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**National Trust Tours**

# Canadian Maritimes and Newfoundland

August 24 – September 2, 2026  
*Aboard National Geographic Explorer*



**SPECIAL AFFINITY GROUP SAVINGS OFFER**





**Dear National Trust Traveler,**

In Canada's easternmost provinces, where the Atlantic shapes both life and land, the Maritimes and Newfoundland reveal a world defined by seafaring traditions and rich storytelling. Rugged, windswept and steeped in centuries of lore, these provinces offer a rare blend of wild nature and living history. To sail their coastlines is to follow in the wake of Vikings, whalers and generations of mariners who have called this place home.

Aboard *National Geographic Explorer*, we invite you to experience the Canadian Maritimes, plus a full circumnavigation of Newfoundland—an extraordinary voyage that carries you deep into the past and present of this storied land.

The region is alive with history, from the Indigenous peoples who first inhabited these shores to the Europeans who arrived in search of fish and fortune. In St-Pierre and Miquelon—France's last foothold in North America—trace the cod trade that sparked wars and built empires, and in Îles de la Madeleine, a remote archipelago of red cliffs and windswept beaches, feel the Atlantic in its wildest form.

Every day offers new opportunities for immersive exploration. Join our experts for guided hikes across rugged coastal trails, or walk through quiet villages where Newfoundlanders welcome us with their world-famous warmth and hospitality. Throughout, our team of naturalists, cultural specialists and a National Geographic-Lindblad Expeditions certified photo instructor will deepen your understanding and connection to this extraordinary place.

To extend your experience, consider a stay at the celebrated Fogo Island Inn, where community hosts guide you through the island's timeless traditions, from fishing and storytelling to boatbuilding and foraging along berry-filled footpaths.

This is travel that weaves together land and people, past and present—and reveals a corner of North America that still feels undiscovered. **To reserve your place, please return the reservation form or call or email our group representative at Lindblad Expeditions at 833-985-1261 or [groups@expeditions.com](mailto:groups@expeditions.com).**

Sincerely,



Meg Annacone-Poretz, MTA  
Director, National Trust Tours

**Special Offer**

Save 10% when traveling with National Trust Tours. See page 12 for details.

# DISCOVER CANADA'S MARITIME LEGACY

## **Rich Traditions at the Edge of the Atlantic**

Sail a storied route through the Canadian Maritimes and around Newfoundland, where centuries-old history, untamed landscapes and enduring coastal traditions come together in a voyage of discovery.

Encounter a rich human story along these remote shores: call at L'Anse aux Meadows, the only known Viking site in North America; walk the cobbled streets of St-Pierre, where the region's French heritage still thrives; and explore the legacy of innovation in Baddeck, summer home of Alexander Graham Bell.

Natural beauty abounds, from the wind- and wave-carved cliffs of Îles de la Madeleine to the raw geological drama of Gros Morne National Park. We'll explore these wonders actively, on a variety of walks and hikes. And in between the wild landscapes and welcoming harbors, you'll taste the richness of your destination in every bite, whether it's freshly picked berries or mussels just hauled in from the surrounding seas.

Traveling aboard a nimble expedition ship, access wild shores and timeless coastal communities that feel worlds away—and gain a rare perspective on a place where nature and culture are beautifully intertwined.

## **A Remote Retreat Like No Other**

Dramatically perched atop a rocky coast along one of Newfoundland's most remote outposts, Fogo Island Inn is a world-renowned retreat that blends contemporary design with deep-rooted traditions. Opt to extend your adventure with a stay at this remarkable property, celebrated for its striking architecture, community-driven ethos and profound connection to land and sea.

*Opposite page: Smoked herring on racks at Le Fumoir d'Antan; bending metal by hand at the recreated Viking village at Norstead; small harbor with fishing boats outside St. John's; walking L'Anse aux Meadows; boardwalk on Tablelands Trail, Gros Morne National Park.*











# NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC EXPLORER

## The Quintessential Expedition Ship

With a storied history working in Norway's famed Coastal Express, the 148-passenger *National Geographic Explorer* is a ship that truly lives up to her name. Rebuilt for expedition cruising, she embodies the expertise that Lindblad Expeditions has developed throughout more than 50 years of exploring the planet's northerly reaches.

