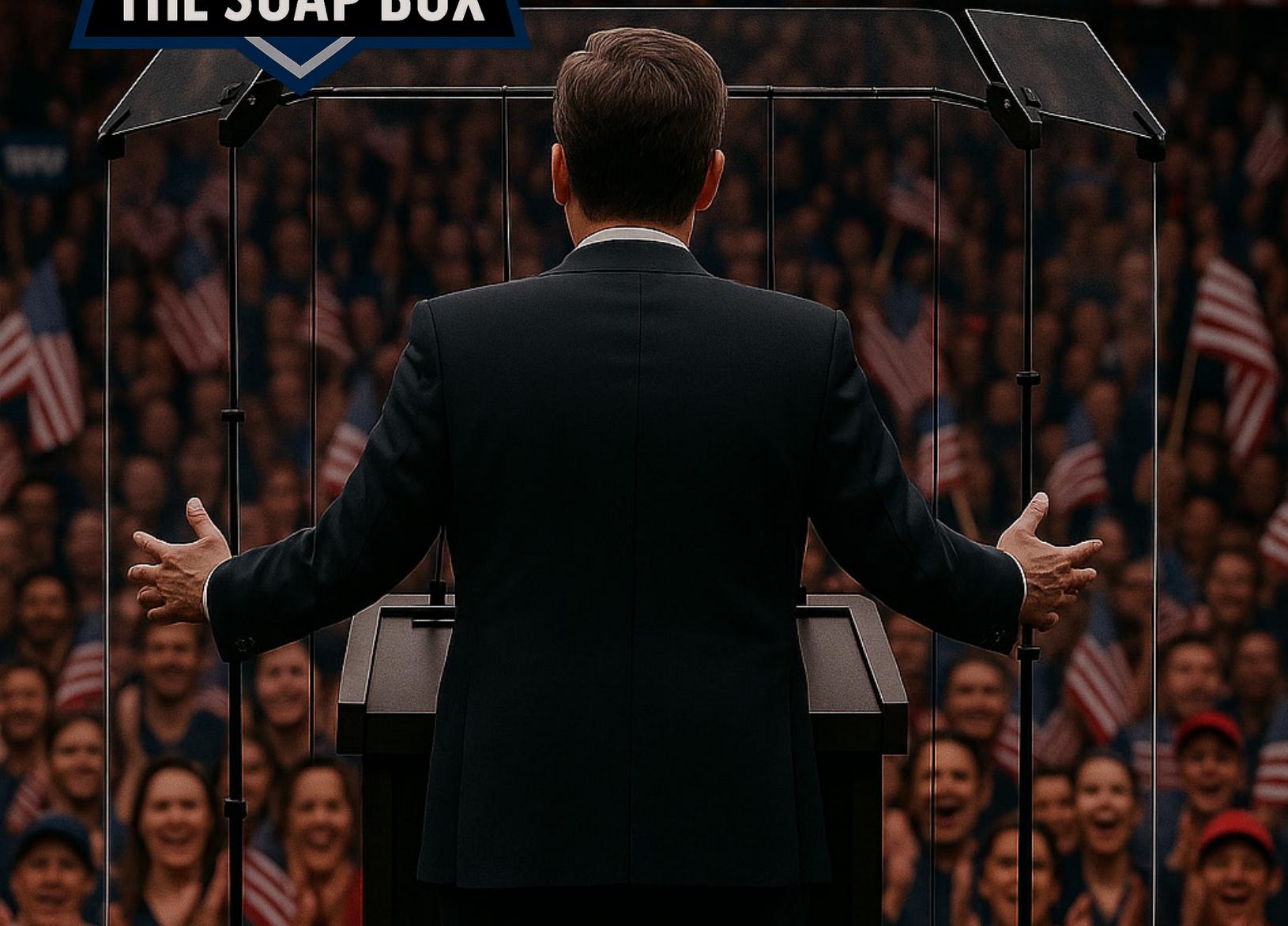


TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS



Bullet-Resistant Event Podium



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By Speak Easy Podiums, Inc. — "The Future of Protected Speech."



