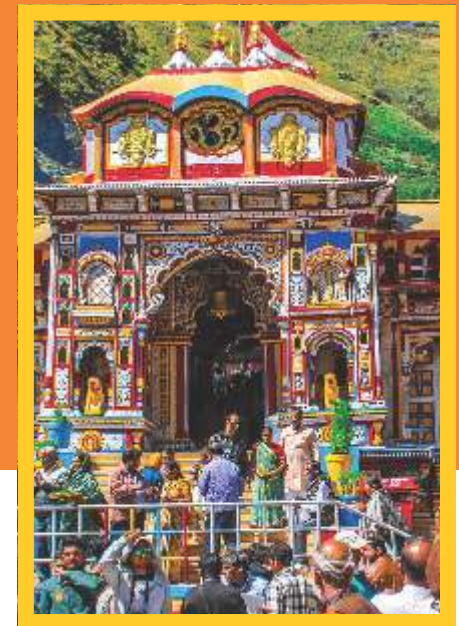
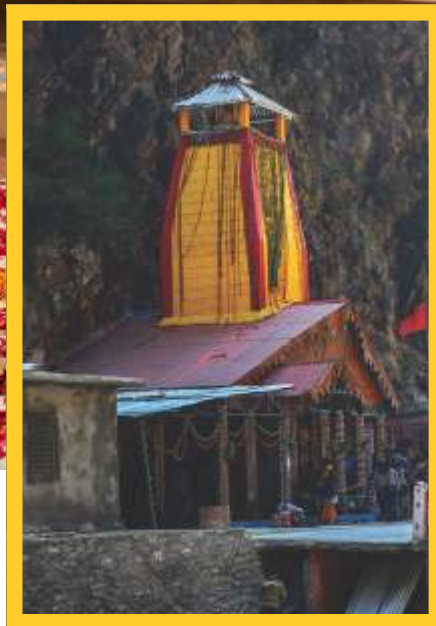


The Spiritual Journey **Chardham Yatra**

| GANGOTRI | YAMUNOTRI | BADRINATH | KEDARNATH





The Realization

India is a holy land and Uttarkhand is said to be the dev bhomi. Chardham Yatra is one of the most sacred Hindu Pilgrimage consisting of four shrines named as Gangotri, Yamunotri, Kedarnath and Badrinath in Uttarakhand. It is believed that the Char Dham Yatra opens the gates of salvation by washing away all the sins of mankind. It is also believed that this journey must be undertaken at least once in a lifetime to achieve "moksh".

Uttarakhand Heritage Tourism, take care of you right from your doorstep to the darshans and back, While on your UHT-Yatra, help is never out of reach. There is always our guru available 24/7 to handle any unforeseen situations.

YAMUNOTRI

The first dham en route the yatra, is situated at Yamunotri where the scared river Yamuna originates. It is named after Goddess Yamuna, the twin sister of Yama (the god of death). Hindu devotees believe that a dip in the holy water of Yamuna can cleanse one's all sins and protects from untimely death. The temple of Yamuna, on the left bank of the Yamuna, was constructed by Maharaja Pratap Shah of Tehri Garhwal.

The deity YAMUNA is made of black marble. The Yamuna, like the Ganges, has been elevated to the status of a divine mother for the Hindus and has been held responsible for nurturing and developing the Indian civilization. There are hot water springs located close to the temple. Surya Kund is the most important kund. Near the Surya Kund there is a shila called Divya Shila, which is worshipped before puja is offered to the deity.

GANGOTRI

According to the popular Hindu religion, it was RISHI bhagirath who praised Ganga with hard austerity to descend from heaven upon the earth, who urged Shiva to bear the threshold of Goddess Ganga and descend the mighty divine river from the locks of his hair. GANGA IS River Goddess and the most sacred of all rivers, descended from Vaikuntha or heaven on Prithvi Lok or Earth. Gangotri is the birth-place of the holy river Ganga-The Moksh-DAYANI goddess and thus Gangotri is one of the sacred Dham. The Gangotri Temple was built by the Nepalese General, Amar Singh Thapa.