This powerful yet intimately scaled vessel brings you to coastal Canada's remote wildernesses and seafaring cultures and allows you to experience them in unique and immersive ways. With well-appointed shared spaces and a dynamic suite of exploration features—including an interactive chart room, an open Bridge, a high observation lounge and a low-profile bow with dramatic views—she is devoted to discovery, every detail revealing a dedication to curiosity and wonder.

## Life on Board

Our culinary team thoughtfully infuses each meal with the distinctive flavors of your destination, sourcing local ingredients whenever possible for an authentic dining experience. Local food and wellness go hand in hand, and our treatment rooms, saunas and outdoor yoga classes all encourage you to tap into the natural rhythms of Canada's peaceful surroundings. Treatments are tailored to your individual needs, and each of our fully accredited wellness specialists is also a licensed massage therapist.

# THE MOST EXPERIENCED TEAM

## Travel with Veteran Guides

Each of our guides—from our naturalists and cultural specialists to our expedition leaders—is committed to ensuring you have an unforgettable experience. We curate each expedition team so that you get in-depth perspectives from veteran and locally based experts who have deeply personal connections to Canada. Exploring in small groups, you will have the opportunity to hear different perspectives every day, and because there are no group assignments, you can gravitate toward guides who share your interests.



## Take Great Photos with the Pros

Photography is central to the expedition experience. A National Geographic-Lindblad Expeditions certified photo instructor joins our voyage to help you with everything from camera settings

to composition. Every guest—from smartphone camera users to advanced hobbyists—can stand side by side with top photographers, pick up tips in the field and return home with extraordinary images of Canada's windswept isles and colorful fishing villages that you can revisit for years to come. With the OM System Photo Gear Locker, you can also field test new lenses, camera bodies and more.

*Opposite page: Zodiac cruise in the Bay of Islands; a captive snowy owl rehabilitated at the Salmonier Nature Refuge, St. John's; a moose grazing in Gros Morne National Park; a guide sings in front of the fire. This page: National Geographic certified photo instructor helping guests get the perfect shot.*







## Itinerary

Follow in the footsteps of ancient Vikings, Basque whalers and British and French settlers as you explore Canada's rocky and windswept eastern shores. Receive a warm welcome from friendly Newfoundlanders in vibrant St. John's, then set sail for secluded coves dotted with historic fortifications and colorful fishing villages. Explore the geological marvels of Gros Morne National Park on guided walks and hikes, visit the summer home of Alexander Graham Bell, delve into the legacy of the region's once-thriving cod fisheries and more.

### DAY 1: ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND, CANADA/EMBARK

Arrive this afternoon in St. John's, the colorful capital of Newfoundland and Labrador, and board the ship to begin your coastal adventure. (D)

### DAY 2: ST-PIERRE, FRANCE

Your first landfall is the archipelago of St-Pierre, France's oldest remaining overseas territory. Get to know this picturesque French fishing enclave, visiting some of its eight islands to learn the importance of the historic cod fisheries and explore the fascinating L'Arche Museum. (B,L,D)



### DAY 3: CAPE BRETON, NOVA SCOTIA, CANADA

Step back in time at the meticulously reconstructed Fortress of Louisbourg, an 18th-century stronghold that once echoed with battles between British and French soldiers. Later, visit the charming village of Baddeck, where Alexander Graham Bell built his beloved summer home—now the heart of a scenic park and museum. Delve into Bell's extraordinary life and legacy as you explore the museum's rich collection of historic artifacts. (B,L,D)

### DAY 4: ÎLES DE LA MADELEINE, QUÉBEC

A cluster of wispy islands isolated in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, the Îles de la Madeleine are home to miles of dunes, grassy hills and dazzling red sandstone cliffs. Local experts guide you across this landscape of caves and sea arches, stopping along the way in colorful fishing villages as you learn about Acadian culture. (B,L,D)

