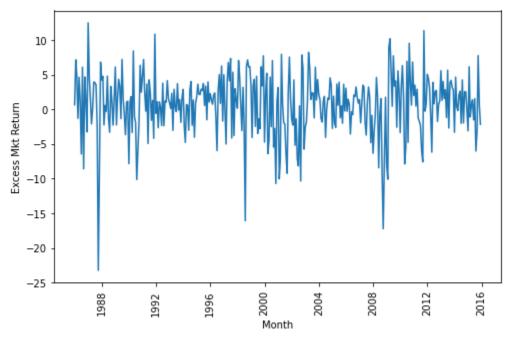
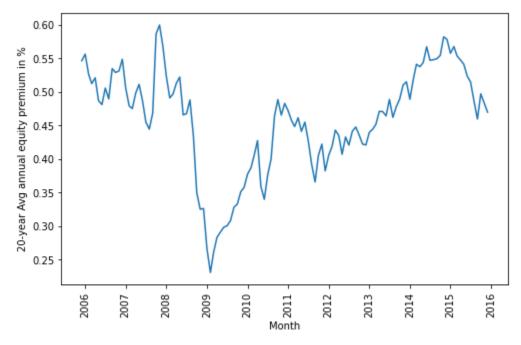
Q1.1

The excess market return by months from 1986 to 2016 is plotted as below:



The 20-year average annual equity premium per month is plotted below. The Effective Annual Returns of the equity premium is calculated using geometric mean since it is for historical returns.



Q2.1

The expected excess return of the 48 industry portfolios is shown in below table:

Industry	Agric	Food	Soda	Beer	Smoke	Toys	Fun	Books	Hshid	Clths
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Expected Return	0.7009	0.8368	0.8995	0.9919	1.2543	0.5310	0.9407	0.4801	0.6680	0.8228
ndustry	Hith	MedEq	Drugs	Chems	Rubbr	Txtls	BldMt	Cnstr	Steel	FabPr
Expected Return	0.5797	0.8469	0.9343	0.7717	0.8034	0.7998	0.7674	0.6789	0.4294	0.2926
Industry	Mach	ElcEq	Autos	Aero	Ships	Guns	Gold	Mines	Coal	Oil
Expected Return	0.7297	0.9097	0.5680	0.8122	0.7045	0.8735	0.2489	0.8009	0.5289	0.6915
Industry	Util	Telcm	PerSv	BusSv	Comps	Chips	LabEq	Paper	Boxes	Trans
Expected Return	0.5757	0.6013	0.3988	0.8788	0.6350	0.8376	0.7519	0.6621	0.7940	0.6746
Industry	Whisi	Rtail	Meals	Banks	Insur	RIEst	Fin	Other		
Expected Return	0.5588	0.8327	0.7899	0.6834	0.7041	0.1913	0.8416	0.2849		

Q2.2

Based on program result, the weight vector for the 3 constructed portfolio is as below: EWP Weight:

[0.02083333 0.02083333

TAN Weight:

[-0.09435441 0.1530272 0.08662343 0.1104785 0.2995244 -0.38133487 0.18638871 -0.18630205 -0.31210067 0.11605872 -0.00342404 0.47532814 0.33062431 -0.13150861 0.43435952 0.17164913 -0.0262847 -0.02106621 -0.37409459 -0.05767593 -0.07967925 0.25821426 0.07855709 -0.0811106 -0.04940718 0.38047381 -0.05453656 0.36913954 -0.1225659 0.34867112 0.42150699 -0.38450713 -0.46762073 0.553589 -0.43643119 0.40769319 -0.00819824 0.21278509 -0.06161164 0.34724601 -0.63145548 0.08938611

GMV Weight:

