# SHIELD ANTIVIRUS

User Manual







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**SHIELD** Antivirus



This guide is devised to lead you through the installation process and general usege of **Shield Antivirus**. Shield Antivirus protects your computer from viruses, ransomware, malware, Trojans, and more.

#### Compatibility

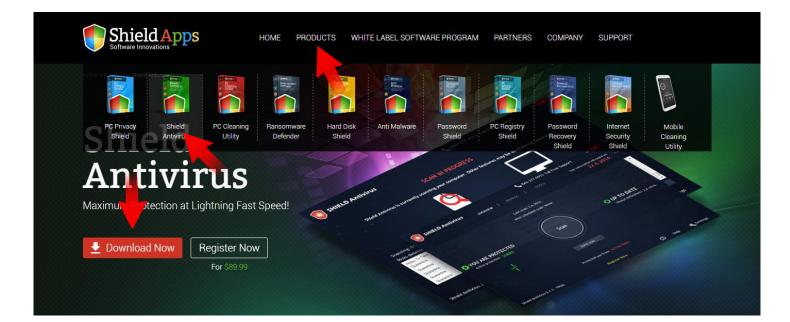
Shield Antivirus supports Windows versions:



#### **Installation Guide**

To obtain your copy of Shield Antivirus, please follow the steps below:

- ✓ Go to ShieldApps.com
- Under the "Products" menu, choose Shield Antivirus
- Click the "Download Now" button and save the product on your computer





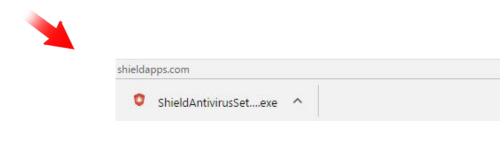
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To initiate the installation process,

double-click the downloaded file icon.

Shield Antivirus' installation process will start promptly.



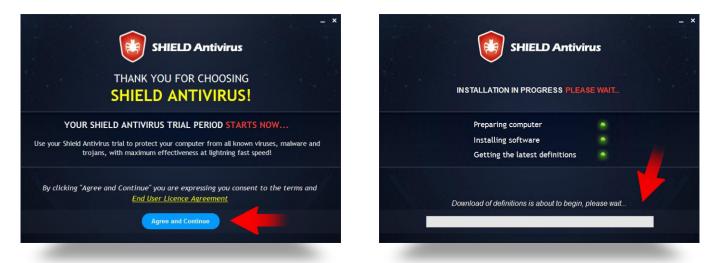
Click "Agree and Continue" to proceed with the installation.

Shield Antivirus features a full operational 30 days free-of-charge trial.

Please note: before you confirm the installation process,

we urge you to read product's terms and conditions ("End User License Agreement") by clicking on the relevant link, as shown below.

The installation process includes a vast threats database download, and thus takes a while. Once downloaded Antivirus' threat database will be up to date and provide maximum protection.





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Once all the files are downloaded and unpacked, Shield Antivirus will launch automatically, and an installation confirmation page will open to confirm a successful installation.











Upon its first run, Shield Antivirus will ask you to either register or continue using a trial version for 30 days.

For a Trial period click "Continue".



#### If you have already registered your copy:

- Enter your full name
- Enter the email address you have used to register your Shield Antivirus
- Copy and paste\* your key in to the activation box
- Click "Activate"



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## Registration

To register your software copy and upgrade to a fully featured premium version:

- Click the "Register" button
- Follow the registration process prompts
- ✓ Upon successful registration, a license key will be delivered to your email address
- Enter your full name
- Enter the email address you have used to register your Shield Antivirus
- Copy and paste it to the activation box
- Click "Activate"

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	Last scan: Never	User Last name Name	Product Shield Antivirus	Price
	Next scheduled scan: 12/26/2016	user@provider.com	Protect your computer from threat: Antivirus!	s today with Shield
YOU ARE PROTECTED	Scan C UP TO DATE Threat definitions: 12/21/2014		Single PC License 589.09 USD Protect yourself with Physic S0% off at ( <del>539.98</del> Now Only	cy Shield for \$19.99 USD)
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\*Hover over the license key with holding left-click to highlight it. Click right-click and select **"Copy".** Go back to the registration box, right-click, choose **"Paste"** from the menu.



