NANCY J (IRE) Bay Filly 2nd March, 2022		No Nay Never (USA) (Bay or Brown 2011)	Scat Daddy (USA)
	Sire: TEN SOVEREIGNS (IRE)		Cat's Eye Witness (USA)
	(Bay 2016)	Seeking Solace (GB) (Bay 2007)	Exceed And Excel (AUS)
	,		Flamelet (USA)
		Oasis Dream (GB) (Bay 2000)	Green Desert (USA)
	Dam: ANNE OF KIEV (IRE)		Hope (IRE)
	(Bay 2005)	Top Flight Queen (GB) (Bay 1999)	Mark of Esteem (IRE)
	,		Blessed Event

4Dx5S Danzig (USA)

3 starts, 1st x 1, £27,608.

Last 5 wins & places:

14/08/2024 1st IRISH EBF SIRES SERIES (IRE INCENTIVE) (Class 3) Gowran Park

7f

£12,826

NANCY J (IRE), €90,000 yearling Goffs Orby Yearling Sale (Book 1) 2023 – Hugo Merry BS, (IRE 95), won 1 race at 2 years, 2024 (7f.) and £27,608 (J Harrington).

1st Dam

ANNE OF KIEV (IRE) (2005 f. by Oasis Dream (GB)), 250,000gns yearling Tattersalls October Yearlings (Part 2) 2006 – J Gosden, 36,000gns Tattersalls Autumn Horses-in-Training 2008 – Horses First Racing, 110,000gns Tattersalls December Mares Sale 2011 – Blandford BS, 400,000gns mare Tattersalls December Mares 2012 – Blandford BS, \$50,000 mare KEE NOV BRDG 17 – Margaret O'Toole, (102), won 8 races at 3 to 6 years (5f.-6f.) and £87,424 including Cecil Frail Stakes (6f), Haydock, L., Hever Sprint Stakes (5f), Lingfield, L., placed 15 times including second in Cleves Stakes (6f), Lingfield, L. and Boadicea Stakes (6f), Newmarket, L. (J H M Gosden, J R Gask); dam of 5 winners from 8 runners and 9 foals of racing age viz-

YONKERS (USA) (2016 g. by Medaglia d'Oro (USA)), \$350,000 foal KEE NOV BRDG 16 – Blue Sky Stable, \$575,000 yearling FTN SEL YRLG SAR 2017 – Mulcaster Bloodstock, (IRE 86), won 10 races at 4 to 6 years (7.5f.-12f.) in Australia and £633,833 including Shannon Stakes (7.5f), Rosehill, Gr.2, Chairman's Handicap (10f), Eagle Farm, Gr.3, placed 14 times including second in Peter Young Stakes (9f), Caulfield, Gr.2, Coongy Cup (10f), Caulfield, Gr.3, Ballarat Cup (10f), Ballarat, L., Wagga Wagga Cup (10f), Wagga, L. and third in The Q22 (11f), Eagle Farm, Gr.2 (G M Lyons, C J Waller).

ANNELI (IRE) (2013 f. by Galileo (IRE)), \$350,000 foal Keeneland November Breeding 2013 – BTSI, agent, (FR 88), won 1 race at 3 years (10f.) in France and £15,771 and placed 4 times, from only 6 starts, died at 6 years; dam of a winner viz-

Hadman (IRE) (2019 g. by Starspangledbanner (AUS)), £55,000 yearling Goffs UK Premier Yearling Sale – Avenue BS (P.S.), (IRE 99), 3 races at 2 and 3 years (6f.-7f.) and £42,349 and placed twice including third in Anglesey Stakes (6.5f), Curragh, Gr.3 (J P O'Brien).

Gauff (IRE) (2018 f. by Siyouni (FR)), €80,000 foal Goffs November Foals – Vendor, £250,000 yearling Goffs UK Premier Yearling Sale 2019 – C Gordon-Watson BS, \$1,000 Kee Jan All Ages 2022 – Cigar Republic Racing, ran in U.S.A. at 3 years.

