

No HW 3. (Focus on paper review/project)

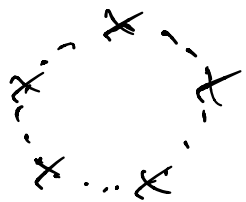
Today: Zigzag ZOO, Linear-~~S~~ approx for Rips.

2 weeks ago: sweet range for Čech/Rips

Last week: optimizations for PH.  $O(n^4)$

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Problem: # simplices in Rips/Čech  $O(n^3)$   
in  $k$  skeleton is  $O(n^{k+1})$ . (can be very expensive.  
# simplices



Can we use smaller # of pts  
to get topology?

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Idea: subsampling Recall: we have an interleaving  
bound  $d_H(PH(R(X)), PH(R(Y))) \leq 2d_H(X, Y)$   
so we can select  $Y \subseteq X$  with  $d_H(Y, X) \leq \frac{1}{2}\epsilon$   
to get  $\epsilon$ -approximation.

Very similar to landmarking for witness cpx.

Here's a greedy procedure

input: pairwise distances on  $X$ : matrix  $D$   
tolerance  $\epsilon$

output set of indices  $Y \subseteq X$

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$i_0 := \operatorname{argmax}_i \{ \max_{x \in X} d(x_i, x) \}$  // find pt w/ highest dc-centrality.

$d := D[i_0, :]$ ,  $I \leftarrow \{i_0\}$  // distances to set I

while  $\max_i d_i > \epsilon$ :

→  $i \leftarrow \operatorname{argmax}_i d_i$  // furthest pt from set

$I \leftarrow I \cup \{i\}$  // add pt to set

for  $j = 1:n$

$d_j \leftarrow \min \{ d_j, D[i, j] \}$  // update distances to set

return I

let  $Y = \{x_i \mid i \in I, x \in X\}$ . by construction,

$$d_H(Y, X) \leq \epsilon \quad \alpha(|Y|^{k+1}) \text{ } k\text{-simplices}$$

Iterative subsampling:

$n$ -point set  $X$ , total order on  $X$  (index order)

compute scales  $\epsilon_i = d_H(X_i, X)$   $X_i = \{x_1, \dots, x_i\}$

$$\epsilon_1 \geq \epsilon_2 \geq \dots \geq \epsilon_n = 0$$

Choose parameters  $\rho > \eta > 0$ . Then

$$R(X_i; \eta \epsilon_i) \leq R(X_i; \rho \epsilon_i)$$

Chazal + Oudot '08: compute ranks

$$R_H(R(X_i; \eta \epsilon_i)) \rightarrow R(X; \rho \epsilon_i)$$

Corollary to thm on Rips inference:

Let  $p > 8$ ,  $2 < \eta \leq \frac{p}{4}$ , suppose  $K \subseteq \mathbb{R}^d$  cpl.

Let  $d_{\text{R}}(X, K) = \epsilon \leq \frac{\eta - 2}{2p + \eta} \text{wfs}(K)$

then for any  $l > m$  s.t.

$$\frac{2\epsilon}{\eta - 2} < \epsilon_l \leq \epsilon_m < \frac{\text{wfs}(K) - \epsilon}{p + 1}$$

$$\forall i \in [m, l], \text{rank } H_{\eta}(R(x_i; \eta \epsilon_i) \rightarrow R(x_i; p \epsilon_i)) \\ = \dim H_{\eta}(R(K)) \quad \forall \epsilon \in (0, \text{wfs}(K))$$

Let  $m_i =$  doubling dimension of  $x_i$  at scale  $\epsilon_i$ .

