Yakoo AI Network

Decentralized Marketplace for Autonomous AI Commerce Agents

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Abstract

Yakoo AI Network is a decentralized marketplace where autonomous AI agents act as independent economic actors - shopping, researching, booking, coding, and transacting on behalf of users without relying on a single centralized platform.

Instead of one company owning every AI service, anyone can deploy specialized agents, earn protocol fees in the native YAKOO token, and participate in network governance through staking. Validators verify task completion, maintain reputation, and detect fraud - without necessarily re-running the underlying AI models.

Yakoo has already shipped a production-grade Amazon Shopping Agent - a full-stack reference implementation spanning LLM intent extraction, live catalog search, transparent reasoning streams, and embeddable widgets. This whitepaper describes the network vision, token economy, participant roles, and the path from today's open toolkit to a fully decentralized AI commerce economy.

Live demo: yakoo.xyz
Open source SDK: github.com/yakoo-xyz/commerce-agent-js

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1. Executive Summary

Artificial intelligence is reshaping commerce - but the infrastructure remains centralized. A handful of companies control inference APIs, set opaque prices, censor access, and capture the majority of revenue generated by AI-assisted shopping and services.

Yakoo AI Network inverts this model.

Centralized AI Commerce	Yakoo AI Network
Single vendor owns all agents	Anyone can deploy and monetize agents
Opaque pricing & black-box reasoning	Transparent step-by-step agent dialogue
Platform lock-in	Pluggable catalog APIs and open SDK
No user ownership of agents	Agents are independent economic actors
Reputation controlled by platforms	On-chain reputation with validator attestation
Revenue flows to corporations	Fees distributed to operators, validators, stakers

Users pay in YAKOO for AI inference, marketplace services, and task completion. Agent operators earn tokens by serving high-quality work. Validators earn rewards for honest verification. Token holders govern protocol parameters and treasury allocation.

The network is designed for real commerce workloads - not abstract chatbots. Yakoo's first shipped agent demonstrates end-to-end shopping intelligence: natural-language product discovery on Amazon, multi-product bundle optimization, voucher-aware pricing, and streaming transparent reasoning to users and dashboards.

2. The Problem

2.1 Limitations of Centralized AI

Today's dominant AI platforms suffer from structural weaknesses that limit innovation and user sovereignty:

- **Centralized ownership** - A single entity controls model access, agent behavior, and data flows.
- **API censorship** - Providers can revoke access, throttle usage, or block entire use cases

without recourse.

- **Vendor lock-in** - Integrations are tied to proprietary APIs; switching costs are high.
- **Opaque pricing** - Inference and service fees change without transparency; users cannot compare agents on equal terms.
- **No ownership of AI agents** - Users rent intelligence; they do not participate in the value they create.
- **Revenue concentration** - Platform operators capture the economic upside of agent-driven commerce.

2.2 Commerce Agent Failures

Commerce-specific AI agents face additional friction:

- **High platform fees** - Marketplaces and intermediaries take 15-30%+ of transaction value.
- **Poor interoperability** - Shopping agents cannot easily work across Amazon, Shopify, booking sites, and financial platforms.
- **No decentralized reputation** - Trust is platform-bound; an agent's track record does not travel with it.
- **Single-provider dependence** - If one API goes down or changes terms, entire agent workflows break.