EUQRANIAN (USA) (2014 f. by Galileo (IRE)), \$320,000 yearling KEE SEP YRLG 2015 – Marc Keller, 40,000gns Tattersalls December Mares Sale 2017 – Brian Grassick BS, (79), won 1 race at 3 years (7f.) and placed 3 times, from only 5 starts (J J Noseda); dam of 2 winners viz-

PHENOM (IND) (2019 f. by Multidimensional (IRE)), 1 race at 4 years, 2023 abroad and placed once.

QUEEN OF KYIV (IND) (2020 f. by Multidimensional (IRE)), 1 race at 3 years, 2023 abroad. (2021 f. by Multidimensional (IRE)).

ILLIES MEMORIES (IRE) (2018 f. by Hard Spun (USA)), €60,000 yearling Goffs Orby Sale – BBA (Ireland), 9,000gns Tattersalls August Horses-in-Training Sale 2021 – Not Sold, €20,000 Goffs February Sale 2022 – Vendor, (70), won 1 race at 3 years (7f.) and placed once (C B Hills, P J Makin); dam of-

(2023 f. by Ubettabelieveit (IRE)), 12,000gns foal Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2023 – Church & Fordon Farms, 62,000gns yearling Tattersalls Somerville Yearling Sale 2024 – Rabbah BS (J J S Tate).

NANCY J (IRE) (2022 f. by Ten Sovereigns (IRE)), see above.

Split The Profit (IRE) (2021 g. by Profitable (IRE)), 27,000gns yearling Tattersalls Somerville Yearling Sale 2022 – Jim Gill, 50,000gns Tattersalls Guineas Breeze Up Sale 2023 – Vendor, 30,000gns Tattersalls July Sale 2024 – Salman al Sabri, (70), placed 6 times at 3 years, 2024 and £16,024 (M Murphy & M Keady).

Gasman (IRE) (2020 g. by Cracksman (GB)), 38,000gns yearling Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2021 – Vendor, 47,000gns Tattersalls Craven Breeze Up Sale 2022 – Seamus Durack, (59), placed once at 3 years, 2023 (S E Durack, C B Hills).

Gallant Spirit (USA) (2015 g. by Street Cry (IRE)), \$200,000 foal KEE NOV BRDG 15 – Jamie Railton Sales Agency, 100,000gns yearling Tattersalls October Sale (Book 1) 2016 – Vendor, 230,000gns Tattersalls Craven Breeze-up Sale 2017 – Hong Kong Jockey Club, unplaced in Hong Kong at 3 and 4 years.

Spun Wickedly (USA) (2017 f. by Hard Spun (USA)), \$3,000 yearling KEE SEP YRLG 2018 – Big Oak Farms, unraced.

(2023 c. by Ten Sovereigns (IRE)), £35,000 yearling Goffs UK Premier Yearling Sale 2024 – GS BS.

2024 No return to Space Blues (IRE)

2025 No return to Minzaal (IRE)

2nd Dam

- TOP FLIGHT QUEEN (GB) (1999 f. by Mark of Esteem (IRE)), 16,500gns yearling Tattersalls December Yearlings 2000 P Bamford, 23,000gns Tattersalls Autumn Horses In Training 2001 Richard O'Gorman BS, (75), won 1 race at 3 years and placed 7 times; dam of 7 winners from 8 runners and 11 living foals of racing age viz-
 - ANNE OF KIEV (IRE) (2005 f. by Oasis Dream (GB)), see above.
 - Ellazaria (GB) (2003 f. by Vettori (IRE)), 10,000gns yearling Tattersalls October Yearlings (Part 2) 2004 Jill Lamb BS, 24,000gns mare Tattersalls December Mares 2008 Vendor, €5,500 mare Tattersalls Ireland November NH Sale 2022 Not Sold, won 1 race at 3 years in France; also won 1 race over jumps at 3 years in France and £29,462 and placed once viz third in Prix Bournosienne Hurdle (18f), Auteuil; dam of a winner.
 - Dixie Lee (IRE) (2011 f. by Holy Roman Emperor (IRE)), 2 N.H. Flat Races at 5 years and £11,352 and placed 4 times; also 2 races over hurdles at 6 and 7 years and £22,799 and placed 4 times including third in Tourist Attraction Mares Hurdle (17f), Killarney.
 - Big Robert (GB) (2004 g. by Medicean (GB)), 25,000gns yearling Tattersalls October Yearlings (Part 1) 2005 W R Muir, £15,000 Doncaster November Yearlings and HIT 2010 Vendor, (107), won 3 races at 2, 3 and 6 years and £96,824 and placed 10 times including second in Stardom Stakes (8f), Goodwood, L. and third in Dragonfly Stakes (12f), Kempton, L. and Prix Pelléas (10f), Chantilly, L.; also won 1 race over hurdles at 7 years and placed 10 times.
 - KING'S MASQUE (GB) (2006 g. by Noverre (USA)), 14,000gns yearling Tattersalls October Yearlings (Part 2) 2007 W R Muir, 11,000gns Tattersalls Autumn Horses-in-Training 2009 B J Llewellyn, (80), won 9 races at 3, 4 and 6 years and £33,626 and placed 14 times.
 - TALGAR (IRE) (2008 c. by Medicean (GB)), 8,000gns yearling Tattersalls October Yearlings (Book 2) 2009 Geoffrey Howson BS, €11,000 Arqana Saint-Cloud Summer Mixed Sale 2010 Mr Gorse, €5,500 Arqana Deauville Autumn Mixed Sale 2011 P Nataf, won 2 races at 2 and 3 years abroad and placed once.
 - ZE KING (GB) (2009 g. by Manduro (GER)), 5,500gns Tattersalls July Sale 2015 D McCain Racing, (70), won 1 race at 6 years and placed 6 times.
 - ART (KSA) (2019 c. by Haynesfield (USA)), won 1 race at 4 years, 2023 in Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.

