

5500 Series


product guide

features

- 2 models ...
 - 5540F: 15.0T (13.6mt) 3-section boom with 41 ft. 0 in. (12.5m) outreach
 - 5560B: 18.0T (16.3mt) 4-section boom with 54 ft. 6 in. (16.6m) outreach
- 15 ft. (4.6m) offsettable swingaway extension
- 20,000 lb. (9 072kg) deck carrying capacity
- 101 bhp (75.3 kW) GM EFI dual fuel engine or 99 bhp (73.8 kW) Cummins, Tier III, diesel engine



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features

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- Single position oblique style outriggers (5540F).
- 2-position beam / jack style outriggers (5560B).



- Standard:** Open air cab shell w/overhead safety glass
- Optional:** Closed cab with hinged door, heater, and defroster



- Standard:**
 - Cummins QSB 3.3L, Tier III, diesel rated @ 99 bhp (73.8Kw) @ 2600 r.p.m.

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- Standard:** 41 ft. (12.5m) main boom on the 5540F
54 ft. 6 in. (16.6m) main boom on the 5560B
- Optional:** 5540F: Manual 4th main boom section adds 11 ft. (3.4m) additional main boom length



- Standard:** 2-wheel, 4-wheel and crab steer (5540F)
- Optional:** 2-wheel, -4-wheel, and crab steer with electronic self-alignment (**std. on 5560B**)

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Superstructure

Boom

5540F: 18 ft. 6 in. – 41 ft. 0 in. (5.6m – 12.5m) three-section full power boom.

Maximum tip height: 46 ft. 3 in. (14.1m)

5560B: 18 ft. 6 in. – 54 ft. 6 in. (5.6m – 16.6m) four-section full power boom.

Maximum tip height: 62 ft. 6 in. (19.0m)

*Optional Boom

5540F: Manual 4th main boom fly section

Maximum tip height: 56 ft. 3 in. (17.0m)

*Boom Extension

15 ft. (4.6m) offsettable swingaway extension

Boom Nose

5540F: 2 sheave non-pivoting boom nose

5560B: Two sheave, -3-position (0°, +40°, +80°) pivoting boom nose for minimizing head space requirements. Lowers head height 15.9 in. (0.4m) when nose is pivoted fully forward.

Boom Elevation

5540F: Single double acting hydraulic cylinder with integral holding valve.

5560B: Two double acting hydraulic cylinders with integral holding valve.

Elevation: 0° to 69° for the 5540F

0° to 80° for the 5560B

Anti-Two Block Device

Standard anti-two block device, when activated, provides an audible warning to the crane operator and disengages all crane functions whose movement can cause two-blocking.

Load Indicator (wireless LSI)

A simple effective and easy to use load indicating system used in conjunction with the anti-two block system to assist the operator in efficient operation of the unit within the limits of the load chart. The display panel displays the hook load and warns the operator when a preset load capacity is exceeded. The warning is by a flashing light on the display panel. In conjunction with the load display panel (receiver), there is a wireless transmitter and load sensing pin attached to the boom head that transmits the hook load to the display panel.

*Rated Capacity Limiter (wireless RCL)

Similar to the Load Indicator, but stops the telescope out and boom lift down function when a load limit is exceeded. Uses a similar display panel with the addition of displaying boom angle and boom length read outs on the panel.

*Load Moment Indicator (hardwired LMI)

Digital display of boom angle, boom length, boom radius, capacity, and allows for operator input to set the limits based on load chart. Displays color coded light bar and audible alarm with function cutout if load exceeds entered parameters.

Swing

Ball bearing swing circle with 360° continuous rotation.

Hydraulic driven worm gear and pinion.

Maximum speed: 5540F: 2.1 rpm

5560B: 2.5 rpm

Hydraulic System

4 section gear pump providing a system pressure of 3500 psi (241.3 bars)

Combined flow: 88.0 gpm (333.1 Lpm)

5540F: Six section valve bank mounted in dash with direct mechanical linkage for low effort lever control.

