

TEACHING PLAN DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY JULY 2020 - JUNE 2021

Teaching Plan

Name of the Teacher: Mrs. Joya Saikia Goswami; Designation: Associate Professor; Session: AUG - DEC 2020

Sl. No.	Semester	Subject	Stream	Paper Code	Unit	Teaching Methodology	Work Load	Learning Outcome
		Microbiology and Phycology	HONS	C 1	Unit 4: Algae Unit 5: Cyanophyta, Chlorophyta, Xanthophyta and Charophyta Unit 6: Phaeophyta and Rhodophyta	Lecture Method, Audio- Visual Aids, Practical based classes, Student Seminars, Class tests and Filed Trips		The objective of this course is to provide knowledge to the students on various forms of microbes and algae - their characteristics and economic importance.
1	I	Biomolecules and Cell Biology	HONS	C 2	Unit 1: Biomolecules Unit 2: Bioenergetics Unit 3: Enzymes	Lecture Method, Audio- Visual Aids, Practical based classes, Student Seminars, Class tests and Filed Trips	8 cour Hrs/week stud orga also and	The objective of this course is to expose the students on molecular organisations life and also discusses cellular and molecular processes of life.
		Biodiversity (Microbes, Algae, Fungi, Lichen and Archegoniate)	HONS	GE 1	Unit 5: Introduction to Archegoniate Unit 6: Bryophytes Unit 7: Pteridophytes Unit 8: Gymnosperms	Lecture Method, Audio- Visual Aids, Practical based classes, Student Seminars and Class tests.		The objective of this course is to expose the students to different forms of plant life

2	III	Anatomy of Angiosperms	HONS	C 5	Unit 1: Introduction and scope of Plant Anatomy Unit 2: Structure and Development of Plant Body . Unit 3: Tissues Unit 4: Apical meristems secondary growth in root and stem. Sapwood and heartwood; Ring and diffuse porous wood; Early and late wood, Dendrochronology. Development and composition of periderm, rhytidome and lenticels. Unit 5: Adaptive and Protective Systems anatomical adaptations of xerophytes , hydrophytes and epiphytes.	Lecture Method, Audio- Visual Aids, Practical based classes, Student Seminars, Class tests and Filed Trips	12	The objective of this course is to expose the students on the structural and anatomical organizations of plant tissues and their development
		Economic Botany	HONS	C 6	Unit 1: Origin of Cultivated Plants Concept of Centres of Origin, their importance with reference to Vavilov's work. Indigenous Knowledge System (IKS). Examples of major plant introductions; Crop domestication and loss of genetic diversity; evolution of new crops/varieties, importance of germplasm diversity. Unit 2: Cereals: Wheat and Rice (origin, morphology, processing & uses) Unit 3: Legumes: Origin, morphology and uses of Chick pea, Pigeon pea and fodder	Lecture Method, Audio- Visual Aids, Practical based classes, Student Seminars, Class tests and Filed Trips	Hrs/Week	The objective of this course is to expose the students on various economically important plants and plant products

			legumes. Importance to man and ecosystem. Unit 4: Sources of sugars and starches: Morphology and processing of sugarcane, products and by-products of sugarcane industry. Potato – morphology, propagation & uses. Unit 5: Spices: Listing of important spices, their family and part used. Economic importance with special reference to fennel, saffron, clove, cinnamommum, cardamom and black pepper Unit 6: Beverages: Tea, Coffee (morphology, processing & uses)		
Plant Ecology and Taxonomy	GENERIC	GE 3	Unit 1: Introduction Unit 2: Ecological factors Soil: Origin, formation, composition, soil profile. Water: States of water in the environment, precipitation types. Light and temperature: Variation Optimal and limiting factors; Shelford law of tolerance. Adaptation of hydrophytes and xerophytes Unit 3: Plant communities Characters; Ecotone and edge effect; Succession; Processes and types Unit 4: Ecosystem	Lecture Method, Audio- Visual Aids, Practical based classes, Student Seminars and Class tests.	The objective of this course is to expose the students to interaction of plant life with the surroundings and also to identification, classification and nomenclature of plants

