 1662 The text includes detailed illustrations of anatomical structures and theoretical mechanisms though Descartes anatomical knowledge came primarily from reading and occasional dissections rather than systematic empirical study

Abstract on Music René

Descartes, 2024-05-09 Descartes was the first to bring to light the idea of a transcendental science which is to contain a system of knowledge of the conditions of possibility of all knowledge Kant A modern translation of Descartes famous 1619 work *Abstract of Music or Treatise on Music Compendium music* This edition contains an Afterword from the translator as well as a timeline of Descartes life and summaries of each of his works *Treatise on Music* completed in 1619 when Descartes was just twenty three years old represents his earliest significant work and establishes his lifelong interest in the mathematical foundations of natural phenomena This pioneering text seeks to explain musical harmony through mathematical principles arguing that the pleasure we derive from music can be understood through rational analysis of sound waves and their mathematical relationships Though unpublished during his lifetime the treatise demonstrates Descartes early attempt to apply mathematical reasoning to sensory experience laying groundwork for his later philosophical investigations The work examines the nature of sound consonance and dissonance through a mathematical lens presenting music theory as a bridge between abstract mathematics and human perception and marking one of the first systematic attempts to analyze musical aesthetics through scientific principles Descartes wrote this treatise during his stay in Breda but it was only printed after his death It discusses the relationship between music and mathematics and how music can be understood through mathematical principles This work influenced later discussions of the mathematical foundations of music The text explains that music has the ability to arouse different passions by using variations in time intensity and the arrangement of sounds Music can evoke feelings of sadness joy or fear and these emotional effects are attributed to harmony rhythm and proportion in the composition of sounds Here he breaks down the key properties of sound such as pitch high or low and duration time are analyzed to show how they influence the listener s emotional response It explains the importance of proportion symmetry and variety in creating pleasing sounds Descartes also explores concepts such as consonance dissonance and the division of sounds into intervals octaves fifths and thirds emphasizing the mathematical relationships that form the basis of harmony Finally the text touches on how the structure of music particularly its meter and rhythm can lead to physical responses such as dance illustrating the deep connection between music and the human experience of emotion relating music back to his famous body soul duality and a nascent Phenomenology What makes this work particularly intriguing is how it bridges medieval music theory with emerging scientific thought Descartes sought to explain why certain combinations of tones please the ear while others create dissonance grounding his analysis in mathematical ratios rather than traditional Pythagorean mysticism The manuscript itself wasn t published until 1650 but its ideas heavily influenced his later work on mathematics and sensory perception This early exploration of music theory connects deeply to Descartes later philosophical framework His systematic examination of sound and harmony prefigures the methodological doubt he would develop in *Meditations* showing an early commitment to finding clear rational principles underlying human experience The treatise demonstrates Descartes wrestling with questions about the relationship between mathematical truth and sensory

experience a tension that would become central to his mature philosophy

Meditations on First Philosophy René Descartes, 2024-05-09

Descartes interpretation of being and truth first creates the precondition for the possibility of a theory of knowledge or metaphysics of knowledge Only through Descartes realism is enabled to prove the reality of the external world and to save that which exists in itself Heidegger The Time of the World Image A modern translation of Descartes famous work Meditations on First Philosophy This edition contains a timeline of Descartes life and works a glossary of Cartesian terminology and Afterword by the translator that explains the significance of Descartes contributions to modern philosophy and science particularly his method of skepticism and rationalism This scholarly apparatus nests this work into Descartes larger body of work and the place of his philosophy into the broader history of western ideology Descartes focus on clear logical reasoning is a hallmark of his philosophy and his influence on fields such as mathematics and physics is profound with his work laying the foundation for later scientific advances Ren Descartes Meditations on First Philosophy 1641 is one of the most influential works in Western philosophy In this text Descartes seeks to establish a foundation for knowledge that is free from doubt beginning with the method of radical skepticism His goal is to discover what can be known with absolute certainty The Meditations consist of six parts each building on the previous one and they explore questions of existence knowledge and the nature of reality Moreover the Meditations addressed fundamental questions about the nature of existence the mind body problem and the existence of God many of which continue to be relevant in philosophical debates today Descartes work marked a shift away from reliance on tradition and authority towards an emphasis on individual reasoning critical inquiry and the scientific method In the first meditation Descartes applies radical doubt questioning the reliability of sensory experience mathematical truths and even the existence of the physical world leaving open the possibility of a powerful deceiver the evil demon In the second meditation he arrives at the indubitable truth that while everything else can be doubted the fact that he is thinking cannot leading to his famous conclusion Cogito ergo sum I think therefore I am He then distinguishes the mind as a thinking non material substance from the body an extended material one introducing the mind body dualism In the third meditation Descartes formulates his argument for the existence of God positing that the idea of a perfect infinite being must have originated from such a being God since he a finite and imperfect being could not have conceived it on his own The fourth meditation explores why humans make errors attributing it to the misuse of free will where judgments are made without sufficient understanding rather than any flaw in God In the fifth meditation Descartes presents another argument for God s existence the ontological argument asserting that the very idea of a perfect being necessarily includes existence Finally in the sixth meditation he concludes that the external world exists affirming the reality of material objects and the body since a non deceptive God would not allow his clear and distinct perceptions to be false although sensory experience can still be occasionally misleading This systematic method of doubt and reasoning establishes a secure foundation for scientific and philosophical knowledge

