ON THE SINGULAR K-3 SURFACES WITH HYPERSURFACE SINGULARITIES

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Let A be a singular K-3 surface with hypersurface singularities. If A has singularities other than rational singularities, then the minimal resolution of A is a ruled surface over a non-singular algebraic curve of genus q ($0 \le q \le 3$), and further, under the additional conditions $q \ne 0$ and dim $H^2(A; \mathbf{R}) = 1$, the global structure of M can be determined.

Introduction. Let A be a projective algebraic normal Gorenstein surface, namely, the canonical line bundle on the set of regular points of A is trivial in a neighbourhood of each singular point. Then we can define the canonical line bundle on A. We assume here that A has always singularities. Such a surface is called the singular del Pezzo surface (resp. singular K-3 surface) if the anti-canonical line bundle on A is ample (resp. trivial) on A. The study of the singular del Pezzo surface (resp. singular K-3 surface) was done by Brenton [4] and Hidaka-Watanabe [7] (resp. Umezu [11]). In particular, Umezu had an interesting result on the singularities of a singular K-3 surface.

On the other hand, these surfaces are also closely related to the study of a complex analytic compactification of \mathbb{C}^3 (see [4], [5]). Let (X, A) be a non-singular Kähler compactification of \mathbb{C}^3 such that A has at most isolated singularities. Since X is a non-singular 3-fold, A has at most isolated hypersurface singularities. Further, we can see that $\operatorname{Pic} A \cong \mathbb{Z}$ and A is isomorphic to either \mathbb{P}^2 , or a singular del Pezzo surface, or a singular K-3 surface. In the case where A is isomorphic to \mathbb{P}^2 or a singular del Pezzo surface, the structure of (X, A) is determined in [6] (see also [4]).

Now, in this paper, we shall consider the singular K-3 surface. Let A be a projective algebraic singular K-3 surface and π : $M \to A$ be the minimal resolution of singularities of A. Then M is a non-singular K-3 surface or a ruled surface over a non-singular algebraic curve R of genus $q = \dim H^1(M; O_M)$. Let S be the set of singularities of A which are not rational singularities. Then $S \neq \emptyset$ if and only if M is a ruled surface over

R. Taking into account that Pic $A \cong \mathbb{Z}$ implies $S \neq \emptyset$, we shall study here the singular K-3 surface A with $S \neq \emptyset$.

In §1, we discuss the structure of M as a ruled surface (see Proposition 3). In §2, we show that if the singularities of A are hypersurface singularities, then we have $0 \le q \le 3$ (see Propositions 5 and 6). Finally, in case of $q \ne 0$ and dim $H^2(A; \mathbf{R}) = 1$, we determine the global structure of M (see Theorem).

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1. Preliminaries.

1°. Let A be a projective algebraic normal Gorenstein surface (see Introduction). Then we can define the canonical divisor K_A on A. We call A the singular K-3 surface if (i) the singular locus of A is not empty, (ii) $K_A = 0$, (iii) $H^1(A; O_A) = 0$. Let A be a singular K-3 surface and S be the set of singular points which are not rational double points. Let π : $M \to A$ be the minimal resolution of the singular points of A and put $\pi^{-1}(S) = C = \bigcup_{i=1}^{s_0} C_i$. Then we have

PROPOSITION 1 (Umezu [11]). Assume that $S \neq \emptyset$. Then

- (1) the canonical divisor $K_M = -\sum_{i=1}^{s_0} n_i \cdot C_i$ $(n_i > 0)$ and thus M is a ruled surface over a non-singular compact algebraic curve R of genus $q = \dim H^1(M; O_M)$ (namely, M is birationally equivalent to \mathbf{P}^1 -bundle over R).
- (2) if $q \neq 1$, then S consists of one point with $p_g = \dim(R^1 \pi_* O_M)_S = q + 1$.
- (3) if q = 1, then S consists of either one point with $p_g = 2$ or two points with $p_g = 1$. Moreover, in second case of (3), both of the two points are simple elliptic.