The origin of the holy river however is at Gaumukh, the sacred snout of the Gangotri Glacier, which is a 19 km trek from Gangotri. After it originates from Gaumukh, the river is known as Bhagirathi and it acquires the name 'Ganga' after the river Alaknanda merges into it, near the town of Devprayag. It is the second temple that falls on the Chota Char dham route. Other than stunning surroundings, Gangotri offers a divine atmosphere.

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KEDARNATH

The word “Kedar” refers to Lord Shiva in Vedas & Puranas. Kedarnath, as per the holy belief and sacredness, is known to be the land of Lord Shiva, where Lord still resides in the form of Linga. Kedarnath has been a pilgrimage centre since ancient times. The temple's construction is credited to the Pandava brothers mentioned in the Mahabharata. The other worldly Kedarnath Dham is about 500 meters above Badrinath and is believed to be the five uprisal spots of the Lord. It is also the highest located jyotirling. The temple is an old stone edifice located on the shores of Mandakini River. It is believed to have been built by the Pandavas and revived by Adi Sankara in 8th century.

The temple is built with huge stone slabs over a rectangular platform. There are inscriptions in Pali on the steps. There are figures of various deities and scenes from Hindu mythology on the inner walls. A large statue of the Nandi Bull, Shiva's mount, stands as guard at the entrance. The Latest addition to it is considered as the Bhimshila which protected the temple during 2013 flood disaster.





BADRINATH

The final checkpoint in the yatra, is considered one of the most holy places in Hindu religion. According to legend, Adi Shankaracharya discovered a black stone image of Lord Badrinarayan made of Shaligram stone in the Alaknanda River. The 1 meter tall black stone statue of Vishnu inside is considered to be a self manifested Idol originally enshrined in a cave near the Tapt Kund hot springs. In the sixteenth century, the King of Garhwal moved the murti to the present temple.

The Badrinath Temple is Located along the banks of Alaknanda River. It stands beautifully placed between Nar and Narayan mountains and in the backdrop of the mighty Neelkanth mountain, which is popular for its stunning views. Rearing its gold head and fluttering its red flags with Godly presence. surrounded by Tapt Kund, Suraj Kund and Narad Kund –housed naturally occurring hot springs where all devotees take a ritualistic dip before entering its hallowed sanctum.

THE RESONANCE

| EXCLUSIVE STAY | EVENTS & ACTIVITIES | SPIRITUAL REALIZATION

EXCLUSIVE STAYS AMIDST THE DIVINE:

Your stay will be at the selective Hotels, Resort & Camps nestled on the route to Chardham from Haridwar. We have crafted your stays to be much more than just accommodation & meals for you.

The UHT-Yatra is going to be enriched with various folk & cultural events, Evening Arti by local priest Picnic Lunch Visit to Warm Water Springs, Visiting Nearby & En-route temples with spiritual & religious significance. Stopover meals; Vibrant activities Like yoga, meditation & relaxation, Trekking & exploring nature, river rafting, riverside camping, we provide a refreshing way of life.

HIGHLIGHTS UHT-YATRA:

- | Complete group consultation on arrival at Rishikesh.
- | Accommodation in spacious all weather proof, independent, thatched roof, luxury tents (16X12)/ respective hotels
- | Attached baths and toilets with running Hot & Cold water
- | Multi cuisine dining facilities
- | All meals (Starting from Day 01 Lunch till Day 11 Breakfast)
- | Hot water bottles as sun down service
- | Guided visit to shrine
- | Yoga session every morning.
- | Bhajan Sandhya & San-kirtan
- | First aid at camps with oxygen cylinders
- | Escorted walk & visit to nearby places
- | STD/ISD conferencing facilities at camps
- | Well-structured activity blocks for Aarti, Religious discourses etc.
- | All arrangements including: Guide-fee monument fee, and mules fee for transporting equipment and member's luggage etc.
- | KedarNath Yatra by Helicopter is optional & subject to extra payment and availability.

