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| ABGDex | Alpha Beta Gamma Delta Example  |
| CITS | Computing and Information Technology Services |
| NASA | National Aeronautics and Space Administration |
| O2 | Oxygen |
| UMass Dartmouth | University of Massachusetts Dartmouth |
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