

# Dapple is Pretty Neat

Let me show you!

# What?

- It's an EVM Dev Multitool
- Collection of utilities centered around common data model

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- `Dappfile`: package/dapp descriptor format
- Shared global runtime environment blurs line between **code packages** and **deployed code-objects**

```
version: 1.0.0
tags: []
layout:
  sol_sources: src
  build_dir: build
  packages_directory: .dapple/packages/
dependencies:
  dappsys: 0.2.6
ignore: []
name: 006_multiarray
environments:
  develop:
    objects:
      mytoken:
        value: '0x3fcc401d928e09043fc1b4939ab9df72f2fe607c'
        type: Token[0087c30be200773ded359e676165fa650deee3b3e58ec24893b39d20ff961ae8]
      type: internal
  morden:
    objects:
      mytoken:
        value: '0x67658a48be1b39db1c111dfca6f8fed09ac0da4e'
        type: Token[bc365dfdfd4b67086a9483f7ce915da522a252b1b0289f1b8e07c16d06a476be]
      type: MORDEN
dapple_version: 0.8.0-dev
```

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- Chain Forks (local)

```
dapple chain status  
dapple chain ls  
dapple chain rm <name>  
dapple chain fork <name>  
dapple chain checkout <name>  
dapple chain server  
dapple chain fake <address>  
dapple chain new [<name>]
```



