

Supporting Evolving Security Models for an Agile Security Evaluation

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Today's Java Card Applications

- E-money
- Credit card
- Transport
- Access Control
- Passport

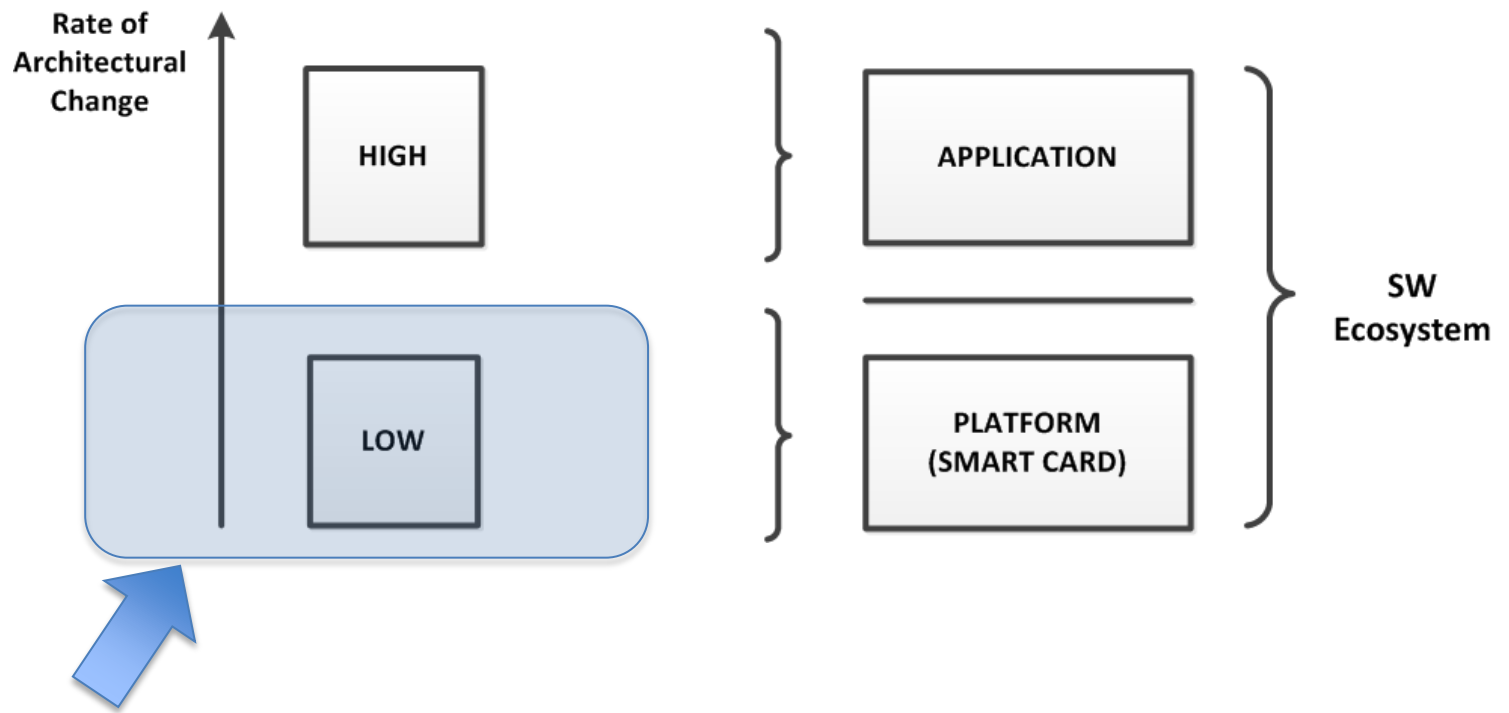
Market Volatility

- High rate of innovation (application scenarios)
- (Lead) customer interaction
- Time-to-market (Common Criteria)
- Early validation

Research Problem

- **Agile security** evaluation
- Evolution of **problem** and **solution** space
- How to support **evolution of a model**
 - Tools?
 - Processes?

