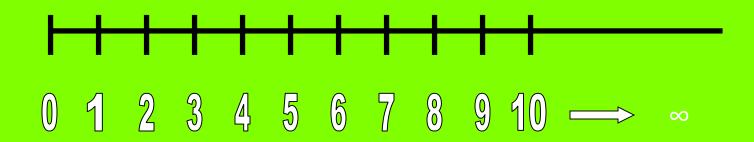
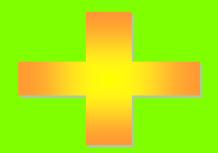
What do you understand by this?

Understanding Negative Numbers

We think of numbers being on a number line:

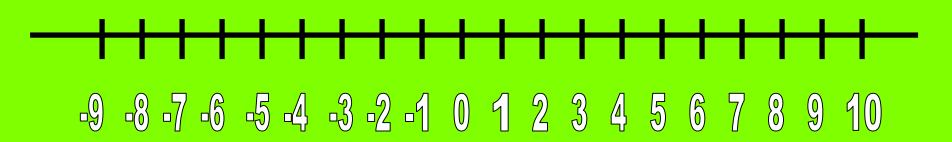


These numbers are all positive numbers, although we don't actually put the + sign in front of each number



Understanding Negative Numbers

The number line can also continue on past 0:



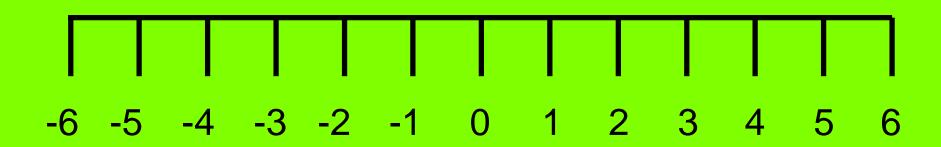
These new numbers are negative numbers.

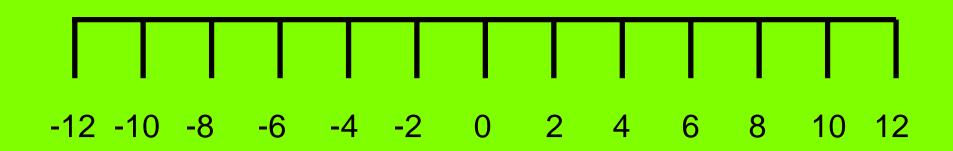
The temperature scale is often seen vertically.

As the temperature goes below freezing we use negative numbers.

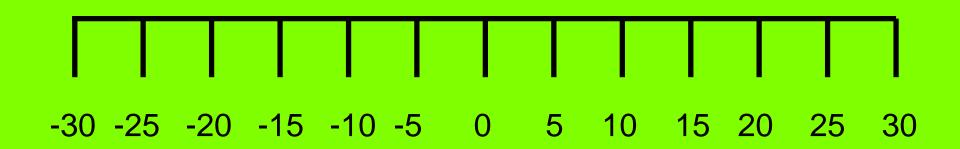


Negative Numbers - This time the scale is horizontal

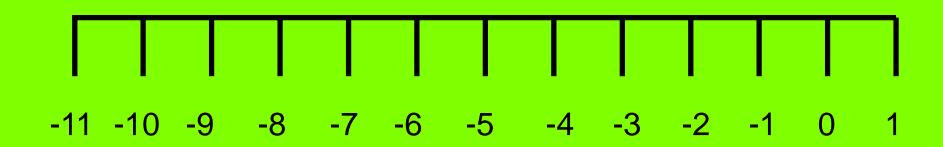




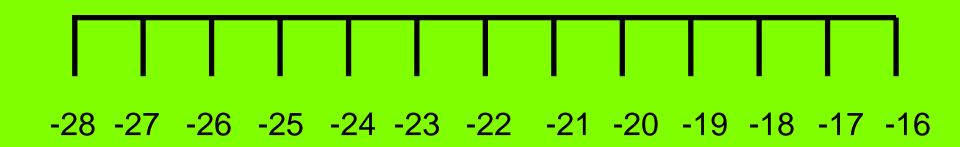
The scale changed, each division is worth?



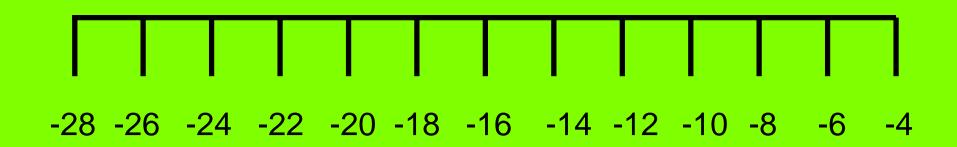
The scale changed, each division is worth?



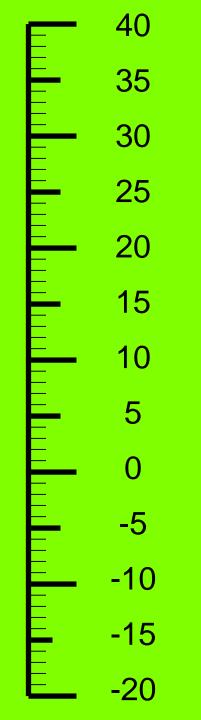
What's the missing number?



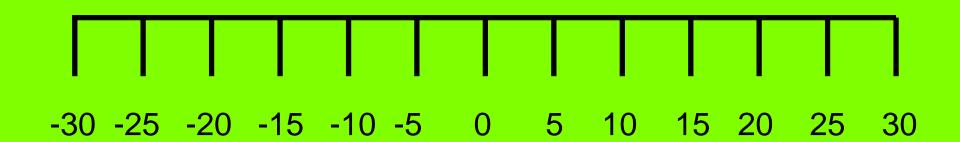
What's the missing number?



What's the missing number?



Which is colder -5 or -20? Why?



Can you order this set of numbers starting with the coldest?