### DAY 5: GULF OF ST. LAWRENCE

This is a day of exploration, where your expedition team looks for the best opportunities to focus on the natural history and landscapes of the region. (B,L,D)



## **DAY 6: GROS MORNE NATIONAL PARK, NEWFOUNDLAND**

Graced by cliffs, fjords and a sweeping alpine plateau, Gros Morne National Park has been designated a UNESCO World Heritage site for its spectacular geology. Go on a variety of walks with your naturalists along waterfalls, marine inlets and forested trails. Learn about the forces that shaped this land and the ancient serpentine rock that illustrates the phenomenon of plate tectonics. (B,L,D)

## **DAY 7: RED BAY, LABRADOR**

Explore Red Bay, the site of a historic Basque whaling station dating back to the 1500s. See original Basque remains and artifacts at this National Historic Site, or take a scenic hike to a viewpoint overlooking the small village. (B,L,D)

## **DAY 8: L'ANSE AUX MEADOWS, NEWFOUNDLAND**

In the World Heritage site of L'Anse aux Meadows, walk among 11th-century Norse ruins and reconstructed sod huts and learn the saga of the Vikings who lived in North America nearly 500 years before Columbus arrived. (B,L,D)



*The reconstructed Viking settlement at L'Anse aux Meadows.*

## **DAY 9: EASTERN NEWFOUNDLAND**

Wild, rugged and often accessible only by sea, Newfoundland's east coast is dotted with tiny fishing villages tucked into secluded coves. Explore stunning windswept shorelines, and back aboard, gain insights from our experts into the people and wildlife of these remote lands. (B,L,D)

## **DAY 10: ST. JOHN'S/DISEMBARK**

Disembark in St. John's and transfer to the airport for flights home.(B)



## **Fogo Island Inn Post-Voyage Extension • 5 Days/4 Nights**

A stay at the award-winning Fogo Island Inn is an invitation to connect with a centuries-old outport culture—from its fishing and foraging traditions to its vibrant legacies of art, music and storytelling. Venture out with a community host for island excursions: gather wild berries along ancient footpaths, bike to nearby villages or cast a line into quiet ponds. After adventure-filled days, unwind with wild-foraged cuisine and a hot tub soak under the stars. With heritage woven into every experience, this is a rare chance to live the island's rhythms—guided by those who know them best.

# National Geographic Explorer



Designed for in-depth exploration, she is the definitive expedition ship, capable of navigating both polar passages and temperate waters. Fully stabilized and with an ice strengthened hull, she provides exceptional comfort, while her dynamic suite of exploration features—including an interactive chart room, a high observation lounge and a low-profile bow with dramatic views—reflect a dedication to curiosity and wonder.

### Capacity

81 outside cabins and suites accommodating 148 guests.

| Registry | Overall Length |
|----------|----------------|
| Bahamas. | 367 feet.      |

### Public areas

Bistro bar; chart room; restaurant; Global Gallery; library; lounge with photo kiosks, full-service bar and facilities for films, slideshows and presentations; mudroom with lockers for expedition gear; OM System Photo Gear Locker; laundry; and observation lounge. An open Bridge enables guests to meet the captain and officers and learn about navigation.

### Meals

Served in single seatings with unassigned tables for an informal atmosphere. Menu is international with local flair.

### Accommodations

All cabins and suites face outside with windows or portholes, and have a private bathroom and climate controls. Equipped with Wi-Fi, multiple electrical outlets, USB outlets, full-length mirror and phones.



Category 7 suite with balcony.

TV featuring entertainment on demand, live feed from onboard presentations, bow camera and ship's position. Luxury bed linens and pillows. Botanically inspired shampoo, conditioner, shower gel and lotion. Newly updated suites are enhanced with a sleek, Scandinavian design, and hold a Command Center that allows guests to explore from the comfort of their rooms. Command Centers include a barometer, a *National Geographic Atlas* and an espresso maker.

