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The medical profession and healthcare in the United States are in trouble. Healthcare is unaffordable for a growing part of the population, 46 million Americans are uninsured, tens of millions are underinsured, quality of care is unpredictable, and these problems are getting worse, not better.

Contributors Corrosion is a process through which metals in manufactured states return to their natural oxidation states. This process is a reduction-oxidation reaction in which the metal is being oxidized by its surroundings, often the oxygen in air. Corrosion is essentially the creation of voltaic , or galvanic, cells where the metal in question acts as an anode and generally deteriorates or loses functional stability. Corrosion is a commonplace occurrence, like the rusting and flaking of an old iron yard piece. Here we will explore the process by which corrosion takes place and the different ways unwanted corrosion can be controlled. Energy, often large amounts, are poured into winning the desired metals from their natural ores; manufacturing some metal products can be very costly. Corrosion causes deterioration of manufactured products, damaging their structure and ultimately rendering the product useless. Allowing corrosion is not cost efficient and can inhibit productivity; understanding and preventing corrosion is important for maintaining infrastructures and machinery or any products that face corrosion. Conditions for Corrosion of Metals There are three main components necessary for corrosion to occur: These metals, such as iron, will spontaneously return to their natural states. The placement of the metal in the Galvanic Series will contribute to its likelihood of corrosion; the higher a metal in the Galvanic Series the less likely it is to corrode. This effect is amplified when two metals at opposite ends of the Galvanic Series are in contact: Other environmental factors contribute to corrosion such as pH, salt concentration, and oxygen concentration, along with the velocity of the water and temperature. How Corrosion Occurs Corrosion can occur in two general ways; over the entire surface of the metal Generalized Corrosion , or in local spots or areas Localized Corrosion. Typically never happens, aside from in acidic conditions. This uniform corrosion over the entire surface of the metal is rare and leads to overall thinning which has little effect outside of fatigue and stress conditions. The most common, and most detrimental, form of localized corrosion is pitting. Pitting is when the attack happens in one single location on the surface and creates a pit, or small cavity, in the metal. This type of corrosion attack is hard to prevent, engineer against, and often times difficult to detect before structural failure is met due to cracking. Pipes are often compromised due to pitting. Understanding Corrosion as an Electrochemical Process a Voltaic Cell Corrosion happens through a series of reduction-oxidation reactions , similar to those of a battery. The metal being corroded acts as the anode; the metal is oxidized, forming metal ions and free electrons. The free electrons reduce the oxygen, often times forming hydroxide, and providing a complimentary cathodic reaction. The dissolution of the metal at the anode has two possible outcomes; the metal ions can go into solution, becoming hydrated, or the metal ions can form a solid compound that collects on the surface. In the former case, further oxidation of the metal ions can occur and an open pit can form. In the latter case, a protective barrier may be formed and the collection of solid metal ions will inhibit further corrosion. The subsequent reactions model a galvanic cell; reduction-oxidation reactions occur in a way similar to those of batteries. Typically, the metal that is lower on the Galvanic Series will act as the anode and corrode faster than without the presence of the second metal, while the second metal gains a stronger resistance to corrosion. These reactions and their directions can change or be altered due to the environment. Corrosion prevention Corrosion can be prevented through using multiple products and techniques including painting, sacrificial anodes , cathodic protection electroplating , and natural products of corrosion itself. The paint forms a barrier between the metal and the environment, namely moisture. Utilization of a metal lower on the Galvanic Series to be attacked first, instead of the metal in use. The sacrificial anode can be replaced as needed. Some corrosion processes will create solid metal compounds that will coat the initial site of corrosion and prevent further corrosion at that site. In the illustration below the iron is coated with a thin layer of zinc which is acting as a sacrificial layer for the iron. Instead of the the iron corroding, the Zn acts as the sacrificial anode in the cell and protects the iron.

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The corrosion of metals in CCA treated-wood was studied by several researchers who found that it was more corrosive than untreated wood and suggested that at a minimum, hot-dip galvanized fasteners should be used in treated wood.

