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Las Vegas Fastener Show

Newrex is going to meet you at the Las Vegas.

We are very excited to attend and look forward to meeting you all soon.



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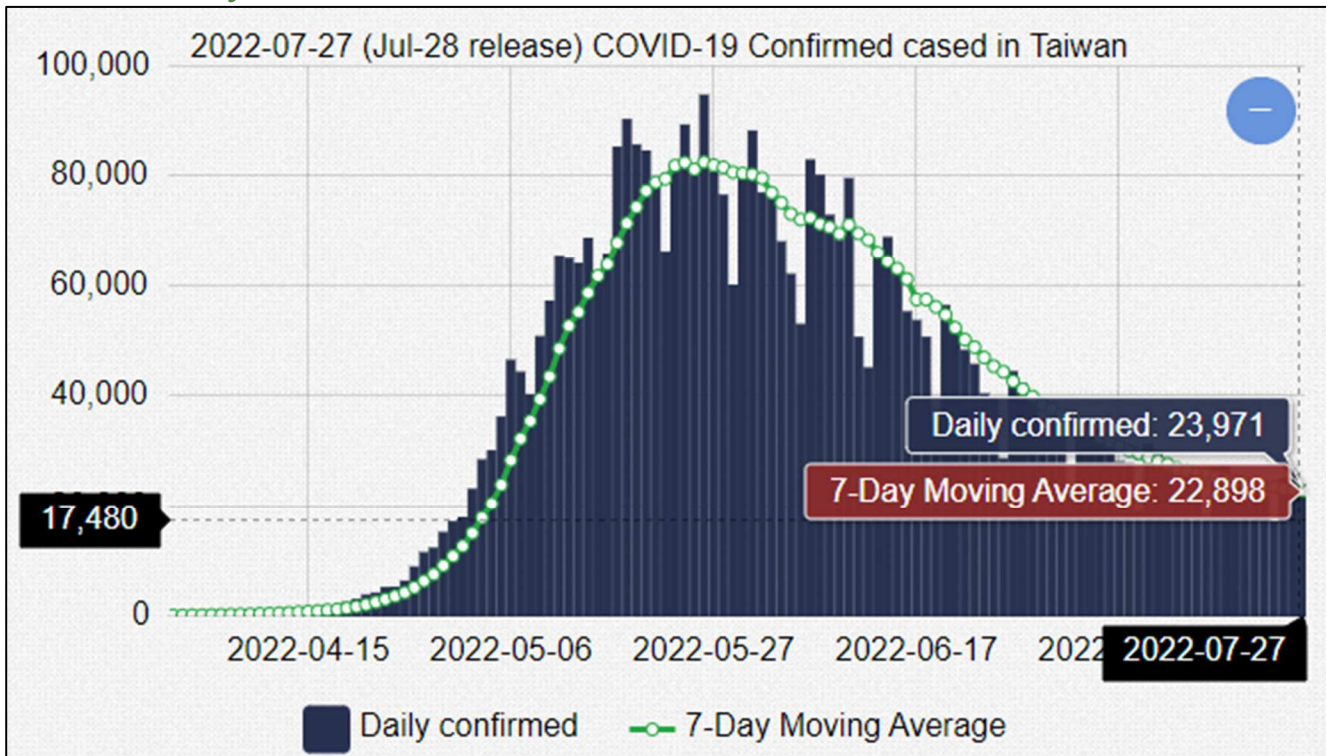
Chinese Festival

- Chinese Festival in July to December, 2022 (Taiwan & China)

	Office Close Dates	
Festival	Taiwan	China
Mid Autumn Festival 	09/09 ~ 09/11 (3 Days)	09/10 ~ 09/12 (3 Days)
National Day	10/08 ~ 10/10 (3 Days)	10/01 ~ 10/07 (7 Days)

The epidemic in Taiwan

From May to June, it is the peak period of the epidemic, and it slows down in July.



