

## WINTON BRITISH CHESS SOLVING CHAMPIONSHIP 2017-2018

The final of this competition (part of the World Solving Cup) will take place on Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> February 2018 in the School Hall of Eton College, Eton, close to the corner of Eton High Street and Common Lane SL4 6DJ. Solvers from overseas are cordially invited to take part. The venue is not far from London Heathrow Airport.

Solving starts at 12:30 and finishes at 17:15, with prize-giving at 18:00 or thereabouts. Please see the schedule of rounds on the next page. Please arrive at the venue by 12:20 for any announcements that are necessary.

Maps of Eton and surrounding area follow in the next few pages. For more information about Eton College, please visit their website at [www.etoncollege.com](http://www.etoncollege.com)

Entries to Nigel Dennis at [nigelwdennis@btinternet.com](mailto:nigelwdennis@btinternet.com) please by Monday 12<sup>th</sup> February 2018. Entrants should book their own accommodation, and are advised that hotels in Slough are much cheaper than those in Eton or Windsor. Accommodation details can be found on the Royal Borough of Windsor and Maidenhead website: - <http://www.windsor.gov.uk/accommodation>

### WINTON BRITISH CHESS SOLVING CHAMPIONSHIP, 2017-2018 THE FINAL ETON COLLEGE, Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> February 2018

The schedule will be the same or very similar to last year's schedule, which was as follows: -

## SCHEDULE

Round	Start	Content	Minutes	Points
	12:20	Announcements		
1	12:30	3 Mates in 2 (#2)	20	5 + 5 + 5
2	13:00	2 Mates in 3 (#3)	40	5 + 5
3	13:50	2 Endgames Studies (+/=)	60	5 + 5
4	15:05	2 Helpmates (H#)	25	5 + 5
5	15:40	2 Moremovers (#n)	55	5 + 5
6	16:45	2 Selfmates (S#)	30	5 + 5
	17:15	Buffet		
	18:00	Prizegiving		



## ETON COLLEGE, WINDSOR, BERSHIRE SL4 6DW

### Approach Routes

#### **ROUTE 1 – From the East and London on the M4**

Leave by exit J5 (Slough East/Colnbrook/Eton). Take second exit (B470 Datchet/Eton). Turn right at Datchet village; continue straight over mini-roundabout towards Slough. Turn left at next mini-roundabout towards Eton. You are now on Eton Road leading to Pococks Lane; turn left at mini-roundabout into Eton.

#### **ROUTE 2 – From the North on the M1**

Leave by exit J6A (M25 westbound, Slough/Heathrow Airport). Leave the M25 at exit 15 (M4, Slough and the West). Continue to Eton by route 1.

#### **ROUTE 3 – From Gerrards Cross on the B416**

Enter Slough and continue to roundabout; take second exit, (Eton/Windsor). Continue straight, passing under M4 to the next roundabout; take first exit to Eton.

#### **ROUTE 4 – From Watford, Rickmansworth and Denham on the A412**

From M40 exit J1 take A412 to Slough. Enter Slough turn right (third exit) at junction into Wellington Street for Town Centre. Cross first roundabout. Take first exit from second roundabout to Windsor. Continue straight, passing under M4 to the next roundabout; take first exit to Eton.

#### **ROUTE 5 – From Birmingham and Oxford on the M40**

Leave by exit J4 and take the third exit (A404 Marlow/Maidenhead/M4). Join M4 eastbound to London. Then follow route 6.

#### **ROUTE 6 - From Reading and the West on the M4**

Leave by exit J6 (A332 Windsor/Eton). Take first exit (Slough/Eton). At the next roundabout take the third exit (Chalvey), continue straight through, and turn right immediately under Railway Bridge into Ragstone Road). At next lights turn right passing under the M4. At the roundabout take the first exit to Eton.

#### **ROUTE 7 – From South of the River Thames e.g. Bracknell, Ascot, Camberley, Bagshot, M3, A30, A332.**

All routes converge on Windsor, follow the signs. On entering Windsor follow signs to Slough, Eton and M4. These lead to major roundabouts which in turn all converge at a junction at the south end of the Windsor Relief Road (A332). Take the exit for the A332 to Slough, Eton and M4 and pass over the River Thames. Filter into left hand lane to take slip road signed A332 Slough Town Centre and Eton. Having filtered left continue to roundabout and take second exit, to Eton.