Page 37 Share Suggested Citation: Rail Base Corrosion Detection and Prevention. The National Academies Press. During site visits, salt deposits on top of the tie plates were observed at several locations. Figure 16 shows some of the deposited salts on top of the tie plates and rail found at several different sites. Figure 17 displays the differences between a clean and well insulated tie and tie plate and a tie plate with deposited salts and corrosion. The chemical analysis as reported by the Edmonton Transit System includes mainly alkaline salts, chlorides, and sulfates 7. This was further confirmed by other transit authorities Appendix E shows the chemical analysis conducted by the Edmonton Transit System. Examples of Pandrol clips showing a good condition and b salts deposited around the Pandrol clip. Both pictures were taken at the Toronto Transit Commission subway during the site visit. Figure 18 shows the ballast specimens used. Ballast specimens used for the resistivity test: Two types of ballast were used for the test: The resistivity of the ballast was measured under dry and wet conditions. To simulate wet conditions, ballast types were immersed in water for 5 seconds and then excess water was removed. This was completed in order to measure the effects of absorbed water humidity, rather than the surface deposited water. Table 3 shows the average resistivity results of at least 10 measurements of all ballast types under dry and wet conditions. Resistivity results on dry and wet ballast. Observations showed that the resistivity for all dry ballast overloaded the meter showing that under dry conditions ballast is a good insulator. Comparison of the results found in Table 3 concludes that the ballast types tested have negligible effect on corrosion. The 5 points from resistivity is a conservative number and varies from tunnel to tunnel and environmental conditions, particularly salt deposits. Some of the literature reviewed by the research team recommended avoiding slag based ballast because of its relatively high conductivity probably due to its high metallic content 5. However, in the laboratory test, slag based ballast was found to have the highest resistivity under dry conditions see Figure 18 and Table 3 ballast specimens Ballast specimens 3 and 9 in Table 3 were selected to undergo a second test, immersing the ballast for 5 minutes in water to see if there would be any changes in the resistivity. That is still a very high resistance, indication of a good insulator, except for when the ballast is thoroughly wet. However, the presence of inclusions is considerably low. In fact, elements like carbon in steel have very little, if any, effect on corrosion 1. However, this would considerably increase the cost of rail and probably have limited to no corrosion reduction benefits because the main factor that accelerates the rail base corrosion is the return current. Corrosion of carbon steel in water is controlled by the availability of oxygen to the metal surface. In rail structures, the water or humidity deposited on the rail usually has high amounts of dissolved oxygen, and the water layer is thin enough to permit an easy flow of oxygen. As velocity causes a mass flow of oxygen to the surface, corrosion is very dependent on flow rate and can increase by a factor of 2. This factor of does not consider the presence of stray currents, a major concern for transit systems. Additionally, when the deposited salts on top of the rails become dry, very aggressive corrosion conditions are formed. This is due to the relatively good conductivity and the ability to dissolve oxygen, resulting in an increase of the rate at which corrosion erodes the rail. A zinc Zn coating is most commonly used. Zn is used under normal atmospheric conditions, not because it is inert to corrosion, but rather because it corrodes considerably faster than steel, resulting in a coupled system Figure Zn coatings show increased corrosion rates under nonstatic conditions, so it would only provide a limited benefit to the transit system because rails are a nonstatic system. Galvanizing is more appropriate for static systems 1, Examples of galvanic corrosion using zinc and tin on steels. Note that while zinc makes a protective layer preventing the corrosion of steel, tin is protected by the corrosion of steel. This type of protection is very useful for static systems i. This method closes an electrical circuit by introducing a more active element Mg that corrodes faster than the material under protection. For instance, a steel pipe in a corrosive environment with Mg cathodic protection will force the Mg to become more vulnerable to corrosion than the steel that creates a corrosion protection shield for the steel. This type of system is widely used by

