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| query     | Interactive / complex / 1  |  |   |   |  |                           |                             |
|-----------|--|--|---|---|--|---------------------------|-----------------------------|
| title     | Transitive friends with certain name   |  |   |   |  |                           |                             |
| pattern   | person: Person  id = \$personId  Given a start Person, fin   | id lastName birthday creation Egender browser Ulocation email speaks | with a given fir  | ot» ot» ot» oty | name  company: Company name  university: University name  ame (firstName)  | isLocatedIn-> that the st | art Person is con-          |
| desc.     | nected to (excluding sta<br>including the distance (   |  | •   | _   |  | _                         |                             |
|           | 1 personId ID  |  |   |   |  |                           |                             |
| params    | 2 firstName Strin  | g  |   |   |  |                           |                             |
| result    | 1 otherPerson.id 2 otherPerson.last 3 distanceFromPers 4 otherPerson.birt 5 otherPerson.crea 6 otherPerson.gend 7 otherPerson.brow 8 otherPerson.loca 9 otherPerson.emai 10 otherPerson.spea 11 locationCity.nam 12 universities 13 companies  | on hday tionDate er serUsed tionIP l                                 | ID String 32-bit Integer Date DateTime String String String {Long String} {String} String { | R R R R R R R A A                                   | { <university.runiversitycity} td="" {<company.namecompanycountry<=""><td>y.name&gt;}<br/>e, workAt.</td><td>yAt.classYear,<br/>workFrom,</td></university.runiversitycity}> | y.name>}<br>e, workAt.    | yAt.classYear,<br>workFrom, |
| sort      | 1 distanceFromPers 2 otherPerson.last 3 otherPerson.id   | - '  |   |   |  |                           |                             |
| limit     | 20   |  |   |   |  |                           |                             |
| CPs       | 2.1, 5.3, 8.2  |  |   |   |  |                           |                             |
| relevance | This query is a representative of a simple navigational query. It looks for paths of length 13 through the knows relation, starting from a given Person and ending at a Person with a given first name. It is interesting for several aspects.  (1) It requires for a complex aggregation for returning the concatenation of universities, companies, languages and email information of the Person. (2) It tests the ability of the optimizer to move the evaluation of sub-queries functionally dependant on the Person, after the evaluation of the top-k. (3) Its performance is highly sensitive to properly estimating the cardinalities in each transitive path, and paying attention not to explore already visited Persons. |  |   |   |  |                           |                             |

| IC 1                | query     | Interactive / complex / 2  |  |  |
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| IC 2                | title     | Recent messages by your friends  |  |  |
| IC 3 IC 4 IC 5 IC 6 | pattern   | person: Person  id = \$personId  knows id firstName lastName lastName  lastName    Message   |  |  |
| IC 9                | desc.     | Given a start Person (person), find the most recent Messages from all of that Person's friends (friend nodes). Only consider Messages created before the given maxDate (excluding that day).   |  |  |
| IC 10               |           | 1 personId ID  |  |  |
| IC 11<br>IC 12      | params    | 2 maxDate Date   |  |  |
| IC 13<br>IC 14      | result    | 1 friend.id ID R 2 friend.firstName String R 3 friend.lastName String R 4 message.id ID R message.content or 5 message.imageFile (for Text R photos) 6 message.creationDate DateTime R   |  |  |
|                     | 11 11     |  |  |  |
|                     | limit     | 20   |  |  |
|                     | CPs       | 1.1, 2.2, 2.3, 3.2, 8.5  |  |  |
|                     | relevance | This is a navigational query looking for paths of length two, starting from a given Person, going to their friends and from them, moving to their published Posts and Comments. This query exercices both the optimizer and how data is stored. It tests the ability to create execution plans taking advantage of the orderings induced by some operators to avoid performing expensive sorts. This query requires selecting Posts and Comments based on their creation date, which might be correlated with their identifier and therefore, having intermediate results with interesting orders. Also, messages could be stored in an order correlated with their creation date to improve data access locality. Finally, as many of the attributes required in the projection are not needed for the execution of the query, it is expected that the query optimizer will move the projection to the end. |  |  |