THE SECRETED ROUTE

- DAY 01: HARIDWAR (CHECK-IN)
- DAY 02: HARIDWAR-BARKOT(185 KM)
- DAY 03: BARKOT-YAMUNOTRI-BARKOT(38 KMS/2HRS, 6 KMS/3 HRS TREK)
- DAY 04: BARKOT-UTTARKASHI/HARSIL(110KM-151 KM / 6-7 HRS)
- DAY 05: UTTARKASHI/HARSIL-GANGOTRI-UTTARKASHI/HARSIL(25 KMS / 30 MINS.)
- DAY 06: UTTARKASHI/HARSIL-GUPTKASHI(263 KMS/ 9-10 HRS)
- DAY 07: GUPTKASHI-KEDARNATH-GUPTKASHI(12 KMS DRIVE- 1 HR.)
- DAY 08: GUPTAKASHI-PIPALKOTI BY CHOPTA (121 KMS / 5-6 HRS)
- DAY 09: PIPALKOTI- BADRINATH - PIPALKOTI (65 KMS DRIVE ONE WAY/ 2 HRS)
- DAY 10: PIPALKOTI— RISHIKESH (274 KMS/ 7-8 HRS)
- DAY 11: RISHIKESH (CHECK-OUT)



FIXED DEPARTURE:

With fixed departure, travellers can visit all the places in the itinerary and other nearby destinations of Chardham. As per the schedule of the spiritual activities, tourists take part in the yatra and explore different divine locations. UHT-Yatra takes care of all your needs throughout the journey. You don't have to worry about anything, from accommodation to events & activities, everything will be pre-planned and arranged so you can sit back and enjoy your spiritual journey.

DAY 01 | *The Beginning*

| THE HOLY DIP | CULTURAL DELIGHT | THE HOLY DIP

Haridwar :

Local Travel - Day & Night Stay@haridwar Getting Align The Purification

Your journey to the holy land begins with a meetup and a welcome session with our Chardham guides and your fellow travel partners. The primary station of your spiritual yatra would start Haridwar your pickup points. Your check-in will be followed with Evening Tea at the hotel, you will enjoy outing with your family and popular Maa Ganga Aarti with special prayer arrangements at Har-ki-Pauri, then after a healthy dinner will be served after which you will proceed for a decent night's rest. Your travel journey to the mighty Himalayas would begin in a luxurious coach loaded with lots of spiritual music to feel the essence of divine. Your enriching and insightful journey will make your bond with your family stronger and bring you closer as you proceed your journey.



Holidipganga@haridwar



Evening@gangaghat



@haridwar



Gangaarti@harkipairi

DAY 02 | *Step On Heaven*

| MOUNTAIN VIEW | TREKKING | ARTI @GANGNANI KUND

Haridwar-Barkot:

185 Km /7 Hrs journey | Shared Taxi | Stay@Barkot

The second day of your yatra will begin at 7 AM. After breakfast, we continue on Barkot via Vikas-nagar. Lunch will be served enroute, right beside the mesmerizing Yamuna Bridge for your joy. Barkot is a beautiful place surrounded by amazing snow-topped mountains all around. A stunning view of the delightful snowy peaks of Bandar top can be enjoyed from here. You will be invited into this delightful land with a traditional touch, then you will check-in at UHT-Camps, then after the evening arti at gangnani kund, you will enjoy your overnight stay at UHT-Camps.



Panorama@Bakot



@uhtcamp



Sunrise@barkot



riverside@barkot

DAY 03 | Yamunotri Darshan

| YAMUNOTRI TREK | HOT SPRING | Dham Darshan | EVENING ARTI

BARKOT-YAMUNOTRI-BARKOT :

38 KM/2Hrs Journey | Local Taxi 7Km/1Hr | 6Km/3Hrs TREK | Stay@BARKOT

After an early breakfast, we will continue with our yatra to Jankichatti. We will trek to Yamunotri to visit the heavenly sanctuary of Goddess Yamuna, on the banks of the blessed river. You can take a sacred dunk in the adjoining tank filled with hot springs. the lunch will be served at Jankichatti. Tea with cookies will be enjoyed at The UHT-Camps followed by dinner and evening Aarti. The long tiring day will come to an end with a comfortable overnight stay at UHT-Camps, gangnani kund, Barkot.



