

**FEATURES**

- Wideband, DC to 8 GHz
- Miniature package, 3x3 mm MCLP™
- Specified to 8 GHz, useable to 10 GHz
- Excellent VSWR, 1.15:1 typ.

**APPLICATIONS**

- Cellular
- PCS
- Communications
- Radar
- Defense



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CASE STYLE: FG873

**+RoHS Compliant**The +Suffix identifies RoHS Compliance.  
See our website for methodologies and qualifications**ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS AT +25°C**

Parameter	Condition (GHz)	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Frequency Range		DC	—	8	GHz
Attenuation, Nominal			5±0.3		dB
Attenuation, Flatness <sup>1</sup>	DC - 1		0.1		dB
	1 - 5		0.2		
	5 - 8		0.2		
VSWR	DC - 1		1.05	1.2	:1
	1 - 5		1.15	1.3	
	5 - 8		1.35		
Input Power <sup>2</sup>				0.5	W

1. Flatness= variation over band divided by 2

2. RF power at 25°C case temperature: ½Watt. Derate linearly to 0.2 Watt at 85°C.

**ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS**

Parameter	Ratings
Operating Temperature	-45°C to +85°C
Storage Temperature	-55°C to +100°C

Permanent damage may occur if any of these limits are exceeded.



# MINIATURE PLASTIC

# Fixed Attenuator

# GAT-5+

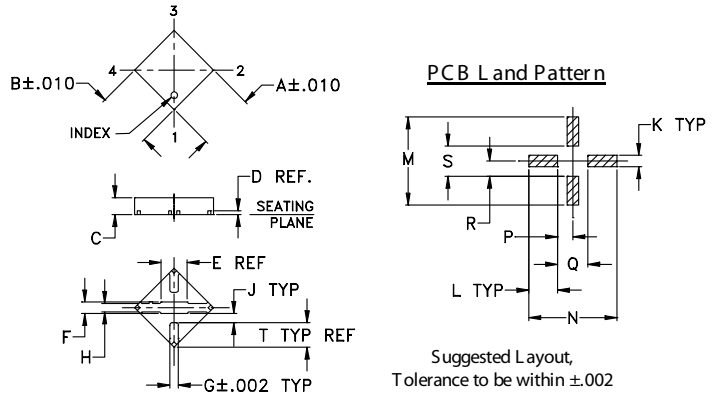
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50Ω 0.5 W 5 dB DC to 8 GHz

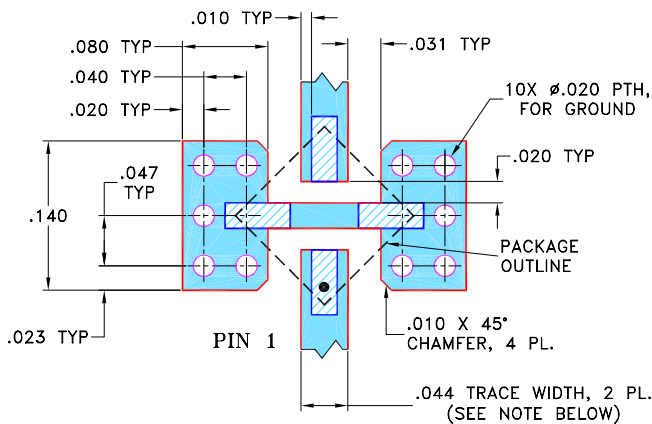
### PAD CONNECTIONS

INPUT	1
OUTPUT	3
GROUND	2,4

### OUTLINE DRAWING



### DEMO BOARD MCL P/N: TB-154 SUGGESTED PCB LAYOUT (PL-126)



### OUTLINE DIMENSIONS (Inch/mm)

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	J	
0.118	0.118	0.035	0.008	0.07	0.024	0.017	0.018	0.021	
3.00	3.00	0.89	0.20	1.78	0.61	0.43	0.46	0.53	
K	L	M	N	P	Q	R	S	T	wt
0.024	0.061	0.186	0.186	0.032	0.064	0.032	0.064	0.05	grams
0.61	1.55	4.72	4.72	0.81	1.63	0.81	1.63	1.27	0.02