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The Overview page displays the main information needed for the every-day use of Shield Antivirus.



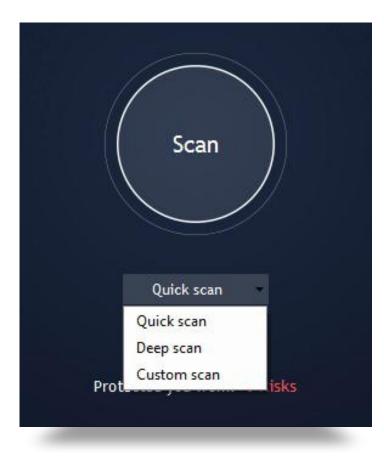
Everything from a basic scan, the software version, the number of threats detected and prevented infections will be displayed here.



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The center button will start a scan when clicked. Below it there is a drop down menu with the type of scans available.



Pick either:



"Custom Scan"





### **Quick Scan**

This scan will run through the system, and look for common hazards. It takes just a few minutes before a full threats-report to display with relevant concerts and suggested actions.

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Action To Take	Risk name	Risk category	Risk level	File name	
Delete	PUA.Win.duplicate-file-fin	PUA		C:\Users\Viktor\Downloads\duplicate-file-finder-setup.exe	^
Delete	PUA.Win.file-recovery-set	PUA		C:\Users\Viktor\Downloads\file-recovery-setup.exe	
Delete	PUA.Win.ProfessionalTur	PUA		C:\Users\Viktor\Downloads\ProfessionalTurboPC@source=hp.	
Delete	PUA.Win.registry-cleaner	PUA		C:\Users\Viktor\Downloads\registry-cleaner-setup.exe	
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Once the scan is complete, a full list of threats, their name, risk level and location on the computer will be displayed.

To see the details for any of the found treats:

- 🧹 🛛 Click on a threat
- Click "Risk Details"

Туре	TROJAN	Risk level
Risk name	Win.Trojan.Jerusalem-35	
Source:	C:\Users\Viktor\Desktop\virusi\\	Virusi\2-TIGERS.COM
Trojan is a malic users into loadin		imate software. Once on the system Trojan tricks between a Trojan and a worm is that Trojan
Trojan is a malic users into loadin		

Cleaning methods are placed below. By default, if **"Clean Now"** button is pressed a recommended action is taken.

#### To change the default settings:

- Click on the drop-down menu
- Choose between "Recommended Action", "Quarantine", "Delete" and "Ignore"

Recommended Action	
Quarantine	
Delete	
Ignore	
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Pick an action and click "Done". The software will return to the Overview page.

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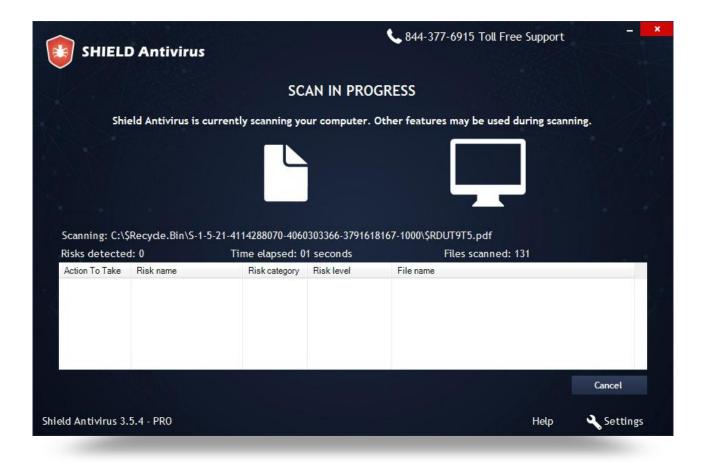
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### **Deep Scan**

This option provides a deeper, more thorough scan of the system. Thanks to advanced algorithms, the software is able to look into deeper levels for possible active or dormant threats.

This scan takes a bit longer, as each level of folders includes thousands of files to be scanned. Once the scan is complete, the results and actions will appear.





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### **Custom Scan**

This option is devised for special scans. If some file or folder are suspected to be infected click **"Add Folder"** and that specific folder will be scanned for threats.