Statistics for Severe Pneumonia with Novel Pathogens (COVID-19), Nationwide, Indigenous and Imported

Onset Date of Most Recent Case	2022/07/25
Week 29/2022 (Cumulative Cases of Previous Week)	165633
Week 30/2022 (Cumulative Cases of Current Week)	41552
Month 07/2022 (Cumulative Cases of Current Month)	668543
Year 2022 (Cumulative Cases of Current Year)	4455631
Year 2021(Last Year)	16301
(Previous Week) - (Average of Previous 3 Weeks) (Number of Cases)	▽51278.33
(Previous Week) - (Average of The Same Period During The Previous 3 Years) (Number of Cases)	△165578.67
Cumulative Deaths of Current Year	7798

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<https://nidss.cdc.gov.tw/en/nndss/disease?id=19CoV>

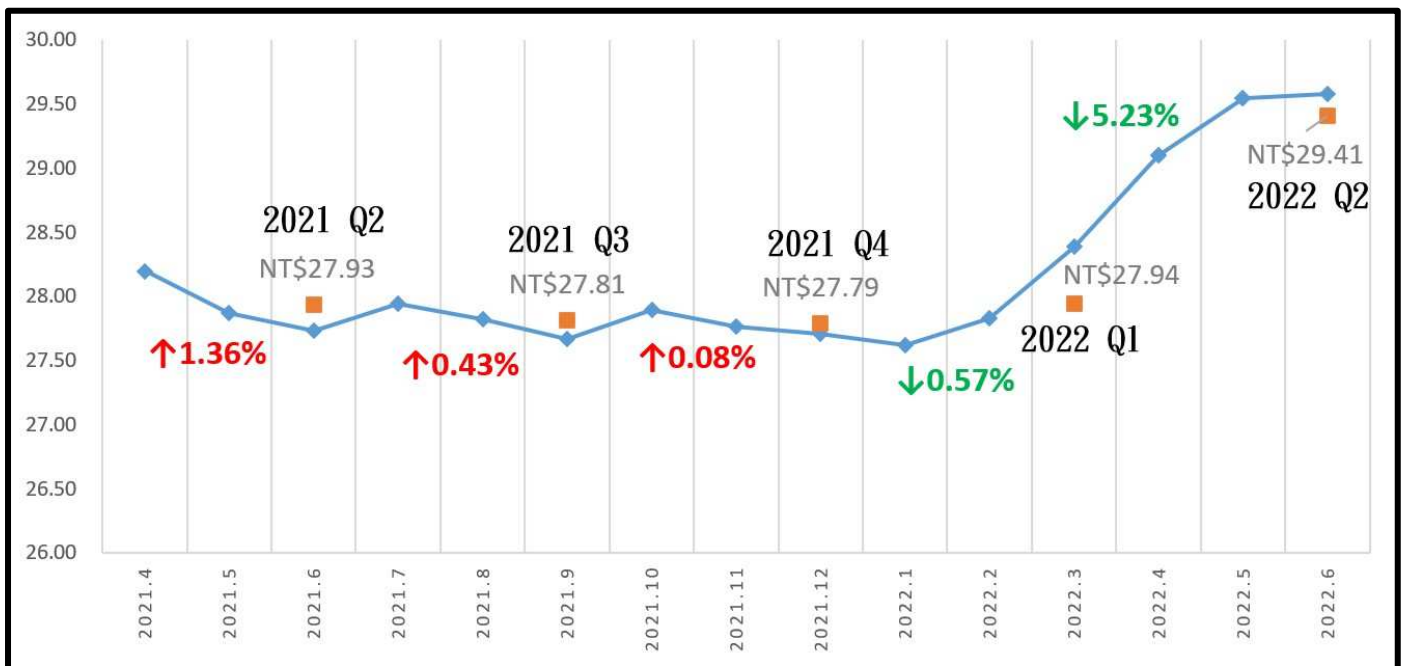
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Exchange Rate Report

2022 – Q2 (New Taiwan Dollar to U.S. Dollar)

The exchange rate for New Taiwan Dollar to U.S. Dollar has been reducing in the second quarter, 2022, now is NT\$29.41

Please refer to the below exchange rate fluctuation.



