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129.132.0.0 bis 129.132.255.255  
82.130.64.0 bis 82.130.127.255  
192.33.87.0 bis 192.33.110.255  
195.176.96.0 bis 195.176.127.255  
2001:67c:10ec::/48

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