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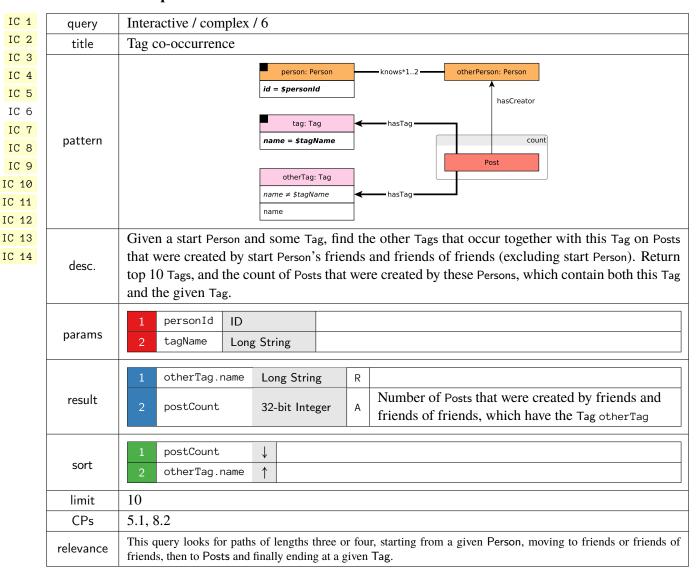
| query          | Interactive / complex / 3  |  |  |  |  |
|----------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| title          | Friends and friends of friends that have been to given countries   |  |  |  |  |
| pattern        | xCount = count    Message  |  |  |  |  |
| desc.          | Given a start Person, find Persons that are their friends and friends of friends (excluding start Person) that have made Posts / Comments in both of the given Countries, CountryX and CountryY, within a given period. Only Persons that are foreign to Countries CountryX and CountryY are considered, that is Persons whose location is neither CountryX nor CountryY.  |  |  |  |  |
| params         | 1 personId ID 2 countryXName String 3 countryYName String 4 startDate Date Beginning of requested period 5 durationDays 32-bit Integer Duration of requested period, in days. The interval [startDate, startDate + durationDays) is closed-open  |  |  |  |  |
| result         | 1 otherPerson.id ID R 2 otherPerson.firstName String R 3 otherPerson.lastName String R 4 xCount 32-bit Integer A Number of Messages from Country Count |  |  |  |  |
| sort limit CPs | 1 xCount ↓   |  |  |  |  |
| relevance      | 2.1, 3.1, 5.1, 8.2, 8.5  This query looks for paths of length two and three, starting from a Person, going to friends or friends of friends, and then moving to Messages. This query tests the ability of the query optimizer to select the most efficient join ordering, which will depend on the cardinalities of the intermediate results. Many friends of friends can be duplicate, then it is expected to eliminate duplicates and those people prior to access the Post and Comments, as well as eliminate those friends from Countryx and Countryx, as the size of the intermediate results can be severely affected. A possible structural optimization could be to materialize the number of Posts and Comments created by a Person, and progressively filter those people that could not even fall in the top 20 even having all their posts in the Countries Countryx and Countryy.   |  |  |  |  |

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| IC 1                               | query     | Interactive / complex / 4  |
| IC 2                               | title     | New topics   |
| IC 3 IC 4 IC 5 IC 6 IC 7 IC 8 IC 9 | pattern   | friend: Person  wopt> hasCreator  postCount = count  Post  \$startDate ≤ creationDate < \$startDate + \$durationDays\$  knows — Person  knows — Person  knows — Person  hasCreator  hasCreator  hasTag → Post  creationDate < \$startDate  |
| IC 11<br>IC 12<br>IC 13            | desc.     | Given a start Person (personId), find Tags that are attached to Posts that were created by that Person's friends. Only include Tags that were attached to friends' Posts created within a given time interval, and that were never attached to friends' Posts created before this interval.  |
| IC 14                              | params    | 1 personId ID 2 startDate Date 3 durationDays 32-bit Integer Duration of requested period, in days. The interval [startDate, startDate + durationDays) is closed-open  |
|                                    | result    | 1 tag.name Long String R 2 postCount 32-bit Integer A Number of Posts made within the given time interval that have tag  |
|                                    | sort      | 1 postCount ↓ 2 tag.name ↑   |
|                                    | limit     | 10   |
|                                    | CPs       | 2.3, 8.2, 8.5  |
|                                    | relevance | This query looks for paths of length two, starting from a given Person, moving to Posts and then to Tags. It tests the ability of the query optimizer to properly select the usage of hash joins or index based joins, depending on the cardinality of the intermediate results. These cardinalities are clearly affected by the input Person, the number of |

