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Faculty of Theology and Philosophy
Postgraduate
2027 Unit Offerings

NOTE: Please refer to the "completion requirements" and "schedule of unit offerings" section in your Handbook, based on year of study commencement, for detailed information on units required to complete your study.

Units may sit across multiple specialisation areas.

500 Level Units

Summer Term
Professional Term 1
Professional Term 2
Semester 1
Professional Term 4
Winter Term
Professional Term 5
Semester 2
Professional Term 6
Professional Term 8

600 Level Units

Professional Term 1
Professional Term 2
Semester 1
Professional Term 4
Winter Term
Professional Term 5
Semester 2
Professional Term 6
Professional Term 7
Professional Term 8

500 LEVEL UNITS

Pre: Prerequisite unit(s)
Inc: Incompatible unit(s)

Summer Term

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite & Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
EDRE516	Learning and Teaching for Religious Education		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil; Inc: EDRE526	10		

Professional Term 1

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite & Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
THCT505	Leading the Mission in Catholic Organisations	Canberra	On Campus	Pre: THCT504, PHIL506 and THCP518; Inc: THEL627	10		**COHORT SPECIFIC**
THCT563	Introducing Theology	Bathurst		Pre: Nil; Inc: THCT500, THEO558, THEO563	10	18 – 22 January 2027	**COHORT SPECIFIC**
THCT564	Introducing Church Life	Canberra	On Campus	Pre: Nil; Inc: THEO564	10		**COHORT SPECIFIC**

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Pre: Prerequisite unit(s)
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Professional Term 2

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite & Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
THSP521	Psychological Foundations for Supervision and Spiritual Direction		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil; Inc: THSP502	10		

Semester 1

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite & Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
EDRE517	Liturgy and Prayer Schools and Other Settings		Online Scheduled		10		
EDRE526	Introducing Religious Education		Online Scheduled		10		
EDRE529	Teaching the Catholic Tradition		Online Scheduled		10		
EDRE544	Change and Continuity in Religious Education		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil Inc: EDRE515, EDRE526, EDRE527	10		
THBS501	Biblical Studies		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil Inc: THBS502, THBS562, THMM502	10		

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Semester 1 (continued)

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite & Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
THBS562	Introducing the Scriptures	Melbourne	Multimode	Pre: Nil; Inc: THBS501, THBS502, THMM502	10		**COHORT SPECIFIC**
THBS562	Introducing the Scriptures		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil; Inc: THBS501, THBS502, THMM502	10		
THCT500	Foundations of Christian Faith		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil; Inc: THCT563	10		
THCT501	Jesus the Christ		Online Scheduled	Pre: THCT500 or THCT563 Inc: Nil	10		
THCT563	Introducing Theology		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil; Inc: THCT500, THEO558, THEO563	10		
THCT564	Introducing Church Life	Melbourne	Multimode	Pre: Nil; Inc: THEO564	10		**COHORT SPECIFIC**
THCT565	Reflecting on Faith	Cairns		Pre: Nil; Inc: THCT500	10	25 – 27 February 2027	**COHORT SPECIFIC**

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Pre: Prerequisite unit(s)
Inc: Incompatible unit(s)

Semester 1 (continued)

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite & Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
THCT565	Reflecting on Faith	Townsville		Pre: Nil; Inc: THCT500	10		COHORT SPECIFIC
THEL502	Latin A		Online Scheduled		10		
THEL510	Introductory Biblical Hebrew A		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil; Inc: THEL500	10		
THLS500	Celebrating Feasts and Seasons		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil; Inc: THCP510	10		
THMM512	Theology for the Future: Reimaging Leadership		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil; Inc: THCT507	10		
PHIL510	Introducing Philosophy for Theology		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil; Inc: PHIL626	10		

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Pre: Prerequisite unit(s)
Inc: Incompatible unit(s)

Professional Term 4

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite & Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
EDRE517	Liturgy and Prayer Schools and Other Settings	Bathurst			10	29 – 30 April and 27-28 May 2027	**COHORT SPECIFIC**
THSP520	Introduction to Spiritual Direction in the Ignatian Tradition		Online Scheduled		10		
THSP524	Critically Reflective Supervision		Online Scheduled		10		

Winter Term

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite & Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
PHIL506	Ethics in a Faith-Based Context		Online Scheduled		10		

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Pre: Prerequisite unit(s)
Inc: Incompatible unit(s)

Professional Term 5

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite & Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
THCT501	Jesus the Christ	Canberra	On Campus	Pre: THCT500 or THCT563; Inc: Nil	10		**COHORT SPECIFIC**
THCT563	Introducing Theology		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil; Inc: THEO563, THCT500, THEO558	10		
THMM506	Mission in Context	Canberra	On Campus	Pre: THMM505 or THCP519; Inc: THCP520	10		**COHORT SPECIFIC**