= smallest positive integer  $m$  s.t. any ball of radius  $\epsilon_i$  in  $x_i$  can be covered by  $2^m$  balls of radius  $\epsilon_i/2$

$\Rightarrow$  every  $x$  is connected to  $2^{O(m_i)}$  other vertices in Rips cplx  $R(x_i; \epsilon_i)$

$\Rightarrow$  # of  $k$ -simplices in Rips cplx  $R(x_i; p \epsilon_i)$  is  $2^{O(k m_i)}$

constant

"linear in size of vertex set"

note:  $m_i$  close to manifold dimension

$$X \subseteq \mathbb{R}^d, \quad m_i \leq d$$

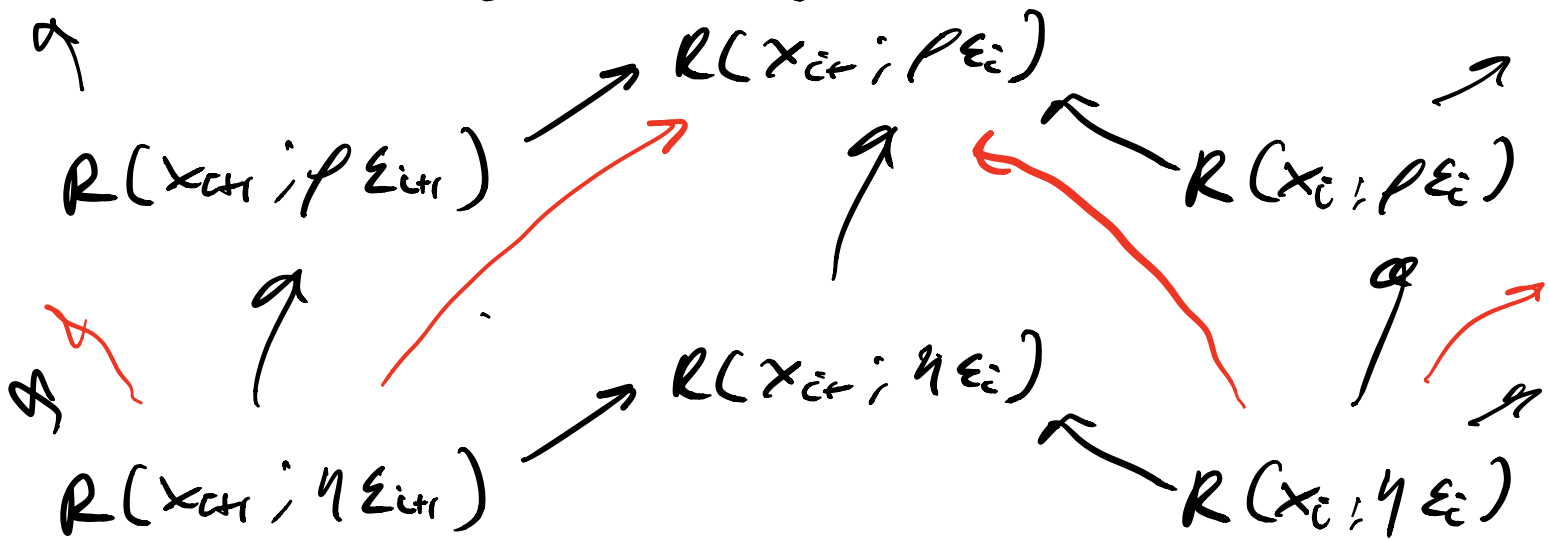
Now, we'd like to connect everything together.

$x_n \in \epsilon_n$ , work backwards.

$$R(x_n; \rho \epsilon_n) \rightarrow R(x_n; \rho \epsilon_{n-1}) \leftarrow R(x_{n-1}; \rho \epsilon_{n-1})$$

This is called "Morozov zigzag" (decompos)

can stitch together diagram w/ both  $\rho, \eta$  scales



Top & bottom rows. Morozov zigzags  
w/ different multipliers  $\mu$ -ZZ

vertical maps induce maps, can consider images.

image-Reps zigzag.  $iR$ -ZZ

can also consider oscillation from bottom to top ( $\Rightarrow$ )

called "oscillating Reps zigzag"  $oR$ -ZZ

want to understand stability of bars in zigzag,  
but interleaving techniques don't play well w/  
reversed arrows.



Lemma: can reverse arrows & keep barcode.

let  $v_1 \rightleftarrows \dots \rightleftarrows v_k \xrightarrow{A_k} v_{k+1} \rightleftarrows \dots \rightleftarrows v_n$  be quiver rep.  
 then  $\exists A'_k$  s.t.

$v_1 \rightleftarrows \dots \rightleftarrows v_k \xleftarrow{A'_k} v_{k+1} \rightleftarrows \dots \rightleftarrows v_n$  has same barcode.

