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# Public Budget in Lviv

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# City of Lviv



**Lviv is located in western Ukraine and 70 km from the border with the European Union.**



**The history of Lviv begins in 1256, when it was founded by King Danylo Halytsky.**

**City has a long-standing tradition of local self-government, which began with the acquisition of the Magdeburg Law in 1356 by Lviv.**



**Lviv has over 750 000 inhabitants.**

**Every fifth inhabitant of the city is a student.**

**There are 33 higher educational establishments in the city, which ensure the reputation of Lviv, as a city with a high level of education.**

Lviv is a city of youth



At the same time, Lviv cooperates with business and develops IT



Lviv respects older people












Lviv takes care of the people who need it



Lviv is a city of art and inspiration



# Public participation tools

-  Public budget
-  Public hearings
-  Public consultations
-  E-petitions
-  Local initiatives
-  Contests for NGOs
-  Speeches at the City Council session
-  Community meeting of residents
-  Public Councils at Lviv City Council offices



# Public Budget

an opportunity for Lviv residents to decide how to spend part of the budget by creation projects and supporting this projects by voting

**to submit a project / to vote can a person who:**

- ▶ is over the age of 16
- ▶ is a citizen of Ukraine, a citizen of another country or is a stateless person.
- ▶ meet one of the following criteria:
  - the place of residence is registered in Lviv
  - studies in Lviv
  - works in Lviv
  - owns a real estate object in Lviv
  - was born in Lviv



# Types of Public Budget projects

## Small projects

( 50 000 – 600 000 uah)

**projects of street, quarter,  
district scale**

**60%** of the total public budget

**funds are evenly distributed  
in six districts of the city**

## Large projects

( 600 000 – 3 000 000 uah)

**inter-district projects with a  
citywide significance**

**40%** of the total public budget



# Categories of Public Budget projects

## Educational and medical projects

- ▶ project implementation is related to:
  - ✓ buildings or territories of schools
  - ✓ preschool educational institutions
  - ✓ children's and youth clubs
  - ✓ higher educational institutions
  - ✓ art schools
  - ✓ buildings or territories of health care institutions



## Other projects

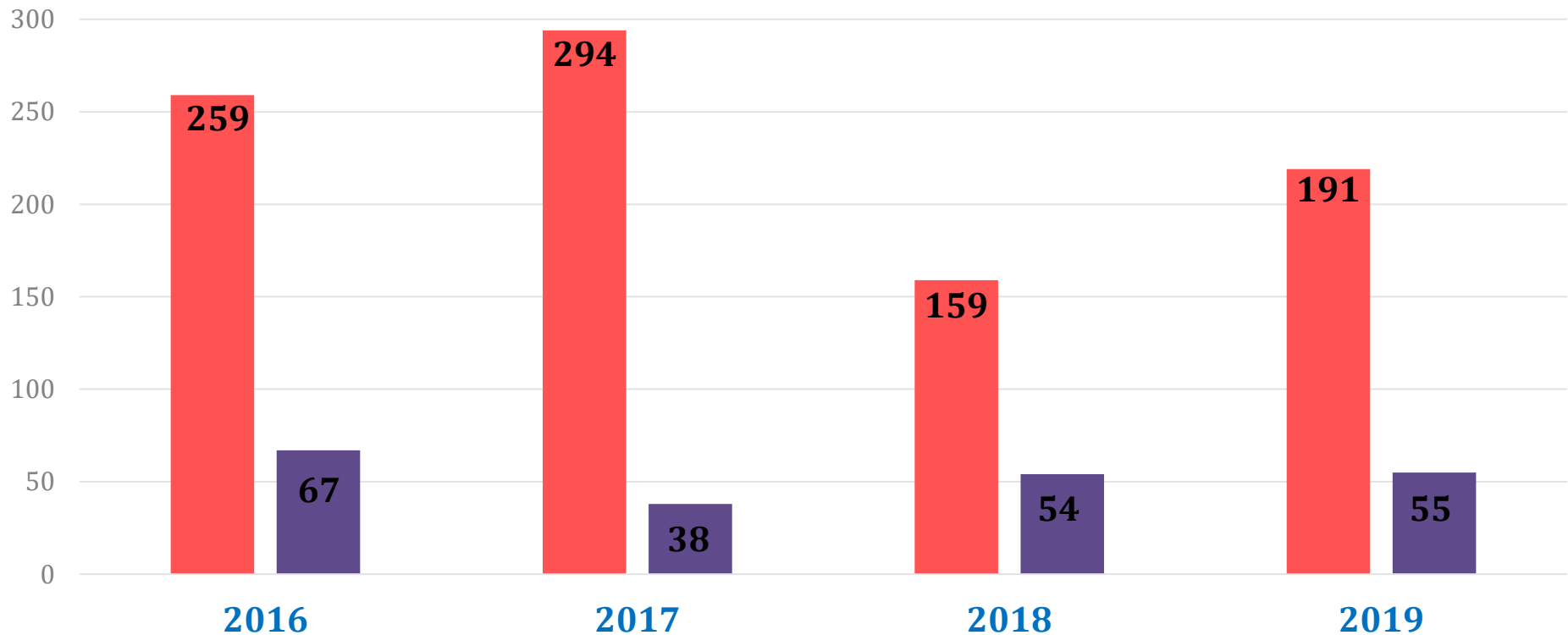
- ▶ project implementation is not related to buildings or territories of educational and medical institutions.
- ▶ such projects should develop the infrastructure and comfort for the city's residents