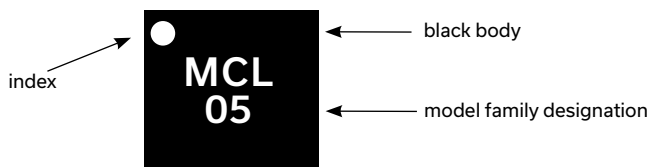
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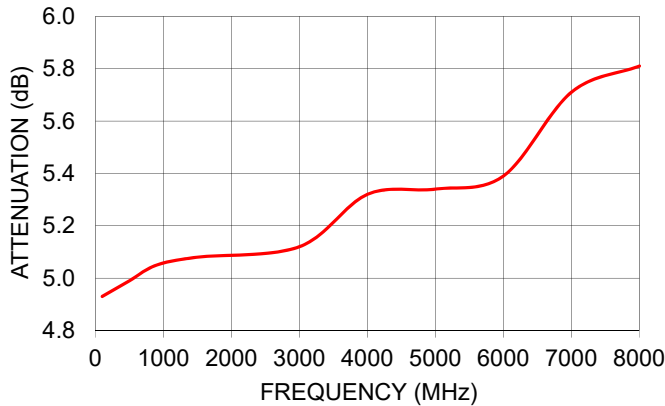
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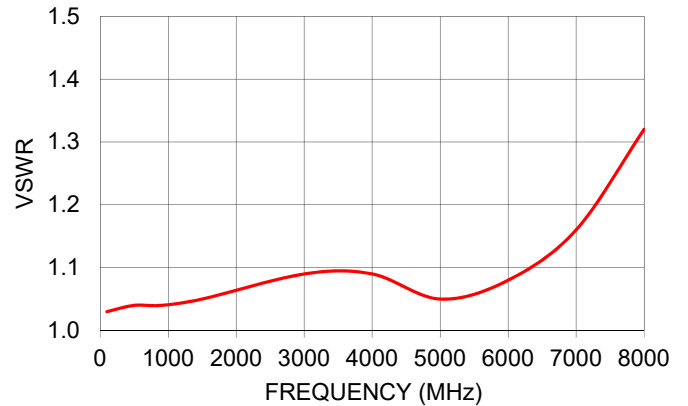
### TYPICAL PERFORMANCE DATA AND CHARTS

Frequency (MHz)	Attenuation (dB)	VSWR (:1)
100.00	4.93	1.03
500.00	4.99	1.04
900.00	5.05	1.04
1500.00	5.08	1.05
3000.00	5.12	1.09
4000.00	5.32	1.09
5000.00	5.34	1.05
6000.00	5.39	1.08
7000.00	5.71	1.16
8000.00	5.81	1.32

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ATTENUATION



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VSWR



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## Typical Performance Data

FREQUENCY (MHz)	ATTENUATION (dB)	RETURN LOSS (dB)
100.00	4.93	36.61
500.00	4.99	34.15
900.00	5.05	34.15
1500.00	5.08	32.26
3000.00	5.12	27.32
4000.00	5.32	27.32
5000.00	5.34	32.26
6000.00	5.39	28.30
7000.00	5.71	22.61
8000.00	5.81	17.21

