

MCLEOD SCHOOL OF MOTORING

MARKINGS & SIGNS AT
JUNCTIONS

MARKINGS

The more the paint the more the hazard.
Road markings highlight;

— 01 —

Approach to junctions

— 02 —

Where to stop at junctions

— 03 —

Severity of junctions

SIGNS

Signs for junctions are so important they are totally different from all other road signs.
Signs at road junctions give you;

— 01 —

Advanced warning of junctions

— 02 —

Position and distance of junctions

— 03 —

Severity of junctions

SEVERITY

The more severe the junction the more care is required.
The higher degree of difficulty at junctions could be due to;

— 01 —

Close proximity of busy or fast traffic movement

— 02 —

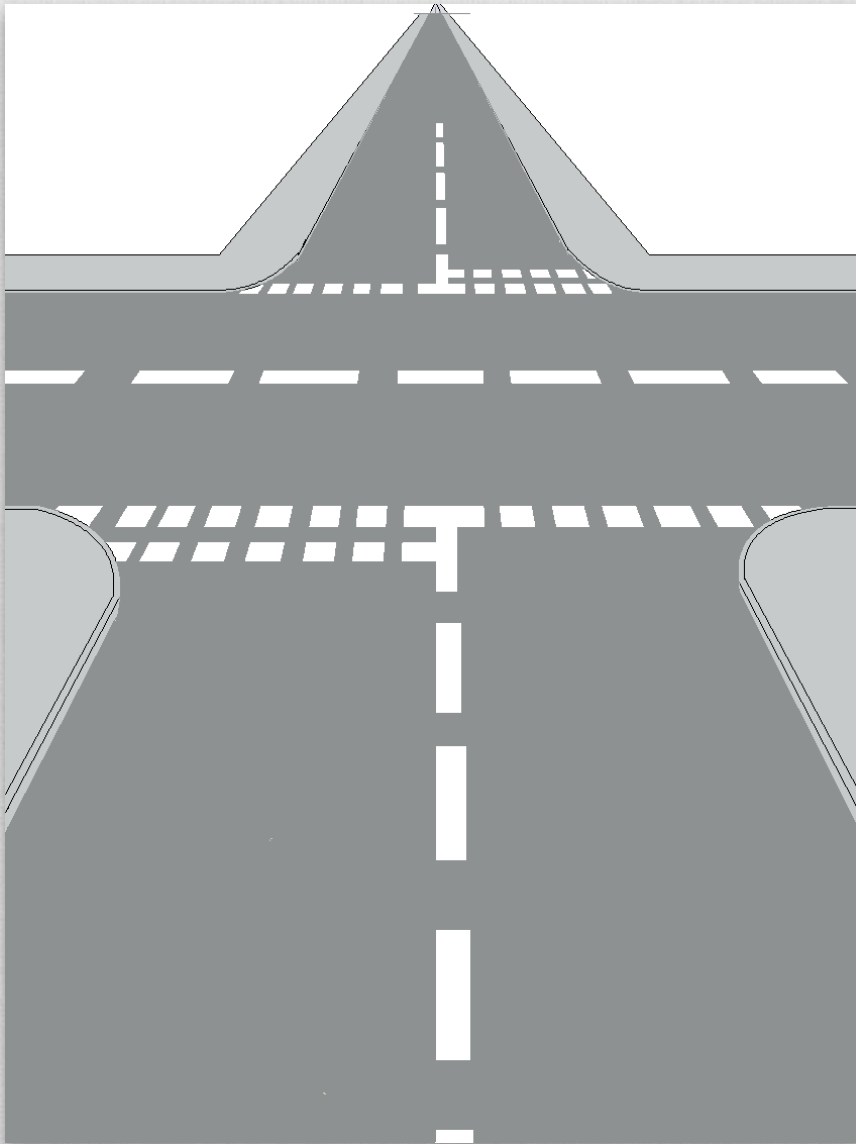
Close proximity of complicated road junctions

— 03 —

Close proximity of hills or bends

- 01 Approaching a give way junction
- 02 Give way junction
- 03 Give way junction opposite a give way junction
- 04 Give way junction after a bend
- 05 Approaching a stop junction
- 06 Stop junction opposite a give way junction
- 07 Stop junction opposite a stop junction

01 APPROACHING A GIVE WAY JUNCTION



MARKINGS

Five hazard lines mark the approach to a give way junction
 Double broken lines are give way lines and mark the position to stop the front of your vehicle.