Pf: can construct  $A'_k$  from barcode form.

$A_k = B_{k+1} E_k B_k^{-1}$ . In barcode form, we can take transpose of  $E_k$  & reverse arrow  
 $A'_k = B_k E_k^T B_{k+1}^{-1}$  (note: not  $A_k^T$  generally)

Lemma: we can replace  $v_k \xrightarrow{A_k} v_{k+1} \xrightarrow{A_{k+1}} v_{k+2}$   
 with  $v_k \xrightarrow{A_{k+1} A_k} v_{k+2}$ . Simply remove index  $k+1$

$$I[k+1, k+1] \mapsto \emptyset$$

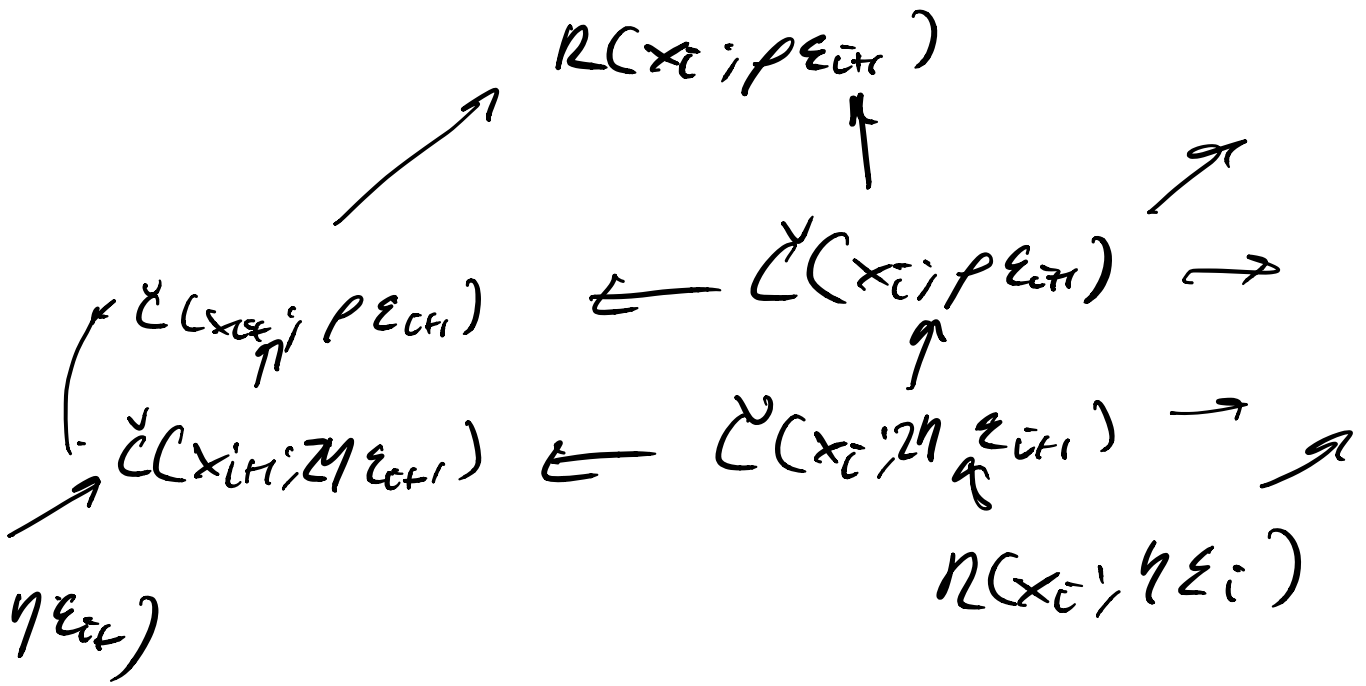
$$I[b, k+1] \mapsto I[b, k]$$

$$I[k+1, d] \mapsto I[k+2, d]$$

all other intervals unchanged.

