

# Not Modest

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> Hello SeqFans,
> Numbers which, when divided by their last digit, have their first
digit as remainder:
>
> 13, 19, 23, 26, 29, 39, 46, 49, 59, 69, 79, 89, 103, 109, 127,
...
>
> Base-10 modest numbers (which are not exactly the same), can be
found there: https://oeis.org/A054986
> Best,
> É.
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**Alois Heinz** was quick to answer:

Hello Eric,

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13, 19, 23, 26, 29, 39, 46, 49, 59, 69, 79, 89, 103, 109,
127, 133, 163, 193, 197, 199, 203, 206, 209, 214, 218,
233, 234, 236, 247, 254, 258, 263, 266, 274, 293, 294,
296, 298, 299, 309, 367, 399, 406, 409, 417, 428, 436,
466, 468, 487, 496, 499, 509, 537, 599, 609, 638, 657,
678, 699, 709, 799, 809, 899, 1003, 1009, 1033, 1037,
1063, 1093, 1099, 1107, 1123, 1153, 1177, 1183, 1189,
1213, 1243, 1247, 1273, 1279, 1303, 1317, 1333, 1363,
1369, 1387, 1393, 1423, 1453, 1457, 1459, 1483, 1513,
1527, 1543, 1549, 1573, 1597, ...
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Best regards,  
Alois

The next sequence asked would of course have this property:

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> Hello SeqFans,
> Numbers which, when divided by their first digit, have their last
digit as remainder:
>
> 10, 20, 21, 30, 31, 32, 40, 41, 42, 43, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 60,
61,
> 62, 63, 64, 65, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84,
85,
> 86, 87, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 100, ...
>
> This is not a subsequence of https://oeis.org/A009995 ("Numbers
with digits in strictly decreasing order").
>
> Best,
> É.
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Again, **Alois** was quick:

10, 20, 21, 30, 31, 32, 40, 41, 42, 43, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54,  
60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 80, 81,  
82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98,  
100, 110, 120, 130, 140, 150, 160, 170, 180, 190, 200, 201,  
210, 211, 220, 221, 230, 231, 240, 241, 250, 251, 260, 261,  
270, 271, 280, 281, 290, 291, 300, 301, 302, 330, 331, 332,  
360, 361, 362, 390, 391, 392, 400, 401, 402, 403, 420, 421,  
422, 423, 440, 441, 442, 443, 460, ...

Best regards,  
Alois

**Charles Greathouse** adds this comment:

This is an automatic sequence in the terminology of Allouche & Shallit: it can be recognized by a regular expression (or finite-state machine) working on the decimal expansion of the number.

The easy parts:

1.\*0  
2.\*[01]  
4.\*[02468][0123]  
4[0123]  
5.\*[01234]

8 is routine but somewhat long.

3, 6, and 9 are longer than 8 but not too hard; here's 3:

3([0369]|[147][0369]\*[258]|[147][0369]\*[147][0369]\*[147]|[258]  
[0369]\*[147])\*[012]

7 is hard. The length of the entire regular expression will be essentially the same as the length of this part, which will be several thousand characters.

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**Maximilian Hasler** has confirmed Alois's first results and suggested the name "Restricted Modest Numbers" for those integers - good idea!

Many thanks to **Alois, Charles** and **Maximilian**!

Best,  
É.