Give way lines are painted in line with the kerbs

If there are no double broken lines marking the junction the front of your vehicle should not overhang onto the major road until proper observations are made.

SIGNS

No signs on either side of the junction means an unrestricted view onto the major road should be available from both sides.

SEVERITY

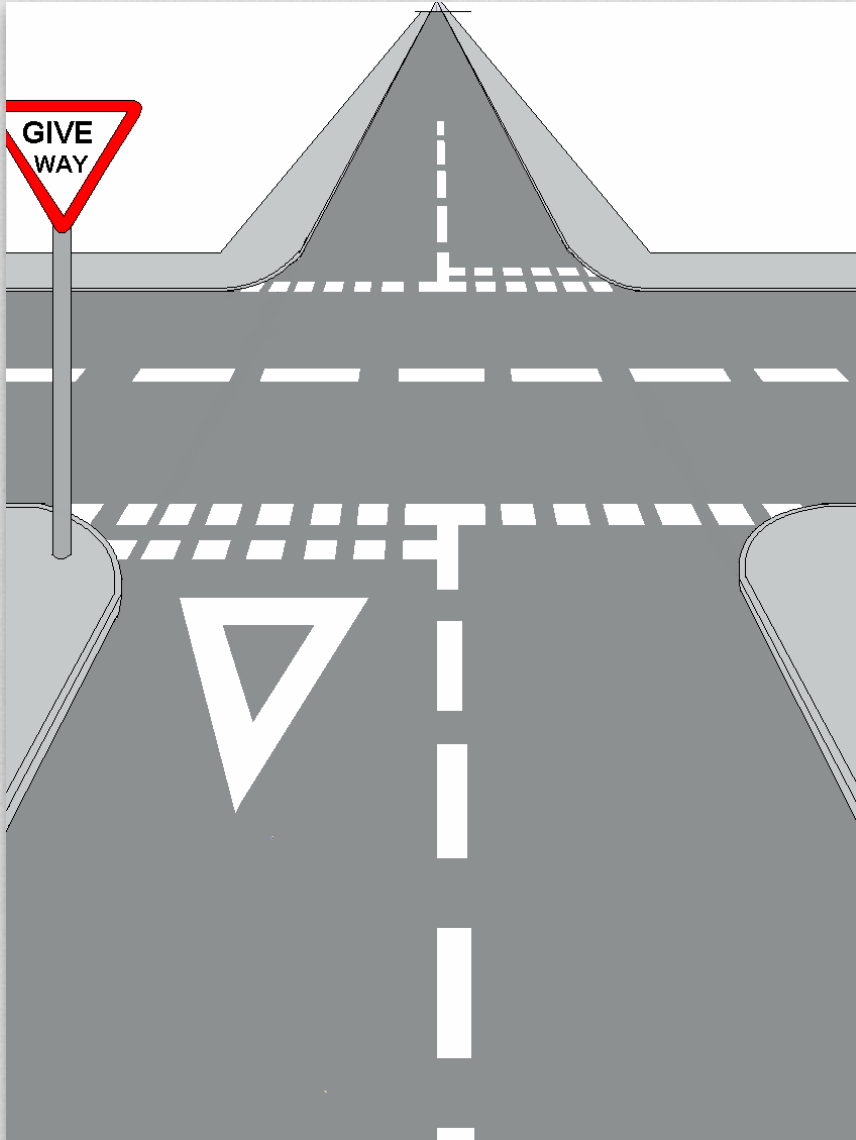
Low degree of difficulty

An unrestricted view onto the major road should be available

The road may be less busy with slower moving traffic

No complicated road layouts

02 GIVE WAY JUNCTION



MARKINGS

- Hazard warning lines
- Give way lines
- Inverted triangle give way marking

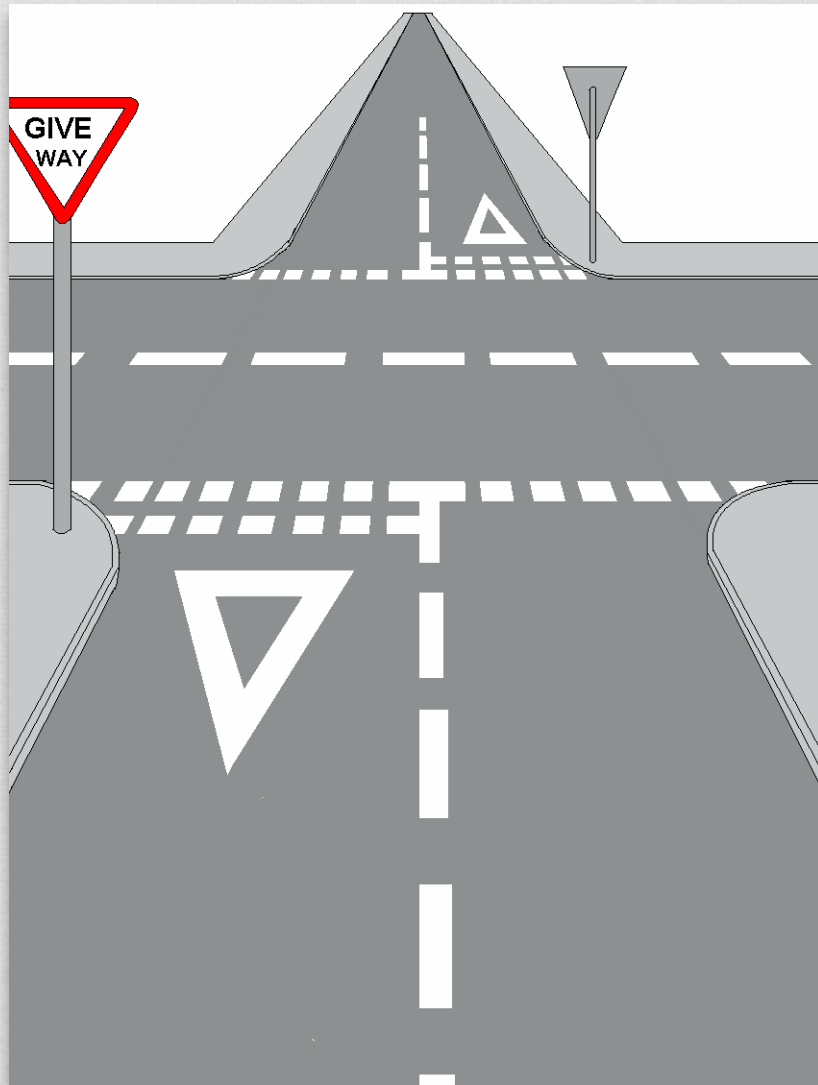
SIGNS

- Inverted triangle give way sign
- Triangle give way sign on this side of the junction

SEVERITY

- Higher degree of difficulty on this side of the junction.
- There could be a more restricted view on this side of the junction because of obstructions, hills or bends

