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THE PUBLIC & PRIVATE SECTORS

Partners to End Hunger in America

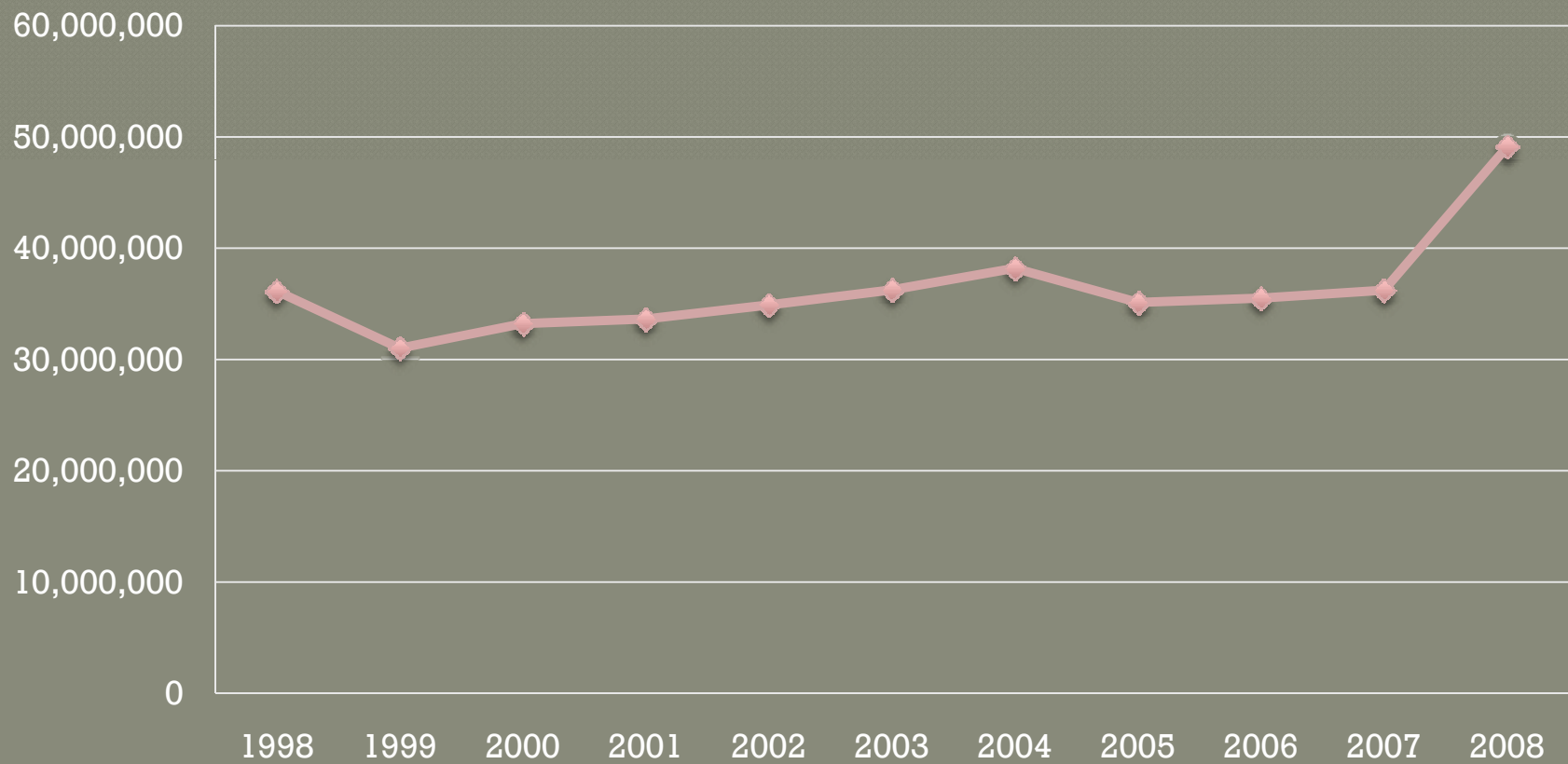
Presentation by Doug O'Brien
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Panel on the Role of the Nutrition Safety Net
2010 Agricultural Outlook Forum

