

SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC INDICATORS

General Information

Guam’s mottoWhere America’s Day Begins
 Location13°N Latitude, 144°E Longitude
 Geography
 Total land area Approximately 209 sq miles/541.3 sq km
 Length/Width30 miles (48.3 km) / 4-12 miles (6.4-19.3 km)
 Shoreline Length116.5 miles/187.5 km
 Coral Reef Length80 miles/128.7 km
 Parklands25,333.3 acres/10,252.3hectares
 Climate
 Average day/night time temperature82°F/65°F-75°F
 Coolest monthsDec-Feb (80°F-81°F)
 Warmest monthsMar-Aug (84.0°F)
 Wet seasonJul-Nov (11.7 in. rainfall)
 Dry seasonDec-Jun (4.6 in. rainfall)
 HumidityAverage between 72% and 86%
 Annual rainfall80 to 110 inches
 CurrencyU.S. Dollar
 Time ZoneGreenwich Mean Time (GMT) +10:00
 Governor of GuamHonorable Eddie Baza Calvo
 Lt Governor of GuamHonorable Ray S. Tenorio
 Washington DelegateCongresswoman Madeline Z. Bordallo
 Attorney GeneralLeonardo M. Rapadas
 Guam Legislature15 members (Uni-cameral)
 Political StatusUnincorporated U.S. Territory
 CapitalHagåtña
 Native inhabitantsChamorro
 Official languagesChamorro and English
 Official treeIfit (Intsia bijuga)
 Official flowerBougainvillia (Puti tai nobio)
 Official birdGuam Rail (Ko’ko)

Population Unit 2017 2016 2010¹

Total population ²No. 179,117 177,465 170,504
 Resident populationNo. 163,875 162,742 159,358
 Avg daily visitorsNo. 15,242 14,723 11,146
 Military, total pop ⁵²No. 11,559 12,807 13,467
 ActiveNo. 5,685 5,572 6,408
 DependentsNo. 5,874 7,235 7,059
 Avg. Mil Family Size.... Rate. --- 3.1 3.0
 Population density..... Sq.mi. 784.1 778.7 762.5
 Growth rate ³Rate. 0.3 0.3 0.3
 Life expectancy at birth..... Age 79.3 79.1 78.2
 MalesAge 76.2 76.1 75.1
 FemalesAge 82.5 82.4 81.4
 Eligible voters, total ⁴No. --- 97,722 82,005
 Registered voters ⁵No. --- 51,713 52,821
 Percent of eligibles.....Pct. --- 52.9 64.4
 Voter turnout.....Pct. --- 69.3 76.9
 Licensed physicians ⁶No. 115 165 167
 Per 1000 total pop ²Rate. 0.65 0.93 0.98
 Hospital beds ⁷No. 331 311 158
 Per 1000 total pop ²Rate. 1.9 1.9 0.93
 Age Distribution of Persons
 14 yrs old & under.....No. 40,267 40,604 43,319
 15-64 yrs old.....No. 107,926 107,086 105,292
 65 yrs old & overNo. 15,682 15,052 10,747
 Median age.....Age 30.9 30.7 29.5
 Males per 100 femalesRatio. 102.5 102.6 104.8

Population Unit 2017 2016 2010

HouseholdsNo. 44,467 44,110 42,026
 Persons per householdNo. 3.51 3.54 3.67
 FamiliesNo. 35,543 35,348 34,199
 Persons per familyPct. 3.9 4.0 4.1
 Married couple familiesNo. 22,892 22,880 22,810
 Ethnic Composition
 ChamorroNo. 71,056 70,565 69,098
 FilipinoNo. 43,133 42,835 41,994
 MicronesianNo. 18,804 18,674 18,286
 CaucasianNo. 11,642 11,561 11,321
 Educ Attainment (25+ yrs old) No. 93,360 94,715 89,256
 High sch grad & higher Pct. 82.0 81.7 79.4
 College graduatesPct. 20.7 20.7 20.4
 Dependency (young & old)
 Per 100 persons ⁸Ratio. 51.8 52.0 51.3
 Women 15-44 yrs old.....No. 34,697 34,573 34,296
 Women in Labor Force.....Pct. 43.1 43.1 43.1