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Semester 2

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite & Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
EDRE516	Learning and Teaching for Religious Education	Bathurst		Pre: Nil; Inc: EDRE526	10	5 – 6 August and 9 – 10 September 2027	COHORT SPECIFIC
EDRE516	Learning and Teaching for Religious Education		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil; Inc: EDRE526	10		
EDRE526	Introducing Religious Education	Melbourne	Multimode		10		COHORT SPECIFIC
EDRE544	Change and Continuity in Religious Education		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil; Inc: EDRE515, EDRE526, EDRE527	10		
THBS562	Introducing the Scriptures	Townsville		Pre: Nil; Inc: THBS501	10		COHORT SPECIFIC
THBS562	Introducing the Scriptures	Toowoomba		Pre: Nil; Inc: THBS501	10	20 – 22 September 2027	COHORT SPECIFIC
THBS562	Introducing the Scriptures		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil; Inc: THBS501	10		
THCT500	Foundations of Christian Faith		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil; Inc: THCT563	10		
THCT501	Jesus the Christ		Online Scheduled	Pre: THCT500 or THCT563 Inc: Nil	10		

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Pre: Prerequisite unit(s)
Inc: Incompatible unit(s)

Semester 2 (continued)

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite & Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
THCT503	The Early Christian World		Online Scheduled		10		
THCT563	Introducing Theology	Melbourne	Multimode	Pre: Nil; Inc: THEO563, THCT500, THEO558	10		**COHORT SPECIFIC**
THCT564	Introducing Church Life	Brisbane	Multimode	Pre: Nil; Inc: THEO564	10	29 – 31 July 2027	**COHORT SPECIFIC**
THCT564	Introducing Church Life		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil; Inc: THEO564	10		
THCT565	Reflecting on Faith	Ballarat	On Campus	Pre: Nil; Inc: THCT500	10		**COHORT SPECIFIC**
THEL503	Latin B		Online Scheduled	Pre: THEL502	10		
THMM514	Visions of Women Leading for Mission		Online Scheduled	Pre: THMM513, THMM502, THMM512	10		
THRE501	The Hermeneutic Communicative Model of Religious Education	Cairns		Pre: THCT565; Inc: Nil	10		**COHORT SPECIFIC**

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Pre: Prerequisite unit(s)
Inc: Incompatible unit(s)

Professional Term 6

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite & Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
THSP522	Ethics and Professional Practice in Supervision and Spiritual Direction		Online Scheduled		10		

Professional Term 8

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite & Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
THBS562	Introducing the Scriptures	Bathurst		Pre: Nil; Inc: THBS501	10	14 – 15 October and 11 – 12 November 2027	**COHORT SPECIFIC**
THLS502	Liturgical Music		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil; Inc: THCP516	10		
THSP509	Ignatian Discernment and Decision-Making		Online Scheduled		10		
THSP523	Individual Supervision		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil; Inc: THSP512	10		

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600 LEVEL UNITS

Pre: Prerequisite unit(s)
Inc: Incompatible unit(s)

Professional Term 1

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite & Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
THSP611	Medieval Mystics and the Experience of God		Online Scheduled		10	4 – 7 January 2027	

Professional Term 2

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite & Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
EDRE699	Religious Education Curriculum, Pedagogy and Assessment II		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil; Inc: EDRE521, EDRE528	10		
THCT615	Building a Catholic Dialogue School	Townsville	On Campus	Pre: THCT605	10	8-9 February and 11-12 February 2027	**COHORT SPECIFIC**
THSP632	Spiritual Exercises Theory A		Online Scheduled	Pre: THSP509, THSP520, THSP521, THSP522; Inc: THSP504	10		

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Pre: Prerequisite unit(s)
Inc: Incompatible unit(s)

Semester 1

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite & Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
EDCE601	Catholic Perspectives Across the Curriculum	Brisbane	Multimode	Pre: Nil; Inc: EDCU623	10	11 – 13 March 2027	**COHORT SPECIFIC**
EDRE629	Spirituality and Religious Education		Online Scheduled		10		
EDRE645	Sacred Texts Curriculum and Pedagogy	Brisbane	Multimode		10	4 – 6 March 2027	**COHORT SPECIFIC**
EDRE645	Sacred Texts Curriculum and Pedagogy		Online Scheduled		10		
THBS601	Literature of the Hebrew Bible		Online Scheduled	Pre: THBS501 or THBS563; Inc: Nil	10		
THBS603	Pauline Literature	Adelaide Centre Attendance	On Campus		10	12 – 13 March 2027 and 30 April – 1 May 2027	
THBS609	The Gospel of The Liturgical Year B: Mark	Brisbane	On Campus		10		
THBS609	The Gospel of The Liturgical Year B: Mark		Online Scheduled		10		