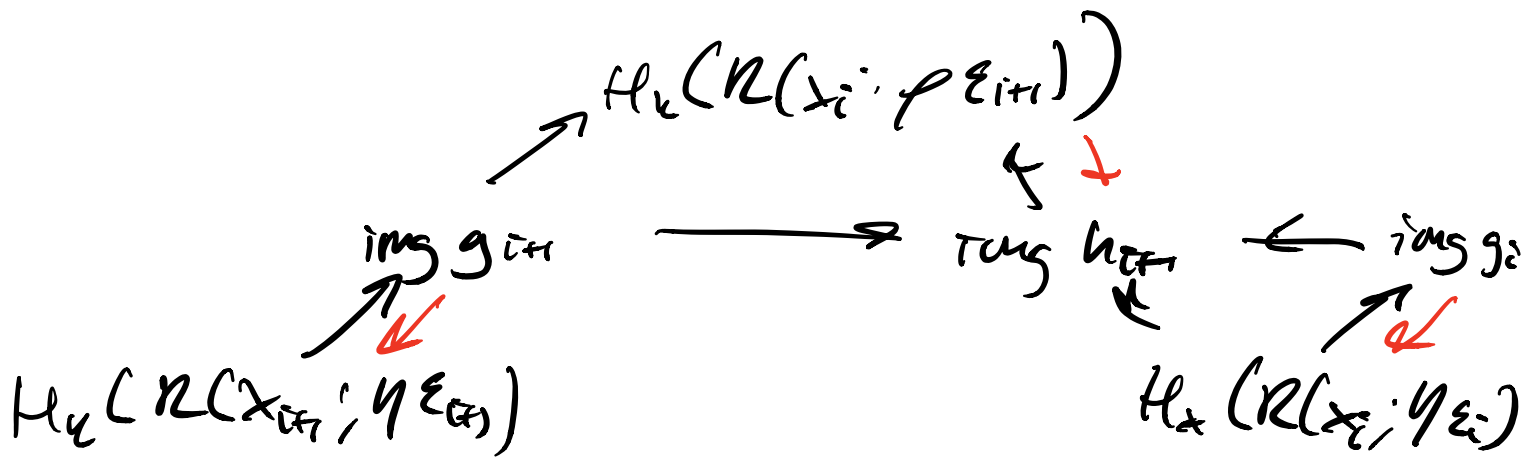
Pf: trivial.

Application to Rips zigzags. Assume  $\eta < \frac{\epsilon}{2}$ ,  
 then we can factor inclusions through  $\mathcal{C}_{\epsilon, \eta}$

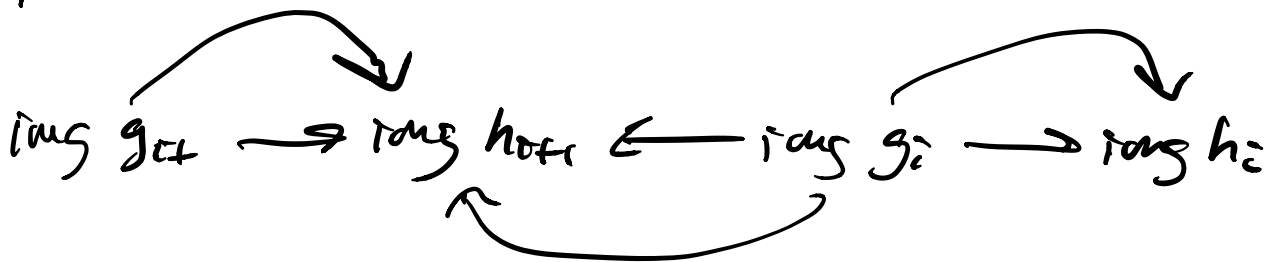


All arrows are inclusions, diagram commutes

Apply homology, take:  $g_j = H_x(\check{C}(X_j; \eta \varepsilon_j) \rightarrow \check{C}(X_j; \rho \varepsilon_j))$   
 $h_j = H_x(\check{C}(X_{jt}; \eta \varepsilon_{jt}) \rightarrow \check{C}(X_{jt}; \rho \varepsilon_{jt}))$



apply arrow reversal to get red arrows,



Thm: Oudst/Sheehy 2015:

let  $p > 0$ ,  $3 \leq \eta = \frac{p-4}{2}$ ,  $K \subseteq \mathbb{R}^d$  compact

$$d_K(x, K) \leq \varepsilon,$$

$$\varepsilon \leq \min \left( f(\eta, p) \right) \text{ wfs}(K)$$

$\Rightarrow$  for any  $l > k$  w/

$$\varepsilon_l > \max \left\{ \frac{3\varepsilon}{\eta-3}, \frac{4\varepsilon}{p-2\eta-1} \right\}$$

$$\varepsilon_k < \min \left\{ \frac{1}{6} \text{wfs}(K) - \varepsilon, \frac{1}{p-1} (\text{wfs}(K) - \varepsilon) \right\}$$

