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Aims and Objectives:



The Edge Ages (TEA) is a monthly Online Newsletter of the Department of Commerce, Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla. Initially, fortnightly Online Newsletter, THE EDGE AGES (TEA) was started by the department w.e.f. 1.8.2024. The E-Newsletter has successfully completed one year of online publication. It is to focus on academic and other perspectives useful for students and readers especially for commerce and business. The Newsletter updates the activities of the Department of Commerce, Himachal Pradesh University is meant for enriching knowledge and encouraging young and enthusiastic students and researchers to contribute their original write-ups as well as to convey update information which is useful for synergizing knowledge in the field of commerce and is the effort in the benefit of all stakeholders and for welfare of the future generations. The information and write-ups can be considered for publication if are ensuring originality and recommendations of the reviewers including editorial board.

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मुख्य संपादक का संदेश

हिमाचल प्रदेश विश्वविद्यालय के वाणिज्य विभाग की मासिक न्यूज़लेटर *द एज एजेज़ (TEA)* के 25वें अंक का सफलतापूर्वक प्रकाशन करने के लिए **संपादकीय, वेब प्रबंधन टीम** तथा **फोटोग्राफी टीम** को बधाई व शुभकमनाएं।

शैक्षणिक गतिविधियों, अनुसंधान संबंधी समाचारों, विभागीय उपलब्धियों, और वाणिज्य विषय के विद्यार्थियों व युवा पेशेवरों के लिए **रोज़गार व अनुभव के अवसरों** की जानकारी से पाठक निश्चित ही लाभान्वित होंगे। यह मासिक न्यूज़लेटर **शैक्षणिक संवाद और सीखने** का एक प्रभावशाली मंच भी प्रदान करता है। मैं उन सभी को **हार्दिक बधाई और धन्यवाद** देना चाहता हूँ, जिनके सक्रिय योगदान और समर्पण से इस अंक का प्रकाशन संभव हो पाया। आपका यह योगदान हमारे पाठकों को निरंतर ज्ञानवर्धक सामग्री प्रदान कर रहा है।

मुझे विश्वास है कि *TEA* के मासिक अंकों का यह **संग्रह**, वाणिज्य विभाग के प्रयासों को भविष्य की पीढ़ियों के समक्ष उजागर करेगा और उन्हें प्रेरणा प्रदान करेगा।

शुभकामनाओं सहित,

प्रोफेसर देविंदर शर्मा

मुख्य संपादक, *द एज एजेज़*
विभागाध्यक्ष, वाणिज्य विभाग
हिमाचल प्रदेश विश्वविद्यालय

प्रबंध संपादक की कलम से

प्रिय पाठकगण,

मुझे यह बताते हुए अत्यंत प्रसन्नता हो रही है कि हमारा विभाग निरंतर शिक्षा के क्षेत्र में उत्कृष्टता प्राप्त करने हेतु प्रयासरत है और इसके नवीनतम उपलब्धियों एवं प्रगति को आपके साथ साझा कर रहा हूँ।

मैं आप सभी से आग्रह करता हूँ कि आप अपने दैनिक जीवन में प्रेम, सम्मान, अहिंसा, सत्यनिष्ठा, धैर्य और क्षमा जैसे मूल्यों को अपनाएँ और संस्थान तथा समाज में एक सुंदर, आनंदमय एवं शांतिपूर्ण वातावरण का निर्माण करें। मैं पत्रिका के एक वर्ष पूर्ण होने की बधाई देता हूँ और अपेक्षा करता हूँ की छात्र इस पत्रिका को पढ़ कर ज्ञान अर्जित करेंगे व वाणिज्य विभाग की गतिविधियों से अवगत होंगे।

सादर,

प्रोफेसर राज कुमार सिंह
प्रबंध संपादक



विद्यार्थी एवं शोधार्थी संपादकीय बोर्ड का संदेश

इस मासिक समाचार पत्रिका के इस अंक में हम अपने सभी पाठकों और लेख प्रेषकों के प्रति हार्दिक आभार व्यक्त करना चाहते हैं। आप सभी की सहभागिता, प्रोत्साहन, रचनात्मक सुझाव और निरंतर प्रेरणा ही हमारी ऊर्जा को समन्वित करती है और हमें वाणिज्य विभाग की प्रत्येक गतिविधि से आपको अवगत कराने हेतु सक्रिय बनाए रखती है।