REMARK 1. Let $b^+(A)$ be the dimension of positive eigenspace with respect to the cup product pairing $H^2(A; \mathbf{R}) \times H^2(A; \mathbf{R}) \to H^4(A; \mathbf{R}) \cong \mathbf{R}$. Then $b^+(A) = 1$ if $S \neq \emptyset$. In fact, if $S \neq \emptyset$, then $p_g(M) = 0$ since M is ruled. By Kodaira equality $b^+(M) = 2p_g(M) + 1$, where $p_g = \dim H^2(M; O_M)$, we have $b^+(M) = 1$. By Brenton [3], $b^+(A) = b^+(M)$, thus we have the claim.

In case of $S \neq \emptyset$, let \overline{M} be the relatively minimal model of M and μ : $M \to \overline{M}$ be the birational morphism. Then \overline{M} is a \mathbb{P}^1 -bundle over R. Then we have the following

PROPOSITION 2. Assume that $S \neq \emptyset$. If $q \neq 0$, then we have either

- (1) $M = \overline{M}$ and C is irreducible (in fact, C is a section of M),
- (2) there exists an irreducible component C_{i_1} of C such that C_{i_1} is a section of M and the rest $\overline{C-C_{i_1}}=\bigcup_{i\neq i_1}C_i$ is contained in the singular fibres of M, or
- (3) C consists of two disjoint irreducible components C_1 and C_2 which are the sections of M.

LEMMA U_1 ([11]). Let $M=M_0\overset{\mu_1}{\to}M_1\to\cdots\overset{\mu_n}{\to}M_n=\overline{M}$ be a sequence of blow-downs obtaining a relatively minimal model \overline{M} of M. Then there exists $D_i\in [-K_{M_i}]$ $(0\leq i\leq n)$ such that

- (i) supp (D_0) is the union of the exceptional sets of π which correspond to the singular points in S,
 - (ii) μ_i is the blow-up with center at a point on supp (D_i) for $1 \le i \le n$,
 - (iii) $\mu_i(D_{i-1}) = D_i \text{ for } 1 \le i \le n.$

LEMMA U_2 ([11]). Assume $q \ge 1$. Then $|-K_M|$ contains no irreducible curve.

(*Proof of Proposition* 2). By Proposition 1, M is a ruled surface over a nonsingular compact algebraic curve R of genus q > 0 and $-K_M = \sum_i n_i C_i$ $(n_i > 0)$. Applying the adjunction formula for a general fibre f of M, we have

$$2 = (-K_M \cdot f) = \sum_i n_i (C_i \cdot f).$$

Thus we have the following

- (i) There exist two irreducible components C_1 , C_2 of C such that $n_1 = n_2 = 1$, $(C_1 \cdot f) = (C_2 \cdot f) = 1$, and $(C_i \cdot f) = 0$ for $i \ge 3$. Applying the adjunction formula for the curve C_i (i = 1, 2), we have that the curve C_i (i = 1, 2) is a non-singular elliptic curve with $(C_1 \cdot C_2) = 0$ and there exists no other irreducible component of C which intersects C_i (i = 1, 2). Thus, by Proposition 1, we must have $C = C_1 \cup C_2$ and $-K_M = C_1 + C_2$.
- (ii) There exists an irreducible component C_{i_1} such that $n_{i_1} = 2$, $(C_{i_1} \cdot f) = 1$ and $(C_i \cdot f) = 0$ $(i \neq i_1)$. Thus, $-K_M = 2C_{i_1} + \sum_{i \neq i_1} n_i C_i$.

(iii) There exists an irreducible component C_1 of C such that $n_1 = 1$, $(C_1 \cdot f) = 2$ and $(C_i \cdot f) = 0$ ($i \ne 1$). Applying the adjunction formula for the curve C_1 , we have that C_1 is a non-singular elliptic curve and there exists no other irreducible component of C which intersects C_1 . Thus, by Proposition 1, we must have $C = C_1$ and $-K_M = C_1$.

By Lemma U_1 , U_2 , the case (iii) can not occur. Assume that $M = \overline{M}$. Then the case (i) cannot occur. In fact, since $M = \overline{M}$ is a \mathbf{P}^1 -bundle over a non-singular elliptic curve in this case, $0 = (-K_M)^2$. Thus, $(C_1 + C_2)^2 = C_1^2 + C_2^2 = 0$. Since C is an exceptional curve, this is a contradiction. In case (ii), since $(C_i \cdot f) = 0$ ($i \neq i_1$), C_i 's ($i \neq i_1$) are all fibres of M, which are not exceptional. Therefore we must have $C = C_{i_1}$, and this is a section of M. This proves (1). The assertions (2) and (3) follow from the above facts (i) and (ii).

