

5th Edition

WEST AFRICA PHARMA & HEALTHCARE



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Dates & Venue

6th – 8th May, 2026

AICC, Accra, Ghana

WAPHC Show is an International **Pharmaceutical, Medical & Healthcare Industry** trade fair in Ghana

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100+ EXHIBITORS

4000+ VISITORS

10+ COUNTRIES

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WELCOME TO WAPHC in Ghana

WAPHC Show is an International **Pharmaceutical, Medical & Healthcare Industry** trade fair in Ghana. The event will bring together the manufacturers, wholesalers, dealers and distributors of the pharmaceutical medical diagnostic industry, hospitals and influential decision-makers in the West African region in Ghana.

As the first and only health business event/forum bringing together the key decision makers and captains of the health industry, the exhibition is a must attend global event in the healthcare calendar and offers an ideal environment for companies to showcase their products in one of the fastest growing and most lucrative healthcare markets in the world.

WHO ATTENDS WAPHC SHOW

WAPHC attendees can be broadly divided to 3 – Hosted Buyers, Professional and Unique visitors & Delegates.

HOSTED BUYERS

WAPHC have special scheme and organise Hosted Buyers Program in which the representatives from Ministries of Health, major distributors, and prominent hospitals from West Africa is invited & hosted to network & connect exhibitors with pre-fixed meetings during the show.

PROFESSIONAL & UNIQUE VISITORS

The show brings over 4,000 healthcare professionals, business partner, dealers and decision-makers to do business, exchange ideas and let you know their expectations regarding requirement in the market.

DELEGATES

WAPHC has included specialty conferences & seminars to discuss debate and understand the latest updates & innovations in the medical field.

WHY VISIT WAPHC?

- Engage & network with over 150 Exhibitors from world over showcasing their products and specifications in the medical pharma healthcare sector.
- Discover and update new products innovations and happenings in healthcare sector, to gain new products and business and offer new things in your business.
- Discuss opportunities of partnership and sourcing for re-supply & employing in operations.
- Understanding new prospects, demand-supply, investment sources and opportunities in the sector.



WHY EXHIBIT IN WAPHC SHOW?

Generate New Connects & Do More Business

WAPHC show attracts over 5000 visitors from a wide horizon ensuring you meet new & existing customers for better, stronger business relation.

Increase Brand Exposure

Get yourself significantly visible on WAPHC digital and printed media reach and get priority attention through out the year.

LAUNCH NEW PRODUCTS & SERVICES

If you are planning to launch new products or brands or services in West Africa, then WAPHC is your perfect venue to tell the most targeted audience of the industry what new you have to offer them and hear from them too.

INCREASE YOUR REGIONAL PRESENCE

Meet the key people, decision makers, business partners, distributors dealers and clients in the West African region visiting the show in just 3 days and showcase your products



UNDERSTAND WHERE YOU ARE?

Exhibiting at WAPHC show can help you realize what your & your competitors are offering & how your targets is taking – this would help you devise your strategy for marketing, sales and after sales.

STAY UP-TO-DATE & COMPETITIVE

Stay tuned and updated to what's happening in the industry including latest trends & innovations and to be ahead of competition in the most unexplored but huge healthcare pharma market.

EXHIBITOR PROFILE



PHARMACEUTICAL

API & Bulk Drugs, Pharma Machinery & Engineering, Pharma Packaging & Labelling, Herbal & Ayurveda Medicines, Nutraceuticals/ Dietary Supplements, Bio-pharmaceuticals, Pharmaceutical Formulations, etc.

MEDICAL

Orthopaedic, Surgical Equipment & Products, OT & ICU Equipment, Lab & Analytical Equipment & Products, Maging & Laboratory, OT Lights, Disposables & Consumables, Infusion Pumps, Ventilators, Medical Devices, Medical Gas, Rehab & Physiotherapy, Drapes, Modular OT, Dental Equipment's etc.

HOSPITAL

Hospitals, Super Specialty Services, Cosmetic Surgery Center, Eye & Dental Clinic, Ayurveda & Unani Hospitals, Spa Centers, Medical Insurance Companies, Medical Tourism Companies, Fitness & Wellness Centers, Hospital Furniture & Garments, Hospital Management Software etc.

