# QUARTERLY MONITORING REPORT BECK ROOFING

HAYWARD, CALIFORNIA

**LUSH GEOSCIENCES JOB NO. 423-001** 

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#### 1.0 INTRODUCTION

This report was prepared to summarize quarterly monitoring work performed in the investigation of contamination associated with one former 1,000-gallon underground gasoline storage tank at the Beck Roofing Facility in Hayward, California (site). The report describes methods and procedures used to evaluate groundwater quality near the former tank. The methods and procedures used during this phase of investigation included:

- Collecting groundwater samples from the four previously installed wells;
- Analyzing the groundwater samples; and,
- Preparing this report.

This report summarizes the field and laboratory operations conducted, the methods and procedures used, the data obtained, and presents conclusions and recommendations.

#### 2.0 SITE BACKGROUND

The site is an operating roofing company. One wooden structure located on the northwest side of the site contains office and warehouse space. The remainder of the site is used for equipment and materials storage. In May of 1990, a 1,000-gallon underground fuel tank, used to store gasoline, was removed. When the tank was removed, evidence of leakage was noted in soil adjacent to the tank.

We have attached a Generalized Site Plan (Figure 2), showing the site configuration.

#### 2.1 Previous Work

Previous work, performed by other consultants, includes excavation of approximately 350 cubic yards of contaminated soil, drilling and sampling 20 soil borings, installation of four groundwater monitoring wells, and quarterly monitoring of the wells. Previous analyses have shown variable contaminant concentrations in one well (MW3), and slight to non detectable levels in the remaining wells.

### 3.0 QUARTERLY GROUNDWATER SAMPLING

#### 3.1 Field Procedures

Groundwater samples were collected from each well on October 25, 1994. Sampling activities were conducted as follows:

- Water and product levels were determined using an electronic water sensitive measuring device. Depth to water or product was measured to an accuracy of 0.01 ft. No free product was encountered.
- Prior to sampling, each well was purged with a submersible pump until at least 3 well volumes of water were removed. The purged water was monitored for temperature, pH, and electrical conductivity (Table 1). Purging continued until these parameters stabilized. The well was allowed to recover until at least 80% of the initial water level had been reached.
- After each well stabilized, a sample was collected with an unused, clean, disposable polyethylene bailer. The collected sample was transferred from the bailer to appropriate 40-ml glass sample vials. All sample containers were filled completely with a convex meniscus to eliminate any trapped air or headspace. Each sample container cap was fitted with a Teflon septum.

After sampling, the samples were labeled, showing the sample number, well number, date, time, samplers name, and preservation. The samples were refrigerated in a cooler containing ice until delivery to the laboratory to perform the specified analyses. Chain-of-custody documentation was maintained from the sampling location to the laboratory. The chain-of custody was signed by the sampler and placed in the container holding the samples. Condition of the samples was noted on the chain-of-custody document by the laboratory.

		TA	BLE 1								
PURGED WATER PARAMETERS GROUNDWATER MONITORING WELLS											
BECK ROOFING FACILITY HAYWARD, CALIFORNIA											
Subjective Volume											
Date	Evidence	T	pН	K	3WV	Purged					
10/25/94	No Odor	64.7	6.98	1930	27	30					
10/25/94	No Odor	63.8	6.92	2600	27	30					
10/25/94	No Odor	66.5	6.90	2600	27	30					
10/25/94	No Odor	64.5	8.61	2400	27	30					
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T = Temperature in degrees Fahrenheit

Well

MW1

MW2 MW3 MW4

#### Groundwater Analyses 3.2

All analyses were conducted by Sparger Technology Laboratories, of Sacramento, California, which is certified by the State of California for the requested analyses.

Groundwater samples from each well were analyzed for TPHg using Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Method 8015 (modified for gasoline) with purge and trap EPA Method 5030, and for the associated volatile constituents BTEX using EPA Method 602 with purge and trap EPA Method 5030. Results of the analyses are summarized in Table 2; copies of laboratory reports are attached as Appendix A.

pH = Hydrogen ion concentration

K = Conductivity in micromhos

<sup>3</sup>WV = Calculated three well volumes in gallons

Data for previous sampling events is not available

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December 8, 1994 423-001

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Ms. Juliet Shin Alameda County Health Services 1131 Harbor Bay Parkway Alameda, CA 94502

Subject:

Transmittal of Interim Remedial Action Report and Quarterly Monitoring Report

Beck Roofing in Hayward, California

Dear Ms. Shin:

Enclosed, please find the Interim Remedial Action Report and the Quarterly Monitoring Report. Please call if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