03 GIVE WAY JUNCTION OPPOSITE A GIVE WAY JUNCTION



MARKINGS

Hazard warning lines

Give way lines

Inverted triangle give way markings on both sides of the junction

SIGNS

Inverted triangle give way sign

Triangle give way signs on both sides of the junction

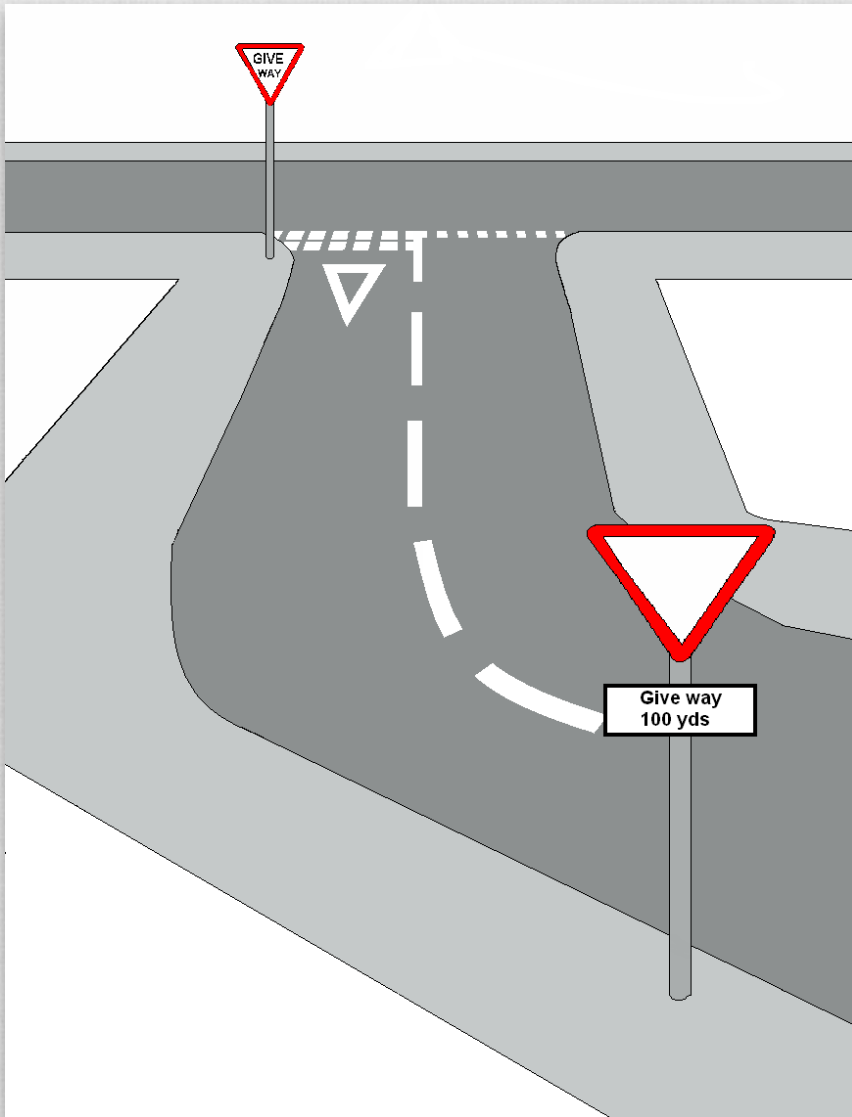
SEVERITY

Equal degree of difficulty with similar signs and markings on both sides of the junction