Housing Unit 2010 2000

Total Housing unitsNo. 50,567 47,677
 Occupied units.....No. 42,026 38,769
 Owner-occupiedPct. 50.3 48.4
 Renter-occupiedPct. 49.7 51.6
 Vacant housing unitsNo. 8,541 8,908

Vital Statistics Unit 2017 2016 2010

Births, liveNo. 3,292 3,433 3,419
 Per 1000 population ⁹ Rate 19.7 21.1 21.5
 DeathsNo. 1,007 1,022 872
 Per 1000 population ⁹ Rate 6.1 6.3 5.5
 Infant deathsNo. 26 45 51
 Infant mortality rate..... Rate 8.2 13.1 14.9
 Fetal deathsNo. 51 44 49
 MarriagesNo. 1,244 1,288 1,484
 Per 1000 population ⁹ Rate 7.6 7.9 9.3
 Divorces ¹⁰No. 683 647 849
 Per 1000 population ⁹ Rate 4.2 4.0 5.3
 SuicidesNo. 36 50 31
 ChamorroPct. 44.4 44.0 45.2
 FilipinoPct. 11.1 6.0 0.0
 FSMPct. 22.2 26.0 38.7
 OtherPct. 22.2 24.0 16.1
 AbortionsNo. 239 289 269
 Leading Notifiable Diseases ¹¹
 ChlamydiaNo. 1,107 934 900
 Streptococcal Sore ThroatNo. 670 494 593
 Influenza and Flu Syndrome .No. 458 268 385
 MRSA ¹²No. 448 440 23
 GonorrheaNo. 200 134 ---

Social Welfare Unit 2017 2016 2010

Food Stamps hseholds ¹³No. --- 15,551 11,595
 Avg mnthly benefit/hh\$Dol. --- 569.82 694.93
 Persons, total ¹³No. --- 46,713 36,926
 Avg mnthly benefit/per\$Dol. --- 189.70 218.22
 Medicare recipients ¹⁴No. 15,805 15,805 11,841

Social Welfare Unit 2017 2016 2010

Medicaid recipients ¹⁴ No. 40,275 40,536 30,637
 Annual expenditure ¹⁵\$Thou. 108,610 95,383 36,274
 MIP ¹⁶ recipients ¹⁴No. 9,703 10,489 11,856
 Annual expenditure\$Thou. 9,490 11,682 22,479
 Soc Security Beneficiaries No. 17,724 17,118 14,125
 Persons, 65 yrs old & overPct. 68.2 66.7 60.4
 Total monthly benefits \$Mil. 15.3 14.2 9.9
 Homeless persons, total No. 852 1,085 1,635
 VeteransPct. 2.8 1.9 0.0
 Residing in sheltersPct. 10.2 10.3 11.1
 Compact migrantsNo. 25,910 24,590 18,044
 COFA ¹⁷ federal reimburs \$Mil. 14.9 14.9 16.8

Education ¹⁸ Unit SY17-18 SY16-17 SY10-11

School, total (K-12) ¹⁹ No. 35,386 39,696 40,895
 Public SchoolsNo. 29,510 30,244 30,436
 Kindergarten-Grade 5No. 13,093 13,465 13,774
 Grades 6-8No. 6,532 6,642 7,231
 Grades 9-12No. 9,885 10,137 9,431
 Catholic Schools ²⁰No. 3,827 3,791 4,421
 Kindergarten-Grade 5No. 1,792 1,724 2,052
 Grades 6-8No. 940 967 1,166
 Grades 9-12No. 1,095 1,100 1,203
 DoDEA ²¹No. 2,252 2,264 2,055
 Kindergarten-Grade 5No. 1,296 1,339 1,073
 Grades 6-8No. 526 489 500
 Grades 9-12No. 430 436 482
 Other Private Sch ²²No. 3,797 3,397 3,983
 Kindergarten-Grade 5No. 1,870 1,797 1,752
 Grades 6-8No. 779 671 905
 Grades 9-12No. 1,148 929 1,326
 High school graduates ¹⁹No. 2,611 2,670 2,294
 PublicPct. 76.8 76.9 71.5
 Cost per pupil ²³Dol. 9,676 8,721 6,345
 Pupil/teacher Ratio 16.5 16.7 16.0
 Dist cohort graduationRate 85.0 82.0 68.9
 Public sch dropoutsNo. 254 243 641
 Public sch dropoutRate 3.0 2.4 6.8
 Guam Comm College ²⁴No. 5,903 6,670 5,465
 PostsecondaryPct. 37.6 36.4 46.5
 University of GuamNo. 3,917 3,875 3,639
 UndergraduatesPct. 90.2 90.8 89.8