From: Bank of Taiwan - Spot Rate Buying (Monthly Average)


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Material Cost Report

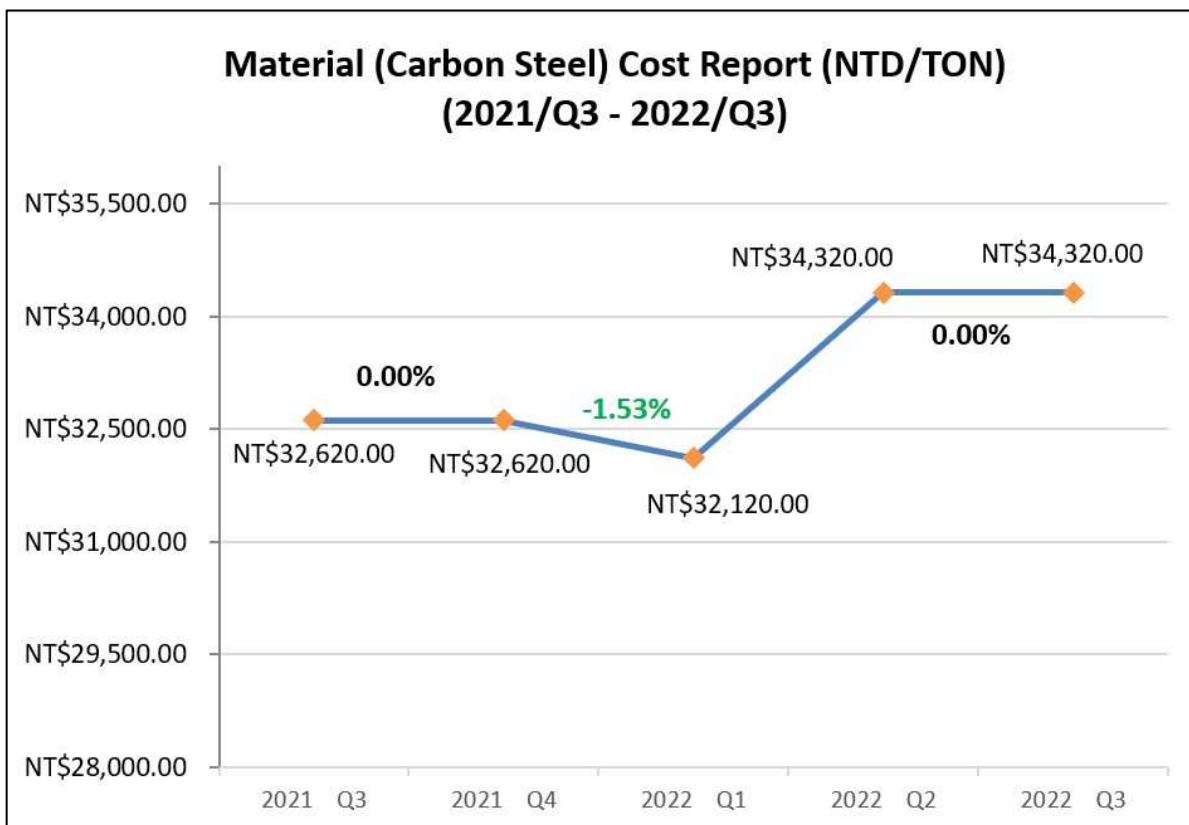
2022. Q3 (Carbon Steel)

The price of carbon steel of Q3 is NT\$34,320/TON.

The carbon steel price of 2022-Q3 was released on June 20th, and the price is unchanged. Compared with the same quarter last year, the carbon steel price increased 5.21%.

 We expect the material will go down in Q4.
We are happy to provide advance saving on material to help you plan your purchase. Please contact your sales representative for more information.

Please refer to the below carbon steel fluctuation.