There could be a more restricted view on both sides of the junction because of obstructions, hills or bends

There could be busier or faster moving traffic

04 GIVE WAY JUNCTION AFTER A BEND



MARKINGS

Five hazard lines mark the approach to a give way junction

Give way lines

Inverted triangle give way marking

SIGNS

Advanced warning give way sign

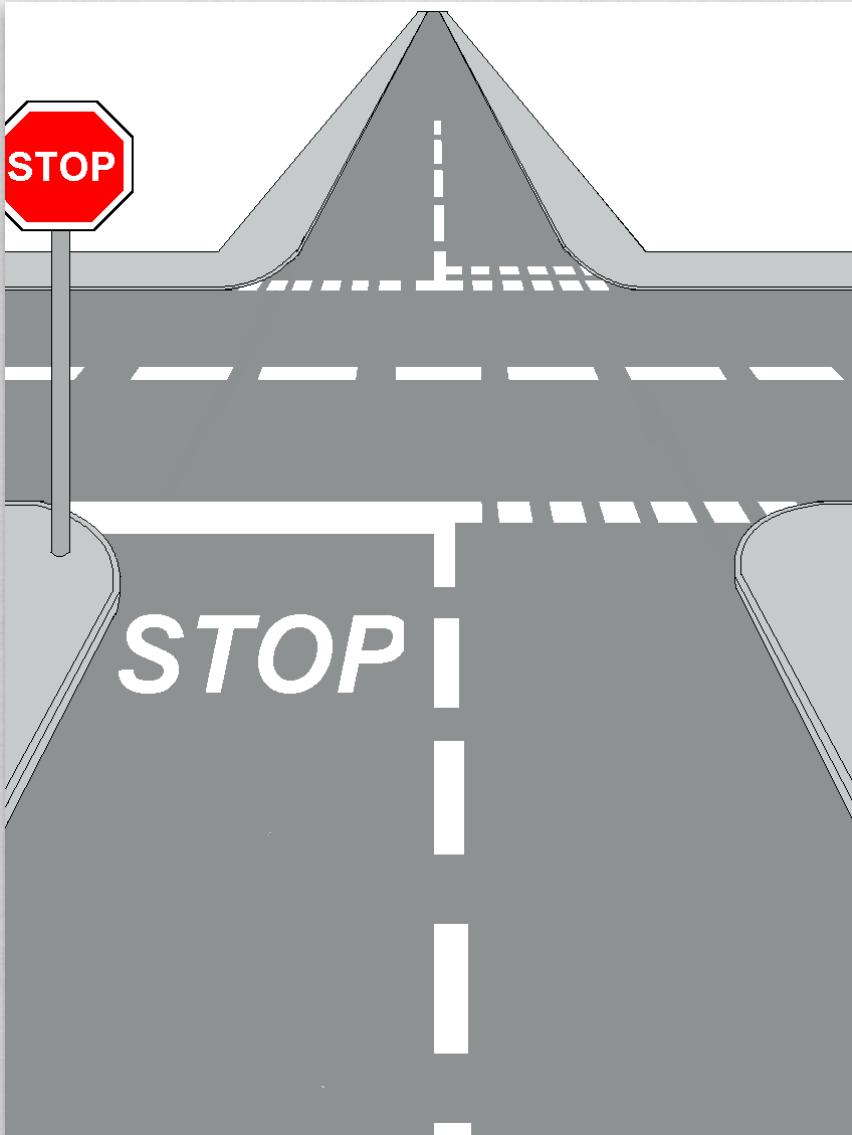
Distance from the first give way sign to the road junction