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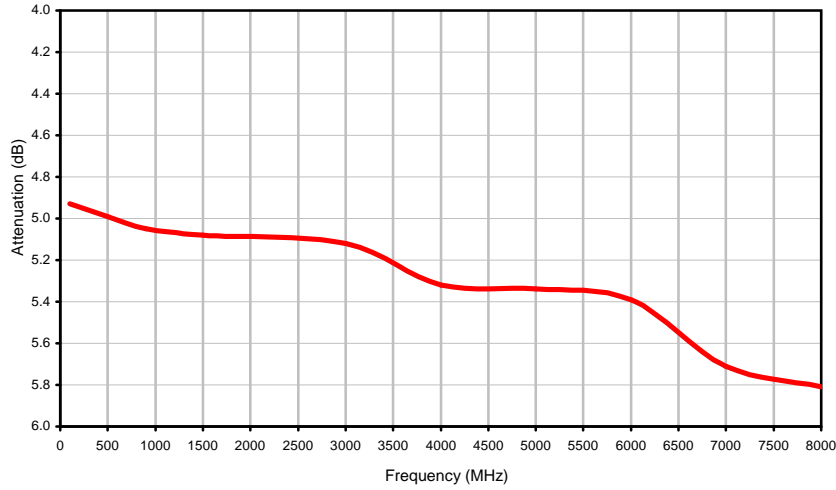


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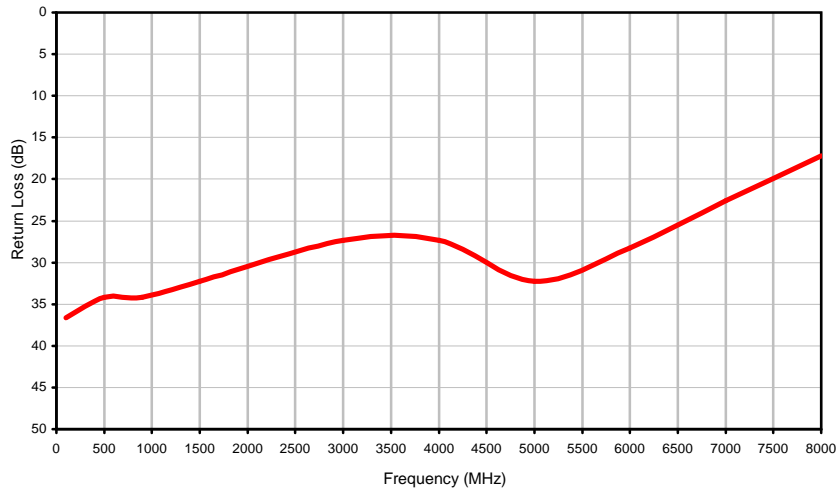


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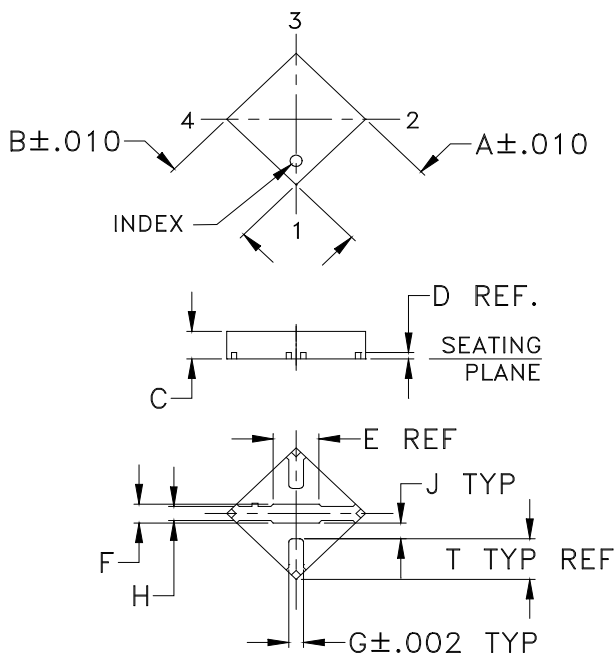
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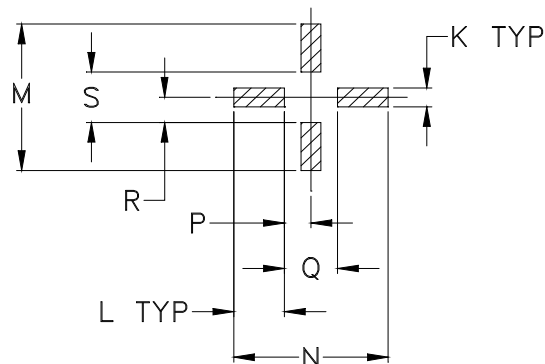
### Return Loss