				Unit 5: Phytogeography			
	Basics of Vermicomposting	HONS	SEC 1.1	Unit 1: Introduction to vermiculture Unit 2: The species of earthworms Unit 3: Biology of earthworms	Lecture Method, Audio- Visual Aids, Practical based classes and Filed Trips	3 Hrs/Week	To impart knowledge of the vermicompost and the Economic importance of vermiculture. The students will be able to produce good quality of Vermicompost and Vermiculture. Acquire skills for entrepreneurship

3	V	Development and Reproduction in Angiosperm	MAJOR	501	Development in Angiosperm Unit—1: Organisation of tissues: Types of tissues, Meristematic and permanent, their types, structures, distribution and functions; theories of differentiation of roots and shoots. Unit—2: Stelar Body—origin and development, Root—stem transition, leaf traces and leaf gaps, branch gaps, abcission layer. Unit—3: Secondary structures of roots and stems, intiation of cambium and its activities. 4 class hours Unit—4: Anomalous secondary growth in thickness (Amaranthus, Asparagms, Boerharia and Mirabilis). Unit—5:Anatomico— physiological consideration of dermal, mechanical, conducting and photosynthetic system of tissues; anatomy of C3 and C4 plants.	Lecture Method, Audio- Visual Aids, Practical based classes, Student Seminars and Class tests.	12 Hrs/Week	To provide fundamental knowledge of structural and functional aspects of cell and cell organelles and the tools and techniques used in modern biological study
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MAJOR	Unit –2: Fertilization, development of embryo;	Lecture Method, Audio- Visual Aids, Practical based classes, Student Seminars and Class tests.	
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	Apomixis, polyembryony, Palynology. Unit –3: Development of	Seminars and Class tests.	
	Endosperm – nuclear, cellular, helobial; haustorial structures.		

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Teaching Plan

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Sl. No.	Semester	Subject	Stream	Paper Code	Unit	Teaching Methodology	Work Load	Learning Outcome
		Microbiology and Phycology	HONS	C 1	Unit 1: Introduction to microbial world Unit 2: Bacteria Unit 3: Viruses	Lecture Method, Audio- Visual Aids, Practical based classes, Student Seminars, Class tests and Filed Trips		The objective of this course is to provide knowledge to the students on various forms of microbes and algae - their characteristics and economic importance.
1	I	Biomolecules and Cell Biology	HONS	C 2	Unit4: The cell, Cell wall and plasma membrane Unit 5: Cell organelles Unit 6: Cell division	Lecture Method, Audio- Visual Aids, Practical based classes, Student Seminars, Class tests and Filed Trips	8 Hrs/week	The objective of this course is to expose the students on molecular organisations life and also discusses cellular and molecular processes of life.
		Biodiversity (Microbes, Algae, Fungi, Lichen and Archegoniate)	HONS	GE 1	Unit 1: Microbes Unit 2: Algae Unit 3: Fungi Unit 4: Lichen	Lecture Method, Audio- Visual Aids, Practical based classes, Student Seminars and Class tests.		The objective of this course is to expose the students to different forms of plant life
2	III	Economic Botany	HONS	C 6	Unit 7: Sources of oils and fats, General description, classification, extraction, their uses and health implications groundnut, coconut, linseed, soybean, mustard and coconut (Botanical	Lecture Method, Audio- Visual Aids, Practical based classes, Student Seminars, Class tests and Filed Trips	12 Hrs/Week	The objective of this course is to expose the students on various economically important plants and plant products

name, family & uses).
Essential Oils: General
account, extraction
methods, comparison
with fatty oils & their
uses.
Unit 8: Natural Rubber,
Para-rubber: tapping,
processing and uses.
Unit 9: Drug-yielding
plants, Therapeutic and
habit-forming drugs with
special reference to
Ĉinchona, Rawolfia,
Andrographis, Aloevera
and Phyllanthus
(Morphology, processing,
uses and health hazards).
Unit 10: Timber plants,
General account with
special reference to teak,
sal, pine &sisu.
Unit 11: Fibers
Classification based on
the origin of fibers;
Cotton, Coir and Jute
(morphology, extraction
and uses).
Unit 12: Aromatics and
Petrocrops, General
account with special
reference to Aquilaria,
Cymbopogon, Vetiveria,
Pogostemon, Jatrophaand
Ricinus.