several industries and is a reliable method for corrosion protection. However, one of the conditions of this type of protection is that no current should be passing through the material under protection; otherwise, the current will alter the effectiveness of the anode. Therefore, cathodic protection will be ineffective for transit systems because there is a return current along the rails 1, Steel Zinc Steel Tin 32 Figure Protection of an underground pipeline with a magnesium anode 1. The return current for transit systems is the byproduct of the train that closes the circuit of the overhead catenary or third rail. Ideally, the return current on well insulated rails will not have detrimental effects. However, in most cases there are stray currents caused by leaks where the current breaks the circuit through the path with less resistance usually wet soil with high concentrations of salts, drain systems, electrical city circuits, etc. The electrical current always travels along the path of least resistance, or the current is divided along several paths in proportional amounts of current. For example, when the electrical continuity of the track structure is poor or the circuit is broken, more stray current will return through another path. The corrosion rate is directly proportional to the stray currents, limiting or eliminating the stray current occurrence will considerably reduce and probably eliminate rail base corrosion. Rails are subjected to high dynamic stresses and are a good path for return current to the ground. In addition, the presence of deposited salts on the rails and the corroded rail itself increases the corrosion rate. The presence of moisture, salts, and iron-based powder s amplify the corrosion effects on the rails because the salts form an electrolyte when combined with DC that promotes electrolytic reactions increasing the corrosion rate. Furthermore, salt and iron powders have a large surface Backfill Steel Pipe Coated Copper Wire Current Ground Level Earth Environment Mg Anode 33 area promoting the formation of stray current locations that result in increasing the detrimental effects of oxygen, thus increasing corrosion rate, as Figure 1 shows. Therefore, the best way to prevent the corrosion of the rails is by properly insulating the rails see Chapter 7 , avoiding any DC leaks from the rail to the ground, forcing the current to return properly and closing the circuit. References 1, 4, 6, contain information on corrosion and corrosion prevention with particular interest to the transit industry.

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The Corrosion of Medicine Can the Profession Reclaim its Moral Legacy? By John Geyman, M.D. Medicine can no longer deny the extent to which unbridled self-interest has eroded its professionalism.

Galvanic corrosion Galvanic corrosion of aluminium. A 5-mm-thick aluminium alloy plate is physically and hence, electrically connected to a mm-thick mild steel structural support. Galvanic corrosion occurred on the aluminium plate along the joint with the steel. Perforation of aluminium plate occurred within 2 years. In a galvanic couple, the more active metal the anode corrodes at an accelerated rate and the more noble metal the cathode corrodes at a slower rate. When immersed separately, each metal corrodes at its own rate. What type of metal s to use is readily determined by following the galvanic series. For example, zinc is often used as a sacrificial anode for steel structures. Galvanic corrosion is of major interest to the marine industry and also anywhere water containing salts contacts pipes or metal structures. Factors such as relative size of anode, types of metal, and operating conditions temperature, humidity, salinity, etc. The surface area ratio of the anode and cathode directly affects the corrosion rates of the materials. Galvanic corrosion is often prevented by the use of sacrificial anodes. Galvanic series In any given environment one standard medium is aerated, room-temperature seawater, one metal will be either more noble or more active than others, based on how strongly its ions are bound to the surface. Two metals in electrical contact share the same electrons, so that the "tug-of-war" at each surface is analogous to competition for free electrons between the two materials. Using the electrolyte as a host for the flow of ions in the same direction, the noble metal will take electrons from the active one. The resulting mass flow or electric current can be measured to establish a hierarchy of materials in the medium of interest. This hierarchy is called a galvanic series and is useful in predicting and understanding corrosion. Rust removal Often it is possible to chemically remove the products of corrosion. For example, phosphoric acid in the form of naval jelly is often applied to ferrous tools or surfaces to remove rust. Corrosion removal should not be confused with electropolishing, which removes some layers of the underlying metal to make a smooth surface. For example, phosphoric acid may also be used to electropolish copper but it does this by removing copper, not the products of copper corrosion. Resistance to corrosion[edit] Some metals are more intrinsically resistant to corrosion than others for some examples, see galvanic series. There are various ways of protecting metals from corrosion oxidation including painting, hot dip galvanizing, and combinations of these. The materials most resistant to corrosion are those for which corrosion is thermodynamically unfavorable. Any corrosion products of gold or platinum tend to decompose spontaneously into pure metal, which is why these elements can be found in metallic form on Earth and have long been valued. More common "base" metals can only be protected by more temporary means. Some metals have naturally slow reaction kinetics, even though their corrosion is thermodynamically favorable. These include such metals as zinc, magnesium, and cadmium. While corrosion of these metals is continuous and ongoing, it happens at an acceptably slow rate. An extreme example is graphite, which releases large amounts of energy upon oxidation, but has such slow kinetics that it is effectively immune to electrochemical corrosion under normal conditions. The chemical composition and microstructure of a passive film are different from the underlying metal. Typical passive film thickness on aluminium, stainless steels, and alloys is within 10 nanometers. The passive film is different from oxide layers that are formed upon heating and are in the micrometer thickness range "â€” the passive film recovers if removed or damaged whereas the oxide layer does not. Passivation in natural environments such as air, water and soil at moderate pH is seen in such materials as aluminium, stainless steel, titanium, and silicon. Passivation is primarily determined by metallurgical and environmental factors. The effect of pH is summarized using Pourbaix diagrams, but many other factors are influential. Some conditions that inhibit passivation include high pH for aluminium and zinc, low pH or the presence of chloride ions for stainless steel, high temperature for titanium in which case the oxide dissolves into the metal, rather than the electrolyte and fluoride ions for silicon. On the other hand, unusual conditions may result in passivation of materials that are normally unprotected, as the alkaline environment of concrete does for steel rebar. Exposure to a liquid metal such as mercury or hot solder can