Labor Force Unit 2017 ²⁷ 2016 ²⁷ 2009 ²⁵

Civilian Labor Force ²⁶ No. 72,510 69,400 70,310
 Participation ratePct. 59.2 57.0 61.7
 Total employed.....No. 69,360 66,600 63,800
 Adult women.....Pct. 46.7 44.3 43.2
 Adult men.....Pct. 51.0 52.7 53.6
 TeenagersPct. 2.3 3.0 3.2
 VeteransPct. 6.4 6.1 6.5
 Total unemployed.....No. 3,150 2,800 6,510
 Unemployment ratePct. 4.3 4.0 9.3
 Adult women.....Pct. 5.4 2.1 9.1
 Adult men.....Pct. 2.8 5.2 7.9
 TeenagersPct. 15.4 11.1 28.6
 VeteransPct. --- --- 9.0
 Not in Labor Force.....No. 49,870 52,370 43,680

Employment ²⁷ Unit 2017 2016 2010

Private Sector No. 49,300 47,780 46,320
 Trade (Whlse&Retail) Pct. 31.3 30.0 29.7
 Service (Ldge/Food) Pct. 38.9 38.5 35.8
 Construction..... Pct. 11.1 12.7 14.7
 Public Sector No. 15,700 15,730 15,880
 Government of Guam..... Pct. 74.8 75.0 75.9
 Federal Government..... Pct. 25.2 25.0 24.1
 Average Hourly Earnings
 Government of Guam ²⁸ \$Dol. 23.29 22.06 19.50
 Private sector ²⁹ \$Dol. 13.22 13.27 12.20

Law Enforcement Unit 2017 2016 2010

Registered vehicles No. 119,906 129,303 108,218
 Driver's license issued No. 26,804 20,204 30,680
 Traffic Accidents No. 7,567 7,566 7,165
 Fatalities No. 24 12 21
 Alcohol related Pct. 16.7 16.7 28.6
 DUI arrests No. 419 333 681
 Family violence arrests No. 622 535 507
 Juvenile offenses No. 337 410 334
 Total UCR ³⁰ offenses No. 9,517 9,957 9,632
 Property crimes ³¹ No. 3,656 3,741 4,004
 Violent crimes ³² No. 369 341 461
 Officers per 1000 pop ⁹Rate 1.8 1.9 1.9

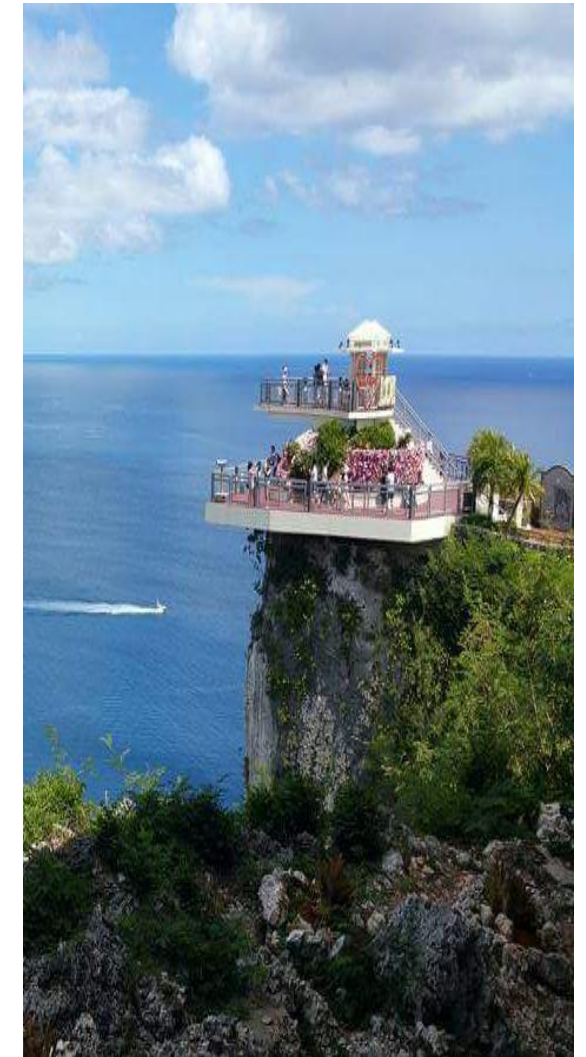
Finance, Business and Trade 2017 2016 2010