	Genetics	HONS	C 7	Unit 1: Mendelian genetics and its extension Unit 2: Extrachromosomal Inheritance Unit 3: Linkage, crossing over and chromosome mapping Sex Linked, sexlimited and sex-influence traits Unit 4: Variation in chromosome number and structure Unit 5: Fine structure of gene Unit 6: Gene mutations. Unit 7. Population and Evolutionary Genetics	Lecture Method, Audio-Visual Aids, Practical based classes, Student Seminars and Class tests.			
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	Plant Ecology and Taxonomy	GENERIC	GE 3	Unit 6: Introduction to plant taxonomy Unit 7: Identification, Functions of Herbarium, important herbaria and botanical gardens of the world and India; Documentation: Flora, Keys: single access and multi-access Unit 8: Taxonomic evidences from palynology, cytology, phytochemistry and molecular data. Unit 9: Taxonomic hierarchy Unit 10 Botanical nomenclature Unit 11 Classification, Types of classification-artificial, natural and phylogenetic. Bentham and Hooker (upto series), Engler and Prantl (upto series). Unit 12 Biometrics, numerical taxonomy and cladistics, Characters; variations; OTUs, character weighting and coding; cluster analysis; phenograms, cladograms (definitions and differences).	Lecture Method, Audio- Visual Aids, Practical based classes, Student Seminars and Class tests.	3 Hrs/Week	The objective of this course is to expose the students to interaction of plant life with the surroundings and also to identification, classification and nomenclature of plants
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3	V	Genetics & Plant Breeding, Biostatistics	MAJOR	503	Genetics Unit – 1: Mendel's Laws, their critical appreciation, gene interactions and modified monohybrid and dihybrid ratios; concept of alleles, multiple alleles and multiple genes, Linkage, Crossing Over and basic knowledge of Gene Mapping. Unit – 2: Determination of Sex, Sex Linked and Sex Limited Traits, Cytoplasmic Inheritance withreference to Plastid Inheritance and Kappa Particle Inheritance. Unit – 3: Chromosomal (numerical and structural) and Gene Mutation, concept of Biochemical Mutation. Unit – 4: Basic ideas of Gene and its fine structure, Genetic Engineering and Gene Cloning, Concept Trans Gene. Unit – 5: Human Genetics: Karyotype, impatant Syndromes and disorders	Lecture Method, Audio- Visual Aids, Student Seminars, Class tests and Practical based classes	12 Hrs/Week	To introduce the students with the basic knowledge on plant genetics and application of genetic for improvement of crop, application of statistics in biology.
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Plant Breeding
Unit – 1: Methods of
reproduction: Sexual,
Vegetative, apomixes;
Principles and methods of
Plant Breeding:
Introduction, Selection,
Hybridization, Heterosis
Breeding and concept of
Mutation Breeding.
Unit – 2: In vitro Culture:
Requirements, techniques
and application in Crop
Improvement.
Biostatistics
Unit –1: Application of
statistics in Biological
Science, collection and
classification of data for
frequency distribution.
Unit –2: Measurement of
Central Tendency; Mean,
Media, Mode, Standard
Error and Standard
Deviation.
Unit –3: Test of
Significance, Probability
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Teaching Plan