3rd Dam

- **BLESSED EVENT** (1984 f. by Kings Lake (USA)), (IC 115), won 1 race at 3 years viz Ballymacoll Stud Stakes, Newbury, L., placed 7 times viz second in Yorkshire Oaks, York, Gr.1, Pretty Polly Stakes, Curragh, Gr.2, Ribblesdale Stakes, Ascot, Gr.2, Fred Darling Stakes, Newbury, Gr.3, third in Sun Chariot Stakes, Newmarket, Gr.2, Pretty Polly Stakes, Newmarket, L. and fourth in Champion Stakes, Newmarket, Gr.1; dam of 7 winners from 11 runners and 14 foals of racing age viz-
 - SACRAMENT (GB) (1991 c. by Shirley Heights), (IC 117), won 7 races at 3, 5 and 6 years at home and in France including Great Voltigeur Stakes (11.5f), York, Gr.2, Prix Jean de Chaudenay (12f), Deauville, Gr.2, September Stakes (11f), Kempton, Gr.3, July Trophy (11.5f), Haydock, L., Grand Prix de Nantes (12f), Nantes, L., placed second in G. P. del Jockey Club e Coppa d'Oro (12f), Milan, Gr.1 and third in Irish St Leger (14f), Curragh, Gr.1, Jockey Club Stakes (12f), Newmarket, Gr.2 and Prix Max Sicard (12f), Toulouse, L.; sire.
 - LORD NORMACOTE (GB) (2002 g. by Loup Sauvage (USA)), 6,000gns foal Tattersalls December Foals 2002 Emerald BS, 14,000gns yearling Doncaster St Leger Yearlings 2003 C Dwyer, 5,500gns Tattersalls Autumn Horses in Training 2004 A Sore Guerra Mateo, (68), won 2 races at 2 and 4 years abroad and placed 8 times.
 - CONFIRMATION (GB) (1995 g. by Polar Falcon (USA)), won 2 races at 2 years and placed twice, from only 5 starts.
 - TOP FLIGHT QUEEN (GB) (1999 f. by Mark of Esteem (IRE)), see above.
 - AUSPICIOUS (GB) (1996 f. by Shirley Heights), 5,000gns mare Tattersalls December Mares 2008 Emerald BS, won 1 race at 3 years and placed 4 times, from only 6 starts; dam of winners.
 - GINMANN (IRE) (2014 g. by Fast Company (IRE)), €20,000 foal Goffs November Foals 2014 T Hillman, £22,000 yearling Doncaster Premier Yearlings Sale Vendor, €8,500 Goresbridge Flat Breeze-Up Sale 2016 Vendor, 12 races in Denmark, in Norway and in Sweden including Lyngby Boldklub Pokallob (9f), Copenhagen, L., Dansk Hesteforsikring Jockey Club Cup (9f), Copenhagen, L., placed 7 times; also 2 races over jumps to 2023 in Sweden.
 - **Prince Picasso (GB)** (2003 g. by Lomitas (GB)), 50,000gns yearling Tattersalls October Yearlings (Part 1) 2004 Highflyer BS, 18,000gns Tattersalls Autumn Horses in Training 2006 E McNamara, (82), 5 races at 3 and 7 years and placed 5 times; also 3 races over hurdles at 4 and 5 years and placed 4 times including third in Lartigue Hurdle (16f), Listowel.
 - DOCTRINE (GB) (2001 f. by Barathea (IRE)), 60,000gns Tattersalls December Mares 2004 Lodge Park Stud, (99), 2 races at 2 years and placed twice; dam of Pop Art (IRE) (2010 f. by Excellent Art (GB)), 110,000gns yearling Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2011 M O'Toole, 145,000gns mare Tattersalls December Mares Sale 2014 BBA Ireland, €36,000 mare Goffs November Breeding Stock Sale 2021 Herbertstown House, (IRE 100), 1 race at 2 years and placed 5 times including second in Heritage Stakes (8f), Leopardstown, L. and third in Tetrarch Stakes (7f), Curragh, L. and Knockaire Stakes (7f), Leopardstown, L.
 - NEVER CHANGE (IRE) (2012 f. by New Approach (IRE)), €160,000 yearling Goffs Orby Yearling Sale 2013 John Ferguson, £5,800 Ascot October Sale T Malone, €55,000 Goffs February Mixed Sale Grey Goose BS, 11,000gns mare Tattersalls July Sale 2018 Howson & Houldsworth BS, (75), 1 race at 3 years and placed once, all her starts; dam of Masseto (GB) (2019 c. by Territories (IRE)), 62,000gns foal Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2019 Good Will BS, 65,000gns yearling Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2020 Donnacha O'Brien, (IRE 104), 4 races at 2 to 5 years, 2024 at home and in Canada and placed twice viz second in Marble Hill Stakes (6f), Curragh, Gr.3 and third in Railway Stakes (6f), Curragh, Gr.2.
 - CEREMONIAL (GB) (1998 f. by Lion Cavern (USA)), 52,000gns mare Tattersalls December Mares 2004 Blandford BS, won 1 race at 3 years and placed once, from only 3 starts; dam of a winner.
 - Graduation (GB) (2004 f. by Lomitas (GB)), 10,000gns mare Tattersalls December Mares Sale 2019 Mohammed Hamad MA Al-Atteya, (95), 1 race at 3 years and placed 3 times including third in Michael Seely Memorial Fillies' Stakes (8f), York, L.; dam of Certificate (GB) (2011 g. by Pivotal (GB)), 100,000gns yearling Tattersalls October Yearlings Sale (Book 1) Oliver St Lawrence BS, 75,000gns Tattersalls Autumn Horses-in-Training Sale 2017 Conor Dore, (IC 110), 4 races at 3 to 5 years and placed 10 times including second in Guisborough Stakes (7f), Redcar, L.
 - BLESSED HONOUR (GB) (1989 f. by Ahonoora), 40,000gns mare Tattersalls December Mares 2006 S Kennedy, won 1 race at 2 years; dam of winners.