### Expedition Equipment

Zodiacs, kayaks, Remotely Operated Vehicle (ROV), hydrophone, splash-cam, underwater video camera, crow's nest remote-controlled camera, video microscope.

### Staff & Crew

Every staff member is committed to ensuring guests have an unforgettable experience. Many of the veteran guides and naturalists are locally based in your destination and have worked with the company for decades. A full-time medical professional, undersea specialist, National Geographic photographer and a National Geographic certified photo instructor are on board, and with a high staff-to-guest ratio, you can hear different perspectives and gain new insights every day.



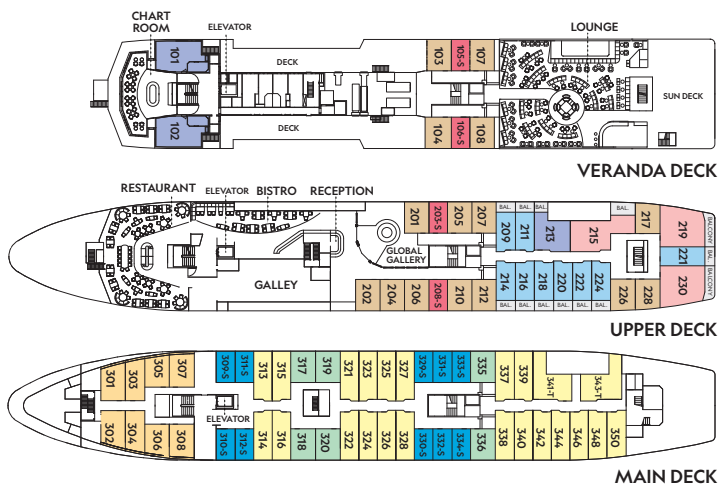
Fitness center with panoramic views.

### Wellness

The vessel is staffed by a wellness specialist and features a glass-enclosed fitness center, outdoor stretching area, LEXspa treatment room and sauna.



# Ship Deck Plan & Pricing



## Voyage Dates

August 24 – September 2, 2026

## Advance Payment Details

15% of the cabin fare, per person

Costs are per person, double occupancy unless indicated as solo.

|  |  | 10% Savings              |
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| <b>Category 1</b>  |  | <b>\$11,196 \$10,077</b> |
| Main Deck – With one or two portholes #301-308   |  |                          |
| <b>Category 2</b>  |  | <b>\$12,042 \$10,838</b> |
| Main Deck – With window #317-320, 335-336  |  |                          |
| <b>Category 3</b>  |  | <b>\$12,528 \$11,276</b> |
| Main Deck – With window #313-316, 321-328, 337-344, 346, 348, 350                                |  |                          |
| <b>Category 4</b>  |  | <b>\$13,275 \$11,948</b> |
| Upper & Veranda Decks – With window #103-104, 107-108, 201-202, 204-207, 210, 212, 217, 226, 228 |  |                          |
| <b>Category 5*</b>   |  | <b>\$15,651 \$14,086</b> |
| Upper Deck – With balcony #209, 211, 214, 216, 218, 220-222, 224                                 |  |                          |
| <b>Category 6*</b>   |  | <b>\$17,892 \$16,103</b> |
| Veranda Deck – Suite #101-102; Upper Deck-Suite with balcony #213                                |  |                          |
| <b>Category 7*</b>   |  | <b>\$21,249 \$19,125</b> |
| Upper Deck – Suite with balcony #215, 219, 230   |  |                          |
| <b>Category A Solo</b>   |  | <b>\$14,904 \$13,414</b> |
| Main Deck – With window #309-312, 329-334  |  |                          |
| <b>Category B Solo</b>   |  | <b>\$15,606 \$14,046</b> |
| Upper & Veranda Decks – With window #105-106, 203, 208   |  |                          |

**\*Suite Exclusives:** The Suite Exclusives package gives guests staying in eligible cabins access to an array of amenities designed to enhance your on-board experience, including priority booking for spa treatments, complimentary laundry and other exclusive perks.