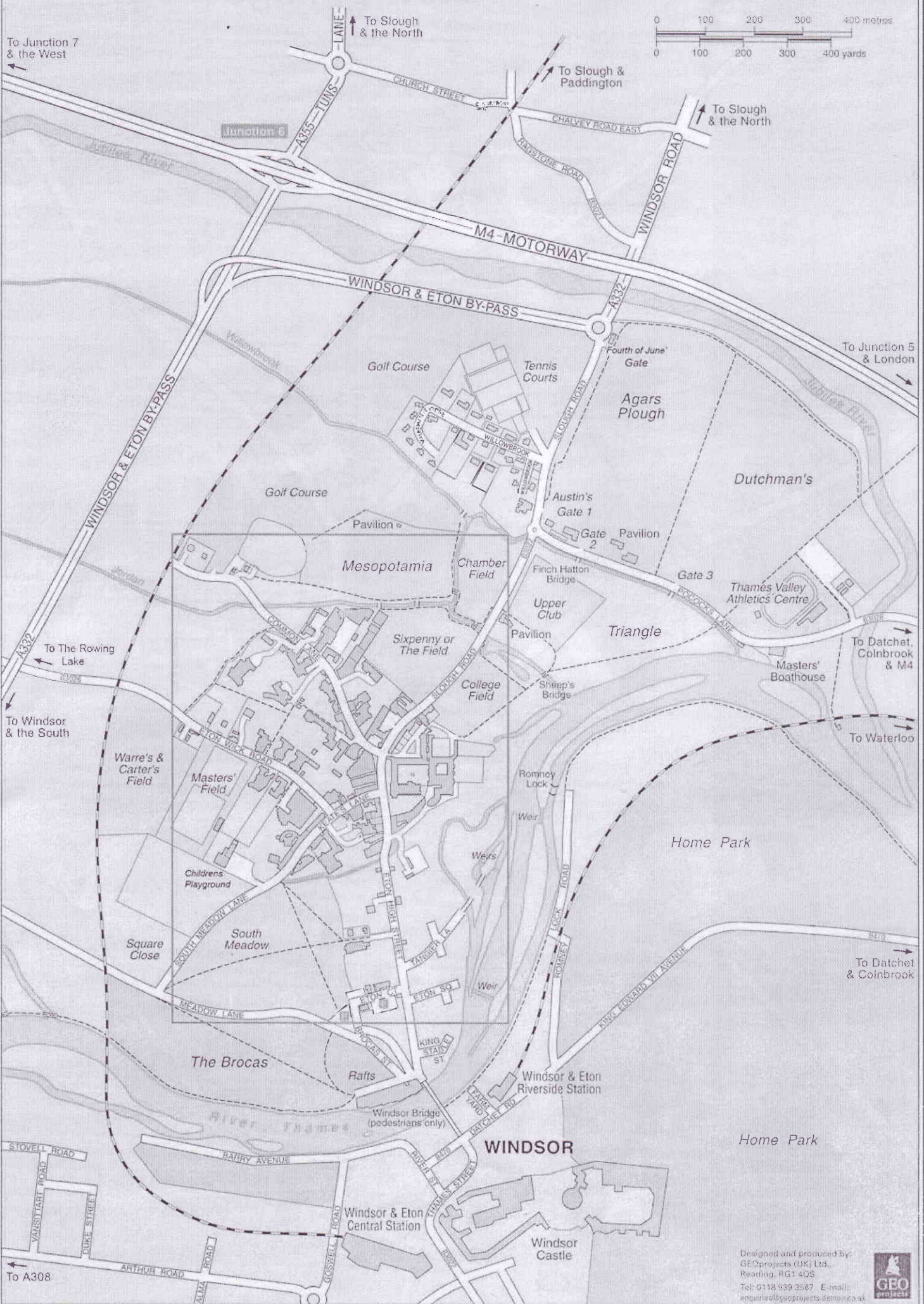
#### **ROUTE 8 – From Staines and Egham**

Follow A308 for Windsor, past Runnymede and through Old Windsor. Continue to large roundabout (there are buildings inside this roundabout) move to right hand lane and take second exit towards Datchet B3021 and Slough B3026. About 1 kilometre after crossing the River Thames you pass very close alongside the water on your left; at this point turn right signed Datchet and Slough, pass over the level-crossing, then turn left towards Slough; continue for approximately 300 metres then turn left at the mini roundabout towards Eton. You are now on Eton Road leading to Pococks Lane; turn left at mini-roundabout into Eton.

