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Paper towels are widely recognized for their role in maintaining cleanliness and hygiene - both in and away from home.^{1,2,3,4}



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