PHARMA INGREDIENTS AND TECHNOLOGY

Equipment and technologies for pharmaceutical production, Packaging equipment and materials, Labelling, Turnkey projects/ Engineering, Equipment for manufacturing APIs, Pharmaceutical substances, raw materials, ingredients and excipients, Services and technologies for optimization of logistics processes.



MARKET SCENARIO

- » Ghana has a population close to 32Mn as 2022, in which major population reside in Ashanti, Northern and Greater Accra region. According to World Bank report of 2017, the health status indicators of Ghanaian population are quite good and getting better over the last decade.
- » As per WHO's – Health Statistics 2015; although Ghana has a lower private per capita healthcare expenditure compared to African average, the government per capita expenditure is higher.
- » There are close to 4200 healthcare facilities in Ghana, accounting all its regions, including hospital (267), midwife/ maternity care (328) etc. The largest in number is the private and small clinics that are more than 1000 in numbers.
- » The total number of hospital beds in the country is less than 7100\$ with less than 1600 healthcare professionals. At the same time about 52% of the hospital beds are only occupied in 2016 and outpatient attendance in the country matches the population.
- » On the other hand inpatient admissions touch 1.53Mn in 2016. The major causes of admission is Malaria, followed by Anaemia, hypertension, Pneumonia, UTI etc.
- » This implies that a major percentage of the patients turning out and relying on private and foreign healthcare service is evident, with insufficient healthcare services in terms of facilities and manpower.
- » Most of the Ghanaian patients that travel abroad choose India as their primary destination. Some of the reasons they do so is the low costs for medical care and the possibility to access said medical care through large health tourism companies.
- » Most common treatments taken by Ghanaians in India are Orthopedic surgery (knee replacement mostly), Eye surgery, Chronic disease treatments.
- » Ghana has very limited local production of pharmaceuticals and even less manufacturing of equipment and devices; the country relies on imports for approximately 80% of its total healthcare consumption.
- » Ghana has sought to introduce more private sector participation into the healthcare sector and the most dynamic growth and exciting opportunities found in privately invested hospitals and clinics and in the non-state controlled portion of the pharmaceutical sector.
- » Medical equipment used in Ghana are entirely imported & demand is still rising with new and more health facilities coming up although less compared to the actual state of requirement. More importantly the import of medical equipment and devices are mostly exempted from duties.
- » Overall, Ghana has better healthcare & medical structure and facilities than the rest of Africa, particularly in the west, still the demand for the facilities, its usage and usage of foreign healthcare services, is growing with rising standards of living and healthcare expenditure as a % of their GDP.

WELCOME TO WAPHC in Ghana

WEST AFRICA PHARMA & HEALTHCARE EXPO under the auspices of Ministry of Health, Republic of Ghana and esteemed support of Ministry of Trade & Industry, with support of High Commission of Ghana in India and High Commission of India in Ghana and valuable sponsors, was organized from **6-8 May 2025 at the Accra International Conference Centre, Accra, Ghana**. The expo witnessed the presence of pharmaceutical engineering turnkey project solutions, pharmaceutical API formulation manufacturers and medical diagnostic and orthopedic industry with entire chain of pharma healthcare industry visiting and meeting during 3 days of expo.

INAUGURATED BY

Hon. SAMPSON AHI,
Deputy Minister for Trade,
Agribusiness & Industry,
Ghana

H.E. Mr. Manish Gupta,
High Commissioner of India
in Ghana



INAUGURAL SPEECH



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Business Health News

West Africa Pharma Exhibition returns to Accra May 6–8, 2025

April 5, 2023



The highly anticipated *West Africa Pharma Healthcare Exhibition* is set to return to Accra for its fourth edition from May 6–8, 2025, at the Accra International Conference Centre.

Organised by Astrovision Global FZCO Dubai and ACE Group under the auspices of the Ministry of Health and supported by the Ministry of Trade and Industry, the event continues to position itself as the premier international exhibition for the pharmaceutical, medical, and healthcare industry in Ghana and the sub-region.