From: China Steel Corporation (CSC)

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2022 – Q2 (304 Stainless Steel)

The average price of stainless steel in the second quarter, 2022, now is NT\$202.50

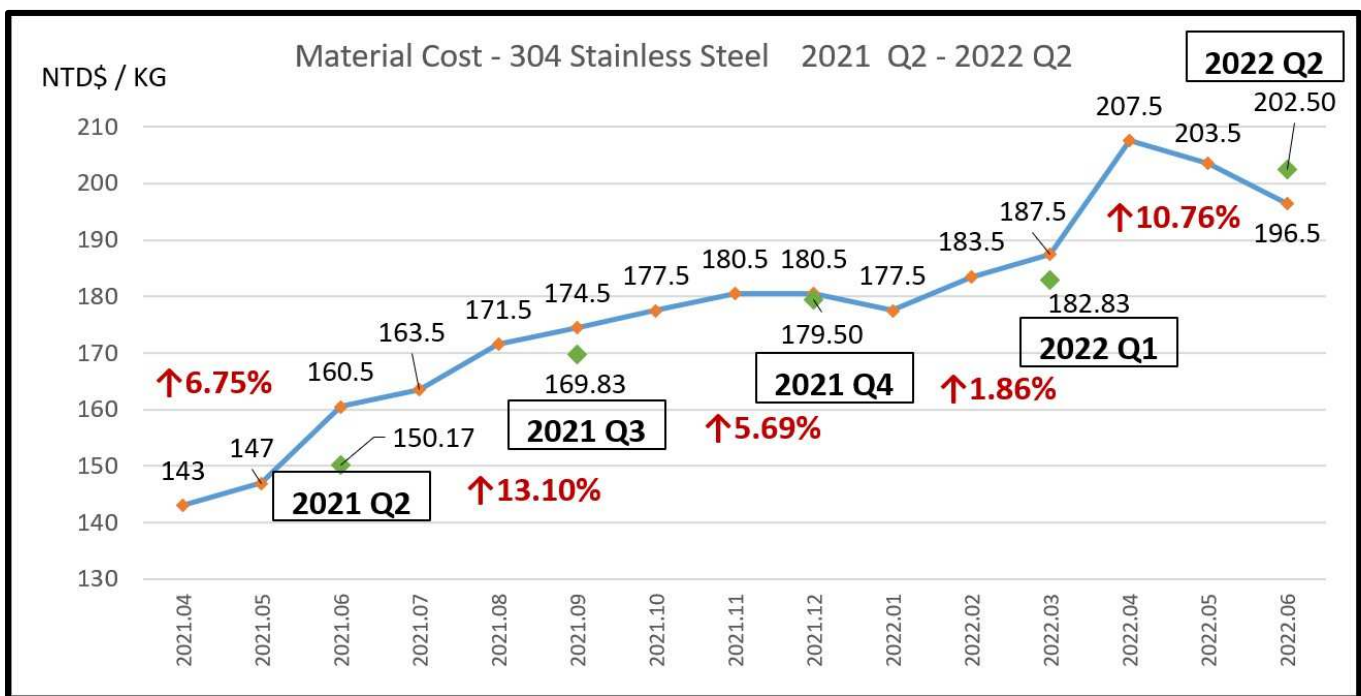
Compared with same quarter last year, the 304 stainless steel price increased 34.85%.



The stainless steel is still going down in Q3.

We are happy to provide advance saving on stainless steel to help you plan your purchase. Please contact your sales representative for more information.

Please refer to stainless steel fluctuation below.