Methodology: Limitations



Region of Applicability

[Henderson1990] [Christensen2013] [Messerschmitt2005]

Single System Development vs. Clone and Own

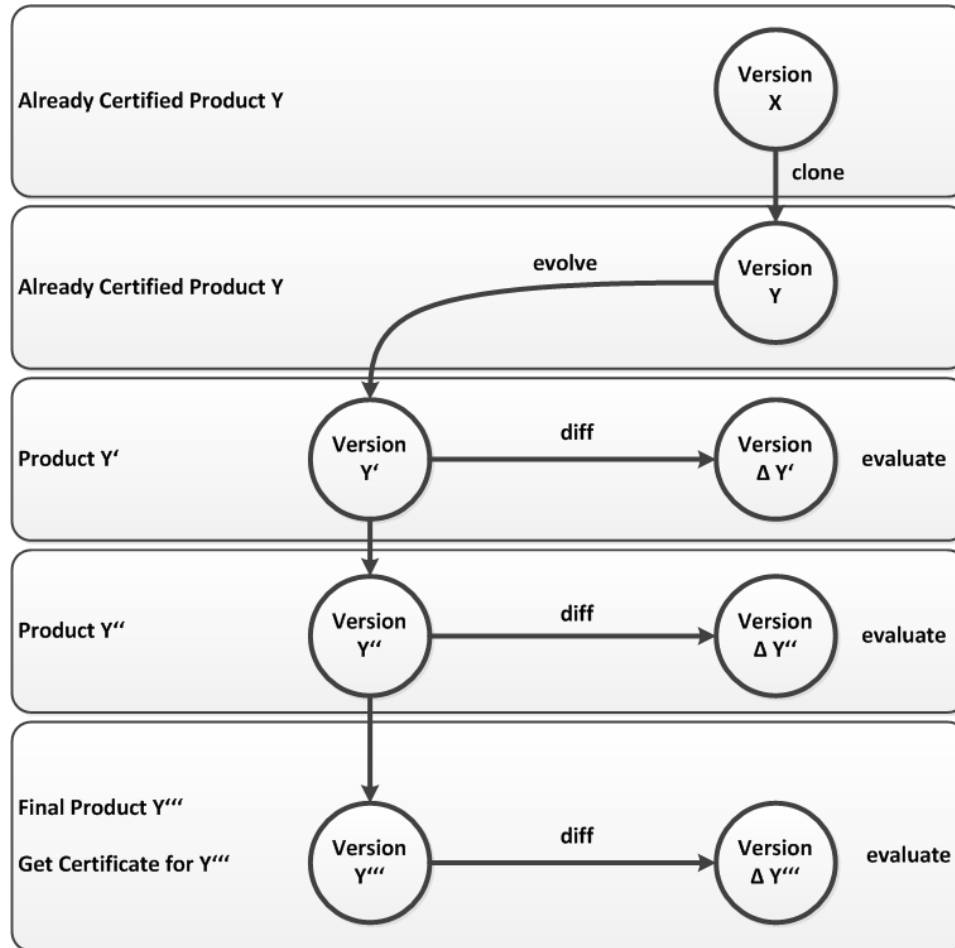
- Single system development
 - Completely new requirements
 - Always start from scratch
 - Architectural evolution
 - Radical evolution

- Clone & Own
 - Copy and adapt to new requirements
 - Often used in practice
 - Incremental evolution
 - Modular evolution