Bank deposits, total ^{33, 34}\$Mil. 2,845.0 2,958.4 2,114.7
 Time & savings Pct. 46.3 43.0 50.8
 Bank loans, total ^{34, 35}\$Mil. 3,262.9 3,228.5 2,774.8
 Commercial loans Pct. 40.2 41.4 35.1
 Bankruptcy, total No. 127 164 173
 Business filings No. 9 12 11
 Consumer filings No. 118 152 162
 Building permits No. 1,294 2,448 1,112
 Construction value.....\$Mil. 537.9 409.3 278.2
 Average value\$Thou. 415.7 167.2 250.2
 Occupancy permits No. 270 396 334
 Surface Cargo Thou Rev Tons 1,210.6 2,154.9 2,231.5
 ImportsPct. 61.8 62.7 59.4
 ExportsPct. 8.1 15.9 10.1
 Transshipment.....Pct. 30.1 21.4 30.5
 Air Cargo Met Tons 20,908 20,111 31,614
 Unloaded (Imports) Pct. 39.4 43.2 55.4
 Loaded (Exports) Pct. 28.7 23.7 24.9
 Incoming Mail..... Pct. 22.5 24.4 13.9
 Outgoing Mail..... Pct. 9.4 8.7 5.7

Tourism ³⁴ Unit 2017 2016 2010

Visitor/Tourists ³⁶Thou. 1,545.4 1,535.5 1,196.5
 Arrivals, airThou. 1,522.4 1,517.4 1,187.8
 Arrivals, seaThou. 23.0 18.1 8.7
 Japan visitors ³⁷ Pct. 40.8 49.1 75.2
 Korea visitors ³⁷ Pct. 45.0 35.9 11.3
 Taiwan visitors ³⁷ Pct. 2.1 2.8 2.6
 China, PRC.visitors ³⁷ Pct. 1.4 1.8 0.4

Guam's Facts & Figures at a Glance 2017



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2018

Tourism ³⁴	Unit	2017	2016	2010
Russia visitors ³⁷Pct.		0.2	0.2	0.0
Philippine visitors ³⁷Pct.		1.3	1.4	1.0
U.S. mainland visitors ³⁷Pct.		5.1	5.1	5.2
Average Length of Stay.....Days		3.6	3.6	3.4
Hotel rooms available.....No.		8,883	9,158	8,719
Hotel room rate.....\$Dol.		168	166	111
Hotel occupancy tax revs.....\$Mil.		42.9	41.3	22.2
Hotel occupancy rate.....Pct.		64.7	78.2	70.6
Golf courses.....No.		8	8	9

Transportation	Unit	2017	2016	2010
Air passengers ³⁸Thou.		3,778	3,556	3,146
Arrivals.....Thou.		1,703	1,580	1,397
Departures.....Thou.		1,661	1,559	1,410
Transit passengers.....Thou.		414	417	338
Acft takeoff & landings.....No.		60,434	59,424	44,426
GTOW ³⁹Thou lbs.		3,333	3,303	3,170
Vessel port calls.....No.		839	658	793
Airline flights ⁴⁰No.		1,160	1,143	854

Gross Domestic Product (GDP)		2017	2016	2010
Real GDP ⁴¹\$Bil.		5.22	5.21	4.88
Real GDP Per Capita ⁴¹\$Dol.		32,105	32,142	30,621
Consumer Price Index (CPI) ⁴²				
All Items (2007=100).....Rate		126.1	123.0	109.2
Inflation.....Rate		2.5	6.0	2.9

Income	Unit	2010	2008	2000
Household & Per Capita Income ⁴³				
Per Capita Income ⁴⁴Dol.		12,864	13,089	11,465
Median indiv income.....Dol.		12,786	13,200	12,236
Median hshld income.....Dol.		39,052	37,741	37,605
Average hshld size.....No.		3.8	3.5	3.9
Average earners/hshld.....No.		1.7	1.5	1.8

