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*An example of a non-LERF group which is a free product of LERF groups with an amalgamated cyclic subgroup.* (English)

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A group  $G$  is called LERF (locally extended residually finite) if for any elements  $x_0, \dots, x_k \in G$  with  $x_0 \notin \langle x_1, \dots, x_k \rangle$  there is a subgroup of finite index in  $G$  containing  $x_1, \dots, x_k$  but not  $x_0$ . The author constructs a group with the properties indicated in the title. A final note states that a finitely generated example is also to be published.

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