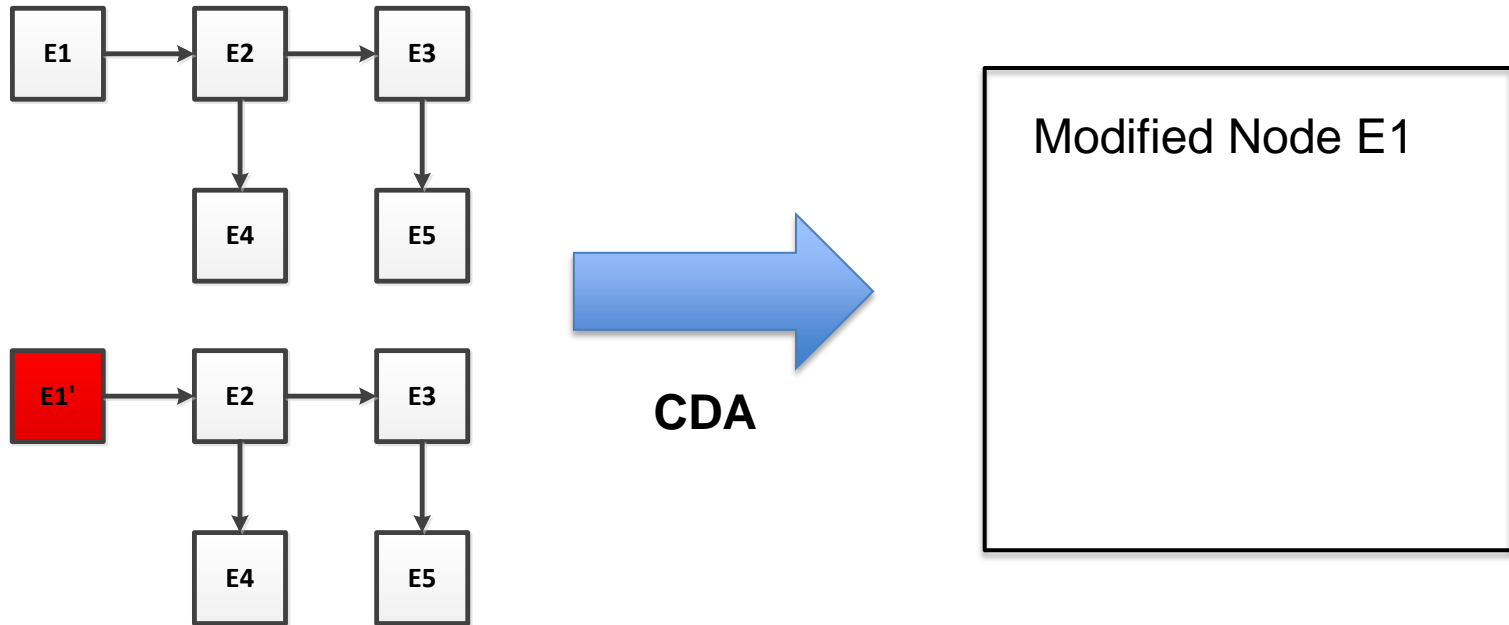
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Model Evolution: Clone and Own