हमारी टीम सदैव तत्पर रहती है और पूरी मेहनत के साथ कार्य कर रही है ताकि आप तक विभाग की गतिविधियों की जानकारी समय पर पहुँचे। हमें आशा है कि आपको इस अंक की प्रस्तुति पसंद आएगी। साथ ही हम आपके बहुमूल्य सुझावों और उत्साहवर्धन की प्रतीक्षा करते हैं।

शोधार्थी एवं विद्यार्थी संपादकीय, फोटोग्राफी एवं वेब टीम

OUR MOTTO

SPREAD KNOWLEDGE, EXCEL AND PROVE DYNAMIC POTENTIAL IN THE SPHERE OF DIFFERENT SECTORS
AS EXPERTS DEALING COMMERCE BY REFRESHING THE EDGE AGES OF COMMERCE UPDATES.

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ACADEMIC CALENDAR FOR THE SEMESTER W.E.F. JANUARY- 1, 2026 TO JUNE-30, 2026

Month	Dates From- To	Teaching Days	Celebrations	Additional Celebrations
January	Vacations	NIL		March-April
February	18.02.2026 to 28.02.2026	10	---	✓ Skill Enhancement and Exposure
March	01.03.2026 to 31.03.2026	22	---	
April	01.04.2026 to 30.04.2026	25	World Book and Copyright Day of 23 rd April with World Intellectual Property Day of 26 th April	
May	01.05.2026 to 31.05.2026	25	---	
June	01.06.2026 to 13.06.2026	11	---	
Total Days		93	1	
Less Days due to Celebrations		1		
Effective Class Days (For M.Com I & III)		92		

Preparatory Days	13.06.2026 to 9.7.2026 As per Academic Calendar of the University
Additional Academic Calendar for Ph.D. Course Work Students	
They will have to attend the Viva-Voce Examination presentations of Ph.D. Scholars, give presentations on rotation basis, participate and involve in the departmental events.	
Attendance of M.Com. students and Ph.D. Scholars with the approval of Chairman, in the Seminar/Workshop/Special Lecture in the Semester will be considered for Academic Attendance Count as per Norms.	
In addition to the events mentioned in the Academic Calendar, other events will be organized.	

CHAIRMAN

Wishing all a Very Happy and Academically Excellent Year 2026 to all readers, members of the Department of Commerce including teachers, staff, research scholars and students, Himachal Pradesh University and all. M.Com. End Semester examinations took place till 8.12.2025. Now after a long time, students have the chance to go to their native places and enjoy vacations.

Congratulations to Mr. Kanwar Singh for submitting his Ph.D. Research work on 18.12.2025 for evaluation . He has completed his research under the supervision of Professor Arti Pandit Dhawan, Department of Evening Studies, Himachal Pradesh University.

Congratulations to Mr. Naresh Kumar for submitting his Ph.D. Research work on 22.12.2025 for evaluation. He has completed his research under supervision of Dr. Kuldeep Kumar, Himachal Pradesh University Regional Centre Dharamshala.