- ICICLE (GB) (1997 f. by Polar Falcon (USA)), (IC 106), 2 races at 2 years including Prestige Stakes (7f), Goodwood, Gr.3, placed 6 times including third in Victress Stakes (8.5f), Epsom, L.; dam of ICELANDIC (GB) (2002 g. by Selkirk (USA)), 10,000gns Tattersalls Autumn Horses in Training 2004 F Sheridan, (ITY 110.5), 9 races at home and in Italy including Premio Chiusura (7f), Milan, Gr.3, Wentworth Stakes (6f), Doncaster, L., Premio del Piazzale-Mem. Enrico Camici (8f), Milan, L., placed 22 times including second in Premio Emilio Turati (8f), Milan, Gr.2 and third in Greenlands Stakes (6f), Curragh, Gr.3, Phoenix Sprint Stakes (6f), Curragh, Gr.3, Guisborough Stakes (7f), Redcar, L., Fortune Stakes (7f), Sandown, L., Premio Natale di Roma (8f), Rome, L., Premio Giubileo (8f), Milan, L. and Premio Roberto Baldassarri (7f), Rome, L.
- CRUCIAL (GB) (2000 g. by Pivotal (GB)), 2,000gns Tattersalls Autumn Horses in Training 2003 F Sheridan, (ITY 106.5), 7 races at 4 to 6 years in Italy including Premio Cancelli (5f), Milan, L., Premio Certosa (5f), Milan, L., placed 12 times including second in Premio Certosa (5f), Milan, L. and third in Premio Tudini (6f), Rome, Gr.3 and Premio Omenoni (5f), Milan, Gr.3.
- Bouguereau (GB) (2005 g. by Alhaarth (IRE)), 25,000gns foal Tattersalls December Foals 2005 Hillwood BS, 65,000gns yearling Tattersalls October Yearlings (Part 1) 2006 Blandford BS, (111), 1 race at 3 years and placed 5 times including third in Bahrain Trophy (13f), Newmarket, L.
- ICE CRACKER (GB) (1999 f. by Polar Falcon (USA)), 13,500gns Tattersalls Autumn Horses In Training 2001 M Bowlby, 33,000gns Tattersalls December Mares 2003 McKeever St Lawrence, 58,000gns mare Tattersalls December Mares 2004 Richard Frisby BS, (65), 2 races at 3 and 4 years and placed 5 times; grandam of Icelandic (BRZ) (2014 c. by Silent Times (IRE)), winner in Brazil and placed second in G.P. Presidente Waldyr de Toledo (5f), Cidade Jardim, Gr.3, Classico Siphon (8f), Cidade Jardim, L. and third in Assoc.Brasil de Criadores Cavalo Corrida (5f), Cidade Jardim, Gr.1, Grande Premio Farewell (8f), Cidade Jardim, Gr.1, Grande Premio Proclamacao da Republica (5f), Cidade Jardim, Gr.2 (twice), G.P. Presidente Marcio Correa de Toledo (5f), Cidade Jardim, Gr.3, GP Presidente Waldyr Prudente de Toledo (5f), Cidade Jardim, Gr.3 and G. P. Presidente Jose de Souza Queiroz (7f), Cidade Jardim, Gr.3.

Choir Mistress (GB) (1990 f. by Chief Singer), unraced; dam of winners.