Quick Facts

THE SOAP BOX™

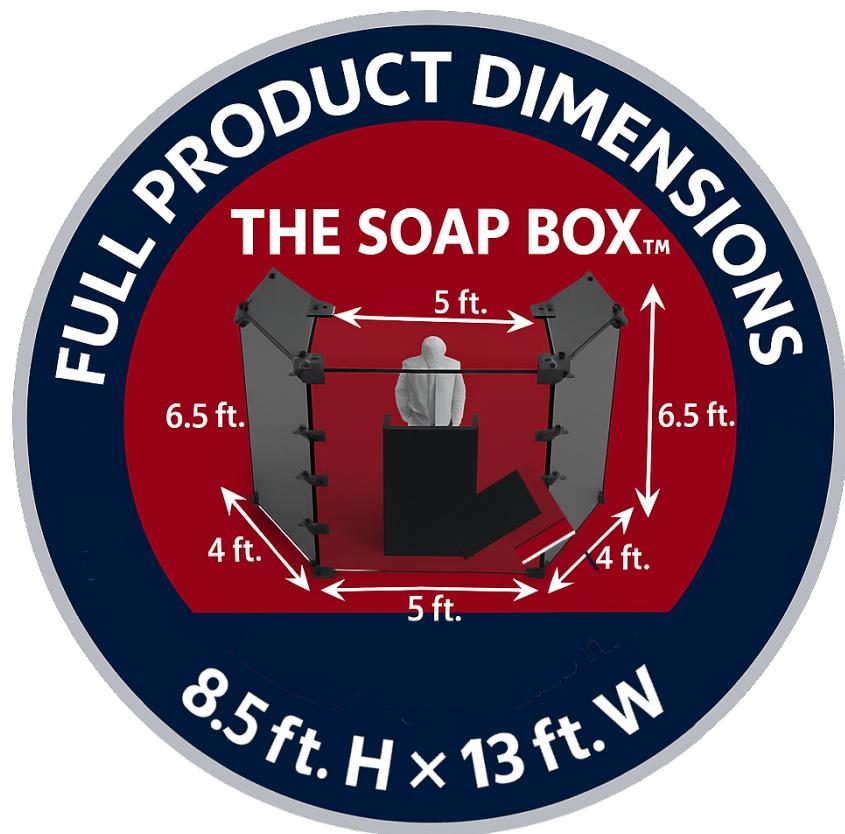
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TECHNICAL DATA

Model Name	The Soap Box
Dimensions	8.5 ft H x 13 ft W x 2.25 in D
Total Weight	4,000 lbs (assembled)
Material Composition	Ballistic Poly carborbante Steel Reinforced Aluminum
Transparency	95% with Anti-Glare Finish
Lighting	Integrated Acoustic and Thermal Vents

Product Dimensions



QUICK FACTS

- **90 MINUTE INSTALLATION**
- **4,000 LBS.**
- **PERMANENT INSTALLATION
AVAILABLE**

1. Product Introduction

The **Soap Box™ Bullet-Resistant Event Podium** redefines the standard for secure public communication. Developed by **Speak Easy Podiums, Inc.**, this innovation merges **ballistic-grade protection** with modern design to ensure that **the right to speak freely is never compromised by fear**.

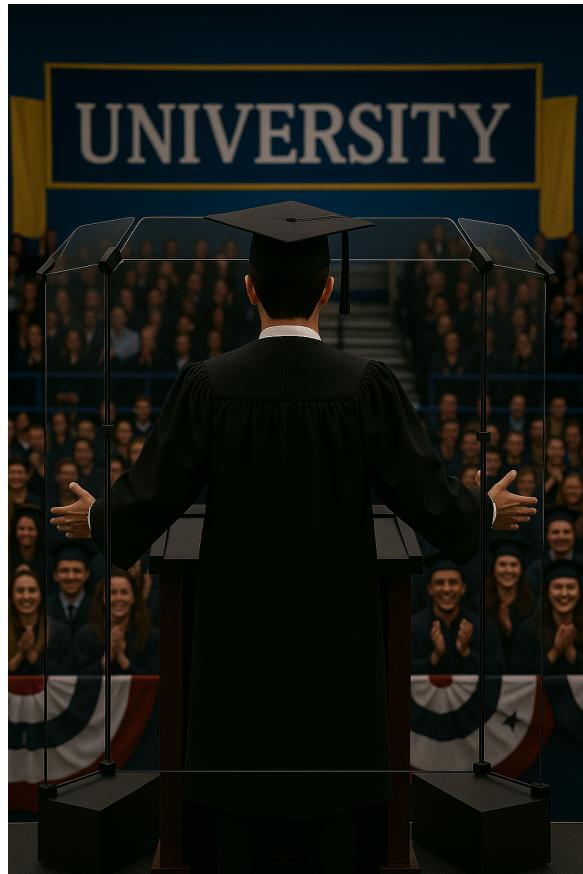
From political campaigns to executive press events, The Soap Box™ represents a new generation of speaking platforms — engineered for the realities of today's world, and for those who stand before it.