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Q2.3

Below table list down the in-sample expected return, standard deviations, sharpe ratio and betas for the 48 industry portfolios

	mean	std_dev	sharpe	beta
Agric	0.70086111	6.40010755	0.10950771	0.78129415
Food	0.83680556	4.45260827	0.18793604	0.59990055
Soda	0.8995	7.00211494	0.12846119	0.82537766
Beer	0.99188889	5.10706134	0.19421911	0.63929947
Smoke	1.25427778	6.84788392	0.18316283	0.63291577
Toys	0.53102778	6.70647787	0.07918132	1.04432918
Fun	0.94072222	7.59639506	0.12383798	1.3442889
Books	0.48013889	5.72577058	0.08385577	1.03052444
Hshld	0.66797222	4.49921535	0.14846416	0.71660342
Ciths	0.82277778	6.57447521	0.12514729	1.08233362
Hith	0.57969444	6.54812378	0.08852833	0.83713135
MedEq	0.84686111	5.09177981	0.16631927	0.85419291
Drugs	0.93430556	4.87824744	0.19152484	0.74590993
Chems	0.77172222	5.84519271	0.13202682	1.05416082
Rubbr	0.80338889	6.06498055	0.13246356	1.05439781
Txtls	0.79980556	8.0410132	0.09946577	1.19290165

BldMt	0.76741667	6.36101109	0.12064382	1.1376044
Cnstr	0.67888889	7.00606871	0.09690012	1.19558499
Steel	0.42944444	8.12809055	0.0528346	1.43734345
FabPr	0.29263889	7.39812052	0.03955584	1.07186699
Mach	0.72966667	6.69297939	0.10901971	1.26565653
ElcEq	0.90972222	6.47521802	0.14049291	1.24125338
Autos	0.56797222	7.65107865	0.07423427	1.2628331
Aero	0.81216667	6.13680719	0.13234352	1.01210611
Ships	0.70452778	7.62726766	0.09236962	1.07099563
Guns	0.87347222	6.17974122	0.14134447	0.58203607
Gold	0.24886111	10.9979666	0.02262792	0.4053946
Mines	0.80091667	7.9382276	0.10089364	1.09886229
Coal	0.52886111	11.6577733	0.04536553	1.10958513
Oil	0.6915	5.40642478	0.12790338	0.7235385
Util	0.57569444	3.97214621	0.14493284	0.41510252
Telcm	0.60125	5.16091216	0.11650072	0.92880176
PerSv	0.39883333	6.15994707	0.06474623	0.96818748
BusSv	0.87877778	6.55006659	0.13416318	1.27171757
Comps	0.63502778	7.8607473	0.08078466	1.35526866
Chips	0.83761111	8.03385184	0.10426021	1.45650257
LabEq	0.75191667	6.87776118	0.10932579	1.27582556
Paper	0.66208333	5.42578327	0.12202539	0.92656973
Boxes	0.794	6.11018895	0.12994688	0.97795969
Trans	0.67461111	5.34829079	0.12613583	0.93439698
Whisi	0.55875	4.8762462	0.11458609	0.91521112
Rtail	0.83266667	5.37015804	0.15505441	0.967557
Meals	0.78991667	5.07797393	0.15555745	0.83838302
Banks	0.68344444	6.15967358	0.11095465	1.07276762
Insur	0.70411111	5.39435925	0.13052729	0.92636257
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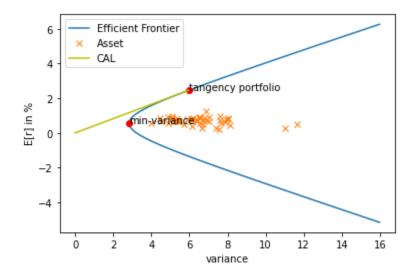
RIEst	0.19133333	7.5613262	0.0253042	1.09351596
Fin	0.84158333	6.75071984	0.12466572	1.32434694
Other	0.28488889	6.64472769	0.04287443	1.10860923

Q2.4
Below table summarize the three in-sample performance metrics of the 4 portfolios