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Scan specific folders		Scan options
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Remove folder Add folder	SCAN NOW	Back
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There's no limitation on a number of files and folders that can be added. To remove a folder from the list, check the box next to its name, and click **"Remove Folder"**.





The Manage tab provides additional tools and information. Each feature has its own page and settings.

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Manage your history, quarantine, l	blocked risks, allowed risks and sch	hedule scans of your computer
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History	Quarantine	Always allowed
View history report summaries or view complete history report	View all items quarantined by Shield Antivirus	View risks that are allowed by Active protection and the scanner
View History	View Quarantine	View Allowed items
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Schedule sc		virus updates
Schedule automated		lates to your Shield
computer		software
View Schedu	ules View Shield An	itivirus Updates
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#### Manage tab contains:

- "History"
  - "Quarantine"
- "Always Allowed"
- "Scheduled Scans"
- "Shield Antivirus Update"



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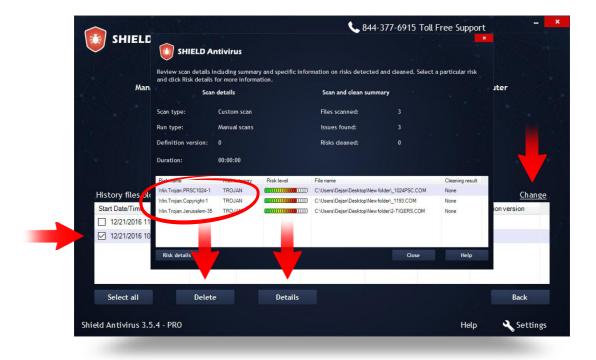


#### History

This feature contains information about the history of scans and cleaning actions. To check the details of any scan click on the **"Details"** button.

#### Each history log can be manually removed:

- Check the box next to the log
- Click **"Delete"** button





#### To automate this operation:

Click "Change" (right side of the list)
 Choose to keep the entire history or remove anything older than specified number of days

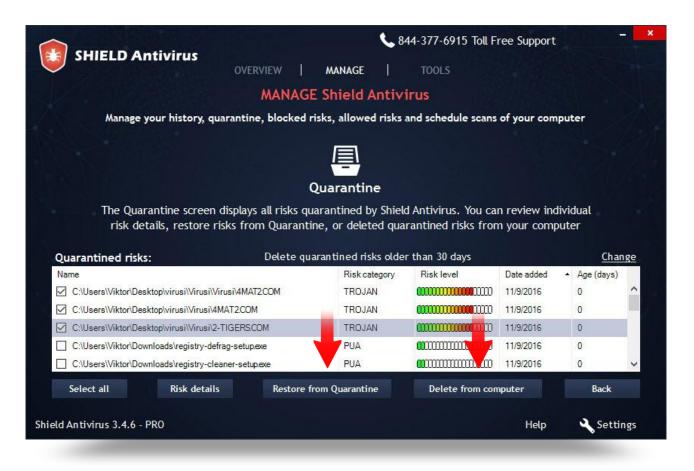




#### Quarantine

This feature holds the information about every malicious file that has been in the quarantine.

To remove it permanently, click **"Delete From Computer"**, to put it back to use click **"Restore From Quarantine"**.





When threats are restored, the software seeks action confirmation. Also, the software will offer to place the file inside the "Always Allowed" section.



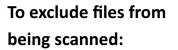
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### **Always Allowed**

This section is used to list pre-approved files and prevent their scanning and detection by Shield Antivirus' engine.

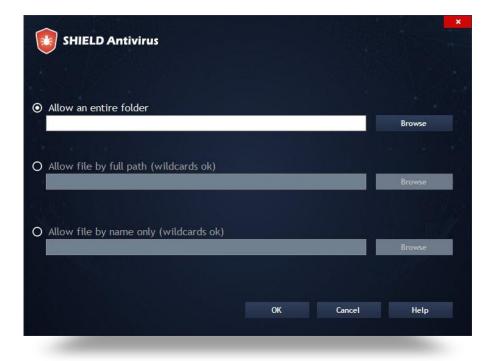
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MANAGE Shield Antivi	rus	
Manage your history, quarantine, blocked risks, allowed risks a	nd schedule scans of y	our computer
Always allowed		
ile name	Туре	Date added
C:\Users\Viktor\Downloads\registry-defrag-setup.exe	Path	11/9/2016
C:\Users\Viktor\Downloads\registry-cleaner-setup.exe	Path	11/9/2016
C:\Users\Viktor\Downloads\ProfessionalTurboPC@source=hp1.exe	Path	11/9/2016
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Click **"Add"** button Find the file's location

Confirm



There is no limit to the list and files can be added or removed at all times.