often circumvent passivation mechanisms. Corrosion in passivated materials[edit] Passivation is extremely useful in mitigating corrosion damage, however even a high-quality alloy will corrode if its ability to form a passivating film is hindered. Proper selection of the right grade of material for the specific environment is important for the long-lasting performance of this group of materials. If breakdown occurs in the passive film due to chemical or mechanical factors, the resulting major modes of corrosion may include pitting corrosion , crevice corrosion , and stress corrosion cracking. In the worst case, almost all of the surface will remain protected, but tiny local fluctuations will degrade the oxide film in a few critical points. Corrosion at these points will be greatly amplified, and can cause corrosion pits of several types, depending upon conditions. While the corrosion pits only nucleate under fairly extreme circumstances, they can continue to grow even when conditions return to normal, since the interior of a pit is naturally deprived of oxygen and locally the pH decreases to very low values and the corrosion rate increases due to an autocatalytic process. In extreme cases, the sharp tips of extremely long and narrow corrosion pits can cause stress concentration to the point that otherwise tough alloys can shatter; a thin film pierced by an invisibly small hole can hide a thumb sized pit from view. These problems are especially dangerous because they are difficult to detect before a part or structure fails. Pitting results when a small hole, or cavity, forms in the metal, usually as a result of de-passivation of a small area. This area becomes anodic, while part of the remaining metal becomes cathodic, producing a localized galvanic reaction. The deterioration of this small area penetrates the metal and can lead to failure. This form of corrosion is often difficult to detect due to the fact that it is usually relatively small and may be covered and hidden by corrosion-produced compounds. Weld decay and knifeline attack[edit] Normal microstructure of Type stainless steel surface Sensitized metallic microstructure, showing wider intergranular boundaries Stainless steel can pose special corrosion challenges, since its passivating behavior relies on the presence of a major alloying component chromium , at least Because of the elevated temperatures of welding and heat treatment, chromium carbides can form in the grain boundaries of stainless alloys. This chemical reaction robs the material of chromium in the zone near the grain boundary, making those areas much less resistant to corrosion. This creates a galvanic couple with the well-protected alloy nearby, which leads to "weld decay" corrosion of the grain boundaries in the heat affected zones in highly corrosive environments. This process can seriously reduce the mechanical strength of welded joints over time. A stainless steel is said to be "sensitized" if chromium carbides are formed in the microstructure. A typical microstructure of a normalized type stainless steel shows no signs of sensitization, while a heavily sensitized steel shows the presence of grain boundary precipitates. The dark lines in the sensitized microstructure are networks of chromium carbides formed along the grain boundaries. As its name implies, corrosion is limited to a very narrow zone adjacent to the weld, often only a few micrometers across, making it even less noticeable. Crevice corrosion Corrosion in the crevice between the tube and tube sheet both made of type stainless steel of a heat exchanger in a seawater desalination plant [4] Crevice corrosion is a localized form of corrosion occurring in confined spaces crevices , to which the access of the working fluid from the environment is limited. Formation of a differential aeration cell leads to corrosion inside the crevices. Examples of crevices are gaps and contact areas between parts, under gaskets or seals, inside cracks and seams, spaces filled with deposits and under sludge piles. Crevice corrosion is influenced by the crevice type metal-metal, metal-nonmetal , crevice geometry size, surface finish , and metallurgical and environmental factors. The susceptibility to crevice corrosion can be evaluated with ASTM standard procedures. Microbial corrosion Microbial corrosion , or commonly known as microbiologically influenced corrosion MIC , is a corrosion caused or promoted by microorganisms , usually chemoautotrophs. It can apply to both metallic and non-metallic materials, in the presence or absence of oxygen. Sulfate-reducing bacteria are active in the absence of oxygen anaerobic ; they produce hydrogen sulfide , causing sulfide stress cracking. In the presence of oxygen aerobic , some bacteria may directly oxidize iron to iron oxides and hydroxides, other bacteria oxidize sulfur and produce sulfuric acid causing biogenic sulfide corrosion. Concentration cells can form in the deposits of corrosion products, leading to localized corrosion. Accelerated low-water corrosion ALWC is a particularly aggressive form of MIC that affects steel piles in seawater near the low water tide mark. It is characterized by an orange sludge, which smells of hydrogen sulfide when treated with acid. Corrosion rates