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Sl. No.	Semester	Subject	Stream	Paper Code	Unit	Teaching Methodology	Work Load	Learning Outcome
1	П	Mycology and Phytopathology	HONS	C 3	Unit 1: Introduction to fungi Unit 2: Chytridiomycota, Zygomycota, Characteristic features; Ecology and significance; Thallusorganisation; Reproduction; Life cycle with reference to Synchytrium, Rhizopus. Ecology; Life cycle, Heterokaryosis and parasexuality; Life cycle and classification with reference to Saccharomyces, Aspergillus, Penicillium, Alternaria, Neurospora and Peziza.	Lecture Method, Audio-Visual Aids, Practical based classes, Student Seminars, Class tests and Filed Trips	8 Hrs/Week	The objective of this course is to expose the students on the fungal world, different fungal diseases; their economic importance, etc.
		Archegoniate	HONS	C 4	Unit 5: Gymnosperms General characteristics, classification (up to family), morphology, anatomy and reproduction of <i>Cycas</i> , <i>Pinus</i> , <i>Ginkgo and Gnetum</i> (Developmental details not to be included); Ecological and economic importance. Unit 6: Fossil plants Process of fossilization; Early land plants (<i>Psilophyton and</i>	Lecture Method, Audio-Visual Aids, Practical based classes, Student Seminars, Class tests and Filed Trips		The objective of this course is to expose the students on Bryophyte, Gymnosperms and Fossil Plants

					Rhynia),Cycadeoidea, Sphenophyllum			
		Plant Ecology and Taxonomy	GENERIC	GE 2	Unit 1: Introduction Unit 2: Ecological factors Unit 3: Plant communities	Lecture Method, Audio-Visual Aids, Practical based classes, Student Seminars and Class tests.		The objective of this course is to expose the students to interaction of plant life with the surroundings and also to identification, classification and nomenclature of plants
2	IV	Plant Ecology and Phytogeography	HONS	С9	Unit 1:Introduction, Basic concepts; Levels of organization. Interrelationships between the living world and the environment, the components and dynamism, homeostasis. Unit 2: Soil Unit 3: Biotic interactions: Trophic organization, basic source of energy, autotrophy, heterotrophy; symbiosis, commensalism, parasitism. Unit 4: Population Ecology	Lecture Method, Audio-Visual Aids, Practical based classes, Student Seminars, Class tests and Filed Trips	12 Hrs/Week	The objective of this course is to expose the students to interaction of plant with its surroundings and also the geographic distribution of different plants
		Plant Physiology and Metabolism	GE	GE 4	Unit 1: Plant-water relations Unit 2: Mineral nutrition Unit 3: Translocation in phloem. Unit 4: Photosynthesis of carbon fixation; Photorespiration. Unit 5: Respiration	Lecture Method, Audio-Visual Aids, Practical based classes, Student Seminars and Class tests		To introduce the students with the basic knowledge on major physiological aspects of plants and to expose the students to various metabolic processes involved with plant life.
3	VI	Plant Physiology	MAJOR	601	Unit −1: Plant water	Lecture Method,	12	To introduce the

relationships	Audio-Visual Aids,	Hrs/Week	students with the basic
Unit –2: Ascent of sap	Practical based		knowledge on major
Unit –3: Nitrogen	classes, Student		physiological aspects
Metabolism	Seminars and Class		of plants
Unit –4: Photosynthesis	tests		
Unit –5:Respiration			
Unit – 6: Growth and			
Development			

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		Mycology and Phytopathology	HONS	C 3	Unit 6: Phytopathology	Lecture Method, Audio-Visual Aids, Practical based classes, Student Seminars, Class tests and Filed Trips		The objective of this course is to expose the students on the fungal world, different fungal diseases; their economic importance, etc.
1	П	Archegoniate	HONS	C 4	Unit 1: Introduction, Unifying features of archegoniates; Transition to land habit; Alternation of generations. Unit 2: Bryophytes, General characteristics; Adaptations to land habit; Classification; Range of thallus organization. Unit 3: Type Studies- Bryophytes Unit 6: Fossil plants, Process of fossilization; Early land plants (Psilophyton and Rhynia), Cycadeoidea, Sphenophyllum	Lecture Method, Audio-Visual Aids, Practical based classes, Student Seminars, Class tests and Filed Trips	8 Hrs/week	The objective of this course is to expose the students on Bryophyte, Gymnosperms and Fossil Plants
		Plant Ecology and Taxonomy	GE	GE 2	Unit 6: Introduction to plant taxonomy Unit 7: Identification, Functions of Herbarium, important herbaria and botanical gardens of the world and India; Documentation: Flora, Keys: single access and multi-access Unit 8: Taxonomic evidences from palynology, cytology, phytochemistry and molecular data.	Lecture Method, Audio-Visual Aids, Practical based classes, Student Seminars and Class tests.		The objective of this course is to expose the students to interaction of plant life with the surroundings and also to identification, classification and nomenclature of plants

