

Googolplex Written Out

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A large black spiral graphic composed of repeating digits 9, 6, and 8. The spiral starts from the center and expands outwards in a clockwise direction. The word "volume" is written in a bold, black, sans-serif font at the top left of the page. The entire graphic is set against a white background.

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A large graphic featuring the word "volume" at the top left, followed by two concentric circular paths made of the digit "9". The inner circle has some digits replaced by "8", "7", and "6".

In 1940, the mathematician Edward Kasner published the book "Mathematics and the Imagination", in which he popularized the words googol and googolplex which his nephew suggested as names for big numbers.

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