Inverted triangle give way sign

SEVERITY

The sign and road markings at the T-junction could indicate restricted visibility , busier or faster traffic

05 APPROACHING A STOP JUNCTION



MARKINGS

Five hazard lines mark the approach to a stop junction
 A solid line is a stop line and marks the position to stop the front of your vehicle
 A stop line is painted in line with kerbs
 Stop on the road surface

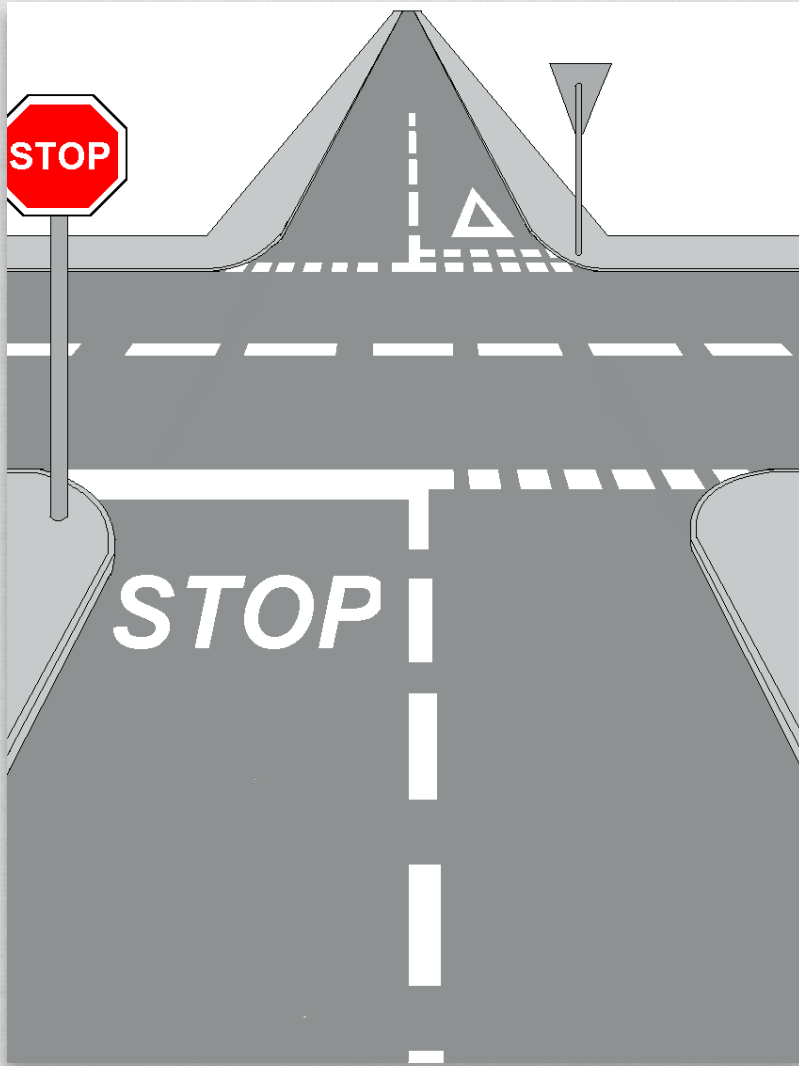
SIGNS

Stop sign

SEVERITY

Higher degree of difficulty on this side of the junction
 There could be a more restricted view on this side of the junction because of obstructions, hills or bends
 There could be complicated road layouts

