

TRURO LIVESTOCK MARKET

Wednesday 26th August 2026



£199.00
for a 78.00kg lamb
from Mr C Lark

MARKET ENTRIES: Please pre-enter stock by Tuesday 3.30pm

PHONE : 01872 272722

TEXT: (Your name & stock numbers)

Cattle/Calves: 07889 600160 **Sheep:** 07977 662443

This week's £10 draw winner: Messrs R & D P Rule of Mawla, Redruth

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*We will require, **your account number & sort code.***

Market payments will reach your account the following Wednesday.

Report an entry of **15** UTM & OTM prime cattle; **15** cull cows; **203** store cattle; **132** rearing calves and stirks, and **173** lambs, cull ewes and store sheep

HIGHEST PRICE BULLOCK

Each Wednesday the highest price prime steer/heifer sold p/kg will be commission free

PRIME CATTLE - Auctioneer – Andrew Body

Numbers falling short of last week's large entry, although a sensational trade seen and high quality presented. Top of the day to **411p/kg (£2,893)** for a super 704kg Limousin heifer from Mr M A Grigg of Lower Sticker, St Austell, with a pair of steers from the same farm at **410p/kg twice (£3,083 & £3,038)**. Mr W J P Julian of Summercourt, Newquay saw his trio of Limousin heifers next at **408p/kg (£2,493)**, **406p/kg (£2,529)** and **405p/kg (£2,645)** and another Limo heifer from Mr Grigg away at **398p/kg (£2,690)**. Messrs W T Bryant & Sons of St Martin, Helston saw their OTM Limousin steer sell away at **358p/kg (£2,323)** and the best Charolais steer from Mr C Keam of Luxulyan, Bodmin realised **355p/kg (£2,428)**.

CONSIGN YOUR PRIME – The trade is very strong for finished cattle and many more could have been sold. Entries for next week to the Auctioneers please for advertisement and notification of buyers.

Steers - Top Prices

Limousin to 410p (741kg) for Mr M A Grigg of Lower Sticker, St Austell

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Heifers - Top Prices

Limousin to 411p (704kg) for Mr M A Grigg of Lower Sticker, St Austell

Limousin to 408p (611kg) for Mr W J P Julian of Summercourt, Newquay

Limousin to 406p (623kg) for Mr W J P Julian of Summercourt, Newquay

Limousin to 405p (653kg) for Mr W J P Julian of Summercourt, Newquay

Limousin to 398p (676kg) for Mr M A Grigg of Lower Sticker, St Austell

Truro Steers

Premium to 410.0p/kg

Prime to 358.0p/kg

All Steers av. 385.3p/kg

Truro Heifers

Premium to 411.0p/kg av. 406.6p/kg

Prime to 370.0p/kg av. 340.2p/kg

All Heifers av. 380.2p/kg

CULL COWS – Auctioneer – Andrew Body

A mixed entry of cull cows to report, topped by a run of heavy Limousin cows from Messrs W T Bryant & Sons of St Martin, Helston with their 739kg animal at **270p/kg** and others at **250p/kg (£2,188)** and **246p/kg**. Messrs J R Stephens & Son of St Winnow, Lostwithiel well in the mix with their South Devon cow at **257p/kg** and a Blue x from Mr M G Smith of Trevethan, Redruth away at **240p/kg**. Dairy types to **236p/kg** for a Friesian cow from Messrs K & M Ferris of Gunwalloe, Helston, tied with a Jersey cow from Messrs A D & J A Bray of St Martin, Helston at the same money and a Friesian cow from McCardell & Thompson Ltd of Summercourt, Newquay at **213p/kg**.