### Outline Dimensions



### PCB Land Pattern



Suggested Layout,  
Tolerance to be within  $\pm .002$

CASE #	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	J	K	L	M	N	P
FG873	.118 (3.00)	.118 (3.00)	.035 (0.89)	.008 (0.20)	.07 (1.78)	.024 (0.60)	.017 (0.43)	.018 (0.46)	.021 (0.52)	.024 (0.61)	.061 (1.55)	.186 (4.72)	.186 (4.72)	.032 (0.81)

CASE #	Q	R	S	T	WT. GRAM
FG873	.064 (1.63)	.032 (0.81)	.064 (1.63)	.050 (1.27)	.02

Dimensions are in inches (mm). Tolerances: 2 Pl.  $\pm .01$ ; 3Pl.  $\pm .004$

#### Notes:

- Case material: Plastic.
- Termination finish:  
For RoHS Case Styles: Tin-Silver alloy plate over Nickel barrier or Matte-Tin per Data Sheet.  
All models, (+) suffix.  
For RoHS-5 Case Styles: Tin-Lead plate. All models, no (+) suffix.



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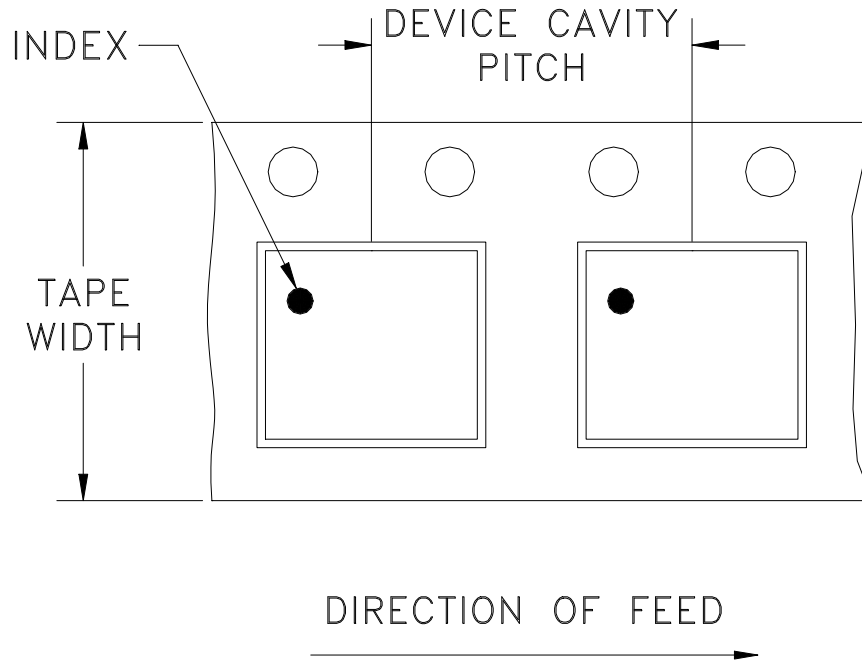


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# Tape & Reel Packaging TR-F68

## DEVICE ORIENTATION IN T&R



Tape Width, mm	Device Cavity Pitch, mm	Reel Size, inches	Devices per Reel see note	
12	8	7	Small quantity standard	20
				50
				100
				200
				500
		7	Standard	1000
		13	Standard	2000
				3000
4000				

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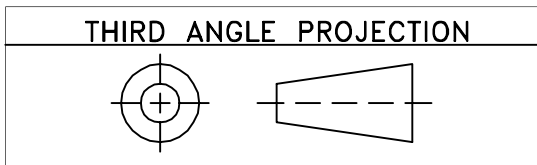