**Shared Accommodations:** Available in Categories 1 and 2.

**Solo Occupancy:** Cabins available in Categories A and B.

**Note:** Cabins #209, 211, 214, 216-218, 220, 222, 224, 226, 228, 303-306 have one queen-size bed. All other double cabins have two single beds; some can convert to a queen-size bed. Third person rates are available in the designated triple occupancy cabins at one-half the double occupancy rate. Cabins #341, 343, 101, 102, 215, 219 and 230 can accommodate a third person.

## INCLUSIVE PRICING

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- All accommodations aboard ship
- Excursions and airport transfers as indicated in the itinerary
- The guidance and company of leading expedition staff
- All meals as indicated in the itinerary, both aboard and onshore. Meals and hors d'oeuvres are inspired by regional cuisine and locally sourced where possible.
- 24-hour access to snacks, premium coffees and teas, non-alcoholic beverages and filtered water
- Selection of exploration tools, including Zodiacs, stand-up paddleboards, snorkeling equipment (including wetsuits, masks and fins) and other gear
- Beer, wine, cocktails and spirits. Premium wines and liquors are available for purchase.
- Presentations by the expedition staff
- Access to the OM System Photo Gear Locker with the latest gear to try out on loan
- Complimentary reusable water bottle
- The services of a medical professional
- 24-hour access to lounges, observation decks, library and other shared spaces
- 24-hour access to the fitness center
- Assistance by the onboard photo instructor
- Special access permits, park and site entrance fees and port taxes
- Basic Wi-Fi, with the option to upgrade

## TAKE ADVANTAGE OF SPECIAL OFFERS

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**SPECIAL AFFINITY GROUP SAVINGS:** Save 10% on the cabin fare (as indicated) when traveling with National Trust Tours. Valid on this departure date of *Canadian Maritimes and Newfoundland* for new bookings only, subject to availability, may not be combined with other offers and is not applicable on airfare or extensions. Call for details.

**BRINGING THE KIDS:** Sharing the expedition with your kids or grandkids is a life-enhancing experience. Take \$500 off the double-occupancy price for each person under the age of 18 at the time of travel. Not applicable on extensions or airfare.

## TERMS AND CONDITIONS

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Prices quoted in this brochure are per person based on double occupancy in USD. Prices quoted are valid at the time of printing, and are subject to change and availability at time of booking. Under normal conditions the total expedition price is guaranteed at the time advanced payment is made. However, our expedition pricing is determined far in advance of initial departure on the basis of then-existing projections of fuel and other costs. In the event of increases in those costs, including but not limited to increases in the price of fuel, currency fluctuations, increases in government taxes or levies, or increased security costs, we reserve the right to adjust the price of your expedition or add a surcharge to cover such unexpected increases. We will always provide an explanation of the reason for increase in costs.

**COST INCLUDES:** All amenities listed in inclusive pricing above. Unused services or items included in this program are non-refundable.

**NOT INCLUDED:** Airfare; pre- and post-expedition extensions; additional hotel nights; travel protection plan; passport, visa and immigration fees; crew gratuities; items of a personal nature such as laundry, premium wines and liquors, spa treatments, enhanced and premium Wi-Fi plans and phone services.

**AIRFARE:** Airfare is an additional cost. Lindblad Expeditions will gladly assist in making your air arrangements for a \$50 per person service fee.

**RESERVATIONS:** To confirm your place, an advance payment of 15% of the cabin fare, per person is payable by Visa, MasterCard, American Express, Discover or check. Receipt of advance payment indicates your acceptance of the terms and conditions.

**FINAL PAYMENT:** Due no later than 120 days prior to departure. Lindblad Expeditions reserves the right to cancel your reservation if payment has not been received by final payment due date.

**TRAVEL PROTECTION PLAN:** National Trust Tours strongly recommends the purchase of trip cancellation insurance, which is available for coverage of expenses in conjunction with cancellation due to covered illness or accident. In the event that you must cancel your participation in a travel program, trip cancellation insurance may be the only source of reimbursement. USI Travel Insurance Services offers a plan designed specifically for National Trust Tours travelers, providing coverage for Trip Cancellation, Trip Interruption, Travel Delay, Baggage Delay, Baggage Loss, Emergency Medical and more. Plus, you can upgrade your plan with Cancel For Any Reason (CFAR) coverage for the utmost flexibility. CFAR allows you to cancel your trip for ANY reason at all and be reimbursed up to 75% of your pre-paid, non-refundable trip costs (conditions apply, see plan for details). For additional information, please contact National Trust Tours at (888) 484-8785.