friends, the variety of Tags, the time interval and the number of Posts.  $\,$ 

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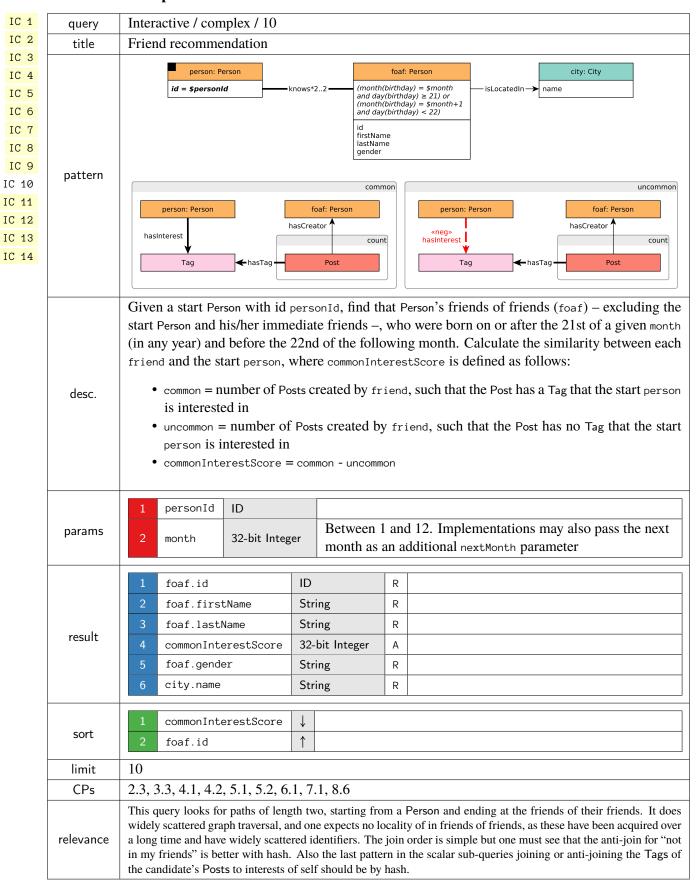
| query     | Interactive / complex / 5   |  |  |  |
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| title     | New groups  |  |  |  |
| pattern   | person: Person  id = \$personId  hasMember \$minDate < creationDate  forum: Forum  id title   |  |  |  |
| desc.     | Given a start Person, find the Forums which that Person's friends and friends of friends (excluding start Person) became Members of after a given date. For each Forum find the number of Posts that were created by any of these Persons. For each Forum and consider only those Persons which joined that particular Forum after the given date (minDate).  |  |  |  |
| params    | 1 personId ID 2 minDate Date  |  |  |  |
| result    | 1 forum.title Long String R 2 postCount 32-bit Integer A Number of Posts made in forum that were created by friends   |  |  |  |
| sort      | 1 postCount ↓ 2 forum.id ↑  |  |  |  |
| limit     | 20  |  |  |  |
| CPs       | 2.3, 3.3, 8.2, 8.5  |  |  |  |
| relevance | This query looks for paths of length two and three, starting from a given Person, moving to friends and friends of friends, and then getting the Forums they are members of. Besides testing the ability of the query optimizer to select the proper join operator, it rewards the usage of indexes, but their accesses will be presumably scattered due to the two/three-hop search space of the query, leading to unpredictable and scattered index accesses. Having efficient implementations of such indexes will be highly beneficial. |  |  |  |