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Pre: Prerequisite unit(s)
Inc: Incompatible unit(s)

Semester 1 (continued)

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite & Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
THBS622	Biblical Studies Project B		Online Unscheduled	Students must have completed or, for the first semester of this unit, be concurrently enrolled in THEL619 Introduction to Theological and Philosophical Research.	20		Permission from Course Advisor required
THCT602	Sacraments and Sacramentality		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil; Inc: THCT502	10		
THCT603	Theology for Leadership in Church Mission	Blacktown	On Campus		10	6 – 8 May 2027	**COHORT SPECIFIC**
THCT622	Christian Thought and Tradition Project B		Online Unscheduled	Students must have completed or, for the first semester of this unit, be concurrently enrolled in THEL619 Introduction to Theological and Philosophical Research.	20		
THEL619	Introduction to Theology and Philosophy Research		Online Scheduled		10		

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Pre: Prerequisite unit(s)
Inc: Incompatible unit(s)

Semester 1 (continued)

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite & Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
THLS620	Special Study in Liturgy	MHS	Off Campus		10		COHORT SPECIFIC
THLS621	Liturgy Project A	National	Multimode		10		
THLS622	Liturgy Project B	National	Multimode		10		
THRE622	Theology Religious Education Project		Online Unscheduled	Pre: THEL619	20		Permission from Course Advisor required
THSP627	Supervised Giving of the Spiritual Exercises		Online Unscheduled	Pre: THSP506 and THSP507	10		
THSP629	Professional Supervision Field Unit A		Online Unscheduled	Pre: THSP638	10		
THSP636	Capstone Research Project		Online Unscheduled	Pre: All 8 foundational units and THEL619; Inc: THSP628	20		
THSP637	Supervision: Leadership and Governance		Online Unscheduled	Pre: THSP638; Inc: THSP626	10		

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Semester 1 (continued)

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite & Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
PHIL616	Special Study in Philosophy	National	Multimode		10		
PHIL617	Philosophy Project A	National	Multimode		10		
PHIL618	Philosophy Project B	National	Multimode	Pre: Students must have completed or, for the first semester of this unit, be concurrently enrolled in THEL619 Introduction to Theological and Philosophical Research.	20		
PHIL620	God the Universe and Everything		Online Scheduled		10		
PHIL626	Philosophy Contexts for the Theology		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil; Inc: PHIL510	10		

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Pre: Prerequisite unit(s)
Inc: Incompatible unit(s)

Professional Term 4

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite & Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
THCT615	Leading a Practical-Theological Instrument in your School	Ballarat	Multimode	Pre: THCT605	10	26-30 April 2027	COHORT SPECIFIC
THSP633	Spiritual Exercises Praxis A		Online Scheduled	Pre: THSP632; Inc: THSP506	10		

Winter Term

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite & Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
THRE600	Leading for Mission: Evangelisation in Contemporary Contexts	Broken Bay		Pre: Nil; Inc: EDNE600	10		COHORT SPECIFIC
THCT605	Enhancing Catholic Identity: Introducing the Leuven Project	Brisbane	Multimode	Pre: THBS501 or THBS562, THCT500 or THCT563	10	24 – 26 May 2027	COHORT SPECIFIC
THCT612	Catholic Social Ethics	Adelaide Centre Attendance	On Campus		10	11 – 12 June 2027 and 23 – 24 July 2027	

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Pre: Prerequisite unit(s)
Inc: Incompatible unit(s)

Professional Term 5							
Unit Code	**Unit Title**	**Campus**	**Study Mode**	**Prerequisite & Incompatible Units**	**Credit Points**	**Intensive Dates**	**Notes (Additional Information)**
EDCE600	Catholic Education: Mission, Culture and Spirituality	Rome	On Campus		20		
THCT605	Enhancing Catholic Identity	Townsville		Pre: THBS501 or THBS562 and THCT500 or THCT563	10		**COHORT SPECIFIC**
THLS606	Celebrating Liturgy Today: Exploring the Ritual Enactment of Faith		Online Scheduled		10	29-30 June and 1-2 July 2027	

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Pre: Prerequisite unit(s)
Inc: Incompatible unit(s)

Semester 2

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite & Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
EDRE627	Educating for Social Justice		Online Scheduled		10		
EDRE642	Religious Foundations of Catholic Schools	Adelaide Centre Attendance	On Campus		10	30 – 31 July 2027 and 27 – 28 August 2027	
EDRE642	Religious Foundations of Catholic Schools		Online Scheduled		10		
EDRE644	Teaching Church Tradition		Online Scheduled		10		
EDRE645	Sacred Texts Curriculum and Pedagogy	Brisbane	Multimode		10	26 – 28 August 2027	COHORT SPECIFIC
THBS608	The Gospel of the Liturgical Year A: Matthew		Online Scheduled		10		
THBS611	The Literature and Theology of the Johannine Community		Online Scheduled	Pre: THBS501 or THBS562; Inc: THBS604	10		

