# M.EE.6.NS.5-8

# Understand that positive and negative numbers are used together to describe quantities having opposite directions or values (e.g., temperature above/below zero).

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