2. Company Mission- Speak Easy Podiums, Inc.

Speak Easy, Inc. was founded on a principle as old as democracy itself — that **speech must be both free and protected**. Every product the company creates embodies this commitment.

With *The Soap Box™*, Speak Easy brings together **advanced engineering, security innovation, and architectural beauty** to protect those who shape public discourse.



3. Product Purpose

The Soap Box™ is a **bullet-resistant speaking enclosure** designed for individuals addressing live audiences, televised events, and public gatherings where visibility, safety, and confidence are essential. It offers **full frontal and angular ballistic protection** while maintaining **clear lines of sight and superior audio performance**.

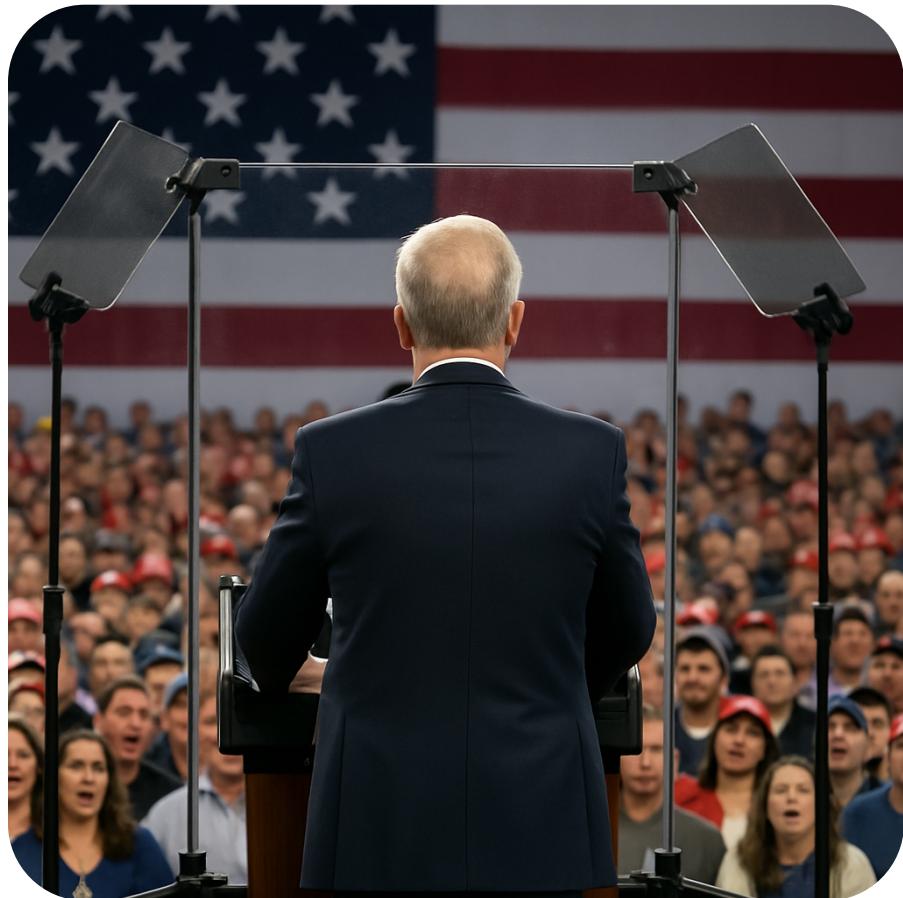
4. Key Features

- **UL 752 Level 8 Ballistic Rating** — resistant to multiple 7.62mm rifle rounds
- **98% Optical Clarity** — high-transparency ballistic polycarbonate with anti-glare finish
- **Modular Design** — disassembles for transport and reassembles in under 90 minutes
- **Acoustic Precision** — built-in sound baffles and ventilation for microphone clarity
- **Modern Aesthetics** — elegant, professional, and broadcast-ready presence
- **Brand Customization** — compatible with Speak Easy or client branding insignia
- **U.S. Engineered and Manufactured** — designed and built domestically with global standards