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Semester 2 (continued)

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite & Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
THBS622	Biblical Studies Project B		Online Unscheduled	Students must have completed or, for the first semester of this unit, be concurrently enrolled in THEL619 Introduction to Theological and Philosophical Research.	20		Permission from Course Advisor required
THCT605	Enhancing Catholic Identity	Ballarat	On Campus	Pre: THBS501 or THBS562 and THCT500 or THCT563	**10**	19 – 22 July 2027	**COHORT SPECIFIC**
THCT611	Issues in Christian Ethics		Online Scheduled	Pre: Nil; Inc: THCP603	10		
THCT622	Christian Thought and Tradition Project B		Online Unscheduled	Students must have completed or, for the first semester of this unit, be concurrently enrolled in THEL619 Introduction to Theological and Philosophical Research.	20		Permission from Course Advisor required
THEL619	Introduction to Theology and Philosophy Research		Online Scheduled		10		
THEL650	Introductory Biblical Hebrew B		Online Scheduled	Pre: THEL510 or THEL500; Inc: THEL625, THEL501	10		

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Semester 2 (continued)

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite & Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
THLS605	Ritual Studies		Online Scheduled		10		
THLS622	Liturgy Project B		Online Unscheduled	Students must have completed or, for the first semester of this unit, be concurrently enrolled in THEL619 Introduction to Theological and Philosophical Research.	20		Permission from Course Advisor required
THMM622	Mission and Ministry Project B		Online Scheduled	Students must have completed or, for the first semester of this unit, be concurrently enrolled in THEL619 Introduction to Theological and Philosophical Research.	20		Permission from Course Advisor required
THRE622	Theology Religious Education Project		Online Unscheduled	Students must have completed or, for the first semester of this unit, be concurrently enrolled in THEL619 Introduction to Theological and Philosophical Research.	20		Permission from Course Advisor required

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Pre: Prerequisite unit(s)
Inc: Incompatible unit(s)

Semester 2 (continued)

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite & Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
THSP619	Spirituality Christian Tradition	Blacktown	On Campus	Students must have completed or, for the first semester of this unit, be concurrently enrolled in THEL619 Introduction to Theological and Philosophical Research; Inc: THSP628	20	16 – 18 September 2027	**COHORT SPECIFIC**
THSP636	Capstone Research Project (Spiritual Direction)		Online Unscheduled	Pre: THEL619; Inc: THSP628	10		Completion of the postgraduate foundational units. The capstone unit will usually be taken during the last two semesters of coursework.
PHIL618	Philosophy Project B	National	Multimode	Students must have completed or, for the first semester of this unit, be concurrently enrolled in THEL619 Introduction to Theological and Philosophical Research.	20		
PHIL622	Truth and Interpretation		Online Scheduled		10		

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Pre: Prerequisite unit(s)
Inc: Incompatible unit(s)

Professional Term 6

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite & Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
THSP634	Spiritual Exercises Theory B		Online Unscheduled	Pre: THSP509, THSP520, THSP521, THSP522; Inc: THSP505	10		

Professional Term 7

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite & Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
THRE600	Leading for Mission: Evangelisation in Contemporary Contexts	Canberra	Multimode	Pre: Nil; Inc: EDNE600	10	17-18 August 2027	
THRE601	Catholic Schools as centres for evangelisation	Brisbane, Canberra	Multimode	Pre: Nil; Inc: EDNE601	10	17-18 August 2027	
THCT612	Catholic Social Ethics	Brisbane	Multimode	Pre: Nil; Inc: THCP614	10	31 August – 2 September 2027	COHORT SPECIFIC
THSC602	The Theology of Childhood: Close to the Mystery of God	Rockhampton			10		COHORT SPECIFIC

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Pre: Prerequisite unit(s)
Inc: Incompatible unit(s)

Professional Term 8

Unit Code	Unit Title	Campus	Study Mode	Prerequisite & Incompatible Units	Credit Points	Intensive Dates	Notes (Additional Information)
THRE600	Leading for Mission: Evangelisation in Contemporary Contexts	Rome	On Campus	Pre: Nil; Inc: EDNE600	10		
THRE601	Catholic Schools as centres for evangelisation	Rome	On Campus	Pre: Nil; Inc: EDNE601	10		
THSP635	Spiritual Exercises Praxis B		On Scheduled	Pre: THSP634; Inc: THSP507	10		

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