5560B: Six section valve bank chassis mounted; operated via dash mounted, pilot pressure hydraulic joysticks.

Return line filter with full flow by-pass protection and service indicator.

40 gallon (151.4 L) hydraulic reservoir with sight level gauge and steel side plating to guard against side impact damage.

Hoist Specifications

Piston motor drive with spring applied / hyd. released brake. Equal speed power up and down.

Drum Diameter: 9.75 in. (0.25m)

Maximum hoist single line pull: 12,000 lb. (5 443kg)

Maximum hoist single line speed:

5540F: 126 FPM (38.4m / min)

5560B: 158 FPM (48.2m / min)

Maximum Permissible Single Line Pull:

5540F: 7,500 lb (3 402kg)

(1/2" [12.7mm] EEIPS)

5560B: 9,000 lb (4 082kg)

(1/2" [12.7mm] Python Ultra)

Rope Length:

5540F:

(3-section boom)

240 ft. (73.0m)

(4-section boom)

290 ft. (88.4m)

5560B:

310 ft. (94.5m)

*Denotes optional equipment

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Carrier

Frame

High strength alloy steel constructed with integral outrigger housings; front and rear tie-down lugs. 75 ft.² carrydeck size with 20,000 lb (9 072kg) carrying capacity. Deck coated with anti-skid treatment.

Outriggers

5540F: Front and rear oblique type beams at all four corners with integral holding valves. Outrigger pads form an integral part of the beam. Outrigger pad size 8.75" x 10" (222 mm x 254 mm).

5560B: 2-stage hydraulic telescoping beam with oblique type jack on all four corners, provides extended and down and retracted and down lifting capacities. Integral holding valves on both beam and jack. Outrigger pad size 8.75" x 10" (222 mm x 254 mm).

Outrigger Controls

5540F: Lever controls located on dash panel and operate the beams in pairs from side to side. Level bubble located inside operators compartment.

5560B: Two switch operation mounted on dash panel. One 3-position rocker switch to select all beams / jacks, left beams / jacks only, or right beams / jacks only. Separate 4-way toggle switch to activate beams out / in and jacks down / up. Level bubble indicator located inside operators compartment.

*Independent outrigger controls available as an option.

Std. Engine

Cummins QSB 3.3L turbo-charged diesel rated @ 99 bhp (73.8kW) @ 2600 rpm.

*Optional Engine

G.M. 4.3L V-6 EFI dual fuel (gasoline / L.P.) rated @ 101 bhp (75.3kW) @ 2500 rpm.

Operators Control Station

Frame mounted, open air style control station with cab shell includes all crane functions, driving controls, and overhead safety glass. Other standard equipment include a durable weather resistant seat with seat belt, hourmeter, sight level bubble, and fire extinguisher. The dash panel includes engine oil pressure gauge, engine water temperature gauge, fuel gauge, transmission low oil and high temperature warning lights, low battery warning light, and brake system low pressure warning light. The LSI (load indicator) receiver is mounted to the top of the dash.

*Operators Control Station Enclosed

Includes the standard cab shell with the addition of front, right, and rear glass. Hinged full door with sliding glass.

Front windshield wiper, heater and defroster are included.

Fuel Tank Capacity

40 gallon (151.4 L) all steel construction with steel side plate to guard against side impact.

Electrical System

One 12V maintenance free battery, 820CCA @ 0°. 63 amp alternator.

Drive

4 x 2 – Front axle drive with planetary hubs and limited slip differential.

Steer

5540F: 2-wheel, 4-wheel, and crab steer

5560B: 2-wheel, -4-wheel, and crab steer w/electric self alignment.

Transmission

5540F: I.T.L. synchromesh 4-speeds forward and reverse.

5560B: I.T.L. powershift 4-speeds forward and reverse. Stalk mounted shifter on left side of steering column.

Tires

385/65R 22.5 radial traction tread pneumatic.