Beef Types

Limousin to 270p (739kg) for Messrs W T Bryant & Sons of St Martin, Helston
South Devon x 257p (674kg) for Messrs J R Stephens & Son of St Winnow, Lostwithiel
Limousin to 250p (875kg) for Messrs W T Bryant & Sons of St Martin, Helston
Limousin to 246p (649kg) for Messrs W T Bryant & Sons of St Martin, Helston
British Blue x to 240p (661kg) for Mr M G Smith of Trevethan, Redruth

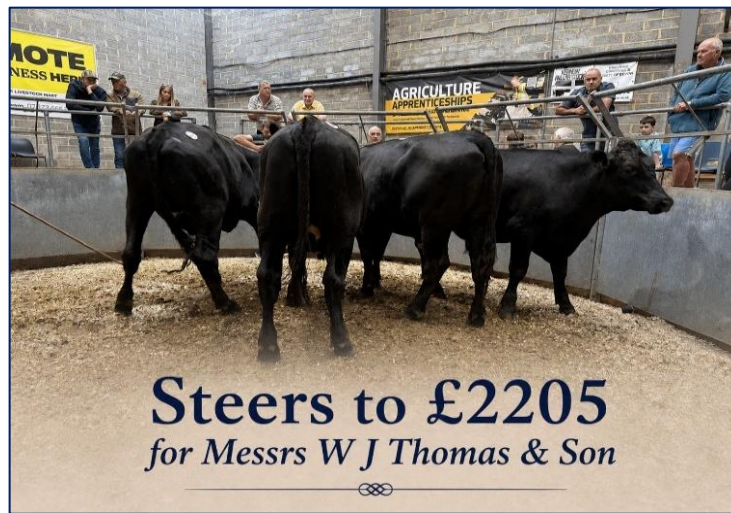
Dairy Types

Friesian to 236p (528kg) for Messrs K & M Ferris of Gunwalloe, Helston
Friesian to 236p (453kg) for Messrs A D & J A Bray of St Martin, Helston
Friesian to 213p (650kg) for McCardell & Thompson Ltd of Summercourt, Newquay

Beef Types to 270.0p/kg av. 246.9p/kg Dairy Types to 236.0p/kg av. 207.6p/kg

STORE CATTLE - Auctioneer – Andrew Body

Good numbers forward meeting another solid trade topping at **£2205** for smart 2yo Aberdeen Angus x steers on behalf of Messrs W J Thomas & Son of Sennen, Penzance who went on to sell further lots to **£2185** and **£2165**. Mr C G Andrew of St Dennis, St Austell sold 2yo Blue x steers to **£1965**, followed by 16mo South Devon x steers from Messrs R G T & G E Gilbert of Ruan Minor, Helston at **£1920**. Mr K A Vincent of Creed, Truro sold a 17mo Simmental x steer at **£1850**, followed by the best of the younger steers from Mr Vincent to **£1830** for a 15mo Limousin, whilst 17mo South Devon x steers from Mr J L Sampson of St Buryan, Penzance sold to **£1755** and 16mo Charolais steers from Mr K R Williams of Tehidy, Camborne achieved **£1715**. 1yo steers to **£1535** for Herefords from Mr W A M Rowe of Constantine, Falmouth, whilst Mr J Kendall of Common Moor, Liskeard sold a big bunch of 8mo Charolais x steers to **£1420**. Heifers selling to **£1810** for a choice 25mo Angus x on behalf of Messrs J H & S M Dark & Sons of Mullion, Helston. 1½yo heifers from Messrs R & D P Rule of Mawla, Redruth realised **£1685** and **£1605** followed by Messrs J R Semmens & Son of St Levan, Penzance who sold Hereford x to **£1570** and Angus x to **£1565**. Young heifers to **£1360** on behalf of Treganhoe Farm Partnership of Sancreed, Penzance, whilst 9mo Charolais x from Mr Kendall achieved **£1200**. A dispersal sale on behalf of Mr J Watkins & Daughters of Wendron, Helston saw Dexter cows and calves sell to **£480**, with heifers to **£780**.



