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Theorem: An integer is
a multiple of nine iff the
sum of its digits is a
multiple of nine.
Proof: Express the in-
teger as the sum of its
digits: d_0 + 10d_1 +
100d_2 + \ldots + 10^n d_n.
This may be grouped
into the sum of its digits
d_0+d_1+\ldots+d_n plus
the sum 9d_1 + 99d_2 +
\dots + (10^n - 1)d_n
Since each 10^i - 1 is
divisible by 9, the result
follows
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