Brakes

Hydraulic actuated internal wet-disc service brakes acting on all four wheels. A dash mounted toggle switch activates the dry disc parking brake on the transmission output yoke with a dash warning light.

Suspension

Front & Rear: Rigid mounted to frame.

Option: Provides 1.5° oscillation for use on semi-rough terrain. Axle lock-out must be engaged (locked) whenever picking on rubber or traveling in the crab steer mode. A warning light indicates when the axle lock-outs are engaged.

*Optional 4° oscillation.

Lights

Recessed mounted, includes head, tail, rear work, stop, and turn signals.

Maximum Speed

5540F: 14.5 mph (23.3km/h)

5560B: 21.0 mph (33.8km/h)

Gradeability**

5540F: 73%....no load

41%....20,000lb (9 072kg) load

5560B: 68%....no load

40%....20,000lb (9 072kg) load

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5540F: 26,300 lb (11 930kg) 3-section boom

26,750 lb (12 134kg) 4-section boom

5560B: 30,000 lb (13 608kg)

Miscellaneous Standard Equipment

Two sheave, "Quick Reeve" style hookblock;

5540F: 15.0T (13.6mt); 5560B: 18.0T (16.3mt).

Back-up alarm

Lifting and tie down lugs

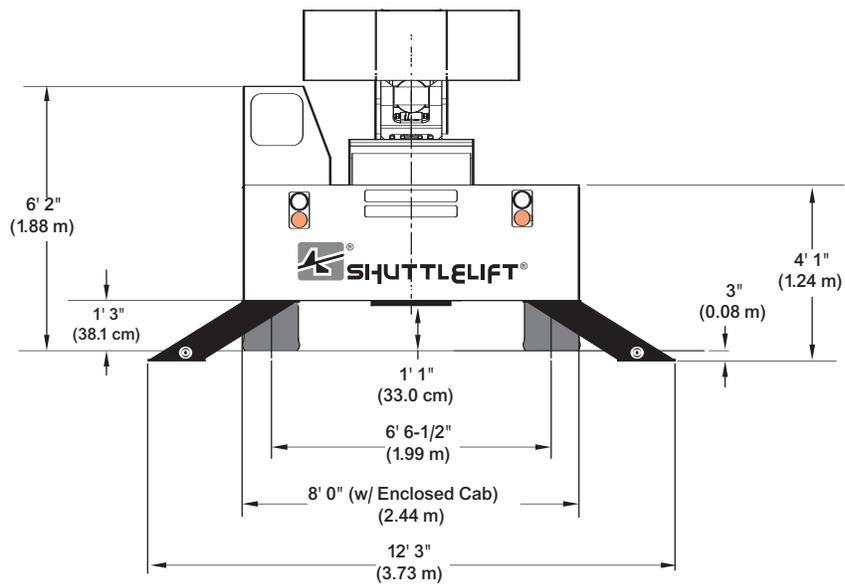
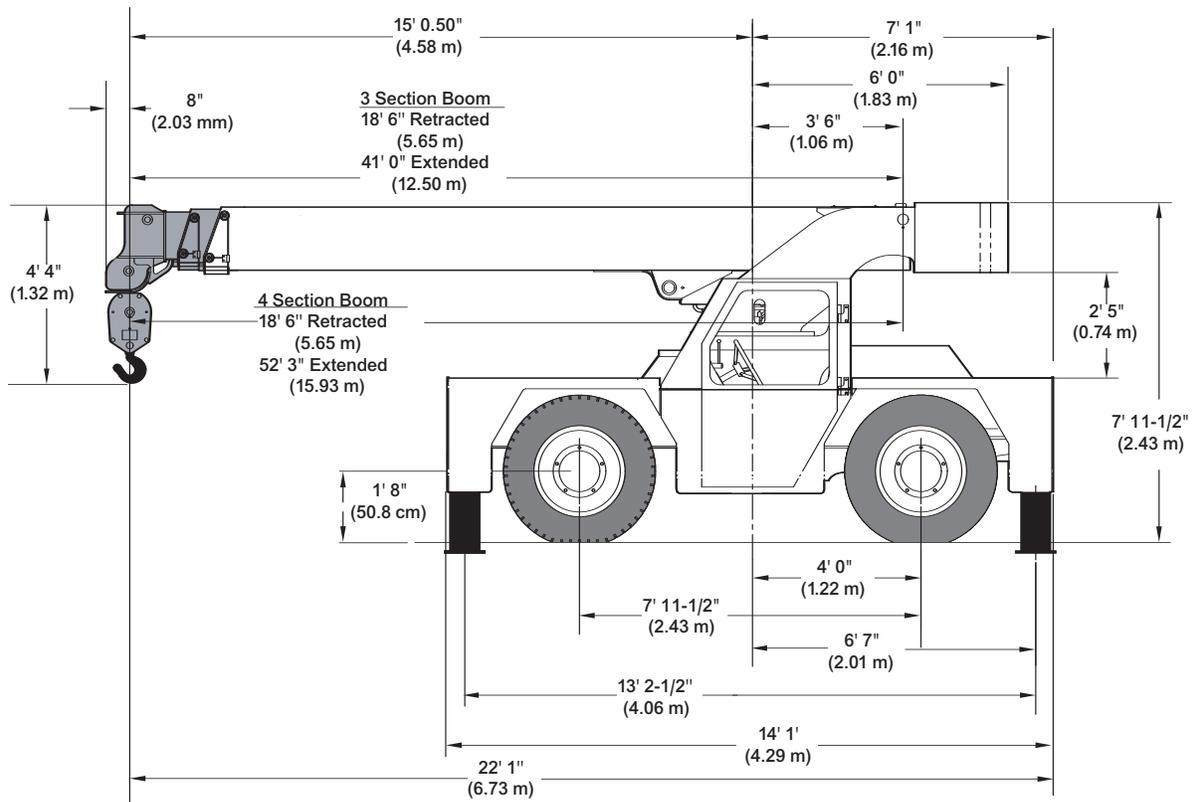
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**Theoretical