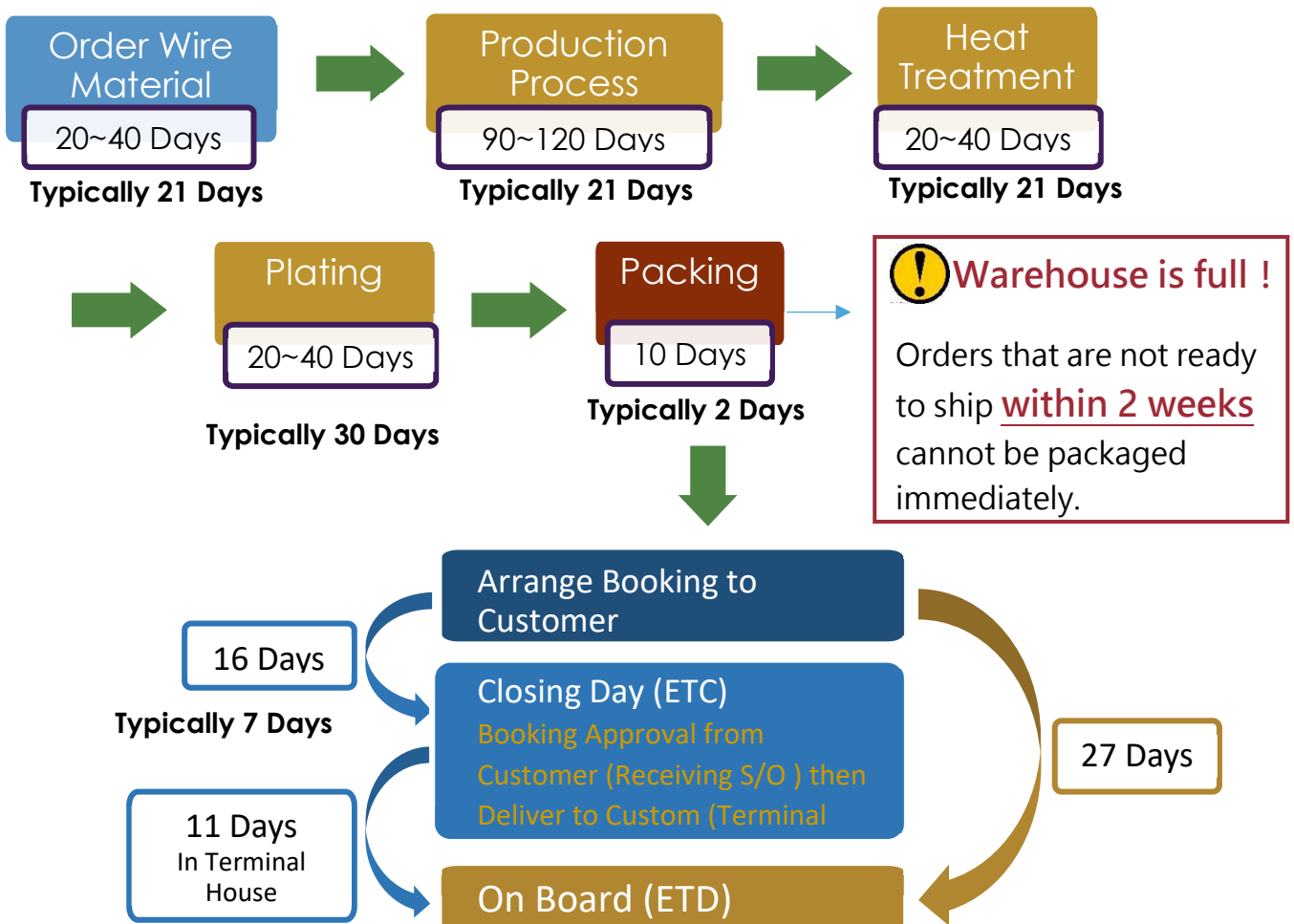


From: Provide from the suppliers.

Newrex New Order Delivery

2022 Current Quote	Lead Time : 190 Days Approx.
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- Recommendation : The lead time is still getting longer now. For new products with a longer development process, we suggest to place the orders and arrange them on the production line as soon as possible.



Additional Information

➤ The latest quarantine policy for entering Taiwan

- Quarantine Period for arrivals was reduced to 3 days beginning June 15, 2022.
- From July 7th, 2022, the cap on inbound travelers has increased from 25,000 to 40,000 people per week.
- From July 14th, 2022, Taiwan citizens, Foreigners with ARC, and transit passengers will no longer need to present a COVID-19 PCR test result taken within two days before their scheduled flight to Taiwan.

■ Testing measures :

PCR testing (a total of 1 test): Arrivals will undergo a PCR test upon arrival (Day 0) as currently required.