Steers

2yo

Aberdeen Angus x to £2205 for Messrs W J Thomas & Son of Sennen, Penzance

British Blue x to £1965 for Mr C G Andrew of St Dennis, St Austell

Hereford x to £1800 for Messrs F N & M A Mounce of Treswithian Downs, Camborne

1½yo

South Devon x to £1920 for Messrs R G T & G E Gilbert of Ruan Minor, Helston

Simmental x to £1850 for Mr K A Vincent of Creed, Truro

Aberdeen Angus x to £1740 for Messrs R & D P Rule of Mawla, Redruth

Charolais to £1715 for Mr K R Williams of Tehidy, Camborne

British Blue x to £1635 for Messrs R & D P Rule of Mawla, Redruth

Devon to £1570 for Mr K A Vincent of Creed, Truro

Hereford x to £1380 for Messrs L Wherry & Son of Sancreed, Penzance

1yo

Limousin x to £1830 for Mr K A Vincent of Creed, Truro

Hereford x to £1535 for Messrs W A M Rowe of Constantine, Falmouth

Charolais x to £1420 for Mr J Kendall of Common Moor, Liskeard

British Blue x to £1410 for Treganhoe Farm Partnership of Sancreed, Penzance

Heifers

2yo

Aberdeen Angus x to £1810 for Messrs J H & S M Dark & Sons of Mullion, Helston

British Blue x to £1485 for Mr M Chapman of Silverwell, Truro

1½yo

British Blue x to £1685 for Messrs R & D P Rule of Mawla, Redruth

Hereford x to £1570 for Messrs J R Semmens & Son of St Levan, Penzance

Aberdeen Angus x to £1565 for Messrs J R Semmens & Son of St Levan, Penzance

Devon x to £1460 for Messrs R G T & G E Gilbert of Ruan Minor, Helston

1yo

British Blue x to £1360 for Treganhoe Farm Partnership of Sancreed, Penzance

Charolais x to £1200 for Mr J Kendall of Common Moor, Liskeard

Hereford x to £1120 for Messrs W A M Rowe of Constantine, Falmouth

Limousin x to £995 for Mr C L Thomas of Sithney, Helston

CALVES – Auctioneer – Will Biddick

An outstanding entry of **132** calves and stirks met with a firm trade seen for all on offer and a packed ringside of active buyers. Top of the young calves to **£795 twice** for a pair of brilliant month-old Limousin x bulls from Messrs J A & L S M Tripconey of St Keverne, Helston and another from the same farming at **£725**. Messrs P J Grylls & Sons of Kenwyn, Truro saw their 3mo Hereford x bull at **£610**, a Shorthorn x bull from Messrs W Marsh & Son of St Stephen, St Austell looking well sold at **£570** and a 2mo Limousin x bull from Sixty Acres Ltd of Zelah, Truro at **£555**. Young Angus x bulls to **£535** for a good animal from Mr W R Davey of Probus, Truro and a very smart run of 12 Hereford x from Messrs R M & C D Rundle of Mevagissey, St Austell seeing bull prices at **£505, £500, £490, £485** and **£480**. Mr P J Harvey of Coombe, Truro sold a month-old Blue x bull away at **£480**, a month-old Limo x bull from Sixty Acres at **£475** and their Blue x bull at **£460** and another young Angus x bull from Mr Davey at **£450**. Maxco Farms of St Allen, Truro saw their young Blue x bull sell away at **£445**, tied with a Blue x bull from Messrs C J & J E Colwell of Creed, Truro and two more Angus x bulls from Mr Davey at **£440** and **£415**. Heifer trade looking just as fast with Messrs Tripconey in the limelight again with their three month-old Limos at **£710 twice** and **£700 twice**, Messrs Grylls sold their 4mo Blue x at **£700** as well, Messrs Marsh sold their 3mo Limo x at **£600**, a single 2mo Blue x from Messrs A D & J A Bray of St Martin, Helston at **£570** and a Blue x from Messrs Colwell at **£435**. Messrs J H & S M Dark & Sons of Mullion, Helston sold their 3mo Blue x heifer away at **£430**, a young Blue x from Maxco Farms at **£405**, a Blue x from Mr Havey at **£405** and a Blue x from Messrs G J D Champion & Son of Praze, Camborne at **£390**. Messrs Rundle back with their young Hereford x heifers at **£380, £360 twice** and **£355** to name but a few. Further young Blue x heifers; one from Messrs Dark and another from Mr Harvey away at **£375** and **£370** respectively.