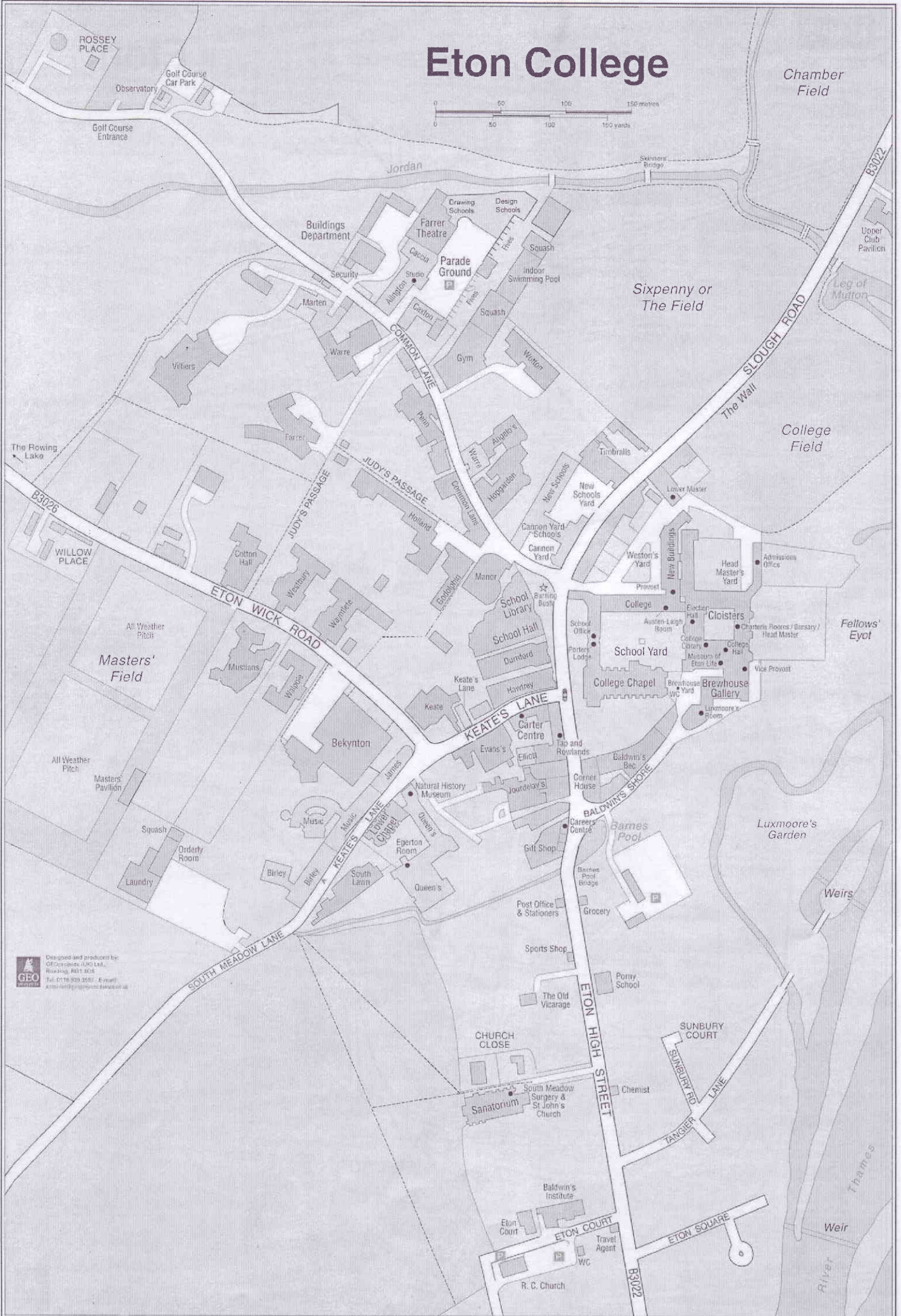
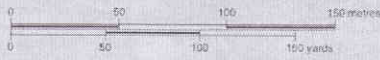
#### **ROUTE 9 – Using the M25, northbound and southbound**

Leave by exit J15 westbound onto the M4 and thereafter follow route 1 above.





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