dimensions

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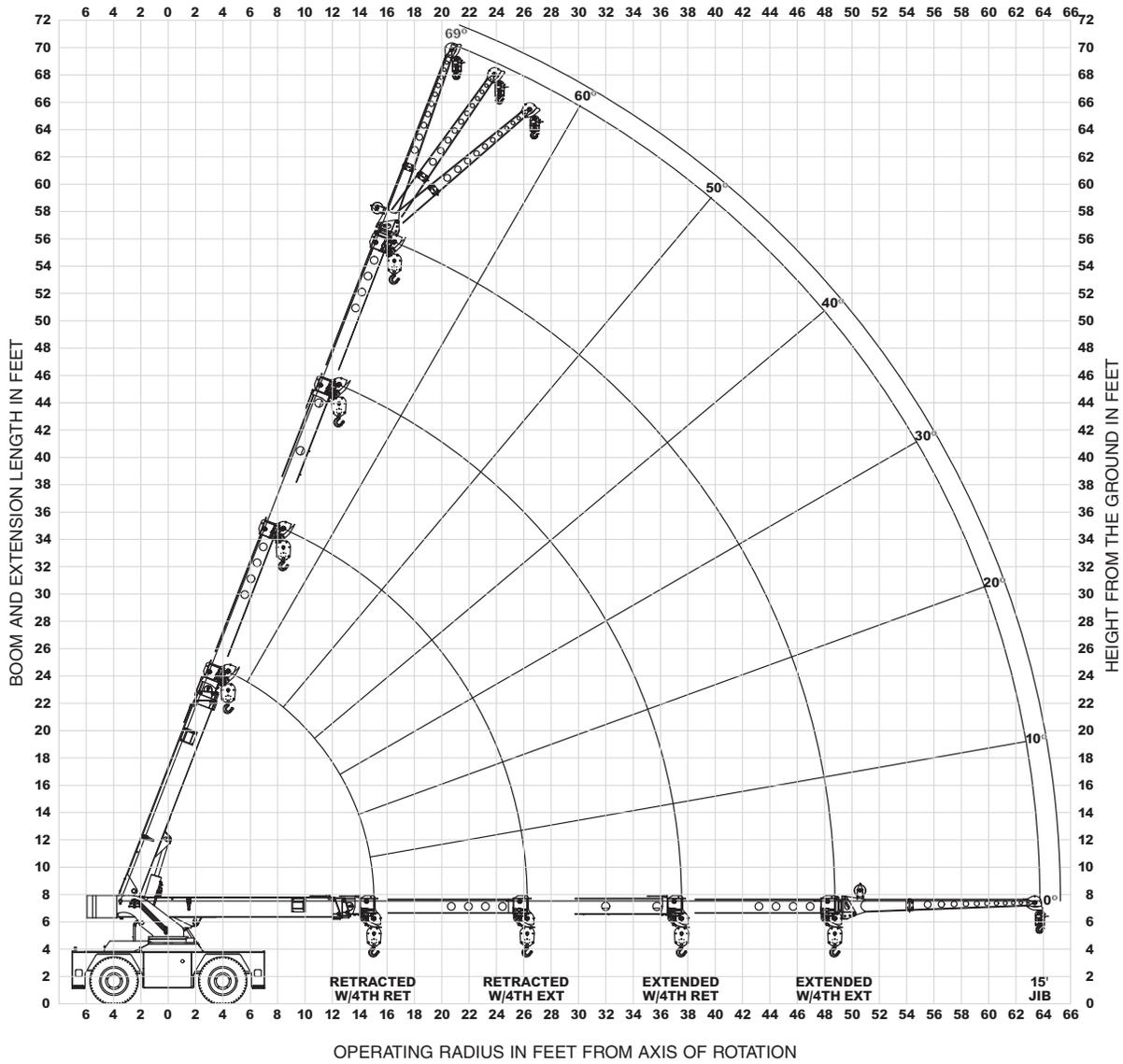


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range diagram

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4-SECTION BOOM



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load chart

5540F w/3-section boom

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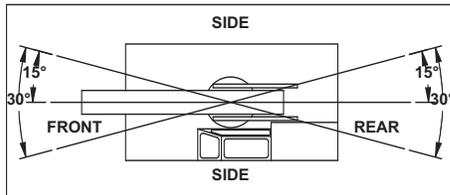
	RADIUS (ft)	ON OUTRIGGERS (lbs)		ON RUBBER (lbs)	
		F/R	360°	F/R	360°
MAIN BOOM	6.0	30000	30000	17000	17000
	8.0	26200	26200	13500	14600
	10.0	22300	22300	10700	10880
	12.0	18600	18600	8710	8100
	14.0	14800	14800	7210	6000
	15.0	13000	13000	6600	5250
	16.0	12200	12200	6060	4760
	18.0	10800	10800	5120	3900
	20.0	9630	9180	4370	3190
	22.0	8640	7480	3710	2660
	24.0	7790	6210	3070	2200
	26.0	7040	5310	2620	1820
	28.0	6420	4740	2260	1530
	30.0	5700	4290	1990	1320
	32.0	5060	3920	1790	1160
	34.0	4510	3580	1610	1040
	36.0	4020	3260	1460	930
	37.5	3700	3060	1370	860
	JIB	40.0	3480	2860	1270
42.0		3310	2700	1190	740
44.0		3130	2560	1120	690
46.0		2960	2410	1040	640
48.8		2710	2210	930	570
52.5		2390	1940	790	480