can be very high and design corrosion allowances can soon be exceeded leading to premature failure of the steel pile. For unprotected piles, sacrificial anodes can be installed locally to the affected areas to inhibit the corrosion or a complete retrofitted sacrificial anode system can be installed. Affected areas can also be treated using cathodic protection, using either sacrificial anodes or applying current to an inert anode to produce a calcareous deposit, which will help shield the metal from further attack. Sulfidation High-temperature corrosion is chemical deterioration of a material typically a metal as a result of heating. This non-galvanic form of corrosion can occur when a metal is subjected to a hot atmosphere containing oxygen, sulfur, or other compounds capable of oxidizing or assisting the oxidation of the material concerned. For example, materials used in aerospace, power generation and even in car engines have to resist sustained periods at high temperature in which they may be exposed to an atmosphere containing potentially highly corrosive products of combustion. The products of high-temperature corrosion can potentially be turned to the advantage of the engineer. The formation of oxides on stainless steels, for example, can provide a protective layer preventing further atmospheric attack, allowing for a material to be used for sustained periods at both room and high temperatures in hostile conditions. Such high-temperature corrosion products, in the form of compacted oxide layer glazes, prevent or reduce wear during high-temperature sliding contact of metallic or metallic and ceramic surfaces. Metal dusting Metal dusting is a catastrophic form of corrosion that occurs when susceptible materials are exposed to environments with high carbon activities, such as synthesis gas and other high-CO environments. The corrosion manifests itself as a break-up of bulk metal to metal powder. The suspected mechanism is firstly the deposition of a graphite layer on the surface of the metal, usually from carbon monoxide CO in the vapor phase. This graphite layer is then thought to form metastable M₃C species where M is the metal, which migrate away from the metal surface. However, in some regimes no M₃C species is observed indicating a direct transfer of metal atoms into the graphite layer. Protection from corrosion[edit] The US military shrink wraps equipment such as helicopters to protect them from corrosion and thus save millions of dollars Various treatments are used to slow corrosion damage to metallic objects which are exposed to the weather, salt water, acids, or other hostile environments. Some unprotected metallic alloys are extremely vulnerable to corrosion, such as those used in neodymium magnets, which can spall or crumble into powder even in dry, temperature-stable indoor environments unless properly treated to discourage corrosion. Surface treatments[edit] When surface treatments are used to retard corrosion, great care must be taken to ensure complete coverage, without gaps, cracks, or pinhole defects.

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Three intertwined and mutually reinforcing trends—the medicalization of life, the industrialization of health care, and the politicization of medicine—are actively promoting disease and fear of disease, while at the same time corroding the theory and practice of medicine. The discipline of.