**LUSH GEOSCIENCES** 

Bill Welter

Project Manager

Enclosures

TABLE 2
RESULTS OF LABORATORY ANALYSES GROUNDWATER SAMPLES

# BECK ROOFING FACILITY HAYWARD, CALIFORNIA

l			, CILLII OIU 13		
Well					
Number				Ethyl-	Total
and Date	TPHg	Benzene	Toluene	benzene	Xylenes
MW1					
8/4/94	< 0.05	< 0.0003	< 0.0003	< 0.0003	< 0.0005
10/25/94	< 0.05	< 0.0003	< 0.0003	< 0.0003	< 0.0003
MW2					
8/4/94	< 0.05	< 0.0003	< 0.0003	< 0.0003	< 0.0005
10/25/94	< 0.05	<0.0003	< 0.0003	< 0.0003	< 0.0003
MW3					
8/4/94	4.2	0.45	< 0.003	0.18	0.16
10/25/94	< 0.05	< 0.0003	< 0.0003	< 0.0003	< 0.0003
MW4					
8/4/94	< 0.05	< 0.003	0.0005	< 0.0003	< 0.0005
10/25/94	<0.05	<0.0003	<0.0003	<0.0003	<0.0003

TPHg = Total petroleum hydrocarbons

Results given in milligrams per liter (parts per million)

MW1 = Monitoring well number

<sup>&</sup>lt;= Less than laboratory minimum detection limits

### 3.3 Groundwater Gradient

Direction = groundwater flow direction

The groundwater gradient was approximated from calculations made using surveyed wellhead elevations and locations in combination with depth to groundwater measurements made on October 25, 1994 (Table 3)(Figure 2). The groundwater elevation data indicate that groundwater was flowing South 22° West with a gradient of 0.0009 feet per foot at the time the measurements were made.

		TABLE 3									
	GROUNDWATER ELEVATION DATA										
BECK ROOFING FACILITY HAYWARD, CALIFORNIA											
Elevation of Depth to Water-level Gradient											
Well	Top of Casing	Water	Elevation	and							
Number	(ft. above MSL)	(ft. below top of casing)	(ft. above MSL)	Direction							
8/4/94											
MW1	58.55	29.96	29.29								
MW2	58.65	29.35	29.30								
MW3	58.52	29.27	29.25								
MW4	58.01	28.80	29.21								
10/25/94											
MW1	58.55	30.10	28.45	0.0009							
MW2	58.65	30.15	28.50	ft/ft							
MW3	58.52	30.10	28.42	S22°W							
MW4	58.01	29.60	28.41								

#### 3.4 Quality Assurance/Quality Control

All field equipment was cleaned and decontaminated prior to being introduced into the sampling environment. Each sample was collected using a dedicated, disposable bailer. Care was taken to prevent the bailer from becoming contaminated prior to being introduced into the sampling environment.

#### 3.4.1 Laboratory QA/QC

Sparger is certified by the CalEPA Hazardous Waste Testing Laboratory Certification Program to conduct the analyses requested. The methods used by the laboratory are published, approved analytical methods which have built-in QA/QC practices. Other QA/QC practices are part of CalEPA's certification program. The laboratory provided pertinent QA/QC documents pertaining to the analytical protocol. These QA/QC documents include surrogate recovery data and analytical charts including those of the spikes and matrix spike duplicates. Copies of these documents were incorporated into the laboratory reports of analyses (Appendix A).

#### 4.0 CONCLUSIONS AND DISCUSSION

Consistent with data presented in previous quarterly monitoring reports, groundwater contamination was not detected in monitoring wells MW1, MW2, and MW4 during this sampling event. Groundwater contamination also was **not** detected in MW3, where past sampling events has detected contamination at varying concentrations. We feel this is very likely due to the lower groundwater elevation as shown in Table 3.