Bulls

Limousin x to £795 twice for Messrs J A & L S M Tripconey of St Keverne, Helston

Limousin x to £725 for Messrs J A & L S M Tripconey of St Keverne, Helston

Hereford x to £610 for Messrs P J Grylls & Sons of Kenwyn, Truro

Shorthorn x to £570 for Messrs W Marsh & Son of St Stephen, St Austell

Limousin x to £555 for Sixty Acres Ltd of Zelah, Truro

Aberdeen Angus x to £535 for Mr W R Davey of Probus, Truro

Hereford x to £505 for Messrs R M & C D Rundle of Mevagissey, St Austell

Heifers

Limousin x to £710 twice for Messrs J A & L S M Tripconey of St Keverne, Helston

Limousin x to £700 for Messrs J A & L S M Tripconey of St Keverne, Helston

British Blue x to £700 for Messrs P J Grylls & Sons of Kenwyn, Truro

Limousin x to £700 for Messrs J A & L S M Tripconey of St Keverne, Helston

Limousin x to £600 for Messrs W Marsh & Son of St Stephen, St Austell

British Blue x to £570 for Messrs A D & J A Bray of St Martin, Helston

British Blue x to £435 for Messrs C J & J E Colwell of Grampound, Truro

British Blue x to £430 for Messrs J H & S M Dark & Sons of Mullion, Helston

STIRKS – Auctioneer – Will Biddick

A quality entry of stirks presented this week, comprising several large consignments from different vendors, which attracted keen interest and lots of buyers present. A thumping pair of 5mo Blue x steers from Sixty Acres Ltd of Zelah, Truro flew away to top at **£1,000 (pictured below)**, followed closely by a run of 14 stirks from Messrs P J Grylls & Sons of Kenwyn, Truro to **£950** for their best 10mo Hereford x steer and younger 8mo Hereford x steers at **£925**, **£915** and **£855**. Gwealavellan Partners of Gwithian, Hayle returned this week with another **39** of their smart 3 to 5mo Blue x and Angus x weaned calves; the top bunch of six Blue x steers at **£800**, four at **£745** and four at **£705**. Heifer stirks topped by a trio of 9mo Limousin x from Messrs Grylls at **£965** apiece, a bunch of four of their 9mo Hereford x heifers at **£925** and a trio of Hereford x heifers at **£890**. Sixty Acres back in the ring with a 5mo Blue x and a Limousin x heifer at **£830 each**, with Gwealavellan Partners marketing their Blue x heifer bunches at **£790 x 8**, **£770 x 4**, Angus x heifers at **£725 x 4** and six more Blue x at **£680**.

Male Stirks

British Blue x to £1000 twice for Sixty Acres Ltd of Zelah, Truro
Hereford x to £950 for Messrs P J Grylls & Sons of Kenwyn, Truro
Hereford x to £925 for Messrs P J Grylls & Sons of Kenwyn, Truro
Hereford x to £915 for Messrs P J Grylls & Sons of Kenwyn, Truro
Hereford x to £855 for Messrs P J Grylls & Sons of Kenwyn, Truro
British Blue x to £800 sixfold for Gwealavellan Partners of Gwithian, Hayle
British Blue x to £745 twice for Gwealavellan Partners of Gwithian, Hayle
Aberdeen Angus x to £745 twice for Gwealavellan Partners of Gwithian, Hayle

Female Stirks

Limousin x to £965 thrice for Messrs P J Grylls & Sons of Kenwyn, Truro
Hereford x to £925 fourfold for Messrs P J Grylls & Sons of Kenwyn, Truro
Hereford x to £890 thrice for Messrs P J Grylls & Sons of Kenwyn, Truro
British Blue x to £830 for Sixty Acres Ltd of Zelah, Truro
Limousin x to £830 for Sixty Acres Ltd of Zelah, Truro
British Blue x to £790 fourfold for Gwealavellan Partners of Gwithian, Hayle
Friesian x to £790 for Gwealavellan Partners of Gwithian, Hayle
British Blue x to £770 fourfold for Gwealavellan Partners of Gwithian, Hayle



PRIME LAMBS - Auctioneer – Ed Harris

A lively trade and strong prices. More lambs needed to meet buyer demand. A superb consignment of heavyweight Charollais lambs from Mr C Lark of St Erth, Hayle saw his best sell to **£199** to J V Richards Ltd of Perranwell Station. Leading the averages at **348p/kg** was a 41kg smart lamb from Mr W G Bray of Mullion, Helston purchased by R J Trevarthen Ltd.