| IC 1                               | query     | Interactive / complex / 7   |  |  |
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| IC 2                               | title     | Recent likers   |  |  |
| IC 3 IC 4 IC 5 IC 6 IC 7 IC 8 IC 9 | pattern   | person: Person  id = \$personId  hasCreator  message: Message id content / imageFile  Given a start Person, find the most recentlikes on any of start Person's Messages. Find Persons that  |  |  |
| IC 11 IC 12 IC 13 IC 14            | desc.     | liked (likes edge) any of start Person's Messages, the Messages they liked most recently, the creation date of that like, and the latency in minutes (minutesLatency) between creation of Messages and like. Additionally, for each Person found return a flag indicating (isNew) whether the liker is a friend of start Person. In case that a Person liked multiple Messages at the same time, return the Message with lowest identifier.   |  |  |
|                                    | params    | 1 personId   ID   |  |  |
|                                    | result    | 1 friend.id ID R 2 friend.firstName String R 3 friend.lastName String R 4 likes.creationDate DateTime R 5 message.id ID R message.content or message.imageFile (for photos)  7 minutesLatency 32-bit Integer C Duration between creation of the Message and the creation of the like, in minutes  8 isNew Boolean C False if person and friend know each other, True otherwise  |  |  |
|                                    | sort      | 1 likes.creationDate ↓ 2 friend.id ↑  |  |  |
|                                    | limit     | 20  |  |  |
|                                    | CPs       | 2.2, 2.3, 3.3, 5.1, 8.1, 8.3  |  |  |
|                                    | relevance | This query looks for paths of length two, starting from a given Person, moving to its published messages and then to Persons who liked them. It tests several aspects related to join optimization, both at query optimization plan level and execution engine level. On the one hand, many of the columns needed for the projection are only needed in the last stages of the query, so the optimizer is expected to delay the projection until the end. This query implies accessing two-hop data, and as a consequence, index accesses are expected to be scattered. We expect to observe variate cardinalities, depending on the characteristics of the input parameter, so properly selecting the join operators will be crucial. This query has a lot of correlated sub-queries, so it is testing the ability to flatten the query execution plans. |  |  |

| IC 1                               | query     | Interactive / complex / 8  |  |  |
|------------------------------------|-----------|--|--|--|
| IC 2                               | title     | Recent replies   |  |  |
| IC 3 IC 4 IC 5 IC 6 IC 7 IC 8 IC 9 | pattern   | person: Person  id = \$personId  hasCreator  Message  commentAuthor: Person id firstName lastName  hasCreator  comment: Comment id content creationDate  |  |  |
| IC 11 IC 12 IC 13 IC 14            | desc.     | Given a start Person, find the most recent Comments that are replies to Messages of the start Person.  Only consider direct (single-hop) replies, not the transitive (multi-hop) ones. Return the reply Comments, and the Person that created each reply Comment.  |  |  |
|                                    | params    | 1 personId   D   |  |  |
|                                    | result    | 1 commentAuthor.id ID R 2 commentAuthor.firstName String R 3 commentAuthor.lastName String R 4 comment.creationDate DateTime R 5 comment.id ID R 6 comment.content Text R  |  |  |
|                                    | sort      | 1 comment.creationDate ↓ 2 comment.id ↑  |  |  |
|                                    | limit     | 20   |  |  |
|                                    | CPs       | 2.4, 3.3, 5.3  |  |  |
|                                    | relevance | This query looks for paths of length two, starting from a given Person, going through its created Messages and finishing at their replies. In this query there is temporal locality between the replies being accessed. Thus the top-k order by this can interact with the selection, i.e. do not consider older Posts than the 20th oldest seen so far. |  |  |