What is corrosive esophagitis? Corrosive esophagitis is a condition where your esophagus is damaged by harmful substances. The esophagus is the tube that connects your mouth to your stomach. The damage may cause inflammation, ulcers, or scarring. What causes corrosive esophagitis? If swallowed, strong chemicals such as detergents, dishwashing liquid, and drain cleaners cause corrosive esophagitis. Young children may swallow these accidentally. Adolescents and adults may swallow them to try to harm themselves. This procedure uses x-rays to kill cancer cells. Sometimes the x-rays may damage your esophagus. If you have a narrow esophagus, pills can get caught and damage your esophagus. Other pills can irritate your esophagus even if they do not get caught. These include antibiotics, pain medicines, and drugs for osteoporosis weak bones. What increases my risk of corrosive esophagitis? As you get older, it may take longer to digest foods. This may cause food to stay in your esophagus or stomach longer. You may also take more medicine that increases your risk of corrosive esophagitis. Certain conditions cause your esophagus to narrow or the muscles not to work correctly. You may also have dry mouth, leading to decreased amounts of saliva. This may cause food to get stuck in your esophagus. Heart problems that cause your heart to get bigger and press on your esophagus can make the opening smaller. Not taking pills correctly: Pills may get stuck in your esophagus if you do not drink enough water when you take them. What are the signs and symptoms of corrosive esophagitis? Chest pain that is sudden or happens after you take a pill Pain when you swallow liquids or food Decreased appetite Vomiting blood How is corrosive esophagitis diagnosed? Your healthcare provider will ask about your symptoms and other health problems. He may ask what pills you have taken, what treatments you have received, or if you have swallowed any harmful liquids. You may need one or more of the following: This is a test where pictures of your abdomen are taken. You will need to swallow a thick liquid called barium that helps the intestines show up better on x-ray. This is also called an EGD. This procedure helps healthcare providers see the inside of your esophagus and stomach using a flexible tube with a small light and camera on the end. Healthcare providers may remove a small amount of tissue from your esophagus for a biopsy. Your healthcare provider will look for any bleeding, lumps, narrowing, scars, tears, or pill pieces. How is corrosive esophagitis treated? Your healthcare provider may have you stop certain medicine or treatments for a period of time. This will give your esophagus time to heal. Do not stop any treatments without talking to your healthcare provider first. You may also need the following: Antibiotics help treat or prevent an infection in your esophagus. These help decrease inflammation. These help decrease irritation from stomach acids. They may help increase the protective lining of the esophagus to help it heal. This is a procedure where a small balloon, dilator, or stent is placed in your esophagus to widen it. You may need surgery to remove an area of your esophagus. It may be replaced with a portion of your stomach or colon. What are the risks of corrosive esophagitis? During surgery, you may bleed more than expected or get an infection. Without treatment, you may continue to feel pain and have trouble swallowing food and liquids. You may not be able to eat enough, and you may lose weight and feel weak. Sometimes, food, liquids, or vomit may get in your lungs. You may choke, get an infection in your lungs, or have trouble breathing. Too much damage in your esophagus can cause bleeding that does not stop. These conditions may be life-threatening. What can I do to prevent corrosive esophagitis? Sit or stand when you take your medicine: Do not lie down after you take your pills. Stay in an upright position for 10 to 15 minutes after you take your pills. Store harmful chemicals in a safe location: Label bottles with harmful substances, and keep them out of the reach of children. Ask for other ways to take your medicine: If you have a narrow esophagus, ask if you can take your medicine in liquid form. Ask if you can crush the pill and mix it with liquid to drink. If you must swallow pills, take them 1 at a time. Take each one with at least 4 ounces of liquid. When should I contact my healthcare provider? You have a fever. You have pain that does not decrease or go away after you take your pain medicine. You vomit and

cannot keep food or liquids down. Your stomach feels very full, and you cannot burp or vomit. You have questions or concerns about your condition or care. When should I seek immediate care or call ? You feel like food or medicine is stuck in your esophagus and it does not go down when you drink water. Your vomit has blood in it or looks like coffee grounds. You have sudden chest pain and shortness of breath. You have black or bloody bowel movements. Your symptoms are getting worse. Care Agreement You have the right to help plan your care. Learn about your health condition and how it may be treated. Discuss treatment options with your healthcare providers to decide what care you want to receive. You always have the right to refuse treatment. The above information is an educational aid only. It is not intended as medical advice for individual conditions or treatments. Talk to your doctor, nurse or pharmacist before following any medical regimen to see if it is safe and effective for you.

Chapter 5 : The Corrosion of Medicine: Can the Profession Reclaim Its Moral Legacy?

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