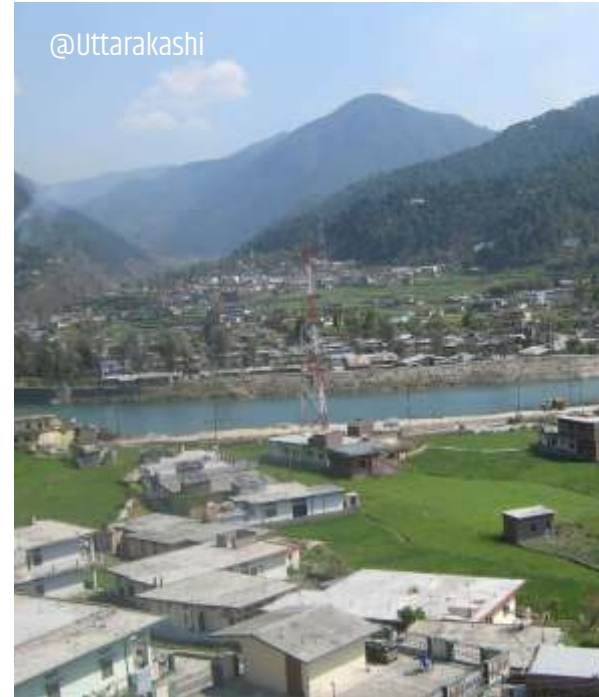
DAY 04 | *The Vibrant Panorama*

| THE HOLY DIP | VILLAGE TOURISM | PILGRIMAGE

BARKOT-UTTARKASHI / HARSIL :

151 KM/6-7Hrs Journey | Shared Taxi | Stay@ Uttarkashi / Harsil

Early breakfast will be served and we will proceed with our journey to Harsil-Uttarkashi via Dharashu Bend. A pit stop will be taken at Gangnani for a heated water spring plunge. After a traditional welcome at The UHT-Camps, Harsil, Tea & Cookies will be served. Mukhwas Village is the most popular location in Harsil where Goddess Gangotri dwells. The 1km trip to this sacred land is secured by the hypnotizing snowy peaks of the Himalayas. A detailed brief on Goddess Gangotri will be done by our expert Gangotri guides on location, followed by Tea & Cookies. Your Dinner and an overnight stay will be at the UHT-Camps Harsil.



DAY 05 | *Gangotri Darshan*

| GANGOTRI TEMPLE | GANGNANI | THE HOLY DIP

UTTARKASHI / HARSIL- GANGOTRI-HARSIL/UTTARKASHI

25 Km One Side 1 Hr journey | Shared Taxi | 6 Km Trek 1-2 Hr stay@HARSIL

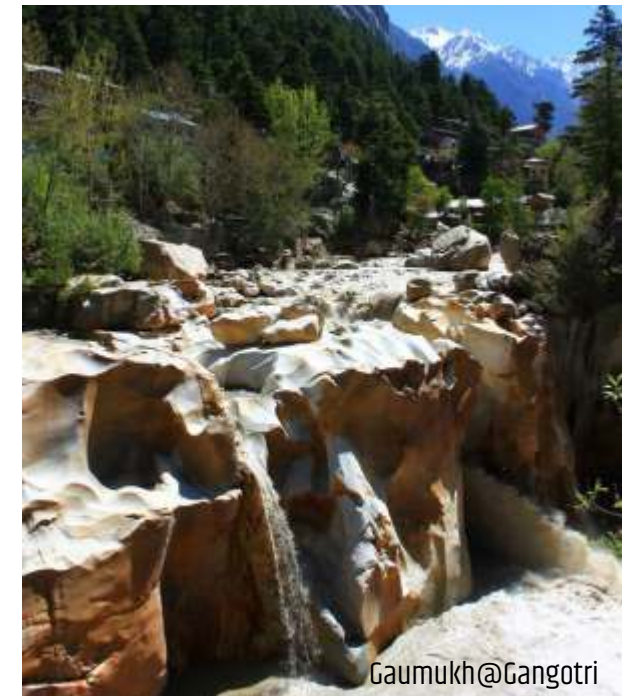
The morning at The UHT-Camps, Harsil will begin with a peaceful morning stroll. After breakfast, we will continue to Gangotri around 22 km far from The UHT-Camps, Harsil. On your arrival at Gangotri, take a plunge in the Holy Ganges and perform your pooja while you unwind in the flawless encompassing. Lunch will be served back in Harsil taken after by Tea & Cookies and supper. Katha Saar will give you company while you appreciate a fine feast.