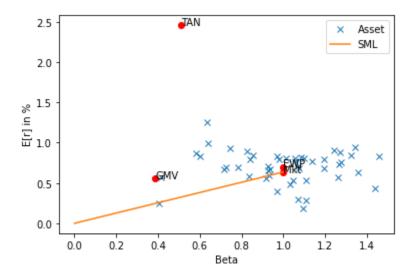
	Return	std_dev	Sharpe	beta
EWP	0.69988137	4.69583912	0.14904288	0.9959856
TAN	2.4563899	5.95895577	0.41221818	0.51141406
GMV	0.55543985	2.83360968	0.19601848	0.38708943
Mkt	0.63636111	4.48452695	0.1419015	1

Q2.5

a) The (ex-post) σ vs. E[r] diagram.



b) The (ex-post) β vs. E[r] diagram



Q3.3.1

First, we calculated the loss (the out-of-sample standard deviation) of GMV_shrink and TAN_shrink when δ equals 0, 0.1, 0.2, 0.3, 0.4, 0.5, 0.6, 0.7, 0.8, 0.9 and 1.0 in 6-fold cross validation. Then we further find the more precise values of δ in the intervals beside the previous optimal δ .

As a result, we found the Best δ for TAN_shrink is: 0.03 when the standard deviation is 3.60943. The best δ for GMV_shrink std: 0.003 when the standard deviation is 3.71469.

Q3.3.2

Portfolio	Expected Return	Standard Deviation	Sharpe Ratio
TAN	-0.1414174310862816	8.840333163160826	0.031574051300246625
TAN-shrink	0.637960008	3.60942621019672	0.195768810873164
GMV	0.6191922401304931	3.71470690704912	0.18009985518964464
GMV-shrink	0.6188128973595449	3.714685421248817	0.17995672998259368
MKT	0.6363611111111112	4.403392643707931	0.1662157654616148
EWP	0.6998813657407407	4.5923795516730666	0.17216658953654773

(Best delta for TAN-shrink is 0.03;Best delta for GMV-shrink is 0.003)

The out-of-sample performances above show that portfolio TAN-shrink has the highest sharpe ratio, thus having the best performance.

Q3.3.3

Findings and insights:

In terms of expected return for the risk taken, the in-sample market portfolio performs the worst, so the market portfolio could be considered as a baseline for portfolio choosing and decision making. The out-of-sample and in-sample performance of EWP, MKT, GMV are similar. However, compared to in-sample portfolios, both out-sample EWP and MKT have higher sharpe ratios, while out-sample GMV has a lower one.

The out-of-sample performance of TAN portfolio is much worse than the in-sample performance, and the out-of-sample sharpe is even lower than that of MKT. This may be because the tangency portfolio does not function well in prediction. The excess returns across the test periods are quite different, so the sample estimates of expected return may be too noisy and be of limited value in predicting values in other periods.

It can be seen from the above out-sample result, the TAN-shrink portfolio has better performance metrics than the out-sample tangency portfolio. It has the highest sharpe ratio and it performs more consistently with its in-sample result. This could be partly because of using shrunk V and CAPM implied returns to compute the expected excess returns. It is more robust and has lower sample risk compared without using shrink V, therefore it has a more stable performance when we use it for prediction purposes.

Limitations:

- a) We can further use shrinkage parameters for beta to find the most optimal value.
- b) The optimal delta we derived is the local optimal, and it's hard to find the global optimal. Also, the delta may be outside the range we defined, which means it may be beyond [0, 1].
- c) Selecting delta based on out-of-sample standard deviation may not be the best prediction for future. And simple averaging the k-fold out-of-sample meatrics is not completely reasonable, because the weights of portfolios in each fold are different.

Q4

Based on the results of Q3, our team has decided to adopt the TAN-shrink portfolio to allocate the investment among 48 industries. To estimate the optimised delta value for shrink matrix, we have run 5-fold cross validation on the last 5 years of data available (2011 - 2015), the results of cross validation can be found in Appendix. From the cross validation results, we have identified the delta value 0 that generates the lowest standard deviation for TAN-shrink portfolio (4.214862144221985). In terms of the weightage allocation among the 48 industries, we use the last 1 year (2015)'s in-sample weight allocation of the Tangency shrink portfolio from the 5-fold cross validation results when delta is equal to the most optimal value of 0 and the weight for different assets is attached in

'GP1_Recommendation_G12.csv'. In terms of investment in the riskless asset, our team decides to not borrow from riskless assets because we are risk averse. The exact percentage invested in the riskless assets will depend on the individual investors' risk aversion level.

