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Interlopers (Ace Science Fiction) - Product Information Guide

By Alan Dean Foster

INTRODUCTION TO INTERLOPERS

"Interlopers" is a science fiction novel by Alan Dean Foster. It delves into a world plagued by mysterious ailments and ominous events, where archaeologist Cory Westcott uncovers an ancient, malevolent force responsible for historical societal collapses. This force, long dormant, has returned to threaten humanity.

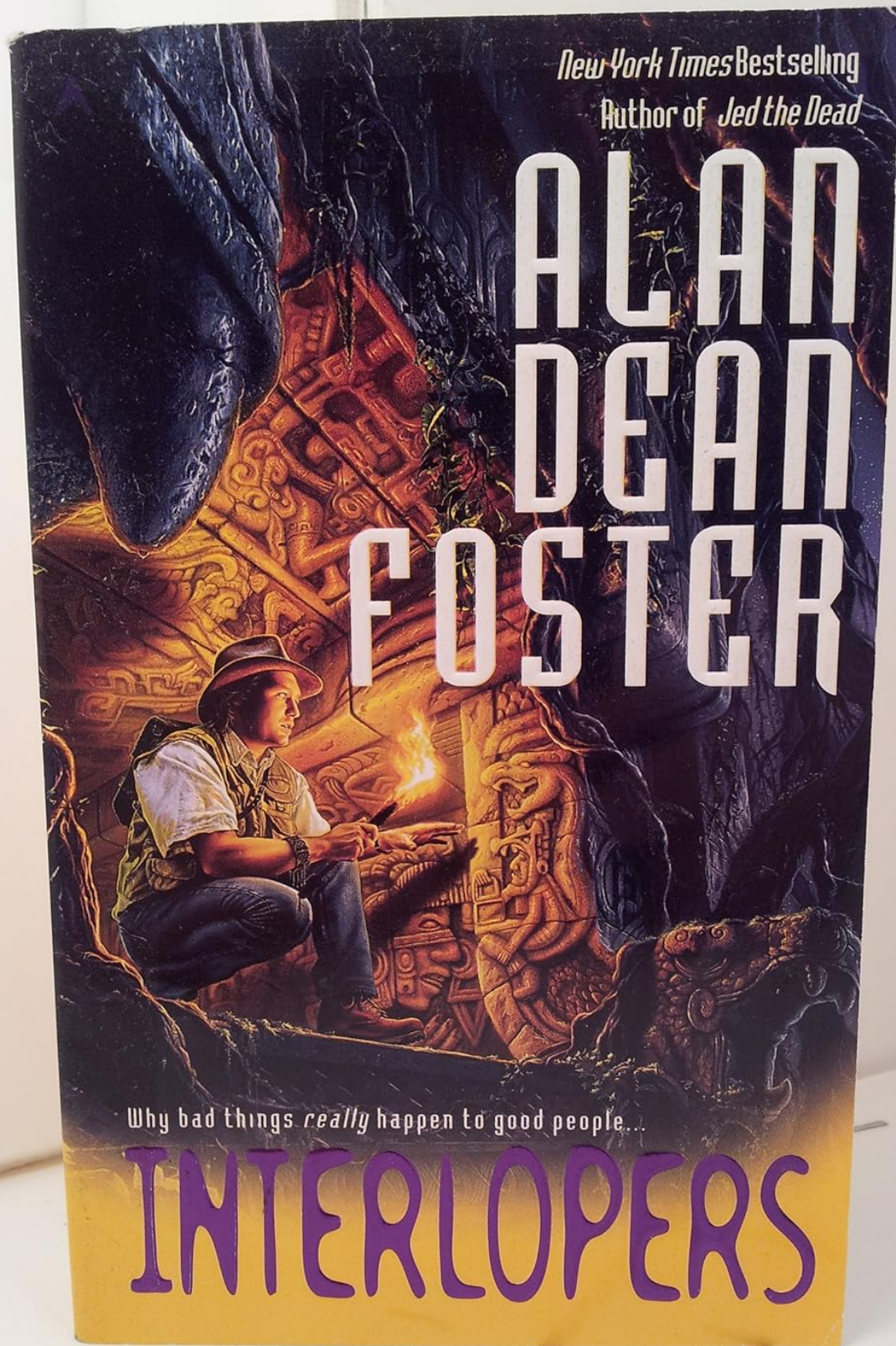


Image: Front cover of "Interlopers" by Alan Dean Foster. The cover depicts an archaeologist exploring ancient ruins, illuminated by a torch, with a large, shadowy figure looming in the background. The title "INTERLOPERS" is prominently displayed at the bottom.