Discourse on the Method René Descartes, 2024-05-09

Descartes was the first to bring to light the idea of a transcendental science which is to contain a system of knowledge of the conditions of possibility of all knowledge Kant A modern translation of Descartes famous work Discourse on Method The full original title of this work was Discourse on Method to lead one s reason well and to seek the truth in sciences plus Dioptric Meteors and Geometry This edition contains a timeline of Descartes life and works a glossary of Cartesian terminology and Afterword by the translator that explains the significance of Descartes contributions to modern philosophy and science particularly his method of skepticism and rationalism This scholarly apparatus nests this work into Descartes larger body of work and the place of his philosophy into the broader history of western ideology Descartes focus on clear logical reasoning is a hallmark of his philosophy and his influence on fields such as mathematics and physics is profound with his work laying the foundation for later scientific advances Ren Descartes Cartesian Method is of great historical importance because it laid the foundation for modern scientific and philosophical inquiry Written in the early 17th century these rules represent a turning point in Western thought moving away from scholasticism which relied heavily on Aristotelian traditions and church doctrines and toward a method of inquiry based on reason and evidence Descartes approach emphasized systematic doubt and the use of methodical reasoning to uncover fundamental truths This was revolutionary at a time when philosophical inquiry was often intertwined with religious and metaphysical assumptions Written as an intellectual autobiography the text charts his journey from skepticism to certainty through the development of a new philosophical method based on systematic doubt Here Descartes first presents his famous cogito argument I think therefore I am as an unshakeable foundation for knowledge though in a less formal manner than his later Meditations The work s accessibility masks its radical nature by grounding certainty in individual reason rather than traditional authority Descartes effectively undermines the entire edifice of medieval scholasticism while providing a new foundation for scientific knowledge These rules were crucial to the development of the scientific method and influenced the way future generations of thinkers approached problems in both philosophy and science By emphasizing clarity order and the use of simple self evident truths as the basis for more complex reasoning Descartes provided a model for empirical investigation and rational inquiry that would later inform the work of thinkers such as Isaac Newton and Immanuel Kant Moreover the focus on doubt and questioning as a means of arriving at certainty set the stage for modern skepticism and analytic philosophy Overall Descartes rules helped usher in the Age of Enlightenment by fostering a spirit of inquiry that challenged dogma and expanded the boundaries of human knowledge The Discourse served as an introduction to three scientific essays Dioptrics Meteors and Geometry positioning itself as both philosophical manifesto and practical demonstration of his method In describing how he arrived at his method Descartes presents a carefully constructed narrative of intellectual development that simultaneously validates his approach while protecting himself from theological controversy His four rules of method accept only clear and distinct ideas divide problems into manageable parts proceed from simple to complex and review thoroughly appear deceptively simple but represent a

fundamental shift in how knowledge could be pursued and validated The work s influence extends far beyond philosophy helping establish both the scientific method and the modern notion of the autonomous rational subject Philosophical Writings René Descartes,1971 These two volumes provide a completely new translation of the philosophical works of Descartes based on the best available Latin and French texts They are intended to replace the only reasonably comprehensive selection of his works in English by Haldane and Ross first published in 1911 All the works included in that edition are translated here together with a number of additional texts crucial for an understanding of Cartesian philosophy including important material from Descartes scientific writings The result should meet the widespread demand for an accurate and authoritative edition of Descartes philosophical writings in clear and readable modern English **The Philosophy of Descartes in Extracts From His Writings** Renã(c) 1596-1650 Descartes, Henry Augustus Pierson 1837-1 Torrey,2025-05-22 A comprehensive introduction to the philosophical thought of Ren Descartes presented through carefully selected extracts from his essential writings Compiled and translated by Henry Augustus Pierson Torrey this volume offers readers direct access to Descartes groundbreaking ideas on metaphysics epistemology and the nature of reality Explore Descartes revolutionary concepts including Cogito ergo sum I think therefore I am his dualistic view of mind and body and his rigorous method of doubt This collection showcases the depth and breadth of Descartes philosophical contributions and their enduring influence on Western thought The Philosophy of Descartes provides invaluable insights into the foundations of modern philosophy and remains a cornerstone for students and scholars alike This work has been selected by scholars as being culturally important and is part of the knowledge base of civilization as we know it This work was reproduced from the original artifact and remains as true to the original work as possible Therefore you will see the original copyright references library stamps as most of these works have been housed in our most important libraries around the world and other notations in the work This work is in the public domain in the United States of America and possibly other nations Within the United States you may freely copy and distribute this work as no entity individual or corporate has a copyright on the body of the work As a reproduction of a historical artifact this work may contain missing or blurred pages poor pictures errant marks etc Scholars believe and we concur that this work is important enough to be preserved reproduced and made generally available to the public We appreciate your support of the preservation process and thank you for being an important part of keeping this knowledge alive and relevant The Method, Meditations And Philosophy Of Descartes René Descartes,2022-10-27 This work has been selected by scholars as being culturally important and is part of the knowledge base of civilization as we know it This work is in the public domain in the United States of America and possibly other nations Within the United States you may freely copy and distribute this work as no entity individual or corporate has a copyright on the body of the work Scholars believe and we concur that this work is important enough to be preserved reproduced and made generally available to the public We appreciate your support of the preservation process and thank you for being an important part of keeping this

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