06 STOP JUNCTION OPPOSITE A GIVE WAY JUNCTION



MARKINGS

Hazard warning lines

Stop on road

Stop line

Give way markings on opposite side of the junction

SIGNS

Stop sign

Give way sign on opposite side of the junction

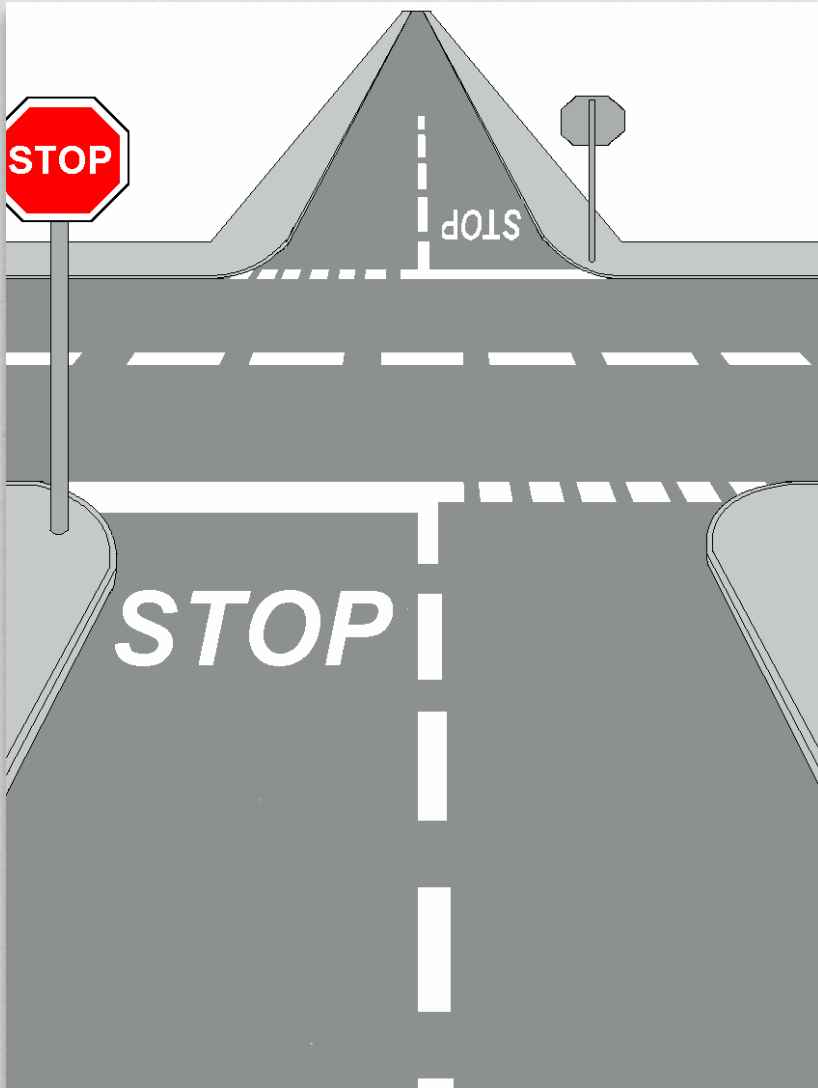
SEVERITY

Higher degree of difficulty on this side of the junction

There could be a more restricted view on this side of the junction because of obstructions, hills or bends

There could be busier or faster moving traffic

07 STOP JUNCTION OPPOSITE A STOP JUNCTION



MARKINGS

- Hazard warning lines
- Stop on road
- Stop lines on both sides

SIGNS

- Stop sign
- Stop signs on both sides

SEVERITY

- Equal degree of difficulty with similar signs and markings on both sides of the junction
- There could be a more restricted view on both sides of the junction because of obstructions, hills or bends
- There could be busier or faster moving traffic
- There could be complicated road layouts

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