Gangotri-Dham@Gangotri



HotSpring@Gangnani



Gaumukh@Gangotri

DAY 06 | *In Refuge Of Viswanath*

| PILGRIMAGE TOUR | CAMPING | SPIRITUAL SESSION

HARSIL-GUPTKASHI :

263 KM 9-10 Hrs journey | Shared Taxi | Stay@GUPTAKASHI

After an early breakfast, we will proceed with our yatra to Guptkashi by means of Manery and Uttarkashi. Enroute we will stop at Chourangi Khal sanctuary of Nagnath Ji to offer prayers. A pit stop will be taken for Lunch and refreshments. After reaching Guptkashi will be trailed by a traditional welcome and check-in at The UHT-Camps followed by Tea & Cookies. A session on Baba Kedarnath by our guides will be taken which will be summed by a delectable supper and an overnight stay at The UHT-Camps, Guptakashi.



@8Km GUPTKASHI



@Vishwanath Temple



@Ganga & Yamuna Spring



@Camping



@Chourangi Khal

DAY 07 | Chanting At Kedarn

| DIP@GAURI KUND | KEDAR TREK | KEDARNATH | BAIRAV MANDIR

GUPTKASHI-KEDARNATH-GUPTKASHI

12 Km One Side 1 Hr journey | 15min Chopper Ride | Stay@GUPTAKASHI

The seventh day of your yatra will begin with a hefty breakfast after that we will continue the journey by helicopter (from fata to Kedarnath) or by luxury transport (car | tempo-traveller | bus) from gupta kashi- Gaurikund & on muel from Gaurikund to kedarnath for Darshan and Aarti. The religious day will end with a lavish supper and overnight remain at The UHT-Camps, Guptakashi.



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@Kedareswar Nandi



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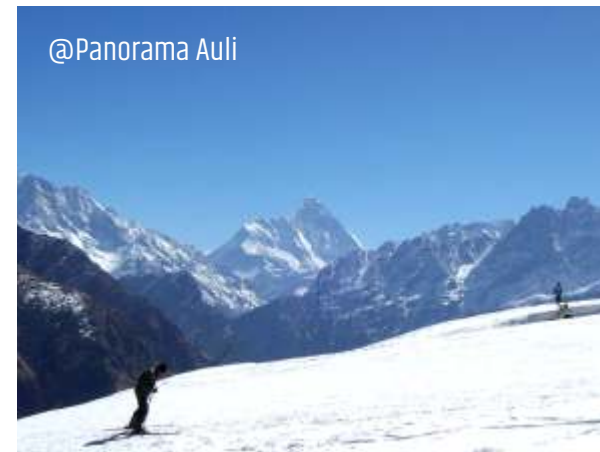
DAY 08 | *Wonders 'in' Splenders*

| HELANG VALLEY | HIMALAYAN VIEW | SPIRITUAL SESSION

GUPTKASHI-PIPALKOTI BY CHOPTA :

121 KMS 5-6 HRS journey| Shared Taxi | Stay@PIPALKOTI

The eighth day of your yatra will take you to Pipalkoti through Ukhimath. The course will cover Helang valley, a standout amongst the loveliest destinations on the journey. A Tea break will be taken at Chopta, where one can appreciate the grand snow-clad Himalayan Ranges. It is the beginning stage of the world-acclaimed Tungnath Mandir and Chandrashila Summit. On your landing in Pipalkoti, you will be treated with a traditional welcome taken after check-in at The UHT-Camps, Pipalkoti. Directly after lunch, a special session on Badrinath ji will be taken by our guides. The long will end with a delectable supper and Katha Saar.



DAY 09 | Divine Badrinath

| BADRINATH | MANA VILLAGE | BHEEMPUL

PIPALKOTI-BADRINATH-PIPALKOTI :

65 Kms Drive One Way 2 Hrs Journey | Shared Taxi | Stay@PIPALKOTI

After breakfast, we will proceed with our yatra to Badrinath. When you reach this heavenly land, have a darshan and visit Mana Village-the last Indian town. The stunning excellence of this modest town offers the best views in the outing. It is believed that the Pandavas had crossed the Mana town on their approach to paradise. We will leave for PIPALKOTI at night where a sumptuous supper will be waiting for you.