ABOUT THE AUTHOR

Alan Dean Foster is a prolific New York Times bestselling author renowned for his contributions to science fiction and fantasy literature. His works often feature intricate world-building and engaging narratives. "Interlopers" showcases his ability to blend elements of mystery, horror, and science fiction.

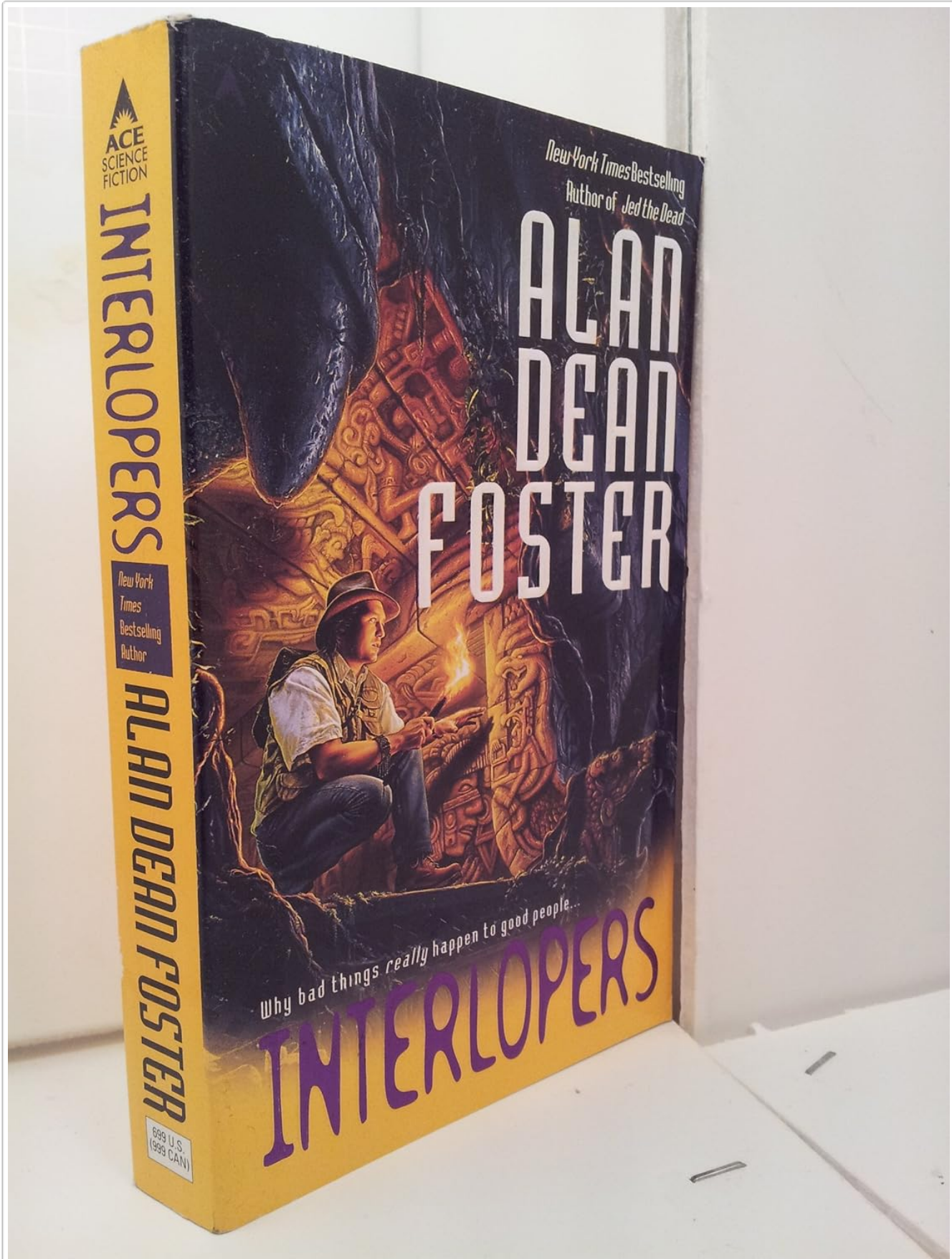


Image: Side view of the "Interlopers" book, highlighting the spine. The spine displays "ACE SCIENCE FICTION," the title "INTERLOPERS," and the author's name "ALAN DEAN FOSTER."

READING AND ENGAGEMENT (OPERATING)

To fully engage with "Interlopers," readers are encouraged to immerse themselves in the narrative's unfolding mystery. The story progresses through Cory Westcott's discoveries and his confrontation with the ancient entity. Pay attention to the subtle clues and the escalating tension as the plot develops.

- **Pacing:** The narrative maintains a steady pace, building suspense as Westcott uncovers more about the interlopers.
- **Themes:** Explore themes of ancient evil, human vulnerability, and the hidden forces that may influence historical events.
- **Character Development:** Observe the protagonist's journey from academic discovery to active resistance against the unknown.

CARE AND HANDLING (MAINTENANCE)

For the Mass Market Paperback edition, proper care ensures the longevity of your book:

- **Storage:** Store the book in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight to prevent fading and warping of the cover and pages.
- **Handling:** Avoid bending the spine excessively to preserve its integrity. Use a bookmark instead of folding pages.
- **Cleaning:** Gently wipe the cover with a dry, soft cloth if needed. Avoid using liquids or abrasive cleaners.

COMMON INQUIRIES (TROUBLESHOOTING)

If you encounter aspects of the story that require further thought or clarification:

- **Understanding Complex Concepts:** Some readers may find the ancient forces and their influence on history to be abstract. Re-reading key descriptive passages can aid comprehension.
- **Pacing Concerns:** If the initial setup feels slow, continue reading as the mystery deepens and the action intensifies in later chapters.
- **Seeking Related Works:** For more by Alan Dean Foster, consult his bibliography or publisher's catalog for similar science fiction or fantasy titles.