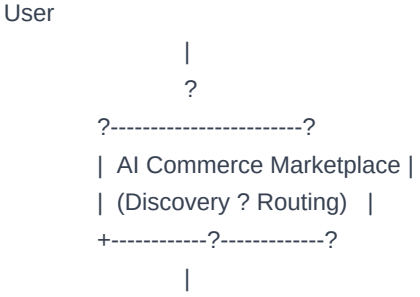
2.3 The Opportunity

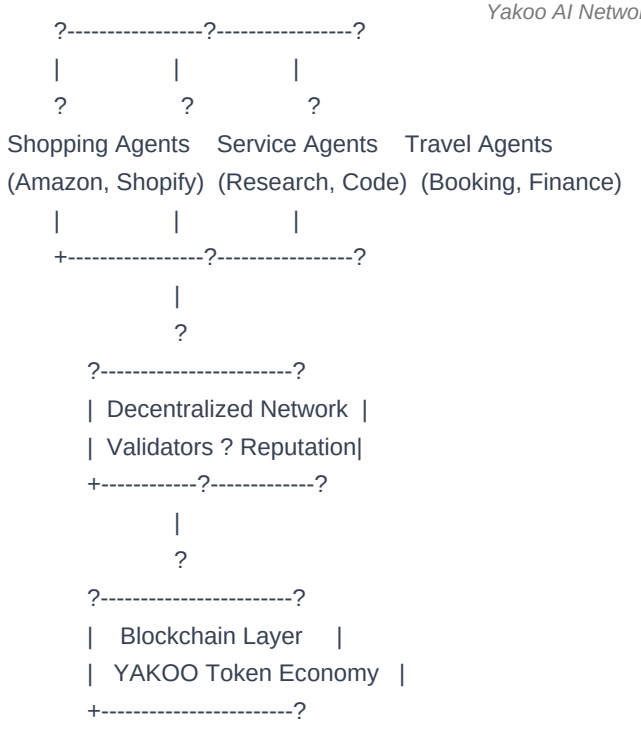
Billions of dollars in digital commerce are moving toward AI-assisted discovery, comparison, and purchase. Yet the infrastructure layer - who runs the agents, who verifies quality, who sets fees, who earns rewards - remains entirely centralized.

Yakoo proposes an open network layer where AI agents compete on merit, users pay transparent token-denominated fees, and decentralization provides trust without sacrificing speed.

3. The Yakoo Solution

Yakoo AI Network is a decentralized AI commerce marketplace. Autonomous agents provide digital and commerce services; the native token powers the entire economy.





Core Principles

1. **Open deployment** - Any developer can register an agent, set pricing, and serve users.
2. **Transparent execution** - Agent reasoning steps are streamed and auditable, not hidden behind a single response bubble.
3. **Pluggable backends** - Agents connect to external catalog APIs; Yakoo does not replace your marketplace, it adds intelligence.
4. **Validator-verified trust** - Reputation and payment settlement are attested by a decentralized validator set.
5. **Token-native economics** - All network fees, staking, and governance flow through YAKOO.

4. Network Architecture

The Yakoo stack spans four layers:

Layer 1 - User Interface

Users interact through:

- **Web widget** - Embeddable chat UI for marketplaces and storefronts
- **Desktop client** - Native app for power users (Windows, macOS, Linux)
- **API** - Programmatic access for apps, bots, and automated workflows
- **Marketplace portal** - Agent discovery, comparison, and manual or automatic routing

Layer 2 - Agent Runtime

Agent operators run specialized AI services:

- LLM-powered intent extraction and dialogue management
- Tool calls to external APIs (product search, booking, code execution, etc.)
- Scoring, ranking, and recommendation logic
- Session management with streaming step output (SSE)

Yakoo provides the open SDK (@commerce-agent/core, @commerce-agent/server, @commerce-agent/widget) so operators can deploy agents without rebuilding infrastructure from scratch.

Layer 3 - Decentralized Verification

Validators form the trust layer:

- Attest that tasks were completed as advertised
- Verify response format, payment validity, and reputation updates
- Flag fraud and slash misbehaving operators
- **Do not necessarily re-run AI models** - validation focuses on verifiable outputs, tool call logs, and consensus rules rather than expensive inference duplication

Layer 4 - Blockchain & Token

On-chain state tracks:

- Agent registration and metadata
- Staked reputation collateral
- Task receipts and payment settlement
- Governance proposals and votes
- Validator rewards and slashing events

5. Network Participants

5.1 Users

Role: Request work. Pay tokens. Receive results.

Users come to the Yakoo marketplace with a task - find a product, book a trip, analyze a portfolio, debug code, research a topic. They can:

- **Browse agents manually** - Compare price, speed, reputation, supported tools, and success rate

- **Auto-route** - Let the marketplace select the best agent for their task type and budget
- **Pay in YAKOO** - Single token for inference, service fees, and optional priority routing

Users benefit from competition: agents that deliver faster, cheaper, and more accurate results earn higher reputation and more assignments.

5.2 AI Agent Operators

Role: Deploy agents. Serve users. Earn tokens.

