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OPTIONAL CHALLENGE  
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# Phone Numbers

Jaymin was surprised to discover the phone numbers in her phone directory have all been changed. Well not all, the number 1 is still there, but all other numbers are different.

- The emergency number 911 has become 25-1-1.
- Her grandmother's phone number is 529-2507 but now it reads:  
13-4-25 - 4-13-2-19
- All the other numbers have been changed.

Taped to the front of the phone directory is the message, "You've been attacked by the Function Master. All your numbers went into my function machine and have been changed. The only way to change them back is to discover the function I used."

Jaymin was so angry over the changed numbers she threw the phone directory across the room. Out fell a slip of paper that had been between the pages. It was another note:

*I'm not completely heartless, I'm going to give you a clue. I like functions that multiply the original number by a single-digit integer and then subtract a different integer.*

—The Function Master

Help Jaymin find the function.