Appendix

The results of cross validation for Q3:

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0.06 MKT return: 0.636361111111111 MKT std 4.403392643707932 MKT SR

GMV_shrink_return: 0.6130914932491015 GMV_shrink_std 3.7198442630363178

 $\texttt{0.16621576546161473 \ EWP_return: 0.6998813657407407 \ EWP_std}$

4.5923795516730666 EWP_SR 0.17216658953654776 TAN_return:

GMV shrink SR 0.17751183113419297

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GMV shrink return: 0.6119254646497699 GMV shrink std 3.7221796400502014
GMV shrink SR 0.17695115887116322
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GMV shrink return: 0.6085283432313295 GMV shrink std 3.731516962834523
GMV shrink SR 0.1752076793693349
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 \hbox{0.6191922401304928 GMV std} \ \hbox{3.7147069070491217 GMV SR} \ \hbox{0.18009985518964444} 
GMV shrink return: 0.6074283774971804 GMV shrink std 3.735357152967849
GMV shrink SR 0.1746100302060811
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GMV shrink return: 0.6191922401304928 GMV shrink std 3.7147069070491217
GMV shrink SR 0.18009985518964444
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0.16621576546161473 EWP_return: 0.6998813657407407 EWP_std
4.5923795516730666 EWP SR 0.17216658953654776 TAN return:
-0.14141743108628488 TAN std 7.133933010965649 TAN SR
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3.611510167433524 TAN shrink SR 0.19651413730495748 GMV return:
0.6191922401304928 GMV std 3.7147069070491217 GMV SR 0.18009985518964444
GMV shrink return: 0.6189391490791306 GMV shrink std 3.714687629565898
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0.009 MKT_return: 0.636361111111111 MKT_std 4.403392643707932 MKT_SR 0.16621576546161473 EWP return: 0.6998813657407407 EWP std

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^{4.5923795516730666} EWP_SR 0.17216658953654776 TAN_return:

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-0.14141743108628488 TAN std 7.133933010965649 TAN SR
0.0008191509397513416 TAN shrink return: 0.6401191363330035 TAN shrink std
3.610522909913185 TAN shrink SR 0.1963511050069653 GMV return:
0.6191922401304928 GMV std 3.7147069070491217 GMV SR 0.18009985518964444
GMV shrink return: 0.6180594708519007 GMV shrink std 3.7147750818694187
GMV shrink SR 0.1796652316798124
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0.01 MKT_return: 0.636361111111111 MKT_std 4.403392643707932 MKT_SR
0.16621576546161473 EWP return: 0.6998813657407407 EWP std
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0.0008191509397513416 TAN shrink return: 0.6400147479695701 TAN shrink std
3.6104077004779302 TAN_shrink_SR 0.1963264986207068 GMV_return:
0.6191922401304928 GMV std 3.7147069070491217 GMV SR 0.18009985518964444
GMV_shrink_return: 0.6179345760705682 GMV_shrink std 3.714807012754093
GMV shrink SR 0.1796159878408535
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The results of cross validation for Q4:

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0.0 TAN shrink return: 0.5502583379828261 TAN shrink std 4.214862144221985
TAN shrink SR 0.19300880472956417
weight TAN shrink: [[ 0.05297056  0.06295374 -0.00685701  0.01203884
-0.03243102 -0.02441691
 -0.01570492 \quad 0.04358878 \quad 0.18135931 \quad -0.02607092 \quad -0.0164331 \quad 0.06300746
  0.00343015 - 0.07702264 - 0.03667591 - 0.03096741 - 0.03955744 - 0.10320433
 -0.0381994 0.04832691 -0.01556003 -0.08810021 -0.03369796 -0.08021052
 -0.04318616 \quad 0.08641376 \quad 0.04250714 \quad 0.00275255 \quad 0.00272683 \quad 0.09136379
  0.27816855 \quad 0.12372526 \quad -0.01752162 \quad -0.00529796 \quad 0.07594866 \quad 0.03617029
  0.06106702 0.00578327 0.00402195 0.04919286 -0.01783933 -0.0363717
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0.999999999999999
0.1 TAN shrink return: 0.5780875956372855 TAN shrink_std 4.325456358434524
TAN shrink SR 0.19069654465189242
weight TAN shrink: [[ 0.03256828  0.07481657 -0.02470621  0.00174819
-0.05445611 -0.03160903
  -0.03269193 \quad 0.04529377 \quad 0.19736532 \quad -0.03405815 \quad -0.03324461 \quad 0.09620112
 -0.0102689 \quad -0.04830037 \quad -0.01161802 \quad -0.0498597 \quad -0.02711404 \quad -0.10202081
 -0.04159774 0.0365284 0.03936002 -0.0919377 -0.04170342 -0.07467962
 -0.05557507 0.06980585 0.024242 0.01106496 -0.01598122 0.08999949
  0.29279696 0.12498531 -0.02873123 0.00680589 0.06440005 0.0205123
  -0.00056289 0.07160555 0.03153463 0.15173028 0.12793007 0.12150819
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0.08233935 - 0.00153544 \ 0.00352154 \ 0.04139783 - 0.00366406
-0.0441456511
0.2 TAN shrink return: 0.6035075984699714 TAN shrink std 4.446222070626224
TAN shrink SR 0.18777151827586452
weight TAN shrink: [[ 0.01368767  0.08579463 -0.04122416 -0.00777494
-0.07483848 -0.03826473
  -0.04841198 0.0468716 0.21217753 -0.04144966 -0.04880225 0.12691908
 -0.02294622 -0.02172032 0.01157096 -0.06734294 -0.01559872 -0.10092556
 -0.04474262 0.02560987 0.09018393 -0.09548897 -0.04911181 -0.06956125
 -0.06703997 \quad 0.05443662 \quad 0.00733914 \quad 0.0187574 \quad -0.03329394 \quad 0.08873694
  -0.02434421 \quad 0.07394793 \quad 0.02116923 \quad 0.15173527 \quad 0.20917095 \quad 0.11457752
  0.10202511 - 0.0083083 0.00305845 0.03418418 0.00945397
-0.05133979]]
0.3 TAN shrink return: 0.6268156226660743 TAN shrink std
4.5717892892082705 TAN shrink SR 0.18469748067900543
weight TAN shrink: [[-0.00383537 0.09598335 -0.05655442 -0.01661333
-0.0937553 -0.04444187
  -0.06300172 \quad 0.04833598 \quad 0.22592472 \quad -0.0483097 \quad -0.06324127 \quad 0.15542834
 -0.03471201 0.00294857 0.0330926 -0.08356909 -0.00491138 -0.09990906
 -0.04766138 0.01547641 0.13735348 -0.0987849 -0.05598751 -0.06481089
 -0.07768052 0.04017247 -0.00834836 0.02589673 -0.04936184 0.08756518
  0.31889832 0.12723359 - 0.04873246 0.0284027 0.04379394 - 0.00742614
 -0.04641559 0.07612188 0.01154914 0.1517399 0.28457041 0.10814519
  0.12029541 - 0.01459417 \ 0.00262866 \ 0.02748921 \ 0.02162879
-0.0580166611
1.0
0.4 TAN shrink return: 0.6482622757810228 TAN shrink std