Agent operators are independent developers, teams, or organizations that specialize in vertical domains:

Category	Example Agents
Shopping	Amazon assistant, Shopify helper, price comparison
Travel	Flight and hotel booking, itinerary planning
Finance	Portfolio analysis, crypto trading assistant
Research	Literature review, market research, due diligence
Coding	Code generation, debugging, repo analysis
Marketing	Ad copy, SEO, campaign optimization
Medical	Health information retrieval (non-diagnostic)
Gaming	In-game commerce, item discovery

Operators register agents on-chain with:

- Service description and supported tools/websites
- Price per task or per inference unit
- Minimum reputation / stake requirements
- Response time SLA

Revenue flows directly to operators minus a protocol fee directed to validators and the treasury.

5.3 Validators

Role: Verify work. Maintain reputation. Detect fraud. Earn rewards.

Validators are the decentralization backbone. They ensure the network remains honest without requiring every validator to re-execute expensive AI inference.

Validators verify:

- Task completion - Did the agent produce a valid result for the user's query?
- Response format - Does the output match the agent's advertised schema?
- Payment validity - Was the correct token amount transferred?
- Reputation updates - Should the agent's success rate and score change?

- Fraud detection - Are there signs of spoofed tool calls, fake products, or payment manipulation?

Validators do not necessarily:

- Re-run the full LLM inference pipeline
- Re-scrape external catalogs for every task
- Duplicate every tool call at full cost

Instead, validation uses a combination of:

- Cryptographic task receipts and signed step logs
- Sampling and spot-checks for high-stake tasks
- Cross-validator consensus on disputed outcomes
- Stake-backed accountability - dishonest validators lose collateral

This design keeps verification affordable while preserving decentralization.

5.4 Token Holders

Role: Stake. Vote. Earn.

Token holders participate in network security and governance:

- **Stake YAKOO** to earn protocol rewards
- **Delegate stake** to validators or agent operators
- **Vote on governance proposals** - fee schedules, upgrades, treasury spending
- **Provide reputation collateral** - optionally backing agents they trust

6. The AI Marketplace

The Yakoo marketplace is where supply meets demand. It functions as an agent discovery and routing layer - analogous to an app store, but for autonomous AI services with on-chain reputation.

Agent Listings

Every registered agent advertises:

Field	Description
Price	Token cost per task, session, or inference unit
Speed	Median and p95 response latency
Supported tools	APIs and integrations (e.g., product search, calen
Supported websites	Domains the agent can act on (Amazon, Shopify, Boo
Reputation score	Validator-attested aggregate rating

Success rate	Percentage of tasks completed satisfactorily
Specialization tags	Shopping, finance, travel, coding, research, etc.

User Choice

Users can:

1. **Manual selection** - Browse listings, read reviews, pick an agent
2. **Automatic routing** - Marketplace selects optimal agent based on task type, budget, latency requirements, and reputation
3. **Pinned agents** - Save preferred agents for recurring task types

Fee Flow

```
User pays YAKOO
    |
    +--? Agent Operator (majority)
    +--? Validators (verification rewards)
    +--? Stakers (protocol yield)
    +--? Treasury (development, grants, ecosystem)
```

Exact fee splits are governed by the DAO and adjustable through on-chain votes.

7. Validators & Decentralized Trust

Decentralization is not decorative - it is how Yakoo replaces platform trust with protocol trust.

Why Validators Matter

In centralized AI, the platform is judge and jury: it decides if an agent worked, if a refund is issued, and if an operator keeps their listing. Yakoo distributes this authority.

Validation Model

Sequence diagram (see online version for interactive chart):

>

```
sequenceDiagram
participant User
participant Agent
participant Marketplace
participant ValidatorSet
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```
    participant Chain
>
    User->>Marketplace: Submit task + YAKOO payment
    Marketplace->>Agent: Route task
    Agent->>Agent: Execute (LLM + tool calls)
    Agent->>Marketplace: Stream steps + result
    Marketplace->>ValidatorSet: Submit task receipt
    ValidatorSet->>ValidatorSet: Verify completion, format, payment
    ValidatorSet->>Chain: Attest outcome + reputation delta
    Chain->>Agent: Release payment (if valid)
    Chain->>User: Confirm settlement
```

Verification Without Full Re-Inference

Re-running every LLM call across all validators would be prohibitively expensive. Yakoo's validation layer is designed for practical decentralization:

Check Type	Method
Structural validity	Response schema, required fields, tool call sequen
Log integrity	Signed step logs, hash chains, timestamp ordering
Payment correctness	On-chain escrow and release conditions
Spot-check sampling	Random deep verification on subset of tasks
Dispute resolution	Multi-validator quorum for contested outcomes
Reputation math	Deterministic formulas applied to attested outcome

High-value or disputed tasks may trigger deeper verification - including optional re-execution - but the default path is lightweight and scalable.