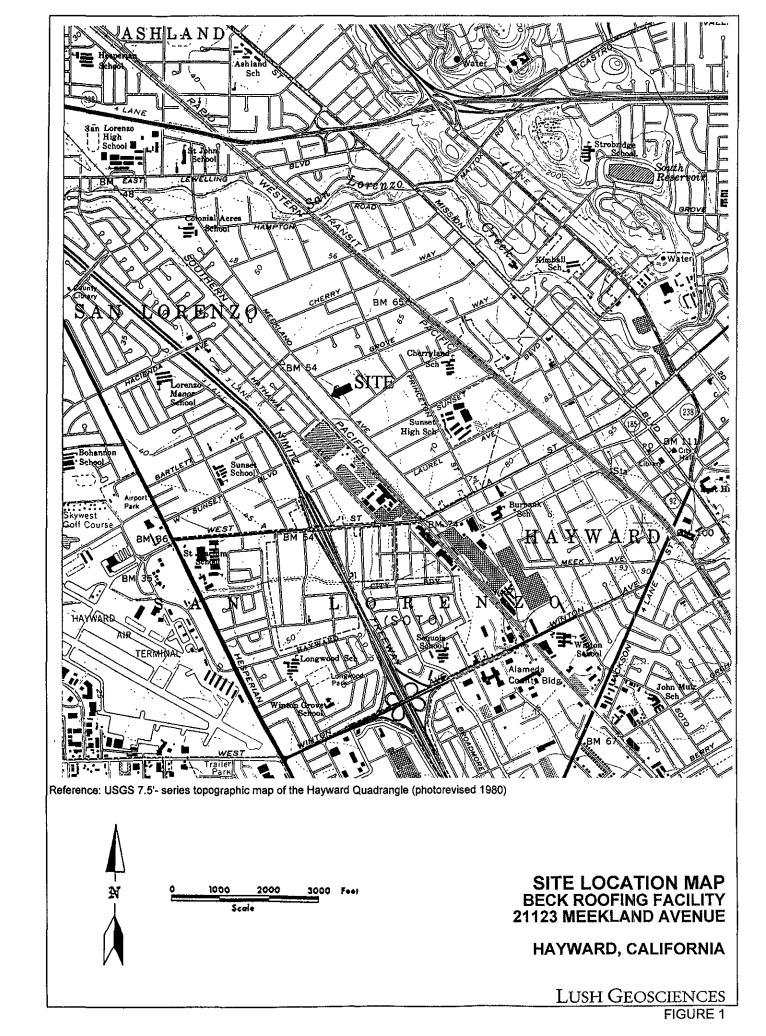
#### 5.0 RECOMMENDATIONS

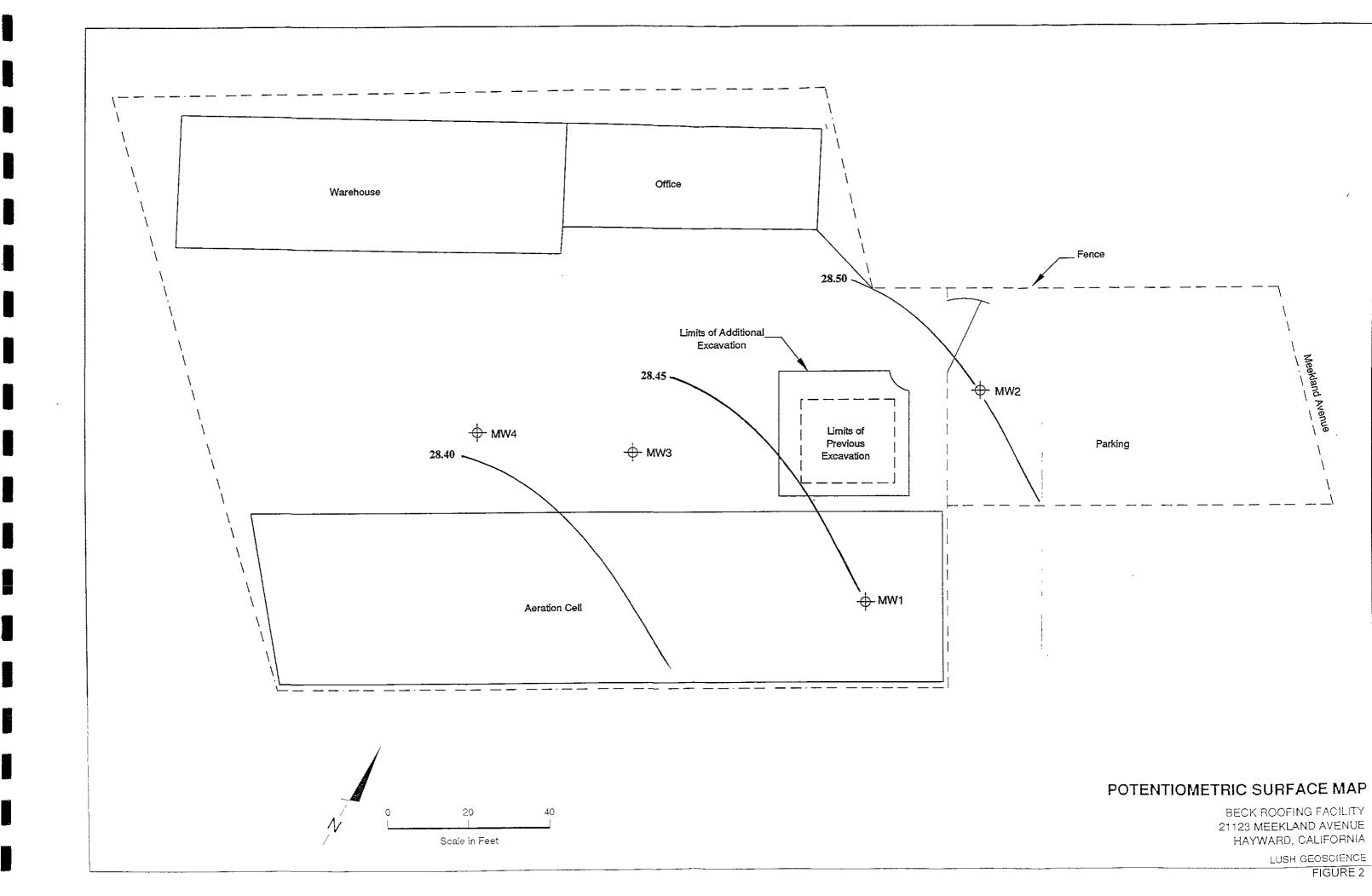
The present data suggest that there is minimal effect on, and minimal risk to the public from the contamination present. Further remedial action has been initiated to reduce potential risks to groundwater by removing the primary source of the contamination, the contaminated soil remaining underlying the former tank location. Quarterly groundwater monitoring should continue after completion of the remedial action.