# Public Budget projects

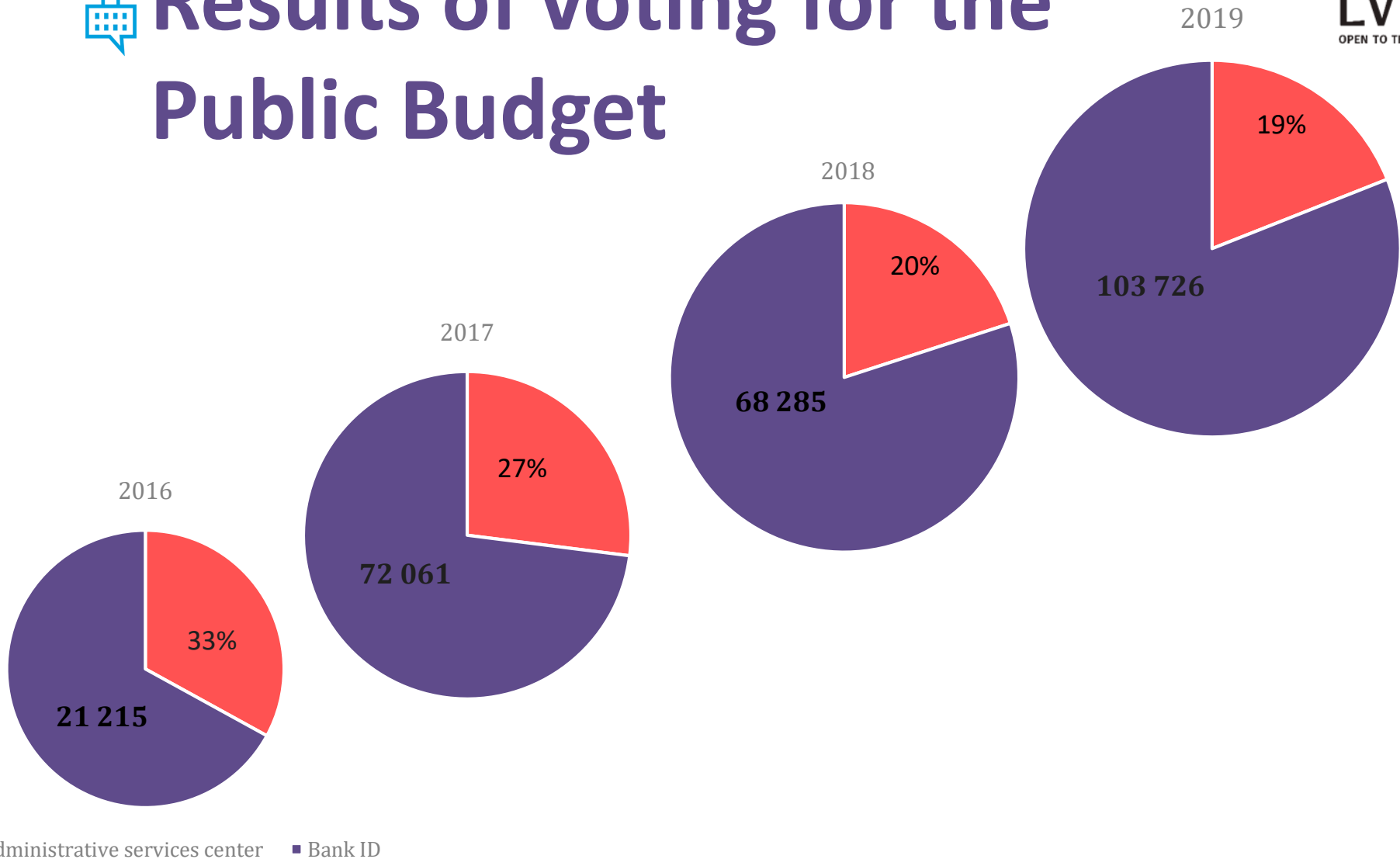
■ projects were submitted ■ projects were supported by citizens