The barcode of  $\mathbb{R}-\mathbb{Z}\mathbb{Z}$  restricted  $[k, l]$   
has 2 types of intervals:

- 1) those that span  $[k, l]$ , encode  $H_*(K)$
- 2) remaining intervals have length 0

$\Rightarrow$  barcode has a  $\mathbb{R}$  range that agrees with  
 $H_*(K)$

this holds for  $\mathbb{R}-\mathbb{Z}\mathbb{Z}$ ,  $i\mathbb{R}-\mathbb{Z}\mathbb{Z}$ , but no  
guarantees for  $M-\mathbb{Z}\mathbb{Z}$ , need stack in  $p, \eta$   
to kill spurious homology

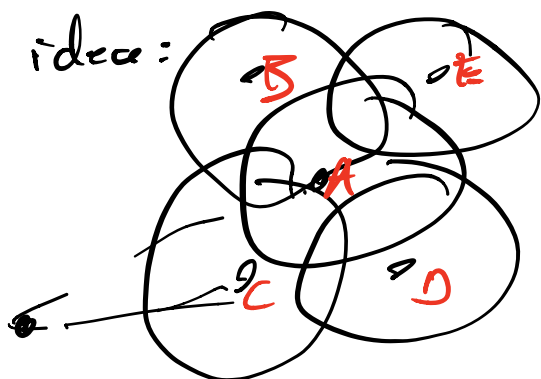
can drastically cut down on # simplices.

$\sum \binom{d(n_i)}{2}$  simplices in each space,  $n$  spaces

$(x_1, \dots, x_n)$   
 $\Rightarrow$  linear # simplices in  $n$ .

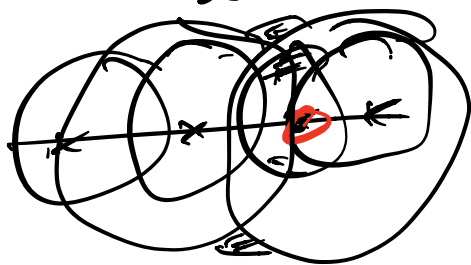
Part 2: Linear-size Rips approximations introduced by Sheehy 2013.

want something that has  $O(n)$  simplices, but is filtration, not zigzag.



at some parameter, ball around A will be covered by other balls.  
 $\rightarrow$  safely remove it from filtration.

Problem: sometimes balls are not entirely covered



so we can perturb metric slightly to remove ball.

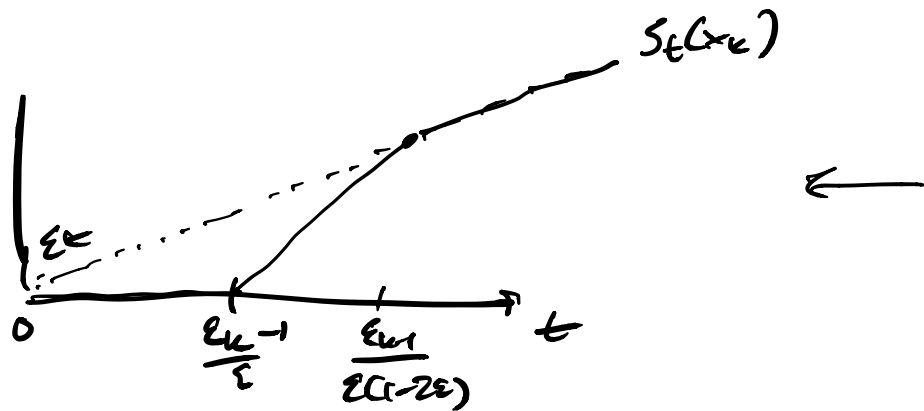
Again, let  $X_i = \{x_1, \dots, x_i\}$ ,  $\epsilon_i = d_H(X_i, X)$