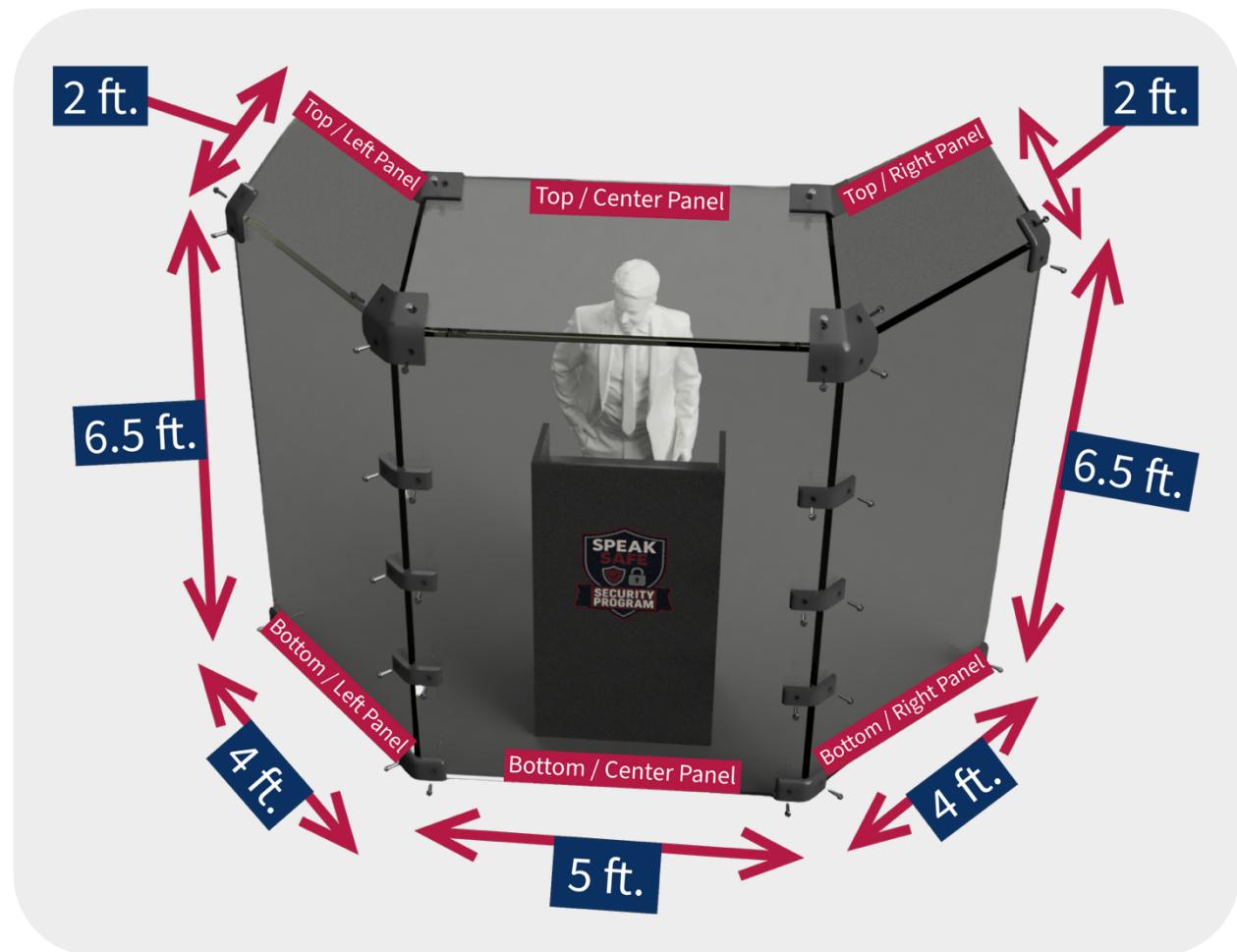
5. Technical Specifications

Category	Specification
Model Name	The Soap Box™ Bullet-Resistant Event Podium
Manufacturer	Speak Easy Podiums, Inc.
Height	8.5 ft (6.5 ft base + 2 ft top panels)
Width (Frontal Coverage)	14 ft (5 ft + 4 ft + 5 ft configuration)
Depth (Footprint)	6 ft adjustable
Total Weight	4,000 lbs (fully assembled)
Ballistic Rating	UL 752 Level 8 – 7.62mm rifle resistance
Material Composition	Ballistic polycarbonate, composite steel, reinforced aluminum
Transparency	98% light transmission with anti-glare finish
Finish Options	Matte black, brushed aluminum, or custom color
Lighting Integration	Optional LED accent and under-panel illumination
Ventilation	Integrated acoustic and thermal venting
Audio Compatibility	Podium microphone, monitor, and cabling ports pre-configured



6. Panel Configuration

Panel Type	Height	Width	Material	Weight (Each)
Bottom Center Panel	6.5 ft	4 ft	Ballistic Polycarbonate	500 lbs
Bottom Side Panels (x2)	6.5 ft	5 ft	Ballistic Polycarbonate	600 lbs each
Top Center Panel	2 ft	4 ft	Ballistic Polycarbonate	200 lbs
Top Side Panels (x2)	2 ft	5 ft	Ballistic Polycarbonate	250 lbs each
Total System Weight	—	—	—	4,000 lbs



7. Structural Engineering

The Soap Box™ employs a **multi-point compression framework** constructed from aerospace-grade aluminum and carbon-reinforced steel joints. Each connection point disperses kinetic force upon impact, preventing penetration and minimizing vibration. The structure is anchored by a **three-point anti-tip base system**, ensuring total stability even under high-stress conditions.