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```
? Select chain type (Use arrow keys)
> remote rpc
  internal
  fork ETH
  fork ETC
  fork MORDEN
```

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- EVM extensions
  - Break the rules... privately



# The Workflow

# 1) Find some Dependencies

- Hint hint: [github.com/nexusdev/dappsys](https://github.com/nexusdev/dappsys)
  - Auth, proxy actors, tokens, governance, datastores, utils...
  - Contract system building blocks
  - Top candidate for formal verification!

## 2) Build/Link (yawn)

- Problem: Solidity has no namespaces
  - maker-core has objects from 4 different dappsys versions
- Solution: Custom Linker

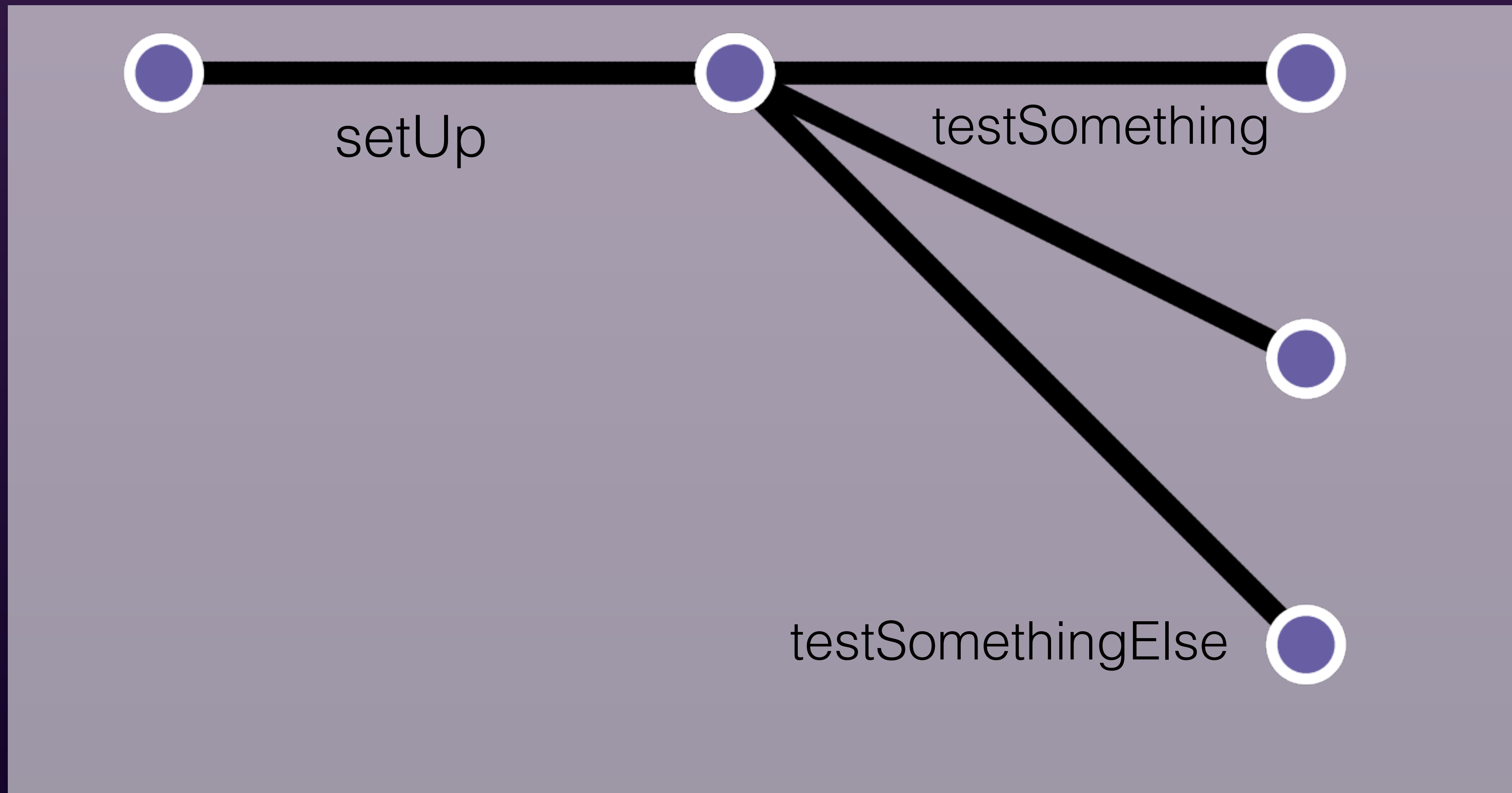
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- Dapple perspective: Primary consumer of a contract is *other contracts*
- Magic `Test` contract, harness knows test definition conventions

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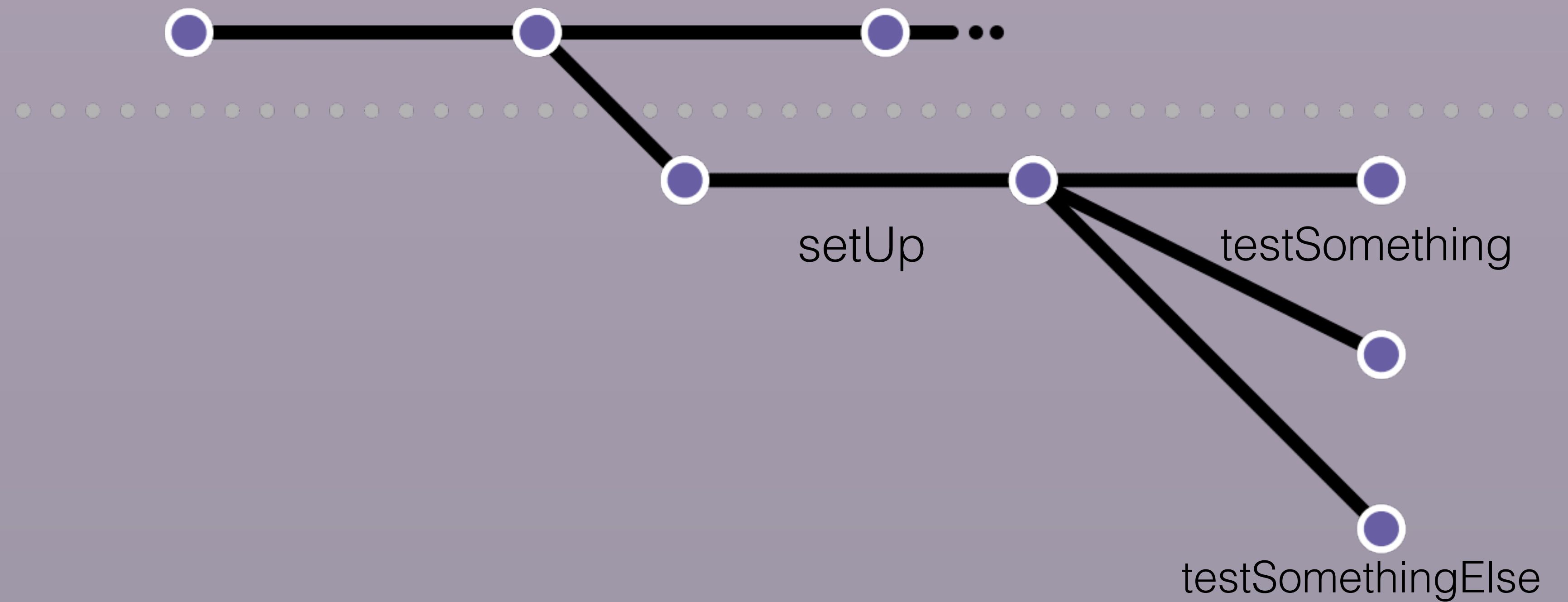
```
1 import "dapple/test.sol";
2 import "../token_events.sol";
3
4 contract Caller is Test, TokenEvents {
5     Token token;
6     function setUp() {
7         token = new Token();
8     }
9     function testEvents() {
10         expectEventsExact(token);
11         token.transfer(0x0, 42); // trigger
12         BalanceUpdate(0x0, 42); // Event
13     }
14 }
```

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```
1 import "dapple/test.sol";
2
3 contract MyTest is Test {
4     function testBurning() {
5         address burned = 0x0;
6         uint balance = (burned.balance / 1 ether);
7         //@log there are `uint balance` eth burned.
8         assertTrue(burned.balance > 0);
9     }
10 }
```