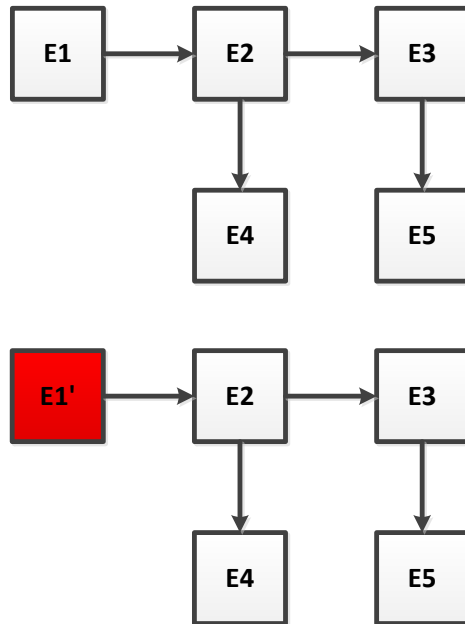


Change Detection Analysis

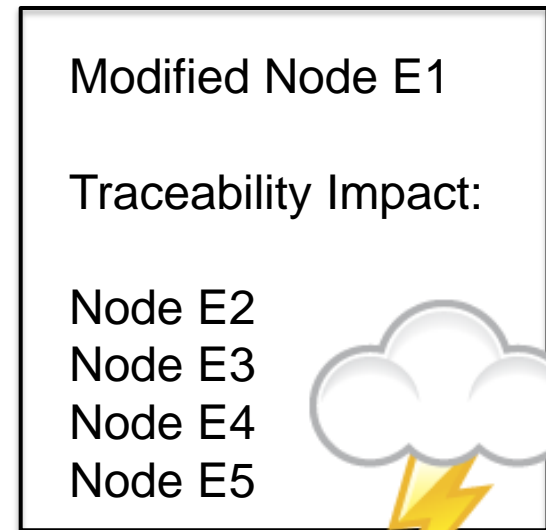


[Altmanninger2009] [Brun2008]