- CHORIST (GB) (1999 f. by Pivotal (GB)), (IC 117), 9 races at 3 to 5 years including Pretty Polly Stakes (10f), Curragh, Gr.1, Blandford Stakes (10f), Curragh, Gr.3, Golden Daffodil Stakes (10f), Chepstow, Gr.3, Upavon Stakes (10f), Salisbury, L., Pipalong Stakes (8f), Pontefract, L., Hoppings Stakes (10f), Newcastle, L., placed 9 times including second in Champion Stakes (10f), Newmarket, Gr.1, Blandford Stakes (10f), Curragh, Gr.3, Sandringham Fernhill Handicap (8f), Ascot, L., Middleton Stakes (10.5f), York, L. and third in Nassau Stakes (10f), Goodwood, Gr.1, Prix Jean Romanet (10f), Deauville, Gr.2 and Princess Royal Stakes (12f), Ascot, Gr.3; dam of GOSPEL CHOIR (GB) (2009 g. by Galileo (IRE)), (IC 115), 7 races at 3 to 6 years including Yorkshire Cup (14f), York, Gr.2, Jockey Club Stakes (12f), Newmarket, Gr.2, Fred Archer Stakes (12f), Newmarket, L., placed 4 times including second in August Stakes (11.5f), Windsor, L. and third in Princess of Wales' Stakes (12f), Newmarket, Gr.2, SENNOCKIAN STAR (GB) (2010 g. by Rock of Gibraltar (IRE)), 36,000gns yearling Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2011 M Johnston, 22,000gns Tatts Autumn Horses-in-Training Sale 2016 Mark Johnston Racing, 8,500gns Tattersalls Autumn Horses-in-Training Sale 2017 Adam Potts, (106), 15 races including Doonside Cup (10f), Ayr, L., placed 42 times including second in Wolferton Handicap (10f), Ascot, L.
- Choirgirl (GB) (1996 f. by Unfuwain (USA)), 11,000gns mare Tattersalls December Mares 2009 H Butler, €9,500 mare Goffs November Breeding Stock Sale 2011 Urbroal Services, (IC 107), 1 race at 2 years and placed 9 times including second in Prestige Stakes (7f), Goodwood, Gr.3 and Upavon Stakes (10f), Salisbury, L.
- Rock Choir (GB) (2010 f. by Pivotal (GB)), 40,000gns mare Tattersalls December Mares Sale 2023 Clara Stud, (94), 2 races at 3 years and placed 3 times including third in Upavon Stakes (10f), Salisbury, L.; dam of Sound of Cannons (GB) (2017 g. by Nathaniel (IRE)), 32,000gns foal Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2017 Killula Stud, 32,000gns yearling Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2018 Sam Sangster BS, (103), 4 races at 2, 5 and 6 years at home and in Australia and placed 12 times including second in Ascendant Stakes (8f), Haydock, L.
- OPERATIC (GB) (1995 f. by Goofalik (USA)), 3,500gns foal Tattersalls December Foals 1995 Vendor (Not Sold), 33,000gns mare Tattersalls December Mares 1999 Peter Doyle BS, 8,000gns mare Tattersalls December Mares 2001 BBA, 3 races at 2 and 3 years and placed 23 times; dam of MAC MONARCH (IRE) (2000 c. by Unfuwain (USA)), 10,000gns yearling Tattersalls October Yearlings 2001 Derby BS, (ITY 106), 1 race at 2 years in Italy viz Premio Campobello (9f), Milan, L., placed 4 times including second in Premio Emanuele Filiberto (10f), Milan, L.; sire.