					Unit 9: Taxonomic hierarchy, Ranks, categories and taxonomic groups Unit 10 Botanical nomenclature Unit 11 Classification, Types of classification-artificial, natural and phylogenetic. Bentham and Hooker (upto series), Engler and Prantl (upto series). Unit 12 Biometrics, numerical taxonomy and cladistics, Characters; variations; OTUs, character weighting and coding; cluster analysis; phenograms, cladograms (definitions and differences).			
		Molecular Biology	HONS	C 8	Unit 1: Nucleic Acids: Carriers of genetic information Unit 2: The structure of DNA and RNA Unit 3: The replication of DNA Unit 4: Central dogma and genetic code	Lecture Method, Audio-Visual Aids, Practical based classes, Student Seminars, Class tests and Filed Trips		To impart knowledge of the principles of heredity and different mechanisms of inheritance
2	IV	Plant Systematics	HONS	C 10	Unit 1: Significance of Plant systematics Unit 2: Taxonomic hierarchy Unit 3: Morphology and Botanical nomenclature Unit 4: Systems of classification Unit 5: Biometrics, numerical taxonomy and cladistics Unit 6: Phylogeny of Angiosperms Unit 7: Major families of Angiosperms	Lecture Method, Audio-Visual Aids, Practical based classes, Student Seminars, Class tests and Filed Trips	12 Hrs/Week	To expose the students to identification, classification and nomenclature of higher plants

		Vermicompost Technology	HONS	SEC 1.2	Unit 1: Small scale Vermicomposting Unit 2: Nutritional composition of vermicompost Unit 3: Identification of Earthworms, Preparation, packaging of vermicompost	Lecture Method, Audio-Visual Aids, Practical based classes and Filed Trips	3 Hrs/Week	To impart knowledge of the vermicompost and the Economic importance of vermiculture. The students will be able to produce good quality of Vermicompost and Vermiculture. Acquire skills for entrepreneurship
3	VI	Molecular Biology and Immunology	MAJOR	603	Molecular Biology Unit 1: Nucleic Acids Unit-2: Replication of DNA Unit-3: Features of genetic code Unit-4: Recombination in Prokaryotes Unit-3: Features of geneticcode Immunology Unit -1: Plant health management Unit -2: Immunity & resistant in mammals, principle of antigens and Antibodies reaction Unit-3: Interaction of plants with bacteria, virus and fungi	Lecture Method, - Audio-Visual Aids, - Student Seminars, - Class tests and Practical - based classes	12 Hrs/Week	To introduce the students with the fundamentals of molecular biology and immunology
		Biophysics and Bioinformatics	MAJOR	604	Biophysics Unit –1: Scope and development of Biophysics Unit –2: Laws of Thermodynamics Unit –3: X-ray Crystallography (XRD), Chromatography, LASER and its biological applications, Flurences and its application, Basic concept of NMR and Ultra Sound Unit –3:Isotopes	Lecture Method, Audio-Visual Aids, Student Seminars, Class tests and Practical based classes		To expose the students to different statistical tools for Biological data analysis

			Bioinformatics Unit-1: Fundamentals of bioinformatics Unit-2: Biological database Unit-3. Database search and sequence alignment Unit-4: Phylogenetic analysis	Lecture Method, Audio-Visual Aids, ICT Tools, Bioinformatics Software, Student Seminars, Class tests and Practical based classes		
Agrotechnology and Sustainable Utilization of Plants	MAJOR	606	Unit – 3: Agrotechnology of Chilli, turmeric, zinger, cardamom, black piper, jute, cotton, ramie, bamboo, teak, sal, sisoo, ajar, nahar and their economic utilization. Unit – 4: Medicinal importance of sarpagandha, ashwagandha, kalmegh, satmul, bos, giloi (<i>Tinospora</i>), bhotjalakia, amlakhi, arjun, silikha and their economic utilization Unit – 6: Domestication of Plants; Germplasm Collection & Conservation, Importance of Germplasm of Wild Species:Gene Library, Gene Bank; Concept of, Biofertilizers, biopesticides and Organic farming; Useful aspect of Lower Group of Plants: Algae, Fungi, Lichen.	Lecture Method, Audio-Visual Aids, Practical based classes, Student Seminars, Class tests and Filed Trips	12 Hrs/Week	To provide students comprehensive knowledge of usefulness of plant resources for human welfare