Traceability Impact Analysis



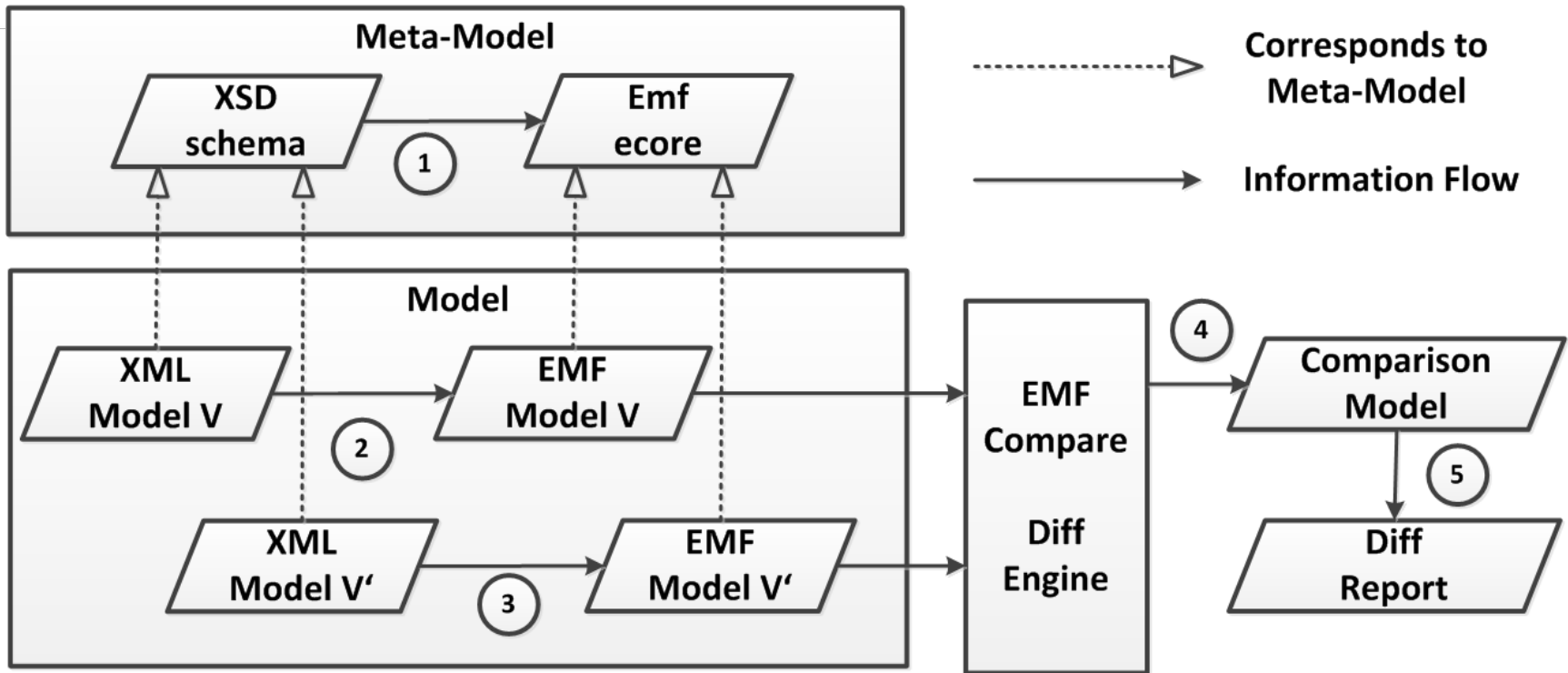
TIA



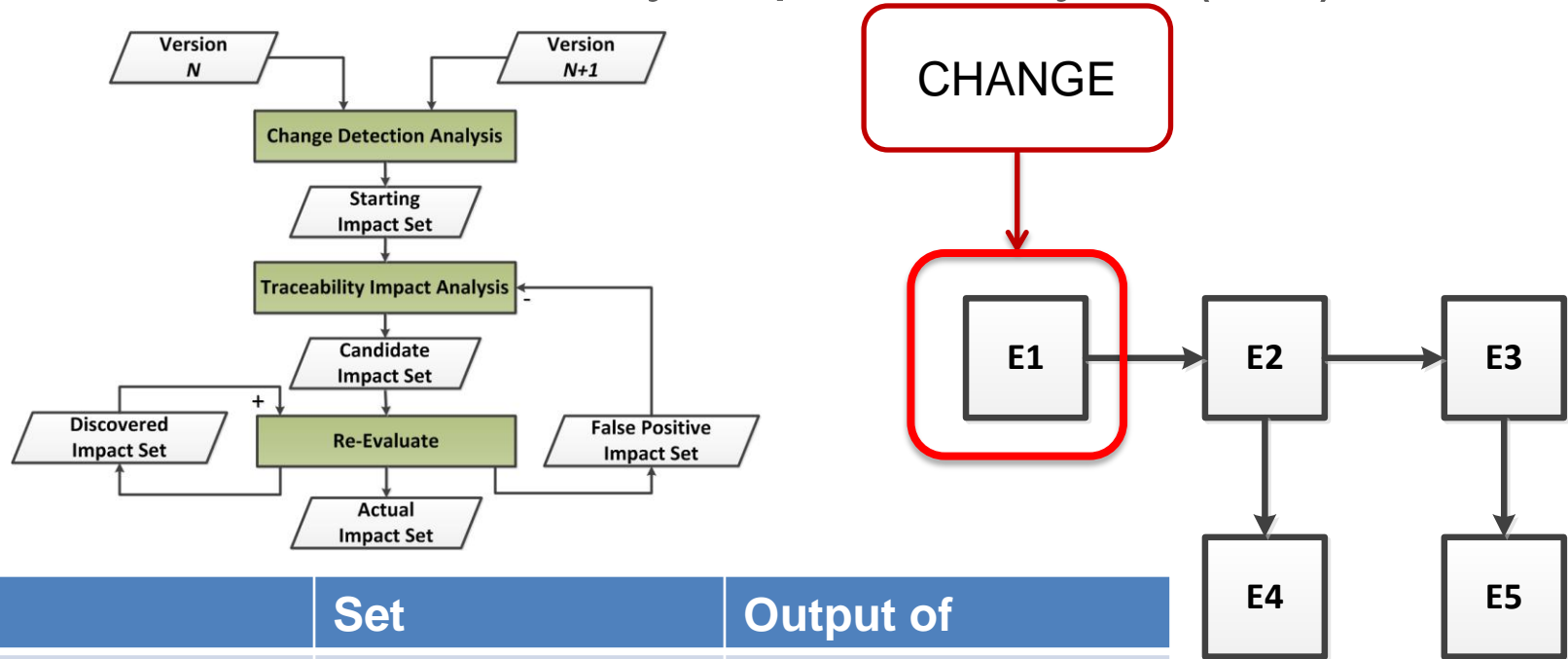
Impact explosion
without semantics

[Bohner2002]