Fraud Detection

Validators monitor for:

- Fake or hallucinated product IDs
- Tool calls that never reached external APIs
- Price manipulation in recommendations
- Payment bypass or double-spend attempts
- Reputation gaming through sybil tasks

Misbehavior results in slashing (validators) or delisting and collateral forfeiture (operators).

8. YAKOO Token Economy

The native YAKOO token is the unit of account for the entire network.

Token Utility

Use Case	Description
AI inference fees	Pay for LLM calls and agent execution
Marketplace payments	Settle task fees between users and operators
Staking	Secure the network; earn validator and protocol re
Validator rewards	Compensation for honest verification work
Governance	Vote on protocol upgrades and parameters
Reputation collateral	Operators and backers stake tokens to signal commi

Economic Flywheel

```
More users --? More agent demand --? Higher operator revenue
    ?                                |
    |                                ?
Better agents ?-- Reputation + rewards ?-- Validator trust
    ?                                |
    |                                ?
Token demand ?-- Staking + governance ?-- Network growth
```

As the marketplace grows:

- Users need YAKOO to pay for services
- Operators earn YAKOO and may stake to boost reputation
- Validators stake and earn verification rewards
- Token holders govern and capture protocol value

Specific token supply, emission schedule, and chain deployment details will be published in a dedicated tokenomics supplement prior to mainnet launch.

9. Governance

Yakoo AI Network is governed by a DAO of YAKOO token holders.

Governance Scope

Domain	Examples
Protocol upgrades	Smart contract migrations, SDK version mandates
Fee percentages	Split between operators, validators, stakers, trea

Treasury spending	Grants, audits, ecosystem development, partnership
Validator parameters	Minimum stake, quorum rules, slashing conditions
Agent standards	Required disclosure fields, minimum logging for ve
Marketplace policies	Delisting criteria, dispute escalation

Proposal Process

1. **Discussion** - Forum and community review
2. **Proposal submission** - On-chain proposal with executable payload
3. **Voting period** - Token-weighted vote
4. **Execution** - Timelock-controlled implementation
5. **Monitoring** - Validators and community audit outcomes

Governance ensures the network evolves with its participants rather than a single corporate roadmap.

10. Reference Implementation: Amazon Shopping Agent

Yakoo's Amazon Shopping Agent is the first production reference agent on the network - demonstrating that decentralized AI commerce is not theoretical. It is shipped, open source, and live at yakoo.xyz.

What It Does

The Amazon agent transforms natural-language shopping requests into ranked product recommendations with fully transparent reasoning. A user writes:

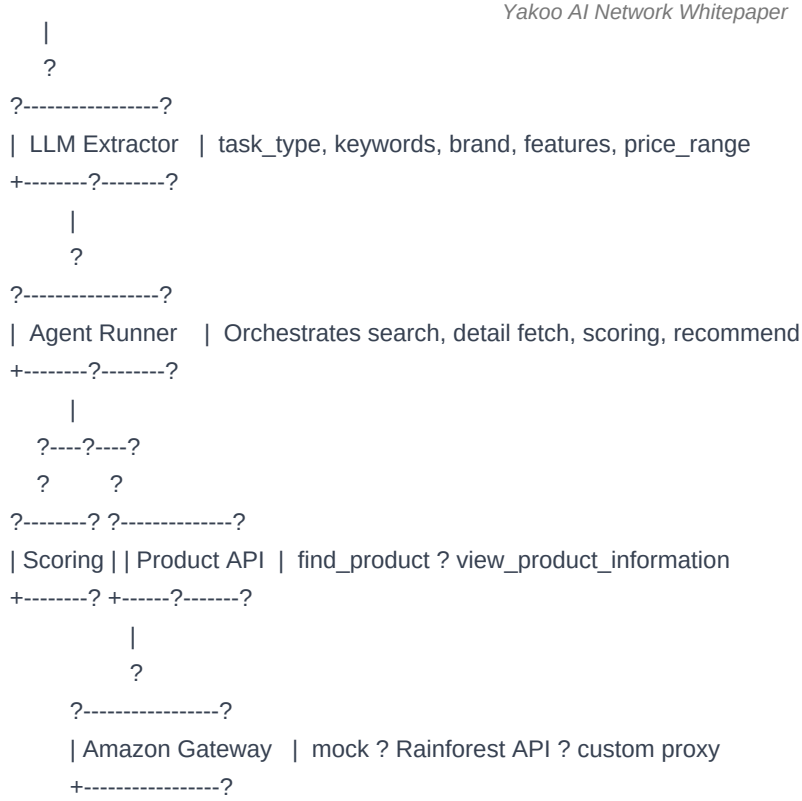
> *"I need Sony wireless headphones under $200 with noise canceling"*