# Results of voting for the Public Budget



# Lviv set a record of Ukraine in attracting its residents in voting process for Public Budget projects 2019



## 103 726 citizens

( 13.4% of the total adult population in Lviv)



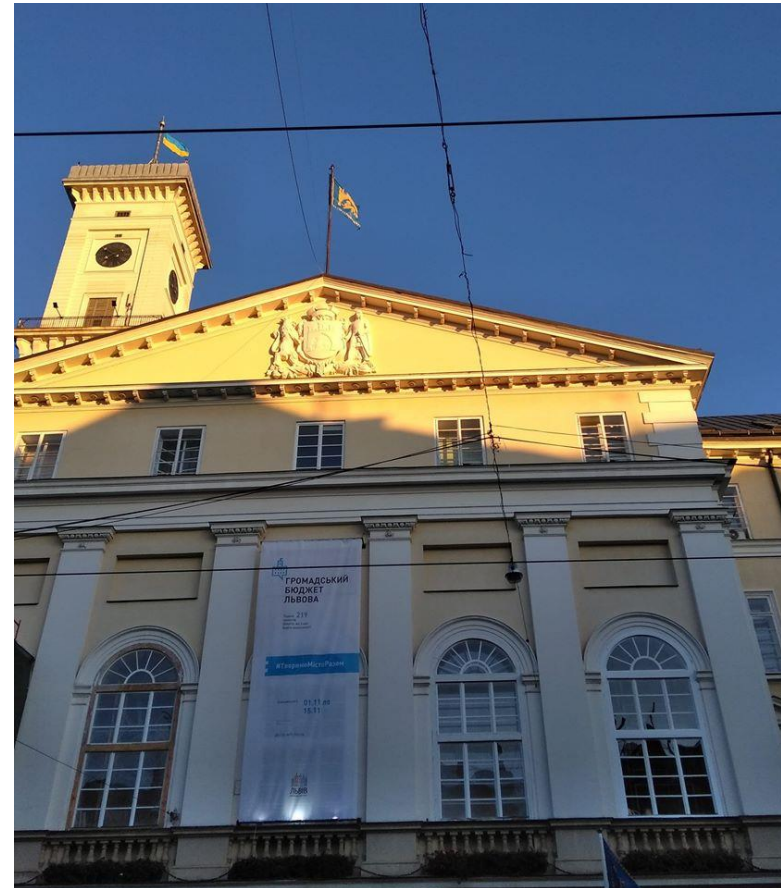
# How to get a record

- ▶ Promotional campaign. We have reached the level when it has become awesome to participate in the Lviv Public Budget
- ▶ Cooperation with active citizens. We paid special attention to cooperation with the authors of the implemented projects and active youth
- ▶ Successful and high-quality implementation of projects in all districts of the city