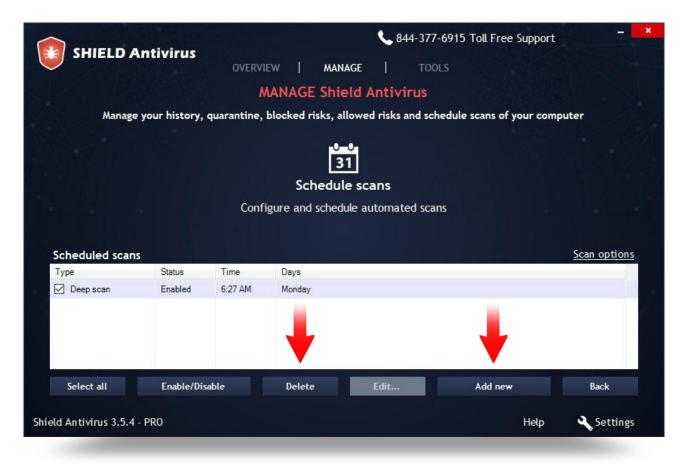


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### **Schedule Scans**

This feature allows the software to be fully automated.



Numerous schedules can be created with the precisely defined time, date and type of scan.

Multiple schedules are available. While the **"Delete"** button removes every scheduled scan which has a checked box.







To create a scheduled scan/clean:

- Click "Add New"
  - Set the time of the scan
  - Pick a type of scan

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Specify the type of sc	an and when will be	e started	
☑ Enable this sche	duled scan		
• Quick scan	O Deep scan	O Custom scan	
		Custom scan se	ttings
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🗹 Thursday	🗹 Friday	🗹 Saturday 🗹 Sunday	r -
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### **Shield Antivirus Updates**

By default, Shield Antivirus is set to update everything automatically.

#### To check for updates manually:

- Click "Check For Shield Antivirus Updates"
- Click "Check For Newer Definitions"



The page also displays detailed information about the current version of both software and definitions installed on the computer.



If there are software or threat database updates, their download and installation will begin instantly. If not, the software will display a message about already having the latest version.



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Shield Antivirus can be used for more than just virus protection. The additional tools can improve privacy, PC's performance and support proper hard drive maintenance.

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SYSTEM TOOLS	
System Tools provide you the ability to view and rearrange computer settings	
History Cleaner Secure File Eraser	
Protects your privacy by clearing out data on how Securely eliminate a file from your computer you use your computer and erase any trace of the file	
View History deaner Configure File eraser	
Start - Up manager	
View and disable applications that run on computer	
startup	
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### **History Cleaner**

This tool searches through the usage records of your browser, allowing its complete removal.

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History items that can be cl	raising matory, pease wart	
Explorer MRU     Internet Cache     Windows Search		
Select all Unselect A		Back
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At the same time, the software looks for temporary files created by an application on the system and supports its deletion as well.

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	History Cleaner	
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Name Explorer MRU		
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Name  Explorer MRU  Windows Search		
Name           Image: Second Se	Description	Back

To remove potential privacy concerns and junk files from the hard drive, click **"Clear History"**. Check the box next to the name of the history/program if you wish to selectively delete specific items.



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#### **Secure File Eraser**

This tool adds a right-click item to your standard right-click menu that allows safe deletion of files on your computer.

