

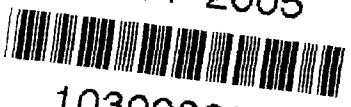
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Date: September 16, 2005

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