

Googolplex Written Out

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The image consists of several concentric rings of the digit '9'. The outermost ring is at the top left, followed by three more rings spiraling inward towards the center. In the middle of the spiral, there are four small numbers arranged vertically: '1', '7', '8', and '3' from bottom to top. The entire composition is set against a plain white background.

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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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