With support from over a dozen industry stakeholders including the Pharmaceutical Society of Ghana, Ghana National Chamber of Pharmacy (GNCP), Pharmaceutical Importers and Wholesalers Association of Ghana (PIWA), Association of Ghana Industries (AGI), and the Association of Health Service Administrators of Ghana (AHSAG), this year's edition is set to be even more impactful.

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ACE GROUP TO HOST AFRICA'S BIGGEST PHARMA HEALTHCARE EXHIBITION IN GHANA.



This year's exhibition, which is slated for 6-8 May, 2025, will be the 4th edition of the West Africa Pharma Healthcare Exhibition to be hosted right here in Ghana.

The international pharmaceutical, medical, and healthcare industry exhibition aims to promote local manufacturing and position Ghana as a manufacturing hub for Africa.

At a press briefing, Audrey Serwaa Borsu, CEO of Ghana National Chamber of Pharmacy, this

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Ghana Gold Board: The Dynamics, nuances and significance



President John Mahama, on April 2, 2023, signed the Ghana Gold Board Bill, 2023, into law, marking a crucial step towards regaining the country's gold sector. The Gold Board Bill, 2023 was passed by Parliament on Friday, March 24, 2023. This bill is part of a broader framework aimed at regaining the gold sector in Ghana and its primary objective is to increase the buying, selling, and export of gold.

This legislative effort is designed to strengthen the financial position of the gold trade, improve market transparency, and provide a significant boost to Ghana's economic growth.

It was introduced by President Mahama as part of his administration's economic revitalisation agenda.

The creation of GoldBoard was a key promise in the National Democratic Congress (NDC) 2024 manifesto to regulate and market the country's gold resources for national benefit.

To lead this initiative, President Mahama appointed Mr. Kwame Gyasi, the NDC Commissioner and former Ghanaian Ambassador to the United States, as the acting chair.

Mr. Gyasi has been tasked with setting up and operationalising GoldBoard under the supervision of the Ministry of Finance.

In the process, Dr. Kwame Gyasi, Minister of Finance, inaugurated the Technical Committee to draft a legal framework for the establishment of the Gold Board.

The Technical Committee was tasked with developing the legal and operational framework, particularly the drafting of a Bill for the establishment of the Gold Board.

The members of the committee include Kwame Gyasi, Acting Managing Director, PMAC; Manuella Aggrey, Director, Legal Counsel to the President; Dr. Akhil Bhandari, Deputy Managing Director, PMAC; Dr. John Akpan, former CEO, Minerals Commission and King Akaba Bismillah, Head of Financial Markets, Standard Chartered Bank.

Other members include: Mr. Kofi Agye, CEO, Minerals Commission; Joseph Injeri, Legal, Minerals Commission; Eric Bekari, Managing, Small Scale Mining Ministry's commission; Paul Edgeline, Deputy Managing Director, Bank of Ghana; Dr. Yaw Agye, former CEO, Minerals Commission and King Akaba Bismillah, Head of Financial Markets, Standard Chartered Bank.

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These consultations helped shape the policies and strategies that would govern the initiative which will boost the country's gold industry.

100 exhibitors and 5000 visitors to attend West African Pharma Health Exhibition



The 4th edition of the West Africa Pharma Healthcare Exhibition is set to be held from May 6-8, 2025, at the Accra International Conference Centre (AICC) in Accra, Ghana. This year's edition is expected to attract over 100 exhibitors and 5,000 visitors from across West Africa and beyond.

The event is organized by Astrovision Global FZCO Dubai and ACE Group, under the auspices of the Ministry of Health and supported by the Ministry of Trade and Industry. It is the premier international exhibition for the pharmaceutical, medical, and healthcare industry in Ghana and the sub-region.

With support from over a dozen industry stakeholders including the Pharmaceutical Society of Ghana, Ghana National Chamber of Pharmacy (GNCP), Pharmaceutical Importers and Wholesalers Association of Ghana (PIWA), Association of Ghana Industries (AGI), and the Association of Health Service Administrators of Ghana (AHSAG), this year's edition is set to be even more impactful.