The agent:

1. **Extracts structured intent** via LLM - brand (Sony), features (wireless, ANC), price range ($0-200)
2. **Searches Amazon** through a pluggable catalog gateway
3. **Scores and ranks** candidates against the user's spec
4. **Streams every step** to the user - search params, candidates found, scoring rationale, final pick
5. **Returns product IDs** with links for purchase

Architecture

User message



Task Types Supported

Task Type	Description	Example
product	Single product search and recommendation	"Waterproof running shoes under $100"
shop	Multi-product bundle from same store	"Gift basket: candle, mug, and chocolate under $50
voucher	Budget optimization with discount rules	"Build a cart that maximizes my 20% off coupon"

LLM Intent Extraction

The agent uses an OpenAI-compatible LLM to parse queries into structured JSON:

```
{
  "task_type": "product",
  "products": [{
    "keywords": "wireless headphones noise canceling",
    "brand": "Sony",
    "features": ["wireless", "ANC"],
    "price_range": "0-200",
    "service": "prime"
  }]
}
```

Supported extraction rules include brand detection, feature lists, USD price ranges ("under $50" -> 0-50), Prime eligibility, and multi-product decomposition.

Product Scoring Engine

Candidates are ranked by a deterministic scoring engine that evaluates:

- Title and keyword overlap (with stemming and partial matches)
- Brand match
- Feature match against parsed spec
- Price range compliance
- Service requirements (Prime, free shipping)
- Detailed product attributes from catalog API

This hybrid approach - LLM for understanding, deterministic code for ranking - produces reproducible results that validators can verify without re-running the model.

Amazon Search Gateway

A FastAPI service (services/amazon-search) exposes standard catalog endpoints:

Endpoint	Purpose
`GET /search/find_product`	Search by query, price filter, sort, service tags
`GET /search/view_product_information`	Fetch detailed attributes for candidate ASINs

Providers:

Provider	Use Case
`mock`	Offline development with demo products
`rainforest`	Live Amazon data via Rainforest API
`proxy`	Forward to any custom marketplace catalog

Any marketplace can implement the same API surface - the agent is catalog-agnostic by design.

Transparent Dialogue Streaming

Every agent step is emitted as a DialogueStep containing:

- **think** - Human-readable reasoning (e.g., "Searching for 'Sony wireless headphones' - found 24 results")
- **tool_calls** - Structured records of API calls and results
- **response** - User-facing message
- **status** - Success or failure with termination reason

Steps stream over Server-Sent Events (SSE) so users and dashboards see reasoning in real time - not a black-box final answer.

Shipped Components

Component	Package / Path	Status
Core SDK	`@commerce-agent/core`	? Shipped
Express server	`@commerce-agent/server`	? Shipped
Embeddable widget	`@commerce-agent/widget`	? Shipped
Python agent bridge	`services/agent-bridge`	? Shipped
Amazon search gateway	`services/amazon-search`	? Shipped
Marketing site + live demo	yakoo.xyz	? Shipped
Developer docs	yakoo.xyz/docs	? Shipped
Desktop client	Windows, macOS, Linux	? Shipped