2°. We shall prepare some notations and results from the local theory of normal two dimensional singular points (see Laufer [9], Yau [13], [14]). Let A, π : $M \to A$, C be as in 1°. Let Z be the fundamental cycle of the singular points S with respect to the resolution π : $M \to A$. Let U be a strongly pseudoconvex neighbourhood of C in M. A cycle D on U is an integral combination of the C_i , $D = \sum d_i C_i$ $(1 \le i \le s_0)$, with d_i an integer. We let supp $D = |D| = \bigcup C_i$, $d_i \ne 0$, denote the support of D. We put $O_D := O_U/O_U(-D)$ and $\chi(D) = \dim H^0(U; O_D) - \dim H^1(U; O_D)$. By the Riemann-Roch theorem [10], we have

(1.1)
$$\chi(D) = -\frac{1}{2}(D \cdot D + D \cdot K_U),$$

where K_U is the canonical divisor on U. Let g_i be the genus of the desingularization of C_i and μ_i be the "number" of nodes and cusps on C_i . Then, we have [10]

$$(1.2) C_i K_U = -C_i \cdot C_i + 2g_i - 2 + 2\mu_i$$

For two cycles D and E, we have, by (1.1),

(1.3)
$$\chi(D+E) = \chi(D) + \chi(E) - D \cdot E.$$

3°. Next, we shall study the anti-canonical divisor $-K_M$ on M.

LEMMA 1.
$$K_M = K_U$$
.

PROPOSITION 3. Assume that $S \neq \emptyset$. Then

(I)
$$S = \{ one point \}$$

(i) if
$$q = 0$$
, then $-K_M = Z$

- (ii) If $q \neq 0$, then $-K_M = Z + C_{i_1}$, where C_{i_1} is a section of M in Proposition 2-(2).
- (II) $S = \{ \text{two points} \}$ (thus q = 1). Then, $-K_M = C_1 + C_2$, where C_1 and C_2 are two disjoint sections of M in Proposition 2-(3).

Proof. By a theorem of Laufer [9] and Lemma 1, we have (I)-(i). The assertion (II) follows directly from Proposition 2-(3). We shall show the assertion (I)-(ii). Since $(-K_M - C_{i_1}) \cdot C_{i_1} \leq 0$ $(1 \leq i \leq s_0)$, by definition of the fundamental cycle, $-K_M - C_{i_1} \geq Z$. Now, let us assume that $-K_M = Z + C_{i_1} + D$, where D > 0. For a general fiber f of M, $2 = -(K_M \cdot f) = Z \cdot f + C_{i_1} \cdot f + D \cdot f$. Since $C_{i_1} \subset |Z|$, $Z \cdot f = 1 = C_{i_1} \cdot f$ and $D \cdot f = 0$. This means that D is contained in the singular fibres of M. Since $H^2(M; O_M(-Z)) \cong H^0(M; O_M(-C_{i_1} - D)) \cong 0$ and $H^2(M; O_M) \cong 0$, by the Riemann-Roch theorem, we have

$$0 \ge -\dim H^1(M; O_M(-Z)) = \frac{1}{2}(Z \cdot Z + Z \cdot K_M) + 1 - q.$$

By Lemma 1, and (1.1), we have the inequality $\chi(Z) \ge 1 - q$. Since $H^0(U; O_Z) \cong \mathbb{C}$ by Laufer [9], $\chi(Z) = 1 - \dim H^1(U; O_Z) \le 1$. Since S does not contain rational singularities, $\chi(Z) \ne 1$ by [1]. Therefore we have

$$(1.4) 1 - q \le \chi(Z) \le 0$$

Since $1 - q = \chi(C_{i_1}) = \chi(-K_U - C_{i_1}) = \chi(Z + D) = \chi(Z) + \chi(D) - D \cdot Z$,

(1.5)
$$\chi(Z) = -\chi(D) + 1 - q + D \cdot Z.$$

By (1.4) and (1.5), $D \cdot Z \ge \chi(D)$. Since $D \cdot Z \le 0$, $\chi(D) \le 0$.