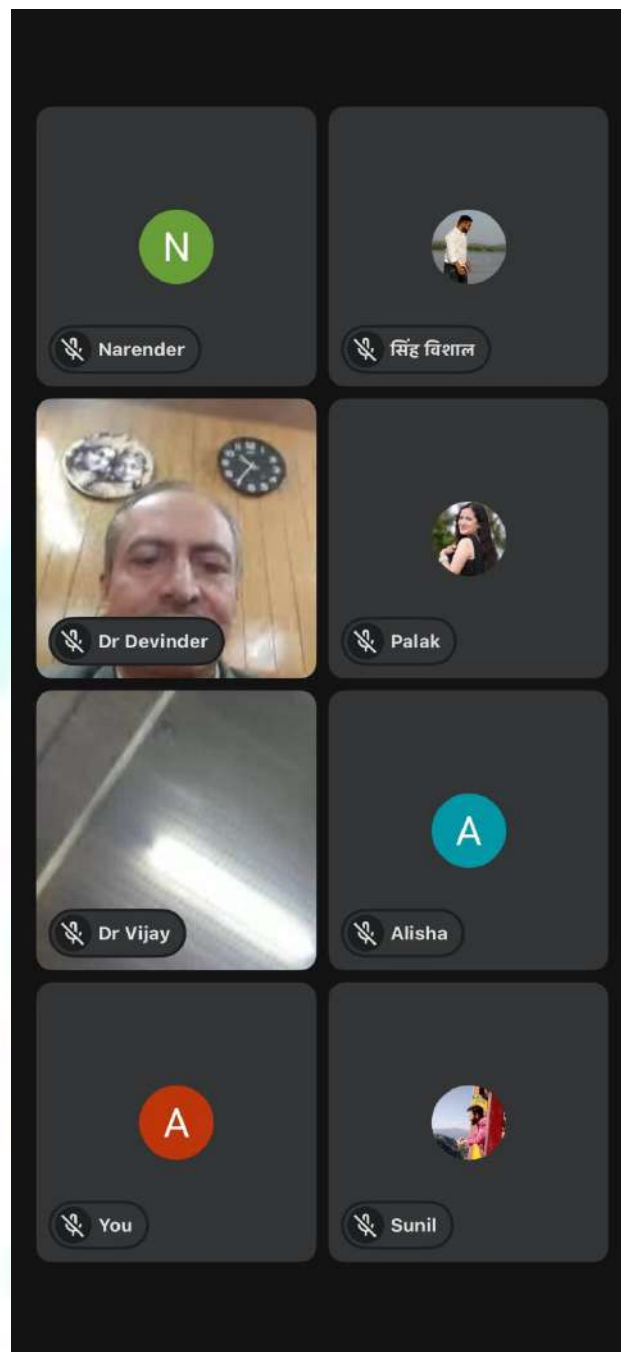
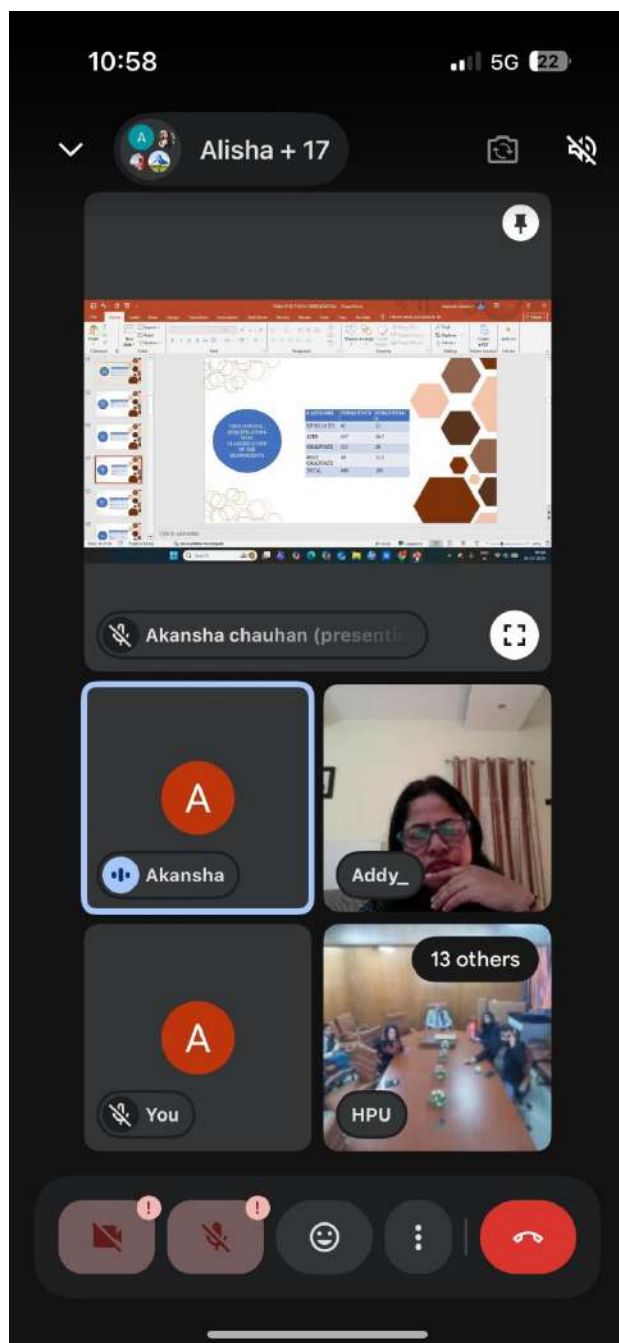
Congratulations to Ms. Renu for submitting her Ph.D. Research work on 26.12.2025 for evaluation. She has completed her research under the supervision of Professor Arti Pandit Dhawan, Department of Evening Studies, Himachal Pradesh University.