Implementation Model-Diff

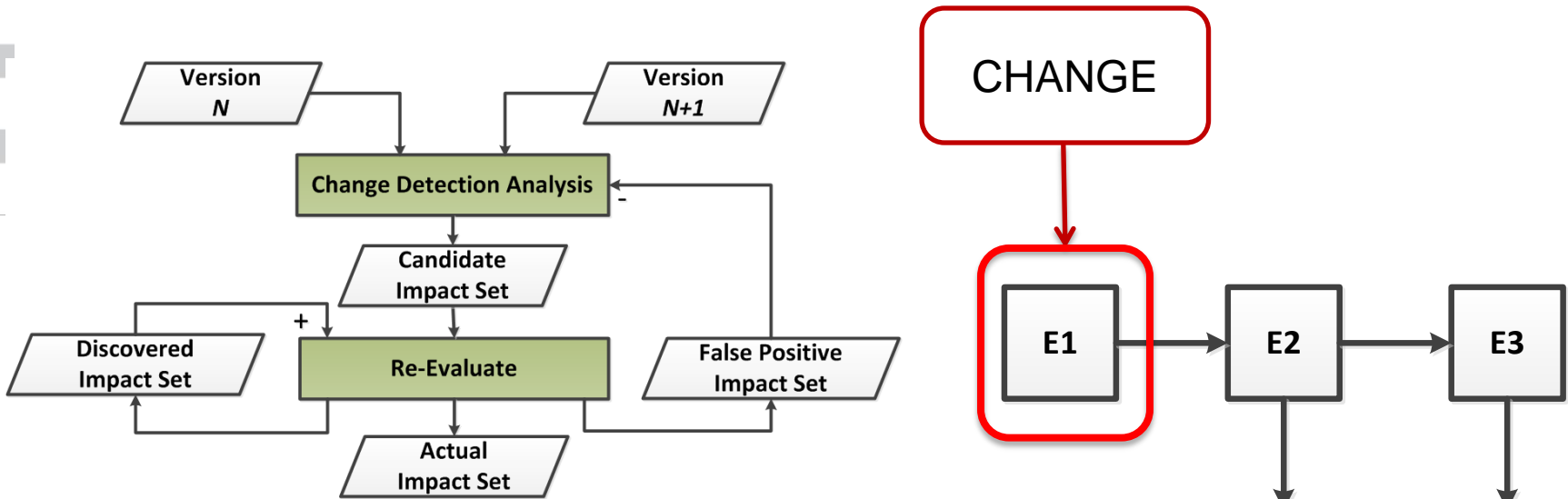


Process with Traceability Impact Analysis (TIA)



| | Set | Output of |
|---------------------------|------------------|---------------|
| Starting Impact Set | {E1} | CDA |
| Candidate Impact Set | {E1,E2,E3,E4,E5} | TIA |
| Discovered Impact Set | {} | re-evaluation |
| False Positive Impact Set | {E3,E4,E5} | re-evaluation |
| Actual Impact Set | {E1,E2} | re-evaluation |

Process With Experiential Impact Analysis (EIA)



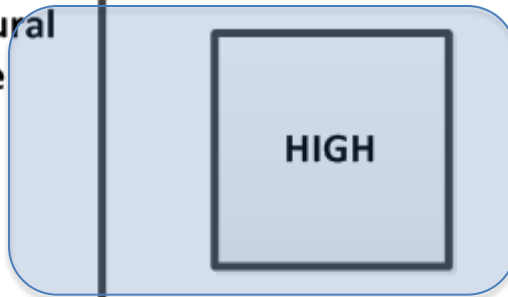
| | Set | Output of |
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Conclusions

| | TIA Process | EIA Process |
|----------------------|--------------------|------------------|
| Affinity | Delta Evaluation | Agile Evaluation |
| Process | Formal | Informal |
| Focus On | Formal Correctness | Human Experience |
| Presumed Experience | LOW | HIGH |
| Validation Principle | Opt Out | Opt In |
| Iteration Cycle | Months/Years | Weeks |
| Time-to-Market | - | + |
| DIS | SMALL | LARGE |
| FPIS | LARGE | SMALL |

Future Work

Rate of Architectural Change



FUTURE:

How can security evaluation be tailored to support this area?



Implications for Security Evaluation?

**CURRENT:
Region of Applicability**

Thank you!

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