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--- Day 11: Dumbo Octopus ---

You enter a large cavern full of rare bioluminescent dumbo octopuses! They seem to not like the Christmas lights on your submarine, so you turn them off for now.

There are 100 octopuses arranged neatly in a 10 by 10 grid. Each octopus slowly gains energy over time and flashes brightly for a moment when its energy is full. Although your lights are off, maybe you could navigate through the cave without disturbing the octopuses if you could predict when the flashes of light will happen.

Each octopus has an energy level - your submarine can remotely measure the energy level of each octopus (your puzzle input). For example:

The energy level of each octopus is a value between $\boxed{0}$ and $\boxed{9}$. Here, the top-left octopus has an energy level of $\boxed{5}$, the bottom-right one has an energy level of $\boxed{6}$, and so on.

You can model the energy levels and flashes of light in steps. During a single step, the following occurs:

- First, the energy level of each octopus increases by 1.
- Then, any octopus with an energy level greater than 9 flashes. This increases the energy level of all adjacent octopuses by 1, including octopuses that are diagonally adjacent. If this causes an octopus to have an energy level greater than 9, it also flashes. This process continues as long as new octopuses keep having their energy level increased beyond 9. (An octopus can only flash at most once per step.)
- Finally, any octopus that flashed during this step has its energy level set to 0, as it used all of its energy to flash.

Adjacent flashes can cause an octopus to flash on a step even if it begins that step with very little energy. Consider the middle octopus with $\boxed{1}$ energy in this situation:

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Before any steps:
11111
19991
19191
19991
11111
After step 1:
34543
40004
50005
40004
34543
After step 2:
45654
51115
61116
51115
45654
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An octopus is highlighted when it flashed during the given step.

Here is how the larger example above progresses:

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Before any steps:
5483143223
2745854711
5264556173
6141336146
6357385478
4167524645
2176841721
6882881134
4846848554
5283751526
After step 1:
6594254334
3856965822
6375667284
7252447257
7468496589
5278635756
3287952832
7993992245
5957959665
6394862637
After step 2:
8807476555
5089087054
8597889608
8485769600
8700908800
6600088989
6800005943
0000007456
9000000876
8700006848
After step 3:
0050900866
8500800575
9900000039
9700000041
9935080063
7712300000
7911250009
2211130000
0421125000
0021119000
After step 4:
2263031977
0923031697
0032221150
0041111163
0076191174
0053411122
0042361120
5532241122
1532247211
1132230211
After step 5:
4484144000
2044144000
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After step 10, there have been a total of 204 flashes. Fast forwarding, here is the same configuration every 10 steps:

0093511233 0442361130

5532252350 0532250600 0032240000

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0042111114
0004211115
0000211116
0065611111
0532351111
7322235117
5722223475
4572222754
After step 80:
1755555697
5965555609
4486555680
4458655580
4570865570
5700086566
7000008666
0000000990
00800000800
000000000
After step 90:
7433333522
2643333522
2264333458
2226433337
₫₫₺₽₦3₺₿₿8steps, there have been a total of 1656 flashes.
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Given the dumbo octopuses in your cavern,
$359445833300 steps. How many total flashes are there after 100 steps?
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