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It is virtually an automatic response, for some, to rearrange an infinite double sum to obtain a new identity. In the absence of an absolutely converging series, such a rearrangement must be justified. We will discuss certain double sum rearrangements related to some infinite series identities in an unpublished manuscript of Ramanujan. (Received September 22, 2011)