From the family of FABERGER (GER)

Successful Cross Analysis - Group/Listed race performers

TEN SOVEREIGNS (IRE) bred to daughters of OASIS DREAM (GB) has produced no Group/Listed performers

Sire Reference - Race Record

TEN SOVEREIGNS (IRE) 2016 bay by No Nay Never (USA) out of Seeking Solace (GB) by Exceed And Excel (AUS)

Champion 3yr old sprinter in Europe in 2019

Jt Champion 3yr old colt in England & Ireland in 2019

Won 4 races at 2 and 3 years (6f.) and £528,226 and placed once

Won July Cup (6f), Newmarket, Gr.1, (2019)

Won Middle Park Stakes (6f), Newmarket, Gr.1, (2018)

Won Round Tower Stakes (6f), Curragh, Gr.3, (2018)

4th Commonwealth Cup (6f), Ascot, Gr.1, (2019)

Retired to Stud in 2020.

Sire Reference - Best Progeny

TEN SOVEREIGNS (IRE) is the sire of ZULU KINGDOM (IRE) (2022 c., dam by Smart Strike (CAN), Pilgrim Stakes, Gr.2), INQUISITIVELY (GB) (2021 c., dam by Mind Games (GB), Cornwallis Stakes, Gr.3), CANDID SMILE (IRE) (2022 f., dam by Areion (GER), Premio Eupili, L., Premio Ubaldo Pandolfi, L.), USDI ATOHI (IRE) (2022 f., dam by Zoffany (IRE), Tipperary Stakes, L.), MYSTERIOUS SHADOW (IRE) (2021 f., dam by High Chaparral (IRE), Premio Criterium Femminile Memorial L, L., Premio Coolmore, L.), ASEAN (IRE) (2021 f., dam by Zoffany (IRE), Curragh Stakes, L.), Queen of Mougins (IRE) (2021 f., dam by Gold

Away (IRE), 3rd Sceptre Stakes, **Gr.3**), **Mansa Musa (IRE)** (2021 c., dam by Showcasing (GB), 3rd Aristocrat Franklin-Simpson Stakes, **Gr.1**), **Selfish (IRE)** (2022 f., dam by Zoffany (IRE), 2nd Premio Primi Passi, **Gr.3**), **Kalispera (IRE)** (2021 f., dam by Fastnet Rock (AUS), 3rd Debutante Stakes, **Gr.2**), **Do It With Style (IRE)** (2021 f., dam by Noverre (USA), 3rd Anglesey Stakes, **Gr.3**)

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