8. Ballistic Integrity

Tested to **UL 752 Level 8**, The Soap Box™ withstands repeated impact from 7.62mm high-powered rifle rounds. Each panel undergoes **independent certification** and ballistic verification prior to shipment. The transparent barrier provides **military-grade protection** while maintaining **maximum visual engagement** for the audience.

9. Acoustic and Visual Performance

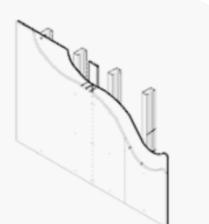
Engineered for **broadcast environments**, The Soap Box™ integrates sound-permeable venting and acoustic insulation to reduce echo and microphone feedback. With 98% optical clarity, anti-glare coating, and lighting adaptability, it ensures consistent visual performance under studio, daylight, or stage illumination.

10. Safety Standards and Compliance

- UL 752 Level 8 Ballistic Certification
- ASTM E84 Class A Flame Spread Rating
- ISO 9001:2015 Quality Management Certification
- ANSI Z87.1 Optical Safety Compliance
- IEC 60268-5 Acoustic Equipment Standard



AMMUNITION	NOMINAL THICKNESS	NOMINAL WEIGHT	
7.62mm rifle lead core full metal copper jacket, military ball	1-7/16"	15.2 psf.	
NIJ LEVEL	MINIMUM FPS	VELOCITY M/S	NO. OF SHOTS
Level III	2750	838	5



11. Applications

- Political campaigns and governmental addresses
- Corporate and executive press conferences
- Law enforcement, military, and public safety briefings
- University commencements and academic presentations
- Faith-based and high-attendance venues
- Media and entertainment events requiring ballistic protection



12. Manufacturing and Origin

Every unit of The Soap Box™ is **engineered, tested, and assembled in the United States** under strict quality assurance protocols.

Speak Easy Podiums, Inc. employs a **closed-loop production system**, ensuring that every material used — from ballistic composites to structural hardware — meets American manufacturing standards.

13. Assembly and Portability

The Soap Box™'s **modular design** enables fast deployment in under 90 minutes by a trained four-person team. Panels lock into place via **industrial torque clamps and bracketed hinges**. Each unit ships in a **steel-reinforced transport crate** with foam-panel protection and assembly toolkit.

14. Maintenance and Service

Routine inspection is recommended every 12 months to maintain ballistic integrity and panel clarity. Speak Easy, Inc. provides:

- **5-Year Ballistic Warranty**
- **10-Year Structural Warranty**
- **Optional Lifetime Service Plan** for institutional clients

Replacement panels and maintenance kits are available directly through the manufacturer.

15. Environmental and Fire Resistance

Constructed using UV-stabilized polycarbonate and corrosion-resistant aluminum, The Soap Box™ resists discoloration, warping, and degradation from environmental exposure.

All materials meet **ASTM E84 Class A** fire safety standards and are treated with **low-smoke, non-toxic coatings** suitable for indoor or outdoor events.

16. Brand Customization

Speak Easy, Inc. offers **custom aesthetic options** for corporate, political, or institutional branding. Front and side panels can display removable or magnetic insignia.

Lighting packages include **RGB LED trims** for event branding and security illumination.

17. Logistics and Handling

Requirement	Detail
Assembly Time	Approx. 90 minutes
Personnel Required	Minimum 4 trained technicians
Tools Needed	Hydraulic lift, 1-ton dolly, torque wrench
Shipping Weight	4,000 lbs total
Crating Dimensions	8 ft × 6 ft × 3 ft reinforced crate
Transport Method	Freight, palletized shipping

18. Warranty and Support

Speak Easy Podiums, Inc. provides comprehensive customer support for all Soap Box™ systems.

- **Structural Warranty:** 10 years
- **Material and Ballistic Warranty:** 5 years

19. Design Philosophy

Since the days when speakers stood on wooden boxes to be heard, the “soap box” has symbolized **freedom, expression, and courage**.

The Soap Box™ continues that legacy — protecting the individual who stands at the heart of democracy, dialogue, and truth. It represents a **fusion of engineering and ethics**, where technology defends not just lives, but the values those lives stand for.

20. Tagline and Contact

“The Future of Protected Speech.”

The Soap Box™ delivers security, confidence, and visibility for the modern voice.

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