given target approx. error  $\epsilon \in (0, \frac{1}{2})$

perturb metric  $d_X$  by incorporating weights

$$d_X^t(x_i, x_j) = d_X(x_i, x_j) + S_t(x_i) + S_t(x_j)$$

$$S_t(x_i) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } t \leq \frac{\epsilon_{i-1}}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} \left( t - \frac{\epsilon_{i-1}}{2} \right) & \text{if } \frac{\epsilon_{i-1}}{2} \leq t \leq \frac{\epsilon_{i-1}}{2(1-2\epsilon)} \\ \epsilon & \text{if } t \geq \frac{\epsilon_{i-1}}{2(1-2\epsilon)} \end{cases}$$



metric balls are smaller in perturbed metric.

to simulate ball growth & removal, rely on sparse Rips complexes.

$$S(X, d_X, \epsilon; t) = \mathcal{R}(X_i, d_X) \cup \bigcup_{j=0}^n (X_j, d_X, \rho_{j-1}, \rho_j)$$

for  $t \in (\rho_{\epsilon_i}, \rho_{\epsilon_{i-1}}]$ ,  $\rho = \frac{t}{\epsilon(1-2\epsilon)}$

stops growth of balls at time they should be removed from union instead of removing them

Thus suppose  $(X, d_X)$  has doubling dimension  $m$ , and order on  $X$  obtained by furthest pt. sampling. Then  $\forall k \geq 0$  # of  $k$ -simplices in  $S(X, d_X, \epsilon)$  is at most  $\left(\frac{1}{\epsilon}\right)^{O(km)}$   $n$ .

linear in  $n$ .

There is an  $O(\epsilon)$  log-scale interleaving btw  $S(X, d_X, \epsilon)$  and  $\mathcal{R}(X, d_X)$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 R(x, d_x; t) & \longrightarrow & R(x, d_x; t(1+2\varepsilon)) \\
 \uparrow & \searrow & \uparrow \\
 S(x, d_x, \varepsilon; t) & \longrightarrow & S(x, d_x, \varepsilon; t(1+2\varepsilon))
 \end{array}$$

Black arrows are all inclusions

red arrow is simplicial map extended from projection onto  $x_c$ .

$$\pi_t(x_k) = \begin{cases} x_k & \text{if } k \in i \text{ (} x_k \in x_c \text{)} \\ \text{argmin}_{l \in i} d_x^t(x_l, x_k) & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$d(x_i, x_k) = t \Rightarrow d(x_i, x_j) \leq t \quad \forall i, j \in 0..k$$

$$\Leftrightarrow d^t(\pi_t x_i, \pi_t x_j) \leq t(1+2\varepsilon)$$

red arrow exist.

Composition of maps commutes up to homotopy.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 R(x, t) & \longrightarrow & R(x; t(1+2\varepsilon)) \\
 & \searrow & \uparrow \\
 & & S(x, \varepsilon; t(1+2\varepsilon))
 \end{array}$$

want to show  $(x_0 \dots x_k) \mapsto (\pi_\epsilon x_0 \dots \pi_\epsilon x_k) \cong \text{id}$

note that simplex  $(x_0 \dots x_k, \pi_\epsilon x_0 \dots \pi_\epsilon x_k)$

in  $\mathbb{R}^n(x; \epsilon(1+2\epsilon))$

b/c projection map distorts by  $\leq \epsilon$

$\Rightarrow$  get maximum distance of  $d(x_0 \dots x_k) + 2\epsilon$   
by  $\delta$ -ineq.

have  $k$  path through simplex  $(x_0 \dots x_k, \pi_\epsilon x_0 \dots \pi_\epsilon x_k)$

Thm: bottleneck distance btw. log scale  
persistence diagrams is  $\leq \log_2(1+2\epsilon) = O(\epsilon)$

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Discussion:

- Iterative subsampling procedure is  $O(n^2)$   
can approximate in  $O(n)$  time w/ net trees.
  - use  $\mathbb{Z}_2$  approach for inference.
  - if we care abt. Rips signature, then  
sparse filtrations are better
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