The exhibition will feature a wide range of products and services, including pharmaceuticals, medical devices, and healthcare solutions. It will also provide a platform for industry professionals to network, share knowledge, and explore new opportunities.

The event is expected to be a major success, contributing to the growth of the pharmaceutical and healthcare industries in Ghana and the sub-region.

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Organized by Astrovision Global FZCO Dubai and ACE Group, the exhibition is held under the auspices of the Ministry of Health, with the support of the Ministry of Trade and Industry and key stakeholder organizations, including the Association of Ghana Industries (AGI), Ghana National Chamber of Pharmacy (GNCP), Pharmaceutical Society of Ghana (PSGH), and others. The Business & Financial Times (B&FT) is the official Conference Partner.

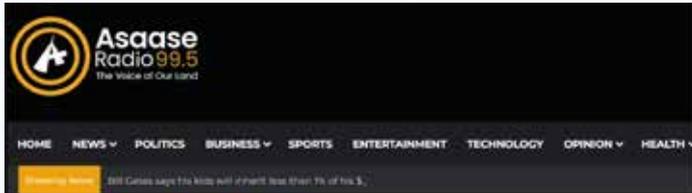
This year's event, themed "E-Pharmacy & Digital Health", will focus on leveraging technology to enhance healthcare delivery. The expo will feature 100 exhibitors from countries such as India, Turkey, the USA, Egypt, Italy, and Ghana. It is expected to attract over 5,000 visitors from Ghana and across West Africa, including manufacturers, exporters, wholesalers, healthcare professionals, and decision-makers.

During a press conference ahead of the event, Mr. Praveen Singh, Project Director of the exhibition, emphasized that the event will serve as a platform for innovation and collaboration, offering Ghanaian and West African companies the chance to connect with global suppliers and explore manufacturing partnerships. He noted that the exhibition aligns with the Government of Ghana's mission to strengthen



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4th West Africa Pharma and Healthcare Expo set to showcase digital health solutions and e-pharma potential

With the aim of strengthening the country's pharmaceutical industry, the event will bring together manufacturers, exporters, wholesalers, retailers, and other key stakeholders from across West Africa.



The 4th edition of the West Africa Pharma and Healthcare Expo is set to take place from 6 to 8 May

BUSINESS HEALTH

West Africa Pharma Healthcare Exhibition to promote health advancements

April 3, 2025 / GNA

Accra, April 3, GNA – The fourth edition of the West Africa Pharma Healthcare Exhibition is set to take place from May 6-8, at the Accra International Conference Centre, offering an extensive platform to advance healthcare solutions in Ghana and the West African region.

According to an official press release issued by the Ghana News Agency, it is being organized by Astrovision Global FZCO Dubai and ACE Group, under the auspices of the Ministry of Health and the Ministry of Trade and Industry.

The exhibition aims to enhance healthcare access, promote innovation, and strengthen health infrastructure through international partnerships.

With the theme: "E-Pharmacy & Digital Health", this year's event will highlight emerging technologies and digital solutions in healthcare, emphasizing their role in improving service delivery and patient outcomes.

It will showcase pharmaceutical products, medical diagnostics, hospital equipment, laboratory solutions, and digital health innovations.

The press release stated that a key aspect of the exhibition was its role in addressing critical health challenges by introducing advanced medical solutions to Ghanaian and West African health professionals.

It noted that the event aligned with the government's commitment to modernising healthcare and strengthening national health policies.

It emphasized that by embracing e-pharmacy and digital health, Ghana could bridge healthcare gaps, enhance telemedicine services, and expand access to essential medicines, especially in remote communities.

The event will feature a series of expert-led seminars and conferences, focusing on leveraging digital healthcare to combat prevalent diseases, improve pharmaceutical distribution, and enhance emergency medical response systems.

Pharmacists, healthcare professionals, and policymakers will deliberate on the benefits of integrating e-health services into the country's medical framework.

The use of digital platforms in pharmacy services is expected to ensure quick access to medications, while curbing the distribution of counterfeit drugs, a growing concern in West Africa.

As part of its impact, the exhibition will facilitate training sessions for healthcare professionals, introducing them to cutting-edge medical technologies and enhancing their capacity to deliver quality care.