THE ORIGIN OF THE PUBLIC & PRIVATE NUTRITION SAFETY NET

THE PROBLEM OF HUNGER IN AMERICA

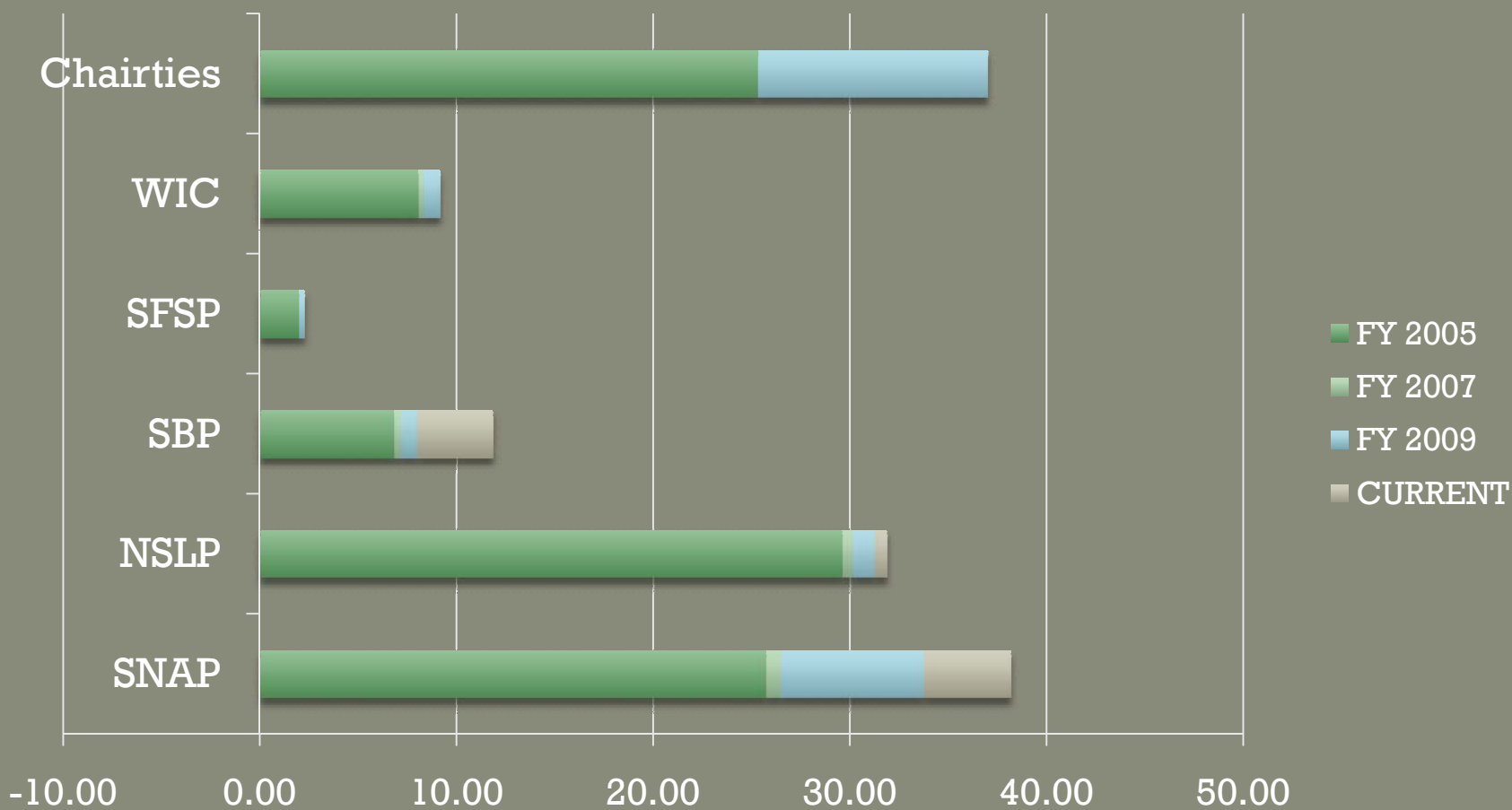