Teaching Plan

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Sl. No.	Semester	Subject	Stream	Paper Code	Unit	Teaching Methodology	Work Load	Learning Outcome
1	II	Mycology and Phytopathology	HONS	C 3	Unit 2: Basidiomycota, General characteristics; Ecology; Life cycle and Classification with reference to black stem rust on wheat Puccinia (Physiological Specialization), loose and covered smut (symptoms only), Agaricus; Bioluminescence, Fairy Rings and Mushroom Cultivation. Unit 3: Allied Fungi and Oomycota General characteristics; Status of Slime molds, Classification; Occurrence; Types of plasmodia; Types of fruiting bodies.General characteristics; Ecology; Life cycle and classification with reference to Phytophthora, Albugo.	Lecture Method, Audio- Visual Aids, Practical based classes, Student Seminars, Class tests and Filed Trips	3 Hrs/ Week	The objective of this course is to expose the students on the fungal world, different fungal diseases; their economic importance, etc.
		Archegoniate	HONS	C 4	Unit 4: Type Studies- Pteridophytes Classification (up to family), morphology, anatomy and reproduction of <i>Psilotum</i> , <i>Selaginella</i> , <i>Equisetum and Ophioglossium</i> , <i>Marselia</i> . Apogamy and apospory, heterosporyandseed habit, telome theory, stelar evolution; Ecological and economic importance.	Lecture Method, Audio- Visual Aids, Practical based classes, Student Seminars, Class tests and Filed Trips	2 Hrs/Week	The objective of this course is to expose the students on Bryophyte, Gymnosperms and Fossil Plants

		Plant Ecology and Taxonomy	GENERIC	GE 2	Unit 4: Ecosystem Unit 5: Phytogeography	Lecture Method, Audio- Visual Aids, Practical based classes, Student Seminars and Class tests.	2 Hrs/Week	The objective of this course is to expose the students to interaction of plant life with the surroundings and also to identification, classification and nomenclature of plants
		Plant Ecology and Phytogeography	HONS	C 9	Unit 5: Plant Communities Unit 6: Ecosystem: Structure and Function Unit 7: Phytogeography	Lecture Method, Audio- Visual Aids, Practical based classes, Student Seminars, Class tests and Filed Trips		The objective of this course is to expose the students to interaction of plant with its surroundings and also the geographic distribution of different plants
2	IV	Plant Physiology and Metabolism	GENERIC	GE 4	Unit 6: Enzymes Unit 7: Nitrogen metabolism Unit 8: Plant growth regulators Unit 9: Plant response to light and temperature	Lecture Method, Audio- Visual Aids, Practical based classes, Student Seminars and Class tests	6 Hrs/Week	To introduce the students with the basic knowledge on major physiological aspects of plants and to expose the students to various metabolic processes involved with plant life.
3	VI	Agrotechnology and Sustainable Utilization of Plants	MAJOR	606	Unit -1: Origin of cultivated plants, ethnobotany and its importance in Indian context, Knowledge on Indigenous Knowledge System (IKS)	Lecture Method, Audio- Visual Aids, Practical based classes, Student Seminars, Class tests and Filed Trips	4 Hrs/Week	To provide students comprehensive knowledge of usefulness of plant resources for human

Unit – 2: Agrotechnology of rice,	welfare
wheat, mustard, sunflower, sesume,	
groundnut, soyabean, gram, mung,	
pea, tea, coffee, potato, cabbage,	
cauliflower, tomato and their	
economic utilization	
Unit – 5: Aromatic and Petrocrops	
(Cultivation and economic	
utilization) of patchouli, citronella,	
vitivar, sasi, jatropha, era.	

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