| IC 1                                     | query     | Interactive / complex / 9  |
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| IC 2                                     | title     | Recent messages by friends or friends of friends   |
| IC 3 IC 4 IC 5 IC 6 IC 7 IC 8 IC 9 IC 10 | pattern   | person: Person  id = \$personId  knows*12  knows*12  id firstName lastName  hasCreator  message: Message  creationDate < \$maxDate  id content / imageFile creationDate  |
| IC 12<br>IC 13<br>IC 14                  | desc.     | Given a start Person, find the most recent Messages created by that Person's friends or friends of friends (excluding start Person). Only consider Messages created before the given maxDate (excluding that day).   |
|  | params    | 1 personId ID 2 maxDate Date   |
|  | result    | 1 otherPerson.id ID R 2 otherPerson.firstName String R 3 otherPerson.lastName String R 4 message.id ID R message.content or 5 message.imageFile (for photos) 6 message.creationDate DateTime R   |
|  | sort      | 1 message.creationDate ↓ 2 message.id ↑  |
|  | limit     | 20   |
|  | CPs       | 1.1, 1.2, 2.2, 2.3, 3.2, 3.3, 8.5  |
|  | relevance | This query looks for paths of length two or three, starting from a given Person, moving to its friends and friends of friends, and ending at their created Messages. This is one of the most complex queries, as the list of choke points indicates. This query is expected to touch variable amounts of data with entities of different characteristics, and therefore, properly estimating cardinalities and selecting the proper operators will be crucial. |



| IC 1   | query     | Interactive / complex / 11  |
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| IC 2   | title     | Job referral  |
| IC 3 IC 4 IC 5 IC 6 IC 7 IC 8 IC 9 IC 10 IC 11 IC 12 IC 13 | pattern   | person: Person  id = \$personId  knows*12  knows*12  workAt year(workFrom) company: Company name  isLocatedIn  country: Country name = \$name   |
| IC 14  | desc.     | Given a start Person, find that Person's friends and friends of friends (excluding start Person) who started working in some Company in a given Country, before a given date (year).  |
|  | params    | 1 personId ID 2 countryName String 3 workFromYear 32-bit Integer  |
|  | result    | 1 otherPerson.id ID R 2 otherPerson.firstName String R 3 otherPerson.lastName String R 4 company.name String R 5 workAt.workFrom 32-bit Integer R   |
|  | sort      | 1 workAt.workFrom ↑ 2 otherPerson.id ↑ 3 company.name ↓   |
|  | limit     | 10  |
|  | CPs       | 1.3, 2.3, 2.4, 3.3, 4.2   |
|  | relevance | This query looks for paths of length two or three, starting from a Person, moving to friends or friends of friends, and ending at a Company. In this query, there are selective joins and a top-k order by that can be exploited for optimizations. |

| IC 1   | query     | Interactive / complex / 12  |
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| IC 2   | title     | Expert search   |
| IC 3 IC 4 IC 5 IC 6 IC 7 IC 8 IC 9 IC 10 IC 11 IC 12 IC 13 IC 14 | pattern   | person: Person  id = \$personId  id = \$personId |
|  | desc.     | Given a start Person, find the Comments that this Person's friends made in reply to Posts, considering only those Comments that are direct (single-hop) replies to Posts, not the transitive (multi-hop) ones. Only consider Posts with a Tag in a given TagClass or in a descendent of that TagClass. Count the number of these reply Comments, and collect the Tags that were attached to the Posts they replied to, but only collect Tags with the given TagClass or with a descendant of that TagClass. Return Persons with at least one reply, the reply count, and the collection of Tags.  |
|  | params    | 1 personId ID 2 tagClassName Long String  |
|  | result    | 1         friend.id         ID         R           2         friend.firstName         String         R           3         friend.lastName         String         R           4         tagNames         {Long String}         A           5         replyCount         32-bit Integer         A  |
|  | sort      | 1 replyCount ↓ 2 friend.id ↑  |
|  | limit     | 20  |
|  | CPs       | 3.3, 7.2, 7.3, 8.2  |
|  | relevance | This query starts at a Person, moves to its friends, and the to their Comments and their root Posts. Then, it gets the Tag of each Post and checks whether it (directly or transitively) belongs to the specified TagClass. This can be thought of a bidirectional search between the Person and the TagClass. The difficulty of this query is determining the optimal direction of this traversal.   |