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	SYSTEM TOOLS	
System Tools p	rovide you the ability to view and r	
	Secure File Eraser	
Add an "Erase Files" option t	to your MS Windows Explorer men	u to completely and securely delete files.
		xplorer, but the data still exists on your hard drive and really deleted! The Secure File Eraser allows you to
completely eliminate all traces of any file	you delete. This comes with a warni special data recovery utilit	ing: Files you erase this way can not be retrieved with
	special data recovery utilit	ues.
WARNING: If you attempting to	o delete a shortcut, the target file w	vill be erased, not the shortcut.
Add an "Erase Files"	option to your MS Windows Explore	er menu to completely and securely delete files.
		Back

	Preview	
	Set as desktop background	
	Edit	
	Print	
	Rotate clockwise	
	Rotate counterclockwise	
	Open with	
0	MagicISO	
	Share with	
0	Secure delete files with Shield Antivirus	
0	PowerISO	
	Restore previous versions	
	Send to	
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#### To turn on this tool:



Check **"Add an Erase File"** box

A new option will be added to the right-click menu

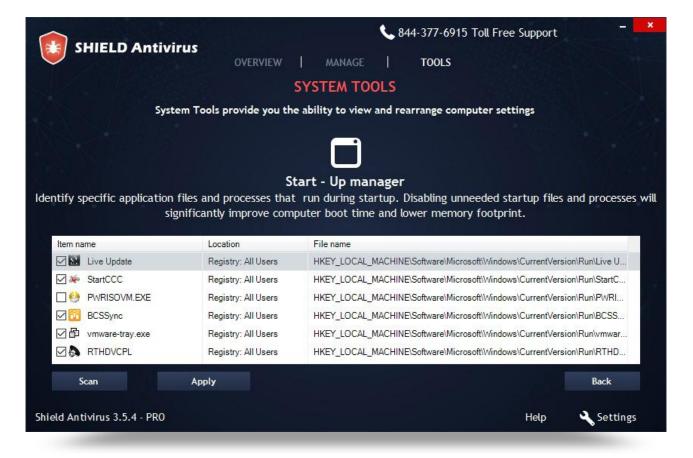




### Start-Up Manger

This tool allows you to control which programs are launched by default upon reboot/startup of your computer.

Some software automatically add themselves to the startup sequence and make it slower and more time consuming, so removing those from the startup process will speed up boot time.



To pick which software will start alongside with the system:

- Click "Scan"
- By clicking the box next to the software's icon pick which will start with the system
- Click "Apply"



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Each software's option can be tweaked, changed or adjusted from within the settings menu. Some additional tools are also available in this menu.

#### General

Regular settings, definitions update and language (11 different) are adjusted here.

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SHIELD Antivirus	General	Scan options	
From here, you can adjust various settings and options that control how Shield Antivirus connects to the internet and updates itself			
Threat definitions updates:			
Shield Antivirus will check for newer threat definitions:	Every 3 hours	•	
Always check for newer definitions when the Shield Antivirus	service starts		
Select the preferred language:	English	-	
Restore Defaults OK Cancel	Apply	Help	



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## Settings

### **Scan Options**

This tab contains protection details. Scan areas, type of files and extensions that are scanned are all defined in this tab.



Active protection allows real-time notifications in a form of a prompt window every time a new threat is found.



Once the threat is found the software offers a few options:





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Active protection can be standard for all the files on the computer, but it can also be specified for the type of files which will be closely monitored.

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.ACM		Add	in 1
ADE		Delete	
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To extend or reduce the list of files that are scanned:

- Check "Use Extension List"
- Open "Extensions" menu
  - Check on uncheck extensions for scanning

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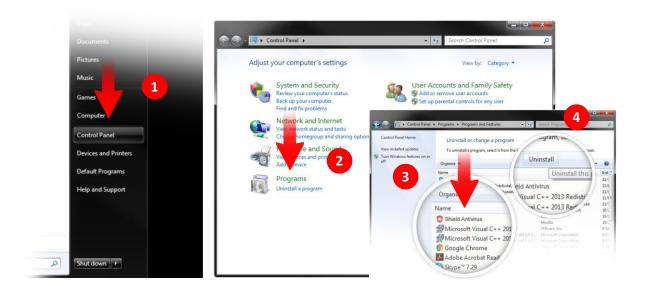


## Uninstall

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To remove the software from the PC:

- **1** Go to Windows Control Panel
- 2 Locate "Programs" "Uninstall a Program"
- 3 Locate Shield Antivirus
  - Click "Uninstall"



Once the uninstall is complete a confirmation page will open.





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