MAIN BOOM ANGLE (deg)	JIB STRUCTURAL CAPACITIES (lbs)		
	0°	15°	30°
69	6000	3900	2800
65	5000	3500	2550
60	4300	3150	2350
55	3800	2850	2200
50	3400	2600	2100
45	3050	2400	2000
40	2800	2250	1950
35	2600	2150	1900
30	2400	2080	1850
25	2300	2050	-
20	2200	2000	-
15	2100	1950	-
10	2050	-	-
5	2020	-	-
0	2000	-	-

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REDUCTION CHART		
	FROM MAIN BOOM RATINGS	FROM JIB RATINGS
MAIN BLOCK	210 lbs	N/A
HOOK & BALL	100 lbs	100 lbs
JIB, STOWED	0 lbs	N/A
JIB, DEPLOYED	700 lbs	0 lbs

RIGGING CHART	
1-PART 0-7500 lbs	4-PART 0-30000 lbs
WIRE ROPE: 1/2 inch diameter Min. breaking strength 26250 lbs.	

- The rated loads are the maximum lifting capacities as determined by operating radius only. Any combination of boom lengths and angles may be used to obtain operating radius. The operating radius is the horizontal distance from a projection of the axis of rotation to the supporting surface, before loading, to the center of vertical hoist line or tackle with load applied.
- The rated loads shown on outriggers do not exceed 85% of actual tipping. The rated loads shown on rubber do not exceed 75% of actual tipping. These ratings are based on freely suspended loads with the crane leveled, standing on a firm, uniform supporting surface. Practical working loads depend on supporting surface, operating radius and other factors affecting stability. Hazardous surroundings, climatic conditions, experience of operator and proper training must be taken into account by the operator.
- The weights of all load handling devices, such as hooks, hook blocks, slings, etc., except the hoist rope, shall be considered as part of the load. See reduction chart.
- Ratings on outriggers are with outriggers fully extended.
- Ratings on rubber depend on tire capacity, condition of tires and proper inflation pressure (120 psi). Loads on rubber may be transported at a maximum speed of 2.5 mph on a smooth, hard, level surface with the boom retracted to the shortest length possible and centered over the front.
- For operating radius not shown, use load rating of next larger radius.
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5540F w/ 4-section boom

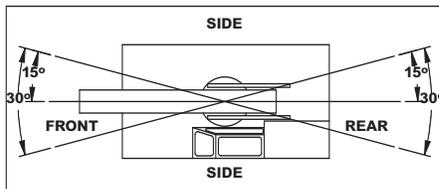
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	ON OUTRIGGERS (lbs)		ON RUBBER (lbs)			ON OUTRIGGERS (lbs)		ON RUBBER (lbs)	
	F/R	360°	F/R	360°		F/R	360°	F/R	360°
6.0	30000	30000	17000	17000	6.0	-	-	-	-
8.0	26200	26200	13500	14600	8.0	11000	11000	11000	11000
10.0	22300	22300	10700	11000	10.0	10700	10700	10700	10700
12.0	18600	18600	8710	7650	12.0	9250	9250	9250	9250
14.0	14800	14800	7210	5480	14.0	8290	8390	7760	7500
15.0	13000	13000	6600	4890	15.0	8200	8200	7150	6080
16.0	12200	12200	6060	4500	16.0	8110	8110	6610	5510
18.0	10800	10600	4950	3750	18.0	7950	7950	5680	4500
20.0	9630	8630	3980	3080	20.0	7820	7820	4730	3560
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44.0	2590	2250	890	500	44.0	2890	2300	870	540
46.0	2430	2090	800	450	46.0	2630	2130	790	470
48.8	2240	1850	680	380	48.8	2320	1930	710	370
52.5	2030	1480	500	290	52.5	2070	1710	590	280
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40	2800	2250	1950	2800	2250	1950
35	2600	2150	1900	2600	2150	1900
30	2400	2080	1850	2400	2080	1850
25	2300	2050	-	2300	2050	-
20	2200	2000	-	2200	2000	-
15	2100	1950	-	2100	1950	-
10	2050	-	-	2050	-	-
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