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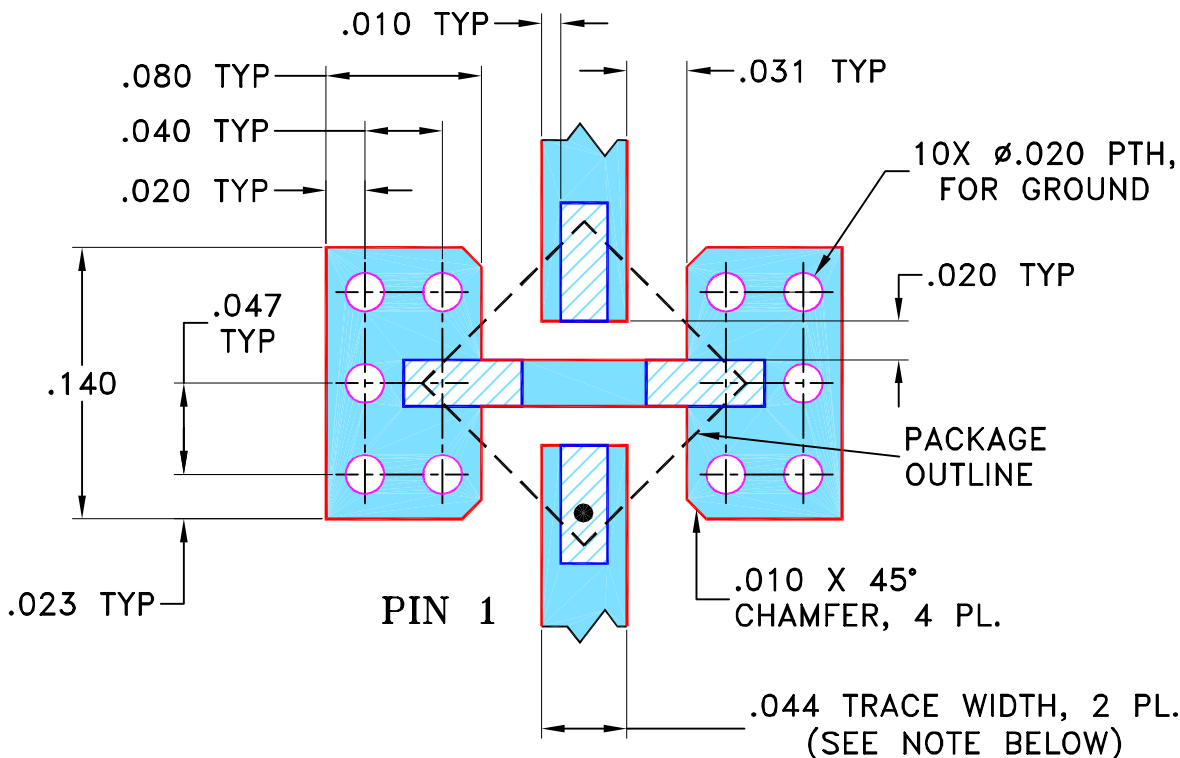
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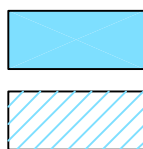
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**SUGGESTED MOUNTING CONFIGURATION  
FOR FG873 CASE STYLE, "hl" PIN CONNECTION**



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	CHECKED	AV 02/10/03
	APPROVED	MM 02/12/03