On the other hand, we have just seen that the support |D| of D is contained in the singular fibres of M. We can easily find that the contraction of |D| in M yields rational singularities. Thus, we have $\chi(D) \ge 1$. This is a contradiction. Therefore D = 0, namely, $-K_M = Z + C_i$.

COROLLARY 1. In the case (I)-(ii) of Proposition 3, we have

- (1) $C_{i_1} \cdot Z = 2 2q$
- $(2) Z \cdot Z \leq C_{i_1} \cdot C_{i_1}$
- $(3) Z \cdot Z \leq 2 2q.$

Proof. Since $-K_M = Z + C_{i_1}$, $-(C_{i_1} \cdot K_M) = C_{i_1} \cdot C_{i_1} + C_{i_1} \cdot Z$. By the adjunction formula, $C_{i_1} \cdot C_{i_1} + C_{i_1} \cdot K_M = 2q - 2$. Thus, we have

 $C_{i_1} \cdot Z = 2 - 2q$. This proves (1). Since $-K_M = 2C_{i_1} + \sum_{i \neq i_1} \lambda_i C_i$ ($\lambda_i > 0$) (see (ii) in the proof of Proposition 2), we can represent $Z - C_{i_1} = \sum_{i \neq i_1} \lambda_i \cdot C_i$ ($\lambda_i > 0$). Then

$$(Z-C_{i_1})(Z+C_{i_1})=-K_M\left(\sum_{i\neq i_1}\lambda_i\cdot C_i\right)=-\sum_{i\neq i_1}\lambda_i(C_i\cdot K_M)\leq 0.$$

Therefore $Z \cdot Z \leq C_{i_1} \cdot C_{i_1}$. This proves (2). By the Noether formula, $K_M \cdot K_M = Z \cdot Z + 2(Z \cdot C_{i_1}) + C_{i_1} \cdot C_{i_1}$, we have, by (1) and (2), $10 - 8q - b_2(M) \geq 2(Z \cdot Z) + 4(1 - q)$, namely,

$$(1.6) 2 \le b_2(M) \le 6 - 4q - 2(Z \cdot Z).$$

Therefore $-(Z \cdot Z) \ge 2q - 2$. This proves (3).

2. Singular K-3 surfaces with hypersurface singularities.

1°. Throughout this section, we will assume that A is a singular K-3 surface with hypersurface isolated singularities. Let the notations S, M, C, C_i , Z, etc. be as in §1. Let us denote by mult $(O_{A,x})$ the multiplicity of the local ring $O_{A,x}$ at the point x of A. Then,

PROPOSITION 4. Assume that S consists of one point $x \in A$. We put $n = \text{mult}(O_{A,x})$. Then,

- (1) (Wagreich [12]): $Z \cdot Z \geq -n$.
- (2) (Yau [14]): $p_g \ge \frac{1}{2}(n-1)(n-2)$.

PROPOSITION 5. Assume that $S \neq \emptyset$. Then $0 \le q \le 3$.

Proof. We may assume that S consists of one point. Then $p_g = q + 1$. By Proposition 4-(2), we have

$$(2.1) 0 < n \le \frac{1}{2} (3 + \sqrt{9 + 8q}).$$

By (1.6), $-2(Z \cdot Z) \ge 4q - 6 + b_2(M)$. Thus, by Proposition 4-(1), we have $2n \ge 4q - 6 + b_2(M)$. We have, together with (2.1),

$$(2.2) 2 \le b_2(M) \le 9 - 4q + \sqrt{9 + 8q}.$$

Thus,
$$9 - 4q + \sqrt{9 + 8q} \ge 2$$
, namely, $q \le 3$.

COROLLARY 2.

- (1) $q = 3 \Rightarrow b_2(M) = 2$, namely, $M = \overline{M}$.
- $(2) \ q=2\Rightarrow 2\leq b_2(M)\leq 6.$
- $(3) \ q=1\Rightarrow 3\leq b_2(M)\leq 8.$
- (4) $q = 0 \Rightarrow 11 \le b_2(M) \le 13$.