#### 6.0 LIMITATIONS

The above conclusions are based on our assessment of conditions indicated to exist as of the dates of our field work. Our assessment included review of previous documents and interviews with state or local regulatory persons familiar with the area. This assessment was conducted in accordance with generally accepted standards of environmental geological practice at the time it was performed. The results of this assessment do not preclude the possibility that substances that are currently, or which in the future may be defined as hazardous, may be present on the property because of activities that we could not identify, or in locations which were not sampled.

Our conclusions are based on groundwater sample analyses representative of contaminant concentrations at the locations sampled. These results are considered indicative of site conditions, but such conditions may vary away from the points sampled. Further investigation, including additional subsurface exploration and laboratory testing of soil and groundwater samples can reduce the uncertainties inherent in this type of limited environmental assessment. No soil engineering or geotechnical references are made, nor should they be inferred.





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Analytical Laboratory Division Mobile Laboratory Division Scientific Division

November 11, 1994

Mr. Bill Welter Lush Geosciences 3560 Business Drive, Suite 120 Sacramento, CA 95820

Dear Mr. Welter:

Enclosed is the report for the four (4) water samples. The samples were received at Sparger Technology Analytical Lab on October 25, 1994.

The samples were received in eight (8) VOAs. The samples were transported and received under documented chain of custody and stored at four (4) degrees C until analysis was performed.

The report consists of the following sections:

I. Sample Description

II. Analysis Request

III. Quality Control Report

IV. Analysis Results

No problems were encountered with the analysis of your samples.

If you have questions, please feel free to call.

Sincerely,

R. L. James

**Principal Chemist** 



#### I <u>Sample Description</u>

See attached Samples Description Information.

The samples were received under chain-of-custody.

#### II Analysis Request

The following analytical tests were requested:

Lab ID	Your ID	Analysis Description
ST94-10-978A	W-30.10-MW1	TPHgas & BTEX
ST94-10-979A	W-30.15-MW2	TPHgas & BTEX
ST94-10-980A	W-30.10-MW3	TPHgas & BTEX
ST94-10-981A	W-29.6-MW4	TPHgas & BTEX



#### III Quality Control

- A. <u>Project Specific QC</u>. No project specific QC (i.e., spikes and/or duplicates) was requested.
- B. <u>Method Blank Results</u>. A method blank is a laboratory-generated sample which assesses the degree to which laboratory operations and procedures cause false-positive analytical results for your sample.
- C. <u>Laboratory Control Spike</u>. A Laboratory Control Spike (LCS) is a sample which is spiked with 30 ppb BTEX, and analyzed at approximately 10% of the sample load in order to establish method-specific control limits. The LCS results associated with your samples are on the attached 8020 Modified LCS BTEX Analysis Report.
- D. Matrix Spike Results. A Matrix Spike is a sample which is spiked with 30 ppb BTEX, and analyzed at approximately 10% of the sample load in order to establish method-specific control limits. The Matrix Spike results associated with your samples are on the attached 8020 Modified Matrix-Spike BTEX Analysis Report.

No target parameters were detected in the method blank associated with your sample at the reporting limit levels noted on the data sheets in the Analytical Results section.