| IC 1  | query     | Interactive / complex / 13   |  |  |  |  |
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| IC 2  | title     | Single shortest path   |  |  |  |  |
| IC 3  |           |  |  |  |  |  |
| IC 4  | pattern   | Person  id = \$person2Id  knows*0  id = \$person2Id  |  |  |  |  |
| IC 5  |           | a = \$personzia  |  |  |  |  |
| IC 6  |           | Given two Persons, find the shortest path between these two Persons in the subgraph induced by   |  |  |  |  |
| IC 7  |           | the knows relationships. Return the length of this path:   |  |  |  |  |
| IC 8  |           |  |  |  |  |  |
| IC 9  | desc.     | • -1: no path found  |  |  |  |  |
| IC 10 |           | • 0: start person = end person   |  |  |  |  |
| IC 11 |           | • > 0: path found (start person ≠ end person)  |  |  |  |  |
| IC 12 |           |  |  |  |  |  |
| IC 13 |           | 1 person1Id ID   |  |  |  |  |
| IC 14 | params    | 2 person2Id ID   |  |  |  |  |
|       |           |  |  |  |  |  |
|       | result    | 1 shortestPathLength 32-bit Integer C  |  |  |  |  |
|       | CPs       | 3.3, 7.2, 7.3, 7.5, 8.1, 8.6   |  |  |  |  |
|       | relevance | This query looks for a variable length path, starting at a given Person and finishing at an another given Person. Proper cardinality estimation and search space pruning, will be crucial. This query also allows for possible parallel implementations. |  |  |  |  |

| IC 1   | query     | Interactive / complex / 14   |  |
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| IC 2   | title     | Trusted connection paths   |  |
| IC 3 IC 4 IC 5 IC 6 IC 7 IC 8 IC 9 IC 10 IC 11 | pattern   | Enumerate all unweighted shortest paths on knows edges from person1 to person2.  Person1: Person   knows*   person2: Person   id = \$person2!d    Case 1: Replies on Posts, weight += 1.0 × count(c)    personA: Person   knows   personB: Person   hasCreator   hasCreator   hasCreator    c: Comment   replyOf > post: Post    Enumerate all unweighted   For each edge on the path, calculate a weight based on interactions between the pair of Persons of the edge, are calculated as a sum of cases #1 and #2 for the Persons (both ways), and the sum of these weights determine the total weight of each path.  Pp1 - knows - pX - knows - pY pW - knows - p2  Case 2: Replies on Comments, weight += 0.5 × count(c1)  PersonA: Person   knows - personB: Person   hasCreator   hasCreator   C1: Comment - replyOf - c2: Comment   |  |
| IC 13  | desc.     | ven two Persons, find all (unweighted) shortest paths between these two Persons, in the subgraph duced by the knows relationship.  een, for each path calculate a weight. The nodes in the path are Persons, and the weight of a this the sum of weights between every pair of consecutive Person nodes in the path. He weight for a pair of Persons is calculated based on their interactions:  • Every direct reply (by one of the Persons) to a Post (by the other Person) contributes 1.0.  • Every direct reply (by one of the Persons) to a Comment (by the other Person) contributes 0.5.  that interactions are counted both ways (e.g. if Alice writes 2 Post replies and 1 Comment obly to Bob, while Bob writes 3 Post replies and 4 Comment replies to Alice, their interaction are is $2 \times 1.0 + 1 \times 0.5 + 3 \times 1.0 + 4 \times 0.5 = 7.5$ ).  Eturn all the paths with shortest length, and their weights. Do not return any rows if there is no the between the two Persons. |  |
|  | params    | 1 person1Id   ID   2 person2Id   ID  |  |
|  | result    | personIdsInPath [ID] C identifiers representing an ordered sequence of the Persons in the path  pathWeight 64-bit Float C  |  |
|  | sort      | pathWeight ↓ The order of paths with the same weight is unspecified  |  |
|  | CPs       | 3.3, 5.3, 7.2, 7.3, 7.5, 7.7, 8.1, 8.2, 8.3, 8.6   |  |
|  | relevance | This query looks for a variable length path, starting at a given Person and finishing at an another given Person. This is a more complex query as it not only requires computing the path length, but returning it and computing a weight. To compute this weight one must look for smaller sub-queries with paths of length three, formed by the two Persons at each step, a Post and a Comment.  |  |