Experts will demonstrate the latest advancements in diagnostics, telemedicine, and pharmaceutical automation to equip local practitioners with global best practices.

Additionally, the event is expected to contribute to Ghana's health sector by encouraging collaboration between local healthcare providers and international manufacturers, fostering knowledge exchange, and improving access to quality medical supplies.



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100 exhibitors and 5000 visitors to attend West African Pharma Health Exhibition

By Prosper Kay / April 4, 2025



The 4th edition of the West Africa Pharma Health Exhibition, Ghana is set to host about 100 exhibitors and receive over 5000 visitors from USA, India, Turkey, Egypt, Italy and scores of visitors from countries from the West Africa Sub – region.

The 3-day event is under the theme, “E – Pharmacy and Digital Health is slated for 6th to 8th of May, 2025 at the Accra International Conference Center and organized by Global FZCO Dubai & ACE Group under the auspices of the Ministry of Health with the able support from the Ministry of Trade and Industry.

The event will create a platform for key players in the pharmaceutical value chain and other shareholders in the health sector to discuss and deliberate on issues, policy direction, regulations and emergency trends in the pharmaceutical space.

Consequently, it will open up opportunities for Ghanaian and West Africa companies in the pharmaceutical industry to network with global suppliers and solution providers and the needed experts to address challenges and value additions to production and services.

THE DAILY DEMOCRAT THURSDAY 3RD APRIL, 2025 News

How GIPC's 24-Hour Service Will Work: Details Inside

The Ghana Investment Promotion Centre (GIPC) has announced a 24-hour service to assist investors in resolving issues related to their investments. The initiative aims to streamline the process of obtaining permits and licenses, reducing the time and cost of doing business in Ghana.

The service will be available to investors through a dedicated helpline and an online portal. It will cover a wide range of services, including the issuance of permits, licenses, and certificates. The GIPC will also provide technical assistance and guidance to investors throughout the process.

The initiative is part of the GIPC's broader efforts to improve the investment environment in Ghana. It is expected to attract more foreign investment and create jobs in the country.

West Africa Pharma Exhibition Returns to Accra

The 4th edition of the West Africa Pharma Health Exhibition is set to be held in Accra, Ghana, from May 6th to 8th, 2025. The event is organized by Global FZCO Dubai & ACE Group and is expected to attract over 5,000 visitors and 100 exhibitors from across the West African sub-region.