4.6987323992770476 TAN shrink SR 0.18166423271950738
weight TAN shrink: [[-0.02014219 0.10546489 -0.07082065 -0.02483828
-0.11135917 -0.05019028
 -0.07657883 0.04969872 0.23871775 -0.05469361 -0.07667811 0.18195885
 -0.04566118 0.02590526 0.05312048 -0.09866903 0.00503418 -0.09896311
 -0.05037755 0.00604628 0.18124912 -0.10185207 -0.062386 -0.06039025
 -0.08758253 0.02689836 -0.02294704 0.03254054 -0.06431452 0.08647474
  0.33059029 \quad 0.1282407 \quad -0.0576919 \quad 0.03807687 \quad 0.03456354 \quad -0.01994102
 -0.06695507 0.07814494 0.00259675 0.15174421 0.35473662 0.1021593
  0.13729763 - 0.02044376 \ 0.0022287 \ 0.02125892 \ 0.03295858 - 0.0642301
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0.5 TAN shrink return: 0.6680602646116557 TAN shrink std 4.824873561331195
TAN shrink SR 0.17874849049155003
weight TAN shrink: [[-0.03535516 0.11431042 -0.08412992 -0.0325115
-0.12778218 -0.05555308
  -0.0892452 0.05097005 0.25065263 -0.0606493 -0.08921361 0.20670972
  -0.05587588 \quad 0.04732204 \quad 0.07180491 \quad -0.11275608 \quad 0.01431261 \quad -0.09808061
  -0.05291153 -0.00275128 0.22220028 -0.1047135 -0.06835528 -0.05626614
  -0.09682033 \quad 0.01451466 \quad -0.03656645 \quad 0.0387387 \quad -0.07826418 \quad 0.08545745
  0.34149797 \quad 0.12918025 \quad -0.06605035 \quad 0.04710211 \quad 0.02595232 \quad -0.03161641
  -0.08611677 \quad 0.08003229 \quad -0.00575513 \quad 0.15174824 \quad 0.42019613 \quad 0.09657495
   0.15315935 - 0.02590096 \ 0.00185557 \ 0.01544655 \ 0.04352838
-0.0700267511
0.6 TAN shrink return: 0.6863912654334022 TAN shrink std 4.948838755176235
TAN shrink SR 0.1759794767809087
weight TAN shrink: [[-0.04958077 0.12258185 -0.09657538 -0.03968672
-0.1431393 -0.06056783
  -0.10108949 0.05215886 0.26181291 -0.06621844 -0.10093554 0.2298542
  -0.06542762 0.06734881 0.08927667 -0.12592884 0.02298884 -0.09725539
  -0.05528104 \ -0.01097786 \ \ 0.26049361 \ -0.10738921 \ -0.07393713 \ -0.05240969
  -0.10545857 0.0029347 -0.04930193 0.04453457 -0.09130847 0.08450618
  0.35169771 0.13005883 -0.07386631 0.05554159 0.01789998 -0.04253404
  -0.10403483 0.08179715 -0.01356494 0.151752 0.48140716 0.09135303
   0.1679916 - 0.03100397 \ 0.00150666 \ 0.01001142 \ 0.05341218
-0.0754471811
0.7 TAN shrink return: 0.7034113576296935 TAN shrink std 5.069776972667443
TAN shrink SR 0.1733656984179365
weight TAN shrink: [[-0.06291213 0.13033332 -0.10823849 -0.04641088
-0.15753104 -0.06526734
  -0.11218922 0.05327295 0.27227163 -0.07143749 -0.11192059 0.25154376
  -0.07437892 \quad 0.08611665 \quad 0.10565011 \quad -0.13827354 \quad 0.03111966 \quad -0.09648205
  -0.0575016 \quad -0.01868729 \quad 0.29637972 \quad -0.10989672 \quad -0.0791681 \quad -0.04879567
  -0.11355379 -0.00791732 -0.06123682 0.04996611 -0.10353277 0.08361472
  0.36125628 \quad 0.13088217 \quad -0.08119095 \quad 0.06345054 \quad 0.01035383 \quad -0.05276536
  -0.12082652 0.08345107 -0.02088382 0.15175552 0.53877031 0.08645938
   0.18189147 - 0.0357862 0.00117968 0.00491796 0.06267465
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