

Googolplex Written Out

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A large, stylized number 9 is formed by a dense arrangement of smaller numbers. The top curve of the 9 is composed of many '9's, while the bottom curve and the vertical stem are composed of many '6's. The word 'volume' is written in a bold, black, sans-serif font at the top left of the image.

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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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