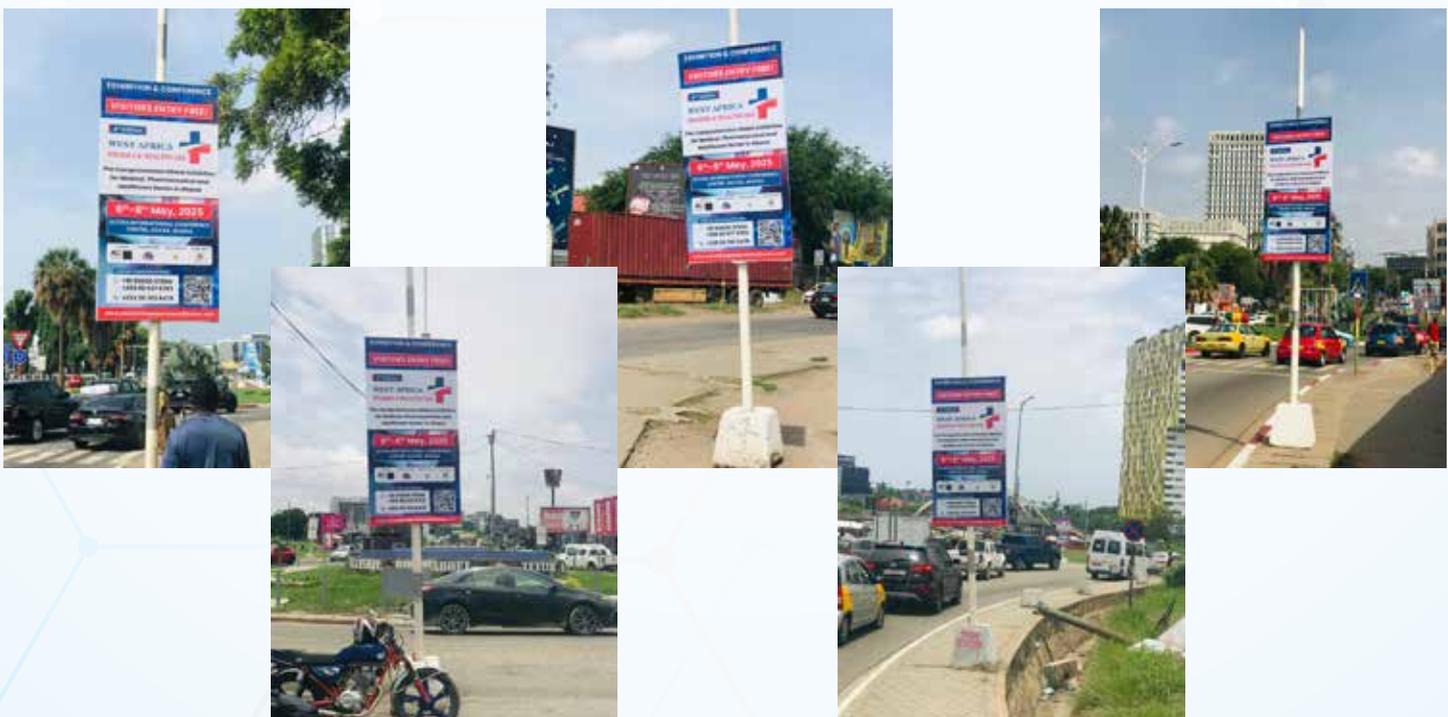
The exhibition will feature a wide range of pharmaceutical products, services, and solutions. It will provide a platform for industry professionals to network, share knowledge, and explore new opportunities. The event is expected to be a major success for the pharmaceutical industry in Ghana.

The exhibition is being held at the Accra International Conference Center. It is expected to be a highly successful event that will contribute to the growth of the pharmaceutical industry in Ghana.

GHANA AMERICAN FOOTBALL FEDERATION & BOA AUTHENTIC FOUNDATION WELCOMES A COURTESY CALL ON THE MINISTER OF SPORTS AND RECREATION

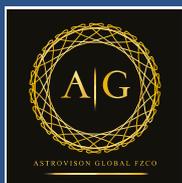
A delegation from the Ghana American Football Federation and the Authentic Foundation, led by the President of the Ghana American Football Federation, met with the Minister of Sports and Recreation to discuss the development of football in Ghana. The delegation also presented a report on the progress of the Ghana American Football Federation and the Authentic Foundation's efforts to promote football in Ghana.

The Minister expressed his support for the development of football in Ghana and encouraged the delegation to continue their efforts. He also discussed the need for collaboration between the Ghana American Football Federation and the Authentic Foundation to further promote football in Ghana.





ABOUT THE ORGANISERS



Astrovision is a Dubai-based company founded in 2023. The company specializes in organizing major international exhibitions across multiple industries, including Beauty, Cosmetics, Pharmaceuticals and Healthcare, Food and Packaging, Power and Energy, Construction, Textiles, Gems and Jewellery.

To date, Astrovision has successfully organized over a dozen exhibitions across regions such as ASEAN, Africa, and the CIS. The company collaborates with partners around the world, ensuring the seamless execution of exhibitions, conferences and B2B meetings.



ACE Group based out of New Delhi, India is an Organization with more than 8 years of experience in promotion and organising of trade exhibitions across the globe. At ACE Group we have experience of dealing in 60+ International Trade Fairs taking place in 20+ countries in Europe, Asia, Africa, America and Oceania. Through its global network, ACE Group has presence worldwide with local partners situated in most of the continents. ACE Group is professionally committed to deliver best trade services in the industry.

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Show Details:



Venue

Accra International Conference Centre, Accra, Ghana

Dates & timings:



6 – 8 May, 2026

Wednesday–Thursday: 10:00AM – 05:00PM
Friday: 10:00AM – 02:00PM

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