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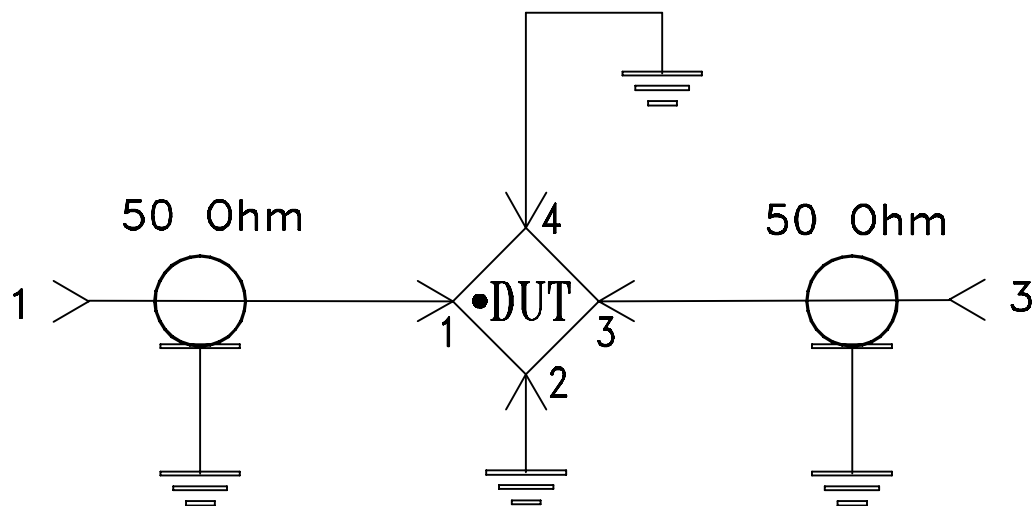
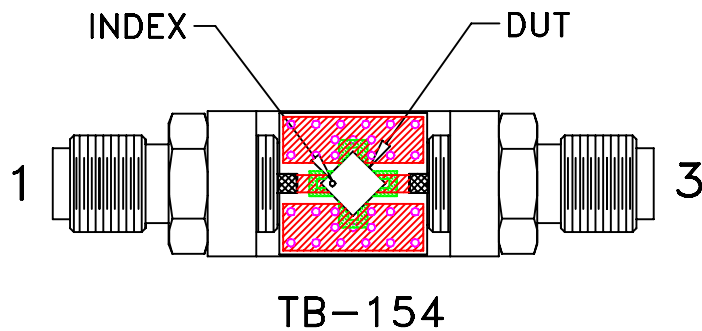
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# Characterization Test Board


For Pins Connections refer to Data Sheet of the DUT



Schematic Diagram

## Notes:

1. SMA Female connectors.
2. PCB Material: Rogers R04350 or equivalent,  
Dielectric Constant=3.5, Thickness=.020 inch.

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Specification	Test/Inspection Condition	Reference/Spec
Operating Temperature	-45° to 85°C or -40° to 85°C Ambient Environment	Individual Model Data Sheet
Storage Temperature	-55° to 100° C Ambient Environment	Individual Model Data Sheet
Thermal Shock	-55° to 100°C, 100 cycles	MIL-STD-202, Method 107, Condition A-3, except +100°C
Mechanical Shock	1.5Kg, 0.5 ms, 5 shock pulses, Y1 direction only	MIL-STD-883, Method 2002, Condition B, except Y1 direction only
Vibration (Variable Frequency)	50g peak	MIL-STD-883, Method 2007, Condition B
Autoclave	15 psig, 100% RH, 121°C, 96 hours	JESD22-A102, Condition C
HAST	130°C, 85% RH, 96 hours	JESD22-A110
Solderability	10X Magnification	J-STD-002, Para 4.2.5, Test S, 95% Coverage
Solder Reflow Heat	Sn-Pb Eutetic Process: 240°C peak Pb-Free Process: 260°C peak	J-STD-020, Table 4-1, 4-2 and 5-2; Figure 5-1
Moisture Sensitivity: Level 1	Bake at 125°C for 24 hours Soak at 85°C/85% RH for 168 hours, Reflow 3 cycles at 260°C peak	J-STD-020
Marking Resistance to Solvents	Isopropyl alcohol + mineral spirits at 25°C; terpene defluxer at 25°C; distilled water + proylene glycol monomethyl ether +	MIL-STD-202, Method 215

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