@BadrinathDham



@Vasudharafalls



@Bheempul



@VishnuCharanPaduka

DAY 10 | *Serenity Of Triveni*

| Arti@TriveniGhatt | THE HOLY DIP | Meditating With the Waves

PIPALKOTI-RISHIKESH :

274 Kms 7-8 Hrs Journey | Shared Taxi | STAY@RISHIKESH

On the tenth day of your yatra, we will take you to Rishikesh, where the sacred river Ganga starts. The voyage will take you to Devprayag-Alaknanda Rivers to witness the introduction of the River Ganga. A hefty supper will be served while you appreciate a live flute session and overnight remain at the lodging.



@TriveniGhaat



GangaArti@Trevenighaat

DAY 11 | *The Adventurous Tint*

| The Sunrise | THE HOLY DIP | THE ADVENTUROUS TINTS

RISHIKESH-CHECKOUT AND DEPARTURE:

254 Kms 7-8 Hrs journey | Shared Taxi | Stay@RISHIKESH

Our last day in Rishikesh will start with an early morning dip in the holy waters of the Ganges, and we'll witness the beautiful sunrise. After a dip, we plan to explore the local market. In the afternoon, we've planned an adventurous activities in Rishikesh. As the day comes to a close, we'll head back to our hotel to check out and reflect on the incredible experiences we had during our Char Dham Yatra. Overall, our last day in Rishikesh promised to be a perfect blend of spirituality, adventure, and fun.



Ganga@Rishikesh



LakshmanJhula@Rishikesh



Riverrafting@rishikesh



bungeeJumping@rishikesh

DO'S & DON'T

| DOCUMENTS & ID'S | FOOD & DIET | FITNESS & HEALTH CARE | CLOTHING

DOCUMENTS & ID'S:

While UHT-Yatra takes care of your delightful yatra there are some points to be remembered on your journey with us. Carry your documents Carry a valid Id proof for Yatra.

FOOD & DIET:

Drink water at regular intervals to keep yourself hydrated. The meals served during the tour will be purely vegetarian. Avoid consuming oily food & over eating

FITNESS:

Go for morning, evening walks/jogging or Practice meditation and yoga during journey. You should carry the prescribed consultation as well as medicines, though we also provide "Doctor On Call" facility.

CLOTHING:

As the temperature varies greatly between day and night (from max. 20°Celsius to min. -16° Celsius) one should prepare accordingly. Bring the following items with you:

Woolen gloves | Balaclava | Sun hat | Thermal wear | Water bottle | Woolen socks | Towel | Light Jacket | Sunglasses | Sun cream | Torch with extra batteries/bulbs | Muffler | Mask | Raincoat. Sweater | Shirt/T-shirt & Trekking shoes.

MUST NOT DO:

As you are on Holi-Yatra, NON-VEGETARIAN FOOD is strictly NOT allowed, during your Journey. It is Advised no to consume eat too much food on your journey. Don't be casual while Trekking along the mountains and watch your footings, to avoid any sliding & injuries.

UHT THE DIFFERENCE

| QUALITY SERVICE | EXPERTISES | CONCERNED APPROACH | QUICK & HASSLEFREE

QUALITY SERVICES:

Quality and service go hand-in-handwith UHT-Yatra. We go above and beyond to ensure these two basic are met at every step of your yatra, and to achieve these core values, we keep track of client satisfaction and feedback to consistently find new ways to exceed our guest's expectations. During the UHT-Yatra your comfort, your satisfaction & your wellbeing will be our responsibility, and we know how to take care of it.

LOCAL EXPERTISES:

It is very important to us that you have a memorable and pleasant experience on your journey. In line with that expectation we have from our staff, we are selective for local Aid's who are friendly, reputable and having in-depth local knowledge.

PERSONAL TOUCH:

We Believe in "Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam" it means, that we all are a family and we will take care of you as one. From first contact, throughout UHT-Yatra, and until you are safely home again, we are with you. You will know your personal travel gurus both by name & by face, as we make it a practice to greet our guests personally and go through the entire journey.

QUICK & HASSLE-FREE:

Organising your own journey can be a stressful task & doubtful for unexpected things & moments. UHT-Yatra does it all for you, by planning, booking, stay & Meal, logistics support & your itinerary and ensures them to meet all your expectations of A pleasant & rejuvenating experience! All you have to do is to choose us to serve you.



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