Proof. The assertions (1), (2) and (3) follow directly from Proposition 4-(1), (2.1) and (2.2). In case (3), $b_2(M) \neq 2$. In fact, if $b_2(M) = 2$, then $M = \overline{M}$, since $b_2(\overline{M}) = 2$. Since q = 1 and $M = \overline{M}$, $K_M \cdot K_M = 0$. On the other hand, by Proposition 1-(1) $K_M \cdot K_M = \sum_{i,j} n_i n_j (C_i C_j) < 0$, since $n_i > 0$ and the intersection matrix $(C_i \cdot C_u)$ is negative definite. This is a contradiction. Next, if q = 0, then $-K_M = Z$, by Proposition 3-(1). Since S is a hypersurface singularity, by Laufer [9], $0 < -(Z \cdot Z) \leq 3$. By Noether formula, $K_M \cdot K_M = 10 - b_2(M)$. Therefore $10 < b_2(M) \leq 13$. This proves (4). □

2°. Finally, we shall determine the structure of the singular K-3 surfaces with hypersurface singularities whose second Betti numbers are equal to 1. Let us denote by Sing A the singular locus of A. Then Sing A - S consists of rational double points. We put $B = \pi^{-1}(\operatorname{Sing} A)$ $\leftrightarrow C = \bigcup_{i=1}^{s_0} C_i$ and $s := \dim H^2(B; \mathbb{R})$.

LEMMA 2. If
$$b_2(A) = 1$$
, then S consists of one point and $b_2(M) = s + 1$.

Proof. Let us consider the following exact sequence of cohomology group (see [3]):

$$\to H^1(A; \mathbf{R}) \to H^1(M; \mathbf{R}) \to H^1(B; \mathbf{R}) \to H^2(A; \mathbf{R})$$

$$\stackrel{\pi^*}{\to} H^2(M; \mathbf{R}) \to H^2(B; \mathbf{R}) \to 0.$$

Since $H^1(A; O_A) = 0$, we have $H^1(A; \mathbf{R}) = 0$. Since A is projective algebraic, M is also projective algebraic. Thus $1 = b_2(A) \ge b^+(A) = b^+(M) = 2p_g(M) + 1 \ge 1$, that is, $b^+(A) = 1$, and thus $\ker \pi^* = 0$. This implies $H^1(M; \mathbf{R}) \cong H^1(B; \mathbf{R})$ and $b_2(M) = s + 1$. Now, let us assume that S consists of two points with $p_g = 1$. We have then $C = C_1 \cup C_2$, and C_i 's (i = 1, 2) are non-singular elliptic curves (see Proposition 2 and (i) in the proof). We have also seen that C_i 's are two disjoint sections there. Thus M is a ruled surface over a non-singular elliptic curve, that is, $2 = \dim H^1(M; \mathbf{R})$. On the other hand,

$$\dim H^{1}(M; \mathbf{R}) = \dim H^{1}(B; \mathbf{R}) \ge \dim H^{1}(C; \mathbf{R})$$
$$= \sum_{i=1}^{2} \dim H^{1}(C_{i}; \mathbf{R}) = 4.$$

This is a contradiction. Therefore S consists of one point.

Let C_{i_1} be the section of M as in Proposition 2-(2), and put the self-intersection number $C_{i_1} \cdot C_{i_1} = e < 0$. Then, by Proposition 3, Proposition 5, Corollary 2 and Lemma 2, we have the following

PROPOSITION 6. Assume that $b_2(A) = 1$. Then we have

(1) if
$$q = 3$$
, then $Z \cdot Z = -4$ and $s = 1$.

(2) if
$$q = 2$$
, then $-2 \le Z \cdot Z \le -4$ and

(i)
$$Z \cdot Z = -4 \Rightarrow (e, s) = (-3, 4), (-4, 5).$$

(ii)
$$Z \cdot Z = -3 \Rightarrow (e, s) = (-3, 3)$$

(iii)
$$Z \cdot Z = -2 \Rightarrow (e, s) = (-2, 1)$$

(3)
$$q = 1$$
, then $Z \cdot Z \ge -3$ and

(i)
$$Z \cdot Z = -3 \Rightarrow (e, s) = (-3, 7), (-2, 6), (-1, 5)$$

(ii)
$$Z \cdot Z = -2 \Rightarrow (e, s) = (-2, 5), (-1, 4)$$

(iii)
$$Z \cdot Z = -1 \Rightarrow (e, s) = (-1, 3)$$

(4)
$$q = 0$$
, then $Z \cdot Z \ge -3$ and

(i)
$$Z \cdot Z = -3 \Rightarrow s = 12$$

(ii)
$$Z \cdot Z = -2 \Rightarrow s = 11$$

(iii)
$$Z \cdot Z = -1 \Rightarrow s = 10$$
.