Federal Government	Unit	2017	2016	2010
Active Duty Military.....No.		5,685	5,572	6,408
US Air Force.....Pct.		36.8	33.2	32.3
US Army.....Pct.		0.7	4.3	9.6
US Coast Guard.....Pct.		3.2	3.5	3.0
US Marine Corps.....Pct.		0.3	0.5	0.1
US Navy.....Pct.		59.0	58.5	55.0
Military Dependents.....No.		5,874	7,235	7,059
Department of Defense				
Contracts.....\$Mil.		510.9	665.9	644.3
Navy.....\$Mil.		476.1	575.3	577.0
Army.....\$Mil.		8.6	4.3	2.1
Air Force.....\$Mil.		8.1	19.4	36.8
Coast Guard.....\$Mil.		0.3	6.2	0.3
DoDEA.....\$Mil.		2.2	3.3	4.6
Defense Commissary....\$Mil.		0.0	0.1	2.2

Local Government	Unit	2017	2016	2010
GovGuam Retirement Fund No.		18,486	18,483	18,193
Active members ⁴⁵No.		11,085	11,066	11,065
Defined Benefit 1.75.....No.		3,353	---	---
Defined Benefit.....No.		2,058	2,208	3,594
Defined Contribution.....No.		5,674	8,858	7,471
Retirees & Survivors.....No.		7,401	7,417	7,128
Defined Benefit.....No.		7,279	7,298	7,082
Defined Contribution.....No.		122	119	46
Guam International Airport Authority (GIAA)				
Revenues.....\$Mil.		70.5	65.6	47.1
Capital & liabilities.....\$Mil.		618.0	616.4	502.7
Port Authority of Guam (PAG)				
Revenues.....\$Mil.		50.6	52.5	35.8
Capital & liabilities.....\$Mil.		177.5	171.3	75.8
Guam Power Authority (GPA)				
Revenues.....\$Mil.		333.5	308.2	365.7
Customers.....No.		49,769	50,208	47,333
KWH Consumption.....Mil.		1,610.1	1,574.3	1,637.7
Island Power Sys ⁴⁶MMWH.		1.8	1.7	1.9
Capital & liabilities.....\$Mil.		955.5	885.8	884.9
Guam Waterworks Authority (GWA)				
Water Revenues.....\$Mil.		66.6	66.9	42.1
Customers.....No.		42,205	41,754	40,810
Consumption.....MGD.		15.6	16.5	17.5
Wastewater Revenues.....\$Mil.		38.7	39.0	22.3
Customers.....No.		29,065	28,766	25,068
Discharges.....MGD.		11.2	11.9	12.3
Capital & liabilities.....\$Mil.		840.4	798.3	349.7

Revenues and Expenditures ⁴⁷		2017	2016	2010
Revenues, total.....\$Mil.		709.0	685.7	491.0
Taxes.....\$Mil.		681.9	663.5	470.4
Income tax.....\$Mil.		354.7	343.8	239.2
Gross receipts.....\$Mil.		237.1	238.3	188.6
Section 30.....\$Mil.		87.2	78.5	39.0
Other.....\$Mil.		2.9	2.9	3.6
Real property.....\$Mil.		--	--	--
Licenses, fees & permits.....\$Mil.		5.5	5.9	4.5
Use of money & prop ⁴⁸\$Mil.		--	--	0.4
Federal contributions.....\$Mil.		--	--	--
Other revenues.....\$Mil.		21.6	16.3	15.6
Expenditures, total.....\$Mil.		714.6	734.4	499.9
General government.....\$Mil.		50.3	82.6	47.8
Protec of life & prop ⁴⁹\$Mil.		109.5	109.0	78.9
Public health.....\$Mil.		9.1	17.2	17.1
Community services.....\$Mil.		22.6	24.4	4.1
Recreation.....\$Mil.		1.1	0.2	2.9
Indiv & collect rights ⁵⁰\$Mil.		51.2	47.3	11.4
Transportation.....\$Mil.		--	--	--
Education.....\$Mil.		245.6	227.2	204.2
Environ. Protection.....\$Mil.		--	0.1	--
Economic development.....\$Mil.		4.3	4.1	3.2
Transfer to persons.....\$Mil.		--	--	--
Capital projects.....\$Mil.		--	4.9	--
Interest.....\$Mil.		64.8	61.2	18.0
Debt Service ⁵¹\$Mil.		85.6	78.1	43.0
Other Expenditures.....\$Mil.		135.3	139.3	69.2