Accuracy is measured by Percent Recovery as in:

% recovery = (measured concentration) x 100 (actual concentration)

#### IV Analysis Results

Results are on the attached data sheets.

# 8020/8015 Modified Analysis Report **Project: Beck Roofing (423-001)**

Attention:

Mr. Bill Welter

Lush Geosciences

3560 Business Drive, Suite 120

Sacramento, CA 95820

Date Sampled: Oct 25, 1994

Date Received: Oct 25, 1994 Date Analyzed: Nov 7, 1994

Invoice #:

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#### **WATER SAMPLES**

Unit = ua/L

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	Lab	Client		Det		Det		Det		Det		Det	Surrogate % Recovery	Dilution
	ID	ID	В	Limit	Т	Limit	E	Limit	Х	Limit	TPHgas	Limit	of Trifluorotoluene	1:
	ST94-10-978A	W-30.10-MW1	ND	0.3	ND	0.3	ND	0.3	ND	0.3	ND	50	104%	1
	ST94-10-979A	W-30.15-MW2	ND	0.3	ND	0.3	ND	0.3	ND	0.3	ND	50	112%	1
	ST94-10-980A	W-30.10-MW3	ИD	0.3	ND	0.3	ND	0.3	ND	0.3	ND	50	120%	1
	ST94-10-981A	W-29.6-MW4	ND	0.3	ND	0.3	ND	0.3	ND	0.3	ND	50	112%	1

ppm = parts per million = ug/g = micrograms per gram

ND = Not Detected Compound(s) may be present at concentrations below the detection limit

Nov 9, 1994

Date Reported

R. L. James, Principal Chemist

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Mobile Laboratory Scientific



## 8020 Modified Laboratory Control Spike (LCS) & Laboratory Control Spike Duplicate (LCSD) BTEX Analysis Report

Attention:

Mr. Bill Welter

**Lush Geosciences** 

3560 Business Drive, Suite 120

Sacramento, CA 95820

Date Sampled:

Date Received:

Date Analyzed:

Oct 25, 1994 Oct 25, 1994

Oct 28, 1994

Project ID:

423-001

Project Name:

**Beck Roofing** 

Client ID:

LCS/LCSD

LAB ID:

ST94-10-028 LCS

ST94-10-028 LCSD

Matrix:

Water

Dilution:

Name	Conc. Spike Added	Sample Result	LCS Result	LCSD Result	Units	LCS % Recovery	LCSD % Recovery	% RPD Recovery			
Benzene	30 ppb	ND	32	32	ug/L	107%	107%	0%			
Toluene	30 ppb	ND	32	33	ug/L	107%	110%	3%			
Ethylbenzene	30 ppb	ND	33	34	ug/L	110%	113%	3%			
Xylenes	30 ppb	ND	31	32	ug/L	103%	107%	3%			
Surrogate % R	ecovery of Trif	luorotoluen	ne =	108%	LCS	108%	LCSD				

ppb = parts per billion = ug/L = micrograms per Liter

ppm= parts per million = ug/mL = micrograms per milliliter

ND = Not Detected Compound(s) may be present at concentrations below the detection limit

R L. James, Principal Chemist

Nov 9, 1994

Date Reported

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# 8020 Modified Matrix Spike (MS) & Matrix Spike Duplicate (MSD) **BTEX Analysis Report**

Attention:

Mr. Bill Welter

Date Sampled:

Oct 25, 1994

**Lush Geosciences** 

Date Received:

Oct 25, 1994

3560 Business Drive, Suite 120 Sacramento, CA 95820

Date Analyzed:

Oct 28, 1994

Project ID:

423-001

Project Name:

**Beck Roofing** 

Client ID:

MS/MSD (Batch)

LAB ID:

ST94-10-1079A MS

ST94-10-1079A MSD

Matrix:

Water

Dilution:

Name	Conc. Spike Added	Sample Result	MS Result	MSD Result	Units	MS % Recovery	MSD % Recovery	% RPD Recovery
Benzene	30 ppb	ND	28	28	ug/L	93%	93%	0%
Toluene	30 ppb	ND	27	27	ug/L	90%	90%	0%
Ethylbenzene	30 ppb	ND	25	26	ug/L	83%	87%	4%
Xylenes	30 ppb	ND	25	25	ug/L	83%	83%	0%

Surrogate % Recovery of Trifluorotolue	ne =
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88% MS

88% MSD

ppb = parts per billion = ug/L = micrograms per liter

ppm= parts per million = ug/ml = micrograms per milliliter

ND = Not Detected. Compound(s) may be present at concentrations below the detection limit

R. L. James, Principal Chemist

Nov 9, 1994

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