Next, let us see the structure of M as a ruled surface in case of $q \neq 0$.

PROPOSITION 7. Assume that $b_2(A) = 1$. If $q \neq 0$, then either $M = \overline{M}$, or there exists unique exceptional curve of the first kind in every singular fibre of M and then another irreducible components of singular fibre are all contained in B.

Proof. Assume that $M \neq \overline{M}$. Since $q \neq 0$, by Proposition 2-(2), there exists an irreducible component C_{i_1} of C such that the rest $B - C_{i_1}$ is contained in the singular fibres of M. Let F_1, \ldots, F_r be the singular fibres of M, $1 + \alpha_i$ ($\alpha_i > 0$) the "number" of the irreducible components of F_i and δ_i the "number" of the irreducible components of F_i which are not contained in B. Then we have

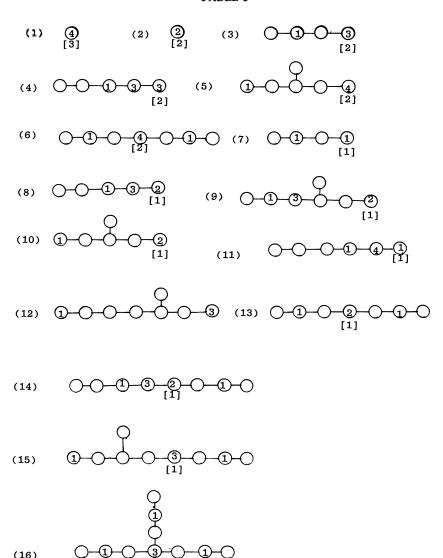
$$\begin{cases} 1 + s = b_2(M) = 2 + \sum_{i=1}^{r} \alpha_i \\ \sum_{i=1}^{r} (1 + \alpha_i - \delta_i) + 1 = s \end{cases}$$

Thus we have $\sum_{i=1}^{r} (1 - \delta_i) = 0$. Since each singular fibre F_i contains at least an exceptional curve of the first kind, we have $\delta_i \ge 1$ $(1 \le i \le r)$, thus $\delta_i = 1$ $(1 \le i \le r)$. This completes the proof.

By Proposition 6 and Proposition 7, we have

THEOREM. Let A be a singular K-3 surface with hypersurface singularities. Assume that $b_2(A) = 1$. Let S be the set of singular points which are not rational singular points, and $\pi \colon M \to A$ be the minimal resolution of singularities of A. Then M is a ruled surface over a non-singular compact algebraic curve R of genus q ($0 \le q \le 3$), and S consists of one point. Moreover, if $q \ne 0$, then the dual graph of all the exceptional curves in M can be classified as Table I.

TABLE I



NOTATION. In Table I, the vertex

(k)

[g]

represents a non-singular compact algebraic curve of genus g with self-intersection number -k, (k) a non-singular rational curve with self-intersection number -k, and we denote (2) by ().

REMARK 2. In case of q = 0, since $-(K_M \cdot K_M) = \sum n_i(C_i \cdot K_M)$ and $(K_M \cdot K_M) = -1$, -2, or -3, repeating the adjunction formula, we can determine the integers n_i 's and the dual graph $\Gamma(C)$ of the exceptional curve C (see Laufer [9]).

REMARK 3 (see [6]). Let (X, A) be a non-singular Kähler compactification of \mathbb{C}^3 and A has at most isolated singular points. Then A is purely two dimensional compact analytic subvariety of X with hypersurface singular points and the canonical divisor $K_X = -r \cdot A$ ($1 \le r \le 4$). In case of $r \ge 2$, the structure of (X, A) is determined in [6]. But in case of r = 1, it is still unknown. In that case, A is a singular K-3 surface with hypersurface singular points and $b_2(A) = 1$. Applying the theory of Iskovskih [8] and our theorem to the paire (X, A), we can obtain some detailed informations on (X, A). This will be discussed elsewhere.

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