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SELF-REFERENTIAL 9 DIGITS REPDIGIT NUMBER

Let us define **repdigits** to be numbers with all-equal digits—666,666, 777, 4, 99,999, etc.

Let us define **repdigit summation** as follows: for numbers with nine or fewer digits, go through each digit (from left to right). For each n th digit with value x , add the x -digit repdigit whose digit values are n .

For example, the repdigit summation of 15 is: $1 + 22,222 = 22,223$

Finally, let us call a number **self-referential** if it is equal to its repdigit summation.

For example: the repdigit summation of 743,519,866 is:

$1,111,111 + 2,222 + 333 + 44,444 + 5 + 666,666,666 + 77,777,777 + 888,888 + 999,999 = 747,491,445$. This is close, but not quite equal, so 743,519,866 is not self-referential.

Find the only self-referential 9-digit number.

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