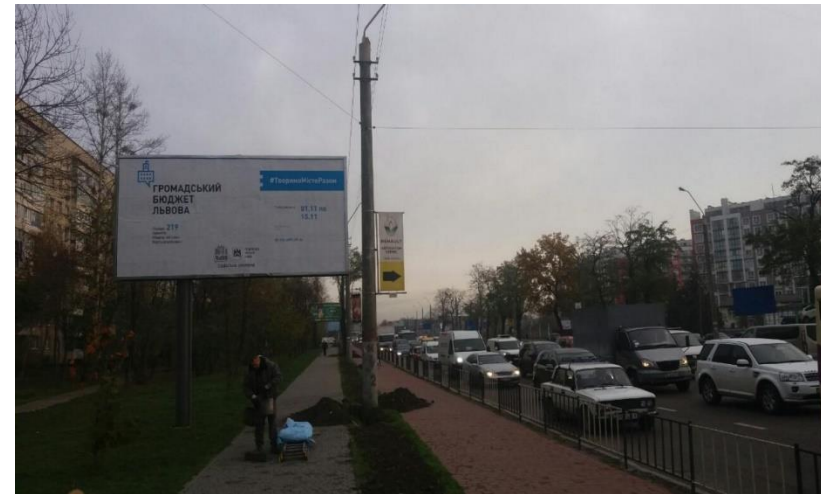
# Promotional campaign

The banner on the facade  
of the Lviv City Council  
building





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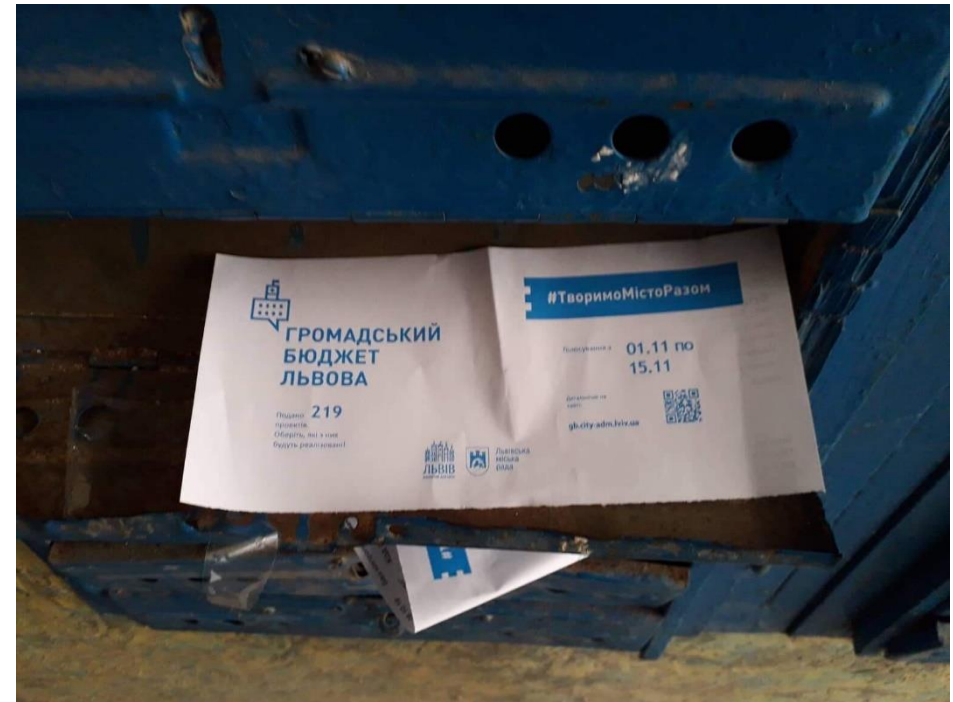
more than 5,000 units of printed promotional products were developed and produced



# Promotional campaign

We also involved city residents in voting for projects through mass communication channels:

- ✓ printing information on municipal services bills
- ✓ distributing audio advertising on public transport  
- ✓ distributing audio advertising on shopping malls. 