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**MyTest**

test burning

LOG: there are 1.0000000001000000000000001397e+24 eth burned.

Passed!

## 4) Deploy: Wallet-side Scripting

- Magic `Script` contract
  - Hijacks `CREATE` and `CALL` opcodes - makes a cross-chain **transaction** instead of **message call** and **blocks execution** until confirmed
  - combine with chain forking to simulate deployments and perform consistency checks on result of live system

## 4) Deploy: Wallet-side Scripting

“nikolai: Please confirm proposal 66 ASAP,  
it is a critical bugfix!”

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```
> dapple chain new
? Chain name proposal66
? Select chain type fork ETH
> dapple chain fake 0x1234 # other admin
> dapple run ConsistencyCheck
  TXR    Token(0x1111).confirm()
  |      GAS    21423

  ACC    0x1234

  TXR    Token(0x1111).confirm()
  |      GAS    21423

  LOG    is consistent
  |      consistent: false
```

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Notice the hoisted `env` object

```
1 import "dapple/script.sol";
2
3 contract ConsistencyCheck is Script {
4     event logConsistency(bool consistent);
5     function ConsistencyCheck () {
6         env.token.confirm();
7         setOrigin(0x1234);
8         env.token.confirm();
9         logConsistency(env.token.checkConsistency());
10    }
11 }
```

# 5) Publish your Dappfile

Rinse and Repeat



# Sneak Peek

- On-chain registry and power user block explorer
- [dapphub.io](https://dapphub.io)
  - GUI for chain forks, dry runs, simulations, etc

# Sneak Peek

- More wallet-side EVM extensions:
  - Thin clients - DIY sharding
  - Consensus in VM
- System calls: Private Sidechains bridge old web and EVM proofs

# Sneak Peek

```
1 import "dapple/script.sol";
2 import "./caller.sol";
3
4 contract InstallCallback is Script {
5
6     function InstallCallback () {
7         exportObject("caller", env.caller);
8         on(caller, "pong", "onPong");
9     }
10
11     function onPong(Caller factory, uint value) {
12         sms.send("+4916094228297", "This is easy");
13     }
14 }
```

# Thank you!

[nexusdev.us](https://nexusdev.us)

[github.com/nexusdev/dapple](https://github.com/nexusdev/dapple)

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