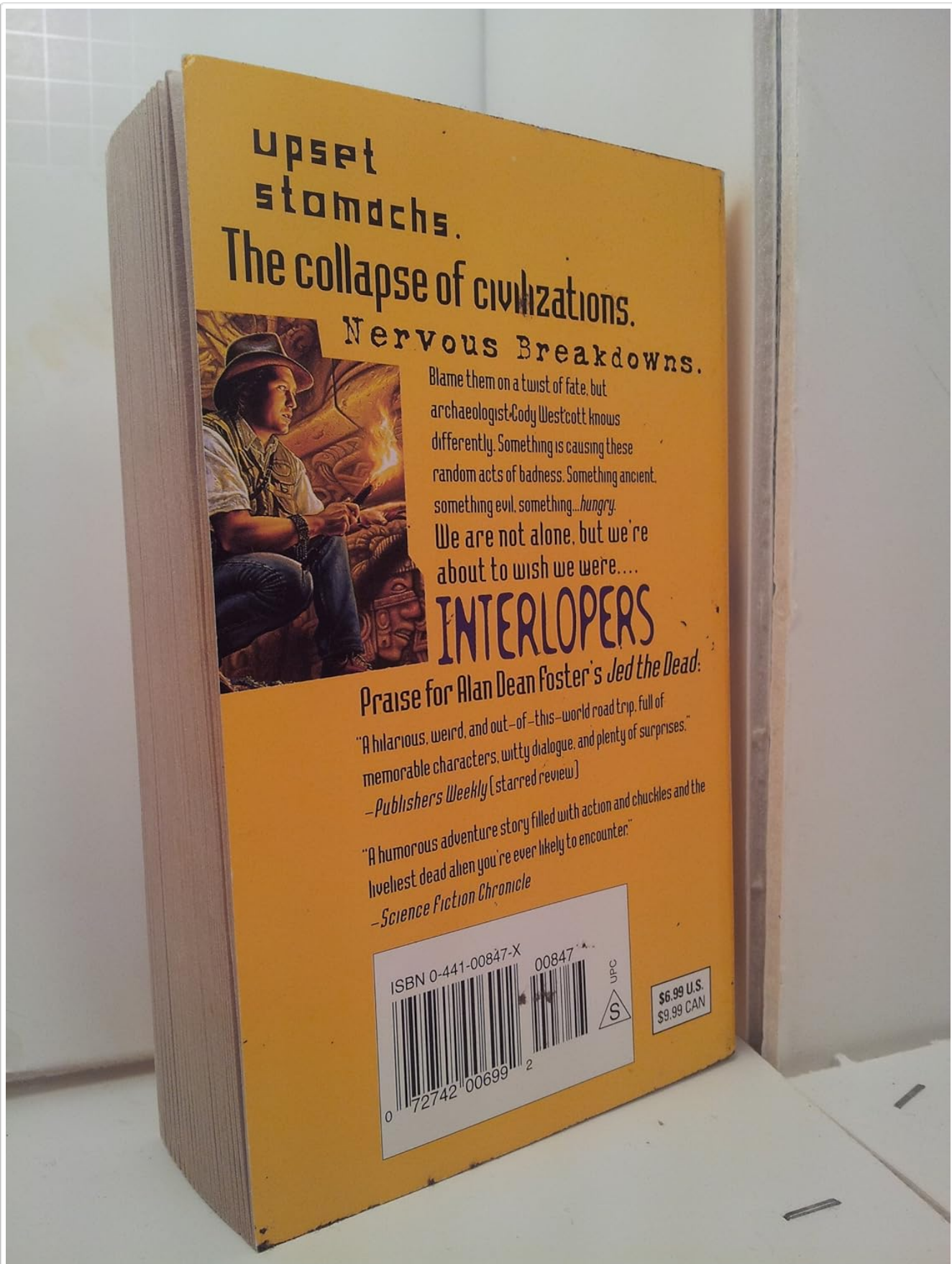
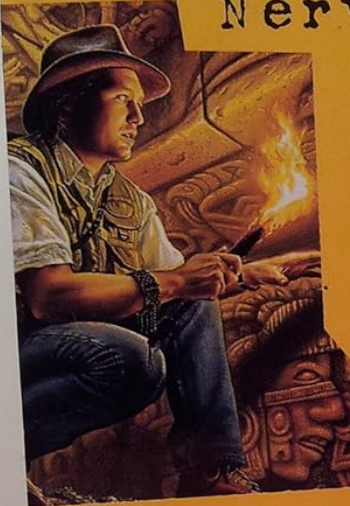


Image: Back cover of "Interlopers." It features a summary of the plot, praise for Alan Dean Foster, and the ISBN/UPC information. The text describes the mysterious ailments and ominous events plaguing the world.

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS

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stomachs.
The collapse of civilizations.
Nervous Breakdowns.



Blame them on a twist of fate, but archaeologist Cody Westcott knows differently. Something is causing these random acts of badness. Something ancient, something evil, something...*hungry*. We are not alone, but we're about to wish we were....

INTERLOPERS

Praise for Alan Dean Foster's *Jed the Dead*:

"A hilarious, weird, and out-of-this-world road trip, full of memorable characters, witty dialogue, and plenty of surprises."
—*Publishers Weekly* (starred review)

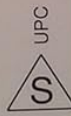
"A humorous adventure story filled with action and chuckles and the liveliest dead alien you're ever likely to encounter."
—*Science Fiction Chronicle*

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Image: Detailed view of the back cover of "Interlopers," focusing on the ISBN-10 (0-441-00847-X) and UPC (0 72742 00699 2) barcodes and numbers.



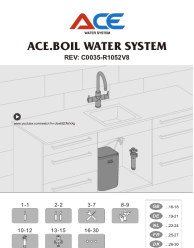


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