Food Insecurity*

Persons



*ERS/USDA

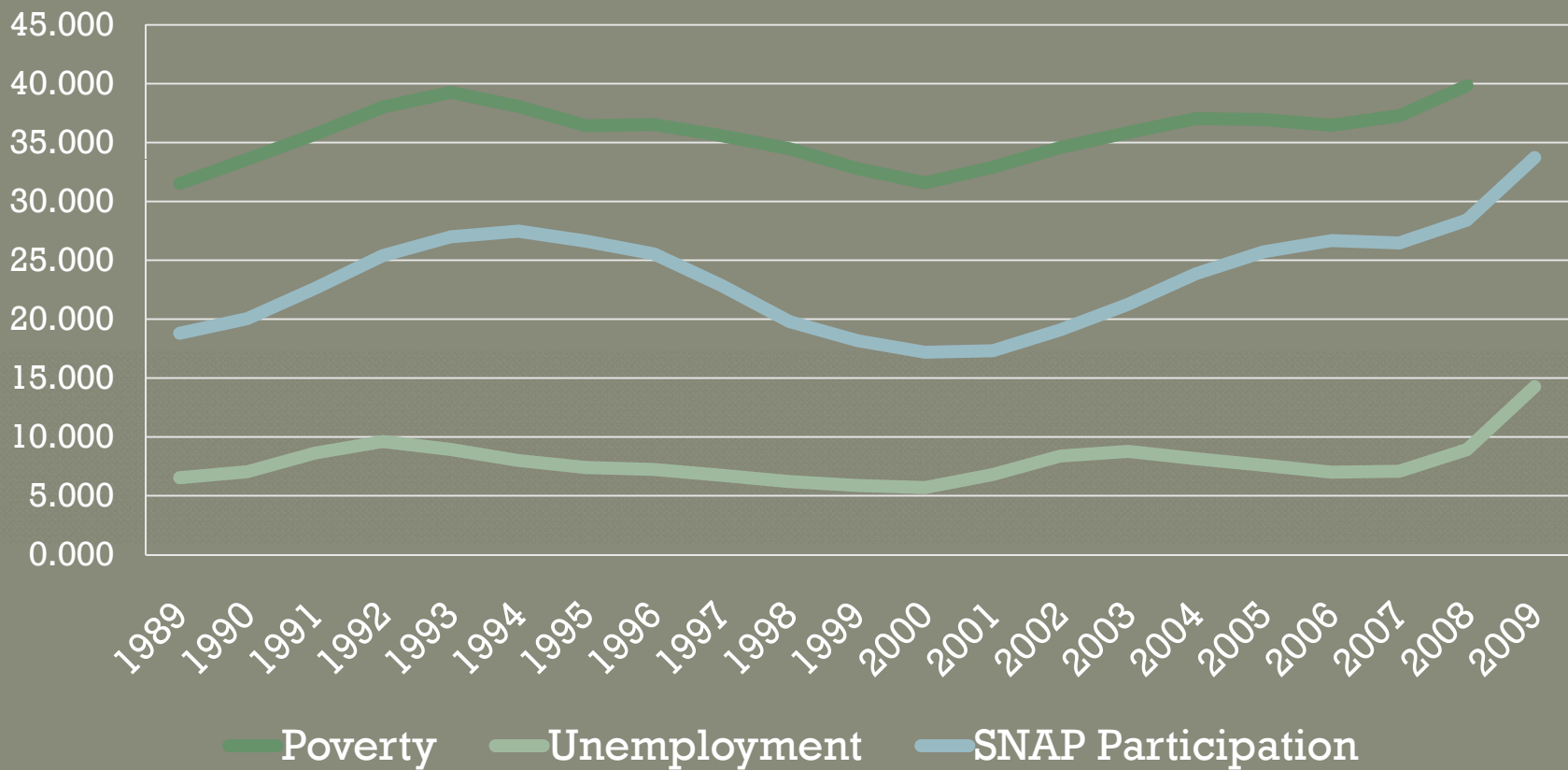
Participation in Federal Nutrition Programs*