**ITINERARY MODIFICATIONS:** Itineraries, routing and speakers listed are correct at time of publication, and are subject to change.

**ENTRY AND VISA REQUIREMENTS:** Guests are advised to verify travel documents (passport/transit visa/entry visa) for the country(s) through which they are transiting and/or entering. Reliable and most current information regarding international travel can be found by contacting the consulate/embassy of the country(s) you are visiting or transiting through. We will not be responsible if you are denied entry or transit into a country if you are unable to provide valid documents as per the country's requirement.

**RESPONSIBILITY AND OTHER TERMS & CONDITIONS:** Certain other provisions concerning, among other things, limitations of Lindblad Expeditions' and National Geographic Expeditions' (a division of National Geographic Partners, LLC) liability for loss of property, injury, illness, or death during the voyage will be provided to all guests on the ship's ticket sent prior to departure or upon request. By registering for a trip, the guest agrees to all such terms and conditions.

## CANCELLATION FEE POLICY (PER PERSON)

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**120 or more days prior to expedition start: No penalty: Advance Payment will be credited toward your next expedition\*\***

**119-90 days prior to expedition start: 50% of trip cost\*\*\***

**89-0 days prior to expedition start: 100% of trip cost\*\*\***

\*\*Advance payments will be credited in the form of a Lindblad Expeditions Travel Certificate, valid for 12 months from the date of cancellation, and which may only be applied towards final payment on any future booking.

\*\*\*Trip cost is total price paid including extensions, charter airfare and other additional services.

We strongly recommend that you purchase a travel protection plan.

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# Reservation Form



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## National Trust Tours

### Contact Information

To register, please contact:  
National Trust Tours  
888.484.8785

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### Passenger Information

Please reserve \_\_\_\_\_ place(s).

Guest 1: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name as it appears on passport)

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ M/F: \_\_\_\_\_

Guest 2: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name as it appears on passport)

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ M/F: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Accommodations: ☐ Double ☐ Single ☐ Twin share with a friend  
☐ Share with roommate assigned by tour operator.

Please indicate choice of cabin category in order of preference:

1st choice: \_\_\_\_\_ 2nd choice: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Please send me information on the **Fogo Island Inn Post-Voyage Extension**.

**Advance Payment Information:** 15% of the cabin fare per person.

☐ If paying by check, please make payable to: **Lindblad Maritime Enterprises, Ltd.**  
Enclosed is my advance payment of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

☐ If paying by credit card, we will contact you to finalize your booking and collect payment information.



# Canadian Maritimes and Newfoundland

## EXPEDITION HIGHLIGHTS

- Discover charming coastal villages and small islands, including the historic French settlements at St. Pierre et Miquelon.
- Explore two UNESCO World Heritage sites: Gros Morne National Park and the 11th-century Viking site at L'Anse aux Meadows.
- Hike along the dunes and sandstone cliffs of Îles de la Madeleine.
- Experience the region's famous cuisine, including Cape Breton mussels, fresh seafood, and much more.
- Visit Baddeck, Nova Scotia, Alexander Graham Bell's summer home, and tour the museum dedicated to his life and inventions.
- Extend your expedition at the acclaimed Fogo Island Inn.

### LINDBLAD EXPEDITIONS: PIONEERING RESPONSIBLE EXPLORATION

From our consistent quest to improve our practices to offsetting 100% of our carbon emissions, supporting conservation, science, and education initiatives around the planet and investing in the communities in the places we explore, we are guided by our commitment to explore responsibly.

 Printed on 10% recycled content paper with soy-based inks.  
We recommend that you pass this along for others to enjoy or recycle.



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