Leading Averages:

348p/kg for 41.00kg lambs from Mr W G Bray of Mullion, Helston
333p/kg for a 41.50kg lamb from Ms C Wall of Common Moor, Liskeard
331p/kg for a 51.20kg lamb from Miss R S Frank of Kerley, Truro
326p/kg for 52.00kg lambs from Miss R S Frank of Kerley, Truro
324p/kg for 43.20kg lambs from Messrs D J A Eyles of Ladock, Truro
323p/kg for 57.20kg lambs from Mr C Lark of St Erth, Hayle
312p/kg for a 44.50kg lamb from Mrs P Tullett of Tregony, Truro
307p/kg for a 48.50kg lamb from JR Stephens & Son of St Winnow, Lostwithiel

Top Price Lambs:

£199.00 for a 78.00kg lamb from Mr C Lark of St Erth, Hayle
£189.00 for 62.00kg lambs from Mr C Lark of St Erth, Hayle
£185.00 for 57.20kg lambs from Mr C Lark of St Erth, Hayle
£169.50 for a 51.20kg lamb from Miss R S Frank of Kerley, Truro
£169.50 for 52.00kg lambs from Miss R S Frank of Kerley, Truro
£149.00 for a 48.50kg lamb from Messrs J R Stephens & Son of St Winnow, Lostwithiel
£142.50 for 41.00kg lambs from Mr W G Bray of Mullion, Helston
£140.00 for 43.20kg lambs from Messrs D J A Eyles of Ladock, Truro



Averages

Medium (39.1kg - 45.5kg) to
Heavy (45.6kg – 52kg) to
Overweight (52kg +)
SQQ lamb average

348.0p/kg
331.0p/kg
323.0p/kg
328.0p/kg

av. 328.0p/kg
av. 304.0p/kg
av. 308.0p/kg

CULL EWES – Auctioneer – Ross Collins

An improved entry both in numbers and quality this week, which was good to see, with some strong consignments of well-fleshed ewes forward. These were met with lively bidding, with buyers keen to source numbers, and competition strong throughout. Topping at **£200** was a super Texel ewe, leading a grand entry from Messrs W H Morgan & Sons of St Newlyn East, Newquay. Further pens of Texels from Messrs Morgan sold away for **£175**, **£175** and **£163**. Other Texels to **£172** and **£154** for Messrs C H P Powell & Sons of St Ervan, Wadebridge. Charollais to **£176**, **£155** and **£154** for Mr D J A Eyles of Ladock, Truro. Poll Dorest and Dorset x to **£157** for Mr R T Lobb of St Ewe, St Austell with further pens to **£151**, **£146** and **£141**. Another large run of Poll Dorset from Messrs W & R Taffinder of Ruan High Lanes, Truro with pens selling to **£149** and **£146.50**. Sheep (2T) to **£180** and **£164** for two cracking Charollais from Mr C Lark of St Erth, Hayle. A selection of photographs below, with more on our Facebook page.

Please notify the Auctioneers of your entries in good time for next week.

Ewes

£200.00 for ewes from Messrs W H Morgan & Sons of St Newlyn East, Newquay
£180.00 for sheep (2T) from Mr C Lark of St Erth, Hayle
£176.00 for ewes from Mr D J A Eyles of Ladock, Truro
£175.00 twice for ewes from Messrs W H Morgan & Sons of St Newlyn East, Newquay
£172.00 for ewes from Messrs C H P Powell & Sons of St Ervan, Wadebridge
£164.00 for sheep (2T) from Mr C Lark of St Erth, Hayle
£163.00 for ewes from Messrs W H Morgan & Sons of St Newlyn East, Newquay
£157.00 for ewes from Mr R T Lobb of St Ewe, St Austell
£155.00 for ewes from Mr D J A Eyles of Ladock, Truro
£155.00 for ewes from Messrs Roberts Enterprises of Garras, Helston
£154.00 for ewes from Messrs C H P Powell & Sons of St Ervan, Wadebridge
£154.00 for ewes from Mr D J A Eyles of Ladock, Truro



Averages

1st Quality Ewes to	£200.00	av. £160.00
2nd Quality Ewes to	£140.00	av. £135.00
3rd Quality Ewes to	£125.00	
Sheep (2T) to	£180.00	av. £163.00
Rams to	£142.00	