*Participation data from FNS and MPR

Poverty, Unemployment and SNAP

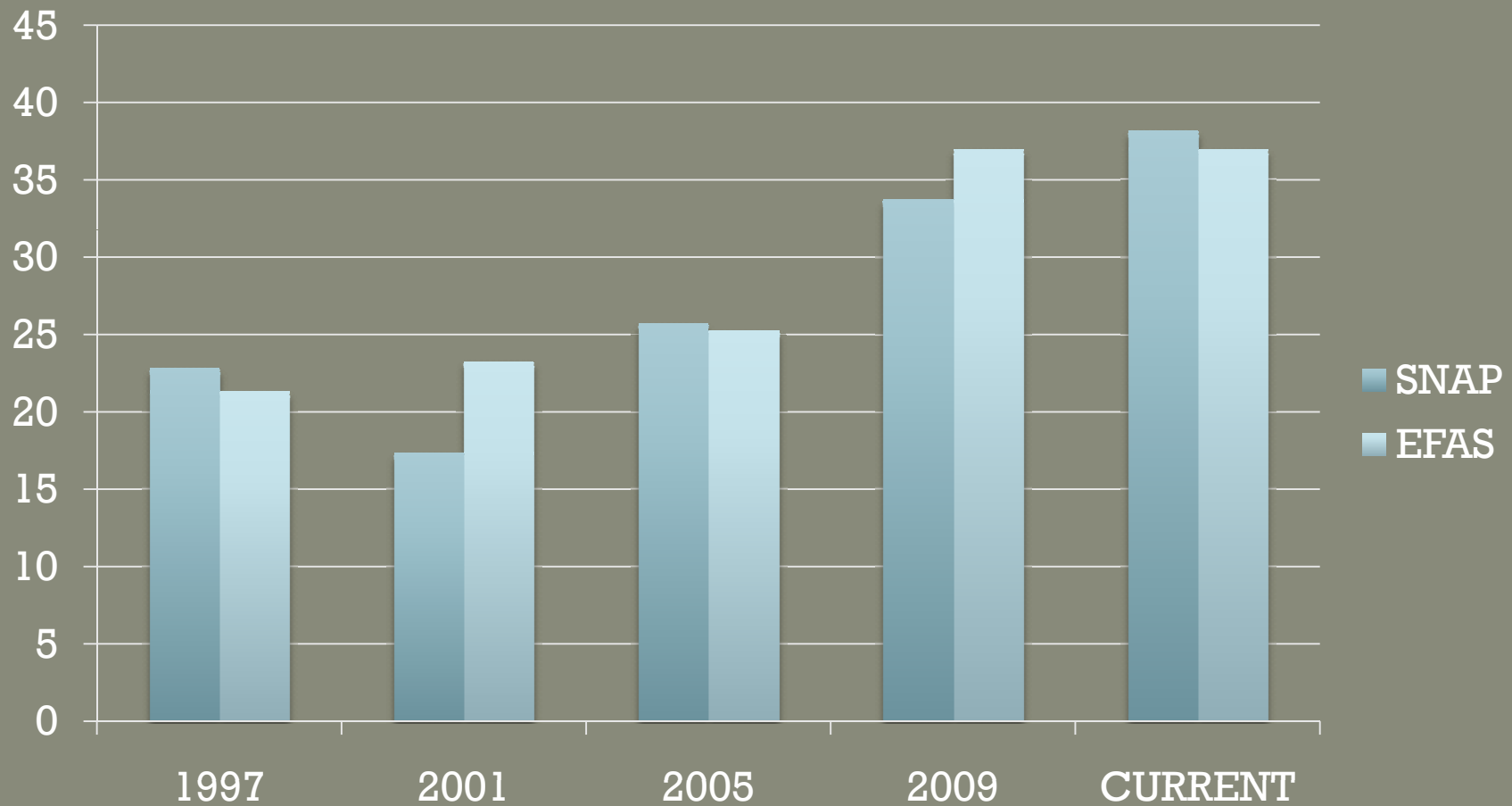
in Millions



*Data from Census, BLS, and FNS.