Congratulations to Mr. Ankit Kumar for submitting her Ph.D. Research work on 27.12.2025 for evaluation. He has completed his research under the supervision of Dr. Kulwant Singh Pathania, Retired Professor from Department of Commerce, Himachal Pradesh University.

Counseling-Cum Interview for admission in Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) Commerce was held on 30.12.2025 for Three Seats for the Session 2025-26.



Photos of Counseling-Cum-Interview in Department of Commerce



Online Ph.D. Viva-Voce Examination of Ms. Akansha Chauhan was held on 5.12.2025. Professor Luxmi Malodia, Department of Financial Studies, Panjab University Chandigarh was the examiner. Ms. Akansha Chauhan completed her research under the supervision of Professor Vijay Kumar Sharma, Department of Commerce, Himachal Pradesh University.



Offline Ph.D. Viva-Voce Examination of Ms. Neha Sharma was held on 26.12.225. Professor Subhash Chand, Department of Commerce from Kurukshetra University was the examiner. Ms. Neha Sharma completed her research under the supervision of Professor Devinder Sharma, Chairman, Department of Commerce, Himachal Pradesh University.



Offline Ph.D. Viva-Voce Examination of Ms. Alisha Kapta was held on 27.12.2025. Professor Subhash Chand, Department of Commerce from Kurukshetra University was the examiner. Ms. Alisha Kapta completed her research under the supervision of Dr. S.S. Narta, Retired Professor from Department of Commerce, Himachal Pradesh University.

MEETINGS:

Meeting of the Board of Studies-UG (BOS-UG) Commerce was held on 5.12.2025 in the Conference Room of the Department.



Photo of the Meeting of Board of Studies

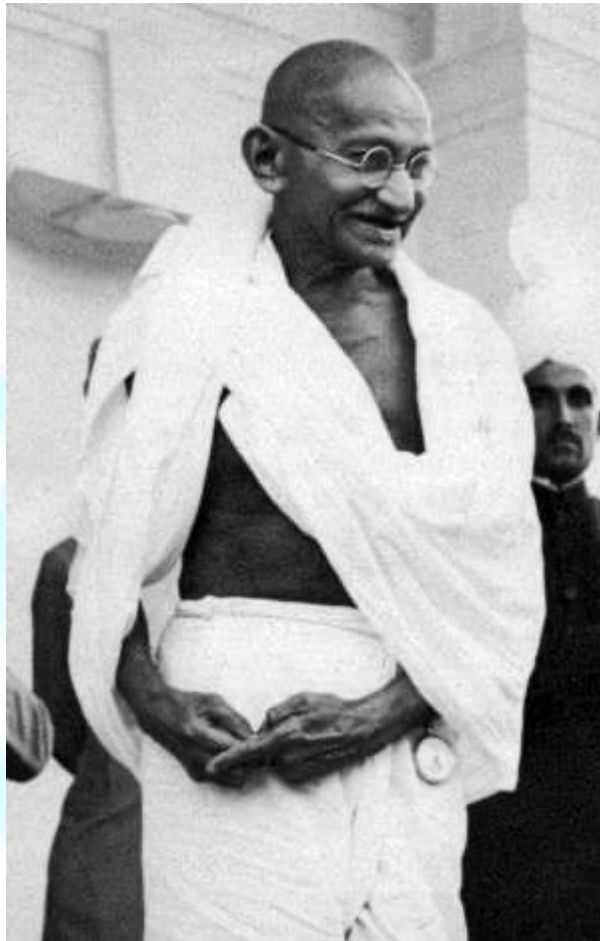
Meetings of the Department Council were held on 16.12.2025 and 31.12.2025.