Notes

.. Not applicable. -- Not reported. ^aRevised. Avg=Average. bldg=building. Comm=Community. disabil=disability. DUI=Driving Under the Influence. fed=federal. Fnd=Fund. hshld=household. indiv=individual. KWH=Kilowatt Hours. Ldge=Lodge. MGD=Millions of Gallons a Day. MMWH=Million Megawatt Hours. Numbers in parentheses () denote negative. Occup=Occupancy. Perman=Permanent. sch=school. SY=School Year. Whlse=Wholesale. ¹2010 U.S. Census unless otherwise noted. ²Census Population plus average visitors. ³Exponential growth rate. ⁴U.S. citizens 18 years & over. ⁵General Elections. ⁶Includes licensed military physicians working part-time at Guam Memorial Hospital and Guam Regional Medical City (GRMC). GRMC opened in 2015. ⁷Includes Guam Memorial Hospital (acute and skilled) and Guam Regional Medical Center. Does not include military hospital beds. ⁸Persons of working ages. ⁹Per 1000 resident population. ¹⁰Includes annulments. ¹¹Other leading notifiable diseases: Food poisoning = 195 cases (2011); Mumps = 502 (2010). ¹²Methicillin-resistant *Staphylococcus aureus*. ¹³Average monthly participation. ¹⁴Quarterly average. ¹⁵FY 2010 includes ARRA Medicaid. ¹⁶Medically Indigent Program. ¹⁷Compact of Free Association (COFA). ¹⁸Fall term enrollment. ¹⁹All schools. ²⁰Includes Academy of Our Lady, Bishop Baumgartner, Dominican Catholic School, Dominican Child Development, Father Duenas, Infant of Prague, Maria Artero, Mercy Heights, Notre Dame, Our Lady of Mount Carmel, St Anthony, Saint Francis, San Vicente, and Santa Barbara. ²¹Department of Defense Education Activity (DoDEA). ²²Includes Asmuyao Community School, Evangelical Christian Academy, Guam Adventist Academy, Harvest Christian Academy, Saint Paul School, St. John's School, Southern Christian Academy, Temple Christian Academy, iLearn Academy Charter School, Majesty Christian Academy & Guahan Academy Charter School. Trinity Christian School merged with Saint Paul School in SY2010-2011. ²³Does not include transportation cost. ²⁴Includes Post-secondary, secondary, apprenticeship, adult education (Fall). ²⁵As of Sept. ²⁶Persons 16 years & older, excludes all military/dependents living on base, non-resident aliens & inmates of institutions. ²⁷As of March. ²⁸Supervisory & production worker estimates. ²⁹Production worker estimates. ³⁰Uniform Crime Report. ³¹Includes burglary, larceny, auto theft, & arson. ³²Includes murder, rape, robbery & aggravated assault. ³³Includes Foreign Banks. ³⁴As of December 31. ³⁵Includes Off-Shore Lending Facilities & Foreign Banks. ³⁶Air & sea arrivals include Military and civilians. ³⁷Civilian and Military Air arrivals. ³⁸Excludes military flights. ³⁹Gross Take Off Weight. ⁴⁰Average per week. Outbound/inbound and technical flights inclusive. ⁴¹Chained 2009 dollars. ⁴²Annual Average. ⁴³Civilian non-institutional population, U.S. citizens and immigrant (resident) aliens and citizens from the Freely Associated States; Excludes all military & dependents living on base, non-resident aliens and inmates of institutions. ⁴⁴All with & without income. ⁴⁵As of September. Excludes terminated members entitled to, but not yet receiving benefits. ⁴⁶Million Megawatt Hours. ⁴⁷General Fund operations only. ⁴⁸Use of money & prop=Use of money & property. ⁴⁹Protec of life & prop=Protection of life & property. ⁵⁰Indiv & collect rights=Individual & collective rights. ⁵¹Includes principal retirement and interest and fiscal charges. ⁵²Data for 2017 is as of July (active duty only, excludes reserves).

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