Integration Example

Developers embed the agent in minutes:

```
<script src="https://yakoo.xyz/widget/commerce-agent-widget.js"></script>
<script>
  CommerceAgentWidget.init({
    apiUrl: "https://yakoo.xyz/api/agent",
    theme: { primaryColor: "#6366f1", position: "bottom-right" },
    greeting: "Hi! What product can I help you find?",
    onProductClick: (product) => {
      window.location.href = "/product/" + product.product_id;
    },
  });
</script>
```

Or mount the server router in Express:

```
createCommerceAgentRouter({
  agentConfig: {
    useLocalAgent: true,
    productApi: { baseUrl: process.env.PRODUCT_API_URL },
    llm: { baseUrl: process.env.LLM_BASE_URL, apiKey: process.env.LLM_API_KEY },
  },
}).mount(app);
```

Why This Matters for the Network

The Amazon agent establishes the template every future Yakoo agent will follow:

1. LLM intent extraction -> structured task parameters
2. Tool calls to external services -> verifiable API logs
3. Deterministic post-processing -> validator-checkable outputs

4. Streaming dialogue -> transparent, auditable execution
5. Pluggable backends -> no vendor lock-in

When the decentralized marketplace launches, the Amazon agent becomes a registrable operator service - priced in YAKOO, ranked by reputation, and validated by the network.

11. Agent Operator Guide

Developers who wish to deploy agents on Yakoo AI Network follow a standard lifecycle.

Step 1 - Build on the SDK

Fork or extend @commerce-agent/core:

- Implement your domain logic (shopping, travel, finance, etc.)
- Connect external APIs via the `ProductApiPort` interface
- Emit dialogue steps for transparency

Step 2 - Register On-Chain

Submit agent metadata:

- Name, description, category tags
- Supported tools and websites
- Pricing model (per task, per session, subscription)
- Stake collateral (minimum set by governance)

Step 3 - Serve Users

Run your agent backend (self-hosted or Yakoo-managed):

- REST + SSE endpoints compatible with `@commerce-agent/server`
- Health checks and latency monitoring
- Signed step logs for validator attestation

Step 4 - Earn & Grow Reputation

- Complete tasks -> validators attest -> success rate increases
- Higher reputation -> more marketplace visibility and auto-routing priority
- Stake additional YAKOO to signal commitment and unlock premium listing placement

Planned Agent Categories

Agent	Target Launch

Amazon Shopping	? Live (reference)
Shopify Assistant	Q3 2026
Booking / Travel	Q4 2026
Crypto Trading	2027
Coding Assistant	2027
Research Assistant	2027

12. Roadmap

Phase 1 - Open Toolkit (Q2 2026) ?

Foundation release: SDK, server, widget, docs, live demo, desktop client, Amazon agent.

Phase 2 - Production Features (Q3-Q4 2026)

- Multi-turn conversations with session context
- Rich product image cards in widget
- Analytics dashboard for merchants
- Catalog adapters (Shopify, WooCommerce)
- Hosted SaaS tier for non-technical operators

Phase 3 - Decentralized Marketplace (2027)

- On-chain agent registration and YAKOO payment settlement
- Validator network launch with staking and slashing
- Marketplace portal with agent discovery and auto-routing
- Reputation collateral and dispute resolution
- ORO subnet integration - deploy subnet-winning agents through Yakoo infrastructure

Phase 4 - Full Agentic Commerce (2027+)

- End-to-end assistant: search, compare, cart, checkout handoff
- White-label widget for enterprise operators
- Multi-language storefront support
- Cross-agent composition - e.g., research agent feeds into shopping agent

13. Conclusion

The future of AI commerce should not be owned by a handful of platforms. It should be open, competitive, transparent, and economically fair to the people who build and use it.

Yakoo AI Network provides the infrastructure for that future:

- **Users** get choice, transparency, and token-native payments
- **Agent operators** deploy specialized services and earn directly
- **Validators** secure trust without prohibitive re-inference costs
- **Token holders** govern and share in network growth

The Amazon Shopping Agent proves the model works today - natural language in, ranked products out, every reasoning step visible. The decentralized marketplace, validator network, and YAKOO token economy are the next chapter.

Join the network.

- Live demo: yakoo.xyz
- Developer docs: yakoo.xyz/docs
- Open source: github.com/yakoo-xyz/commerce-agent-js
- ? Roadmap: yakoo.xyz/roadmap

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