STORE SHEEP – Auctioneer – Nathan Osborne

Numbers tight and many more could have been sold. Those consigned met a robust trade with strong demand from start to finish and topping at **£122.50** on behalf of Messrs J R Stephens & Son of St Winnow, Lostwithiel. Mrs P Tullett of Tregony, Truro sold good lambs to **£120**, followed by Mr C King of St Agnes, Truro and Mrs C Wall of Common Moor, Liskeard tied at **£118. More store lambs required.**

Store Lambs

£122.50 for lambs from Messrs J R Stephens & Son of St Winnow, Lostwithiel

£120.00 for lambs from Mrs P Tullett of Tregony, Truro

£118.00 for lambs from Mr C King of St Agnes, Truro

£118.00 for lambs from Mrs C Wall of Common Moor, Liskeard

£113.00 for lambs from Mr W G Bray of Mullion, Helston

£108.00 for lambs from Mrs C Wall of Common Moor, Liskeard

Next Truro Livestock Market

LODGE & THOMAS

ESTABLISHED 1892

Wednesday 2nd September 2026

10.00am – Rearing Calves & Stirks

10.00am – Dairy & Beef Cull Cows *then* Prime Cattle

10.30am – Cull Ewes, Lambs & Store Sheep

11.15am Breeding Section *then* Store Cattle

Stores

Pedigree Angus bull 5 yr old – Lies in cubicles

42 Blue x, Aberdeen Angus x, Hereford x steers & heifers 12-15 m.o

2 Hereford x steers 18 m.o.

3 (2 Hereford x heifers 10 m.o, 1 Hereford x steer 10 m.o) pedigree sired.

7 pure bred Devon steers & heifers 17 m.o, FABBL, high health herd (pictured below)

12 (8 British Blue x, 3 Herford x, 1 Limousin x) steers 24-28 m.o

37 (12 Aberdeen Angus x steers, sired, 10 Limousin x steers, 1 British Blue x steer, 2 Hereford steers, 4 Aberdeen Angus x heifers sired, 7 Limousin x heifers, 1 British Blue x heifer) 7-16 m.o, FABBL.

6 Hereford x (3 steers, 3 heifers) 9-10 m.o, single suckled, pedigree sired.

13 British Blue x steers 17 m.o.

Calf section

6 Aberdeen Angus x steers & heifers 6-7 m.o.

10 Limousin x bulls & heifers 1 m.o.

NEXT BREEDING SHEEP SALE

Wednesday 2nd September

ENTRIES TO DATE:

10 - 2T Roussin x

20 - 2T Texel x Charollais

40 - 4T & 6T Charollais x

20 - 2T Dorset x Mule

13 - 2T Zwartble x Texel

20 - Flock age Texel x

40 - 2T Hampshire x Mukle

20 - Full Mouth North Country Mule

Pedigree Texel ewe lamb
(MV accredited)

STOCK RAMS:

Texel

Charollais

Dorset

Valais Blacknose

Charollais x Texel

Beltex

Pedigree Dutch Spotted



A reminder that for next week's breeding sale, all cull ewes should be unloaded in the pig pens please.



Vendors are requested to notify the auctioneers of entries in good time for next week.

Timed Online Machinery & Collective Sale

Bidding from 9am Friday 18th to 2pm Saturday 26th September

General Furniture & Effects Sale

Friday 18th September @ 10am

Carthew Collective Sale

Saturday 19th September @ 10am

Antiques, Fine Art & Collectables Sale

Thursday 24th and Friday 25th September @10am

First Suckled Calf Prize Sale

Wednesday 30th September

Trekee Mill Barns, Trekee Lane, St Teath, Bodmin, PL30 3LN



An increasingly rare opportunity to purchase a pair of traditional Cornish farm barns, part of one being a former corn mill with existing slate sluice and dilapidated water wheel. Both barns with the benefit of conditional detailed planning permission for conversion, the larger to a three bedroom dwelling and the smaller to a two bedroom annexe, together with a very attractive, elongated and tree-lined paddock.

Guide Price - £350,000 Freehold

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Two Building Plots Trevithal, Paul, Penzance TR19 6UQ



An increasingly rare opportunity to acquire two coastal building plots in an elevated position with far-reaching views on the edge of the hamlet of Trevithal, within easy reach of the coastal village of Mousehole, and the towns Newlyn and Penzance.

Guide Prices: Plot 1 - £225,000 - Plot 2 - £385,000 Freehold

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