Meeting of the Research Degree Committee (RDC) was held on 20.12.2025 in the Department of Commerce. Congratulations to Mr. Tarun Sharma, Ms. Raveena Sharma and Mr. Vishal Thakur for the approval of their Ph.D. Synopsis by the RDC.

ACADEMIC-RESEARCH ASSIGNMENTS

Teaching Faculty members represented as Resource Persons in the Conferences and workshops. Viva-Voce examinations of M.Com. were taken by the teachers of the Department in the affiliated private and Govt. Colleges of Himachal Pradesh University where M.Com. is running. They attended duties of the other universities including Viva-Voce examination, Board Meetings, Resource Persons etc. and have performed inspection duties.

Mahatma Gandhi- The Saint, The Force, The Role Model



Mahatma Gandhi was not only a great leader, but the role model of Independent India whose philosophy is to respect humanity and all creatures. He has struggled hard for the humanity and human values. He was much influenced by the *bhakti* of his native Gujarat and fortified by similar attitudes in Christianity and Jainism, Mahatma Gandhi, the most important leader in the movement for independence, appeared to his followers as the quintessence of the Hindu tradition. His austere celibate life was one that the Indian laity had learned to respect implicitly. Gandhi's message reached a wider public than that of any of the earlier reformers.

Gandhi's doctrine of nonviolence can be found in many Hindu sources, although his beliefs were much strengthened by Christian ethical literature and especially by the later writings of Leo Tolstoy. His political technique of passive resistance, satyagraha, also has Indian precedents, but here again he was influenced by Western writers such as the American Henry David Thoreau. The chief innovations in Gandhi's philosophy were his belief in the dignity of manual labour and in the equality of women. Precedents for both of these

can be found in the writings of some 19th-century reformers, but they have little basis in earlier Indian thought. In many ways Gandhi was a traditionalist. His respect for the cow—which he and other educated Indians understood as the representative of Mother Earth—was a factor in the failure of his movement to attract large-scale Muslim support. His insistence on strict vegetarianism and celibacy among his disciples, in keeping with the traditions of Vaishnava asceticism, also caused difficulty among some of his followers. Still, Gandhi's success represented a political culmination of the movement of popular *bhakti* begun in south India early in the Christian era.

Professor Devinder Sharma





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Dated: December 06, 2025

Online applications are invited in the prescribed application form at weblink <https://rec.uod.ac.in> from the eligible candidates for appointment to the post of Assistant Professor, in the Academic Pay Level – 10 (as per 7th Central Pay Commission), in various Departments of the College. The last date of receipt of application is December 22, 2025 or within two weeks from the date of publication of the advertisement, whichever is later.

S. No.	Name of the Department	Total Vacancies	Vacant					
			SC	ST	OBC	EWS	UR	PwBD*
1	Botany	01	-	-	-	-	01	-
2	Chemistry	03	01	01	-	-	-	01 (Hard of Hearing)
3	Commerce	02	-	-	-	01	-	01 (OBD, MI)
4	English	01	-	-	-	01	-	-
5	History	01	-	-	01	-	-	-
6	Physics	02	01	-	01	-	-	-
7	Political Science	12	02	01	03	01	04	01 (Locomotor Disability)
8	Punjabi	01	-	-	01	-	-	-
9	Sociology	01	-	-	01	-	-	-



RECRUITMENT NOTICE FOR TEACHING & OTHER ACADEMIC STAFF POSTS

No. AUD/55-1(49)/Rect./2025/

Dated: 03.12.2025

Dr. B. R. Ambedkar University Delhi, a State University established through an Act by the Legislature of the National Capital Territory of Delhi, invites online applications from the eligible candidates for the faculty positions (Professor, Associate Professor and Assistant Professor) and other academic staff positions on regular basis as detailed below:

S. No.	School	Discipline	Professor (Pay Level - 14)	Associate Professor (Pay Level - 13A)	Assistant Professor (Pay Level - 10)
1.	School of Culture and Creative Expressions	Performing Arts/ Performance Studies	01 (OBC-01*)		01 (OBC-01*)
2.	School of Design	Design	01 (SC-01*)	01 (OBC-01*)	02 (OBC-01* & UR-01)
3.	School of Development Studies	Development Studies		01 (OBC-01*)	-
4.	School of Education Studies	Education	02 (EWS-01* & OBC-01)	04 (UR-01, SC-01, ST-01 & OBC-01)	01 (OBC-01)
		Liberal Discipline Pedagogy - English Communicative Skill			01 (EWS-01*)
		Liberal Discipline Pedagogy - History			02 (OBC-01* & UR-01)
		Liberal Discipline Pedagogy - Political Science			01 (UR-01)
		Art Education			01 (OBC-01)
5.	School of Global Affairs	Global Studies		01 (UR-01)	
		Urban Studies	01 (SC-01*)	01 (EWS-01)	01 (OBC-01)
6.	School of Public Policy & Governance	Public Policy and Governance	02 (ST-01* & SC-01*)		
		Public Health			01 (ST-01)
7.	School of Human Ecology	Ecology and Environmental Studies	01 (ST-01*)	01 (UR-01)	01 (UR-01)
8.	School of Legal and Socio-Political Studies	Law or Any Social Science/Humanities Discipline	02 (OBC-01* & SC-01)	01 (OBC-01*)	01 (UR-01)
9.	School of Letters	Hindi		01 (OBC-01)	02 (UR-01 & OBC-01)
10.	School of Management	Management	01 (UR-01)	01 (ST-01*)	
11.	School of Undergraduate Studies	Economics		01 (UR-01)	
		History	01 (OBC-01*)	01 (EWS-01*)	
		Psychology	01 (OBC-01)	01 (OBC-01*)	02 (UR-01 & SC-01)
		Social Science and Humanities		01 (EWS-01*)	03 (UR-01, OBC-01 & EWS-01)
		English	02 (UR-01 & OBC-01*)	01 (ST-01*)	
		Sociology	01 (EWS-01)	01 (OBC-01*)	
		Political Science	01 (UR-01)	01 (UR-01)	02 (OBC-01 & SC-01)
12.	School of Vocational Studies	Vocational Studies (Retail Management/Accounting & Finance)	02 (UR-01 & ST-01)	01 (OBC-01*)	
13.	School of Heritage Research & Management	Archaeology/ Conservation and Museology	01 (UR-01)	03 (UR-01, SC-01 & OBC-01)	02 (SC-01 & EWS-01)
Total			20	23	24
14.	Other Academic Staff/Designation		Academic Pay Level	Number of Vacancies (category)	
(a)	Librarian		Level - 14	01 (UR-01)	
(b)	Assistant Librarian		Level - 10	02 (UR-01 & OBC-01)	
(c)	Assistant Director of Physical Education and Sports		Level - 10	01 (UR-01) - Reserved for Women Only	
Total				04	

Note:

- Vacant posts against the reserved categories marked (*) are being advertised as backlog reserved vacancies.
- Out of total 71 posts, 07 posts are horizontally reserved for Persons with Benchmark Disabilities (PwBD) under various categories as mentioned in the DoPT OM No.36035/02/2017-Estt (Res) dated 15.01.2018.
- The candidates who have earlier applied for the posts of Assistant Professor in Urban Studies in School of Global Affairs or Assistant Professor in Social Science and Humanities in School of Undergraduate Studies in response to advertisement No. AUD/07/Acad./2024 dated 14.03.2024 need to apply again against the posts being re-advertised. However they are exempted from paying the fee against reference of their earlier fee payment.
- For Qualifications, Eligibility Criteria, General Instructions, Online Application Form, Payment of Fee & other details, please visit University website <https://aud.delhi.gov.in>
- Hard copy of the application in form of printout of online application submitted by the candidate along with self-attested required documents, mentioning the name of the post/discipline and advertisement number on the top of the envelope, must reach at the following address: Deputy Registrar (Recruitment & Promotion Cell), Room No. 31A, Dr. B. R. Ambedkar University Delhi, Lothian Road, Kashmir Gate Campus, Delhi - 110 006
- The online applications will commence after publication of this advertisement in "Employment News".
- The Last date to apply online is three (03) weeks from the date of publication of this advertisement in "Employment News".
- The Last date of receiving applications in hard copy form is four (04) weeks from the date of publication of this advertisement in "Employment News".

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