

The many meanings of the minus sign

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How many interpretations can you give for the minus sign?

1. The binary function of subtraction.
2. The unary function of opposite (reflecting in 0).
3. The unary function of additive inverse
4. Part of the name of a number such as -3 .
5. An abbreviation for: multiply by -1 .

Pemdas only thinks of the first.

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