COLLABORATING TO STRENGTHEN SNAP

SNAP and Emergency Food*



*Data from FNS and MPR

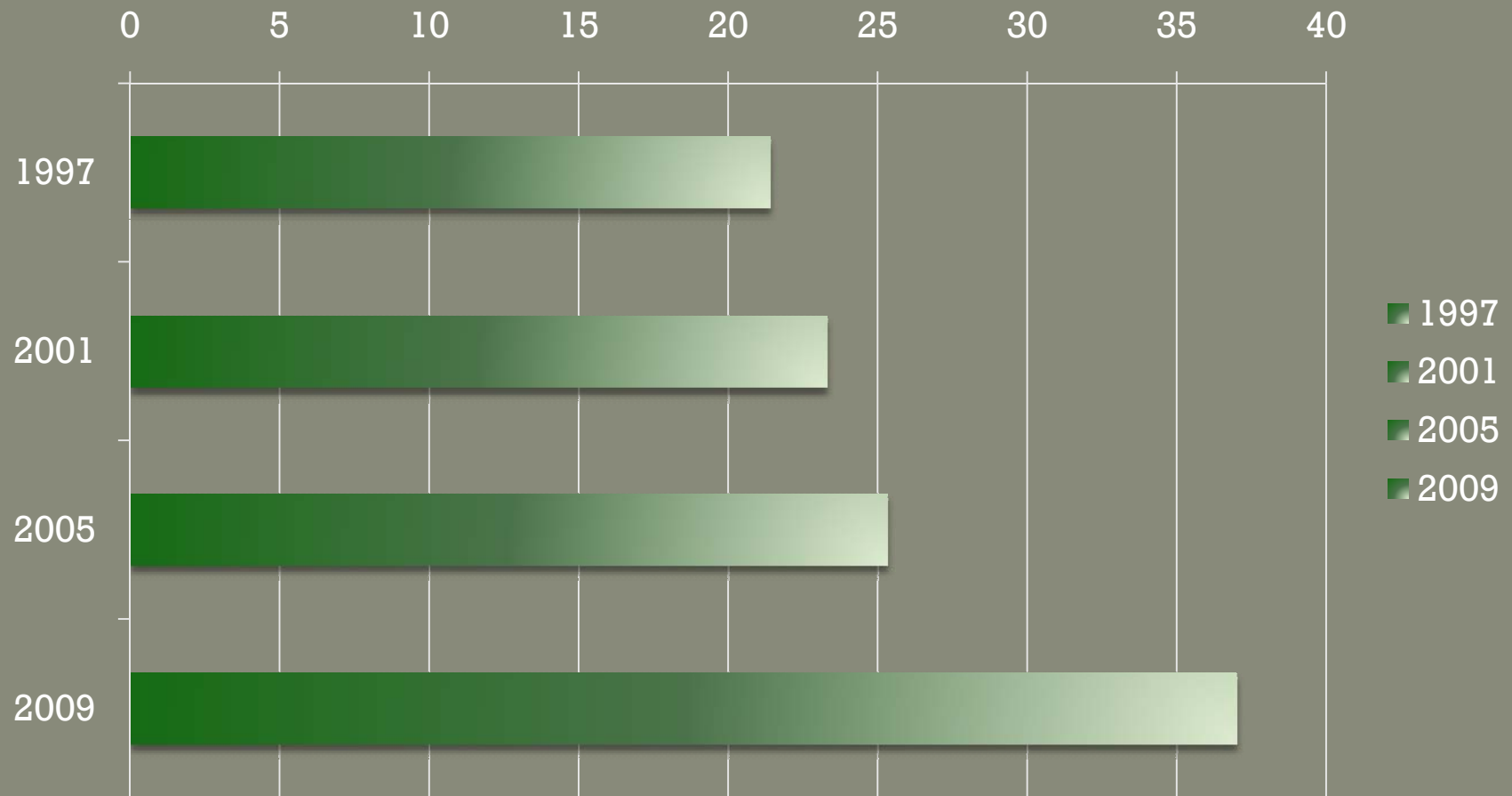
Express SNAP

Since 2006, Express SNAP has:

- Issued more than 2,500 LINK cards;
- Provided \$1.1 million in SNAP benefits;
- 65% recertification rate;
- Reduced application time to 20 – 30 minutes;
- Increased participation among targeted groups;
- Estimated 20% increase in participation rate if implemented throughout the state.

**COLLABORATING TO
STRENGTHEN
THE CHARITABLE
HUNGER RELIEF EFFORTS**

Emergency Food Recipients



COLLABORATION: MOVING FORWARD

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THANK YOU

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