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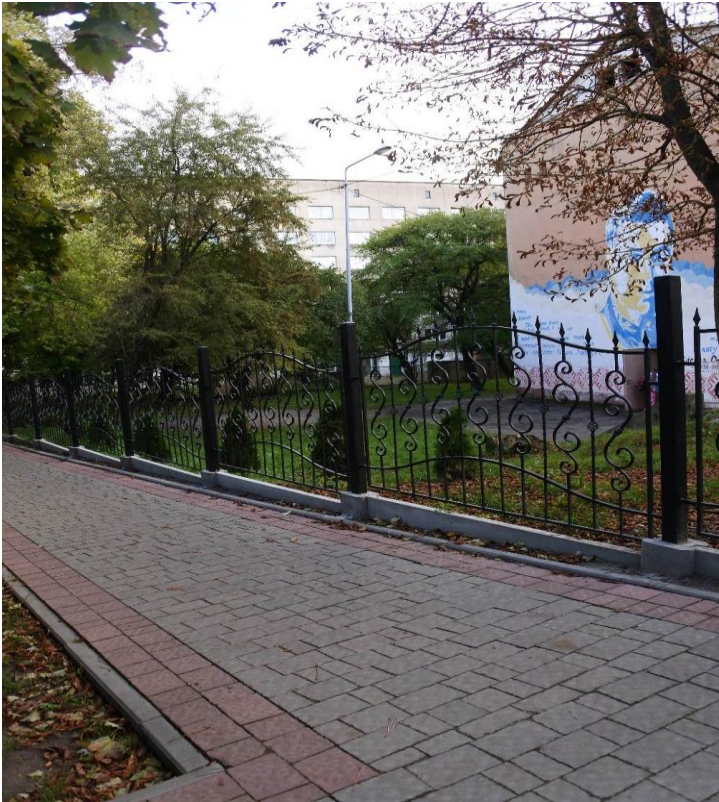


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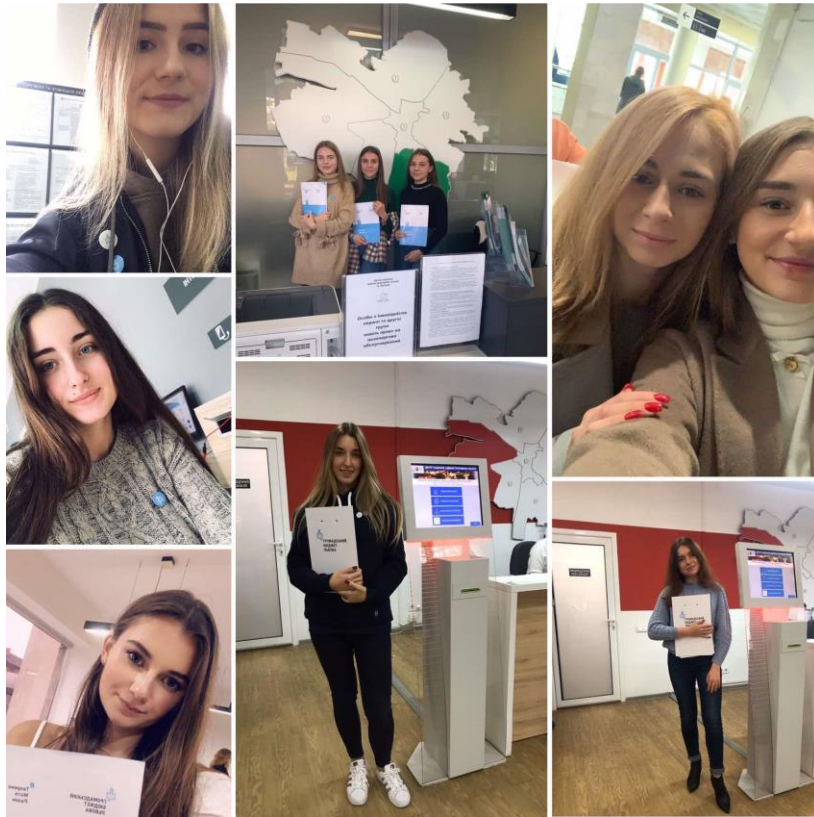


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# Cooperation with active students



Students became volunteers of the public budget and supported voting campaign in administrative service centers

# Cooperation with active citizens

Annually, based on the results of the voting campaign, the Mayor of Lviv holds a meeting with the authors of the winning projects to exchange views and award diplomas.



# What did we achieve



# ЛЬВІВ

# ТВОРИМО МІСТО РАЗОМ

- ▶ More residents are involved in city management.
- ▶ Create a quality cooperation between active residents and local authorities.
- ▶ Build a trust in public participation tools, especially in public budget, e-petition, and public hearings.
- ▶ New Public Budget projects in Lviv are constantly being implemented. The city is becoming more attractive and comfortable to live.



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