Effective from 00:00 on June 15
(incoming flight's scheduled arrival time)

Quarantine Period Shortened to 3+4 Days

In principle, the limit of 25,000 arriving passengers per week is set at the initial stage

PCR

A rapid test should be taken when symptoms appear during the quarantine period

A negative result from an at-home rapid test taken within two days is required if an arriving passenger needs to go out during the self-initiated epidemic prevention

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Home Quarantine				Self-initiated Epidemic Prevention			

- ◆ An arriving passenger should observe the rule of one person per residence or stay in a quarantine hotel to undergo the three-day quarantine and four-day self-initiated epidemic prevention in the same location.
- ◆ In consideration of shared living arrangements for migrant workers, fishermen and students and their higher risk of cluster infection, they must not go to school or work during the self-initiated epidemic prevention period or go out unless necessary.
- ◆ Two rapid test kits will be given to arriving passengers aged 2 and above by staff at international airports/ports upon arrival. The test kits can be used when symptoms occur during the quarantine period and before they go out for the first time during the self-initiated epidemic prevention period.
- ◆ Besides taking an epidemic prevention tax, arriving passengers can get a ride from their friends, relatives, companies or organizations; epidemic prevention measures for epidemic prevention taxis as well as other protocols should be followed.

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■ How do I get to the taxi waiting area after getting off the plane?

How do I get to the **Taxi waiting area** after getting off the plane?

- a. Arrival
- b. Show picture of **Health Declaration form**.
- c. If you don't have a Taiwan **sim card**, apply for it at the airport.
- d. Go to immigration and collect your luggage.
- e. Go to the **taxi counter** inside the airport and pay for an anti-epidemic taxi/bus.
- f. Gov't personnel will provide you with **sponsored anti-rapid test kits**.
- g. **Do PCR test.** 
- h. Take **anti-epidemic taxi/bus** and leave. 

■ What do you need to do before arriving in Taiwan?

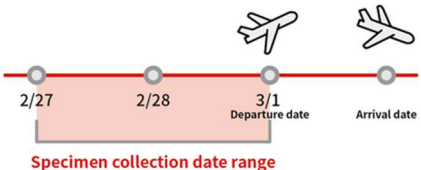
◆ **Negative COVID-19 RT-PCR test report**

Regardless of their nationality or travel purpose, travelers who arrive at an airport in Taiwan must present a negative COVID-19 RT-PCR test report issued within 2 days prior to the flight schedule time to the airline staff, which will be calculated based on the "**specimen collection date**" instead of the test report date.

A test report must be for a nucleic acid test, and must contain the following:

1. The name on the passport of the traveler
2. The date of birth (or passport number) of the traveler
3. The virus name (COVID-19 or SARS-CoV-2)
4. Specimen collection date
5. The test method
6. The interpretation results: "negative" or "undetectable."

How to calculate COVID-19 RT-PCR test report within 2 days : minus 2 days before departure date



For example:
If your departure date is Mar 1, count 2 calendar days backward which in this case is from feb 27.

Note. (Data capture from: <https://www.traveltaiwanduringcovid19.com/538/home-quarantine-policy/>)

➤ Additional Information in Taiwan:

- From July 1, the CECC announced that current mask-wearing mandate and other epidemic prevention measures will remain in place.
- Vaccine penetration rate is about 71.20%.
As of July 25th, the number of people that received the third dose of the vaccine in Taiwan reached 16,505,977.
- Masks are required when outside except for the situations listed below:
 1. Exercising 、 Taking photos 、 Driving alone or with live-in family members
 2. When during activities or events involving conversations with others.
 3. When people are in venues where masks can get wet easily.
 - ** Masks may be removed when consuming food/beverages outside.
 - ** Masks may be temporarily removed in venues or during activities that comply with the CECC's or competent authority's epidemic prevention and control rules.
- Public venues (including transportation) should take temperatures, enhance disinfection of premises, carry out health management among staff, and implement timely responses to the occurrence of confirmed cases, and abide by epidemic prevention and control regulations issued.
- Stores, supermarkets, and markets: follow epidemic prevention measures for such commercial business venues/public venues; crowd control are not required, and food sampling is allowed.

Note. (Data capture from: Centers for Disease Control)

<https://www.cdc.gov.tw/En/Bulletin/Detail/kz90Fw57jVfgKEGAYMqK3A?typeid=158>

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