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## DB: Invalid characters in ELINK\_INDEX.LINK\_TEXT\_NORMAL

- **Article Type:** Known Issue
  - **Product:** Voyager
  - **Product Version:** 7.2.0
  - **Relevant for Installation Type:** Dedicated-Direct; Direct; Local;
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### Symptoms

On Linux, the normalized link text (ELINK\_INDEX.LINK\_TEXT\_NORMAL) is unreadable text / set of characters that are not normalized link text.

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### Defect Status

Issue 16384-19330 / VYG-1174 is resolved for Voyager 8.2.0 and higher.

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### Replication Steps

1. Run this sql query on a database that has elinks, and that is running RHEL:

```
select link_text  
, link_text_normal  
from elink_index;
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2. Note that link\_text\_normal is not a normalization of link\_text, but is instead an assortment of unreadable characters.

3. If copy & search using the unreadable characters, records are retrieved.

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